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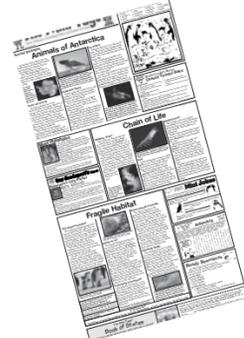
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CMHS: No agreement, no deal

MIKE WRIGHT Staff writer

INVERNESS — With the hospital teetering toward default and time of the essence, Josh Nemzoff decided to take matters in his own hands. Nemzoff, the Citrus County

Hospital Board's transaction consultant, met with the Citrus Memorial Health Foundation board Tuesday with a proposal to settle the four-year dispute between the two organizations. Later, Nemzoff told Citrus County commissioners that if the two boards can't agree on

a bidder for Citrus Memorial Health System, the fallout could be disastrous. "This deal is going to come to a screeching halt in the next few days if the foundation board and CCHB don't resolve

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MEETING TODAY

The Citrus County Hospital Board meets at 3 p.m. today in the county courthouse. Around 4 p.m., it will begin hearing presentations from the four bidders for Citrus Memorial hospital. The public is invited.

Buddy system



MATTHEW BECK/Chronicle

Citrus County Sheriff's Office Cmdr. Buddy Grant clears a 6-foot barrier Tuesday morning during the start of the Citrus County Sheriff's Office Commander's Challenge. All sworn officers in the sheriff's office are challenged to best Grant's time of 4 minutes and 28 seconds on an obstacle course as part of a fundraiser for the United Way of Citrus County.

Commander's fitness challenge raises funds for charity

NANCY KENNEDY Staff writer

INVERNESS Run, Buddy, run! Cmdr. Buddy Grant was the man to beat Tuesday at the first day of the Citrus County Sheriff's Office Commander's Challenge. Grant, who recently turned 45, challenged all CCSO sworn law enforcement personnel to beat his time on the physical training obstacle course. Anyone who beats his time — 4 minutes and 28 seconds — beginning Tuesday until Sept. 30 will be allowed to skip their next mandatory PT run, which is required four times a year. Plus, Grant has pledged to donate \$10 to the United Way for every person who beats him.



For more photos, click on this story at www.chronicleonline.com.



Cmdr. Buddy Grant congratulates one of a handful of sheriff's office employees who bested his time Tuesday morning on an obstacle course at the Withlacoochee Technical Institute in Inverness. Oppressive heat added to the difficulty of the course for many runners.

As of Tuesday, Grant is out \$80 so far. "This gives an incentive to the deputies that really put forth the effort out here on the course," Grant said prior

to his run. "It's a reward for those who keep in good shape and beat me, and it's a way to raise money for the United

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Board facing tough budget choices

CHRIS VAN ORMER Staff writer

INVERNESS — Some hard realities came up at Tuesday's county budget meeting about how deep the cuts could bite and how much taxes could rise.

As Randy Oliver of Government Services Group went through a list of possible cuts to services, some members of the Citrus County Board of County Commissioners balked at the suggestion of cutting staff hours at the East and West Citrus Community Centers to save \$26,805.



Dennis Damato Citrus County commissioner.

"These things are truly a life-line to these people," said Commissioner Dennis Damato, describing when he took part in the Meals on Wheels service. "These things have a very important function is this county and for the \$26,805, I say it stays."

Commissioner J.J. Kenney said the community centers provide socialization and hot meals to people who otherwise might do without, and look out for seniors who are alone.

"Let's not forget West Citrus, its

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Beverly Hills keeps its center

BOCC to subsidize for another year

CHRIS VAN ORMER Staff writer

Commissioner Dennis Damato expressed the problem: "What would Beverly Hills be without its community center?"

A wave of relief moved across the county commission chamber Tuesday as dozens of Beverly Hills residents realized Central Ridge Community Center would be subsidized for another year. This sense of security hit them when Damato answered his own question: "As Tony Soprano would say: 'Forget about it.'"

