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Red tide still high, but improving

The catch? Most of the fish have gone

By Hannah Morse
GateHouse Media Florida

Fishing pole in hand, Paul D. of Panama City doesn't expect to catch anything at St. Andrews State Park.

"The bait fish leave first," he said, coughing occasionally from a hint of red tide in the air. "And, of course, when the bait fish leave, the bigger fish leave. The predators leave."

Red tide in Bay County was worse before Hurricane Michael hit three weeks ago.

Fish kills were off the charts and the water was discolored. But there's still a hint of it in the Gulf air.

St. Andrew Bay is worse off than other parts of Northwest Florida when it comes to red tide. Water samples taken last week off Davis Point and Courtney Point showed that the number of cells of red tide, which forms from the algae *Karenia brevis*, surpassed one million per liter of water. In high enough concentrations, red tide can lead to respiratory irritation and itchy eyes in humans, as well as fish kills on beaches.

Surrounding water samples from Shell Island and Tyndall Air Force Base had between 100,000 and one million *K. brevis* cells per liter of water.

Much of St. Andrews State Park still is recovering from Hurricane Michael's force. The storm hit on Oct. 10, and although the park reopened two weeks later, the campground, boat ramp, Heron Pond trail and more remain closed because of the extensive cleanup needed.

"The park sustained ecological damage, with many downed

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A dead fish lies steps from a beach umbrella at St. Andrews State Park on Monday. [HANNAH MORSE/GATEHOUSE MEDIA FLORIDA]



A "for sale" sign is missing off a Cherry Street home in the Cove on Sunday after Hurricane Michael battered Bay County. [PATTI BLAKE/THE NEWS HERALD]

'Like ripping off a Band-Aid'

Real estate market expected to take hit from Hurricane Michael, then 'explode'

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PANAMA CITY — One after the other, the Facebook messages poured in.

"Two adults and two kids looking! No pets. Under \$1200 month for everything;" "3 bedroom 2 bath needed. We have guinea pigs and a small dog. No location restrictions. If needed we will even take a 2 bedroom;" and "We have 3 people, one bathroom is plenty. We also have a cat we are grateful to whatever is available. Preferably three beds."

Eighty-five families who lost everything to Hurricane Michael responded to a post by B Cody Shields, owner of the fledgling company Think Real Estate, where he offered



A home is for sale off Linda Avenue on Sunday in the Cove. [PATTI BLAKE/THE NEWS HERALD]

to match the displaced with available rental units. People on both sides of the equation, he wrote, should post what they need or what they have in the comments.

What didn't pour in though were posts about

available rental units. The list was decidedly lopsided. "I'm doing my best," Shields said, who noted he has had some successes. But he also reluctantly conceded, yes, "it's overwhelming." Hurricane Michael

Housing portal

FEMA and the state created a portal to identify available housing in Bay County. Landlords are able to put available units for their buildings for potential use by Hurricane Michael survivors who have been displaced.

The link for the public is <https://survey123.arcgis.com/share/beb1d86dc4054b-f78c04514980c940d1>

simultaneously devastated the local real estate market and set the stage for the most robust real estate market the county has seen in years, according to real estate agents.

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FSU PC welcomes students home after hurricane

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PANAMA CITY — On Monday, Florida State University President John Thrasher was on the FSU Panama City campus to welcome students back to class after Hurricane Michael ravaged the town three weeks ago.

Thrasher and other top administrators from Tallahassee spent their visit touring the campus and speaking with students and faculty about their post-storm needs.



Thrasher

"(We are) so proud of the great work that our administration over here, our faculty, our students have done to bring this campus back," Thrasher said.

According to Thrasher, every building on the FSU PC campus has endured some damage, especially from downed trees damaging roofs and causing water intrusion.

"It took a big effort to get the campus ready for the students to come back but our students are the most important thing over here," said Thrasher. "We want to make sure they don't

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ALABAMA, LSU SET FOR WAR IN BATON ROUGE ON SATURDAY

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EDITOR'S NOTE

To help promote the flow of information, The News Herald is redesigning this page for the time being to create a space for news about how to receive help, how to help and updates from local government agencies after Hurricane Michael. We hope this is a valuable resource for readers. Those with information they would like to see printed on this page can contact Print Managing Editor Katie Landeck at klandeck@pcnh.com.

Update from Bay District Schools

By Sharon Michalik
Bay District Schools

It's been three weeks since Hurricane Michael changed our lives. We are marching on toward an Nov. 5 opening for some schools and an opening date of no later than the week of Nov. 13 for others (for details about which schools are on which schedule and which will share a campus please see the graphics in the Hurricane Michael Album on the Bay District School's Facebook page).

Some elementary school starting/ending times also will be adjusted slightly because of a new bus schedule. Changes will be small, about five minutes.

Here are some commonly asked questions and the information we have at this time.

1. What about bus routes?

Reconfiguring these routes is a monumental task and we're working

on it as fast as we can. Transportation will be provided within zone and routes and times will be released as soon as possible.

2. What about the school calendar?

We are waiting to hear back from the commissioner of education regarding that.

3. What about parking for high school students on middle school campuses?

We are working on that and hope to have some logistics figured out shortly.

4. How long with Arnold High School be used as a shelter?

The agreement is through Dec. 31.

5. What about Bay Base?

It will open in every

location it was open before and probably with some extended hours. You can find more information on its Facebook page at BDS Bay Base.

6. What about VPK/Pre-K?

They will reopen. You can find more information at BDS Pre-Kindergarten Program.

7. What about school lunches?

All students will receive two free meals per day until January (breakfast and lunch OR lunch and an afternoon meal).

Thank you for your continued support. We know that you are being fierce advocates for your students and we expect nothing less. Working together, we can ensure that BDS is #850Strong and that our students see us as models of flexibility, creativity, passion, determination and cooperation.

HOW TO HELP

Volunteer reception center

To coordinate volunteers, the Bay County Emergency Operation Center opened a volunteer reception center at the Southport Community Center, 7734 Franklin Ave. The VRC provides a central location for the public to learn about, sign up for, and volunteer for Hurricane Michael relief efforts throughout the Bay County area. The site is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

Help is needed with debris and waste removal, administrative and clerical tasks, food service and distribution, professional services, drivers (particularly those with box trucks) and call centers.

Prospective volunteers should be aware of the following:

- Volunteers wishing to help will go through a background check through publicly available websites at www.VolunteerFlorida.org or www.crisiscleanup.org.
- Volunteers must complete an application and be prepared to show professional

- licensure, if applicable.
 - All volunteers must be willing to sign a release of liability; if under the age of 18, parents must sign the release form.
 - Volunteers will be given specific job site assignments only after they are connected with a trained and experienced disaster relief team.
 - The assignment of volunteers to teams will be dependent upon the needs of survivors who have been identified through a responding agency or organizations; assignments might not be immediate.
 - Volunteers must be willing to turn in a time sheet at the end of each assignment.
- More information is available by calling 850-960-4235.

Bulk donation coordination

For bulk donation coordination, call 469-349-9532 or email donatebayco@gmail.com.

Bay District Schools

The school district is looking to outfit all students

with a new set of school supplies, along with several new shirts, pants, shoes and jackets or sweatshirts. Donations have been coming in strong and the district will begin distributing them this week. One of the best ways to donate is through their GoFundMe account, which can be found at <https://www.gofundme.com/bds-helps-bds-kids>.

Lynn Haven

Lynn Haven is collecting basic supplies from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. behind City Hall and at the Tyndall Federal Credit Union across from McDonald's, 1601 State 77.

Springfield

The city needs volunteer to help staff a food/supply distribution point at the Springfield Fire Station, 3728 E. Third St., from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Volunteers should email MGRICE@Springfield.FL.Gov.

Want to be added?

Email Katie Landeck at klandeck@pcnh.com with information.

HOW TO GET HELP

FEMA Disaster Recovery Center

From 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily, FEMA has a center set up at the Bay County Public Library, 898 W. 11th St., where people can talk in person about their claims or make appeals. The DRC provides information about housing and rental resource information, referral to other support agencies, status of applications received by FEMA, crisis counseling, disaster legal services, disaster unemployment and the Small Business Administration.

Shelter

The American Red Cross is running one shelter at Arnold High School. The new shelter will have climate-controlled accommodations for pets, as well as medical, postal services, social services, transportation and recreational facilities. The shelters will continue to accept any person in Bay County in need of assistance.

Cleanup assistance

If you need help cleaning up your home,

volunteers might be available. Survivors and volunteers are matched and vetted through www.crisiscleanup.org. Affected residents should call Crisis Cleanup at 1-800-451-1954.

Potential available housing

FEMA and the state created a portal to identify available housing in Bay County. Landlords are able to put available units for their build-ings for potential use by survivors who have been displaced. The link for the public is <https://survey123.arcgis.com/share/beb1d86dc4054bf78c04514980c940d1>

Operation Blue Roof

Operation Blue Roof, which temporarily repairs roofs at no cost to families, offers temporary covering of blue plastic sheeting to reduce further damage to property until permanent repairs can be made. People can apply by calling 888-ROOF-BLU (888-766-3258) or in person at the Disaster Recovery Center, the Walmart near Pier Park or the Walmart in Lynn Haven. For more information, go to www.usace.

army.mil/blueroof.

Disaster Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (D-SNAP)

The Department of Children and Family (DCF), in partnership with the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), has initiated the federal Disaster Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (D-SNAP) in 12 counties, including Bay for financially eligible applicants who suffered a loss or damage from Michael. DCF will provide or mail Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) cards to eligible individuals and families to use at authorized USDA food retailers.

For more information on how to apply for the program, go to www.dcf.state.fl.us/programs/access/dsnap/register.shtml.

Finding services

The 211 Citizen Hotline continues to receive non-emergency calls. For out-of-state callers, dial 850-248-6099.

More information

For up-to-date information, go to www.recoverbay-county.com.

Update from county

Hurricane Michael victims in need of immediate financial assistance for food might be able to get a per-loaded benefits card through the federal government's Disaster Supplemental Nutrition Assistance program (D-SNAP).

The cards can be picked up today through Nov. 4 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Tommy Oliver Stadium, located at Bay High School, 440 E. 13th St., Panama City. To qualify for the Disaster Food Assistance program, applicants must have lived or worked in Bay County and not currently receive food assistance through the

regular Food Assistance Program (SNAP). Additionally, eligible individuals and families must have suffered a disaster-related loss, such as damage to their homes or self-employment property, loss of food, reduction or loss of income, or have incurred other disaster-related expenses.

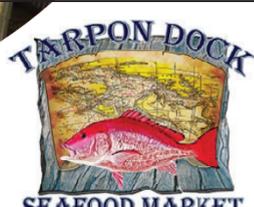
DCF will provide Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) cards to eligible individuals and families to use at authorized USDA food retailers. The program counts only income and expenses from Oct. 8 through Nov. 6. Participants should plan on long wait times, but they can be reduced by

pre-registering online at <http://www.dcf.state.fl.us/programs/access/dsnap/> before visiting Bay High School. Public parking is accessible at the Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard and East 13th Street intersection, as well as the East 15th Street and McKenzie Avenue intersection. Disability parking is available on McKenzie Avenue as well as 13th Street. Drivers must have a valid handicap accessible identifier for access.

Weapons are prohibited at the event, and applicants must have a valid Florida driver's license or identification card.

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FLORIDA LOTTERY

These Florida lotteries were drawn Monday:

- Cash4Life:** 07-23-25-35-38; Cash Ball: 4
- Fantasy 5:** 11-14-22-26-35
- Mega Millions:** Estimated jackpot: \$45 million
- Pick 2 Evening:** 8-9

- Pick 2 Midday:** 8-6
- Pick 3 Evening:** 5-2-0
- Pick 3 Midday:** 4-8-9
- Pick 4 Evening:** 2-6-3-7
- Pick 4 Midday:** 6-4-6-5
- Pick 5 Evening:** 0-2-4-1-8
- Pick 5 Midday:** 5-5-0-1-8
- Powerball:** Estimated jackpot: \$40 million

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Merkel won't seek a 5th term

By Geir Moulson
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The Associated Press

BERLIN — Angela Merkel set off Monday on what could be a three-year countdown to the end of her leadership of Germany, a stint that has made her the European Union's longest-serving leader and a key figure in facing the continent's many crises.

Merkel announced that she will give up the leadership of her conservative Christian Democratic Union in December and won't stand for a fifth term as chancellor — signaling the beginning of the end at the helm for the woman many had labeled the “leader of the free world.”

That's a title she herself objected to, saying leadership is never up to one person or country. But she has been a stalwart face of Western democracy through turbulent times, including the European debt crisis, the migrant influx of 2015, Britain's decision to leave the EU and escalating trade tensions with the United States.

With her announcement, she indicated she has no intention of shirking from the “major foreign policy challenges” ahead, suggesting by taking the question of her future out of the picture her often rancorous coalition might govern better.

“With this decision, I am trying to contribute to allowing the government



German Christian Democratic Party chairwoman and Chancellor Angela Merkel leaves after a news conference Monday after a meeting at the party's headquarters in Berlin, Germany.

[KAY NIETFELD/DPA VIA THE ASSOCIATED PRESS]

to concentrate its strength, finally, on governing well — and people rightly demand that,” Merkel said.

Merkel, 64, has led the CDU since 2000 and Germany since 2005. She governs Germany in a “grand coalition” of what traditionally has been the country's biggest parties — the CDU, Bavaria's conservative Christian Social Union

and the center-left Social Democrats.

She announced her decision the day after voters punished both her CDU and the Social Democrats in an election in the central state of Hesse. It came two weeks after a similar debacle for the CSU and Social Democrats in neighboring Bavaria.

Her announcement comes

amid growing concerns about far-right nationalist parties making inroads in Europe, including Germany. Sunday's result in Hesse means that the Alternative for Germany party now holds seats in every state legislature and federal parliament.

Many in Europe also have looked to Merkel as U.S. President Donald Trump

has increasingly called into question traditional trans-Atlantic ties with his announcements of trade tariffs, repeated criticism of European contributions to NATO, and other issues. Merkel has walked a fine line, criticizing some of Trump's decisions while emphasizing that a good relationship with Washington is “central” to her government.

At the moment, it is still too early to tell whether she will be able to govern effectively as a lame-duck chancellor, or if it will strengthen her coalition, said Thorsten Faas, political science professor at Berlin's Free University.

“The pressure obviously was so great that there was no other solution left,” he said. “It will be interesting to see what happens now, because this is initiating a dynamic, the outcome of which is unforeseeable today.”

For her part, Merkel said she sees “many more opportunities than risks for our country, the German government and also my party” in setting a transition of power in motion.

She said she hopes to open the way for “new success for the CDU” by letting it prepare for her departure as chancellor, and she won't interfere with the choice of a successor.

Carsten Brzeski, an economist at ING-DiBa in Frankfurt, said Merkel's move “holds the potential for positive developments.”

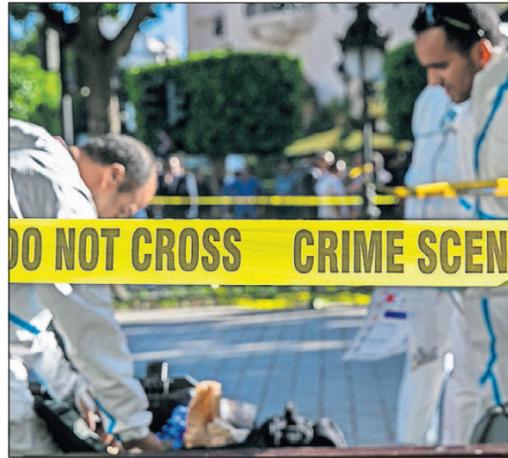
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A woman walks Monday in a flooded street of Venice, Italy, as, according to city officials, 70 percent of the lagoon city has been flooded by waters rising more than 58 1/2 inches above sea level. Venice frequently floods when high winds push in water from the lagoon, but Monday's levels were exceptional. The peak level was the highest reached since December 2008, according to Venice statistics. [ANDREA MEROLA/ANSA VIA THE ASSOCIATED PRESS]

TUNIS, TUNISIA



Tunisian forensic experts work on the scene of an attack Monday after a 30-year-old woman blew herself up on the Habib Bourguiba avenue in Tunis, Tunisia. The bomber, who wasn't previously known to authorities, blew herself up near a police patrol, a ministry statement said. It said eight police officers and one civilian were wounded. Apart from the bomber, there were no further reported deaths. [RIADH DRIDI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS]

MATTHEWS, N.C.



Parents walk to go pick up their kids outside Butler High School on Monday after the scene was considered safe in Matthews, North Carolina. A North Carolina high school student shot and killed a fellow student during a fight in a crowded school hallway Monday, officials said, calling the incident a case of bullying that “escalated out of control.” [JOSHUA KOMER/THE CHARLOTTE OBSERVER VIA THE ASSOCIATED PRESS]

MYRTLE BEACH, S.C. Concert will raise money for Hurricane Florence victims

A concert is set in South Carolina next month to raise money for Hurricane Florence victims.

The 10-hour Hurricane Florence Benefit Concert is set Nov. 11 at the TicketReturn.com Field, home of the Myrtle Beach Pelicans minor league baseball team.

Performers scheduled to appear include Michael Ray, Carly Pearce, Love & Theft and the Davisson Brothers Band. Randy Houser had also been on the schedule, but he tweeted that there had been a “mix up” and he can't attend.

The concert is being organized by The City of Myrtle Beach, Visit Myrtle Beach and others.

BALTIMORE Fired officer heads to trial in Baltimore police scandal

Jury selection began Monday in the federal trial of a fired Philadelphia police officer charged in connection with a Baltimore corruption case that's one of the worst U.S. police scandals in recent memory.

Eric Snell was a Baltimore officer from 2005 to 2008 before joining the Philadelphia Police Department four years ago. He has pleaded not guilty to a count of conspiracy to distribute heroin and cocaine.

Late last year, he became the ninth law enforcement agent indicted in the federal investigation, eight months after most members of Baltimore's Gun Trace Task Force unit were indicted.

FARGO, N.D. Man gets life in prison for kidnapping baby

A North Dakota man was sentenced Monday to life in prison for conspiring to kidnap a baby that his girlfriend had cut from their neighbor's body and lying to police about it, but with a chance at parole that the slain woman's mother said he should not have.

“We want justice. He deserves a life sentence. I don't think this man should ever walk free,” Norberta Greywind, mother of 22-year-old Savanna Greywind of Fargo, said of William Hoehn. “He betrayed our family. He looked us in the eye with a straight face while our daughter lay dead in his apartment. Please don't ever consider letting him out.”

TORONTO Mother reunites with son after abduction

The mother of a toddler abducted in 1987 said Monday she was stunned when she learned he had been found and overcome with emotion at finally being reunited with him 31 years later. She urged others to never give up hope of finding their missing loved ones.

Lyneth Mann-Lewis, who found out last week that authorities had found her son in Connecticut, told a news conference in Toronto that when they met, “I grabbed him, and I squeezed his head and wanted to feel if he was real. I touched him and said, ‘Oh my God, my baby.’”

Jermaine Mann, now 33, responded by saying, “Mommy you have my eyes” and he hugged me, and he kissed me, and we held there

for a long time.”

WARSAW, POLAND Polish president sends mixed signals on nationalist march

Poland's president won't take part in an Independence Day march in the capital organized by nationalist organizations, his spokesman said Monday in an announcement that follows the leader urging Poles to participate in the controversial event.

Andrzej Duda's change of mind is the latest mixed message coming from Poland's conservative ruling authorities toward far-right groups. Authorities have at times appeared to seek the support of those on the far right as their policies have alienated many centrist voters.

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tree and branches, as well as impacts to infrastructure, including damaged park pavilions and boardwalks,” said Florida Department of Environmental Protection spokeswoman Sarah Shellabarger.

Beach access, though, is open.

Only a few people were out on the powdery white sands on Monday. Some

tried to fish, while others looked for shells.

While it wasn't obvious, a few dead fish lingered along the shoreline. A great blue heron, scouting out its next meal, approached two but passed on the opportunity.

Denise and Stephanie Adair, mother and daughter, were visiting from Trussville, Alabama. They were sunbathing on the bay side but decided to leave after about 90 minutes. Stephanie said she didn't notice anything, but Denise, also

fighting a cold for the past three weeks, said she didn't want to stay any longer.

“I was starting to cough a good bit and I thought, ‘Well sometimes that happens anyway.’ So it may or may not be that,” she said. “Just in case, we're going to go.”

Business with Panama City Beach-based Try Scuba Diving has picked up since Michael John Haley, who takes non-certified divers out in shallow water, said there was a two-week period where the water was

“completely undiveable.”

Although water conditions have slightly improved, the marine life that he normally would see — grouper and tropical fish — have virtually disappeared.

“Right now it's crabs and sea urchins,” he said. “It's very sparse.”

Haley said he is looking forward to an algae-killing winter.

“Our water temps will get cold enough during the winter that at least we'll start the spring without any (red tide),” Haley said.

THRASHER

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lose the opportunity to get the credit hours they want this semester, particularly for those (graduating).”

Thrasher wanted to assure students the hurricane will not affect graduation. To that end,

Randy Hanna, FSU PC dean and CEO, is encouraging students to work with professors if they have storm-related issues affecting their classroom success.

“When I walked through the door, it warmed my heart to see the students' smile on their faces,” Thrasher said. “They were excited to get back to class. We were excited that

they're back to class.”

The administration is working to help displaced students and have asked other students who have available space to consider signing up to house a roommate.

Thrasher said that while there is still plenty of work to do, with the help they have received, he knows it can be accomplished.

During this difficult time, Hanna said he wants students to be provided with “the comforts of home” and to feel welcome spending as much time on campus as they need, mentioning multiple resources such as access to internet via the now-open campus library, on-campus showers, and food and water.

FSU PC has been following through on those promises, on Monday providing a free breakfast of

sausage biscuits and coffee, and just before noon, Firehouse Subs turkey and ham sub sandwich lunches.

Florida State University has started two emergency relief funds through its foundation in Tallahassee for students on the Panama City campus. So far, the effort has raised about \$50,000 to be used as needed by students, faculty, and staff through an application process.

Thrasher said the foundation will continue to raise money for the emergency funds. His personal goal is to raise \$100,000 for those displaced and needing additional help.

“I'm just real proud to be back here today, proud of this Panama City campus, and proud of all the students and faculty and staff here,” he said.



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'Floribama' cast to help with recovery efforts

By Zack McDonald
The News Herald

PANAMA CITY — Former residents of storm-ravaged Bay County, the cast of "Floribama Shore" will be donating time and money to help with Hurricane Michael recovery efforts, according to a news release from MTV.

They will be among employees of the network and other young people to volunteer as part of an initiative launched by MTV. "Floribama Shore" also is slated to donate \$250,000 to relief efforts, the news release stated.

"MTV has a long-standing history with

Panama City Beach beginning in 1996 when it hosted 'Spring Break' in the popular destination for the first time," MTV officials wrote. "Recently, the network brought a new generation of fans to Florida's Gulf Coast with the launch of 'MTV Floribama Shore.'" The cast and crew of the series, including stars Kortni Gilson and Nilsa Prowant, had their lives disrupted by the powerful storm.

"Throughout this time, MTV will continue to amplify youth-led efforts with on-air, digital and social initiatives leading up to the service days on

the ground and beyond." Much like Spring Break, "Floribama Shore" gets a mixed reception from residents of Bay County. A lawsuit from one resident, who claims a cast member caused her damages in a bar fight, still is pending.

"Floribama Shore" cast member Aimee Hall pleaded no contest to a misdemeanor charge of battery in the case and was sentenced to six months of probation. However, the victim, Melissa Bensinger, still is pursuing civil action for a May altercation at Ms. Newby's, 8711 Thomas Drive, in which she was punched in the



The cast of "Floribama Shore." (MTV)

face by Hall while the production company of "Floribama Shore," 495 Productions Holdings, allegedly facilitated and

filmed the attack.

The lawsuit names Hall and 495 Productions as defendants.

Bensinger's lawyer

has indicated they could have a case for punitive damages because of the show's history in Bay County.

REAL ESTATE

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The canopy of trees that set the area apart mixed with the 155-mph winds Michael wrought has created a housing crisis in the community. Apartment complexes were devastated, with windows blown out, roofs torn off and walls crumbled. With many properties now unlivable, mass evictions were issued. Homes didn't fare any better, with trees crushing through them and widespread storm damage.

Parker officials are estimating that 60 percent of the housing stock in their city will be uninhabitable. That's 60 percent of that community that will be displaced — and right now, places to put them don't appear to exist



A home is for sale off Linda Avenue in the Cove on Sunday. (PATTI BLAKE/THE NEWS HERALD)

within the county.

"We just don't have enough places for people to rent," said Karen Key Smith, with Beachy Beach real estate. "My phone has rung off the hook all day, and I'm getting a lot of Facebook messages saying 'can you find this family a home?' It's sad to me to think about people not having a home, but there is only so much we can do."

