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The fellowship hall at First Presbyterian Church of Lake City begins to fill up with guests Thursday for the church's annual community Thanksgiving dinner, free and open to the public.

Friday

Old Tyme Farm Days

This annual festival is set for today and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Spirit of the Suwannee Music Park in Live Oak; swap meet from 8 a.m. to noon each day. Admission is \$10 per day per carload for non-campers. There will be a kids' petting zoo, musical performances on Uncle Charles' Stage, antiques to look for, a unique variety of food to select from, old farm equipment auction, handmade jewelry and many other handmade articles.

Toys for Tots

Today from 6 a.m. to noon, a portion of proceeds from customers who get a Denny's Grand Slam breakfast will benefit Lake City Toys for Tots.

Saturday

5K turkey trot

Join us as Ichetucknee Springs State Park holds its inaugural 5K turkey trot on Saturday, November 24. Registration is free and begins at 7 a.m. Race starts at 8. Walkers are welcome. First place is a free kayak rental compliments of Paddling Adventures. All participants will receive a 1-day park pass to any Florida State Park. Call 386-497-4690 for more.

Festival of Lights

Experience the Festival of Lights on Saturday from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. in Lake City's Olustee Park. The lighting ceremony is at 6 p.m. followed by Santa's arrival in the park. Christmas music featuring the Gateway City Big Band at 5:30 p.m. and local entertainment throughout this community event, sponsored by Grace Harbor Christian Fellowship of Lake City. For more, call Donald Johns at (386) 365-5995.



FILE

Meally Jenkins, founder of Christmas Dream Machine, which this season marks its 30th year making sure local kids have gifts under the tree for Christmas.

Time to step it up, say kids' charities

Now's the time to make a difference for local needy youngsters, they stress.

By **COREY ARWOOD**
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Charities are hoping residents get with the holiday program after Thanksgiving and donate toys for children of local families.

Two of the main children's charities in the county, Toys for Tots, run by the U.S. Marine Corps, and Christmas Dream Machine, operated for 30 years by a local woman, said they're still in need of contributions to fulfill hundreds of kids' Christmas wishes.

Christmas Dream Machine

began collecting donations November 1 and will continue through December 19, adopting out the wish-lists hung on their headquarters' Christmas tree at 109 SE Price Creek Loop.

"We're about 325-350 children so far and we're going to certify all the way to the end of the month," said Dream Machine founder Meally Jenkins.

Now over half way into their collection season, Jenkins said there is a strong demand for items like footballs, basketballs, hand-held games or anything video game related.

Toys for Tots campaign coordinator Inga Dwyer said since she began collecting toys at

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Mars landing comes down to last 6 minutes of 6-month trip

NASA's InSight set to touch down on Red Planet on Monday.

By **MARCIA DUNN**
Associated Press Aerospace Writer

CAPE CANAVERAL — It all comes down to the final six minutes of a six-month journey to Mars.

NASA's InSight spacecraft will enter the Martian atmosphere at supersonic speed, then hit the brakes to get to a soft, safe landing on the alien red plains.

After micromanaging every step of the way, flight controllers will be powerless over what happens at the end of the road Monday, nearly 100 million miles away. The communication lag between Mars and Earth is eight minutes.

"By the time we hear anything, the whole thing is already done," said project manager Tom Hoffman of NASA's Jet Propulsion Laboratory. "Either it happened or it hasn't happened."

Any small last-minute adjustments must be completed 1 1/2 hours before touchdown, said Rob Grover, lead engineer for the landing team.

"All of our efforts to make sure we're successful all happen in the years before," he explained.

A brief rundown of InSight's do-or-die entry, descent and landing:

SIX MINUTES BEFORE TOUCHDOWN

InSight will come in like a 12,300-mph arrow, piercing the top of the Martian atmosphere about 77 miles above the surface. Engineers are shooting for a 12-degree angle of attack, almost parallel to the ground. Too steep, the spacecraft could burn up. Too shallow, it could bounce back into space.

Atmospheric friction slows the spacecraft, but builds up heat. Its heat shield is made to withstand the 2,700 degrees Fahrenheit. Once InSight is down to seven miles, its parachute opens at a breakneck 860 mph.

THREE MINUTES

Shortly after the white nylon chute opens with a yank, InSight ditches its heat shield and unfolds its three legs. After two minutes of descending under the parachute, the spacecraft, still supersonic, starts using radar to determine speed and altitude, from about 1 1/2 miles (2 1/2 kilometers) up. Less than a minute remains until touchdown. With its speed now down to 134 mph, the lander dumps its back shell and parachute. It is less than a mile (one kilometer) above the ground.

FORTY-FIVE SECONDS

Almost immediately, InSight's 12 descent engines start firing to further slow the lander and keep it away from the sev-

ered back shell, still falling under the parachute. The lander turns itself so its solar panels will extend east and west at touchdown, and its robotic arm faces south. InSight's speed is now 17 mph, at an altitude of 164 feet.

FIFTEEN SECONDS

Now in so-called constant velocity mode, InSight is aiming for a 5 mph touchdown in a plain near the equator called Elysium Planitia. There it will dig deep for heat measurements and scope out marsquakes over a full Martian year, or two Earth years. NASA picked this spot because it should be relatively flat and free of big rocks that could hamper science operations. Parking near the equator provides optimal sunlight for solar energy. "It's a very safe place to land," Grover said at a press conference Wednesday.

TOUCHDOWN!

It will be around 2 p.m., Mars time, when InSight lands. That's 3 p.m. on the U.S. East Coast and noon for the JPL flight controllers in Pasadena, California. NASA estimates temperatures could be in the teens or even single digits Fahrenheit

(well below zero Celsius). Overnight lows could reach minus 140 degrees Fahrenheit. It's wintertime on Mars. "Probably don't need an umbrella, but you may need a coat and definitely recommend a space-suit, too, if you're there at the landing site," Grover joked to reporters while describing the bone-dry Martian plain.

HELLO? HELLO?

Since departing Earth in May, InSight has been shadowed by WALL-E and EVE, the first CubeSats to venture into deep space. The briefcase-size satellites named after the characters in the 2008 animated movie will pass within a few thousand miles (kilometers) of Mars, as InSight lands. NASA hopes one or both relay InSight's radio signals. If the experiment succeeds, flight controllers may be able to follow InSight's descent and landing, although with a lag of more than eight minutes at best. Otherwise, news will trickle in from NASA's Mars orbiters.

SAY CHEESE:

InSight's first job, just several minutes after landing, is to take a picture. Ground controllers want to see what they're up against. Big rocks or a hillside could interfere with the stationary lander's geology experiments. Once the red dust settles about 16 minutes after touchdown, the lander will spread its solar panels and settle in for its first long winter's nap at Mars.

QUICK HITS

Scripture of the Day

"The king shall joy in thy strength, O Lord; and in thy salvation how greatly shall he rejoice!"
— Psalm 21:1 (KJV)

Thought for Today

It takes a long time to become young.
— Pablo Picasso, 1881-1973, Spanish painter

Winning Lottery Numbers

Pick 3: (Wednesday p.m.) **4-2-7**
Pick 4: (Wednesday p.m.) **0-2-9-3**
Fantasy 5: (Wednesday) **1-8-13-14-15**

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FILE

Inga Dwyer, local Toys for Tots coordinator, and John Gates, former Toys for Tots Coordinator for Columbia and Suwannee counties, place donated toys in boxes for the upcoming toy drive. For more, go to Toysfortots.org.

KIDS

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their new headquarters at 1086 SW Main Street no one has stopped by to make a donation of new, unwrapped toys.

However, she said four drop off locations set across Lake City have gen-

erated donations with the most popular location so far at Five Below at 209 NW Hutton Drive.

Aside from their new HQ on Main Street, Dwyer said drop off locations could be found at Lake City H&R Block, the Marine recruiter office in Lake City Mall and Ellisville Dollar General.

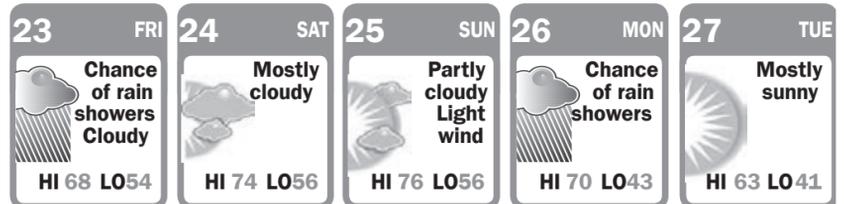
A benefit event at Denny's Friday will provide

portions of proceeds from sales of Grand Slam breakfasts from 6 a.m. to noon to Toys for Tots.

Dwyer had message for the public.

"I would love for them to find it in their hearts to reach out and give every child a little Christmas," she said. "Every bit of it counts, every bit of it makes a difference."

THE WEATHER



REGIONAL FORECAST MAP for Friday, Nov. 23



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High Thursday 66
Low Thursday 46
Normal high 73
Normal low 49
Record high 86 in 1906
Record low 25 in 2000

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Thursday 0.00"
Month total 0.20"
Year total 66.10"
Normal month-to-date 1.51"
Normal year-to-date 44.38"

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Sunrise today 7:03 a.m.
Sunset today 5:31 p.m.
Sunrise tom. 7:04 a.m.
Sunset tom. 5:31 p.m.

MOON

Moonrise today 6:16 p.m.
Moonset today 7:16 a.m.
Moonrise tom. 7:09 p.m.
Moonset tom. 8:20 a.m.



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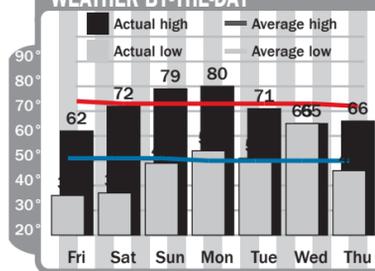
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WEATHER HISTORY

Today in 1982 marked the end of Hawaii's 23-year streak of dodging hurricanes. Hurricane Iwa engulfed the islands of Niihau, Kauai, and Oahu with 130 mph wind gusts and sustained winds of 100 mph. It was the first hurricane to hit Hawaii since Hurricane Dot in 1959.

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Odd archaeology in Illinois

Woman digs up 1,000-year-old remains in yard.

By FRANK ABDERHOLDEN
Chicago Tribune

Between 800 and 1,000 years ago, a young Native American man died in what is now Antioch Township near Fox Lake, Ill., and after all those years, a homeowner inadvertently dug up the bones while working on a landscaping project last September, opening a window into the past.

"It was something else. It was scary, funny, and exciting all at once," said the 58-year-old homeowner, who said she didn't want her name used.

She had been digging to build a terrace on an eroding hill on her property, and while shoveling about a foot down, she came across what she thought were probably animal bones. Then she found a jaw bone.

"There were no fangs. This looked human," she said, so she called the Lake County Sheriff's Office, which in turn called Lake County Coroner Dr. Howard Cooper, who still remembers the text message.

"It was Sept. 17 around 7 p.m., and I got a text from a sheriff's deputy asking if this jaw bone was human," said Cooper, who is also a forensic dentist.

"My answer was, 'Yes, it is,'" Cooper said.

The first thing investigators did was send Chief Deputy Coroner Jason Patt and Bones, a one-year-old Belgian Malinois trained as a cadaver dog, out to the scene, which is near where Fox Lake and Petite Lake are connected.

"Bones searched the entire area, but in one area, he indicated multiple times and started digging and found two bones," Cooper said. "At that point, everything stopped, and the sheriff's deputies secured the scene."

Cooper began to make calls for a grave-recovery



FRANK ABDERHOLDEN/Lake County News-Sun/TNS

Lake County, Illinois, coroner Dr. Howard Cooper at his desk with a picture of the Native American bones found near the Chain O'Lakes. "This was fascinating," he said of the bones, thought to be 800 to 1,000 years old.

operation, and he linked up with the U.S. Navy's Jason Keller with the Naval Criminal Investigative Service (NCIS) because Cooper knew he had a trailer with all the right equipment. Cooper also called anthropologist Erin Waxenbaum from Northwestern University.

"Then we did an archaeological dig — all the soil was sifted and looked at to determine what bones were present. It was really impressive," Cooper said. They recovered about 75 percent of the body, which did not include the upper portion of the skull.

The anthropologist cleaned the bones and determined that they were from a Native American male between the ages of 17 and 27, and there were no signs of foul play.

Many of the bones were broken, and some had marks on them. According to Cooper, the experts explained the ground pressure will often break bones

over long periods of time.

Cooper said investigators then sent the remains to Dawn Cobb at the Illinois State Museum Research and Collection Center in Springfield. She also dated the bones as being from

area back in 1919.

"It was pretty exciting," Cooper said. "It's fascinating how old the skeleton is, and the condition we found it in was amazing. Here you are touching something that is between 800 and

Cooper said Cobb, an archaeologist, searched their records and found they had documented a burial ground in the same area back in 1919.

800 to 1,000 years ago, and her age range for the unknown man was 20 to 30 years old.

The markings on the bones were "root marking" produced by plants growing in the soil and were used to help determine the age. She also noted some animal marks on the bones.

Cooper said Cobb, an archaeologist, searched their records and found they had documented a burial ground in the same

1,000 years old. 'A prehistoric Native American' is what she called him.

"Then of course one starts thinking about the back story," Cooper added, "What was his life like? How did he live?"

Bill Brown, a Native American who runs the Potawatomi Trails Pow Wow in Zion every year, said that in the time frame provided by the investigators, he would expect the body to be from either the

Ho-chunk or Miami tribes.

Since there were no funerary objects with the bones, Brown added, it's possible the man died during a hunting accident or some other way where he died alone.

"But anything he had with him, leather or wood, would have broken down and is gone. So you don't really know," said Brown, adding that Native Americans at that time in the Chain O' Lakes area would have hunted small game birds and animals and fished.

The region's early residents lived in wigwams, which are shaped like an upside-down cup. There is an example of one at the Bess Bower Dunn Museum of Lake County in Libertyville. The museum, run by the Lake County Forest Preserves, recently repatriated Native American bones it had in its collection.

A skull and a stone arrow or spear head were

returned this year, bringing the total number to 46 individuals and funerary objects from the Lake County museum collection repatriated to Native American tribes.

Brown said the repatriation is important, because when Native Americans buried their dead, "it was like putting a child down to go to sleep. You leave to rest and don't disturb them."

Dennis Downes, an Antioch resident and artist, has been studying Native American trail-marker trees in Lake County and across the country. The trees are bent to show the way for the trail, fresh water or tool making sites. He dedicated a bronze trail-marker tree in a small park in downtown Antioch last year.

He said there used to be two trail-marker trees in the Chain O' Lakes on either side of sandbar between Channel Lake and Lake Marie, pointing out a shortcut. The sandbar is known to 21st-century boaters as a place to party and hang out, and it is just a few miles north of the recent bone discovery.

During a 2017 talk in Waukegan, Downes said the Chain O' Lakes area would have been a rich environment for people living off the land in prehistoric times, describing it as "a paradise" with trees for fire and plenty of food and water sources.