The retirees attended to learn first-hand the fate of the decades-old community center the county's Parks and Recreation Department had to take over in November 2011 because the Beverly Hills Recreation Association

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Before opening Neon Leon's Zydeco Steakhouse, Mitch and Lorraine Simmons had each owned and operated restaurants separately, but in 2008, they combined their years of business, hospitality and entertainment experience to create a one-of-a-kind dining establishment based on Old Louisiana-style food, music, history and culture. The menu also offers Certified Angus Steaks and Florida seafood seasoned with flare, and guests are given complimentary Mardi Gras beads to add to the New Orleans spirit.



Named after Leon Wilkeson, the late bass

guitarist for Lynyrd Skynyrd who also happens to be Mitch's uncle, it was Leon who first expressed an interest in forming a Neon Leon's. To complete Leon's vision, Mitch has incorporated an entertaining dining experience, featuring a large collection of family-owned photos, autographed guitars, stage apparel and rare concert posters, giving the restaurant one of the largest publicly displayed collections of Lynyrd Skynyrd memorabilia.

Encouraged by the restaurant's immediate success, Mitch and Lorraine opened a second location that is just as unique. Ike's Old Florida Kitchen is housed in the 90-year-old Izaak Walton Lodge, just 20 miles to the north in Yankeetown.

Ike's sits on a grassy knoll on the bank of the Withlacoochee River. From the sparkling, 8-foot windows, you will see deer, hogs and wild turkeys appear from the canopy created from cedar, cypress, cabbage palms and Florida pines. Eagles and Osprey fly overhead of the alligators, otters, dolphins and our most famous visitors, the manatee. River tours aboard

the 31-passenger, covered tour boat allow guests to take in the view.



The menu again features Certified Angus Steaks, flavorful seafood and the famous Pan Fried Grouper, which has been featured for over 30 years. Preserving the original history, Ike's Old Florida Kitchen offers a game section on the menu as well.



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Around the STATE

Citrus County

Citrus County Council meets today

The Citrus County Council meets at 9 a.m. today at the Beverly Hills Lions Club, 72 Civic Circle.

County Commissioner John "JJ" Kenney and county transit director Lon Frye will be guest speakers. Doors open at 8:30 a.m. for networking; refreshments will be available for a donation.

Jessie's Place gets new home

The county commission voted 5-0 Tuesday to provide a home for Jessie's Place.

The county will lease the former transportation office, also known years ago as the senior center, off County Road 491 in Lecanto for the child advocacy center.

County Administrator Brad Thorpe said the building became vacant with construction of the new transportation terminal.

Sheriff Jeff Dawsy said the location provides a safe and comfortable setting for children who are victims of sexual abuse who receive treatment and therapy. It receives no government funding.

The program is named for Jessica Lunsford, a 9-year-old Homosassa girl who was kidnapped, sexually assaulted and murdered in 2005.

Sanford

Zimmerman trial may end today

An expert on gunshot wounds hired by the defense testified Tuesday that George Zimmerman's account of how he fatally shot Trayvon Martin is consistent with the forensic evidence as defense attorneys started wrapping up their presentation.

Dr. Vincent DiMaio said the trajectory of the bullet and gun powder on Martin's body support Zimmerman's version that Martin was on top of him when Zimmerman fired his gun into Martin's chest. The gun's muzzle was against Martin's clothing and it was anywhere from two to four inches from Martin's skin, he said.

"This is consistent with Mr. Zimmerman's account that Mr. Martin was over him, leaning forward at the time he was shot," said DiMaio, the former chief medical examiner in San Antonio.

Defense attorney Mark O'Mara also told Judge Debra Nelson that the defense would likely finish putting on its case on Wednesday. Zimmerman, so far, hasn't testified.

—From staff and wire reports

Thorpe, Adams debate pay raise issue

MIKE WRIGHT
Staff writer

INVERNESS — Pay raises sparked some discussion at Tuesday's county commission meeting, with Commissioner Scott Adams suggesting county government is the best place to work from a pay standpoint.

Adams said that rather than compare Citrus with other counties in determining pay, County Administrator Brad Thorpe should look at wages within Citrus County.

"Our private sector is much worse off than our public sector,"



Scott Adams
county commissioner.