Smith, Shields and others are doing what

they can. Smith has talked some people into turning their short-term rentals into long-term rentals temporarily, although she said legal issues will need to be worked out. Shields talked some condo owners into skipping on the snowbird business this year, to help local families displaced from their homes or rentals. But in many cases, people are going to be looking at long commutes from Fort Walton Beach, Destin,

Chipley and other cities while repairs are made and new housing is built in Bay County.

Nathan Lawrence, a real estate agent with Keller Williams Associates, estimated that for the next six to 12 months the real estate market is going to stall in Bay County. The supply of non-damaged homes simply won't be there for people to buy and people will be waiting for insurance money before making decisions,

agents said.

"It's going to be similar to what happened with the condos after (Hurricane) Opal," said Keith Hodges, with Counts Real Estate. "You could not sell them ... but once the insurance was settled, the market exploded."

A stalled market isn't the same as no market. Many deals in the works before the hurricane still are going through, the agents said. They also are fielding requests from people looking to make cash deals and from people who are looking to sell their house and get out of Bay County for various reasons. One possible exception is the market in Panama City Beach, which already was strong before the storm and avoided most of Michael's damage.

Predictions of a stalled market aren't unanimous.

Tom Neubauer of ERA Neubauer Real Estate, for one, doesn't expect to see the market take a hit,

noting that both military bases staying open should serve as a steadying influence. And as rental units and homes with minor damage are repaired, he anticipates they will move very quickly.

All the agents agreed, down the line a robust market is going to develop — the best the county has seen in years.

Investors looking to build new properties in the county already are contacting real estate firms, multiple agents said.

"Overall, you are going to see a spike in new construction," Lawrence said.

And then, once there has been some time for insurance claims to be sorted out and repairs to be made, the market is primed to "explode" as Hodges put it, likely in favor of the sellers.

The shortage is "going to drive up the price," Shields said. "It's classic supply and demand."

The damage also will push more houses and rental units that were grandfathered in previously to be brought up to code, improving the quality of the housing stock. Shields said that's a step that would have taken "a long time" if not for the storm.

Plus with insurance money and repairs, Lawrence said many homeowners are "going to be in a better position with more equity to sell."

In other words, this could end up being a time where many homeowners decide it's time to upgrade to something larger as they will be able to fetch more on the market for their current house.

As things start to move forward, real estate agents were unanimous in saying people should seek professional help to make sure they aren't being taken advantage of whether they are selling or buying.

"It's going to be really tough," Shields said.

And right now, for many people the future robust market still is far away as they deal with the immediate search for a place close to their work, children's school, etc., in communities where much of the housing stock has been decimated.

"It's going to be like ripping off a Band-Aid," Shields said. "It hurts a lot at first. It's going to put a lot of people in an uncomfortable situation. But eventually, the housing market and the economy will be way better off."

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Synagogue shooter obsessed with Jewish refugee agency

By Michael Hill
The Associated Press

PITTSBURGH — Just moments before the Pittsburgh synagogue shooting that left 11 people dead, the suspect is believed to have posted a final social media rant against a Jewish refugee settlement agency most people had never heard of, but which has increasingly become the target of right-wing rage and conspiracy theories.

“HIAS likes to bring invaders in that kill our people,” Robert Gregory Bowers wrote on the platform Gab early Saturday. “I can’t sit by and watch my people get slaughtered. Screw your optics, I’m going in.”

The group, formerly known as the Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society, was founded in 1881 in a Manhattan storefront to assist Jews persecuted in Russia and Eastern Europe. HIAS is now among nine groups that contract with the State Department to help refugees settle in the United States, and it has recently clashed with the Trump administration over policies that have throttled the flow of such newcomers.

Leaders of HIAS and the group’s Pittsburgh affiliate vowed to continue their work.

“We were the perfect target for this murderer, because we’re Jewish and we help refugees. So he gets to check off two hate boxes,” Mark Hetfield, president and CEO of HIAS, told a news conference Tuesday in Pittsburgh.

Hetfield said HIAS is getting flooded with donations, with more coming in from non-Jews around the world than Jews for the first time in the organization’s history.

Analysts who follow the extreme right say the fixation some extremists have with HIAS appears to be fueled by a mix of anti-Semitism and the recent caustic rhetoric about an immigrant caravan trudging slowly toward the United States.

Specifically, they believe Bowers ascribed to the “white genocide” conspiracy, which holds that Jews are prominent among the forces seeking to destroy the “white race” by bringing in non-white people. The Gab.com account believed to be Bowers’ includes several recent postings or re-postings critical of HIAS.

Based in the Washington, D.C., suburb of Silver Spring, HIAS has an annual operating budget of \$42 million and receives about half of its money from the federal government. It has resettled refugees of different faiths from Afghanistan, Vietnam, Iran and elsewhere. Among the thousands of people it has aided are Google co-founder Sergey Brin and singer Regina Spektor.

As the Trump administration restricted the number of refugees allowed into the U.S., HIAS and its local affiliates went from resettling 4,191 refugees in 2016 to 1,632 for the fiscal year that just ended.

Though HIAS strongly supports the rights of asylum seekers to a fair hearing, it has no

connection to the immigrant caravan, said spokesman Bill Swersey.

“We’re the people who go to the airport, that bring the refugees home, that make sure there’s food in the fridge, make sure their kids know where the school is,” said Melanie Nezer, HIAS’s senior vice president for public affairs.

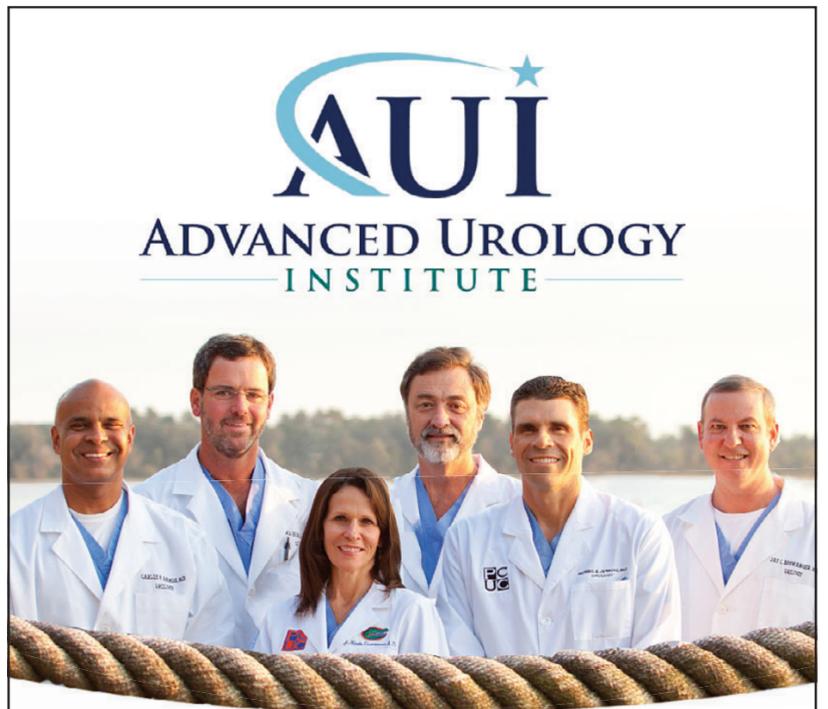
But right-wing extremists see HIAS in a more sinister light.

Heidi Beirich, who directs the Southern Poverty Law Center’s Intelligence Project, said HIAS’s name comes up on white-supremacist message boards whenever posters become angry about refugees or immigrants. She noted that other resettlement agencies, such as those associated with Christian religions, have not raised the same sort of ire.

It happened toward the end of the Obama administration during the debate over Syrian refugees. Attention ratcheted up recently as President Donald Trump and others started drawing attention to the migrant caravan slowly making its way through Mexico toward the U.S. border.

Trump intensified his warnings about the caravan Monday, tweeting, “This is an invasion of our Country and our Military is waiting for you!” as the Pentagon announced plans to deploy 5,200 troops to the Southwest border.

“White supremacists are ginned up right now,” Beirich said. “Their words are being echoed back to them by high-profile public figures.”



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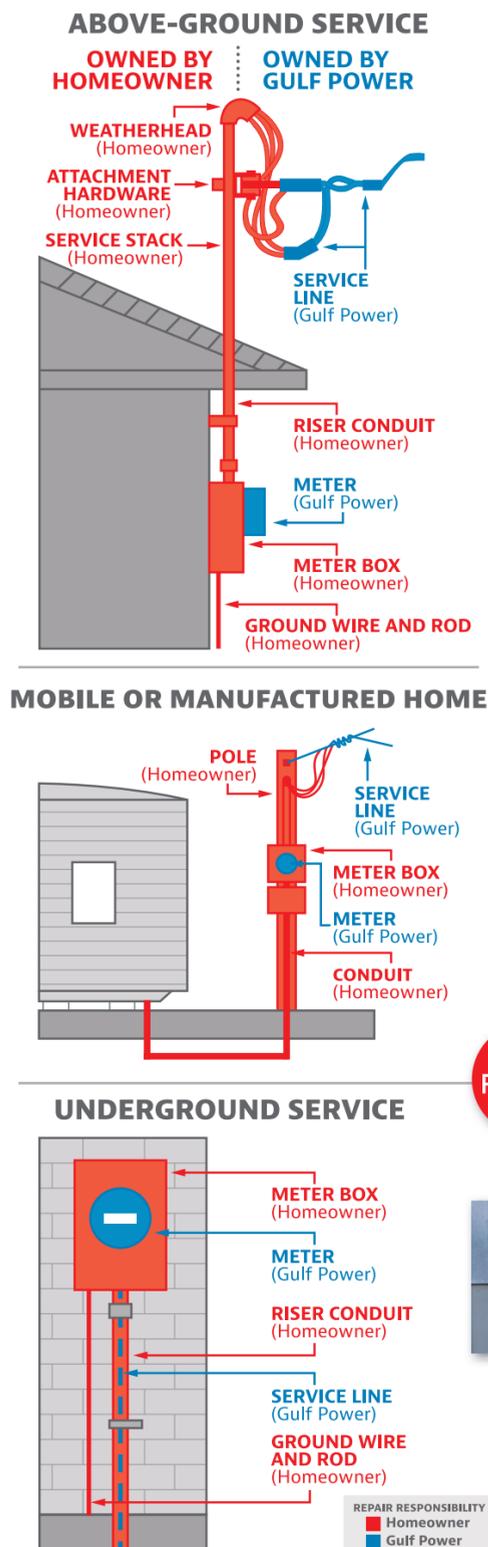
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A migrant couple lies embracing on the ground in the central plaza, as a thousands-strong caravan of Central Americans hoping to reach the U.S. border stops for the night in Nitepec, Oaxaca state, Mexico, on Monday. [REBECCA BLACKWELL/AP]

US sending 5,200 troops to Mexican border

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Pentagon is deploying 5,200 troops to the Southwest border in an extraordinary military operation a week before nationwide elections in which President Donald Trump wants voters to focus on what he calls an “invasion” — a slow-moving caravan of Central American migrants.

The number of troops being sent is more than double the 2,000 who are in Syria fighting the Islamic State group.

Two caravans of migrants, traveling mostly on foot, still are hundreds of miles from the U.S. border with Mexico. Most are poor, carrying the belongings that fit into a knapsack and fleeing gang violence or poverty. And any who complete the long trek to the border already face major hurdles to asylum in the country — both physical and bureaucratic — to being allowed to remain in the United States.

Trump, eager to keep voters trained on immigration in the lead-up to the midterm elections, stepped up his dire warnings about the caravans, tweeting, “This is an invasion of our Country and our Military is waiting for you!”

And in an interview with “Axios on HBO,” he declared that he wanted to order an end to the constitutional right to citizenship for babies born in the United States to non-citizens.

Asked about the legality

of such an executive order, Trump said, “they’re saying I can do it just with an executive order.” He added that “we’re the only country in the world where a person comes in and has a baby, and the baby is essentially a citizen of the United States,” though a 2010 study showed that 30 countries offered birthright citizenship.

And in a late Monday interview, Trump said the U.S. would build tent cities for asylum seekers.

“We’re going to put tents up all over the place,” Trump told Fox News Channel’s Laura Ingraham. “They’re going to be very nice, and they’re going to wait, and if they don’t get asylum they get out.”

Under current protocol, migrants who clear an initial screening often are released until their cases are decided in immigration court, which can take several years.

Trump denied his focus on the caravan is intended to help Republicans in next week’s midterms, saying, “This has nothing to do with elections.”

The Pentagon’s Operation Faithful Patriot was described by the commander of U.S. Northern Command as an effort to help Customs and Border Protection “harden the southern border” by stiffening defenses at and near legal entry points. Advanced helicopters will allow border protection agents to swoop down on migrants trying to cross illegally, said Air Force Gen. Terrence O’Shaughnessy.

Troops planned to take heavy concertina wiring to unspool across open spaces between ports.

“We will not allow a large group to enter the U.S. in an unlawful and unsafe manner,” said Kevin McAleenan, commissioner of Customs and Border Protection.

Eight hundred troops already are on their way to southern Texas, O’Shaughnessy said, and their numbers will top 5,200 by week’s end. Some of the troops will be armed. Troops would focus first on Texas, followed by Arizona and then California.

The troops will join the more than 2,000 National Guardsmen whom Trump already has deployed to the border. It remained unclear Monday why the administration was choosing to send active-duty troops given that they will be limited to performing the support functions the Guard already is doing.

The number of people in the first migrant caravan headed toward the U.S. has dwindled to about 4,000 from about 7,000 last week, though a second one was gaining steam and was marked by violence. About 600 migrants in the second group tried to cross a bridge from Guatemala to Mexico en masse Monday. The riverbank standoff with Mexico police followed a more violent confrontation Sunday, when the migrants used sticks and rocks against officers. One migrant was killed Sunday night by a head wound, but what caused it was unclear.

Indonesia crash search finds remains, debris

By Niniek Karmini and Stephen Wright

The Associated Press

JAKARTA, Indonesia — Rescuers in inflatable boats retrieved human remains, pieces of aircraft and personal belongings from the Java Sea on Monday after a new-generation Boeing jet operated by an Indonesian budget airline crashed minutes after takeoff, killing all 189 people on board.

Distraught family members struggled to comprehend the sudden loss of loved ones in the crash of the 2-month-old Lion Air plane with experienced pilots in fine weather.

They gathered at crisis centers set up by the authorities at airports, hoping desperately for a miracle. But a top search official, citing the condition of the remains recovered, said no survivors are expected.

The disaster is a setback for Indonesia’s airline industry, which just emerged from decadelong bans by the European Union and the U.S. over safety concerns.

President Joko Widodo ordered an investigation and urged Indonesians to “keep on praying.”

The crash of the Boeing 737 Max 8 is the latest in a series of tragedies that have struck Indonesia this year, including earthquakes and a tsunami that killed several thousand people.

An air transport official, Novie Riyanto, said the flight was cleared to return to Jakarta after the pilot made a “return to base” request two to three minutes after taking off. It plunged into the sea about 10 minutes later. Weather conditions were normal but the plane, which Lion Air received in August, had experienced an unspecified technical issue on its previous flight.

Relatives and friends wept, prayed and hugged each other as they waited at Jakarta’s airport and at Pangkal Pinang’s airport on Bangka island off Sumatra where the flight was headed. Some including Indonesian Finance Minister Sri Mulyani headed to the

search and rescue agency’s headquarters in Jakarta for information. About 20 ministry staff were on the flight.

Latief Nurbana said he and his wife Yeti Eka Sumiati stayed up late Sunday talking to their 24-year-old son Lutfi Nuramdani, squeezing every moment they could from his weekend visit to Jakarta to catch up on his life in Pangkal Pinang.

Nurbana said they talked until falling asleep and Sumiati woke up early to take their son, a post office worker, to the airport.

“Last night, we were chatting together about his wife who is now seven months’ pregnant, his plans and his dreams with his own small family until we fell asleep,” he said as his wife wept and clung to him.

“Now he’s gone. We can’t believe that he left us this way, we can’t believe that his plane crashed. That’s something we only see on TV news, now it happened to my son,” Nurbana said. “We want to see his body, his face, his remains.”

Concerns growing over rejections of vote-by-mail ballots

By Christina A. Cassidy
The Associated Press

ATLANTA — Drawing on her years of military experience, Maureen Heard was careful to follow all the rules when she filled out an absentee ballot for the 2016 election.

She read the instructions thoroughly, signed where she was supposed to, put the ballot in its envelope and dropped it off at her county elections office in New Hampshire. She then left town to return to a temporary federal work assignment in Washington, D.C.

“I have learned over the years, many years in the military of filling out forms, how to fill out forms — and I was very intimidated by the process,” said Heard, who served in the Air Force and as a lieutenant in the U.S. Coast Guard. “I was like, ‘Oh my gosh, I have to make sure I get it absolutely right.’ And then it didn’t count.”

Heard, 57, discovered last year that she was among roughly 319,000 voters across the country whose absentee ballots were rejected during the last presidential election. The reasons varied, ranging from missing deadlines to failing to sign their ballot.

Heard’s ballot was tossed out because the signature did not match the one on file at her local election office.

More people than ever are returning their ballots by mail or dropping them off at a local election location rather than voting in a booth on Election Day. Those developments make it easier to cast ballots

and are designed to boost turnout.

The trend also is raising concerns about whether voters can be assured their ballots will count or be notified in time if there is a problem. Voting rights activists want to ensure that voters are given a reasonable chance to fix any problems.

Earlier this month, the ACLU and other groups filed lawsuits in Georgia after an Atlanta-area county reported a comparatively high rate of rejected absentee ballots during the start of early voting. Those actions followed similar lawsuits in New Hampshire and California.

“It’s hard to see what is missing,” said Kim Alexander, president of the California Voter Foundation, which advocated for changes to California law. “People are all focused on what is the vote count. They are not focused on what ballots weren’t counted.”

Nearly one of every four ballots cast in 2016 came through the mail or was handed in at a drop-off location, according to the U.S. Election Assistance Commission. The commission’s data show that 99 percent of completed absentee and mailed ballots are eventually counted.

Election officials use signature matching to verify a person’s identity, but advocates say many election offices lack training and standards. Matching signatures is particularly fraught because a person’s handwriting can change over time and be affected by age or disability.



In this April 21, 2013, photo, Maria Butina, leader of a pro-gun organization in Russia, speaks to a crowd during a rally in support of legalizing the possession of handguns in Moscow, Russia.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE PHOTO]

Russian held had studied US groups’ cyberdefenses

By Desmond Butler
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — A year before federal prosecutors accused Maria Butina of operating as a secret agent for the Russian government, she was a graduate student at American University working on a sensitive project involving cybersecurity.

Butina’s college assignment called for her to gather information on the cyberdefenses of U.S. nonprofit organizations that champion media freedom and human rights, The Associated Press has learned. It was information that could help the groups plug important vulnerabilities, but also would be of interest to the Russian government.

In fact, the Russians previously had in their sights at least two of the groups that she and other students interacted with.

Butina participated in the project under the tutelage of a respected professor who advised the State Department on cybersecurity matters. It was carried out for the nonprofit group Internews, which works extensively

with the U.S. government to bolster the free flow of information in dangerous parts of the world and has drawn Russian ire with some of its programs in Russia and neighboring countries.

Internews confirmed Butina’s involvement and a broad description of what the project involved. A lawyer for Butina did not respond to a request for comment.

Butina’s project raised few eyebrows before her July arrest, despite the fact that news reports already had posed questions about her rapid rise from selling furniture in Siberia and her ties with Kremlin officials.

As part of the project, a small group of students led by Butina was given a list of Internews partners working on human rights and press freedom issues for research purposes only, with the understanding that they not be contacted without consultation. But the students contacted some of the groups anyway, according to people involved in the project who spoke on condition of anonymity because they were not authorized to describe the work.

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MARKET MOVERS

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BRIEF CASE

WASHINGTON
Consumer spending up inflation-adjusted 0.3 pct.

U.S. consumer spending rose in September by a solid, inflation-adjusted 0.3 percent, led by increased spending on health care services and motor vehicles.

The Commerce Department also said Monday that the Federal Reserve's preferred measure of inflation returned to the central bank's 2 annual percent target after having been slightly elevated in prior months. In addition, personal incomes rose 0.2 percent in September — the smallest gain since June 2017. Roughly half of that increase was wiped out by inflation.

LONDON
HSBC shares rally after 32 pct. increase in profits

Shares in HSBC are rallying after Europe's biggest bank posted a 32 percent increase in third-quarter earnings.

The London-based bank, which gets most of its profit from Asia, said net income advanced to \$3.90 billion from \$2.96 billion in the same quarter last year. HSBC shares rose 4 percent to 629.20 pence in early London trading.

HSBC benefited from a corporate overhaul designed to boost profitability by focusing on high-growth Asian markets while shedding businesses and workers in other countries. Asia accounted for 77 percent of pre-tax profit in the quarter.

PYONGYANG, NORTH KOREA
Economist: NKorea eying Swiss-style success

A senior government economist has told The Associated Press that North Korea is exploring a grand plan to become a regional transportation hub, inspired in part by the successes of Singapore and Switzerland.

The economist said Pyongyang would also consider joining world financial institutions such as the International Monetary Fund.

But that could only happen if current member states abandon "hostile" policies toward the North.

The Associated Press



Workers build refrigerators at the Howard McCray's commercial refrigeration manufacturing facility Oct. 18 in Philadelphia. This year, McCray slashed its spending on large equipment in half. Christopher Scott, president of Howard McCray, is also leaving four jobs unfilled and instead adding more overtime for his current workers. "That's what the tariffs are doing to us," Scott said. [MATT ROURKE/ASSOCIATED PRESS]

Collateral damage

At a small US factory, Trump's trade war forces hard changes

By Christopher Rugaber
The Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA — Sitting in his office beside photos of grandchildren decked in Philadelphia Flyers jerseys, Christopher Scott shakes his head. Another email has come in from another supplier. It wants to raise prices to cover the cost of President Donald Trump's tariffs.

For weeks, emails and letters have been arriving in a steady stream at Howard McCray, the small Philadelphia factory Scott runs with about 85 workers. It's mostly bad news. One supplier is charging more for shelving brackets, another for electrical switches, a third for wheeled castors. McCray needs those parts for the refrigerated display cases it produces for convenience stores and restaurants.

Since Trump imposed tariffs on imported steel and aluminum and on Chinese products, Scott, like many other American manufacturers, has had to rapidly switch gears.

He had been optimistic about 2018, with plans for hiring and investment in new machinery. He had hoped, for example, to replace two 30-year old machines that cut holes in stainless steel sheets with a newer version that uses lasers and works twice as fast.

All that's now on hold. This year, McCray has slashed in half its spending on large equipment. Scott is also leaving four jobs unfilled and

instead adding more overtime for his current staff.

"That's what the tariffs are doing to us," Scott, 59, said while giving a visitor a tour this month of the factory floor, straining to be heard above the pneumatic drills and hydraulic equipment. "We're just going to delay it until they come off."

Tax cuts that Trump pushed through Congress last year sharply reduced the tax burden on businesses. The administration argued that lower taxes would accelerate investment in machinery and high tech equipment. Over time, such capital spending tends to make workers more productive and speed the economy's growth. Yet Scott says that for his company, the higher tariffs — which are taxes on imports — have largely nullified any benefit from the tax cuts.

There is growing evidence that other companies are feeling similar strains. Business investment in large machinery and other equipment grew just 0.4 percent in the July-September quarter, the government said Friday. It was the slowest pace in nearly two years. And demand for computers, industrial equipment and other capital goods has dropped in the past two months.

"The prospect of a full-blown trade war with China and tariffs more generally are prompting some companies to delay investments for next year," noted Diane Swonk, an economist at Grant Thornton.

The tariffs have also injected a new layer of uncertainty into Scott's business. Right now, for instance, Scott is trying to decide what prices to quote for two potential customers he is pitching. Should he pass on to those customers the higher costs of the tariffs — or eat them, as he is doing now?

"If you price the tariffs in now, you risk losing the account," he says. "If you don't price them in, you risk losing money on the account."

The stated goal of the Trump administration's 25 percent tariffs on steel and 10 percent on aluminum, imposed June 1, was to limit cheap imports and spur hiring and growth in America's metals industries. In imposing the tariffs, Trump invoked national security: His reasoning was that low-priced imports hurt America's ability to produce items needed for national defense. Many critics have disputed that assertion.

Some companies have indeed benefited. Braidy Industries, an aluminum manufacturer, has broken ground on a plant in Kentucky that it says will create 600 jobs. U.S. Steel is spending \$750 million on modernizing a factory in Gary, Indiana.

But across more industries, higher costs for businesses have begun spreading and leading economists to predict slower economic growth next year. And Trump has also imposed tariffs on roughly half the goods the U.S. imports from China.