The Illinois State Museum could not be reached for comment on what will happen to the bones found in Antioch Township, but Brown believes they would have to be repatriated to a tribe.

Cooper said the whole experience has been fascinating, and he praised the teamwork between his office, the sheriff's investigators and the NCIS team from Naval Station Great Lakes.

"It was awesome to pull all these resources together. Everyone worked well together. During the dig, it was raining, but it didn't matter," he said. "It was a neat, neat case."

OBITUARIES

Susan Marie Boyette

Mrs. Susan Marie Boyette, age 77, of Lake Butler, Florida, passed away on November 19, 2018, with her family by her side. She was born on September 10, 1941, in Brooklyn, New York, to the late Gilbert and Elizabeth Petty Barnard. She married her high school sweetheart, Derrill Boyette, and they raised a family in Homestead, FL where she worked as a teacher's aide at Redland Elementary School. In 1981, they moved to Live Oak, FL. Eight years later, they settled in Lake Butler, FL, where she worked for the Union County, in their collection center department. She took pride in her work. She always had a clean and neat collection site. She loved meeting people and was a member of Sardis Baptist Church in Worthington Springs, FL. She was preceded in death by both parents; her son, Derrill B. Boyette, Jr.; and her brother, James F. Barnard.

Mrs. Boyette is survived by her husband of 57 years, Derrill Boyette of Lake Butler, FL; children, Dale (Mosley) Boyette of Middleburg, FL, Felicia (Danny) Herring, Annette (Trey) Chauncey, and Dana (Tony) Abbott all of Live Oak, FL, Constance Boyette, Preston (Lori) Boyette and Cathy (Hoss) Taylor all of Lake Butler, FL; Destiny Boyette of Lake Butler, FL; 19 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren; two sisters, Kathleen Diver of Taylor, S.C. and Betsy ElKoury of Marathon, FL. Numerous extended family members also survive.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Sunday, November 25, at 2:00pm at the Memorial Chapel at Archer Funeral Home. The family will receive friends for a visitation and gathering on Saturday, November 24, from 5:00 to 7:00pm at the funeral home. Services will be officiated by Brother Paul OSteen. Arrangements are under the care and direction of ARCHER

FUNERAL HOME. 386-496-2008 archerfuneralhome.com

The family would like to give a very special "Thank You" to Ms. Vonda from Community Hospice.

Iris Elizabeth Thomas Lamb Summers

Ms. Iris Elizabeth Thomas Lamb Summers, of Lake City, went to be with her Lord on November 19, 2018.

She was born in Lake Butler, Florida, on September 2, 1927, to Tyre Shepherd "TS" Thomas, Sr. and Sally Reagan Thomas.

Iris loved growing up in Lake

Butler and being a member of First Baptist Church of Lake Butler. Her faith sustained and inspired her throughout her 91 years. After graduating from high school, she went to work in Tallahassee as an Attache in the Florida State Legislature, a position she would return to 2 more times in her working career. Iris then worked at the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Lake City for 25 years. She also worked Evangelist Roxanne Brand and then for the City of Lake City until she retired.

Iris also was a busy volunteer at the Alachua General Hospital/Shands and North Florida Regional Hospital in Gainesville in the surgical waiting room for 6 years. She also generously gave of her time to the Life

Enrichment Center in Lake City.

She belonged to the Lake City Woman's Club, where she enjoyed many activities and friends. In all Ms. Iris worked for 42 years and then volunteered for 10.

Iris loved to travel and has visited many parts of our world, too numerous to mention here. However her favorite place was home, in Lake City, Florida. Late in life she became a member of Christ Central Ministries in Lake City.

She is preceded in death by her son B. Haygood "Goodie" Summers III, her parents, her sisters Audrey Carolyn Thomas (infant), and Ruth Marilyn Thomas-Bennett, her brother T.S. Thomas, Jr. and his wife Pauline, and many friends and relatives.

She is survived by her son John J. Lamb, Jr. (Gale Triplett) of Gainesville, FL and grandson John J. Lamb III of Hoboken, NJ, (Beth) and their children Aidan Keith Lamb, and Molly Anne Lamb.

She will be missed by all who loved her.

Ms. Iris will be interred at her father's family plot at Dekle Cemetery in Lake Butler, FL. A private family memorial service will be held at a later date.

Phillip Wiley Mortuary, Inc., 310 State Road 26, Melrose, Florida, 352-475-2000.

Obituaries are paid advertisements. For details, call the Lake City Reporter's classified department at 752-1293.

THE CITY OF LAKE CITY INVITES ALL RESIDENTS TO ATTEND A RECEPTION TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2018, FROM 4:30 P.M. TO 6:30 P.M. AT CITY HALL IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS LOCATED ON THE SECOND FLOOR AT 205 NORTH MARION AVENUE, LAKE CITY, FLORIDA.

THE PURPOSE OF THE RECEPTION IS TO APPRECIATE OUTGOING COUNCIL MEMBER GEORGE WARD; WELCOME BACK COUNCIL MEMBER EUGENE JEFFERSON; INTRODUCE THE COMMUNITY TO THE NEW CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 14 MEMBER, CHRIS GREENE.

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

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ANOTHER VIEW

Another misguided Hollywood boycott

Once again, Hollywood's leftists have inserted themselves into the political world, this time jumping aboard a call to boycott Georgia in defense of Stacey Abrams, the Democrat who lost the gubernatorial race to Republican Brian Kemp.

They better hope Americans don't turn the tables on this one and call for boycotts at the movies, right?

It's not that famous actors and actresses don't have the right to speak their political minds, if they so choose. It's just that nine times out of 10, when actors and actresses speak their political minds, the rest of us go — please don't.

Please just stay on the big screen and read the script.

First from Abrams, this tweet: "I appreciate the calls to action, but I ask all of our entertainment industry friends to support #FairFightGA — but please do not #boycottgeorgia. The hard-working Georgians who serve on crews & make a living here are not to blame. I promise. We will fight — and we will win."

Then came the expected response — the scores of Hollywood types rushing to her defense, running to boycott.

"With all due respect," tweeted actor Ron Perlman, The Hill noted, "you DID fight! And you DID win. Your great and inspiring run was snuffed out by cheating, and suppression, both things that run counter to the American way. I cannot see myself working in a state that tolerates that."

Actress Alyssa Milano weighed in with this: "There are over 20 productions shooting in Georgia. Is the entertainment industry willing to support the economy of a totally corrupt state that suppresses democracy; where the winner isn't the best choice for the people but the best schemer or crook?"

And this from actor, producer and director Steven Pasquale: "Billions of Hollywood dollars spent and created i GA. We can do something about this. #boycottgeorgia."

There are more. But you get the idea.

Thing is: Boycotts aren't confined to one group, one party, one ideology. Can you say "First Man," the movie that angered many in America by purposely omitting the iconic flag-planting moment of the U.S. banner on the moon — in order to, as star Ryan Gosling explained, underscore the moment's global, rather than national, significance?

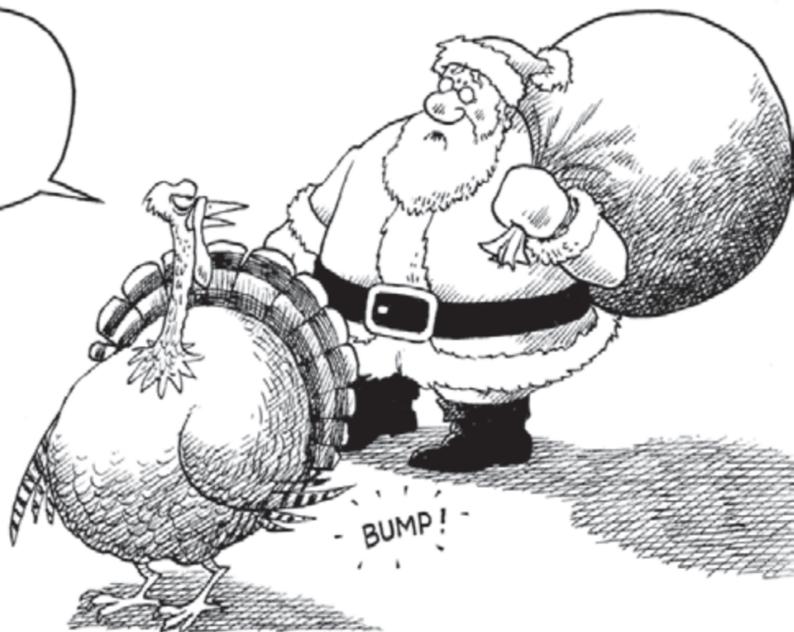
"Box Office," reported Forbes in October of 2018, "Ryan Gosling's 'First Man' Disappoints With \$16.5M Weekend."

Defenders of "First Man" insist the lackluster showing had nothing to do with the flag flap. But then again, "Boycott First Man" was an actual Change.org petition.

Hollywood has to keep in mind before it enters the partisan, hotly contested world of politics, Americans do more than vote at the ballot boxes. They also "vote" with their money. They can easily counter #BoycottGeorgia with #BoycottHollywood.

■ Washington Times

ARIAL 12/20/18



The zombie apocalypse

Are we properly prepared for the zombie apocalypse? OK, you're thinking that's just science fiction. It could never happen, so why bother getting ready? But after watching some of the frenzied television coverage of this week's sudden snowstorm that paralyzed the Eastern Seaboard, I'm not so sure. Reporters kept asking each other, in all solemn gravity, who's to blame for the fact that cities and states were so poorly prepared.

The usual academic wisdom is that if we prepare for every low-probability event, we'll bankrupt ourselves. Only hindsight bias insists that the signs of every unlikely catastrophe were always there. But it's a hindsight bias to which we cling, venting our fury at those who didn't put the clues together. So in the highly unlikely event that the zombie apocalypse happens, journalists and commentators, from their fortified redoubts, will certainly be demanding to know why nobody planned for this eventuality.

Happily, we have an answer: The U.S. military is on the case.

Seriously.

Well, sort of seriously.

On the website of the U.S. Strategic Command, you can find CONPLAN 8888-11, a detailed plan for "counter-zombie dominance" prepared by a group of junior officers as part of a training exercise. The document, which came to public attention a few years ago, is festooned with disclaimers, including a large red box on the first page informing readers that the assignment was based on a "completely fictitious scenario" — but presumably the disclaimers would themselves be disclaimed in any congressional hearing attempting to fix blame in the event of an actual zombie invasion. So let's spend a few minutes taking CONPLAN 8888-11 more or less seriously.

Once we take the plan seriously, it makes interesting reading. Were its advice followed during the zombie disasters portrayed so regularly on small screen and large, we wouldn't see the U.S. military so easily swept aside in the opening hours of the invasion.

That's the term used again and again in the document — "invasion" — and surely it's the most accurate way to conceptualize the disaster that would follow a zombie infection. Undead hordes shambling through the streets should be treated the way one would treat any other invaders. This means the goals must be to protect the uninfected population and to eliminate the invaders.

Zombies can't be deterred or bargained with, so they must be destroyed. The immediate difficulty is the same one that worries their television and film counterparts: "Zombie forces will become stronger with each human casualty,"



Stephen L. Carter
Bloomberg News

because "each human casualty will become a zombie."

Therefore it's important to create hardened protected sites and to guard critical infrastructure. Because zombies will be drawn to human population centers and can't swim (or can they?), roads should be barricaded and blocked at checkpoints. Local authorities will be tasked with maintaining potable uncontaminated food supplies. If none of this works, evacuation will

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be ordered. Law enforcement and military personnel are warned not to allow survivors to "go back for" family, friends, and loved ones. Any who do must be left behind.

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The planners accept the popular view that zombies are not alive, a proposition that widens the choice of potential strategies. Ordinarily, the measures that may be taken in armed conflict are legally and ethically restricted, but "U.S. and international law regulate military operations only insofar as human and animal life are concerned." Small wonder, therefore, that the plan envisions the use of nuclear weapons within U.S. territory as necessary.

The idea is to use enough force to destroy large concentrations of zombies, then conduct reconnaissance to hunt down the rest. Finally, when the emergency ends, government will be turned back over to civil authorities. It all sounds good — good enough for us to wonder why "The Walking Dead" features no surviving military forces. (They

can't all have been ambushed by the governor.) But as CONPLAN 8888-11 freely admits, there are potential problems.

For one thing, determining where to deploy forces requires accurate intelligence, which likely would not be forthcoming. The document advises assuming "worst-case scenarios derived from popular culture references." For another, deployed military forces will be expected to carry sufficient supplies to operate for 40 days, after which the planners believe most of the zombies will have died from decay or lack of food. (Although this assumption seems to be the consensus of various sources, it may be overly optimistic.) The difficulty, as the planners confess, is that the U.S. military may not possess enough food and water for the necessary forces to deploy for so long without resupply.

Moreover, the document notes, not enough military facilities are actually hardened against zombie attack. Command-and-control aircraft would be safe, but after a few days refueling operations would likely break down. The planners suggest that surviving aircraft try for Hawaii or various other Pacific islands, but seem pessimistic that many would make it. (In "World War Z" — the novel, not the film — many of the world's leaders, including the president of the United States, successfully take to the sea.)

And course there's the risk that the invaders will turn out to be Evil Magic Zombies, or EMZs, in which case there will be little that conventional military force can achieve. Still, the planners have a suggestion: "The Chaplain Corps may provide the only viable means of combating EMZs." They document adds, ominously: "Atheists could be particularly vulnerable to EMZ threats."

But put all of these concerns aside. At least somebody's trying. You want the government to plan for low-probability disasters? Here's a plan for a low-probability disaster. Sure, the chances of a zombie apocalypse are infinitesimal. But should it ever happen, the last few survivors (those who beat the 0.0088 probability of surviving 100 days) will likely behave just like the journalists who seemed surprised to discover that snowstorms are occasionally worse than predicted. They'll want to know who's to blame.

Good to know somebody's thinking ahead.

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TODAY IN HISTORY

On this date:

In 1765, Frederick County, Maryland, became the first colonial American entity to repudiate the British Stamp Act.

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expire by day's end.

In 1963, President Lyndon B. Johnson proclaimed Nov. 25 a day of national mourning following the assassination of President John F. Kennedy.

■ Associated Press

Now we don our gay apparel?

The pastor of Power House International Ministries in Chicago, Illinois, Antonio Rocquemore, irritated the LGBTQ community recently when he openly rebuked a male church member for attending a worship service dressed as a woman. The church member had been warned repeatedly prior to the incident he would not be permitted to do so, but disregarded those warnings. Another of pastor Rocquemore's members, James Lhuillier, thought the pastor's open rebuke of the person was decidedly un-Christian. While I have serious questions as to how the cross-dresser and his defender became members of the church in the first place, this matter brings two issues into specific relief: the confusion over gender in our culture

CHRISTIAN CONCEPTS



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and what it means to be a Christian.