Adams said. Thorpe said that isn't the case. He said the county's top employers, including Duke Energy, offer bonuses and other perks to employees that the county doesn't offer.

He also said that the county's senior population has seen steady cost-of-living Social Security increases.

Meanwhile, county employees have not had an across-the-



Brad Thorpe
county administrator.

board pay boost in five years. About 250 employees — half the work force — have seen pay raises based on changes in job responsibilities, special certifications and increases in the minimum wage.

Adams noted that Social Security increases don't mean much to retirees who live on less than \$1,000 a month. Thorpe responded that county employees

have had no across-the-board raises at all.

"Zero is zero," he said. Adams said he believes Thorpe is not looking at the average private work force pay.

"The majority of the population is \$20,000 and under here," he said.

Thorpe and board Chairman Joe Meek said county employees deserve a pay bump.

"The individuals who work for this county," Meek said, "are not getting rich doing it."

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Monday in the mangroves



MATTHEW BECK/Chronicle

A great blue heron rests on top of a small mangrove tree Monday in the salt marsh south of Crystal River. Mangroves provide habitat not only for marine life, but birds as well.

State BRIEFS

Seven rehabilitated manatees released

CAPE CORAL — Seven manatees rescued during a red tide bloom in southwest Florida were released Tuesday back into the wild, wildlife officials said.

The manatees were released in Cape Coral, according to a statement by the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission.

Sixteen manatees were rescued from the red tide bloom between last September and this April, wildlife officials said. All but one survived after they were initially taken to Tampa's Lowry Park Zoo for treatment. Two rehabilitated manatees were released in June, and wildlife officials expect to release more manatees later this month.

Five of the seven manatees released Tuesday remained at the zoo for the duration of their rehabilitation. Earlier this year, the other two manatees were moved to Ellie Schiller Homosassa Springs Wildlife State Park to ensure the zoo had space for criti-

cal care cases.

The public can report distressed or dead manatees by calling the FWC's Wildlife Alert Hotline at 888-404-3922.

US finds Miami police used excessive force

MIAMI — The U.S. Justice Department has concluded the Miami Police Department engaged in a pattern of excessive use of force in the fatal shootings of seven black suspects over an eight-month period.

The Justice Department's Civil Rights Division has been investigating Miami police since November of 2011. The shootings from July 2010 to February 2011 took place during the tenure of former Chief Miguel Exposito, who was fired in 2011 during outcry from black community leaders about the shootings.

The department also found deficiencies in tactics and supervision and delays in deadly force investigations.

Current chief Manuel Orosa made changes in police tactics in high-crime areas that sharply reduced confrontations and police shootings.

State prosecutors have so far not ruled any of the shootings as unjustified.

Alligator bites teen on the head at state park

GENEVA — A 17-year-old was treated for puncture wounds on his head after being bitten by an alligator while swimming at a central Florida state park.

Andrew Hudson of Winter Springs was swimming Monday with friends in the Little Big Econ State Forest when he kicked what he thought was a log in the water.

The object was actually an alligator nearly 10 feet long. It came up behind Hudson and jerked him underwater.

Hudson told Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission investigators that he knew there were alligators that swam in the park's river, but he had not seen any before he was attacked.

"It just came up behind me. I didn't see one all day in there and then it just came up behind me and I felt it and I started freaking out and swam

as fast as I could," Hudson said.

Doctors at a Seminole County hospital treated Hudson with stitches and staples for several puncture wounds on his head.

The wildlife commission will send an alligator trapper to trap and kill the alligator that bit Hudson, agency spokeswoman Joy Hill said Tuesday.

Pygmy sperm whale, calf die on Jupiter beach

JUPITER ISLAND — Authorities said a pygmy sperm whale calf had to be euthanized after its mother died on a central Florida beach.

The whales were stranded Tuesday morning on Jupiter Island.

Charles Manire of the Loggerhead MarineLife Center in Juno Beach told *The Palm Beach Post* the mother seemed disoriented in the water and emaciated before it came ashore and died.

The calf came ashore nearby. Authorities said the baby whale had to be euthanized because it would not survive without its mother.