Red Hat soars on IBM deal

The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Shares of Red Hat skyrocketed at the opening bell Monday after IBM, in the biggest acquisition of its 100-year history, acquired the software company.

The \$34 billion stock deal translates to \$190 per Red Hat share — a 63 percent premium to the closing price Friday for the Raleigh, North Carolina company. Red Hat Inc.'s stock soared almost 50 percent in early trading.

The path for revitalization for New York's IBM may be found in cloud technology, a driving force behind the blockbuster deal for Red Hat

over the weekend.

"This is about resetting the cloud landscape," Chairman and CEO Virginia Rometty said Monday in a conference call.

The hybrid cloud — when companies use a mix of on-site, private and third-party public cloud services — is an emerging \$1 trillion opportunity that the companies want to be prepared for, Rometty said.

The deal requires the approval of Red Hat shareholders as well as U.S. regulators. It is targeted to close in the latter half of 2019, but there is a good chance that others may wish to make a

counterbid.

That prospect sent shares up 47 percent in early trading, close to an all-time high.

"We have long-stated that Red Hat is a strategic asset and while we are not aware of any merger and acquisition discussions or negotiations, we would not be surprised if a hyper-scale cloud vendor such as Google, Amazon, Microsoft, or Oracle make a competing bid given Red Hat's strategic position within on-premise datacenters (over 100K customers)," wrote Stifel's Brad Reback.

IBM's stock slipped more than 1 percent Monday.

Stocks tumble on report of more tariffs

By Marley Jay
The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Fear that the Trump administration will announce tariffs on all remaining imports from China helped knock U.S. stocks from a strong early gain to another sharp loss Monday.

Technology companies sank again after Bloomberg News reported that the U.S. is planning new tariffs if the two sides don't make progress in trade talks next month.

Technology and internet companies, industrials and retailers took steep losses as Wall Street's recent bout of volatility continued. The S&P 500 index has dropped 9.4 percent in October and is on track for its worst monthly loss since February 2009. That was right before the market hit its lowest point during the 2008-09 financial crisis.

Bloomberg News reported that the Trump administration will put tariffs on the rest of the country's imports from China if Presidents Donald Trump and Xi Jinping don't make substantial progress in easing the trade dispute next month.

Stocks have plunged since early October, breaking a long period of relative calm over the summer, and trading has been especially volatile the last few days.

Among industrials, Boeing sank 6.6 percent to \$335.59. Some early gains for tech and internet stocks also faded. Microsoft shed 2.9 percent to \$103.85. Alphabet, Google's parent company, lost 4.5 percent to \$1,034.73.

Amazon.com dropped another 6.3 percent to \$1,538.88. The online retailer tumbled Friday after it reported weak sales and gave a lower-than-expected revenue estimate for the quarter that includes the holiday shopping season. Its stock traded above \$2,000 a share in early September and has fallen 24.5 percent since then.

The S&P 500, the main benchmark for the U.S. stock market, has fallen 9.9 percent from its latest record high on Sept. 20. The Nasdaq has plunged 13 percent from its record high reached Aug. 29.

World markets

How key international stock markets performed:

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▲ 509.40	▲ 19,039.85
Brussels BEL20	Paris CAC40
▲ 3,373.51 1.0%	▲ 4,967.36 0.4%
▲ 3,406.02	▲ 4,989.35
Frankfurt DAX	Sydney ASX All Ordinaries
▲ 11,200.62 1.2%	▲ 5,759.60 0.9%
▲ 11,335.48	▲ 5,813.80
Hong Kong Hang Seng	Tokyo Nikkei
▲ 24,717.63 0.4%	▼ 21,184.60 -0.2%
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US lags developed nations in paying teachers

Americans are justly proud of our country. Sometimes that pride gets in the way of progress. For instance, why do we put up with the world's most expensive health care system when it doesn't produce any better results than in other developed nations?

And why do we put up with pay for teachers that is far less than the pay in Europe?

In Germany, for instance, teachers are among the best-paid professionals.

Yet we respect teachers. The profession is number two, just behind the military, according to a Pew Center poll. Teachers are respected more than doctors and scientists.

Yet average pay for teachers has dropped in the last decade, according to a column in The Washington Post. In fact, teachers are earning less, adjusted for inflation, than they did in 1990, reports Time magazine.

In a comparison of public school teachers to comparable workers, teachers earned 1.8 percent less in 1994 and 18.7 percent less in 2017.

Americans realize this. In a September poll, 60 percent think teachers are underpaid.

Is sexism at work? Teaching long has been considered a female-dominated profession, yet registered nurses make far more than teachers — \$73,550 compared to \$58,950.

Unfortunately, pay is deterring people from entering the teaching profession or suggesting it to their children, according to a poll released in May.

Between 2008 and 2016, the proportion of new teachers completing preparatory programs dropped by 23 percent, reports the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education.

And close to one in five teachers leave the profession in the first five years. It's a demanding profession in which society keeps dropping more demands on public schools.

Students today are asked to do more than read words on the page; reading comprehension means being able to think, as well.

A logical spinoff would be teaching students how to spot fake news, whether it's a deceptive ad for a product, a political candidate or an issue.

There is so much bad information, it's like a public health crisis, said Alan Miller, founder of the News Literacy Project in Time magazine.

So what should smart readers be doing?

Wise consumers abide by this journalism adage: "If your mother tells you, check it out."

Undecided voters

Many Americans don't follow politics or even vote. In fact, you could say that nonvoters handed Donald Trump the presidency.

About 30 percent of Americans were eligible to vote in the 2016 election but did not do so, reported The Washington Post.

Black and Hispanic voters were more likely to vote Democratic, but they also declined to vote in higher numbers.

People under 30 preferred Hillary Clinton by and large, but they also were more likely not to vote than their elders.

Call it the enthusiasm factor, but turnout in a close election can be decisive.

A version of this editorial first appeared in the Florida Times-Union, a News Herald sister paper with GateHouse Media.

ANOTHER VIEW



World Series games don't have to take so long



Stephen Chapman

Once upon a time, the postseason provided fans the opportunity to see baseball at its best. Today, it gives us the chance to watch mound visits and pitching changes at their most.

In Game 1 of the World Series, the Los Angeles Dodgers and the Boston Red Sox deployed 12 pitchers. By comparison, when the Dodgers and the New York Yankees met in 1963, they needed only 11 pitchers to get through the entire series.

Over the four-game sweep, the LA starters covered 35¹/₃ innings. A single reliever was needed, to get a grand total of two outs.

Watching managers take the ball from one pitcher and hand it to another is about as exciting as watching someone buy snacks from a vending machine. Baseball has always been a game in which most of the actual playing time features a lot of people standing around waiting for something to happen. Now each game features a lot of people standing around waiting for

the game to resume so they can stand around waiting for something to happen.

This is not just a postseason phenomenon. Starting pitchers, not so long ago, used to manage the heroic feat of lasting nine innings on a regular basis. In 1993, Chuck Finley led the majors with 13 complete games. In 2018, eight different guys tied for the lead, with two. Next year, I predict, all pitchers will be tied for the lead, with zero.

During the National League Championship Series, the Milwaukee Brewers took this trend to its logical endpoint by sending out a starter for the express purpose of facing exactly one batter — after which he was excused for the evening to gleefully calculate his per-batter earnings.

Not only does the plethora of pitching changes foster boredom; it stretches games out to epic lengths. Game 1 took three hours and 52 minutes.

Maybe there are some fans who get a thrill every time a manager makes the long hike to send his pitcher to the showers. For everyone else, I have a suggestion that would speed things up: Stop letting relievers throw warmup pitches when they enter the game.

This ritual has been around forever, but it wastes

a lot of time. MLB grants two minutes and 55 seconds for a new pitcher to reach the mound and prepare his essential appendage. Every reliever who enters in the middle of an inning robs fans of three minutes of our allotted life spans.

And why does a professional ballplayer need this process? When a backup quarterback trots out on the field, he doesn't get to make a few practice throws before taking a snap. When a pinch hitter steps to the plate, he doesn't insist on hitting some soft tosses to hone his stroke. Getting ready is what the bullpen is for, after all.

Abolishing warmup pitches would save a couple of minutes each time a reliever is called, and in the course of what has become a normal game, the minutes would add up. It would also eliminate an empty interlude that holds the attention of nobody in the stands and subjects TV audiences to yet more commercials.

Purists will say that relievers, deprived of their mound tosses, would be less effective. This is probably true. But it's a feature, not a bug.

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READER FEEDBACK

226,554 meals have been served by the Salvation Army, 235,952 meals served by the Red Cross, 143,229 people helped at PODs and 826 evacuees currently living in shelters.

Jett Kivett: 826 in shelters locally. There's thousands upon thousands of residents currently living with family, in hotels and motels, and in other cities because their homes are unlivable.

Bonnie Maryanoff: 10 people helped by FEMA

Ethel Lewis: And with all these numbers, how many of these places on PCB are they gonna require to rent back at a normal price so people can afford to rebuild their lives?

Jason Downey-Morris: To do that, they would have had to

cut the sale prices. You can't just take someone's livelihood away because you don't feel it's fair. This is about the most selfish comment I have ever seen. You do realize rentals are a business that people save to retire too, right? So let's just "make a law" so that they are required to cut rent to Ethel's "normal."

Zac Thomas: For many it was neighbors you didn't know you had, helping neighbors and anyone else walking down our streets shell shocked in need. The homeless wondering around.

Andrew Higgins Jr.: The numbers don't tell the whole story. There are many that will have to leave here because they either lost their jobs

or homes — maybe both. Housing is the most serious issue. What few rentals are available have increased in price. Let's face facts: Before the hurricane, rental prices on the west end were high. Now that the west end is basically where all the available housing is, you better have some serious money.

Panama City almost couldn't ask for anyone better to lead them through the disaster recovery, as Mark McQueen was tasked with rebuilding the infrastructure in Iraq after the Iraq War.

Cindy Blonde: It sounds like this man was ordained by God to be a leader in our little city! Blessings to him!

Joanna Brittain: Some do work for the people. A great example in this entire situation is the mayor of the town next to PC, Lynn Haven. She is going above and beyond for the people of Lynn Haven. A city manager like this man and a great mayor would do amazing things for Panama City.

Joe Nalley: Utilize inmate labor, buy up three or four commercial wood chippers, or set up a tub grinder somewhere and haul in the debris in dump trailers.

Susan Byers: God bless him and the great things he will do. He is needed! Thank you, sir.

Dillard's and Vitamin Shoppe are open at the Panama City Mall, but crews are still in the

process of emptying and assessing the rest of the building.

Christopher Mahoney: We don't want a strip mall. We want an enclosed mall with climate control. Don't claim we want an open air mall when there are still many that cannot deal with the heat of summer nor the chill of winter.

Michael Lambert: The free market has determined that's a lie in every market in Florida. LOL.

Ryan Stanford: Level it. build a Pier Park-style mall and a nice theater.

Opal Lovelace: There were open signs hanging all over the building the other day but couldn't find anywhere to enter.

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★★★★★ 7 months ago

I hired Rick and his company, Sun coast roofing. After hurricane season last year. My house was a mess. I was not looking forward to all the calls, paperwork, appt. Didn't even know where to start. Thanks to Rick I had no worries. He took care of everything from start to finish. The workmanship was great. I had no complaints whatsoever. I would not Hesitate one bit to hire them again.

★★★★★ 8 months ago

Sun Coast Roofing installed our new roof after damage from Hurricane Irma. Eric Johnsa represented the firm with an open and friendly demeanor. Eric was professional and knowledgeable. The work was completed over two days. The crew was efficient and cleaned up the yard. I didn't see any debris or nails after they left. We are still waiting on a final inspection from the city but at this point, we are satisfied customers. The roof is beautiful!

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LOCAL & STATE

Small businesses get recovery help

By Patrick McCreless
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PANAMA CITY — Small-business owner Leah Matthews was just happy to meet people in person on Monday who could help her.

The owner of Star Gallery, a jewelry store and art gallery in St. Andrews, has for days used online services only to apply for various disaster loans

for her small business following Hurricane Michael. With communication and internet services spotty since the hurricane, applying for aid and just getting information has been difficult for her and other merchants, Matthews said.

“It was really nice to have a place to come ... where all the merchants who had questions were able to get answers,” Matthews said.

Matthews was one of at least 70 area small-business owners who gathered in Panama City on Monday to learn more about disaster services that could help them. Hosted by the Bay County Chamber of Commerce, the workshop featured representatives from the state Department of Economic Opportunity, Small Business Association and Small Business Development Center,

who answered questions from attendees and provided information on what disaster loans might be available to help small businesses recover.

“It answered a lot of questions,” Matthews said of the workshop. “I’m glad we were able to have this meeting just 19 days after the storm.”

Michael Myhre, state director of the Florida SBDC network, said during the

workshop that his organization was working with the DEO to help administer Florida’s small business emergency loan program.

“It provides that immediate capital that small businesses need to stay open,” Myhre said. “And it provides a bridge to larger, long-term loans.”

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Lynva Masslieno, pastor of Kingdom Agenda International Ministries, stands in what’s left of the organization’s church. During Hurricane Michael, Masslieno and his family members tried to shelter in the concrete block church, but eventually had to flee to another building on the property when the roof began peeling back. [DEVON RAVINE/GATEHOUSE MEDIA FLORIDA]

Rising from the rubble

Their church in ruins after Hurricane Michael, Kingdom Agenda members look to fill the community’s needs

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PANAMA CITY — A picture frame sits amid the rubble of the collapsed ruin of the Kingdom Agenda International Ministries sanctuary on Pastor Lynva Masslieno’s desk, the glass cracked but the message inside still legible despite the sopping wet and wailing winds of Hurricane Michael.

“The Will of God will never take you where the Grace of God will not protect you,” the message reads.

For Masslieno, the will, either of God or the hurricane, put him on the corner of East Avenue and East 11th Street, where the



Coach JC Carlisle checks on a batch of “Granny’s Chili” as he prepares an afternoon meal at the Kingdom Impact Center on Monday. [DEVON RAVINE/GATEHOUSE MEDIA FLORIDA]

Kingdom Agenda and its outreach branch, the Kingdom Impact Center, always have been, just about every day, giving neighborhood

children a safe place to go after school and a support network in the high poverty community. It’s a rare day to drive by the corner lot and

not see something happening — whether it’s a summer camp, pickup football game or even a cookout or community fun day.

“We purchased this property years ago with the mindset that someday, we will be able to impact the community,” said Anthony Andrews, overseer for the Kingdom Agenda ministries. “We didn’t know it would be a hurricane, but we knew it was what we wanted to do.”

Nineteen days after Hurricane Michael, the will still has him at that same corner lot, now the neighborhood’s informal command center for post-storm supplies and relief. They had been collecting donations

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Bay Asked — We Answered

Have a question you want us to investigate? Something you’ve always wondered about? Ask us at news Herald.com/bay-asked-we-answered.

Who will pay bills for power company crews?

By Patrick McCreless
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PANAMA CITY — Gulf Power has a disaster fund to pay for the thousands of out-of-state linemen and extra equipment needed to rebuild Bay County’s electrical system after Hurricane Michael.

But whether that fund can cover the whole recovery cost isn’t yet known.

“None of that has been thought about yet,” Jeff Rogers, spokesman for Gulf Power, said of the total cost to restore electricity. “We’ve been focused only on restoration ... but over the next couple of weeks we’ll get more information.”

Rogers said the company has a disaster fund set up with the state to pay for situations like the hurricane, which knocked out power in the county three weeks ago. Money for the fund comes from portions of customers’ electricity bills, Rogers said.

“If there isn’t enough in the fund, we may go to the state to ask for more,” Rogers said.

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Last 2 Bay County POD locations close

By Patrick McCreless
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PANAMA CITY — Bay County’s last two points of distribution for bulk food, water and other supplies closed on Monday, but they still will provide some feeding services.

The final PODs in the county to close their main services were at High Praise Church in Callaway and at Rosenwald High School in Panama City. Two

other PODs had closed on Friday, including those at the Panama City Seventh-Day Adventist Church and Deer Point Elementary School in Southport.

“No PODs are still open in the county,” Valerie Sale, spokeswoman for the county, said on Monday.

However, the sites still will offer free hot meals to residents in need.

Meals will be available from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

every day through Nov. 2 at Panama City Seventh-Day Adventist Church and at Deer Point Elementary. Hot meals will be available from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. every day through Nov. 5 at High Praise Church and Rosenwald.

The county set up the PODs shortly after Hurricane Michael so residents could get free bulk food, water and ice. Sale said the PODs were being shut down because of a drop in

demand.

Sale added that the county didn’t want the PODs competing with local businesses.

“We’ve reduced the PODs since stores are reopening,” she said.

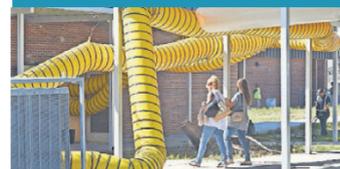
Sale noted that the PODs still had some leftover supplies available for residents who want them.

“There are some remaining items ... like bottled water, MREs and tarps that will be available until they’re gone,” she said.

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Q&A FORMAT

Verizon explains ‘3-months free service’ offer



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MICHAEL’S TOLL

Hurricane could mean blow to Bay County student numbers

Verizon explains '3-months free service' offer

News Herald Staff Report

If you are among the 80 percent of the population in this area who use Verizon as their carrier, you likely are among those questioning exactly how Verizon's "3-months free service" offer will work.

Below is a Q&A posted by Verizon to "help address" the customers' questions coming in about that offer.

"For our customers in Bay, Gulf, Calhoun, Franklin, Holmes, Jackson, Liberty, Wakulla, and Washington

counties who will be automatically credited for three months of monthly access charges for each line of service following Hurricane Michael, we want to answer your questions about what to expect and when."

Who qualifies and what do I need to do to be sure I receive it?

This offer is for current Verizon customers in the nine counties listed above that were active as of Oct. 17 — consumer postpaid and prepaid

accounts, business accounts and public safety organizations are included. The credit will be automatically applied to your account — no action is required on your end to receive it. A list of the ZIP codes in all nine counties is available.

What should I expect on my next three bills?

The first set of credits will be issued starting Nov. 1. You will receive your first credit during November — the exact date will depend on your billing cycle. The last day of

credit issuance is Jan. 31, after which you will return to your normal billing process.

Please note, you will need to pay your October bill — however, our unlimited talk, text and data offer — in place from Oct. 10-31 — will be reflected. Additionally, no late payment fees will be assessed through Jan. 31.

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Monthly access charges, which are related to your voice, text and data services, including overages and

related taxes and fees.

What isn't?

These charges do not include equipment charges if you purchased equipment through our 0 percent financing option. They also don't include legally mandatory charges such as E911 fees.

For more information link to: <https://www.verizon.com/about/news/qa-about-verizons-three-months-mobile-service-offer-customers-nine-pan-handle-counties>

Matching campaign funds top \$8M mark

The News Service of Florida

TALLAHASSEE — Democratic gubernatorial candidate Andrew Gillum drew almost \$500,000 on Friday as Florida's matching-funds program has doled out almost \$8.4 million this year to statewide candidates.

The release of the latest weekly checks also showed that Democratic agriculture-commissioner candidate Nikki Fried has qualified for the taxpayer-funded program, which provides matches for individual contributions of \$250 or less to candidates' campaigns.

Candidates for Cabinet offices — agriculture commissioner, attorney general and chief financial officer — must amass \$100,000 in such relatively small-dollar donations to qualify. Gubernatorial candidates must first raise \$150,000 worth of contributions of \$250 or less to be eligible. Contributions to candidates' political committees are not matched.

Fried, an attorney and lobbyist from Fort Lauderdale, got a check for \$117,627 on Friday. She became the 10th statewide candidate this year to participate in the program — though four of those candidates lost in primaries. Fried's Republican opponent, state Rep. Matt Caldwell, has decried the program as "campaign welfare."

The program gave candidates \$6.065 million in 2010 and \$4.3 million in 2014.

The biggest user of the program this year has been Republican gubernatorial candidate Ron DeSantis, who drew a check for \$279,046 on Friday and has now received just more than \$2.3 million from the state.

In the past, the most any candidate has drawn from the program was the \$2.58 million

received by Democrat Charlie Crist in 2014 for his unsuccessful gubernatorial run.

Gillum, who received a check for \$499,442 on Friday, has received almost \$2.23 million from the state. Overall, Gillum, DeSantis and their political committees have raised a combined total of more than \$96 million for the contest.

Gillum's check Friday was not the largest single amount going to a candidate this year.

When the program opened July 27 for the current election cycle, former Congresswoman Gwen Graham, who was defeated by Gillum in the Aug. 28 Democratic gubernatorial primary, received a check for \$991,598.

The same week, \$932,471 went out to Agriculture Commissioner Adam Putnam, who eventually lost to DeSantis in the Republican primary, and \$643,226 was sent to DeSantis.

In the race to replace term-limited Attorney General Pam Bondi, Democratic state Rep. Sean Shaw of Tampa received \$11,808 from the state on Friday and Republican Ashley Moody, a former Hillsborough County circuit judge, got \$11,223.

Moody now has received \$428,737 from the state, while Shaw has pulled in \$302,535.

Republican state Chief Financial Officer Jimmy Patronis of Panama City got a matching-funds check for \$7,284 on Friday. He has now drawn \$324,279 from the state.

Caldwell, a property appraiser from North Fort Myers, and former state Sen. Jeremy Ring, the Democratic candidate for chief financial officer, are the only major-party candidates for governor or Cabinet seats on the November ballot not participating in the program.



Pike utility trucks wait at the Panama City Mall after Hurricane Michael on Oct. 13. [JOSHUA BOUCHER/THE NEWS HERALD]

RECOVERY

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Myhre also said that a business recovery center had been opened at 625 U.S. 231 in Panama City to help business owners file for loans. The center is open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

Myhre added that business owners also should apply for disaster relief from the Federal Emergency Management Agency, even if they think they don't qualify. Myhre said FEMA gives each applicant a special account number that comes in handy when applying for disaster loans.

"It is essential, if you're a business owner ... it's an essential number you'll need before you sit down and talk with someone about federal

disaster loans," Myhre said.

Sandi Wolf, owner of Little Village at St. Andrews, which provides shopping, outdoor entertainment and a restaurant, said after the workshop that she already had applied for some of the loans, but still learned about where to go to get more assistance.

"I just like that they're really making an effort to help us," Wolf said.

Wolf said her building survived the hurricane, but its outdoor deck was smashed by trees. Also, an electrical surge fried some of her equipment.

"We're going to be back," Wolf said. "I'm just trying to get all of my people back to work ... that's my main objective."

Wolf said she planned to reopen at 11 a.m. Tuesday.

Matthews said she planned to reopen her store

from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday and Friday.

"I certainly appreciate everyone trying to answer our concerns," Matthews said.

Carol Roberts, president of the chamber, said after the workshop that she hoped the event helped.

"People are hurting right now," Roberts said. "I think it was very beneficial for citizens to have a place to talk one on one."

To apply for a business bridge loan, visit www.floridadisasterloan.org.

For more information on the loan, email Disaster@FloridaSBDC.org or call 866-737-7232.

For information on other small business loan programs and credit initiatives, visit www.enterprise-florida.com/small-business/.

To apply for FEMA aid, visit www.disasterassistance.gov.

POWER

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Rogers said power companies across the country have similar disaster funds that pay for visiting repair crews and equipment.

"It's always the host company that pays for it," Rogers said of disaster recovery. "Like when we travel, the host company picks up the tab."

Robert Barnes, a Panama City native who now lives in Vernon, said he saw people on the social media site Facebook complaining about Gulf Power but praising visiting crews. Thinking that Gulf Power was being unfairly criticized, Barnes asked The News Herald through its Bay Asked, We Answered series: "Who pays for all of the out-of-state power company crews, equipment and supplies?"

"I wanted to get some factual information out there

about what they've done," Barnes said about Gulf Power. "They've done a hell of a job getting things back up and running."

Rogers said that to date, power was restored to almost everyone in the county who can receive electricity. Still, there's an estimated 15,000 customers whose homes and buildings are too damaged to accept power, he said.

"There's destroyed equipment, it's all over ... mostly in the hardest hit areas," Rogers said. "But, we've got people getting repairs every day."

Rogers noted that with the major restoration complete, most of the visiting linemen had left the county. More than 7,000 people from power companies across the country were in the county at the peak of the repair effort.

"We've probably got about 1,500 now," Rogers said. "Now we're in the cleanup phase, making sure repairs were done correctly and checking for possible weak points."

KINGDOM

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and handing out supplies, hot meals and clothes since the Sunday after the hurricane, when U-Haul trailers started showing up with donations from people they didn't know, but who knew their reputation in the neighborhood.

"Even before the storm, we wanted to make sure the people were taken care of," Masslieno said. "We just believe that if we are taking care of other people's needs, God will take care of us."