After his fast in the wilderness Christ was tempted by Satan to feed Himself by turning the stones into bread. Jesus replied by quoting from the Old Testament, "Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that proceeds from the mouth of God," Matthew 4:4 (cf. Deuteronomy 8:3). The very essence of

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what it means to be a Christian is to be like Christ, to affirm what Christ affirms. So I believe "every word" in the Scriptures has been inspired by God from Genesis 1:1 to Revelation 22:21, there are no exceptions. It is why I have diligently studied the Scriptures for over forty-five years and I am on my fifty-third reading through them.

So I believe what God spoke to Moses, "A woman shall not wear man's clothing, nor shall a man put on a woman's clothing; for whoever does these things is an abomination to the Lord your God," Deuteronomy 22:5. Ergo, I think the pastor would

have been un-Christian if he had not openly rebuked the offender, and would have given tacit approval for others to sin in like manner.

It is an abomination to think you are something you are not, and try to deceive others about who and what you are. Cross-dressing is a veiled effort of an unveiled attempt to encourage a same-sex relationship, another abomination.

I believe the church is supposed to be a hospital for sinners and not a hotel for saints, but we come to Christ for forgiveness for our sins, not to flaunt them. Our culture has mis-

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Jesus solves a mystery

As you read this article it is the day after Thanksgiving and hopefully you enjoyed the day with family and friends.

Prayerfully you were able to stop long enough and give thanks to the Lord for his tender mercies, faithfulness and grace that he has blessed us with. One of life's pleasures that I am thankful for is that the Lord Jesus is who he claims to be, God in the flesh.

Today as we read Matthew 22:41-46 we read that Jesus asked the religious leaders a question: "Whose son is the Christ?" The religious leaders gave a quick answer, the son of David. The reason why they were able to give a quick answer is because there are clear promises given to David in 2 Samuel 7 concerning a son sitting on his throne. There are several promises given throughout the book of Psalms, the major and minor prophets concerning the promises given to David concerning the anointed one to be born. Christ or Messiah means the anointed one.

Jesus asked them a question on their response that they were not able to give an answer on. Here's his question: "How is it then that David, inspired by the Spirit, calls his Lord: The LORD declared to my Lord: 'Sit at my right hand until I put your enemies under your feet?' 'If David calls him Lord, how can he be his son?' This is the question that they were not able to answer but the answer is very clear if we have been given eyes to see and ears to hear what the Lord is saying in his word.

The Christ is David's son and he is David's Lord. This is only possible because of the virgin birth of Christ. We can be thankful that what is impossible for us to



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accomplish that God alone is able to accomplish. We can be thankful that when the Holy Spirit over shadowed Mary that the Lord still remained God and took on humanity.

So, the Lord Jesus is a son of David because Mary's genealogy is through the line of Nathan and he is also God's Son because of the

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It is a mystery but we can be thankful this season because God came and took up residence with us. He lived a perfect sinless life teaching us how to love God with all of our being and how to love our neighbor as ourselves. We can be thankful because he is the only one who can intercede on our behalf for our sin debt against God. He intercedes on our behalf for our physical and spiritual wellbeing.

We can give thanks to the Lord because he loves us with an everlasting love that is perfect. He loves you so much that he will be your shepherd if you let him. Then you will be able to give thanks in all things because he is in control of your life and not you.

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Haman has the worst day of his life

And then there are those days that just go from bad to worse: a terrible day at work, fender-bender on the way home, and just when you think nothing else can possibly happen, your spouse drops a bomb of bad news on you when you walk in the door. As we carry on with our study of Esther, we find Haman having just this kind of day. We last saw him hurrying home with his head covered, mourning over having to publicly honor Mordecai at the King's command. Let's pick the story up here to see what happens next:

"And Haman told his wife Zeresh and all his friends everything that had happened to him. Then his wise men and his wife Zeresh said to him, 'If Mordecai, before whom you have begun to fall, is

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of the Jewish people, you will not overcome him but will surely fall before him." Esther 6:13

I know Haman had this coming. The guy has been a ruthless jerk from the word go in this story. However, in this one verse, I can muster up a little sympathy for him. While Haman's wife and friends are exactly right in this response, they have just hung him out to dry.

This is a great lesson about why we don't need to send out invitations to our pity parties. When we get sideways about what we are owed, especially at the expense of someone else, the last thing we need is for folks to agree with us and egg us on!

Notice in their response they say "if Mordecai is of the Jewish people..." as if this was the first time Mordecai had been identified as a Jew. Just one chapter back Haman had expressed his disgust to them over "Mordecai the Jew" sitting at the King's gate and robbing him of any satisfaction (Esther 5: 13). In that moment, Zeresh and all his friends gave him this advice: "Let a gallows fifty cubits high be made, and in the morning let the king to have Mordecai hanged upon it..." It seems that when Haman was riding high on the wings of his promotion and invitation

to the Queen's banquets, his family and friends encouraged him to go for more. Yet once they hear of Mordecai's favor with the King, they back away from Haman and he goes down alone. This is a great lesson about why we don't need to send out invitations to our pity parties. When we get sideways about what we are owed, especially at the expense of someone else, the last thing we need is for folks to agree with us and egg us on!

But it gets worse: while they were still discussing this, the King's servants

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And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another — and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

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taken God's patience for His permission, and would feel much more comfortable in its sin if Christians would be a little more compromising.

But compromising the truth would destroy our witness and be a bad example for the culture's welfare. In the end it is His approval we seek and not the approval of men (John 12:43).

Those who practice perversions seem

to crave the approval and acceptance of others who are unwilling to forsake the realm of reality to join them in their fantasies, and they subsequently become frustrated and depressed, even suicidal. While I do not want to see anyone injure themselves; I don't believe placating their make-believe world is the biblical approach.

■ Gary B. King welcomes comments or questions and can be reached at garybkingcc@gmail.com. Christian Concepts is archived at gbkcc.com.

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come and take Haman to Esther's second banquet. And the real bomb gets dropped. In the after-dinner conversation, Esther identifies her request to the King as she asks for her life and the life of her people to be spared from the decree set forth by Haman. Can you imagine his panic when she points at him across the table and all the pieces of the puzzle fit together? This is just not his day, is it? As for the King, nothing sparks rage like being betrayed or embarrassed by someone whom you place your confidence. Without hesitation, he orders Haman to be hanged

on the very gallows he had built for Mordecai (Esther 7: 9-10). A bad end to a really bad day, but one that originated with Haman's hatred and prejudice. In this instant, Haman becomes a real life commercial for Proverbs 26:27, "Whoever digs a pit will fall into it, and a stone will come back on him who starts it rolling." God will not be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. Because every heart matters.

Blessings, Angie

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A brief history of the clergy's role in wine making

By **MICHAEL FOLEY**

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Each year the holidays bring with them an increase in both the consumption of alcohol and concern about drinking's harmful effects.

Alcohol abuse is no laughing matter, but is it sinful to drink and make merry, moderately and responsibly, during a holy season or at any other time?

As a historical theologian, I researched the role that pious Christians played in developing and producing alcohol. What I discovered was an astonishing history.

Wine was invented 6,000 years before the birth of

Christ, but it was monks who largely preserved viniculture in Europe. Religious orders such as the Benedictines and Jesuits became expert wine-makers. They stopped only because their lands were confiscated in the 18th and 19th centuries by anti-Catholic governments such as the French Revolution's Constituent Assembly and Germany's Second Reich.

In order to celebrate the Eucharist, which requires the use of bread and wine, Catholic missionaries brought their knowledge of vine-growing with them to the New World. Wine grapes were first intro-

duced to Alta California in 1779 by Saint Junipero Serra and his Franciscan brethren, laying the foundation for the California wine industry. A similar pattern emerged in Argentina, Chile and Australia.

Godly men not only preserved and promulgated oenology, or the study of wines; they also advanced it. One of the pioneers in the "methode champenoise," or the "traditional method" of making sparkling wine, was a Benedictine monk whose name now adorns one of the world's finest champagnes: Dom Pérignon. According to a later legend, when he sampled his first batch in

1715, Pérignon cried out to his fellow monks:

"Brothers, come quickly. I am drinking stars!"

Monks and priests also found new uses for the grape. The Jesuits are credited with improving the process for making grappa in Italy and pisco in South America, both of which are grape brandies.

And although beer may have been invented by the ancient Babylonians, it was perfected by the medieval monasteries that gave us brewing as we know it today. The oldest drawings of a modern brewery are from the Monastery of Saint Gall in Switzerland.

The plans, which date back to A.D. 820, show three breweries – one for guests of the monastery, one for pilgrims and the poor, and one for the monks themselves.

One saint, Arnold of Soissons, who lived in the 11th century, has even been credited with inventing the filtration process. To this day and despite the proliferation of many outstanding microbreweries, the world's finest beer is arguably still made within the cloister – specifically, within the cloister of a Trappist monastery.

Equally impressive is the religious contribution to distilled spirits. Whiskey

was invented by medieval Irish monks, who probably shared their knowledge with the Scots during their missions.

Chartreuse is widely considered the world's best liqueur because of its extraordinary spectrum of distinct flavors and even medicinal benefits. Perfected by the Carthusian order almost 300 years ago, the recipe is known by only two monks at a time. The herbal liqueur Bénédictine D.O.M. is reputed to have been invented in 1510 by an Italian Benedictine named Dom Bernardo Vincelli to fortify and restore weary monks.

'Revival!' world premier is set for Museum of the Bible

Revival! (www.revival-themovie.com), an imaginative retelling of the gospel according to John the Apostle featuring original and contemporary gospel music will hold its world premier Monday, Dec. 4 at The Museum of the Bible, 400 4th Street SW, Washington, DC. The evening will begin with a VIP cocktail reception and red carpet, followed by performances featuring the film's stars in advance of the evening's 7:30 screening.

Revival! opens Dec. 7 in theaters in New York, Atlanta, Chicago, Philadelphia, Miami, Houston, Detroit, Dallas and Los Angeles. In January, it will expand to screens in Memphis, Baltimore, New Orleans, Norfolk, St. Louis, San Francisco, Cleveland, Orlando, Boston,

Tampa, Indianapolis and Milwaukee.

The all-star cast includes 10-time Grammy winner Chaka Khan, Michelle Williams of Destiny's Child, Siedah Garrett, Mali Music, T'Keyah Crystal Keymah, Dawnn Lewis, Niki J. Crawford, Wendy Raquel Robinson, Paula Newsome, Victoria Tilford and Chester Gregory.

The film was directed by Danny Green and Obba Babatundé from a screen play by Lennix and Holly Carter.

Said Lennix, "Revival! is a project that has lived in my heart for many years. It espouses a message of love and spiritual courage, something like an open love letter that can help comfort all of us as we process the chaos of daily life."

"This project brings

moments of the Bible alive in a way that is awe inspiring, entertaining and maybe even life changing. It offers an incredible biblical and musical experience for audiences yearning for more inspirational storytelling," added Holly Carter.

Original music score and arrangements are by Mali Music, ELEW, Donald Lawrence and Abdul Robinson Royal.

Lennix, Carter and David C. Waite are producing the film through Merge-XJR: Exponent, Jupiter Film Group and Relevé Entertainment. Steve Harris T'Keyah Crystal Keymah are executive producers of Revival! The film is distributed by TriCoast Entertainment Worldwide. For more visit www.revival-themovie.com.

— *Business Wire*



Harry Lennix as Pontius Pilate is pictured at right.

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Section B

PREP FOOTBALL

CHS-Lee refs pulled for playoffs

Crew shorted Tigers a down on their final drive in a 31-27 loss.

By **JORDAN KROEGER**
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The referees from last Friday's football game between Columbia and Robert E. Lee have been suspended by the FHSAA for the rest of the playoffs after they shorted the Tigers a down on their final drive.

The mistake prevented a comeback attempt for

Columbia, which ultimately lost the Region 1-7A semifinal 31-27. The Tigers went from second down to fourth down on the drive after confusion over whether quarterback Kade Jackson's pass was a fumble or incomplete on 2nd-and-2.

The officials originally ruled that it was a fumble recovered by Lee, which would have iced the game, but then overturned it to an incompletion after meeting with one another. That should have brought up third down, but the referees signaled fourth instead despite argu-

ment from Columbia's sideline. Running back Kylen Callum was stopped a yard short on the ensuing play and Lee kneeled out the clock.

FHSAA Director of Athletics Frank Beasley delivered the news to Columbia principal Trey Hosford on Wednesday.

"I think the officials really just got caught up in the moment with the fumble, the incomplete pass and then resetting everything," said Hosford, who was watching the game

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BRENT KUYKENDALL/Lake City Reporter

Columbia captains Jordan Smith, Kylen Callum, Marquez Bell and Garrett Fennell stand at midfield for the coin toss prior to last Friday's Region 1-7A semifinal against Robert E. Lee.

CHS WRESTLING PREVIEW

Ready to tangle



ERIC JACKSON/Lake City Reporter

Columbia wrestler Obi Smith (left) grapples Daveyon Brown during practice on Wednesday.

Deeper team could propel Tigers on state-title run.

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It will be a tall task replacing last year's senior trio — a talented group of wrestlers that included a state champion — but nobody is looking to rebuild at Columbia.

The Tigers are prepared to reload, entering the season beaming with confidence despite losing a few key contributors from last year. Columbia is coming off a strong campaign in which it cemented itself as one of the best programs in the region.

The Tigers, though, still feel like there's unfinished business to care of. Columbia finished second at districts last year and ended the season with a fifth-place finish at the state finals. After coming up short of a title, the Tigers' young team is ready to prove its more than capable of hoist-

ing the hardware at the end of the season. At the forefront of the state title push is Matt Ross, the lone returning state qualifier.

"I'm going to win it," he said of his chances at state. "I've been training all summer, so if I don't win a state title, that's not going to cut it."

Columbia will lean on top seniors in Chap Sapp, Matthew Arango and Ross this season, as well as up-and-comer juniors like Ian and Alex McGuigan. With more depth on the roster, the Tigers hope that will pay off after being forced to forfeit certain weight classes last season. Ross believes this Columbia team could surpass last season's squad, simply because the Tigers won't give away easy points.

"We definitely had a bunch of individuals last year. As a whole, weight-class wise, I'd say [we're

deeper] ... We don't have the superstars like we had last year but as a whole, we have a lot more solid kids."

Columbia is happy to have Sapp back after missing last season. The Tigers also expect strong junior campaigns from Preston O'Quinn and regional qualifier David Thompson. Obi Smith and Brett Millard are also poised for big sophomore seasons.

Columbia is out to prove its the best team in the region after the Lincoln Trojans edged the Tigers last season.

"I have six guys in my [core] group that I expect to qualify for state," Columbia coach Pete Whittington said. "And everybody in that group has the opportunity to qualify for state. Matt Ross is probably going to win regions and we'll see how high on the

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COLLEGE BASKETBALL



UF beats Stanford in Battle 4 Atlantis

Ballard scores 19 to send Gators to the fifth-place game with a 72-49 win.

Associated Press

PARADISE ISLAND, Bahamas — Deandrae Ballard scored a career-best 19 points to help Florida beat Stanford 72-49 in Thursday's consolation game at the Battle 4 Atlantis.