—From wire reports

Tourism distinguishes itself as top money-maker

Study finds manatees major draw for visitors

A.B. SIDIBE
Staff writer

CRYSTAL RIVER — Citrus County and Crystal River's profile as a tourist destination is on the rise.

And, manatees seem to lead the way as a major draw for visitors, according to results of a study that looked at data primarily from the past year and winter season.

Members of the city council listened to a presentation by Walter Klages of Research Data Service Inc., and Marla Chancey, head of the Citrus County Visitors & Convention Bureau.

The study, sanctioned by the Tourism Development Council in last December,

had an added element to separate data and numbers for Crystal River. The city paid \$8,000 for a breakdown of its own numbers.

Monday, those numbers revealed tourism as a startling cash-cow for the area with a potential for take-off as more visitors come back for more.

The study showed between May 2012 and April 2013, 328,900 people visited the county and directly spent almost \$86 million.

However, according to the Klages, the economic impact of their visits "had a multiplier effect of \$143,296,800.

"That is the ripple effect," Klages said. And that effect included expendi-

tures on food, gas and other entertainment while in the area.

A tally of the numbers from January to April of this year revealed a busy winter season driven mostly by visitors' desire to see manatees.

During this period, 115,900 people visited the county, of which 62,000 came to Crystal River and directly spent \$34 million and \$20 million, respectively.

Occupancy rates during the winter season at commercial lodging facilities were 63.9 percent for the county and the city was 63.5 percent.

City officials also wanted to know who was

coming here to visit and most visitors came from Florida at 33.8 percent for the county and 36 percent for the city. Visitors from the Midwest were the next largest group at 29.8 percent and 23.5 percent, respectively.

The surprise turned out to be that foreign visitors accounted for 8.2 percent of those coming to the county while people from the Southeastern portion of the United States accounted for only 6.5 percent. A whopping 62.2 percent of those who visited the county were repeat visitors, while 60.04 percent of those who visited the city counted themselves as repeats.

Chancey said the buzz is getting out about visiting the county and she expects

the numbers to increase in the future.

In other business:

■ The city council moved forward for second reading a measure that would allow electronic signage. During a public hearing on the matter, Councilwoman Paula Wheeler said she can never see herself voting to allow electronic signage. She was the lone dissenting vote, but Mayor Jim Farley said he, too, is only reluctantly voting to move the matter to a final hearing at the next council meeting. Opponents of the ordinance fear the commercial corridors of the city will come to mimic the sea of flashing electronic lights in Las Vegas. Proponents of the change said the cost of the signs — which can easily get into

the tens of thousands — will dissuade many businesses from purchasing them.

■ The council unexpectedly moved to shelve an annual contract agreement with the sheriff's office pending a letter to the agency addressing what city officials call an equity issue. The issue is that city officials claim residents are paying for enhanced police service that doesn't happen — in essence, a second patrol officer per call. Officials, therefore, are asking the contract agreement with the sheriff's office to reflect the redundancy and be given financial relief for it.

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Today's HOROSCOPES

Birthday — Your chart indicates a strong potential in the year ahead for you to exercise your improved managerial skills.

Cancer (June 21-July 22) — Your enthusiasm is likely to be contagious when associates witness your zest for life.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22) — Interesting events could generate additional earnings or income for you. Chances are, you'll drum up some new ways to acquire extra business.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — What makes you such a good salesperson is that you won't sell anything you don't believe in. Your prospects will admire your credibility and will want to do business with you.

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — Don't be afraid to allow your generosity to prevail over your practicality. Remember the old saying: "From those to whom much is given, much will be required."

Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — Even though you are likely to feel a strong need for companionship, you will nevertheless be very careful about whom you choose to spend time with.

Sagittarius (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — If your goals seem easy to achieve, it will be because you haven't been motivated by selfish urges.

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — You might be able to put something you recently learned to good use. It could have to do with maintaining a relationship.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) — It might take a second or even a third effort to achieve an important career objective, but it will be well worth it. Once you set your sights on your target, never veer from it.