The center, and the sanctuary house, is almost filled to the ceiling with donations — stacked family packs from the Salvation Army, hundreds of packages of food, thousands of bottles of water. On Monday, a man from Georgia had just dropped off what had to have been 20

or 30 packs of water bottles and neighborhood residents picked through a long table of donated clothing while Coach JC Carlisle manned the grill, serving up hot dogs smothered in "Granny's Chili."

Knowing how vulnerable many of the neighborhood's residents were even before Hurricane Michael, Masslieno got his family situated in Houston, then turned around and headed back to Bay County.

"We didn't know where the money was going to come from, but that's kind of how we've always operated," Andrews said.

Sitting not 30 yards away from the donation station, though, is the remnants of Masslieno's church — the space that was meant to be a safe place for him and his family to ride out the storm. Damp Uno playing cards are spread across the floor and air mattresses poke out from under hundreds of pounds of concrete cinderblocks

and what used to be the ceiling, the only remains of what was supposed to be a "hurricane party," Masslieno said.

But while the church is close in proximity, it's far down on their list of priorities, even as people have offered them help in restoring the building.

"That's going to come in time," Masslieno said. "Right now, we're three weeks out from the storm, and there's still people that need life essentials."

As the recovery wears on, there has been an evolution in what people need, the pastor said. While staples like food and water are a bit easier to come by now, with mold setting in and rain in the forecast, people need cleaning supplies and hardware to tarp roofs and make basic repairs.

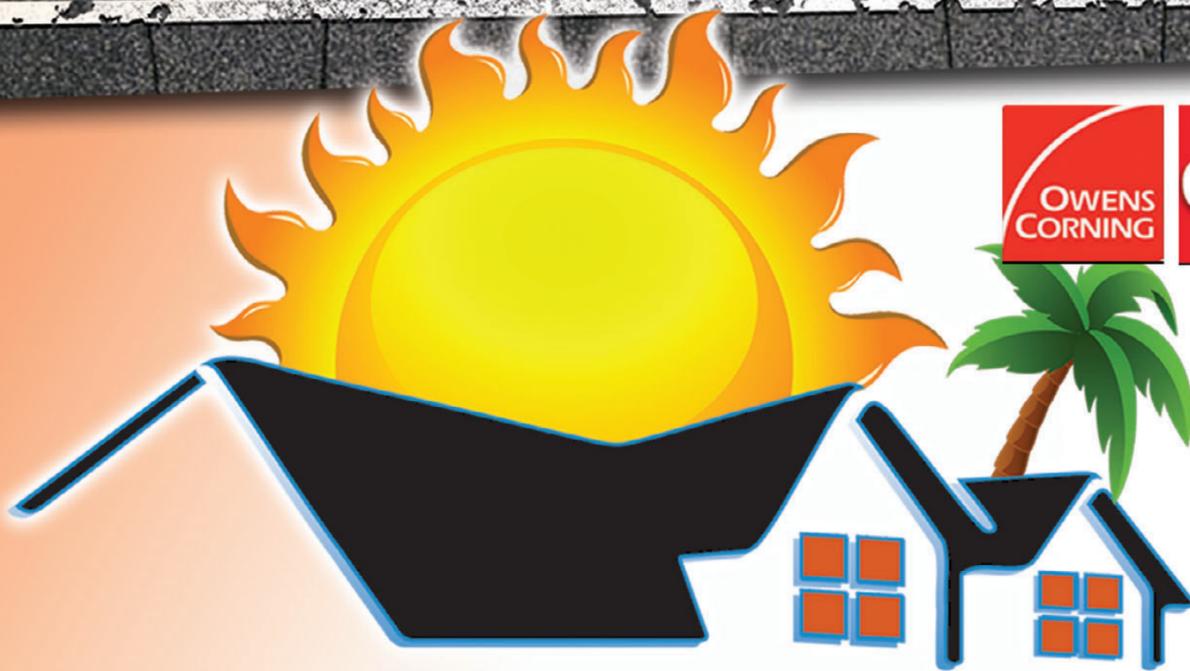
Luckily, the ministry house is filled with both.

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Michael could take toll on student numbers

By Ann Meyer
GateHouse Media Florida

PANAMA CITY — In its effort to be a good neighbor, Bay District Schools might lose some students to charter schools or public schools in other areas because of its extended closures. And day care has become a prime consideration in determining schools' reopening and split-shift schedules, officials said.

The school district has agreed to provide Arnold High School as a consolidated Red Cross shelter until the end of 2018, school board president Ginger Littleton said. This decision will free up Bozeman School, Breakfast Point Academy and Surfside Middle School, which have been serving as shelters.

It means Arnold students will share Surfside's campus using a split schedule with high school students attending Surfside from 7 a.m. to noon and middle school students going to class from 1-6 p.m.

Most Bay County schools are expected to open Nov. 5, Littleton said.

"We're doing our level best to make that happen," she said.

Administrators said some schools might open the week of Nov. 12.

The decision to use Arnold as a shelter stemmed in part from a day care facility there, which the Red Cross and the county hope can be used by shelter families who need to return to work.

Shelter space

Meanwhile, the Bay County Public Library has power, air conditioning and internet service, but a reopening date has not yet been determined, said Michele Seal, library administrative manager. FEMA is using a room in the building for emergency assistance, Seal said.

A primary issue with reopening the library is staffing because staff members have been reassigned to other county locations to provide assistance, she said.

While library staff members are put to work in other county departments, the library building is largely



Michael Petty, assistant administrator at Jinks Middle School, shows some of the damage sustained to the building from Hurricane Michael. Much of the water intrusion to the school's main buildings came through ventilation ducts, causing damage to the lower walls. [DEVON RAVINE/GATEHOUSE MEDIA FLORIDA]

unused.

"One meeting room is being used as disaster recovery by FEMA from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.," Seal said. "We will open (this location as a library) when we have enough staff," she said, noting the county will make the decision.

Littleton said she wasn't aware the library might be available for use as a shelter. Asked why the library wasn't considered as the consolidated long-term shelter instead of Arnold High School, which would allow students to return sooner to the school, Littleton said the county commission determines how the library is used.

"It isn't optimal, but our backs are against the wall," she said.

The way she understood the situation, the county didn't have any place for the 800 families who need shelter for

several months because their homes were demolished in the hurricane. These families have been in four shelters, which will be consolidated at Arnold.

The question became, "Where can I put 800 people immediately?" Littleton said. Arnold High School has the room for a day care facility, which could be used by those parents of young children living in the shelter who need to return to work. "It has plenty of space."

Finding adequate day care for the children of Bay County schoolteachers also is a challenge, Littleton said. The district is working with Bay Base to try to find care for teachers' children because if teachers can't send their children to day care, they can't go to work.

"So everybody's scrambling," she said.



Bay High School teachers Vickie Koder, left, and Sally Walden walk beneath some of the giant tubes being used to dehumidify Jinks Middle School. Teachers and students from Bay High School will be sharing the space with the middle school when it reopens.

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Several other schools also will share campuses and split schedules. Everitt Middle School and Rutherford High School and Jinks Middle and Bay High also are expected to share campuses, Littleton said.

Jinks Middle and Bay High

How crowded the facilities at Jinks Middle School will be for Bay High School students depends on how many students return and how many portables are used. Britt Smith, principal at Jinks, said he expects some of the 575 students who were enrolled at Jinks before Hurricane Michael devastated the area might not return this year. Bay High had an enrollment of about 1,700 students, he said. He said the school district plans to purchase portables for the high school to use.

"I have no idea how many kids would come back. I know we've been hit hard," Smith said.

Many apartments where Jinks students lived have closed. Some families have enrolled their students in other schools or might have relocated, so exact enrollment numbers are difficult to estimate.

"We really won't know until the kids show up," Smith said.

As of Monday, the gymnasium at Jinks, which was destroyed in the hurricane, had been razed. The boys' locker room and three modular classrooms also were

severely damaged and won't be available to students for some time. Its cafeteria is in need of repair, and within the main building, water damage is requiring repairs to duct work in the ceilings and some drywall. The school is still without internet, Smith said. The extent of any damage to the HVAC isn't known yet.

"We'll know more as things start to come back on line," Smith said.

But most of the building is usable.

"Overall our school did well. It's just the areas we lost got hit really hard," Smith said. "Today is the first day the teachers have been back."

Makeup days

Jody Edwards, mother of children ages 7 and 4, said she has been encouraging her daughter to do "book works" for the past two or three weeks in lieu of going to Lucille Moore Elementary School.

"We've been doing home school," she said.

The state is still determining how many of the estimated 21 days off school students will be required to make up, Smith said. In addition to using designated teacher-training days for student makeup days, the breaks for Thanksgiving, Christmas and Spring Break also are likely to be considered. The school year also could be extended. As of Monday, the school district's website showed a school holiday on Veterans Day, Nov. 12.

Slot machine dispute heads to Supreme Court

The News Service of Florida

TALLAHASSEE — A dispute about the legality of certain electronic games played in bars and other establishments is headed to the Florida Supreme Court.

The 1st District Court of Appeal in August upheld a circuit judge's ruling that the so-called "pre-reveal" games are illegal slot machines.

But Blue Sky Games, which developed the games, and Jacksonville-based Gator Coin, which leased the machines to businesses, have filed notices that are a first step in asking the Supreme Court to take up the issue, according to information posted Monday on appeals-court dockets.

The legal wrangling began when the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation's Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco ordered two businesses to remove the machines, prompting challenges from Blue Sky Games and Gator Coin.

Supporters of the games have contended that the

machines are legal because they include a "preview" feature that advises players of the outcome of the games.

But regulators and other critics have argued the preview feature doesn't matter because the "random number generator" used to create the games equates to the definition of slot machines, which are games of "chance," under state law.

Also, a key issue has been whether the slot-machine law applies to playing a single game or a series of games. While the outcome of the first "pre-reveal" game is known in advance, a player at the outset does not know the results of subsequent games.

The appeals court upheld a ruling last year by Leon County Circuit Judge John Cooper, who originally sided with Blue Sky Games and Gator Coin but then reversed himself.

The reversal came after the Seminole Tribe of Florida, which became involved in the case, asked Cooper to reconsider his initial decision. The tribe operates casinos that include slot machines.

Florida adds three Zika cases

The News Service of Florida

TALLAHASSEE — The number of cases of the mosquito-borne Zika virus continued to gradually increase last week, with new cases reported in Collier, Palm Beach and Orange counties, according to the state Department of Health website.

As of Monday, the state reported 87 Zika cases this year, up from 84 a week earlier.

All but two of the cases are considered "travel" related — generally meaning people were infected elsewhere and brought the disease into the state.

The other two cases were classified as having "undetermined" origin, with both of those cases involving people in Miami-Dade County.

The disease, which caused major concerns in 2016, is particularly dangerous to pregnant women because

it can cause severe birth defects.

Collier County has had the most Zika cases this year, with 33, followed by Miami-Dade County at 24.

They are followed by Orange County at 11 cases, Broward County at six cases, Palm Beach County at five cases and Osceola County at three cases.

Lee, Hillsborough, Pinellas, Hernando and Walton counties have each had one case.

Official: Bomb suspect had hit list of targets

The Associated Press

MIAMI — Law enforcement officials aren't sure whether they've discovered the last of the pipe bombs mailed to prominent Democrats and other opponents of President Donald Trump. They've said the packages were staggered, and more could be somewhere in the U.S. mail system.

What's more, an official tells The Associated Press that the man suspected of sending the bombs kept a list of elected officials and others who investigators believe were intended targets.

The disclosure of the list came as 56-year-old Cesar Sayoc made his initial court appearance in Miami federal

court Monday, and after bomb squads were called to a post office in Atlanta about a suspicious mailing to CNN that was similar to the pipe bomb packages recovered last week.

The official said authorities had recovered soldering equipment, a printer, and stamps similar to those used on the package bombs after arresting Sayoc last week in Florida. Authorities believe he was putting explosives together in his van.

The official also said authorities have been scrutinizing Sayoc's social media posts. The official wasn't authorized to discuss the ongoing investigation and spoke on condition of

anonymity to the AP.

The FBI said via its Twitter account that the recovered package in Atlanta was "similar in appearance" to the bubble-wrapped manila envelopes authorities say were sent by Sayoc to intended targets from Delaware to California, including former President Barack Obama, former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton and former Vice President Joe Biden.

CNN President Jeff Zucker says all mail to CNN has been screened offsite since last week, when a series of package bombs began appearing around the country. Among them were two apparent mail bombs sent to CNN.

Ruling on Gov. Scott records overturned

The News Service of Florida

TALLAHASSEE — A state appeals court on Monday overturned a lower-court decision that ordered Gov. Rick Scott's office to release records about his schedule and travel plans.

A three-judge panel of the 1st District Court of Appeal said some information, "such as drive times and arrival and departure times," is shielded from disclosure, while a circuit

judge must inspect other records from the governor's office before deciding if they can be released to the AIDS Healthcare Foundation.

The foundation filed a public-records lawsuit in July as part of a series of legal battles that came after the state Agency for Health Care Administration did not renew a five-year contract with the foundation's Positive Healthcare plan to provide Medicaid services in Broward, Miami-Dade

and Monroe counties.

Leon County Circuit Judge Charles Dodson ruled in favor of the foundation in the public-records lawsuit and ordered Scott to produce records that covered his schedule from late July to Oct. 31. Lawyers for Scott have argued that disclosing Scott's locations ahead of time would reveal surveillance tactics of the Florida Department of Law Enforcement and endanger the governor's security.

In overturning Dodson's

ruling, appeals-court judges Joseph Lewis, Harvey Jay and Lori Rowe pointed to an affidavit from Darrick Waller, assistant special agent in charge of the Florida Department of Law Enforcement. The appeals court said Dodson must do an "in camera" inspection before ruling whether records can be released. In a concurring opinion, Rowe argued that the requested records were "sensitive" and would compromise the ability of

the governor's security detail to keep him safe.

The decision sending the case back to Dodson means the issues likely will not be resolved before the end of the time period covered by the initial request. McKinley Lewis, a spokesman for Scott, referred Monday to earlier statements about the case and an email exchange between the parties that showed the foundation would be willing to drop the case if Positive Healthcare were awarded a Medicaid

managed-care contract.

Attempts to contact AIDS Healthcare Foundation attorneys were not immediately successful.

The foundation has been locked in other litigation with Scott's administration, including a case asking an administrative law judge to nullify Medicaid managed-care contracts. A decision in that case is pending, according to the state Division of Administrative Hearings website.

AREA & STATE BRIEFS

TALLAHASSEE Electric bills suspended for some hurricane victims

State regulators moved quickly Tuesday to approve the suspension of monthly electric bills for customers of two utilities in areas hit hard by Hurricane Michael.

The state Public Service Commission approved Duke Energy Florida's proposal to pause sending bills to customers in Bay, Gulf, Franklin and Wakulla counties and Florida Public Utility Co.'s proposal to suspend sending bills in Jackson, Calhoun and Liberty counties.

The commission said the move will affect 28,523 Duke customers and about 13,000 Florida Public Utilities customers. The utilities, which say customers will not face late fees or penalties, needed approval from regulators because of a state rule that requires utilities to bill customers monthly.

Hurricane Michael made landfall Oct. 10 as a Category 4 storm in Bay County and caused widespread damage as it plowed north into Georgia. The utilities pointed to issues such as damage to homes

and difficulty in delivering mail in seeking to suspend monthly bills.

"Because so many homes and businesses, as well as roads, have been damaged or destroyed, mail delivery has been suspended in many areas," Public Service Commission Chairman Art Graham said. "Customers can now focus on recovery without worrying about their bill."

GULF COUNTY Couple charged with stealing copper wire

Two suspects are behind bars after they were caught allegedly stealing copper wires from utility crews helping to restore power following Hurricane Michael.

Gulf County deputies were dispatched Sunday to a theft call on Gaskin Side Camp Road. A Gulf Coast Electrical Co-op shift supervisor told deputies two people in a blue Chevrolet pickup truck were gathering his company's electrical copper wires off the side of the road.

Deputies spotted a man and woman, later identified as Randy and Melinda Kent, placing the copper wire in the bed of the truck.

Randy Kent allegedly told deputies they were "cleaning up the area for the community."

In the bed of the truck were approximately 200 pounds of clean copper wire and no other materials. Kent then told deputies an unknown electrical worker gave him permission to take the copper wires.

The Kents were arrested for grand theft and taken to the Gulf County Jail.

MIAMI Man gets life for killing woman, son at birthday party

A man has been sentenced to life in prison for fatally shooting a

woman and her 7-year-old son during a robbery at a Spider-Man-themed birthday party.

The Miami Herald reported that 37-year-old Jose Estache was sentenced Monday. Jurors found him guilty earlier this month of first-degree murder.

Authorities said Estache and four others targeted a Miami-Dade home in 2006 because they mistakenly believed a man named "Haitian Pete" dated the homeowner and stored his drug money there.

Chaquone Watson, and his mother, Carla Queeley, were fatally shot during the robbery. Two other

women and two children were wounded.

Sean Condell previously was sentenced to life in prison for first-degree murder. Rayon Samuels, Bjon Lee and Damian Lewis were sentenced to 20 years each after pleading guilty to second-degree murder.

ORLANDO Teens makes Halloween capes for preemie superheroes

The babies in the neonatal intensive care unit at a Florida hospital might not remember their first Halloween. But they will have costumes, thanks to a 13-year-old middle schooler who made more

100 capes featuring emblems from Batman, Wonder Woman, Superman and The Incredibles.

Rachel Maretsky said it's the second year she has made the capes for babies at Winnie Palmer Hospital in Orlando, who she calls superheroes.

She said she already is gearing up to do the project again next year.

Maretsky's parents and friends helped make the small capes, which they had to paste with hot glue in a clean space to avoid germs. She delivered most of the capes during the weekend. The others will be delivered today.

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The person to be contacted regarding the proposed rule development and a copy of the preliminary draft, if available, is Megan Seward, Bureau Chief, Northwest Florida Water Management District, Bureau of Performance and Compliance Improvement, 152 Water Management Drive, Havana, FL 32333, (850)539-5999, megan.seward@nwfwater.com

The preliminary text of the proposed rule is not available. A preliminary draft of the rule language, when available, will be posted on the District's website at <http://www.nwfwater.com/Permits/Rules-and-References>



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SPORTS

March magic still resonates for Loyola's Sister Jean

In this March 30 photo, Loyola's Sister Jean Dolores Schmidt answers questions during a news conference for the Final Four NCAA college basketball tournament in San Antonio. [ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE PHOTO]



By Andrew Seligman
The Associated Press

CHICAGO — Not a day goes by that Sister Jean Dolores Schmidt doesn't think about the magic and madness of last March.

She recalls waking up in Dallas before Loyola-Chicago's first NCAA Tournament game in 33 years and realizing: "Oh my goodness, this is

for real. It's not a dream."

It sure seemed like one. Loyola's stunning run to the Final Four charmed the nation and turned a lovable nun and team chaplain into — as she puts it — an international celebrity at age 98. And as a new season approaches, Sister Jean can't help but look back on all those shining moments.

"I said, 'Just one day at a

time,'" she said. "And that's what I've done ever since, never dreaming that it would mushroom to — or never thinking that it would almost go on into the new season. But I have to tell you, I've had a lot of fun."

The Ramblers went from afterthought to the national spotlight, winning the

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Tide, LSU set for showdown



LSU coach Ed Orgeron has lost his duels with his Alabama counterpart Nick Saban by scores of 10-0 (2016) and 24-10 (17). [AP PHOTO/MATTHEW HINTON]

The Associated Press

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. — Nick Saban has no interest in reconstructing Alabama's seven-game winning streak over LSU or pondering his team's scarcely threatened perfect record.

So just don't ask. The top-ranked Crimson Tide coach is far more concerned with the challenges presented by Ed Orgeron's current fourth-ranked Tigers, which appear to be substantial.

"Our record or any other statistic that you guys (reporters) want to bring up about this game and all that, will not affect the outcome of this game at all," Saban said Monday.

There's no downplaying the magnitude of this

game Saturday night at LSU, though. It features once again not one but two national title contenders — like the so-called Game of the Century, 1 versus 2 matchup in 2011. That meeting was the last LSU victory before Alabama started a seven-game winning streak in the rivalry, including the national championship rematch.

There was also No. 2 LSU vs. No. 4 Alabama in 2015. Most of the matchups have been competitive even when they didn't seem so evenly matched, including the past two under Orgeron.

Alabama can lock up a spot in the SEC championship game with a win. The Tigers would be in control of the SEC West if they win.

"I know, and everybody knows, how big this game is for the state of Louisiana, for

our football team," Orgeron said. "But I am not going to make it bigger than life, that our guys can't handle it. ... We're not going to say it's like every other game. We understand that this is THE game. But we're going to approach every day like we've done and we're not going to change our process."

"Now, when it comes down to game time, there's going to be an excitement in the air that's going to be different. This game, that just happens that way, and that's how it is versus LSU-Alabama. But there's nothing I need to say or do different this week to get these guys fired up."

Alabama (8-0, 5-0 Southeastern Conference) is a two-touchdown favorite over the Tigers (7-1, 4-1), who

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FRYER: LOGANO DID WHAT HE HAD TO DO

Relief from Tannehill era tough for Miami



Greg Cote

He has become the 207-pound elephant in the room.

What to do with Ryan Tannehill? How do the Miami Dolphins move beyond him in a way that makes sense?

History repeats.

As 1995 wound down, back when Tannehill was navigating second grade, this franchise was figuring out how to part with the great coach Don Shula in a way appropriate to all he had meant to Miami. They failed. Owner Wayne Huizenga had a man-crush on an available Jimmy Johnson and so Shula was nudged awkwardly out the door in an exit that hits a raw nerve with Shula to this day.

Four years later, as 1999 bled into 2000, the Dolphins decided it was time to move on from the beloved icon Dan Marino. It didn't much matter who; Dave Wannstedt decided Marino's knees were shot. Marino wasn't ready to quit, but the Dolphins were ready to quit on him. They signed a journeyman named Jay Fiedler.

Today, Tannehill at 30

is in his prime in a way Shula and Marino were not, but there is even greater cause for Miami to move past him, in that Tannehill in seven seasons has yet to win a playoff game and now bears the additional burden of damaged goods.

History repeats.

The Dolphins are where they are because, post-Marino, the franchise has steadfastly underestimated the importance of finding another elite quarterback.

Miami had the draft's No. 2 overall pick in 2005 and settled for an OK-but-low-impact guy in running back Ronnie Brown. Somebody named Aaron Rodgers went 24th overall that year, so, in fairness, the Fins were at the front of the line but hardly alone on teams that missed big on Rodgers.

A more obvious misfire, one felt to this day, came in 2008, when Miami had the No. 1 overall pick and decided left tackle Jake Long would mean more long-term than quarter-

back Matt Ryan, who went third overall. As recently as last spring, when five quarterbacks went in the first round and owner Stephen Ross lobbied to get one of them, Miami doubled down on Tannehill instead

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Talk of rule changes, Harper, Machado dominate offseason

By Ronald Blum
The Associated Press

NEW YORK — The World Series was baseball 2018 in a microcosm.

Half the 44 runs scored by the champion Boston Red Sox and Los Angeles Dodgers came across the plate on home runs. That's the second-highest percentage in baseball history, according to the Elias Sports Bureau,

behind only last year's 57.4 percent.

There were 109 strikeouts and 76 hits, a 1.43 ratio that was the second-highest behind 1.48 in 2012. That followed the first regular season in major league history with more strikeouts than hits and with the lowest overall batting average since 1972 — the year before the start of the designated hitter.

Discussion of possible rule

changes to increase action will dominate the offseason, along with speculation about a free agent market that includes Bryce Harper, Manny Machado and Josh Donaldson, and possibly David Price and Clayton Kershaw if they opt out of their contracts.

"What we try to do is pay attention over the course of the season," baseball Commissioner Rob Manfred said

last week, "think about what we've learned during the postseason and see whether we may need to make some change in response to what we're seeing."

Analytics have transformed the sport, from offense-sustaining shifts to shortening starting pitchers' time on the mound and constantly rotating relievers from the major leagues to the minors in order to have an array of fresh

bullpen arms each game.

"I don't spend a lot of time worrying about whether analytics are a good thing or a bad thing, and the reason for that is they are a real thing," Manfred said. "We have them. They're going to continue to use them. There's nothing you can do to stop people from thinking about the game, however the heck it is

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SPORTS TICKER

IN BRIEF

NEW YORK NHL partners with MGM to share data for betting

The NHL announced a multiyear agreement Monday to provide MGM Resorts International with data for use in betting, the second major U.S. professional sports league to strike a deal with the casino giant since the Supreme Court opened the way to expanded gambling last spring.

Las Vegas-based MGM is the league's first official sports betting partner, just as it is with the NBA and WNBA. That deal was reached in July.

As part of the agreement, MGM gains access to proprietary NHL data that could eventually include puck and player tracking information once that goes through a testing phase. Access to that data will allow MGM to provide customized game details along with betting opportunities for U.S. customers where gambling is legally available.