KeVaughn Allen added 13 points for the Gators (3-2), who arrived in the Bahamas with an offense that hadn't performed the way coach Mike White expected. Then they scored 60 points in a first-round loss to Oklahoma, leaving White to say confidence was an issue for his team.

"I don't think we're a team with a bunch of swagger right now," Florida coach White said after Wednesday's game. "I think confidence is a big issue with this team right now. It's something that we've got to get to the bottom of."

Things went smoother against the Cardinal (2-3). Florida shot 52 percent, including making 7 of 15 3-pointers.

The Gators took control early as Stanford's offense sputtered. Florida led 32-13 by the break, the fewest points allowed in a half under its fourth-year coach.

Cormac Ryan scored 12 points for Stanford, which made 5 of 23 shots with 13 turnovers in an opening half that essentially decided this one.

Florida plays Friday in the fifth-place game, while Stanford plays for seventh.



ON TWITTER

Lake City Sports Podcast wrap-up

Check out analysis of Columbia's playoff loss to Lee from last week this afternoon @LCR_Sports



ONLINE EXCLUSIVE

Seminoles recap

Florida State's basketball team faced off against UAB late Thursday night. Go to the LCR website for full details from the game.



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TV LISTINGS

Today AUTO RACING 3:55 a.m.	10 p.m.	Saturday, Nov. 24 AUTO RACING 4:55 a.m.	10:30 p.m.
ESPN2 — Formula One, Abu Dhabi Grand Prix, practice, Abu Dhabi	FS1 — TBD, Las Vegas Invitational, third-place game	ESPN2 — Formula 1, Ethiad Air Ways Grand Prix, Practice, Abu Dhabi	ESPN2 — Hawaii at San Diego State
COLLEGE BASKETBALL 11:30 a.m.	11:30 p.m.	7:55 a.m.	GOLF 1 a.m.
ESPN — TBD, Battle 4 Atlantis, third-place game	ESPN2 — TBD, Wooden Legacy, semifinal game	ESPN2 — Formula 1, Ethiad Air Ways Grand Prix, Qualifying, Abu Dhabi	GOLF — European Tour Golf, Hong Kong Open, third round, Hong Kong GC, Fanling
ESPN2 — TBD, AdvoCare Invitational, semifinal game	COLLEGE FOOTBALL 12 p.m.	5:20 p.m.	MIXED MARTIAL ARTS 12:30 a.m.
ESPN — TBD, Battle 4 Atlantis, championship game	ABC — Houston at Memphis	FS1 — Supercars Championship: Coates Hire New Castle 500 Supersprint	FS1 — UFC, Blaydes vs. Ngannou
ESPN2 — TBD, Wooden Legacy, semifinal game	CBSN — Akron at Ohio	COLLEGE FOOTBALL Noon	NBA BASKETBALL 8:30 p.m.
FOX — TBD, Las Vegas Invitational, third-place game	ESPN2 — Buffalo at Bowling Green	ABC — Florida at Florida State	NBA — San Antonio at Milwaukee
ESPN2 — TBD, AdvoCare Invitational, championship game	FOX — Nebraska at Iowa	CBSN — Western Kentucky at Louisiana Tech	SOCCER 3:20 a.m.
SEC — Kent State at Vanderbilt	FS1 — Texas at Kansas	ESPN — Syracuse at Boston College	FS1 — Bundesliga, Bayern vs. Dusseldorf
FOX — TBD, Las Vegas Invitational, championship game	2:30 p.m.	ESPN2 — Purdue at Indiana	FS1 — Bundesliga, Schalke vs. Nurnberg
ESPN2 — TBD, Battle 4 Atlantis, championship game	CBS — Arkansas at Missouri	ESPN2 — Navy at Tulane	NBCSN — Premier League, AFC Bournemouth vs. Arsenal FC
ESPN2 — TBD, Wooden Legacy, consolation game	ABC — Virginia at Virginia Tech	FOX — Michigan at Ohio State	NBC — Premier League, Tottenham vs. Chelsea
SEC — Kent State at Vanderbilt	CBSN — East Carolina at Cincinnati	SEC — Georgia Tech at Georgia Tech	NBCSN — Premier League, Wolverhampton Wanderers FC vs. Huddersfield Town FC
FOX — TBD, Las Vegas Invitational, championship game	FS1 — Oregon at Oregon State	4:15 p.m.	
ESPN2 — TBD, AdvoCare Invitational, semifinal game	ESPN — UCF at South Florida	8 p.m.	
SEC — Tennessee State at Kentucky	ESPN — Oklahoma at West Virginia	8:30 p.m.	
SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	FOX — Washington at Washington State	GOLF 1 a.m.	
FS1 — Cleveland State at Ohio State	SEC — Kent State at Vanderbilt	GOLF — European Tour Golf, Hong Kong Open, second round, Hong Kong GC, Fanling	
SEC — UT Arlington at Arkansas	FOX — TBD, Las Vegas Invitational, championship game	8 p.m.	
ESPN2 — TBD, NIT Tip-Off, championship game	SEC — Tennessee State at Kentucky	GOLF — PGA Tour, ISPS Handa World Cup of Golf, third round, Australia	
9:30 p.m.	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	1 a.m. (Saturday)	
CBSN — Baylor vs. Ole Miss	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	GOLF — European Tour Golf, Hong Kong Open, third round, Hong Kong GC, Fanling	
ESPN2 — TBD, Battle 4 Atlantis, fifth-place game	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	NBA BASKETBALL 7 p.m.	
	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	NBTV — Houston at Detroit	
	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	10:30 p.m.	
	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	NBTV — Utah at LA Lakers	
	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	NHL HOCKEY 1 p.m.	
	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	NBC — New York at Philadelphia	
	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	7:30 p.m.	
	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	NBCSN — Chicago at Tampa Bay	
	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	SOCCER 2:30 p.m.	
	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	FS2 — Bayer Leverkusen vs. VfB Stuttgart	

10 p.m.	Saturday, Nov. 24 AUTO RACING 4:55 a.m.	10:30 p.m.
FS1 — TBD, Las Vegas Invitational, third-place game	ESPN2 — Formula 1, Ethiad Air Ways Grand Prix, Practice, Abu Dhabi	ESPN2 — Hawaii at San Diego State
11:30 p.m.	7:55 a.m.	GOLF 1 a.m.
ESPN2 — TBD, Wooden Legacy, semifinal game	ESPN2 — Formula 1, Ethiad Air Ways Grand Prix, Qualifying, Abu Dhabi	GOLF — European Tour Golf, Hong Kong Open, third round, Hong Kong GC, Fanling
COLLEGE FOOTBALL 12 p.m.	5:20 p.m.	MIXED MARTIAL ARTS 12:30 a.m.
ABC — Houston at Memphis	FS1 — Supercars Championship: Coates Hire New Castle 500 Supersprint	FS1 — UFC, Blaydes vs. Ngannou
CBSN — Akron at Ohio	COLLEGE FOOTBALL Noon	NBA BASKETBALL 8:30 p.m.
ESPN2 — Buffalo at Bowling Green	ABC — Florida at Florida State	NBA — San Antonio at Milwaukee
FOX — Nebraska at Iowa	CBSN — Western Kentucky at Louisiana Tech	SOCCER 3:20 a.m.
FS1 — Texas at Kansas	ESPN — Syracuse at Boston College	FS1 — Bundesliga, Bayern vs. Dusseldorf
2:30 p.m.	ESPN2 — Purdue at Indiana	FS1 — Bundesliga, Schalke vs. Nurnberg
CBS — Arkansas at Missouri	ESPN2 — Navy at Tulane	NBCSN — Premier League, AFC Bournemouth vs. Arsenal FC
3:30 p.m.	FOX — Michigan at Ohio State	NBC — Premier League, Tottenham vs. Chelsea
4 p.m.	SEC — Georgia Tech at Georgia Tech	NBCSN — Premier League, Wolverhampton Wanderers FC vs. Huddersfield Town FC
4:15 p.m.	4:15 p.m.	
ESPN — UCF at South Florida	8 p.m.	
8 p.m.	8:30 p.m.	
ESPN — Oklahoma at West Virginia	FOX — Washington at Washington State	
8:30 p.m.	SEC — Kent State at Vanderbilt	
FOX — Washington at Washington State	FOX — TBD, Las Vegas Invitational, championship game	
GOLF 1 a.m.	SEC — Tennessee State at Kentucky	
GOLF — European Tour Golf, Hong Kong Open, second round, Hong Kong GC, Fanling	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
8 p.m.	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
GOLF — PGA Tour, ISPS Handa World Cup of Golf, third round, Australia	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
1 a.m. (Saturday)	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
GOLF — European Tour Golf, Hong Kong Open, third round, Hong Kong GC, Fanling	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
NBA BASKETBALL 7 p.m.	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
NBTV — Houston at Detroit	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
10:30 p.m.	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
NBTV — Utah at LA Lakers	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
NHL HOCKEY 1 p.m.	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
NBC — New York at Philadelphia	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
7:30 p.m.	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
NBCSN — Chicago at Tampa Bay	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
SOCCER 2:30 p.m.	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	
FS2 — Bayer Leverkusen vs. VfB Stuttgart	SEC — South Alabama at Texas A&M	

10:30 p.m.
ESPN2 — Hawaii at San Diego State
GOLF 1 a.m.
GOLF — European Tour Golf, Hong Kong Open, third round, Hong Kong GC, Fanling
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FS1 — UFC, Blaydes vs. Ngannou
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NBA — San Antonio at Milwaukee
SOCCER 3:20 a.m.
FS1 — Bundesliga, Bayern vs. Dusseldorf
FS1 — Bundesliga, Schalke vs. Nurnberg
NBCSN — Premier League, AFC Bournemouth vs. Arsenal FC
NBC — Premier League, Tottenham vs. Chelsea
NBCSN — Premier League, Wolverhampton Wanderers FC vs. Huddersfield Town FC

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ESPN2 — Hawaii at San Diego State
GOLF 1 a.m.
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FS1 — UFC, Blaydes vs. Ngannou
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NBCSN — Premier League, Wolverhampton Wanderers FC vs. Huddersfield Town FC

Green Bay at Minnesota, 8:20 p.m.
Open: L.A. Rams, Kansas City
Monday's Games
 Tennessee at Houston, 8:15 p.m.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Thursday's Top 25 Games
 No. 18 Mississippi St. at Ole Miss, 7:30 p.m.
Today's Top 25 Games
 No. 6 Oklahoma at No. 13 West Virginia, 8 p.m.
 No. 8 Washington St. vs. No. 16 Washington, 8:30 p.m.
 No. 9 UCF at South Florida, 4:15 p.m.
 No. 14 Texas at Kansas, noon
Saturday's Top 25 Games
 No. 1 Alabama vs. Auburn, 3:30 p.m.
 No. 2 Clemson vs. South Carolina, 7 p.m.
 No. 3 Notre Dame at USC, 8 p.m.
 No. 4 Michigan at No. 10 Ohio St., Noon
 No. 5 Georgia vs. Georgia Tech, Noon
 No. 7 LSU at No. 22 Texas A&M, 7:30 p.m.
 No. 11 Florida at Florida St., noon
 No. 12 Penn St. vs. Maryland, 3:30 p.m.
 No. 15 Kentucky at Louisville, 7 p.m.
 No. 17 Utah vs. BYU, 10 p.m.
 No. 19 Northwestern vs. Illinois, 3:30 p.m.
 No. 20 Syracuse at Boston College, noon
 No. 21 Utah St. at No. 23 Boise St., 10:15 p.m.
 No. 24 Pittsburgh at Miami, 3:30 p.m.
 No. 25 Iowa St. vs. Kansas St., 7 p.m.

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Thursday's Top 25 Games
 No. 4 Virginia 66, Dayton 59
 No. 6 Nevada 96, Tulsa 86
 No. 19 LSU 67, College of Charleston 55
 No. 25 Wisconsin 78, Oklahoma 58
 No. 7 North Carolina vs. Texas, 7:30 p.m.
 No. 14 Florida St. vs. UAB, 9 p.m.
 No. 11 Michigan St. vs. No. 17 UCLA, 10 p.m.
 N.Y. Giants at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.
 Cleveland at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.
 Arizona at L.A. Chargers, 4:05 p.m.
 Pittsburgh at Denver, 4:25 p.m.
 Miami at Indianapolis, 4:25 p.m.

NFL

Thursday's Games
 Chicago 23, Detroit 16
 Dallas 31, Washington 23
 Atlanta at New Orleans, 8:20 p.m.
Sunday's Games
 Seattle at Carolina, 1 p.m.
 New England at N.Y. Jets, 1 p.m.
 Jacksonville at Buffalo, 1 p.m.
 San Francisco at Tampa Bay, 1 p.m.
 Oakland at Baltimore, 1 p.m.
 N.Y. Giants at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.
 Cleveland at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.
 Arizona at L.A. Chargers, 4:05 p.m.
 Pittsburgh at Denver, 4:25 p.m.
 Miami at Indianapolis, 4:25 p.m.

State or No. 17 UCLA, 4 or 6:30 p.m.
 No. 9 Michigan vs. Chattanooga, 4 p.m.
 No. 10 Kentucky vs. Tennessee St., 7 p.m.
 No. 14 Florida St. vs. No. 19 LSU or College of Charleston, 4:30 or 7 p.m.
 No. 23 Ohio St. vs. Cleveland St., 8 p.m.
 No. 24 Purdue vs. Robert Morris, 2 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Thursday's Top 25 Games
 No. 1 Notre Dame 81, Gonzaga 65
 No. 2 UConn 90, Mississippi 50
 No. 11 Tennessee 78, Clemson 66
 No. 14 Syracuse 70, Kansas St. 61
 No. 15 N.C. St. 78, Michigan St. 74
 No. 16 DePaul 82, Princeton 67
 Kentucky 87, No. 17 South Florida 67
 No. 13 South Carolina vs. ETSU, 9 p.m.
 No. 9 Oregon St. vs. Western Kentucky, 11:30 p.m.
Today's Top 25 Games
 No. 1 Notre Dame vs. Drake or Rutgers, 3 or 9 p.m.
 No. 2 UConn vs. St. John's, 7:30 p.m.
 No. 3 Oregon vs. UC Riverside, 3 p.m.
 No. 4 Baylor vs. South Dakota St., 10:30 p.m.
 No. 5 Louisville vs. No. 19 Arizona St. 5:30 p.m.
 No. 7 Maryland vs. Morgan St., Noon
 No. 8 Stanford vs. FGCU, 9:30 p.m.
 No. 9 Oregon St. vs. No. 13 South Carolina or ETSU, 5:30 or 11:30 p.m.
 No. 10 Texas vs. Quinnipiac, 5 p.m.
 No. 12 Iowa vs. No. 25 West Virginia, 5:15 p.m.
 No. 14 Syracuse vs. Princeton, 2:30 p.m.
 No. 15 N.C. St. vs. George Washington, 4 p.m.
 No. 16 DePaul vs. Kansas St., Noon
 No. 17 South Florida vs. North Carolina, 3 p.m.
 No. 18 California vs. Tulane, 7 p.m.
 No. 20 Texas A&M vs. Arkansas St., 5 p.m.
 No. 21 Missouri vs. Michigan, 7:30 p.m.
 No. 23 Minnesota vs. Cornell, 4 p.m.
 No. 24 Miami vs. Nebraska, 3 p.m.

FRIDAY EVENING

Comcast	Dish	DirecTV	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
3-ABC	3	-	College Football	Coll. Football	Ent. Tonight	Inside Edition (N)	Santa Claus Is Coming to Town	Child Support (N) (DVS)	(:01) 20/20	News at 11	Jimmy Kimmel Live			
4-IND	4	4	News4JAX at 6PM	News4JAX	Ent. Tonight	Inside Edition (N)	Mike & Molly	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	The 10 O'Clock News (N)	(:15) The Show	(:35) DailyMailTV		
5-PBS	5	-	DW News	Nightly Business	PBS NewsHour (N)	Washington Week	Washington Week	Retire Safe & Secure With Ed Slott	Protecting savings for retirement.	BBC News	Nightly Business			
7-CBS	7	47	Action News Jax	CBS Evening News	Judge Judy	Family Feud	Frosty Snowman	Frosty Returns	(:01) Magnum P.I.	Hawaii Five-0	Action News	Late Show-Colbert		
9-CW	9	17	Funny You Ask	Mom	Mom	blackish	Penn & Teller: Fool Us	Grandma Got Run Over by a Reindeer	Chicago P.D.	Impactical Jokers	The Game			
10-FOX	10	30	Hoops Tip-Off	College Basketball	Continental Tire Las Vegas Invitational, Final: Teams TBA.	College Football	Washington at Washington State. (N)							
12-NBC	12	12	News	NBC Nightly News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	Dr. Seuss' Grinch	Trolls Holiday	(:10) The Wall	Dateline NBC (N)	(:15) Sideline 2018	Tonight Show		
WGN-A	16	239	307	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H "O.R."	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H
TVLAND	17	106	304	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H
OWN	18	189	279	Dr. Phil "Crazy, Stupid Love"	Dr. Phil "Are My Children in a Cult?"	The Paynes	The Paynes	The Paynes (N)	The Paynes	The Paynes	The Paynes	The Paynes	The Paynes	The Paynes
A&E	19	118	265	(5:55) Live PD "Live PD -- 11.17.18"		(:06) Live PD: Rewind (N)	"Pride, Prejudice and Mistletoe" (2018)	Lacey Chabert. Premiere.	"Christmas in Evergreen: Letters to Santa" (2018, Drama)	Jill Wagner.	"Hotel Transylvania 2" (2015, Children's)	Voices of Adam Sandler.		
HALL	20	185	312	"Reunited at Christmas" (2018, Drama)	Beverly Breuer, Candus Churchill.	"Hotel Transylvania 2" (2015, Children's)	Voices of Adam Sandler.	"Christmas in Evergreen: Letters to Santa" (2018, Drama)	Jill Wagner.	"Hotel Transylvania 2" (2015, Children's)	Voices of Adam Sandler.			
FX	22	136	248	*** "The Secret Life of Pets" (2016, Children's)	Voices of Louis C.K.	American Dynasties: The Kennedys	American Dynasties: The Kennedys	American Dynasties: The Kennedys	American Dynasties: The Kennedys	American Dynasties: The Kennedys	American Dynasties: The Kennedys			
CNN	24	200	202	The Situation Room With Wolf Blitzer	American Dynasties: The Kennedys	American Dynasties: The Kennedys	American Dynasties: The Kennedys	American Dynasties: The Kennedys	American Dynasties: The Kennedys	American Dynasties: The Kennedys				
TNT	25	138	245	(5:30) *** "The Hunger Games: Mockingjay, Part 1" (2014)	Jennifer Lawrence.	*** "The Hunger Games: Mockingjay, Part 2" (2015, Science Fiction)	Jennifer Lawrence.	*** "The Hunger Games: Mockingjay, Part 2" (2015, Science Fiction)	Jennifer Lawrence.	*** "The Hunger Games: Mockingjay, Part 2" (2015, Science Fiction)	Jennifer Lawrence.			
NIK	26	170	299	The Loud House	The Loud House	The Loud House	The Loud House	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	*** "The SpongeBob Movie: Sponge Out of Water" (2015, Children's)	Friends	Friends		
PARMT	28	168	241	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue		
MY-TV	29	32	-	Mama's Family	The Jeffersons	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	CSI: Miami	"Meltdown"	CSI: Miami	"Mommie Dearest"	Hogan's Heroes	Carol Burnett	Perry Mason
DISN	31	172	290	Bunk'd	Raven's Home	Raven's Home	Raven's Home	*** "Zootopia" (2016)	Voices of Ginnifer Goodwin, Jason Bateman.	Coop & Cami	(:40) Andi Mack	(:05) Andi Mack	Raven's Home	
LIFE	32	108	252	"The Christmas Contract" (2018, Drama)	Hilarie Burton, Danneel Ackles.	"Poinsettias for Christmas" (2018, Drama)	Bethany Joy Lenz. Premiere.	"A Madea Christmas" (2013, Comedy)	Tyler Perry, Kathy Najimy.	"A Madea Christmas" (2013, Comedy)	Tyler Perry, Kathy Najimy.			
USA	33	105	242	*** "Men in Black" (1997, Action)	Tommy Lee Jones, Will Smith.	*** "A Madea Christmas" (2013, Comedy)	Tyler Perry, Kathy Najimy.	*** "A Madea Christmas" (2013, Comedy)	Tyler Perry, Kathy Najimy.	*** "A Madea Christmas" (2013, Comedy)	Tyler Perry, Kathy Najimy.			
BET	34	124	329	(5:55) *** "Why Did I Get Married?" (2007)	Tyler Perry. Eight married friends grapple with commitment and betrayal.	(8:55) *** "Tyler Perry's Why Did I Get Married Too?" (2010, Comedy-Drama)	Tyler Perry, Sharon Leal.							
ESPN	35	140	206	College Football	(:15) College Football Countdown (N)	College Football	Oklahoma at West Virginia. (N)							
ESPN2	36	144	209	College Basketball	College Basketball	NIT Season Tip-Off, Third Place: Teams TBA. (N)								
SUNSP	37	-	-	ACC All-Access	Mark Richt	NHRA Drag Racing Sportsman Series: Pomona 2. From Auto Club Raceway in Pomona, Calif. (Taped)								
DISCV	38	182	278	Gold Rush	Gold Rush: Pay Dirt (N)	Gold Rush	"The Dirt 'Bad Blood' (N)	Gold Rush	"Hazard Pay" (N)	Fantasy Football Hour '18 (N)	World Poker			
TBS	39	139	247	(5:45) *** "The Wizard of Oz" (1939, Children's)	Judy Garland.	(DVS)	*** "Love Actually" (2003)	Hugh Grant, Laura Linney. Various people deal with relationships in London.	(DVS)	(:01) Master of Arms "Blunderbuss" (N)	(:02) Master of Arms: Reforged (N)			
HLN	40	202	204	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files			
FNC	41	205	360	Special Report With Bret Baier (N)	The Story With Martha MacCallum (N)	Tucker Carlson Tonight (N)	Hannity (N)	The Inghram Angle (N)		Fox News at Night with Shannon				
E!	45	114	236	*** "The Parent Trap" (1998, Children's)	Lindsay Lohan. Reunited twin girls try to get their parents back together.	*** "Bridesmaids" (2011)	Kristen Wiig, Maya Rudolph. A maid of honor's life unravels as the big day approaches.							
TRAVEL	46	196	277	Ghost Adventures "Edinburgh Manor"	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	"Ghosts of Vicksburg"	The bloody Siege of Vicksburg. (N)	Ghost Adventures "Crisis in Oakdale"			
HGTV	47	112	229	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	House Hunters (N)	House Hunters Int'l	House Hunters	House Hunters	
TLC	48	183	280	Four Weddings (N)	Four Weddings (N)	90 Day Fiancé "Extended: Not What I Thought"	Colt has a surprise for Larissa.	90 Day Fiancé (N)	My Big Fat American Gypsy Wedding	90 Day Fiancé				
HIST	49	120	269	Ancient Aliens "Alien Breeders"	Ancient Aliens "The Other Earth"	Ancient Aliens: Declassified "Mysteries Unearthed"	Ancient relics with alleged powers. (N)	(:05) Ancient Aliens "Alien Encounters"						
ANPL	50	184	282	Tanked	Tanked	"Wildfire Rescue Tribute Tank"	Tanked "All in the Ocean" (N)	Tanked "All in the Ocean" (N)	Scaled A Jurassic-themed enclosure.	Tanked "Ty Dolla's Fresh Tank"				
FOOD	51	110	231	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive			
TBN	52	260	372	John Gray World	God Came Near	It's Supernatural!	The Potter's Touch	Ambassador of the Good News	Hal Lindsey	End of the Age	Perry Stone	The Watchman	Ambassador of the Good News	
FSN-FL	56	-	-	Fantasy Football Hour '18	Fantasy Football Hour '18	Super								

DEAR ABBY

Lighthearted wedding invite rubs a recipient wrong way

DEAR ABBY: We received a wedding invitation in the mail today from my husband's nephew. First of all, we are to RSVP by tomorrow. (WHAT?)



Abigail Van Buren
www.dearabby.com

Here are our options in responding:

- Gladly attend
 - Regretfully decline
 - Resentfully attend
 - Enthusiastically decline
 - I'll surprise you
- The invitation also asked which song we'd like "blasted over our awkward small talk." Granted, there is some animosity among the groom's father's siblings, but I think this is rude, sarcastic and inappropriate. I have a sense of humor but do not find this funny. Am I off the mark? — **INSULTED GUEST IN THE MIDWEST**

DEAR GUEST: Obviously, you and your husband would have preferred a more formal — and possibly more timely — invitation. Considering the sorry state of family relations on the groom's side, the wording may have been an attempt at humor. It may also have been sincere. If you cannot *gladly* attend, rather than fume, send your regrets.

DEAR ABBY: We don't care much for the wife of one of our new neighbors. The husband is nice, but his wife is overbearing. On the occasions we get together, she interrupts conversations or takes over the conversation whenever she speaks. Occasionally, we see each other around the neighborhood, and it's always a friendly meeting since we can walk away from them.

Once in a while one neighbor will have a few of the others over for a party, but no one wants to invite the new couple because of her. What do we say if

either one asks why they aren't invited to some of the parties we have? We live close enough to each other that they might see us entertaining without them. Please don't suggest we invite them and suck it up since we tried that and the evening was not fun for anyone. — **STRUGGLING FOR AN ANSWER**

DEAR STRUGGLING: Don't worry, I won't. No one should ask a question like that unless prepared for the answer. If one of them is so bold as to ask why they weren't included, I think you should tell the person the truth.

DEAR ABBY: I'm a boy in sixth grade. Recently, my best friend has been hitting me. I try to get her to stop. I've done everything I can think of, but she keeps doing it.

Today in math class, she pinched me so I did it back. Afterward she beat on me with a ruler. I could really use some of your advice. — **TIRED OF IT**

DEAR TIRED OF IT: The person you call your best friend isn't acting like one. She may do it to get attention because she has a crush on you, or because she's a bully. Tell her to stop touching you because you don't like it, but do *not* retaliate by hitting her back. If she persists, tell your teacher what she has been doing because it's creating a distraction when you need to be concentrating in class.

Women's viewpoints could doom the couple's future

DEAR ABBY: I am a Christian who is passionate and vocal about being an ally to the LGBTQ community. I have close family members and friends who are part of that community, so I never waiver in my support or understanding. I am also a feminist. These beliefs are deeply a part of who I am and how I live my life.

Recently, my boyfriend's mother and I got into an argument about my support and advocacy for the LGBTQ community. She's very conservative and opinionated, and her viewpoints are outdated. She has denounced the women's movement and scoffed at the idea that men and women aren't treated equally in this day and age.

I tried my best to make good points, but the conversation ended with her telling me I need to pray because my beliefs aren't consistent with my faith. This has alarmed and offended me because my boyfriend remained silent while his mother chastised me. Now I'm worried about our future. If we have children, I would never want them to be exposed to such hatred and ignorance.

When I expressed these concerns to my guy, I got the classic, "Well, that's just how she is" response. How can I have a healthy relationship with my boyfriend's family if we are at such odds with our core beliefs? — **OPEN-MINDED IN THE SOUTH**

DEAR OPEN-MINDED: You can't. There are none so blind as those who will not see, so don't waste your time trying to get your boyfriend's

mother to see the light. And don't hold your breath waiting for your boyfriend to defend you because when it comes to prying open her perspective, he's not up to it. You should have another conversation with him about this, but if you make no headway, recognize it's time to move on.

DEAR ABBY: My grandmother had beautiful but simple emerald jewelry. When I was 10, she told me that because I was her only grandchild who shared emerald as a birthstone, when she died, the jewelry would be mine.

Fast-forward 30 years. A year before her death, my grandmother asked my mother if there was anything of hers we wanted. Mom immediately mentioned the emerald jewelry for me. Grandma said we were "too late," she'd already given it to my aunt, her daughter-in-law. I never let on to my grandmother how upset I was, but I was devastated. A year later she passed away at 86. It's not her fault she forgot she'd promised the jewelry to me.

My aunt has no daughters, and the odds are slim that she'll have grandchildren. I don't want to ask her to give me the jewelry. My grandmother was precious to her, too. But would it be wrong to ask her to not promise it to anyone else, and to leave it to me in her will? — **HOPEFUL IN CANADA**

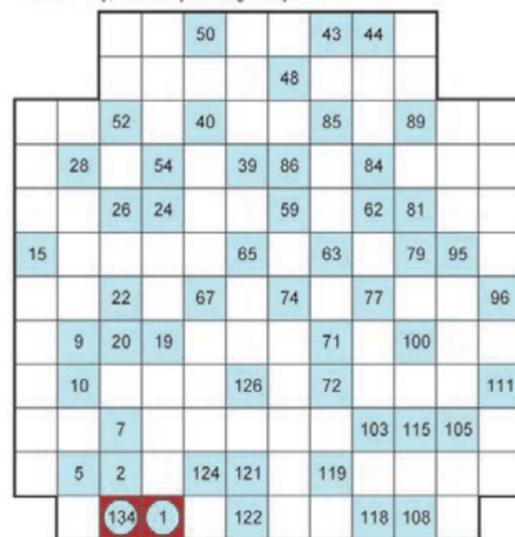
DEAR HOPEFUL: You wouldn't be wrong, but it will require a delicate touch. Not only should you do it, you should do it soon, before she does exactly what you fear.