The NHL is not getting a cut of gambling profits, but other terms were not disclosed.

NEW YORK Agent Van Wagenen to be new Mets GM

When the New York Mets went looking for a general manager, they found one in a peculiar place.

On the other side of the bargaining table.

Baseball agent Brodie Van Wagenen has agreed to switch roles and become GM of the Mets, team spokesman Harold Kaufman confirmed Monday.

Kaufman said chief operating officer Jeff Wilpon and Van Wagenen have settled on contract terms, although no paperwork had been signed just yet. Details of the deal were not disclosed.

A news conference to introduce Van Wagenen is planned for Tuesday at Citi Field.

LEICESTER, ENGLAND Data recorder recovered from owner's helicopter

The flight data recorder from the helicopter that crashed with the Leicester soccer team's owner on board is being examined by investigators, authorities said, as his family and players paid tribute Monday at a makeshift shrine.

Vichai Srivaddhanaprabha and four others were killed when the aircraft spiraled out of control, crashed and burst in flames outside the King Power Stadium following a Premier League game Saturday.

Aiyawatt Srivaddhanaprabha, son of the Thai retail entrepreneur, brought a wreath to add to a collection of flowers, jerseys and club memorabilia that was growing after the disaster. Fans who gathered to pay respects broke into applause when Aiyawatt returned to the memorial with the players.

The Associated Press



Panthers head coach Ron Rivera, left, greets Ravens head coach John Harbaugh, right, after a game Sunday in Charlotte, N.C. [NELL REDMOND/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS]

Leaders of men

A half-dozen NFL coaches worthy of praise this season

By Barry Wilner

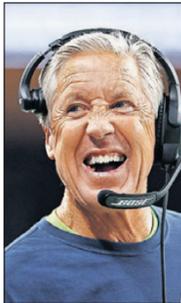
The Associated Press

Some fans are shaking their heads in wonderment at the performances of some first-year head coaches who keep on losing. Others are campaigning to get rid of an incumbent. Yet there's an impressive number of men doing terrific jobs who deserve to be praised as we approach the halfway mark of the NFL schedule. Try Pete Carroll in Seattle. Jay Gruden in Washington (while his older brother's return has been a fiasco in Oakland). Ron Rivera in Carolina. Anthony Lynn in Los Angeles. Matt Nagy in Chicago. And Bill O'Brien in Houston. In a year when so many coaches are being lambasted, from newcomers Pat Shurmur in New Jersey to Steve Wilks in Arizona to newcomer/oldtimer Gruden in Oakland, it's worthwhile and refreshing to take a look

at some jobs well done. Very well done.

PETE CARROLL

While the Seahawks aren't in full-blown rebuild mode, they are remaking the roster and reaffirming themselves as a hard-hitting, run-first (and effectively), aggressive squad that doesn't back down. Their victory at Detroit was their best in a 4-3 season during which they started 0-2. Carroll is fitting in new parts, particularly in the secondary and at running back. He's getting strong leadership from Bobby Wagner, Russell Wilson and Doug Baldwin, but lots of credit needs to be thrown his way for doing quite a bit with less than usual.



JAY GRUDEN

Is Washington the most-talented team in the NFC East? Nope. Is it the most consistent? Nope. What the Redskins do is protect the ball (just five giveaways, trailing only Atlanta's four), stymie opposing offenses, and rely on some excellent veterans such as Ryan Kerrigan, Josh Norman and Alex Smith. Plus, Gruden was willing to reach out to Adrian Peterson, who has shown he has plenty left — so much so he might be the front-runner for Comeback Player of the Year. While there's turmoil in Dallas and New York, and rumblings fostered by the mediocre performance by the defending champion Eagles, all is going smoothly in D.C.



ANTHONY LYNN

Lynn's best defensive player, Joey Bosa, has been sidelined all year. The Chargers have relied on rookies — safety Derwin James is among the top defensive newcomers in the league — and a few other youngsters, and it's working to the tune of nine picks to three allowed, 18 sacks to 10 allowed. Philip Rivers is having one of his best seasons of a borderline Hall of Fame career, in great part because Lynn gives his quarterback lots of freedom. You hear criticism that the Chargers haven't beaten anyone good. Well, a large number of teams would love their 5-2 record.



BILL O'BRIEN

When the Texans dropped their first three games, people were placing O'Brien on a Lone Star hotseat. Now, he's sitting atop the AFC South with a club that should win that division of underachievers. Not that Houston is underachieving. The poor start had much to do with returning players such as the Texans' best, J.J. Watt, and quarterback Deshaun Watson not being back to full strength. Now they are. This is a balanced team when all the parts are available. O'Brien doesn't panic, he instructs well, and his is a team on the rise.



RON RIVERA

Yes, in 2015 he guided the Panthers to the NFC title. He still has Cam Newton and Greg Olsen and Luke Kuechly. But these Panthers, who have beaten the Eagles, Bengals and Ravens, aren't at the level of the team that fell to the Broncos in the Super Bowl 2 1/2 years ago. Their offensive line is shaky, their receivers are inconsistent, and they've shuffled their secondary. They're also 5-2 and Rivera has one of the best relationships, on and off the field, with his players of any coach in football.



MATT NAGY

Every week, the Bears play an opponent tough. Their defense is rugged, particularly if Khalil Mack is healthy. Their offense is developing, not rapidly but steadily. Where Mitchell Trubisky has progressed in his second season and first under Nagy is where the Jets, Cardinals, Bills and Browns hope their first-rounders of this year get to in 2019. He's aggressive with the ball and without it, playing to win rather than playing not to lose. Whether he can keep the Bears in contention in the rough NFC North is problematic, but they certainly are headed in the right direction.

Hue who?

Browns fire coach Jackson; owner cites 'internal discord'

By Tom Withers
The Associated Press

BEREA, Ohio — Hue Jackson's failed, flawed tenure with the Cleveland Browns

is finally over.

The team fired its embattled coach on Monday,

ending a run of futility nearly unmatched in NFL history. Jackson, who went 3-36-1 in two-plus seasons, was dismissed Monday by general manager John Dorsey with the backing of owners Dee and Jimmy Haslam.

The Browns also fired offensive coordinator Todd Haley and made defensive coordinator Gregg Williams their interim coach. Haley was in his first season on Jackson's staff after spending the previous six in Pittsburgh.

Jimmy Haslam intimated the firings were prompted by an irreparable divide between Jackson and Haley, who squabbled behind the scenes and recently took their power struggle public.

"Hopefully we made a big step today," Haslam said at a news conference with Dorsey. "It's very troubling. It's hard to win in the NFL; if anybody knows that, it's us. And I think the message today is we're not going to put up with internal discord, that we want people who are collaborative and work together."

Jackson's firing came a day after the Browns (2-5-1) lost their 25th straight road game — 20 of them coming with Jackson in charge. The Browns are 22-81-1 since the Haslams agreed to purchase them before the 2012 season.

The Browns, who have not made the playoffs since 2002 amid a slew of coaching changes, have lost three straight games after a promising start to this season. They tied Pittsburgh in Week 1, but were beaten 33-18 on Sunday by the Steelers.

Jackson is the sixth straight Cleveland coach to be fired following the team's second game against Pittsburgh. Romeo Crennel, Eric Mangini, Pat Shurmur, Rob Chudzinski and Mike Pettine all met the same demise.

Haslam and Dorsey didn't provide any details about the Jackson-Haley fracture and said the team's focus is on the final eight games.

"We have a lot of football left in this season," Dorsey said. "We have some very talented players on this team right now, as we speak. As we sat down and talked to the players today, I expressed that to them. I said, 'You know what? We have a lot of football left here, you guys.' And they understand that."



Jackson

McCourty's pick-6 seals Patriots' win over Bills

By John Wawrow
The Associated Press

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. — Devin McCourty was pleased that the New England Patriots defense didn't have to play second fiddle to Tom Brady and Co. for once.

With the Patriots leaning more on Stephen Gostkowski's leg than Brady's

arm against the Buffalo Bills on Monday night, McCourty stepped up and returned an interception 84 yards to secure a 25-6 victory.

"The last couple of games it was our offense scoring and us trying to keep the team out. This was a game where they were moving the ball and couldn't get into the end zone," McCourty said. "We

had to make sure Buffalo didn't get in the end zone, and once it cracked, we had to take advantage of it."

The interception proved to be the turning point in what had been a tightly contested game in which New England settled for four Gostkowski field goals, and after James White scored on a 1-yard to make it 18-6 with 9:58 left.

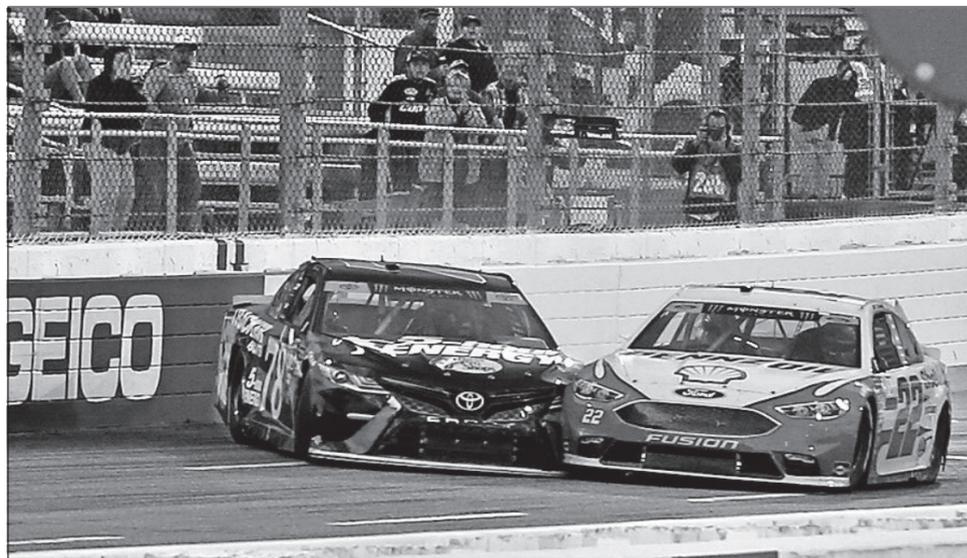
The Bills responded with what was initially ruled a touchdown, when tight end Jason Croom appeared to make a diving, one-handed catch in the end zone. The 25-yard catch was negated when replays showed Croom never had possession.

Two plays later, McCourty jumped in front of Derek Anderson's attempt to hit

tight end Charles Clay over the middle.

"Those are bonus points. It's hard to count on those," Patriots coach Bill Belichick said. "It was a big play for us. They were driving in the red area and it turned it around."

Buffalo lost its third straight and dropped to 2-6 for its worst start since opening the 2010 season with eight losses.



Joey Logano (22) and Martin Truex Jr. (78) make contact as they approach the finish line at the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series auto race at Martinsville Speedway on Sunday in Martinsville, Va. Logano won the race. [STEVE HELBER/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS]

Logano put it all on the line, as he should have

By Jenna Fryer
The Associated Press

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Take a deep breath and rewatch "Days of Thunder" a couple hundred times to put some perspective on Joey Logano's latest dustup with another driver.

Logano sparked a storm of controversy at Martinsville Speedway when he bumped reigning series champion Martin Truex Jr. out of the lead to claim victory. It wasn't any old win, either; it qualified Logano for NASCAR's championship-deciding race at the end of the season.

At this stage of the season, a victory is the golden ticket to Homestead-Miami Speedway's winner-take-all finale. It is really that simple. There are eight drivers vying for four spots — and one was dangling in front of Truex and Logano on Sunday.

First things first: Logano maybe wasn't expected to make the final four, not this season. His only other win was at Talladega Superspeedway and Team Penske has been overshadowed on the track by Ford partner Stewart-Haas Racing. The regular season was so dominated by Truex, Kyle Busch and Kevin Harvick it has just been assumed the so-called "Big 3" would gobble up three of the four championship berths.

So for Logano to make it to the finale, he needed to be perfect for three races

or in position to win one.

There he was at Martinsville, out front for a race-high 309 of the 500 laps, raced extraordinarily hard in the final stretch because Penske teammate Brad Keselowski was glued to his bumper. He had a door-to-door battle going with Truex for much of the final 10 laps. The racing was clean and Truex was an on-track gentleman, a sportsman worthy to be called champion, in taking the lead from Logano.

But Logano had to have that win. It was his best and perhaps only chance to qualify for the finale, and that chance came on the final lap.

He pulled a bump-and-run and figured he'd let the chips fall as they may.

The move worked and Logano punched his ticket to Miami. An infuriated Truex must try again this weekend to return to the finale.

The bump was a throwback move to when drivers used their race cars as muscle, and they created racing that captivated its audience. It was the jaw-dropping, white-knuckled bumping and banging that made "Days of Thunder" a pop culture sensation and created an unrealistic expectation of NASCAR racing.

But it's quintessential NASCAR, not all that different from what Logano did to Matt Kenseth to win a playoff race at Kansas three years ago.

In this latest instance, Logano knocked Truex out of the way, slipped past him and

straightened out his wiggling car enough to cross the finish line in first. Truex's car went sideways and Denny Hamlin stole second place from him.

The consequences were immediate. Logano was booed, Truex joined the jeering from pit road and the crew chiefs exchanged angry words.

Truex vowed to prevent Logano from stealing his crown: "He may have won the battle, but he ain't winning the damn war."

Logano car owner Roger Penske wasn't pleased to learn Truex called the bump-and-run a "cheap shot" and he was unusually feisty in his rebuttal.

"He's a racer and should know better than to say that," Penske said. "That's as clean a shot as you can have in a race like this. We want to go to Miami. Joey ran a great race. As far as I'm concerned, that's just a comment that I don't think we deserve. We'll race him day after day."

Everything was on the line for Logano and he'd have been lambasted for not trying something — anything, really — to try to win. The second-guessing if he'd tried nothing would have lasted the entire third round of the playoffs or until he won a race. If Logano wasn't going to put it all on the line, then what's the point of even getting into the race car each week?

If more drivers raced the way Logano did on that lap, people might start watching again.

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have already beaten three teams ranked in the Top 10 at the time.

Then again, LSU was also an underdog against Miami, Auburn and Georgia — in Orgeron's signature win — and went 3-for-3.

"We've been underdogs in quite a few games this year," Tigers quarterback Joe Burrow. "I think we've probably won every game we were an underdog in, so you don't really think about that."

Then again, here's a stat Saban isn't banking on for help: He has beaten 21 top-5 teams, the most of any college coach in history.

No team has managed to keep a game against Alabama within three touchdowns.

"I feel like this will be the biggest test that we've had

so far this season," Tide safety Deionte Thompson said. "They are No. 4, we're playing them at their place. You know how loud it gets in there. It's the kind of game you come here for. It's the kind of game you dream about as a little boy watching them on TV. It's something I've been looking for, so we'll be ready on Saturday."

ALABAMA NOTE: A question mark facing Alabama is the status of backup quarterback Jalen Hurts. Hurts sustained a high ankle sprain against Tennessee before the open date and Saban called him "day to day" but was practicing Monday. Hurts, a two-year starter, has played a role in every game. "These things typically take a week to 10 days before players start feeling really comfortable," Saban said. "So we'll have to see how he responds each day with the workload as we increase it through the course of the week. We'll go from there."



Dolphins coach Adam Gase and quarterback Ryan Tannehill watch as backup QB Brock Osweiler plays in the fourth quarter of the Sept. 30 loss at New England. Tannehill has missed 23 of Miami's past 28 games with knee and shoulder issues. [CHARLES TRAINOR JR./MIAMI HERALD/TNS]

RELIEF

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— again wrongly believing he was good enough — and drafted a safety 11th overall.

With this team and its current regime it seems there are always reasons to hope for a belated epiphany from Tannehill while steering resources and commitment elsewhere. The result: Tannehill has now missed 23 of the past 28 games with knee and now shoulder injuries as the 4-4 Dolphins, losers of three of the past four, host the New York Jets on Sunday, likely sans Tannehill again.

"Before I got here it was, 'Hey, he's played however many games (in a row),' " coach Adam Gase noted on Monday. "That narrative swings so fast."

It isn't just eroding

durability, though. The dynamic imprint Houston's Deshaun Watson had on Thursday night's game — Miami sorely lacks that, and there is no great substitute for it.

With this team it never seems the right time to upgrade at QB and, unfortunately, it may not be now either.

Simple logic says Miami will divest and jettison Tannehill after this season, because his salary cap hit triples to \$26,611,666 in 2019, and Miami could pocket about half of that total for future spending simply by letting him go.

But reality says the Dolphins also might find themselves stuck keeping their 207-pound elephant and trying to renegotiate his deal down to a level commensurate with his accomplishments and durability.

Greg Cote is a columnist for the Miami Herald (TNS).

SISTER

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Missouri Valley Conference Tournament to earn their first NCAA appearance since 1985 and then making their first Final Four since the 1963 championship team knocked down racial barriers. By the time they were through, they set a program record for victories at 32-6 and delivered more than a few magical moments.

From Dante Ingram's

buzzer-beating 3-pointer to beat Miami in the first NCAA game to a friendly bounce on Clayton Custer's jumper in the closing seconds against Tennessee in the next round to Marques Townes' decisive 3-pointer against Nevada in the Sweet 16, Loyola squeezed out one thrilling victory after another before losing to Michigan in the semifinals.

By then, Sister Jean was a star. There were bobbleheads and memes, even a shout-out from Barack Obama, the former president and Chicago resident. She was also interviewed on Good Morning

America.

Sister Jean got to throw out a first pitch at a Cubs game in April. The crowd greeted her with loud cheers as she was wheeled out to the edge of the grass in front of the plate and she laughed as her underhand toss bounced several times.

"She's very important to our team," said Clayton Custer, the reigning Missouri Valley Conference Player of the Year. "I think she represents Loyola better than anybody could."

I'm glad Sister Jean's known — internationally — now."

CHANGE

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they want to think about the game."

Discussion will start next week, when general managers meet in Carlsbad, California. Owners gather Nov. 14-15 in Atlanta, and the major offseason get-together will be the winter meetings at Las Vegas from Dec. 10-13.

Manfred and players' association head Tony Clark

already have been talking — they appeared together at a World Series news conference last weekend, which would have been unimaginable a year ago given the tension between management and players.

Both sides are concerned about a 4 percent attendance drop that left the major league average below 30,000 for the first time since 2003. Six ballparks set their record lows and 17 of 30 experienced drops, partly because of historically bad weather that caused 54 postponements, the most since 1989.

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Brooklyn	2	5	.286	4
New York	2	5	.286	4

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Miami	W	L	PCT	GB
Charlotte	3	3	.500	—
Orlando	3	4	.429	½
Atlanta	2	4	.333	1
Washington	1	5	.167	2

CENTRAL DIVISION

Milwaukee	W	L	PCT	GB
Detroit	7	0	1.000	—
Indiana	4	1	.800	2
Chicago	4	3	.571	3
Cleveland	2	5	.286	5
Cleveland	0	6	.000	6½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

SOUTHWEST DIVISION

New Orleans	W	L	PCT	GB
San Antonio	4	1	.800	—
Memphis	3	2	.600	1
Dallas	2	5	.286	3
Houston	1	4	.200	3

NORTHWEST DIVISION

Denver	W	L	PCT	GB
Portland	4	1	.800	—
Utah	4	2	.667	½
Minnesota	3	4	.429	2
Oklahoma City	1	4	.200	3

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Golden State	W	L	PCT	GB
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Sacramento	4	2	.667	2½
L.A. Lakers	2	5	.286	4½
Phoenix	1	5	.167	5

Saturday's Games

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Utah 132, New Orleans 111
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Indiana 119, Cleveland 107
Philadelphia 105, Charlotte 103
Memphis 117, Phoenix 96
Miami 120, Portland 111
Milwaukee 113, Orlando 91
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Sacramento at Orlando, 7 p.m.
Detroit at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Toronto, 7:30 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Oklahoma City, 8 p.m.
Washington at Memphis, 8 p.m.

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SACRAMENTO 17 34 43 29-123
MIAMI 28 23 32 30-113

3-Point Goals—Sacramento 12-26 (Hield 4-6, Bjelica 3-7, Shumpert 2-4, Bagley III 1-1, Fox 1-2, Mason 1-3, Jackson 0-3), Miami 13-39 (Dragic 4-8, Richardson 4-10, Wade 2-5, McGruder 1-4, Olynyk 1-5, Johnson 1-5, Whiteside 0-2). Fouled Out—N.J. Rebels—Sacramento 20 45 (Cauley-Stein 13), Miami 53 (Whiteside 24). Assists—Sacramento 28 (Fox 8), Miami 20 (McGruder 6). Total Fouls—Sacramento 23, Miami 21. Technicals—Ade—19,600 (19,600).

PRO HOCKEY

NHL
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EASTERN CONFERENCE

ATLANTIC DIVISION

Toronto	GP	W	L	OT	PTS	GF	GA
Tampa Bay	10	7	2	1	15	33	27
Montreal	10	6	2	2	14	33	25
Boston	11	6	3	2	14	34	27
Buffalo	11	6	4	1	13	30	33
Ottawa	10	4	4	2	10	35	39
Florida	9	2	4	3	7	28	35
Detroit	11	2	7	2	6	25	43

METROPOLITAN DIVISION

Pittsburgh	GP	W	L	OT	PTS	GF	GA
Carolina	11	6	4	1	13	34	31
Columbus	10	6	4	0	12	36	38
Washington	10	5	3	2	12	39	37
New Jersey	8	5	2	1	11	28	20
N.Y. Islanders	10	5	4	1	11	30	25
Philadelphia	11	4	7	0	8	32	46
N.Y. Rangers	11	3	7	1	7	28	38

WESTERN CONFERENCE

CENTRAL DIVISION

Nashville	GP	W	L	OT	PTS	GF	GA
Colorado	12	7	3	2	16	41	27
Winnipeg	12	7	4	1	15	35	32
Chicago	12	6	3	3	15	41	43
Minnesota	11	6	3	2	14	31	32
Dallas	10	5	5	0	10	29	29
St. Louis	10	3	4	3	9	36	39

PACIFIC DIVISION

San Jose	GP	W	L	OT	PTS	GF	GA
Vancouver	13	7	6	0	14	36	42
Edmonton	10	6	3	1	13	29	30
Calgary	12	6	5	1	13	39	41
Anaheim	12	5	5	2	12	30	34
Vegas	11	5	5	1	11	26	30
Arizona	10	5	5	0	10	26	20
Los Angeles	11	3	7	1	7	22	39

Saturday's Games

New Jersey 3, Florida 2
N.Y. Islanders 6, Philadelphia 1
Edmonton 5, Nashville 3
Washington 4, Calgary 3, OT
Columbus 5, Buffalo 4, OT
Toronto 3, Winnipeg 2
Montreal 3, Boston 0
Minnesota 3, Colorado 2
St. Louis 7, Chicago 3
Arizona 7, Tampa Bay 1
Pittsburgh 5, Vancouver 0

Sunday's Games

Los Angeles 4, N.Y. Rangers 3
N.Y. Islanders 2, Carolina 1
Detroit 4, Dallas 2
Edmonton 2, Chicago 1, OT
Vegas 4, Ottawa 3, OT
San Jose 4, Anaheim 3, OT

Monday's Games

Calgary 3, Toronto 1
Vancouver 5, Minnesota 2

Today's Games

N.Y. Islanders at Pittsburgh, 7 p.m.
Detroit at Columbus, 7 p.m.
Calgary at Buffalo, 7 p.m.
Boston at Carolina, 7 p.m.
Dallas at Montreal, 7:30 p.m.
New Jersey at Tampa Bay, 7:30 p.m.
Vegas at Nashville, 8 p.m.
Minnesota at Edmonton, 9 p.m.
Philadelphia at Anaheim, 10 p.m.
Ottawa at Arizona, 10 p.m.
N.Y. Rangers at San Jose, 10:30 p.m.

FLAMES 3, MAPLE LEAFS 1
CALGARY 0 0 3-3
TORONTO 0 0 1-1

First Period—None. Penalties—Hyman, TOR, (slashing), 10:58; Neal, CGY, (slashing), 10:58;

ON THE AIR

Today COLLEGE FOOTBALL

6:30 p.m.
ESPN2 [--] Ball St. at Toledo

COLLEGE GOLF

2 p.m.
GOLF [--] East Lake Cup, Match Play championship, at Atlanta

NBA

7 p.m.
ESPN [--] Indiana at New York

9:30 p.m.
ESPN [--] San Antonio at Phoenix

Brown, TOR, (cross checking), 12:55; Neal, CGY, (interference), 19:19.
Second Period—None. Penalties—Marleau, TOR, (interference), 6:43.
Third Period—1. Calgary, Monahan 5 (Giordano, E.Lindholm), 5:39 (pp), 2. Calgary, E.Lindholm 8 (Gaudreau, Monahan), 6:34, 3. Toronto, Kadri 3 (Marner, Rielly), 16:07 (pp), 4. Calgary, Frolik 5, 19:54. Penalties—Hyman, TOR, (interference), 5:21; Tkachuk, CGY, (holding), 14:06; Giordano, CGY, (interference), 14:57.
Shots on Goal—Calgary 12-12-10—34. Toronto 4-11-10—25.
Power-play opportunities—Calgary 1 of 3; Toronto 1 of 3.
Goalsies—Calgary, Smith 4-4-1 (25 shots-24 saves). Toronto, Andersen 6-4-0 (33-31). A-18,989 (18,819). T-2:33.
Referees—Jake Brenk, Trevor Hanson. Linesmen—Steve Miller, James Tobias.