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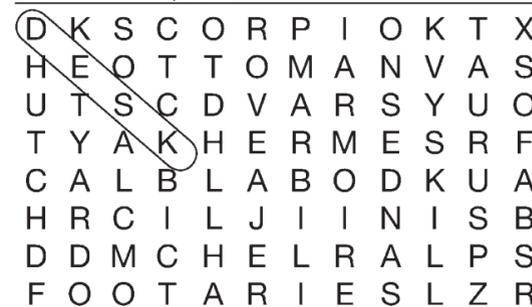
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- Four zodiac signs □□□□
- Three units of length □□□
- Two mountain chains □□
- Ability □

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HOROSCOPES | THE LAST WORD BY EUGENIA LAST

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A steady pace forward will get you where you want to go. There is money to be made if you don't let your emotions interrupt your progress. A positive change to an important relationship will lead to joint ventures and future plans. ★★★★★

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Don't leave anything to chance. Do your research and stay focused on what you are trying to accomplish. Learn from past experience, and you'll stay on target and within your budget. Don't trust anyone else to handle your affairs. ★★★

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): There is no time to waste. Size up your situation and get things in order. If someone tries to lead you astray, cut him or her short and make it clear you know what you are doing. Love and romance are featured. ★★★

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Don't let the changes other people make influence you or disrupt your plans. Stick to your goal and be willing to put the energy and enthusiasm into finishing what you start. Your determination will pay off. ★★★

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You are

a great organizer and party planner, but don't take on more than you can handle. You'll end up footing the bill if you go over budget. Keep your plans within reason as well as affordable for others. ★★★★★

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Problems will surface at home if someone is vague or dishonest. Ask direct questions before you move forward. Take time out to reflect and to mull over what's transpired. Put your energy into personal growth and improvements. ★★

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A short trip or attending a reunion will do you good. Don't believe everything you hear, but enjoy others' stories, and share some of your adventures as well. An offer is likely to come with stipulations that may not meet your criteria. ★★★★★

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Learn as you go. Your curiosity will help you gather information that will encourage you to get involved in something unique. Check out the cost before you make a commitment. Knowledge is power; collect and document information. ★★★★★

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Stick close to home and sur-

round yourself with people you trust. An argument with a friend, peer or relative will not end well or help you move forward. Share only what's applicable. Offer too much information, and it will be used against you. ★★★★★

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You don't have to agree to change if it doesn't suit you. Do your own thing if you aren't comfortable with the stipulations or ramifications involved in a plan or offer someone presents. A joint venture will be emotional and risky. ★★★★★

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Host an event or make changes to your living arrangements or quarters. An opportunity will result from a friendly conversation with someone you enjoy collaborating with. Check for any potential problems before you proceed. Romance is highlighted. ★★★★★

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Keep the peace, no matter what transpires. Arguments will ruin your day and your relationship with someone you value as a friend or lover. Concentrate on what you can accomplish that will make your homestead more inviting. ★★

CELEBRITY BIRTHDAYS

Nov. 23: Screenwriter Joe Eszterhas is 74. Singer Bruce Hornsby is 64. Actor John Henton is 58. "Good Morning America" co-host Robin Roberts is 58. Singer-guitarist Ken Block is 52. Drummer Charlie Grover is 52. Actress Salli Richardson-Whitfield is 51. Rapper Kurupt is 46. Actor Page Kennedy is 42. Actress Kelly Brook is 39. Actor Lucas Grabeel is 34. TV personality Nicole "Snooki" Polizzi is 31. Singer-actress Miley Cyrus is 26. Actor Austin Majors is 23. Actress Olivia Keville is 16.

Nov. 24: Country singer Johnny Carver is 78. Former Beatles drummer Pete Best is 77. Actor-comedian Billy Connolly is 76. Actor Dwight Schultz is 71. Actor Stanley Livingston is 68. Drummer Clem Burke is 64. Record producer/musician Terry Lewis is 62. Actress Denise Crosby is 61. Guitarist John Squire is 56. Guitarist Gary Stonadge is 56. Actor Garret Dillahunt is 54. Actor Conleth Hall is 54. Comedian Brad Sherwood is 54. Actor Scott Krinsky is 50. Guitarist Chad Taylor is 48. Actress Lola Glaudini is 47. Actor Colin Hanks is 41. Actress Katherine Heigl is 40. Actress Sarah Hyland is 28.

JUMBLE

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

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“(Answers tomorrow)”

Yesterday's Jumbles: BUTTE SKULK VERIFICATION LIZARD

Answer: The Thanksgiving cooks' conversation became serious when they — TALKED TURKEY

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME

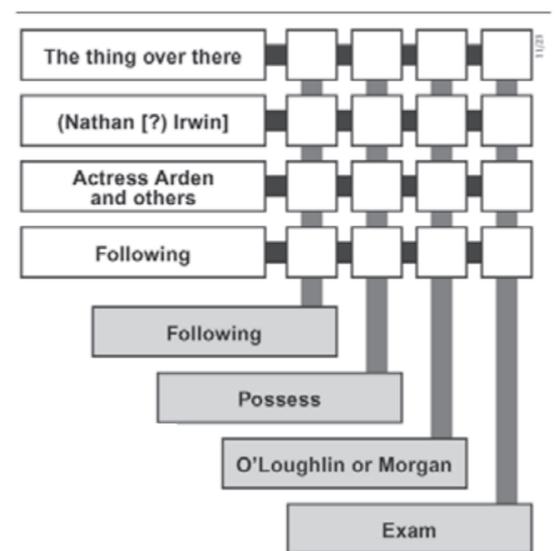
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

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By John Wilmes



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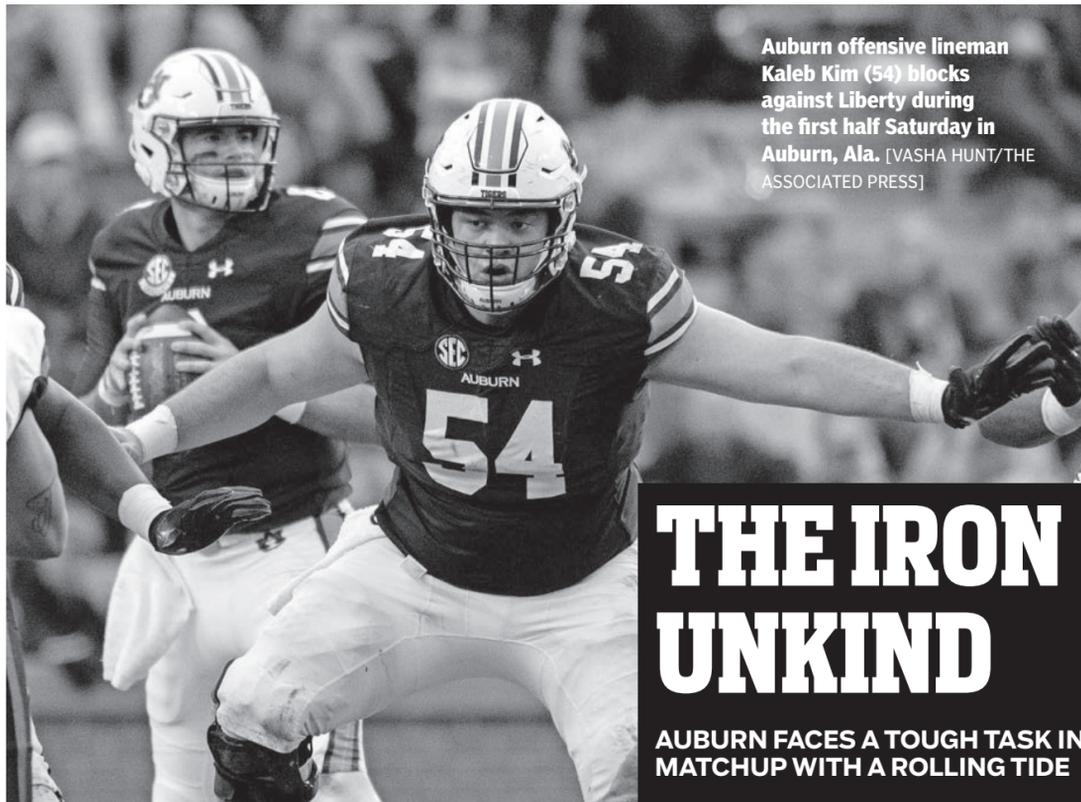
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STANDINGS Through Nov. 17

EAST TEAM	CONF		PF	PA	HOME	AWAY	WEST TEAM	CONF		PF	PA	HOME	AWAY
	W-L	ALL						W-L	ALL				
Georgia	7-1	10-1	436	185	6-0	3-1	Alabama	7-0	11-0	536	144	6-0	4-0
Kentucky	5-3	8-3	263	185	6-1	2-2	LSU	5-2	9-2	309	177	6-1	2-1
Florida	5-3	8-3	373	231	5-2	3-0	Texas A&M	4-3	7-4	342	244	5-1	1-3
South Carolina	4-4	6-4	328	267	4-2	2-2	Mississippi State	3-4	7-4	314	141	6-1	1-3
Missouri	3-4	7-4	405	293	4-2	3-2	Auburn	3-4	7-4	318	183	5-2	1-2
Tennessee	2-5	5-6	260	297	4-3	1-2	Ole Miss	1-6	5-6	404	399	3-3	1-3
Vanderbilt	2-5	5-6	294	288	4-2	1-4	Arkansas	0-7	2-9	260	379	2-5	0-3

GAME OF THE WEEK AUBURN (7-4) AT NO. 1 ALABAMA (11-0)

When: 3:30 p.m. EST Saturday **Where:** Bryant-Denny Stadium, Tuscaloosa, Ala. **TV:** CBS



Auburn offensive lineman Kaleb Kim (54) blocks against Liberty during the first half Saturday in Auburn, Ala. [VASHA HUNT/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS]

THE IRON UNKIND

AUBURN FACES A TOUGH TASK IN MATCHUP WITH A ROLLING TIDE

KEYS FOR AUBURN

Sustain on offense: The Tigers have started well in many games only to have their offense bog down as the game wore on, something they can't afford against Alabama. Auburn can't hope to hold onto an early lead and hope the clock expires.

Run it: The Tigers rank 11th in the SEC, averaging 167 yards per game on the ground. They'll need to find some offensive balance against Alabama and will have to be able to move the chains. It won't be easy against the

Crimson Tide defensive front.

KEYS FOR ALABAMA

Turn Tua loose: Sophomore quarterback Tua Tagovailoa gives this Alabama offense a dimension unseen previously in the Nick Saban era, which makes the Crimson Tide specially scary. Alabama averages 328 passing yards per game.

Protect the ball: It's unrealistic to think that Auburn can pull off the upset here without some help from the Crimson Tide. Alabama has turned it over 11 times in as

many games and is plus-nine in turnover margin. If Alabama doesn't cough it up, it will be hard for Auburn to win.

PREDICTION

Alabama 36, Auburn 7: Alabama has too much firepower for Auburn to keep up with, and will not relent after losing last year's Iron Bowl. The Crimson Tide has too much ammunition and Auburn's offense just isn't strong enough to initiate a shootout. Big plays will give Alabama a big edge.

BEST OF THE REST This weekend's other top conference games (all times EST)

GEORGIA TECH (7-4) AT NO. 5 GEORGIA (10-1)

When: Noon Saturday **Where:** Athens, Ga. **TV:** SEC Network **Notes:** When the Vegas lines opened for this week's games, the Bulldogs were favored by a whopping 17 points over Georgia Tech. With that strange triple-option offense, the hot four-game streak the Yellow Jackets are on, and the fact that they've won the last two in Athens, doesn't that number seem a little high?

SOUTH CAROLINA (6-4) AT NO. 2 CLEMSON (11-0)

When: 7 p.m. Saturday **Where:** Clemson, S.C. **TV:** ESPN **Notes:** Clemson has owned the Palmetto Bowl the past four years, winning by an average score of 40-15. Not surprisingly, the Tigers have been in the College Football Playoffs in three of the four seasons it's been used to crown a college football champion. Knocking Clemson out of that is a huge motivating factor for the Gamecocks.

NO. 8 LSU (9-2) AT TEXAS A&M (7-4)

When: 7:30 p.m. Saturday **Where:** College Station, Texas **TV:** SEC Network **Notes:** It's sort of hard to fathom, but LSU hasn't lost to the Aggies since the latter joined the SEC in 2012. The Tigers actually hold a seven-game streak over Texas A&M that began with a Cotton Bowl win in 2011. LSU remains the only SEC West team that Texas A&M has yet to beat as a member of the SEC.

BY THE NUMBERS SEC individual statistical leaders through Nov. 17



PASSING YARDS
Player **Yds.**
Jordan Ta'amu, MISS 3,831
Drew Lock, MIZ 2,904
Tua Tagovailoa, ALA 2,865
Kellen Mond, TA&M 2,680
Kyle Shurmur, VAN 2,477



PASSING TOUCHDOWNS
Player **No.**
Tua Tagovailoa, ALA 31
Drew Lock, MIZ 23
Kyle Shurmur, VAN 20
Feleipe Franks, FLA 20
Jake Fromm, UGA 20



RUSHING YARDS
Player **Yds.**
T. Williams, TA&M 1,326
Benny Snell Jr., UK 1,205
Ke'Shawn Vaughn, VAN 976
Scottie Phillips, MISS 927
Nick Fitzgerald, MSST 901



RECEIVING YARDS
Player **Yds.**
A.J. Brown, MISS 1,259
Jerry Jeudy, ALA 1,002
DaMarkus Lodge, MISS 823
Kalija Lipscomb, VAN 800
J. Sternberger, TA&M 729



SCORING
Player **Pts.**
Luke Logan, PK, MISS 108
R. Blankenship, PK, UGA 106
Tucker McCann, PK, MIZ 106
Cole Tracy, PK, LSU 99
J. Bulovas, PK, ALA 89

POWER RANKINGS Breaking down the SEC



Last week: 1

1. Alabama (11-0): Is last year's outcome any motivation at all for Alabama? Or is this just another rung on the ladder that the Tide must climb to achieve its single goal?



Last week: 2

2. Georgia (10-1): The Bulldogs have gotten better every week since losing to LSU.



Last week: 3

3. LSU (9-2): A win over Texas A&M might put LSU in New Orleans, and there is nothing better than imagining Ed Orgeron with a sugar buzz.



Last week: 4

4. Mississippi State (7-4): The Egg Bowl can be crazy, but the Bulldogs have been trampling teams that don't have strong defenses.



Last week: 5

5. Missouri (7-4): Mizzou should drub Arkansas and finish with a nice bowl bid, but they have to wonder if they could have squeezed more than that out of the season.



Last week: 6

6. Auburn (7-4): The Tigers have nothing to lose, so maybe Gus will empty the entire bag of tricks and stop off at the Prattville Waffle House afterwards.



Last week: 7

7. Texas A&M (7-4): Wonder what the Aggies' record would have been this year if Tyler Murray had stuck around?



Last week: 8

8. Florida (8-3): If the Gators can snap FSU's five-game winning streak in their series, Dan Mullen's first year is a success.



Last week: 9

9. Kentucky (8-3): The Cats are in the AP Top 25, but it's hard to wash away that loss to Tennessee.



Last week: 10

10. South Carolina (6-4): It probably won't happen, but the Gamecocks could sure bring chaos to the playoff picture.



Last week: 13

11. Vanderbilt (5-6): The team from Knoxville playing the team from Nashville for a probable bowl trip to Memphis is as Tennessee as Dolly Parton.



Last week: 11

12. Tennessee (5-6): There is no roller coaster like the Big Orange roller coaster, but it may be a long pull up the hill this week.



Last week: 10

13. Ole Miss (5-6): The Rebels had enough depth to hang with Vanderbilt, but not the SEC replay booth (or at least a misguided rule).



Last week: 14

14. Arkansas (2-9): The Razorbacks fared about as well as the FCS teams on last week's SEC schedule.

PLAYER TO WATCH

Tua Tagovailoa, QB, Alabama: Passed for 340 yards and three TDs to help the No. 1 Crimson Tide pull away from The Citadel for a 50-17 victory.



ROUNDING IT OUT This weekend's other games

SATURDAY

Time (ET)	Matchup	TV
Noon	#13 Florida at Florida State	ABC
3 p.m.	Tennessee at Vanderbilt	SEC Network
7 p.m.	#17 Kentucky at Louisville	ESPN2

Friday: Arkansas-Missouri

SEC might decide to sit out this year's coaching carousel

By **STEVE MEGARGEE**
Associated Press

Southeastern Conference teams may not bother taking a spin on this year's coaching carousel.

While at least one coach has been fired already in each of the other Power Five conferences, the SEC doesn't have any coach on the brink

of being let go heading into the final weekend of the regular season. Barring a surprise move, 2019 would mark the first time since 2006 that the SEC begins a season with no new head coaches.

Various circumstances helped out some coaches whose jobs otherwise might have been in jeopardy. Auburn (7-4, 3-4 SEC) is

out of the Top 25 after being ranked as high as seventh this year, but Malzahn is in the first year of a seven-year, \$49 million deal and firing him would be costly.

Malzahn's buyout after this season would be \$32 million. Both athletic director Allen Greene and Auburn President Steven Leath have said Malzahn

will be back next season.

Mason owns a 23-37 record in five seasons at Vanderbilt. The Commodores (5-6, 2-5) would earn their second bowl bid in three years with a victory over Tennessee this week but will clinch a fifth straight sub-.500 season with a loss.

Although Vanderbilt is considered the toughest job in the SEC, Mason inherited

a program that had posted back-to-back 9-4 records and Top 25 finishes under James Franklin. Mason still seems safe with Vanderbilt's athletic department in transition.

Any questions about Missouri coach Barry Odom's future likely were answered when the Tigers won their last three games to improve from 4-4 to 7-4. Odom has an

18-18 mark in three seasons.

South Carolina (6-4, 4-4) is having a somewhat disappointing season, but Will Muschamp is 21-15 and headed to a third straight bowl appearance with a program that went 3-9 the year before his arrival. South Carolina gave Muschamp a new six-year, \$28.2 million contract after the Gamecocks went 9-4 last season.



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STANDINGS Through Nov. 17

ATLANTIC TEAM	CONF W-L	ALL W-L	PF	PA	HOME	AWAY	COASTAL TEAM	CONF W-L	ALL W-L	PF	PA	HOME	AWAY
Clemson	8-0	11-0	492	133	6-0	5-0	Pittsburgh	6-1	7-4	331	309	5-1	2-3
Syracuse	5-2	8-3	447	312	6-0	2-2	Georgia Tech	5-3	7-4	406	302	4-2	3-2
N.C. State	4-3	7-3	335	241	5-1	2-2	Virginia	4-3	7-4	311	227	6-1	1-3
Boston College	4-3	7-4	363	266	5-1	2-3	Duke	3-4	7-4	319	268	3-2	4-2
Florida State	3-5	5-6	249	337	4-2	1-4	Miami	3-4	6-5	347	215	4-1	2-3
Wake Forest	2-5	5-6	331	392	2-5	3-1	Virginia Tech	3-4	4-6	282	317	1-4	3-2
Louisville	0-8	2-9	227	473	2-4	0-4	North Carolina	1-6	2-8	273	346	2-2	0-6

GAME OF THE WEEK NO. 19 SYRACUSE (8-3, 5-2) AT BOSTON COLLEGE (7-4, 4-3)

When: Noon EST Saturday **Where:** Alumni Stadium, Chestnut Hill, Mass. **TV:** ESPN



FLIGHT PLAN

EAGLES' GROUND GAME IS THE ROAD TO UPSET OF ORANGE

KEYS FOR SYRACUSE

Rehab Dungey: Senior quarterback Eric Dungey was knocked out of last week's game against Notre Dame in the first quarter with an upper body injury and his status for Boston College is uncertain. The Syracuse training staff could be the game's MVPs if they can get Dungey ready for the Eagles because he is the catalyst of the Orangemen's offense.

Protect whoever is at QB: A veteran offensive line has performed well for most of this season at Syracuse. But do rank near the bottom

of the ACC in sacks allowed, while Boston College is fourth in team sacks. So whoever winds up playing quarterback against the Eagles will need a better performance to keep the offense rolling.

KEYS FOR BOSTON COLLEGE

Pound'em with Dillon: Bulldog running back A.J. Dillon hammered the Orange defense for 193 yards and three touchdowns a year ago in a 42-14 win. No need to believe that strategy won't work again, so expect Dillon to rack up 20 or more

carries this time around. **Defend the run:** The Eagles allowed a Florida State team ranked 128th nationally in rushing to gain a season-high 156 in last week's loss. Taking away the run game and forcing Dungey or his backup Tony DeVito to pass will bode well for Boston College.

PREDICTION

Syracuse is enjoying a breakthrough season, but with Dillon blasting away at the Orange defense repeatedly Saturday the Eagles have the ability to pull the upset in their regular-season final.

BEST OF THE REST This weekend's other top conference games (all times EST)

GEORGIA TECH (7-4) AT NO. 5 GEORGIA (10-1)
When: Noon Saturday
Where: Sanford Stadium, Athens, Ga.
TV: SEC Network
Notes: Georgia leads the series 66-41-5, including last year's 38-7 romp as the visitors in Atlanta. ... Georgia Tech has won in its last trips to Athens with an overtime victory in 2014 and a one-point decision in 2016. ... Georgia needs to win to stay in contention for a spot in the College Football Playoff.

PITTSBURGH (7-4, 6-1) AT MIAMI (6-5, 3-4)
When: 3:30 p.m. Saturday
Where: Hard Rock Stadium, Miami Gardens, Fla.
TV: ESPN
Notes: Miami finally became bowl eligible when it won last weekend at Virginia Tech. ... Pittsburgh is the sixth different Coastal Division team in six years to qualify for the ACC title game. ... Miami had a 15-game winning streak snapped last November by Pittsburgh.

SOUTH CAROLINA (6-4) AT NO. 2 CLEMSON (11-0)
When: 7 p.m. Saturday
Where: Memorial Stadium, Clemson, S.C.
TV: ESPN
Notes: Clemson is going for its fifth consecutive victory in the series. ... WR Hunter Renfrow made a couple of touchdown catches for Clemson last year vs. the Gamecocks, but he left early with an injury last week against Duke. ... This marks the 110th consecutive year these teams meet.

BY THE NUMBERS ACC individual statistical leaders through Nov. 17

PASSING YARDS	PASSING TOUCHDOWNS	RUSHING YARDS	RECEIVING YARDS	SCORING
Player Yds.	Player No.	Player Yds.	Player Yds.	Player Pts.
Ryan Finley, NCST 3,180	Ryan Finley, NCST 21	Travis Etienne, CLEM 1,157	Kelvin Harmon, NCST 1,065	Andre Szmyt, PK, SYR 135
Deondre Francois, FSU 2,577	Trevor Lawrence, CLEM 21	Qadree Ollison, PITT 1,106	Greg Dortch, WAKE 954	T. Etienne, RB, CLEM 108
Bryce Perkins, UVA 2,213	Bryce Perkins, UVA 19	AJ Dillon, BC 1,052	O. Zaccheaus, UVA 918	C. Dunn, PK, NCST 93
Eric Dungey, SYR 2,203	Ryan Willis, VT 17	Darrin Hall, PITT 888	Jamal Custis, SYR 758	Nick Sciba, PK, WAKE 84
Nathan Elliott, UNC 2,169	Anthony Brown, BC 117	Jordan Ellis, UVA 868	Jakobi Meyers, NCST 754	Greg Huegel, PK, CLEM 81

POWER RANKINGS Breaking down the ACC

- 1. Clemson (11-0):** Tigers need to take care of business vs. in-state rival South Carolina. **Last week:** x
- 2. Pittsburgh (7-4):** Last year when Panthers beat Miami it qualified as an upset. This time, roles are reversed. **Last week:** 4
- 3. Boston College (7-4):** Eagles should have found way to beat Seminoles, now must avoid three-game skid. **Last week:** 3
- 4. Syracuse (8-3):** Orange got outhit at Yankee Stadium. Good thing matchup with Boston College isn't at Fenway Park. **Last week:** 2
- 5. N.C. State (7-3):** Wolfpack made Louisville's life even more miserable, and that was tough to do. **Last week:** 5
- 6. Virginia (7-4):** Cavaliers didn't do their part last week, but now try to keep Hokies out of a bowl. **Last week:** 6
- 7. Duke (7-4):** Blue Devils gave Clemson a tussle for a half, now must regroup. **Last week:** 7
- 8. Georgia Tech (7-4):** Yellow Jackets have been strong at times recently, but the Georgia Bulldogs are a different animal. **Last week:** 8
- 9. Miami (6-5):** Hurricanes can put a dent on Pittsburgh just as Panthers did last year prior to Miami's first ACC title game. **Last week:** 9
- 10. Virginia Tech (4-6):** Hokies must beat Virginia in order to have another game vs. Marshall added for Dec. 1. **Last week:** 10
- 11. Florida State (5-6):** Seminoles keep bowl hopes alive, but it figures to be tougher against Gators. **Last week:** 11
- 12. Wake Forest (5-6):** Demon Deacons limp toward Duke with last chance to become bowl eligible. **Last week:** 12
- 13. North Carolina (2-8):** Tar Heels have lost last two meetings with N.C. State, so this will be a challenge. **Last week:** 13
- 14. Louisville (2-9):** It's the week to be thankful because the Cardinals will end the season. But first there's a game vs. Kentucky. **Last week:** 14

PLAYER TO WATCH

Kenny Pickett, QB, Pittsburgh: Threw for career-highs of 316 yards and three TDs as the Panthers beat Wake Forest 34-13 to clinch their first berth in the Atlantic Coast Conference championship game.



ROUNDING IT OUT This weekend's other games

SATURDAY	Matchup	TV
Noon	Florida at Florida State	ABC
12:20 p.m.	NC State at North Carolina	ACC Network Extra
12:30 p.m.	Wake Forest at Duke	ACC Network Extra
7 p.m.	Kentucky at Louisville	ESPN2

Friday: Virginia-Virginia Tech

Numbers misleading in what has been down year for the ACC

By **HANK KURZ Jr.**
Associated Press

The numbers are somewhat misleading in the ACC this season.

Things sound pretty good when considering Clemson is a national title contender, the league has had a record 10 football teams make an appearance in the Top 25 and

12 of its 14 teams could be bowl eligible. But step back and take a more in-depth look at the Atlantic Coast Conference and outside of the Tigers, who are in line to be in the College Football Playoff for the fourth year in a row, it's been somewhat of a disappointing football season. Many of the league's other usually strong teams

have struggled. Three of the teams that were ranked — Florida State, Duke and Virginia — held a spot in the Top 25 for just one week, and two that spent the first half of the season in the poll — Miami and Virginia Tech — now get no votes. Louisville and North Carolina are not bowl eligible this year.

Two other traditionally rich ACC football programs are in danger of having a pair of the nation's longest bowl streaks come to an end.

The Hokies, once ranked as high as No. 12, have some major work to do to extend their bowl streak to 26 years. If Virginia Tech (4-6, 3-4) can upset favored Virginia (7-4, 4-3) on Friday, the Hokies will

then play Marshall on Dec. 1 seeking a sixth victory. If Virginia wins, the Marshall game won't be necessary.

Florida State is also looking to pull off an upset to extend its impressive bowl streak.

The Seminoles (5-6) have struggled under first-year coach Willie Taggart and need to beat No. 13 Florida (8-3) on Saturday for their sea-

son to end with a bowl game for the 37th year in a row. That streak would rate as the longest in NCAA history, but the NCAA vacated the Seminoles' 2006 Emerald Bowl victory over UCLA because of an academic issue that led to more than 30 players being suspended for the Music City Bowl against Kentucky the following season.



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472847 November 23, 30, 2018 NOTICE OF ENACTMENT OF ORDINANCES BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ordinances, which titles hereinafter appear, will be considered for enactment by the Board of County Commissioners of Columbia County, Florida, at public hearings on December 6, 2018 at 5:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matters can be heard, in the School Board Administrative Complex located at 372 West Duval Street, Lake City, Florida. Copies of said ordinances may be inspected by any member of the public at the Office of the County Manager, County Administrative Offices located at 135 Northeast Hernando Avenue, Lake City, Florida, during regular business hours. On the date, time and place first above mentioned, all interested persons may appear and be heard with respect to the ordinances. The title of said ordinances reads, as follows: ORDINANCE NO. 2018-17 AN ORDINANCE OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 98-1, THE COLUMBIA COUNTY LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS, AS AMENDED; RELATING TO AN AMENDMENT TO THE TEXT OF THE COLUMBIA COUNTY LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS, PURSUANT TO AN APPLICATION, LDR 18-03, BY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS; AMENDING SECTION 2.1, ENTITLED "DEFINITIONS - GENERAL;" AMENDING SECTION 4.4.5, ENTITLED "SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS;" AMENDING SECTION 4.5.7, ENTITLED "SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS" WITHIN AGRICULTURE-1, AGRICULTURE-2, AND AGRICULTURE-3 DISTRICTS; AMENDING SECTION 4.15.5, ENTITLED "SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS;" PROVIDING SEVERABILITY; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. The public hearings may be continued to one or more future date. Any interested party shall be advised that the date, time and place of any continuation of the public hearings shall be announced during the public hearings and that no further notice concerning the matters will be published, unless said continuation exceeds six calendar weeks from the date of the above referenced public hearings. All persons are advised that, if they decide to appeal any decisions made at the public hearings, they will need a record of the proceedings and, for such purpose, they may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings are made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation or an interpreter to participate in the proceeding should contact Lisa K. B. Roberts, at least seven (7) days prior to the date of the hearing. Ms. Roberts may be contacted by telephone at (386) 758-1005 or by Telecommuni-

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471077 November 23, 30, 2018 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO.: 2016-CA-000342 DIVISION: FINANCE OF AMERICA REVERSE, LLC Plaintiff, -vs.- SAMULE L. GRIMES A/K/A SAMUEL L. GRIMES; GLADYS E. GRIMES; SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, AN OFFICER OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Defendant(s). NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered on November 1, 2018, and entered in Case No. 2016-CA-000342, of the Circuit Court of the THIRD Judicial Circuit in and for COLUMBIA County, Florida, wherein FINANCE OF AMERICA REVERSE, LLC, is the Plaintiff and SAMULE L. GRIMES A/K/A SAMUEL L. GRIMES; GLADYS E. GRIMES; SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, AN OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. are the Defendants.