CANUCKS 5, WILD 2
MINNESOTA 1 1 0-2
VANCOUVER 1 2 2-5

First Period—1. Vancouver, Ma.Granlund 2 (Horvat), 7:17, 2. Minnesota, Greenway 1 (Spurgeon, Coyle), 7:52. Penalties—Parise, MIN, (high sticking), 10:57; Gudbranson, VAN, (high sticking), 10:57; Fehr, MIN, (slashing), 13:30.
Second Period—3. Vancouver, Virtanen 3 (Biega), 5:15 (pp), 4. Vancouver, Pettersson 6 (Del Zotto, Goldobin), 6:51, 5. Minnesota, Suter 3 (Mi.Granlund, Zucker), 14:37 (pp). Penalties—Ma.Granlund, VAN, major (high sticking), 1:11; Staal, MIN, (interference), 4:31; Eriksson, VAN, (tripping), 12:59; Suter, MIN, (roughing), 19:38.
Third Period—6. Vancouver, Pettersson 7 (Boeser), 6:29, 7. Vancouver, Hutton 2 (Roussel), 19:20. Penalties—Paternyn, MIN, (high sticking), 1:29; Biega, VAN, (high sticking), 9:05; Ma.Granlund, VAN, (slashing), 11:17.
Shots on Goal—Minnesota 7-15-17—39. Vancouver 14-10-6—30.
Goalsies—Minnesota, Dubucy 5-2-2 (30 shots-26 saves). Vancouver, Markstrom 4-3-0 (39-16,546 (18,910). Referees—Chris Rooney, Chris Schlenker. Linesmen—Steve Barton, Ryan Galloway.

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All times Eastern

EASTERN CONFERENCE

ATLANTIC DIVISION

Charlotte	GP	W	L	OLSOL	PTS	GF	GA
Springfield	8	6	0	0	16	35	20
W.B.Syracuse	8	5	2	0	11	27	21
Lehigh Valley	9	5	3	1	11	37	34
Hartford	11	4	4	0	9	34	45
Bridgeport	9	4	4	1	0	26	35
Hershey	11	4	6	1	9	25	31
Providence	9	3	5	1	0	7	30

NORTH DIVISION

Rochester	GP	W	L	OLSOL	PTS	GF	GA
Cleveland	10	7	2	1	0	15	39
Cleveland	10	6	3	1	0	13	29
Toronto	9	4	4	0	1	9	35
Binghamton	10	4	5	1	0	9	26
Belleville	9	4	5	0	0	8	28
Utica	10	4	6	0	0	8	39
Laval	9	3	5	1	0	7	23
Syracuse	7	2	5	0	0	4	18

WESTERN CONFERENCE

CENTRAL DIVISION

Milwaukee	GP	W	L	OLSOL	PTS	GF	GA
Chicago	10	8	1	1	0	17	39
Chicago	9	6	2	0	0	13	37
Iowa	7	5	2	0	0	10	33
Rockford	9	4	3	1	1	10	28
Texas	9	4	3	1	1	10	30
Manitoba	8	4	4	0	0	8	19
Grand Rapids	8	3	5	0	0	6	22
San Antonio	10	2	8	0	0	4	19

PACIFIC DIVISION

San Jose	GP	W	L	OLSOL	PTS	GF	GA
Tucson	8	6	1	0	1	15	35
Jax	8	6	1	0	1	13	26
Colorado	8	4	2	2	0	10	25
San Diego	7	3	2	1	1	8	29
Stockton	8	3	4	1	0	7	27
Bakersfield	6	3	3	0	0	6	17
Ontario	8	1	4	2	1	5	30

Saturday's Games

Milwaukee 4, Manitoba 1
Cleveland 2, Rockford 1
Hershey 4, WB/Scranton 3, SO
Charlotte 6, Syracuse 3
Grand Rapids 3, Belleville 1
Rochester 3, Laval 2
Springfield 4, Providence 2
Lehigh Valley 5, Binghamton 2
Bridgeport 5, Hartford 4
San Jose 6, Texas 1
Iowa 6, Colorado 1
Bakersfield 8, Stockton 2
Tucson 4, San Diego 3, OT

Sunday's Games

Providence 6, Bridgeport 1
Springfield 6, Hartford 2
San Antonio 3, Chicago 2
Manitoba 2, Rockford 1, SO
Hershey 3, Lehigh Valley 1

Monday's Games

No games scheduled

Today's Game

Manitoba at Milwaukee, 8 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

Belleville at Laval, 7:30 p.m.
Bakersfield at Stockton, 10 p.m.

ODDS

PREGAME.COM LINE NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

Today

FAVORITE **LINE** **O/U** **UNDERDOG**

At Cleveland 4 226 Atlanta
At Charlotte 4 220 Miami
At Orlando 4½ 223 Sacramento
At Boston 8½ 208½ Detroit
At Toronto Off Off Philadelphia
At Houston 3 225½ Portland
At Oklahoma City 2½ 224 LA Clippers
At Memphis 2 217½ Washington

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

Today

FAVORITE **LINE** **UNDERDOG** **LINE**

At Columbus -210 Detroit +190
At Carolina -118 Boston +108
At Pittsburgh -227 NY Islanders +207
At Buffalo -116 Calgary +106
At Montreal -134 Dallas +124
At Tampa Bay -152 New Jersey +142
At Nashville -165 Vegas +155
At Edmonton Off Minnesota Off
At Anaheim -126 Philadelphia +116
At Arizona -190 Ottawa +175
At San Jose -254 NY Rangers +224

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Today

FAVORITE **OPEN** **TODAY** **O/U** **UNDERDOG**

At Buffalo 8½ 7 51½ Miami (Ohio)
At Bowl.Green +1 Pk 64 Kent State

Wednesday

At Toledo 13½ 12 62 Ball State

Thursday

No. 13 West Virginia 58, Baylor 14
Georgia Southern 34, No. 25 Appalachian St. 14

Oct. 26
No. 23 Utah 41, UCLA 10

Oct. 27
No. 2 Clemson 58, Florida State 10
No. 3 Notre Dame 44, Navy 22
Oklahoma State 38, No. 6 Texas 35
No. 7 Georgia 36, No. 9 Florida 17
No. 8 Oklahoma 51, Kansas State 14
No. 12 Kentucky 15, Missouri 14
No. 14 Washington St. 41, No. 24 Stanford 38
California 12, No. 15 Washington 10
Mississippi State 28, No. 16 Texas A&M 13
No. 17 Penn State 30, No. 18 Iowa 24
Arizona 44, No. 19 Oregon 15
Northwestern 31, No. 20 Wisconsin 17
Houston 57, No. 21 South Florida 36
Syracuse 51, No. 22 NC State 41

Thursday
No. 9 UCF vs. Temple, 7:30 p.m.

Friday
No. 23 Virginia vs. Pittsburgh, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday
No. 1 Alabama at No. 4 LSU, 8 p.m.
No. 2 Clemson vs. Louisville, Noon
No. 3 Notre Dame at Northwestern, 7:15 p.m.
No. 5 Michigan vs. No. 14 Penn State, 3:45 p.m.
No. 6 Georgia at No. 11 Kentucky, 3:30 p.m.
No. 7 Oklahoma at Texas Tech, 8 p.m.
No. 8 Ohio State vs. Nebraska, Noon
No. 10 Washington State vs. California, 10:45 p.m.
No. 12 West Virginia at No. 15 Texas, 3:30 p.m.
No. 13 Florida vs. Missouri, 4 p.m.
No. 16 Utah at Arizona State, 4 p.m.
No. 17 Houston at SMU, 7 p.m.
No. 18 Utah State at Hawaii, 12 mid.
No. 19 Iowa at Purdue, 3:30 p.m.
No. 20 Fresno State at UNLV, 10:30 p.m.
No. 21 Mississippi State vs. Louisiana Tech, 7:30 p.m.
No. 22 Syracuse at Wake Forest, Noon
No. 24 Boston College at Virginia Tech, 3:45 p.m.
No. 25 Texas A&M at Auburn, Noon

W **L** **PCT** **GB**

At W. Mich. 1½ 1½ 65½ Ohio
N. Illinois 6½ 5 39 At Akron
At UCF 12 10½ 59½ Temple

Friday
At Virginia 6½ 7½ 50 Pittsburgh
At Mid. Tenn. 12 13½ 52 W. Ky.
At Arizona 1 4 59 Colo.

Saturday
Houston 16 13 72 At SMU
At Purdue 1 3 50½ Iowa
At Ga. State 7½ 6½ 52½ Texas State
Syracuse 6½ 4 75 At WFU
Georgia 12 9½ 44 At Kentucky
At Cincinnati 11 13½ 50 Navy
At Ohio State 24 20½ 71½ Nebraska
Georgia Tech 3½ 4½ 61 At N. Carolina
At Florida 7 6 58½ Missouri
At Miami 8½ 8 49½ Duke
At NC State 6½ 7 54½ Fla. State
Memphis 17½ 13 64½ At E. Carolina
Boston College Pk 2 57½ At Va. Tech
Mich. State 3 2 46 At Maryland
Oklahoma 13 10 78½ At Texas Tech
At Texas Pk 2½ 58 W. Virginia
At Wisconsin 30 30 48 Rutgers
Notre Dame 10½ 8 53½ At N.western
Minnesota 10 9½ 61 At Illinois
At E. Mich. 12½ 13½ 46 Cent. Mich.
At Army 6 7 47½ Air Force
At S. Florida 9 7½ 58½ Tulane
App. State 14 14 53 At CCU
At Boise State 13½ 13½ 55 BYU
San Diego State 10½ 10 50 At N.M.
At Wyoming 14½ 13½ 44½ San Jose State
At Wash. State 13 10½ 54 California
Marshall 3½ 3½ 44½ At Sthm Miss.
Ga. Southern 9½ 7½ 56½ At La.-Monroe
Utah 6 7 54 At Ariz. State
At Oregon 11 9 60½ UCLA
Southern Cal 14 14 64½ Oreg. State
At Washington 8½ 9½ 45½ Stanford
Iowa State 14½ 14 50½ At Kansas
At Auburn 6½ 5 46½ Texas A&M
At Tennessee 22 21 51½ Charlotte
At Miss. State 20 21 43½ La. Tech
Okla. State 8 8 67½ At Baylor
At UMass 2 3 75 Liberty
At TCU 9½ 8 48 Kan. State
At Tulsa 16½ 17 58½ UConn
At Clemson 37½ 37½ 62½ Louisville
At Michigan 10½ 10 51 Penn State
At Mississippi 2½ Pk 64 S. Carolina
At Rice +2 1½ 47½ UTEP
At Troy 11½ 10½ 63 La.-Lafayette
At Ark. State 14 16 64½ S. Alabama
At UAB 20 21½ 42½ UTSA
At FIU +1 3 60 FAU
Alabama 14 13½ 53 At LSU
Fresno State 26½ 24½ 62 At UNLV
Utah State 18 18 72 At Hawaii

RECORDS/SCHEDULE

Oct. 23

SOUTH
No. 38, South Alabama 17

Oct. 25
West Virginia 58, Baylor 14

SOUTH
Georgia Southern 34, Appalachian State 14
Georgia Tech 49, Virginia Tech 28

MIDWEST
Ohio 52, Ball State 14
Toledo 51, Western Michigan 24

Oct. 26

EAST
Boston College 27, Miami 14

SOUTH
Louisiana Tech 21, FAU 13

MIDWEST
Minnesota 28, Indiana 31

FAR WEST
Utah 41, UCLA 10
Wyoming 34, Colorado State 21

Oct. 27

EAST
Central Connecticut State 49, Wagner 24
Colgate 38, Georgetown 0
Columbia 17, Yale 10
Dartmouth 24, Harvard 17
Delaware 40, Towson 36
Holy Cross 56, Lehigh 0
Lafayette 21, Fordham 13
Maine 28, Albany (NY) 9
New Hampshire 34, Villanova 0
Notre Dame 44, Navy 22
UTEP 13, Brown 7
Penn State 30, Iowa 24
Syracuse 54, Duke 45
Princeton 66, Cornell 0
Rutgers Island 21, William & Mary 10
Sacred Heart 49, Bryant 26
St. Francis (Pa.) 20, Robert Morris 7
Syracuse 51, NC State 41
UMass 22, UConn 17

SOUTH
Alabama A&M 27, Alabama State 10
Austin Peay 41, Tennessee Tech 10
Charlotte 20, Southern Miss. 17
Chattanooga 34, VMI 27

NASCAR THIS WEEK

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SPEED FREAKS

A few questions we had to ask ourselves

More or less respect for Joey Logano after Martinsville?

GODSPEAK: Anything goes at the end of a NASCAR Cup Series race. Logano better make sure his mirrors are nice and clean the next three races. **KEN'S CALL:** Are you kidding? Definitely more. He might have a baby face, but he looked like an old pirate stealing that one. Good for him.

Should Truex be mad?

GODSPEAK: He has every right to be mad, but if he doesn't make the Championship Four, watch out, Logano.

KEN'S CALL: This ain't a Cub Scout bake sale. Yes, he should be mad, briefly, but knowing Martin Truex Jr., he'll get over it by later in the week.

FEUD OF THE WEEK

MARTIN TRUEX JR. VS. JOEY LOGANO:

Truex passed Logano clean for the lead at Martinsville, then Logano pushed Truex out of the way on the last lap for the win and a ticket to the playoff final. **GODWIN KELLY'S TAKE:** This is not over. "They won the battle, but he didn't win the damn war," Truex said. "He just knocked me out of the way ... what goes around comes around."

GODWIN'S PICKS FOR TEXAS

WINNER: Kevin Harvick
REST OF TOP 5: Martin Truex Jr., Denny Hamlin, Kyle Busch, Alex Bowman

FIRST ONE OUT: William Byron
DARK HORSE: Kyle Larson
DON'T BE SURPRISED IF: Harvick wins at Texas because he called this shot after a disappointing Martinsville run.

MOTOR MOUTHS PODCAST

Joey Logano is the man! Maybe. We'll hug it out in the pod.

Tune in online at www.news-journalonline.com/daytonamotormouths



TEXAS

THREE THINGS TO WATCH

1. Logano's leisure

Austin Dillon was the first driver to qualify for the NASCAR Cup Series playoffs by winning the season-opening Daytona 500. Joey Logano is the first driver who won't have to race for points — well, for the next two weeks. Since Logano scored a hard-fought (the fighting may not be over) victory over Martin Truex Jr. at Martinsville, he does not have to race for points at Texas or Phoenix.

2. Harvick/Truex bubble

With the first race of the Round of 8 done, Kevin Harvick and Martin Truex Jr. moved from second and third in the standings into a tie for third place, putting both on the playoff points bubble. They



Joey Logano is finished racing for points for the next two NASCAR Cup Series races after winning at Martinsville and locking in a starting position for the Championship Round. [AP/STEVE HELBER]

are 25 points ahead of fifth-place Kurt Busch, and 31 points in front of sixth-place Chase Elliott. At least one of the drivers in the Championship Round will get in on points. The points leader is Kyle Busch, 21 up on the bubble boys.

3. Silly Season positive

You could hear the collective sigh of relief from the hilltops around Martinsville Speedway on Sunday

when car owner Rick Hendrick announced Jimmie Johnson will have a full sponsorship package, covering two years, from Ally Financial. Johnson is losing Lowe's at the end of this season. "It's massive," Johnson said. "To have a primary sponsor for all the races for two years, hasn't happened for a long time."

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MARTINSVILLE

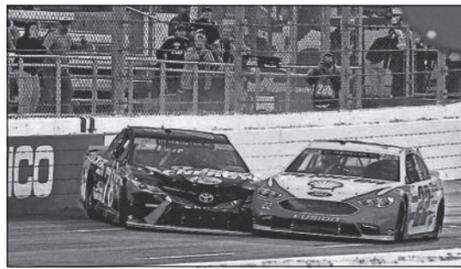
THREE THINGS WE LEARNED

1. Penske disagrees

Car owner Roger Penske bristled when he was told Martin Truex Jr. called Joey Logano's race-winning bump and run a cheap shot. "He's a racer and should know better than to say that," he said. "That's as clean a shot as you can have — in a race like this."

2. All is fair

As the saying goes, "all is fair in love and war." And that applies to the closing laps of a Cup Series race where you can knock the guy ahead of you out of the way for the win. "It was a lot



Joey Logano (22) and Martin Truex Jr. (78) make contact as they race to the checkered flag at Martinsville. [AP/STEVE HELBER]

of bumper banging towards the end and a hard race," Martinsville winner Logano said.

3. Losing streaks

Jimmie Johnson and Denny Hamlin have three chances to keep their year-to-year winning streaks intact.

Johnson has won at least one race every year since 2002. Hamlin's streak started in '06. "We've got three good tracks ahead of us; we'll see if we can get it done," Hamlin said.

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QUESTIONS & ATTITUDE

Compelling questions ... and maybe a few actual answers

Who's right?

Not so sure you have to choose sides in Sunday's Truex-Logano dust-up in Martinsville. It looks like one of those situations where both guys are right. Martin Truex Jr., who was bulldozed away from victory a few weeks ago on Charlotte's Roval, was given the bum's rush by Joey Logano, whose car happens to be fitted with bumpers. Truex is in the final weeks with his No. 78 team and rightfully emotional about it all.

And Joey?

Everyone seems to enjoy the beating and banging until a guy they don't like is doing the beating or a guy they do like is taking the bangs. If you're a team owner or financier, and your driver isn't willing to do what Logano did at Martinsville, you're asking some questions. This ain't open-wheel racing. And by the way, you'll see that final sprint to the checkers on a lot of future promo commercials.

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CUP STANDINGS

1. Kyle Busch	4104
2. Martin Truex Jr.	4083
2. Kevin Harvick	4083
4. Joey Logano	4074
5. Kurt Busch	4058
6. Chase Elliott	4052
7. Clint Bowyer	4041
8. Aric Almirola	4033
9. Ryan Blaney	2232
10. Brad Keselowski	2227
11. Denny Hamlin	2213
12. Kyle Larson	2179
13. Jimmie Johnson	2173
14. Alex Bowman	2164
15. Erik Jones	2159
16. Austin Dillon	2157
17. Ryan Newman	702
18. Daniel Suarez	655
19. Ricky Stenhouse Jr.	650
20. Paul Menard	645

WHAT'S ON TAP

CUP SERIES: AAA Texas 500
SITE: Texas Motor Speedway (1.5-mile quad-oval)
SCHEDULE: Friday, practice (NBC Sports Network, 2 p.m.), qualifying (NBC Sports Network, 7 p.m.). Saturday, practice (CNBC, 12:30 p.m. and NBC Sports Network, 3:30 p.m.). Sunday, race (NBC Sports Network, coverage begins at 1 p.m.; green flag, 3 p.m.)

XFINITY: O'Reilly Auto Parts 300
SITE: Texas Motor Speedway
SCHEDULE: Friday, practice (NBCSports.com, 3 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.). Saturday, qualifying (CNBC, 1:30 p.m.), race (NBC Sports Network, 4:30 p.m.)

CAMPING WORLD TRUCKS: JAG Metals 350
SITE: Texas Motor Speedway
TV SCHEDULE: Friday, race (Fox Sports 1, 8:30 p.m.)



KEN WILLIS' TOP 10 NASCAR DRIVER RANKINGS

CHASE ELLIOTT Hangs on to No. 1 spot here, barely	JOEY LOGANO Didn't quite bump Chase in this one	KYLE BUSCH Still stuck on seven wins	MARTIN TRUEX JR. Has a target on his car lately	ARIC ALMIROLA Quietly hanging around	KEVIN HARVICK Hasn't won since August	KURT BUSCH One win in 31 Texas starts	BRAD KESELOWSKI Running well, but too late	DENNY HAMLIN See Keselowski	CLINT BOWYER Bad time for a mini-slump
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

2018 SCHEDULE AND WINNERS

Feb. 11: Clash at Daytona (Brad Keselowski)
Feb. 15: Can-Am Duel at Daytona (Ryan Blaney and Chase Elliott)
Feb. 18: Daytona 500 (Austin Dillon)
Feb. 25: Folds of Honor 500 at Atlanta (Kevin Harvick)
March 4: Kobalt 400 at Las Vegas (Kevin Harvick)
March 11: Camping World 500(k) at Phoenix (Kevin Harvick)
March 18: Auto Club 400 at Fontana (Martin Truex Jr.)
March 26: STP 500 at Martinsville (Clint Bowyer)
April 8: O'Reilly Auto Parts 500 at Texas (Kyle Busch)
April 15: Food City 500 at Bristol (Kyle Busch)
April 21: Toyota Owners 400 at Richmond (Kyle Busch)
April 29: Geico 500 at Talladega (Joey Logano)

May 6: AAA 400 at Dover (Kevin Harvick)
May 12: Go Bowling 400 at Kansas (Kevin Harvick)
May 19: All-Star Race at Charlotte (Kevin Harvick)
May 27: Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte (Kyle Busch)
June 3: Pocono 400 (Martin Truex Jr.)
June 10: FireKeepers Casino 400 at Michigan (Clint Bowyer)
June 24: Toyota/Save Mart 350 at Sonoma (Martin Truex Jr.)
July 1: Chicago 400 at Chicagoland (Kyle Busch)
July 7: Coke Zero 400 at Daytona (Erik Jones)
July 14: Quaker State 400 at Kentucky (Martin Truex Jr.)
July 22: New Hampshire 301 (Kevin Harvick)
July 29: Pennsylvania 400 at Pocono (Kyle Busch)
Aug. 5: 355 at the Glen, at Watkins Glen (Chase Elliott)
Aug. 12: Pure Michigan 400 (Kevin Harvick)

Aug. 18: Night Race at Bristol (Kurt Busch)
Sept. 2: Southern 500 at Darlington (Brad Keselowski)
Sept. 10: Brickyard 400 at Indianapolis (Brad Keselowski)
Sept. 16: Las Vegas 400 (Brad Keselowski)
Sept. 22: Federated Auto Parts 400 at Richmond (Kyle Busch)
Sept. 30: Bank of America 500(k) at Charlotte road course (Ryan Blaney)
Oct. 7: Delaware 400 at Dover (Chase Elliott)
Oct. 14: Alabama 500 at Talladega (Aric Almirola)
Oct. 21: Hollywood Casino 400 at Kansas (Chase Elliott)
Oct. 28: First Data 500 at Martinsville (Joey Logano)
Nov. 4: Texas 500
Nov. 11: Can-Am 500(k) at Phoenix
Nov. 18: Ford EcoBoost 400 at Homestead