470670 November 23, 30, 2018 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA GENERAL JURISDICTION DIVISION CASE NO. 18000117CAAXMX NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC D/B/A MR. COOPER, Plaintiff, vs. GARY L. SWEARINGEN; JANET L. SWEARINGEN, et al. Defendant(s). NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated November 14, 2018, and entered in 18000117CAAXMX of the Circuit Court of the THIRD Judicial Circuit in and for COLUMBIA County, Florida, wherein NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC D/B/A MR. COOPER is the Plaintiff and GARY L. SWEARINGEN; JANET L. SWEARINGEN are the Defendant(s). P. Dewitt Cason as the Clerk of the Circuit Court will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at 173 NE Hernando Ave., Lake City, FL 32056, at 11:00 AM, on January 9, 2019, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit: THE EAST 382.30 FEET TO THE WEST 913.10 FEET OF THE SE ¼ OF SW 1/4, SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 4 SOUTH, RANGE 15 EAST, COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA. LESS AND EXCEPT: COMMENCE AT THE SW CORNER OF THE SE ¼ OF THE SW ¼ OF SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 4 SOUTH, RANGE 15 EAST, AND RUN THENCE N 1°04'21" W, ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID SE ¼ OF SW ¼, 38.43 FEET TO THE NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF S.R. 242; THENCE N 88° 18'46" E, ALONG THE NORTHERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF SAID S.R. 242, 530.80 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE N 1°04'21" W, 268.00 FEET; THENCE N 88°18'46" E, 193.00 FEET; THENCE S 1° 04'21" E, 268.00 FEET; S 88° 18'46" W, 193.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. FURTHER LESS AND EXCEPT ANY PORTION OF THE

472277 November 23, 30, 2018 Public Auction to be held December 7, 2018 at 8AM at Ozzie's Towing & Auto, LLC 2492 SE Baya Ave. Lake City FL 32025 (386) 719-5608 Following VIN Numbers: 2004 Chrysler 1C3EL56R94N196601 469407 November 23, 2018 SUWANNEE RIVER WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT PUBLIC NOTICE OF APPLICATION Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Chapter 373, Florida Statutes, the following application for permit was received on November 19, 2018: Van Humphreys, of FDOT, 1109 S Marion Avenue, Lake City, FL 32025, has submitted an Environmental Resource Permit application number ERP-007-233596-1. The project is located in Bradford County, Section: 28, Township: 6 South, Range: 22 East, and includes 9.77 acres. The ERP application is for the construction of a railroad overpass on SR 100 from US 301 to S of Laura Street. The project proposes 5.72 acres of new impervious. Interested persons may comment upon the application or submit a written request for a staff report containing proposed agency action regarding the application by writing to the Suwannee River Water Man-

agement District, Attn: Resource Management, 9225 C.R. 49, Live Oak, Florida 32060. Such comments or requests must be received by 5:00 PM within 14 days from the date of publication. No further public notice will be provided regarding this application. A copy of the staff report must be requested in order to remain advised of further proceedings. Substantially affected persons are entitled to request an administrative hearing, pursuant to Title 28, Florida Administrative Code, regarding the proposed agency action by submitting a written request after reviewing the staff report.

473470 November 23, 2018

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA GENERAL JURISDICTION DIVISION CASE NO: 2018CA000124 DIVISION: FIRST FEDERAL BANK OF FLORIDA, Plaintiff, vs. JOAN T. FETCHEN; and UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF JOAN T. FETCHEN, Defendant(s). CLERKS NOTICE OF SALE NOTICE IS GIVEN that, in accordance with the Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered on November 8, 2018 in the above-styled cause, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash on January 9, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. (EST), at the Third Floor of the Columbia County Courthouse, 173 N.E. Hernando Avenue, Lake City, FL. BEGIN AT A POINT OF 115.33 FEET NORTH OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF CAMP AND CHURCH STREETS AND RUN THENCE N 01 DEGREES 06' E, ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID CHURCH STREET, 114 FEET; THENCE S 89 DEGREES 35' W, 211.42 FEET; THENCE S 01 DEGREES 06' W, 114 FEET; THENCE N 89 DEGREES 35' E, 211.42 FEET TO POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL BEING A PART OF PORTION OF LOT OR BLOCK 302, SOUTHERN DIVISION, IN THE CITY OF LAKE CITY FLORIDA, AND LYING AND BEING WHOLLY IN THE NORTHWEST ¼ OF THE SOUTHEAST ¼ OF SAID SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH, RANGE 17 EAST, COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA. Property Address: 376 SE CHURCH AVENUE, LAKE CITY, FL 32025 ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE SURPLUS FROM THE SALE, IF ANY, OTHER THAN THE PROPERTY OWNER AS OF THE DATE OF THE LIS PENDENS MUST FILE A CLAIM WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE. AMERICANS WITH DISABILITY ACT: If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Carrina Cooper, Court Administration at 173 NE Hernando Avenue, Room 408, Lake City, Florida 32055, 386-758-2163 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711. Dated: November 9, 2018. P. DEWITT CASON, CLERK COLUMBIA COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT By: /s/ S. Weeks Deputy Clerk

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NFL

Cowboys join the Redskins on top of NFC East

By **SCHUYLER DIXON**
Associated Press

ARLINGTON, Texas — Amari Cooper had a 90-yard touchdown after celebrating with a free throw following his first scoring catch, Ezekiel Elliott ran for 121 yards with his TD and the Cowboys pulled even with Washington atop the division with a 31-23 Thanksgiving win over the Redskins on Thursday.

The Cowboys (6-5) won their third straight game since the first home loss, to Tennessee in the Dallas debut of Cooper following a trade dropped them two games under .500.

Dallas' eighth win in nine Thanksgiving games against Washington, and second in three seasons, earned a season split.

The Redskins (6-5) lost for the third time in four games in Colt McCoy's first start in four years coming off Alex Smith's season-ending leg injury.

The former Texas Longhorns star threw three interceptions to offset two touchdown passes. McCoy won his two previous starts at the home of the Cowboys, one for the 2009 Big 12 championship and the other his most recent NFL victory with the Redskins in 2014.

Cooper, finished with a Dallas Thanksgiving-best 180 yards receiving — 105 of those coming after the catch on his two touchdowns.

NFL

Daniel fills in, leads Bears to win over Lions

By **LARRY LAGE**
Associated Press

DETROIT — Chase Daniel set career highs with 230 yards passing and two touchdowns to keep the Chicago Bears rolling with a 23-16 win over the Detroit Lions on Thursday.

The NFC North-leading Bears (8-3) sealed their fifth straight victory with Kyle Fuller's interception in the end zone with a little more than a minute left.

Detroit (4-7) has lost four of five, plummeting to last place in the division.

Chicago broke a 16-16 tie on Eddie Jackson's 41-yard pick-6 with six minutes remaining. It was Jackson's second consecutive game with an interception returned for a touchdown. It's also the fifth career defensive touchdown for the 2017 fourth-round pick.

The Lions drove to the Bears 11 on the ensuing drive, but couldn't score because Matthew Stafford's pass to Michael Roberts was picked off by Fuller. Fuller's interception was the 20th of the season for the Bears.

The 32-year-old Daniel made his third career start and his first in nearly four years, replacing Trubisky, who was out with a shoulder injury.

He finished 27 of 37 for 230 yards and two touchdowns, setting career highs in each category.

NFL

Drastic changes hardly a given for Jaguars

By **MARK LONG**
Associated Press

JACKSONVILLE — Nothing has gone right for the Jacksonville Jaguars since early October.

Injuries mounted, losses followed and all the momentum the franchise built during a surprising run in the AFC playoffs last year disappeared.

The team's six-game losing streak heading to Buffalo — a rematch from the 2017 postseason — has raised questions about what will happen in the offseason.

Spoiler alert: Don't expect drastic changes.

The Jaguars (3-7) believe the rash of injuries they endured goes well beyond normal, especially since most occurred on the offensive side of the ball, and they would like to keep the core of the team together for a do-over in 2019.

"I don't even know if I've ever heard of something like this," offensive coordinator Nathaniel Hackett said. "Even asking Coach (Tom) Coughlin, this was actually I want to say probably Week 5 before it had actually gotten to this level, which you didn't think it could get much crazier, but even talking with him, I just remember he looked at me and said, 'This is a total abomination. I don't understand how this can happen.'"

It was the first glimpse into how Coughlin, who's in charge of all football decisions, views the seemingly lost season.

Jacksonville played six games without running back and offensive center-



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Jacksonville Jaguars quarterback Blake Bortles (5) reacts to a fourth down play against the Indianapolis Colts on Nov. 11 at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis, Ind.

piece Leonard Fournette and lost three left tackles, two tight ends, leading receiver Marqise Lee and dynamic scat back Corey Grant. Many of those guys were placed on injured reserve early in the season.

The Jags haven't looked the same since.

"Having some key guys go down, a good amount of them on the offensive side of the ball, kind of changes things," quarterback Blake Bortles said. "You have to find a way. That's going to happen. You're going to lose guys, you're going to have guys get hurt.

"You have to be able to have guys that can plug in and play and continue to find ways to win football games. We have struggled doing that. I have no idea what they are thinking or what they are going to do. I know we have six more chances to try and persuade them one way or another."

The first one comes against the Bills (3-7), who were eliminated from the playoffs with a 10-7 loss in Jacksonville in January.

Bortles completed 12 of 23 passes for 87 yards and a touchdown in that one. He was clearly off, but

he avoided turnovers and scrambled for several key first late that allowed the Jaguars to milk the clock.

Bortles played well the next two weeks and was rewarded with a three-year, \$54 million contract in February. He's been the team's biggest disappointment since, but the Jaguars are quick to point out all the injuries and inconsistency surrounding him.

The offensive line has been a mess, most notably because of injuries to left tackle Cam Robinson, backup Josh Wells, third-teamer Josh Walker, center Brandon

Linder and guard A.J. Cann.

Jacksonville's receiving corps has done little to help Bortles out. Receiver Keelan Cole is tied for the league lead with seven dropped passes, and third-down running back T.J. Yeldon is close behind with five. Receivers DJ Chark and Rashad Greene also had outcome-altering miscues late in recent weeks.

The once-vaunted defense has been better of late as the team has started to re-establish its physical identity.

Nonetheless, there will be changes ahead. Just not a complete makeover. Even Bortles appears safe considering he's due to count \$21 million against the salary cap in 2019. Cutting him would still cost Jacksonville \$16.5 million.

"Injuries are part of it as drastic as it may be. I am not going to be that guy" who blames injuries, coach Doug Marrone said. "I have to do a better job, like I have said before. I am going to take responsibility for what I have to do, and at the end of the day, I can live with that. ... You are put in a leadership role. You have to take responsibility. It is very easy to look at it and point fingers or say things and make excuses. The best part of being a head coach is the job is so clearly defined. More than any other job in an organization. It is defined by winning games.

"When you are not, you are not doing your job. When you do, you have done a good job. Don't sit there too long and gloat. You have to get on to the next one because you have to keep playing."

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podium he gets. I expect Ian to win regions [and] Chad to be right up there. I expect David Thompson to walk through this year [after] losing the blood rounds last year."

Columbia hopes some of its top freshmen, like Jacob Jones and Braxton Abbott, can also bolster the varsity lineup this season. Coach Whittington says the added depth will pay dividends when his team arrives to district and regional meets.

"I definitely think this year from top to bottom, we have a stronger lineup," Whittington said. "I truly believe we're a better team as a whole. Last year, we kind of relied on five guys to pull the weight for us. I really believe, out of 14 weight classes, that we have eight solid guys. And the other ones are better than fifty-fifty ... We're definitely moving forward."

Columbia opens the season at home on Dec. 6 against Suwannee in the "Battle for the Paddle" meet.



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Columbia's Matthew Arango (above) takes down teammate Preston O'Quinn during practice on Wednesday.

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from the sideline. "I think they tried to do it all too fast. That's unfortunate."

The FHSAA was not available for comment on Wednesday due to the Thanksgiving holiday. But Hosford says he sent the FHSAA an email the morning after the game to detail what happened and then sent the over the game film at the organization's request.

After reviewing the film with the officials, the FHSAA pulled the crew. Hosford said Beasley told him the FHSAA would continue to review the incident next week.

"You're going to miss judgment calls but not being able to keep track of the downs is unacceptable

at that level," Hosford said. "It's high school football but it's still the second round of the playoffs and that's unacceptable. I do think (after) talking with the FHSAA that the officials own it now that they've seen the video and I'm confident that it's eating at them.

"I've officiated. There's some that aren't good but there's some that really taken the job serious and for those guys to be on that game, they earned that right to be there. Unfortunately, they made a crucial mistake in that game. It's probably been eating at them since they found out they were wrong. But doesn't change anything but it kind of gives you a little bit of closure knowing what we all thought was actually the truth. Hopefully, that's a teachable moment."

Columbia was on the

verge of massive comeback late in the game.

Lee went up 31-7 early in the third quarter after Ralph Meney picked off starting quarterback Jordan Smith's pass and returned it for a touchdown. Smith, who was dealing with a sprained ankle suffered earlier in the game, was then pulled for backup Ty Wehinger before Wehinger was then replaced in favor of the freshman Jackson.

Jackson led the Tigers on three touchdown drives. Callum scored to make it 31-14 and Jackson then threw touchdown passes to Marquez Bell and TJ Jones.

Lee kicker Clivenson Orelus then gave Columbia a chance to win the game when he missed a 30-yard field goal with 4:05 left on the clock. The Tigers picked up one first down on their final drive and Jailen Brown

picked up eight yards on the ensuing 1st-and-10.

After Jackson's completion, Callum appeared to miss a hole on the infamous 4th-and-2. But head coach Brian Allen wouldn't blame the officials after the loss.

"I'm looking at the chains from across the way and it looks like 4th-and-2," head coach Brian Allen said after the game Friday. "But either way, we're able to get a timeout and had a play called. If you look at it on the replay screen, the play is there. We got to commit and believe in the guys in front of us and go make it. But a lot of credit to Lee. It's really easy to walk into this hostile environment and be scared and tuck your tail. They came out and fought tremendously."

It was a disappointing end to the season for Columbia, which had its eyes on a state title. The Tigers were

ranked No. 2 in Class 7A in the end-of-the-regular-season Associated Press state poll, and even took the top spot for a week in September for the first time since 1989 before losing to Trinity Christian by a point for their lone loss of the year.

Columbia opened eyes around the state after defeating nationally top-ranked IMG Academy in the preseason classic in August. The team appeared destined for greatness but instead failed to reach the regional finals for the third straight year.

"I've asked myself what we could've done from the sideline yelling or stopping the game," Hosford said. "I hate that it happened at that moment in the game. I hate it for the kids and the coaches because they busted their tails all year to get to that point. Would we have scored? We'll never know."