TV LISTINGS

WEDNESDAY MORNING													C - COMCAST W - WOW! S1 - DISH NETWORK S2 - DIRECTV				OCTOBER 31	
	C	W	S1	S2	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM	12:30		
WJHG (7)	3	3	7	7	Today (N)				Megyn Kelly Today (N)				NewsChannel 7 at 11am (N)		Days of our Lives (N)			
CW (72)	99	9	8	8	Cops	Cheaters	The Steve Wilkos Show		The Steve Wilkos Show (N)		Maury		Maury		Cordless Iron Medicare			
WMBB (13)	2	2	13	13	Good Morning America (N)				The View (N)				WMBB Midday News (N)		GMA Day (N)			
METV (132)	209	133		2	Beaver	Beaver	Perry Mason		Matlock "The Mother"		Diagnosis Murder		In the Heat of the Night		Gunsmoke Gunsmoke			
WCEP (18)	4	4	4	18	CBS This Morning (N)				Let's Make a Deal (N)				The Price Is Right (N)		The Young and the Restless News at Noon Bold/Beautiful			
MNT (282)	227	13			Extra (N)	DailyMailTV	Face the Truth	Face the Truth	The Wendy Williams Show (N)		Divorce Court Divorce Court		Paternity Court Paternity Court		Couples Court Couples Court			
WPGX (28)	8	8	28	28	Dog Tales	Paid Program	Cityline		Judge Mathis (N)		The People's Court (N)		The People's Court		Pickler & Ben			
WFSG (56)	11	11	56	56	Wild Kratts: Creepy Creatures				Curious George-Boo				Sesame Street Super Why!		Dinosaur Train Peg & Cat Splash			
A&E	34	43	118	265	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars		
AMC	30	62	131	254	Paid Program Medicare				** Halloween 5: The Revenge of Michael Myers (89)				**** Halloween (78) Donald Pleasence, Jamie Lee Curtis.		** Halloween II (81)			
ANPL	46	69	184	282	Too Cute! "Kitten Beauties"				Animal Cops Houston "Slick"				My Cat From Hell		The Vet Life			
BET	53	46	124	329	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	House/Payne	House/Payne	House/Payne	House/Payne	Meet, Browns	Meet, Browns	Meet, Browns	Meet, Browns		
COM	64	53	107	249	King of the Hill	King of the Hill	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park		
DISC	36	39	182	278	Expedition Unknown				Expedition Unknown				Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown Josh visits NASA. (Part 1 of 2)			
E!	63	57	114	236	The Kardashians				The Kardashians				The Kardashians		E! News: Daily Pop (N)			
ESPN	9	23	140	206	Get Up (N) (L)				First Take (N) (L)				SportsCenter (N) (L)		SportsCenter (N) (L)			
ESPN2	47	24	144	209	SportsCenter (N) (L)				SportsCenter (N) (L)				Get Up		First Take			
FOOD	38	45	110	231	Paid Program KitchenAid				Grill				Pioneer Wo.		Farmhouse Farmhouse			
FREE	59	65	180	311	(6:30) *** Hocus Pocus (93) Bette Midler.				700/Interactive				The 700 Club		Toy-TERROR! *** Hocus Pocus (93) Bette Midler, Kathy Najimy.			
FS1	24	27	150	219	First Things First				Skip and Shannon: Undisputed (N) (L)				The Herd with Colin Cowherd (N) (L)		Hocus Pocus			
FX	45	51	136	248	** Pride and Prejudice and Zombies (16) Lily James, Sam Riley.				*** Dracula Untold (14) Luke Evans, Sarah Gadon.				*** 10 Cloverfield Lane (16)					
HALL	23	59	185	312	The Christmas Cottage (17) Merritt Patterson, Steve Lund.				Home & Family				Home & Family					
HGTV	32	38	112	229	Property Brothers at Home				Property Brothers at Home				Property Brothers at Home		Property Brothers			
HIST	35	42	120	269	Haunted History				Haunted History				Haunted History		The Lost Pyramid Ancient Egyptian pyramids.			
LIFE	56	56	108	252	Unsolved Mysteries				Unsolved Mysteries				Unsolved Mysteries		The First 48 "Blindsided"			
PARMT	28	48	241	241	*** Child's Play (88) Catherine Hicks, Chris Sarandon.				*** A Nightmare on Elm Street 5: The Final Chapter (89)				** A Nightmare on Elm Street 4: The Dream Master (88)					
SUN	49	422	656		To Channel Zero: The Dream Door				Addict. Fishing				NBA Basketball Miami Heat at Charlotte Hornets.		Postgame			
SYFY	70	52	122	244	Channel Zero: The Dream Door				Seinfeld				Seinfeld		Seinfeld			
TBS	31	15	139	247	Seinfeld				Seinfeld				Seinfeld		Friends			
TCM	25	70	132	256	(6:30) ** Dementia 13 (63)				*** Cat People (42)				(1:15) *** Carnival of Souls (62)		(4:5) *** Spirits of the Dead (68) Jane Fonda, Brigitte Bardot.			
TLC	37	40	183	280	The Little Couple				7 Little Johnstons				Say Yes: ATL		Say Yes: ATL			
TNT	29	54	138	245	Supernatural "Monster Movie"				Supernatural				Supernatural "Ghostfacers"		Supernatural "Pilot"			
USA	62	55	105	242	Law & Order: SVU				Law & Order: SVU				Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU			
WGN-A	13		239	307	Creflo Dollar	Paid Program	Murder, She Wrote		Murder, She Wrote		Murder, She Wrote		Murder, She Wrote		In the Heat of the Night			

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON													C - COMCAST W - WOW! S1 - DISH NETWORK S2 - DIRECTV				OCTOBER 31	
	C	W	S1	S2	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30	6 PM	6:30		
WJHG (7)	3	3	7	7	Rachael Ray (N)				The Doctors (N)				The Real (N)		Family Feud Jeopardy! (N)			
CW (72)	99	9	8	8	Paid Program				Jerry Springer				blackish		blackish			
WMBB (13)	2	2	13	13	General Hospital (N)				Hot Bench (N) Hot Bench				The Dr. Oz Show (N)		Dr. Phil (N)			
METV (132)	209	133		2	Bonanza				The Rifleman				The Rifleman		Charlie's Angels			
WCEP (18)	4	4	4	18	The Talk (N)				Millionaire Millionaire				Family Feud		Family Feud			
MNT (282)	227	13			Providence	Providence	Dateline "As Night Fell"		Live PD: Patrol		Live PD: Patrol		Chicago P.D.		Last-Standing			
WPGX (28)	8	8	28	28	Maury (N)				Me/Frangela ThisMinute				Steve (N)		Judge Judy (N)			
WFSG (56)	11	11	56	56	Curious George-Boo				Nature Cat				Wild Kratts: Creepy Creatures		Odd Squad			
A&E	34	43	118	265	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars		
AMC	30	62	131	254	(12:00) *** Halloween II				** Halloween III: Season of the Witch (82) Tom Atkins.				** Halloween 4: The Return of Michael Myers (88)		Halloween 5: Revenge ...			
ANPL	46	69	184	282	Pit Bulls and Parolees				Pit Bulls and Parolees				Treehouse Masters		Treehouse Masters			
BET	53	46	124	329	Meet, Browns				(1:55) blackish (2:28) blackish				blackish blackish		House/Payne House/Payne			
COM	64	53	107	249	South Park				South Park				South Park		South Park			
DISC	36	39	182	278	Expedition Unknown Josh interviews witnesses in Zimbabwe.				Expedition Unknown Obtaining evidence of legendary Yeti.				Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown			
E!	63	57	114	236	The Kardashians				The Kardashians				The Kardashians		The Kardashians			
ESPN	9	23	140	206	(12:30) NFL Live (N) (L)				NFL Live				NFL Live		NFL Live			
ESPN2	47	24	144	209	Jalen & Jacoby (N)				NFL Live				Football Live		Baseball Tonight (N) (L)			
FOOD	38	45	110	231	Guy's Grocery Games				Guy's Grocery Games				Guy's Grocery Games		Guy's Grocery Games			
FREE	59	65	180	311	Hocus Pocus (93) Bette Midler, Kathy Najimy.				Hocus Pocus (93) Bette Midler, Kathy Najimy.				Hocus Pocus 25th Anniversary (45) *** Hocus Pocus (93) Bette Midler, Sarah Jessica Parker.		NASCAR Race Hub (N) (L)			
FS1	24	27	150	219	The Herd with Colin Cowherd				Speak for Yourself with Whitlock and Wiley (N)				Lock It In (N) (L)		Fair Game			
FX	45	51	136	248	(11:30) 10 Cloverfield Lane				*** Don't Breathe (16) Jane Levy, Dylan Minnette.				*** The Purge: Election Year (16) Frank Grillo, Elizabeth Mitchell.		Christmas Under Wraps (14) Candace Cameron Bure.			
HALL	23	59	185	312	A Bride for Christmas (12) Anelle Kebbel, Andrew Walker.				A Cookie Cutter Christmas (14) Erin Krakow, Alan Thicke.				Christmas Under Wraps (14) Candace Cameron Bure.		Property Brothers			
HGTV	32	38	112	229	Property Brothers				Property Brothers				Property Brothers		Property Brothers			
HIST	35	42	120	269	Bigfoot: The Definitive Guide				Grey's Anatomy				Forged in Fire		Forged in Fire			
LIFE	56	56	108	252	The First 48				Grey's Anatomy				Grey's Anatomy		Grey's Anatomy			
PARMT	28	48	241	241	*** A Nightmare on Elm Street 3: Dream Warriors (87)				*** A Nightmare on Elm Street 2: Freddy's Revenge (85)				*** A Nightmare on Elm Street (84) John Saxon.		Florida: Dan Football			
SUN	49	422	656		Lunch w/Heat Postgame				Focused Spotlight				3 Wide Life (N) Tee Time Flor		Inside Seminole Football (N)			
SYFY	70	52	122	244	(11:56) ** Cabin Fever				Dead in the Water (18) Tanya van Graan, Nikohl Boosheri.				** The Haunting in Connecticut (09) Virginia Madsen.		Jeepers Creepers 3 (17)			
TBS	31	15	139	247	Friends				Friends				American Dad		American Dad			
TCM	25	70	132	256	*** From Beyond the Grave (73) Peter Cushing.				*** Black Sabbath (63) Boris Karloff, Jacqueline Pierreux.				Bob's Burgers		Bob's Burgers			
TLC	37	40	183	280	Island Medium				American Gypsy Wedding				American Gypsy Wedding		Four Weddings			
TNT	29	54	138	245	Supernatural "Provenance"				Supernatural "Playthings"				Supernatural "The Benders"		Supernatural "Family Remains"			
USA	62	55	105	242	Law & Order: SVU				Law & Order: SVU				Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU			
WGN-A	13		239	307	In the Heat of the Night				In the Heat of the Night				In the Heat of the Night		Last-Standing Last-Standing			

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	C	W	S1	S2	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	12 AM	12:30		
WJHG (7)	3	3	7	7	Chicago Med (N)				Chicago Fire "All the Proof"				Chicago P.D. "True or False"		News Tonight Show-J. Fallon			
CW (72)	99	9	8	8	Charmed "Sweet Tooth"				Legacies				Page Six TV		The Goldbergs			
WMBB (13)	2	2	13	13	The Goldbergs				Am Housewife				Modern Family		Single Parents			
METV (132)	209	133		2	Andy Griffith				Andy Griffith				Gomer Pyle WKRP Cincinnati		A Million Little Things (N)			
WCEP (18)	4	4	4	18	Survivor (N)				(01) SEAL Team (N)				Criminal Minds "The Tail Man"		Family Feud			
MNT (282)	227	13			Dateline NBC "Buried Secrets"				Dateline				2 Broke Girls		Modern Family			
WPGX (28)	8	8	28	28	Empire "The Depth of Grief"				Star Carlotta goes missing. (N)				Two/Half Men		ThisMinute			
WFSG (56)	11	11	56	56	Nature (N) (Part 2 of 3)				NOVA				Sinking Cities "New York"		Amanpour and Company (N)			
A&E	34	43	118	265	Storage Wars: Scariest Lockers				Scariest Lockers (N)				(03) Storage Wars: Scariest Lockers "Scariest Lockers"					
AMC	30	62	131	254	Halloween 5: Revenge ...				(05) ** Halloween: The Curse of Michael Myers (95)				(10) **** Halloween (78) Donald Pleasence, Nancy Loomis.		(12:15) *** Halloween II			
ANPL	46	69	184	282	Big Cat Tales (N)				Tanked "2 Chainz, 1 Tank"				Tanked		Tanked "2 Chainz, 1 Tank"			
BET	53	46	124	329	(5:01) Why Did I Get Married?				blackish (3:32) blackish				(04) blackish (3:36) blackish		(08) *** Why Did I Get Married? (07) Tyler Perry, Janet Jackson, Jill Scott.			
COM	64	53	107	249	South Park				South Park				South Park		BoJack			
DISC	36	39	182	278	Expedition Unknown Roman Gate to Hell; reincarnation. (N)				Expedition Unknown Tribes people who live with mummies. (N)				Expedition Unknown Roman Gate to Hell; reincarnation. (N)		Expedition Unknown Roman Gate to Hell; reincarnation. (N)			
E!	63	57	114	236	Total Divas				Total Divas (N)				Busy Tonight		The Kardashians			
ESPN	9	23	140	206	NBA Basketball Indiana Pacers at New York Knicks. (N) (L)				NBA Basketball Indiana Pacers at New York Knicks. (N) (L)				NBA Basketball San Antonio Spurs at Phoenix Suns. (N) (L)		SportsCenter (N) (L)			
ESPN2	47	24	144	209	(6:30) College Football Ball State at Toledo. (N) (L)				College Football				Kansas State at Oklahoma. (Taped)		Epic Trails			
FOOD	38	45	110	231	Guy's Grocery Games				Guy's Grocery Games (N)				Guy's Grocery Games		Guy's Grocery Games			
FREE	59	65	180	311	Hocus Pocus 25th Anniversary				(7:50) *** Hocus Pocus (93) Bette Midler, Kathy Najimy.				The 700 Club		MLB on FS1 Postgame (N) (L)			
FS1	24	27	150	219	UFC Tonight (N)				TUF: Heavy Hitters				MLB on FS1 Postgame (N) (L)		MLB on FS1 Postgame			
FX	45	51	136	248	(6:30) *** Deadpool (16) Ryan Reynolds, Morena Baccarin.				American Horror Story				American Horror Story		Mayans M.C. The Galindo family cuts its losses.			
HALL	23	59	185	312	The Sweetest Christmas (17) Lacey Chabert, Lea Coco.				Miss Christmas (17) Brooke D'Orsay, Marc Blucas.				Hats Off to Christmas! (13) Haylie Duff, Antonio Cupo.		Hunters Int'l			
HGTV	32	38	112	229	Property Brothers				Property Brothers: Buying				Property Brothers: Buying		House Hunters			
HIST	35	42	120	269	Forged in Fire: Cutting Deeper				Forged in Fire (N)				Forged in Fire: Knife or Death		Forged in Fire: Knife or Death			
LIFE	56	56	108	252	** The Holiday (06) Cameron Diaz, Kate Winslet, Jude Law.				Honeymoon Island				(01) ** The Holiday (06) Cameron Diaz, Kate Winslet.		Sex & the City			
PARMT	28	48	241	241	*** Freddy vs. Jason (03) Robert Englund, Ken Kirzinger.				*** A Nightmare on Elm Street (84) John Saxon.				*** A Nightmare on Elm Street 2: Freddy's Revenge (85)		Sex & the City			
SUN	49	422	656		(6:30) College Football Teams TBA.				College Football				Kansas State at Oklahoma. (Taped)		Epic Trails			
SYFY	70	52	122	244	(6:00) Jeepers Creepers 3 (17)				Leatherface (17) Sam Strike, Stephen Dorff, James Bloor.				Channel Zero: The Dream Door		Dead in the Water (18) Tanya van Graan, Nikohl Boosheri.			
TBS	31	15	139	247	Big Bang				Big Bang				Big Bang		Full Frontal			
TCM	25	70	132	256	*** House of Wax (53) Vincent Price.				(45) *** The Pit and the Pendulum (61)				(15) ** The Masque of the Red Death (64) Vincent Price.		*** House on Haunted Hill			
TLC	37	40	183	280	My 600-Lb. Life Schen													

DIVERSIONS

WORD SCRIMMAGE: JUDD HAMBRICK

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1st DOWN
N₂ U₃ C₆ R₂ Q₁₄ O₂ E₁ 1st Down + 60 PTS

2nd DOWN
N₂ A₂ C₆ R₂ E₁ T₂ L₂ 2nd Down + 40 PTS

3rd DOWN
W₇ S₂ O₂ A₂ R₂ P₆ R₂

4th Letter + 3 PTS
R₂ T₂ E₁ E₁ L₂ M₆ B₆ 4th DOWN

JUDD'S TOTAL = 433
AVERAGE GAME 275-285 PTS

TIME LIMIT: 20 MIN

Directions: Make a 2- to 7-letter word from the letters on each yardline. Add points to each word or letter using scoring directions. Seven-letter words get a 60-point bonus. All words can be found in Webster's New World College Dictionary.

10-31-18 **JUDD'S SOLUTION TOMORROW**

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1st DOWN = 22
A₂ V₇ I₂ O₂ N₂

2nd DOWN = 22
F₇ L₂ A₂ T₂ L₂ Y₇

3rd DOWN = 127
M₆ A₂ R₂ I₂ N₂ E₁ S₂

4th DOWN = 106
A₂ Z₁₄ U₃ R₂ I₂ T₂ E₁

AVERAGE GAME 175-185 PTS
JUDD'S TOTAL = 277

10-30-18

ACES ON BRIDGE: BOBBY WOLFF

"A leopard does not change his spots, or change his feeling that spots are rather a credit."
— Ivy Compton-Burnett

When West led the heart jack against three no-trump, declarer saw that the most likely way to generate the two extra tricks he needed was by developing long tricks in spades.

If spades were 3-3, any play would develop two extra tricks. However, declarer saw that playing the ace, king and another spade might not utilize his spots to best effect. So, after winning the first trick with the heart ace, he led a low spade from the table. East followed with the two, and declarer played the nine from hand. When that held the trick, declarer cashed the spade ace, then crossed to dummy with a low club to the ace.

Next, he played the king and another spade, throwing clubs from hand. Upon winning the fourth round of spades with the queen, East shifted to the diamond nine. When declarer covered this with the 10, West won it with the jack. Since cashing the diamond ace was likely to give declarer an overtrick, West exited with a heart. At this point, declarer claimed nine tricks: four spades, three hearts and two clubs.

Declarer's play in spades was best because it picked up four tricks against all 3-3 breaks, queen-jack doubleton with West, East holding four spades with the queen and jack, and the jack or queen doubleton with East. This offers almost a two-thirds chance of making four tricks in spades — quite an improvement over the odds offered by just banging out the ace, king and another spade, which comes in at just over a one-third chance.

NORTH 10-31-A
♠ K 10 5 4 3
♥ A Q 6
♦ 4 2
♣ A 8 7

WEST
♠ 8 7
♥ J 10 9 7
♦ A J 7
♣ Q 10 4 2

EAST
♠ Q J 6 2
♥ 8 3 2
♦ Q 9 8 6
♣ J 9

SOUTH
♠ A 9
♥ K 5 4
♦ K 10 5 3
♣ K 6 5 3

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

The bidding:
South West North East
1♦ Pass 1♠ Pass
1NT Pass 2♦* Pass
2NT Pass 3NT All pass
*Game-forcing inquiry

Opening Lead: Heart jack

BID WITH THE ACES

South holds:
♠ K 10 5 4 3
♥ A Q 6
♦ 4 2
♣ A 8 7

South West North East
? 3♦ Pass Pass

ANSWER: This hand is too good to pass. It does not have to be right to act, but in fourth seat with opening values and short diamonds, it looks normal to bid. Are you going to re-open with a three-spade bid or with a takeout double? Doubling may find a 5-3 heart fit or lose a 5-3 spade fit. It may also get you more easily to three no-trump or three diamonds doubled, but put me down for a reluctant three-spade bid.

JUMBLE

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

WHETR
OLDFO
MRKSEO
CASIOF

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THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME

By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

SLEEPY HOLLOW'S LEGENDARY HORSEMAN LIKED TO RELAX BEFORE HE HAD TO ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: ZESTY SORRY SQUAWK PASTOR
Answer: For James Bond, stealing plans for the secret weapon was — EASY AS "SPY"

DEAR ABBY

Best friend's loyalty may be shifting in middle school drama



Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: I'm in middle school. "Jill" has been my best friend for 11 years. She has always been shy, while I am outgoing. Recently, she has been hanging out with the class "ho," "Kelly," and I'm being more and more left out. Kelly is turning Jill into a slut, too. Jill isn't excited to hang with me anymore and prefers to be with Kelly's friends smoking or drinking. Jill still calls us best

friends, but I'm afraid she'll betray me and tell Kelly everything we talk about. We used to make fun of Kelly for being a slut. Now I feel like I can't open up to my best friend. It hurts to see them together and not inviting me to things. What do I do? — **TOTALLY LEFT OUT**

DEAR LEFT OUT: Calling a girl a slut or a "ho" is a form of bullying. It won't bring Jill back to you or closer to you. In fact, it will likely do the opposite. Because you feel you are no longer as close to Jill as you were, recognize that it's time to widen your circle of friends and explore activities that do not involve her or Kelly.

The more friends you make, the less dependent you will be on one person.

DEAR ABBY: Is it considered rude to stretch in public? — **STEPHANIE IN SALT LAKE CITY**

DEAR STEPHANIE: I suppose it depends upon what someone is stretching. If it attracts attention or causes distraction, I suppose it is rude, but I wouldn't consider it a social transgression worthy of incarceration.

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TRIVIA BY WILSON CASEY



Wilson Casey

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- Whose wide range of alternative names include Hodmedod, Murmet, Gallybagger, Tattie Bogal, Momet, Mawkin and Bwbach? The devil, Scarecrow, Banshee, Vampire
- 2010 national headlines in what country included its battle with rabid vampire bats after 500 people were bitten? Mexico, Romania, Spain, Peru
- Folklore says if you see what today, it is the spirit of a loved one you didn't like watching over you? Brown cat, Spider, Large

- cockroach, Red ant
 - On which Halloween night did Orson Welles' radio broadcast provide "The panic that shook the world.?" 1927, 1938, 1942, 1951
 - Ideally for "trick or treaters," what's the safest bag color? White, Black, Orange, Red
 - There will not be a full moon on Halloween until what year? 2020, 2042, 2065, 2098
- ANSWERS: 1. Scarecrow, 2. Peru, 3. Spider, 4. 1938, 5. White, 6. 2020

HOROSCOPES BY HOLIDAY MATHIS

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Patience is a flattering emotion. It looks good on everyone, and it especially suits you today. Halloween alter ego: Your warrior spirit could shine through Jon Snow or Daenerys Targaryen.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — A loved one will lean on you, and you'll likely be glad for the opportunity to be of service. Halloween alter ego: A character from the cartoon "Bob's Burgers" speaks to the bovine in you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21) — Today's main feature will arrive with a humble presence and continue to grow in importance. Halloween alter ego: A couple's costume is the ideal for the twins, for instance, the two sides of an Oreos or a pair of sneakers.

CANCER (June 22-July 22) — No one is expecting you to fix all the problems, only to make facing them a little less lonely. Halloween alter ego: A seaside classic is perfect for the crab. Consider the realm of mermaids

or "SpongeBob SquarePants."

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — When you believe something is going to be easy, you make it easy for yourself. So think a good thought, and then open the door. Halloween alter ego: Black Panther, Hello Kitty or any number of feline options.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Loved ones are the best at pushing your buttons because experience has taught them where said buttons are. Halloween alter ego: an earthy nurturer like Mother Earth, Little Bo Peep or Farmer John.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — Kindness and acceptance are not only virtues; they are your most useful habits. Halloween alter ego: A political character like lawyer Saul Goodman or a famous judge would be ideal.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21) — Expect big things from those in your inner circle. Halloween alter ego: A character from a Halloween movie such as the classic monster Michael Myers or Mavis from "Hotel Transylvania."

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — You'll notice a change in your reasons for doing a job. Halloween alter ego: You will be most satisfyingly complete with a group costume. For instance, going out as the cast of "Stranger Things."

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — You will upgrade yourself in small but meaningful increments. You identify with the the intelligent forces of the universe so your Halloween alter ego is perfectly aligned with Einstein or Edna from "The Incredibles."

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — There is magic in your voice, so speak up. You're likely to influence a decision or make a difference. Halloween alter ego: a game character such as Brite Bomber or Dark Voyager from "Fortnite."

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — If you step back and throw up your hands, you'll be amazed at how things sort themselves out. Halloween alter ego: A peaceful mood prevails, pointing costume options toward a gentle unicorn or a Bob Ross painting.

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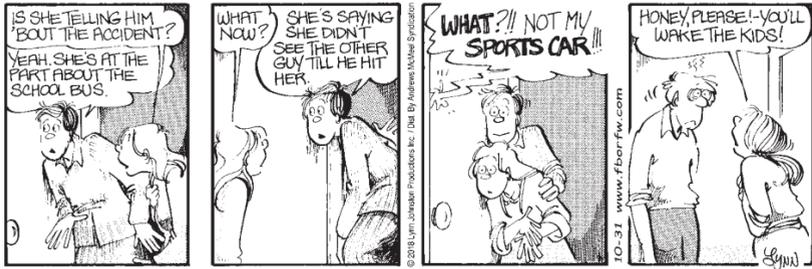
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Monday - Bronze; Tuesday - Silver; Wednesday - Gold; Thursday - Bronze; Friday - Silver; Saturday and Sunday - Gold.

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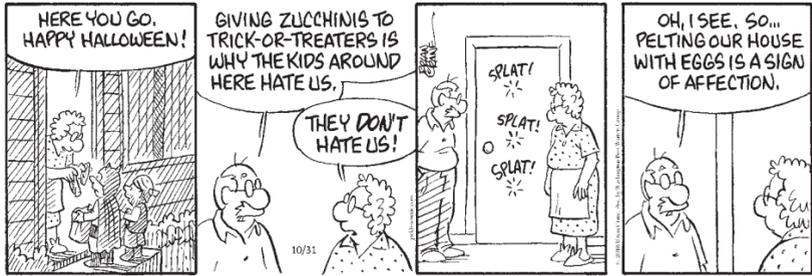
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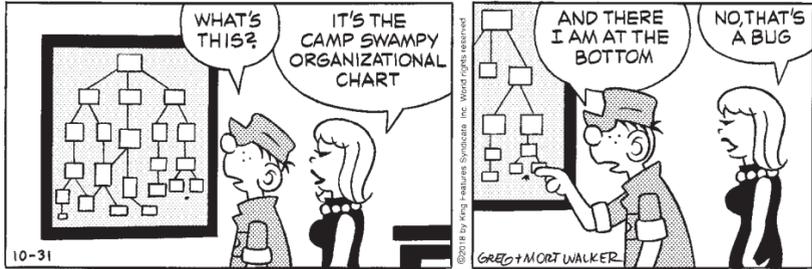
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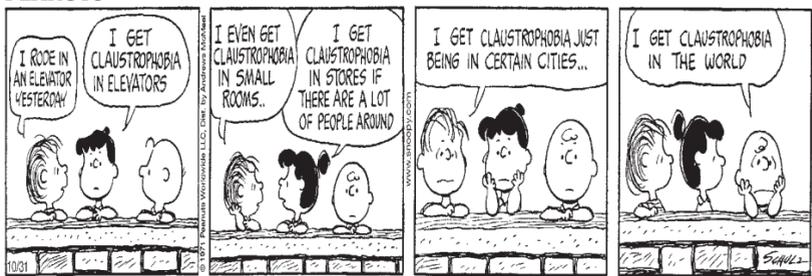
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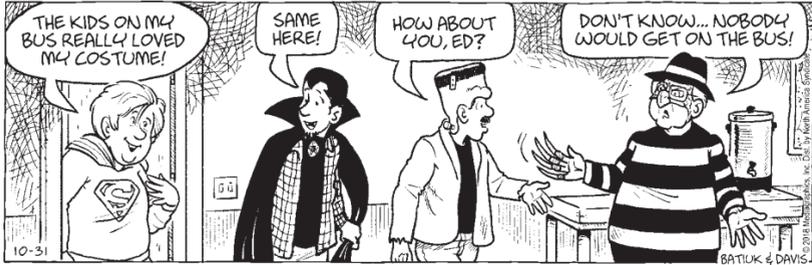
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Daily CROSSWORD

ACROSS

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- Helped out
- Blockheads
- Scoop out water
- Buckeye State
- Leaf juncture
- Island near Java
- Leer
- Old cattle town
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- Capone foe
- Dress fastener

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- Klutz's cry (hyph.)
- Round building
- Wobbles
- Laughable
- Lobster state
- Mont Blanc
- Radiator sound
- Spring, as a cat
- Lots
- Wine valley
- Kitchen pro
- Rabbit kin
- The fabulous Garbo
- Sighed with delight
- Rough canoes
- Fully aware
- Cowboy's instrument
- Quick turn
- Rhubarb unit
- Stadium cry
- Interrupt
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- Mark for attention
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FOOD

TIP OF THE WEEK

GRILLING IN FALL

Remember these tips from BeefItsWhatsForDinner.com as you grill into the fall:

- Use a meat thermometer to check for doneness and the temperature when reheating.
- Don't cross-contaminate raw and cooked foods. Have two sets of tools like cutting boards and knives.
- Appetizers, main dishes and sides can be cooked ahead of time and reheated.
- Your grill is just a fancy stovetop. You can cook chili and stew in a stock pot for a hearty meal.
- Your grill is also an outdoor oven. Surprise guests with a small roast, casserole or even nachos.

WINE

A TASTE OF TUSCAN COAST

The playful name of Ca' Marcanda Vistamare, which means "sea view," was inspired by the Tyrrhenian sea breeze, the sun and the cheerful, lighthearted outlook of the Tuscan coast.

Vistamare is fresh and light on the palate, with notes of bergamot, pear and nectarine. Then it shifts toward a more mineral and spicy character, with notes of flint, rosemary and saffron. The wine gets riper in the finish with hints of mango.

SNACKS

GET AN ENERGY BOOST

Try one of these snacks when you need an energy boost, according to Chiquita:

- Bananas
- Cottage cheese
- Smoothies
- Edamame
- Chocolate milk

— Brandpoint



Halloween is here: Escape with 'ghoulish tidbits'



A few simple and tasty "ghoulish" tidbits can be used to create a feast for Halloween. [CONTRIBUTED PHOTO]

By Hannelore Holland

Special to The News Herald

PANAMA CITY — Well, boys and girls, it wasn't quite the Halloween we were waiting for was it? OK, it was a little early and bit more dramatic than expected. But boy was it exciting! For those of us a bit on the younger side, this is the October we will tell our children and grandchildren about ... about how neighbors were their neighbor's keeper and how total strangers sacrificed for those in harm's way. As horrific and tragic as Hurricane Michael's impact has been, it will forever leave an imprint of what a wonderful nation full of such caring people we have the honor and privilege to be among.

As we reach the calendar's designated date for Halloween, we need now turn our thoughts to how best to lift away as much of the burdens of these catastrophic days we have all endured.

So, we put together a few simple and tasty "ghoulish" tidbits that you should be able to easily create together with what you have left in the cupboard or find quickly at the local grocery. I think you will find them very easy, extremely tasty and most versatile.

Black Bean Ghoulish Suppe with Tortilla Strips

- 1 onion, diced
 - 2 cans black beans
 - 1 tablespoon vinegar
 - 1 teaspoon Mexican Spice Blend
 - 1 cup beef broth
 - 3 corn tortillas cut into strips
 - 2 cups vegetable oil
 - ½ cup chopped cilantro, for garnish
 - 1 lime, cut into wedges for garnish
 - Sour cream for creating spider webs
 - Grated cheese for garnish
- In a small saucepan, heat 2 tablespoons of oil and sauté

onions. Add undrained black beans. Add vinegar and Mexican Spice Blend. Add 1 cup of beef broth, simmer until a little thickened. Now heat oil and fry the tortilla strips, drain and dry with paper towel. Top soup with any creative Halloween themed art you would like.

Note: Spider web art is created in a spiral squirt of sour cream, dragged from the center, outward with a toothpick.

Ghoulish Kebabs

- 12 6-inch bamboo skewers
 - 24 small black olives
 - 24 small squares of roasted red peppers
 - 24 thin sliced salami pieces
 - 12 little squares of Fol Epi cheese (substitute what is available)
- Marinade:
- ¼ cup olive oil
 - 1/8 cup balsamic vinegar
 - A little Italian dressing

Mix the olive oil, vinegar and Italian dressing for your

marinade. Layer your kebabs. Drizzle your kebabs with the marinade, cover and allow to sit at least three hours.

Corn & Black Bean Salsa

- 1 can black beans, drained and rinsed
- 1 can shoepeg corn, drained and rinsed
- 1 small jalapeno pepper seeded and diced
- 1/3 cup red onion, chopped
- 3 tablespoons fresh lime juice
- Salt, cumin, paprika to taste

Combine all the ingredients gently in a large bowl. It's best prepared at least four hours ahead. The salsa is also good used over chicken, in hamburgers or just with tortilla chips or pita chips.

Hannelore Holland is the co-owner of Somethin's Cookin', 93 E. 11th St., in Panama City, where she also teaches adult and children's cooking classes.

FLEUR DE LOLLY

Wow your guests with this shrimp appetizer



Laura Tolbert

For this rustic pot pie appetizer, I divided the filling into 4-ounce ramekins. You could use 8-ounce ramekins for a lunch portion or a casserole dish and serve family style. Puff pastry toppers, cooked separately, are added before serving.

Rustic Shrimp Pot Pies

- 1 sheet frozen puff pastry, thawed
- ½ cup heavy cream

- 3 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- 1 tablespoons butter
- 1 cup chopped onions
- 2 large garlic cloves, minced
- 1/3 cup dry vermouth or dry white wine
- ¼ teaspoon dried thyme
- 8 oz. clam juice or seafood stock
- 1 8 oz. potato, peeled and diced
- 1 ½ pounds small, deveined, peeled uncooked shrimp cut into 1-inch pieces
- 1 cup tiny frozen green peas, thawed

Heat oven to 400 degrees. Use the dish you are using as a guide for trimming the pastry. Place the pastry circles on a parchment-lined baking sheet.

Bake until golden, about 12 to

15 minutes. Set aside.

Whisk cream and flour in a small bowl. Melt butter in a large skillet over medium heat. Add onions and sauté until tender. Add garlic and sauté for 1 minute. Add vermouth and simmer for 3 minutes to reduce by half. Add thyme.

Add clam juice and potato. Cook, uncovered, until potatoes are tender, about 5 minutes.

Add cream/flour mixture and stir. Simmer until sauce boils and thickens. Reduce heat. Add shrimp and peas and simmer until shrimp are just opaque in the center, about 3 minutes. Season with salt and pepper.

Divide hot filling into the ramekins. Bake until filling bubbles, about 5 minutes.

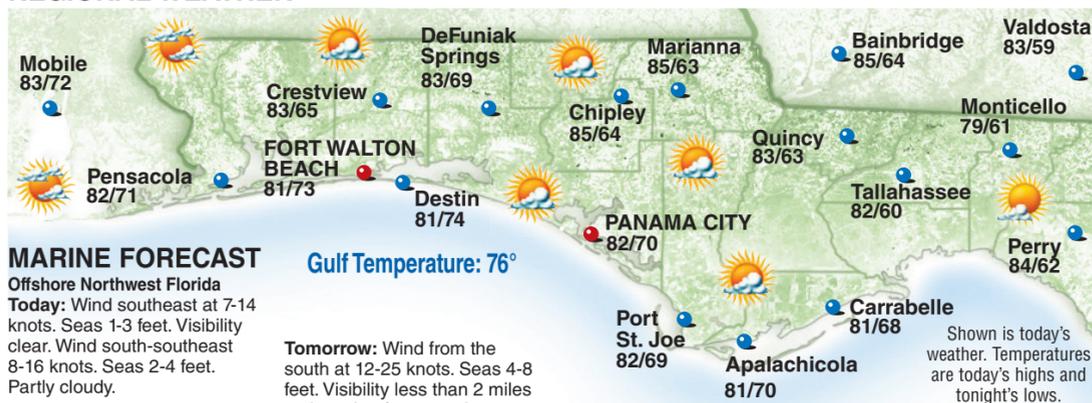
Remove from oven. Let rest for a few minutes, top with the pastry toppers and serve immediately.

Laura Tolbert, also known as Fleur de Lolly, has been sharing recipes, table decor ideas and advice for fellow foodies and novices on her blog, fleurdelolly.blogspot.com for more than eight years. She won the Duke Mayonnaise 100th Anniversary nationwide recipe contest for her Alabama White BBQ Sauce. You can contact her at facebook.com/fleurde.lolly.5, on Instagram and at fleurdelolly@yahoo.com.

FIVE DAY FORECAST FOR NORTHWEST FLORIDA

TODAY	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Partly sunny today. Winds southeast 6-12 mph. Warm tonight with increasing cloudiness. Winds southeast 7-14 mph.				
High 82° Low 70°	82°/67°	74°/52°	71°/55°	76°/61°
6 a.m. Noon 6 p.m. 63° 81° 75° Winds: SE 7-14 mph	A shower and thunderstorm around Winds: S 15-25 mph	A shower and thunderstorm around Winds: WNW 10-20 mph	Sunshine and pleasant Winds: ENE 6-12 mph	Mostly sunny and pleasant Winds: NE 7-14 mph

REGIONAL WEATHER



MARINE FORECAST

Offshore Northwest Florida
Today: Wind southeast at 7-14 knots. Seas 1-3 feet. Visibility clear. Wind south-southeast 8-16 knots. Seas 2-4 feet. Partly cloudy.
Tomorrow: Wind from the south at 12-25 knots. Seas 4-8 feet. Visibility less than 2 miles at times in afternoon showers and thunderstorms.

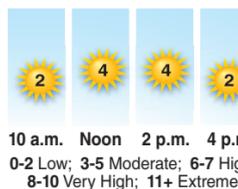
Gulf Temperature: 76°

ALMANAC

through 4 p.m. yesterday
Panama City Temperatures
 High/low 80°/63°
 Last year's high/low 68°/40°
 Normal high/low 78°/56°
 Record high 88° (1984)
 Record low 35° (1973)
Precipitation
 24 hours through 4 p.m. ... 0.00"
 Month to date 4.06"
 Normal month to date 3.50"
 Year to date 46.66"
 Normal year to date 52.49"
 Average humidity 51%
Fort Walton Beach Temperatures
 High/low 79°/63°
 Last year's high/low 71°/48°
 Normal high/low 75°/59°
 Record high 86° (1951)
 Record low 27° (1952)
Precipitation
 24 hours through 4 p.m. ... 0.00"
 Month to date 3.00"
 Normal month to date 3.73"
 Year to date 48.27"
 Normal year to date 53.06"
 Average humidity 68%

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MOON PHASES



SUN AND MOON

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 Sunset tonight 5:56 p.m.
 Moonrise today none
 Moonset today 1:34 p.m.

BEACH FLAG WARNINGS



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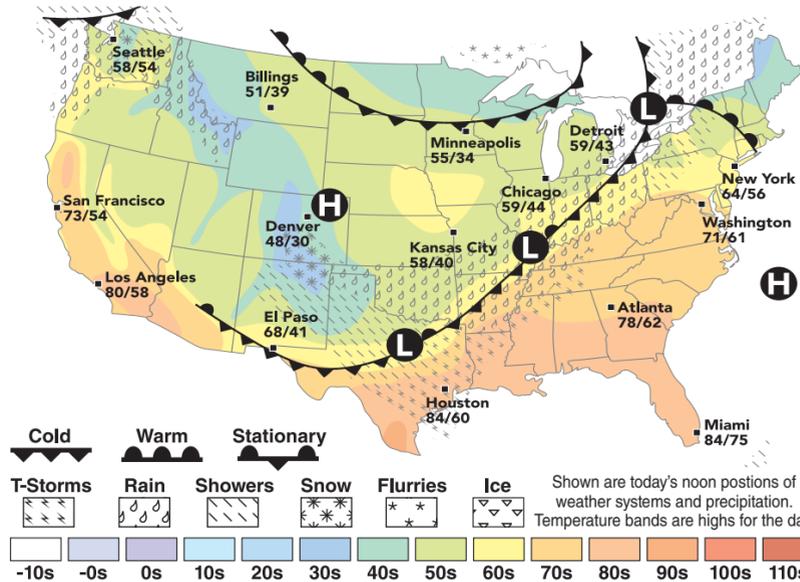
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Destin	3:07a	2:48p
West Pass	7:28a	2:49a
Panama City	2:03a	1:52p
Port St. Joe	12:53a	2:26p
Okaloosa Island	1:40a	1:54p
Milton	5:20a	5:09p
East Bay	4:24a	4:39p
Pensacola	3:40a	3:22p
Fishing Bend	4:21a	4:13p
The Narrows	5:17a	6:13p
Carrabelle	6:30a	1:03a
	11:16p	2:42p

RIVER LEVELS

Through 7 a.m. Tue.	Level	Flood Stage
Apalachicola	6.06 ft.	15 ft.
Blountstown		
Choctawhatchee		
Caryville	5.25 ft.	12 ft.
Alabama		
Clearborne	35.40 ft.	42 ft.
Escambia		
Century	5.44 ft.	17 ft.
Tomigbee		
Coffeeville, AL	2.04 ft.	29 ft.

Weather(W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.
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FLORIDA CITIES

City	Today	Thu.	City	Today	Thu.
Clearwater	84/70/s	83/74/pc	Lakeland	85/63/s	86/70/pc
Daytona Beach	80/65/s	85/68/pc	Melbourne	83/68/s	87/69/pc
Ft. Lauderdale	83/73/pc	85/76/pc	Miami	84/75/pc	86/76/pc
Gainesville	83/58/s	84/65/pc	Naples	87/67/s	86/72/pc
Jacksonville	82/61/s	85/66/pc	Ocala	84/57/s	86/67/pc
Jupiter	82/73/pc	85/71/pc	Okeechobee	82/64/s	86/67/pc
Key Largo	82/76/pc	84/78/pc	Orlando	83/62/s	87/68/pc
Key West	85/77/pc	86/79/pc	Palm Beach	82/75/pc	84/74/pc
Lake City	84/59/s	83/67/pc	Tampa	86/66/s	86/71/pc

WORLD CITIES

City	Today	Thu.	City	Today	Thu.
Baghdad	84/56/s	85/56/s	Mexico City	74/52/pc	72/54/t
Berlin	54/41/pc	59/44/pc	Montreal	44/36/c	47/37/c
Bermuda	74/65/s	73/65/s	Nassau	85/75/pc	85/77/pc
Hong Kong	83/71/pc	79/70/c	Paris	54/48/sh	57/45/pc
Jerusalem	74/55/s	75/54/s	Rome	70/60/pc	69/60/t
Kabul	64/47/t	61/34/r	Tokyo	64/53/pc	64/54/s
London	56/47/c	54/37/sh	Toronto	56/38/r	48/38/sh
Madrid	52/38/sh	58/41/pc	Vancouver	54/49/r	56/49/r

NATIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Thu.	City	Today	Thu.
Albuquerque	50/33/s	59/36/pc	Memphis	76/60/t	61/46/r
Anchorage	33/23/s	32/22/pc	Milwaukee	58/41/pc	52/40/pc
Atlanta	78/62/pc	74/59/r	Minneapolis	55/34/pc	56/37/pc
Baltimore	68/56/s	74/63/pc	Nashville	75/65/t	68/46/r
Birmingham	79/64/pc	71/52/r	New Orleans	84/72/pc	76/56/t
Boston	57/51/pc	62/51/c	New York City	64/56/pc	68/60/pc
Charlotte	74/56/pc	76/65/c	Oklahoma City	52/40/r	59/39/pc
Chicago	59/44/pc	55/40/pc	Philadelphia	69/59/pc	73/65/pc
Cincinnati	66/47/r	52/42/r	Phoenix	78/52/s	78/56/pc
Cleveland	62/44/r	50/43/r	Pittsburgh	65/47/r	53/47/r
Dallas	65/50/t	61/45/s	St. Louis	59/48/r	56/43/c
Denver	48/30/pc	57/39/pc	Salt Lake City	52/42/c	55/44/c
Detroit	59/43/r	51/39/c	San Antonio	82/51/t	69/46/s
Honolulu	86/76/t	87/76/pc	San Diego	76/59/s	77/61/s
Houston	84/60/t	68/47/s	San Francisco	73/54/s	74/52/pc
Indianapolis	61/43/r	49/38/r	Seattle	58/54/r	60/54/r
Kansas City	58/40/c	61/40/pc	Topeka	61/37/c	63/38/pc
Las Vegas	72/53/s	78/57/s	Tucson	72/46/s	75/49/pc
Los Angeles	80/58/s	83/60/s	Wash., DC	71/61/s	77/68/pc

FOOD

Pizza's Turkish cousin

It's covered in butter, and its US popularity is bubbling up

By Maura Judkis
The Washington Post

At Tempo, a new fast-casual eatery in Washington, the setup is very familiar: Go down the line and choose toppings for a long, flat base of dough, which is finished with cheese and baked for a few minutes as it passes through a conveyor belt oven. But instead of pizza, people are lining up for its Turkish cousin — an oblong flatbread called pide (pronounced pe-day). Think pizza, but with Turkish flavors — pide, if you will. Just don't call it that.



The relationship between pizza and pide is no doubt part of the reason the popular Turkish street food is taking off in the United States. [PHOTO BY STACY ZARIN GOLDBERG FOR THE WASHINGTON POST]

"I hate calling it a pizza because it's very different. A flatbread is a better example," said Selin Altintas, the marketing manager for Tempo and daughter of the restaurant's owner. "It's a thinner crust, and it's in a boat shape. The crust is folded over, across the entire edge, to give you a good bite of crust with every bite."

can make at home." Pide is found throughout Turkey, and its origins are not entirely clear — some say it dates back to the Ottoman empire. But the modern boat-shaped open pide — the kind you'll see in most restaurants that offer the dish in the States — is less than 100 years old.

The best pide have a few factors in common. The first is the dough. It has to be chewy and crunchy, and not too salty, Altintas said. "It's the perfect balance that you have to strike. It's going to be a little crispy and have a crunch, but the bottom is going to be a little soft and doughy."

Cagla Onal, the chef behind the soon-to-open Turkish market Green Almond Pantry in Washington, says the process of making the dough is similar to yeast — it's a simple mix of yeast, flour, water and salt that proofs overnight — but it's baked differently. Though it sometimes goes in a wood oven, it's "not like Neapolitan pizza. You don't need a char." Onal

would know: She's a former chef at the pizzeria Etto and is originally from Istanbul. Onal plans to offer the dish as a rotating lunch special after her market opens.

Then come the toppings. They can be a mix of vegetables, such as eggplant and green pepper, or they can be an assortment of Turkish-spiced meats.

Altintas likes soujuk, a Turkish sausage, or pastuma, which she describes as the Turkish version of pastrami, but with more cumin. Others can be topped with ground beef or lamb. Then there's cheese, which has to be melty and give you that "pull-apart effect," said Altintas, who uses a mixture of American mozzarella and Pinar, a brand of similar cheese imported from Turkey. Some pide are topped with an egg, which cooks only enough to leave the yolk runny — the better for dipping a crust in. And one key ingredient that ties it all together is butter, because unlike pizza, a pide has no sauce.

This one-pot lentil stew might change the way you look at leftovers

By Bonnie S. Benwick
The Washington Post

There is much to like about this stew, which just happens to be vegan. Let's start with the obvious: One pot! Your RDA of vegetables. If your pantry is up to date, you have everything you need. If you have a spare zucchini or other vegetable you'd like to toss in, go right ahead. And leftovers offer

options: I pureed two cups' worth, then stirred that into a pot of warm broth to make a smooth soup. The next time I made the stew, I mashed some of the vegetables, added finely chopped chipotle pepper in adobo and used that as filling for enchiladas. Did I mention this is one tasty bowlful? I saved the best for last. Serve the stew with cheese toast.

One-Pot Lentils and vegetables

- Ingredients:**
- 1 1/2 cups green or brown lentils
 - 1 medium zucchini (optional)
 - 1 large rib celery
 - 1 medium carrot
 - 1 medium yellow onion
 - 1 large russet potato
 - One 28-ounce can whole tomatoes, preferably no-salt-added
 - 2 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil, plus more for drizzling
 - 1 teaspoon ground coriander
 - 1 teaspoon ground cumin
 - 1 teaspoon ground turmeric
 - 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon
 - 1/2 teaspoon ground cayenne pepper (optional)
 - 2 1/2 cups water
 - Kosher salt
 - Freshly ground black pepper
 - 6 stems parsley
 - 1 lime, for serving

Steps:
 Place the lentils in a bowl and cover with water; let sit while you prep and start to cook the vegetables. Cut the zucchini, if using, and the celery into 1/2-inch dice. Scrub the carrot and peel the onion, then cut into same-size dice as the celery. Peel the potato and

cut into bite-size chunks. Pour the can of tomatoes into a bowl (with the juice), then coarsely chop in the bowl. Heat the oil in a large pot over medium-high heat. Once the oil shimmers, stir in the zucchini, celery, carrot, onion and potato. Cook for about 5 minutes, stirring a few times, until the onion has softened. Drain the lentils, then add to the pot, along with the ground spices and cayenne, if using. Pour in the tomatoes and their juices and the 2 1/2 cups of water, plus a generous pinch of salt and pepper; once the mixture comes to a boil, cover and cook for 5 minutes. Reduce the heat to medium-low, cook for 10 to 15 minutes, stirring a few times, until all the vegetables are tender. Taste, and adjust the salt and/or pepper as needed. While the stew cooks, finely chop the parsley leaves. Cut the lime into wedges. Top each portion with parsley and serve hot, with lime wedges. Based on a recipe at OhSweetBasil.com.



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PROBATE DIVISION CASE NO. 18000791CP

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM RANDALL BARNHART, Deceased.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)
TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST THE ABOVE ESTATE
You are hereby notified that an Order for Summary Administration has been or will be entered in the Estate of William Randall Barnhart, deceased, File No. 18000791CP, by the Circuit Court for Bay County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 300

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E 4th Street, Panama City, FL 32401, that the decedent's date of death was July 17, 2017, that the total value of the estate is \$0.00 and that the names and addresses of those to whom it has been assigned is:
NAME Edison William
ADDRESS 8647 Southampton Dr, Miramar, FL 33025

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NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER APPLICABLE TIME PERIOD, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DEATH IS BARRED.
The date of first publication of this notice is

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October 31, 2018.
Attorney For Person Giving Notice:
Jay E. Alterbach, Esq. Attorney for Petitioner Florida Bar No. 60348 Khani & Auerbach 2338 Hollywood Blvd. Hollywood, FL 33020
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Pub: October 31, November 7, 2018
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WHERE: Gulf Coast State College, Location to be determined
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