Pisces (Feb. 20-March 20) — Your appreciation for everyone's point of view places you in the role of peacemaker.

Aries (March 21-April 19) — Harmony in the work place will pay off for everyone involved. Once a positive example is set and the entire crew sees what comes of it, everyone will happily follow suit.

Taurus (April 20-May 20) — Being the smart person you are, you'll know that the best way to silence a griper is to smother him or her with affection. It's one of the most positive motivating tools you can use.

Gemini (May 21-June 20) — The greater part of your efforts will be directed toward providing more for your family or co-workers. You'll be a beacon of strength and compassion.

ENTERTAINMENT

Bynes appears with wig in NYC court

NEW YORK — Amanda Bynes showed up to court wearing a long aqua wig for an appearance on allegations that she tossed a marijuana bong from the window of her Manhattan apartment.

The 27-year-old actress is charged with reckless endangerment and attempted tampering with physical evidence. She did not speak at a brief court appearance Tuesday.

Bynes was arrested in May after building officials called police to complain she was smoking pot in the lobby. Officers went to her apartment where they said they saw a bong sitting on the kitchen counter. Prosecutors said she tossed the bong out the window in front of the officers.

Bynes rose to fame starring in Nickelodeon's "All That." But she has been in the news more recently because of several scrapes with the law and bizarre public behavior.

Her next court date is Sept. 26.

Meredith Vieira to host daily talk show

NEW YORK — Meredith Vieira is returning to daytime TV with a syndicated talk show.

Producer NBCUniversal said "The Meredith Vieira Show" will launch in fall 2014 as a weekday program that will "make viewers laugh, learn and feel inspired."

NBC said Tuesday the New York-based show will be taped on a set that resembles Vieira's home, including her actual furniture and family photos.

The 59-year-old Vieira was a morning favorite as co-host of NBC's "Today" show from 2006 to 2011. She currently serves as a special correspondent for NBC



Associated Press

Kevin Jonas and Danielle Jonas attend the second day of NBCUniversal's 2012 Summer Press Tour on July 25, 2012, at the Beverly Hilton Hotel in Beverly Hills, Calif. A representative for the Jonas Brothers said Kevin and wife Danielle are expecting their first child. The two married in 2009.

News programming including "Today" and "NBC Nightly News." From 1997 to 2006, she was moderator of ABC's "The View."

Vieira also hosted the syndicated game show "Who Wants to be a Millionaire" from 2002 until this season. She's the winner of 14 Emmys.

Placido Domingo in hospital in Spain

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Opera singer Placido Domingo is in the hospital after suffering a blockage in an artery of the lungs.

Domingo's representative said the 72-year-old is expected to make a full recovery but will have to miss several perform-

ances scheduled for later this month. He was admitted to the hospital Monday in Madrid, Spain.

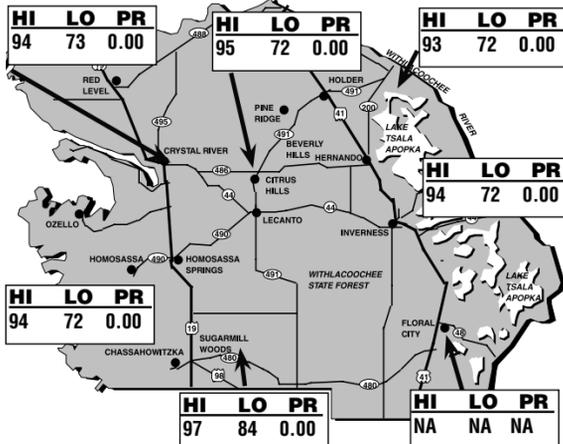
Doctors said the pulmonary embolism was caused by a blood clot.

The singer's representative, Nancy Seltzer, said doctors have asked the Spanish tenor and conductor to rest for three to four weeks, but that healing time varies. His return to the stage will depend on how quickly he regains his strength.

Domingo has canceled his five performances in Daniel Catan's "Il Postino," which were to begin July 17 at the Teatro Real in Madrid, as well as an appearance on July 21 at Plaza Mayor.

—From wire reports

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER



FLORIDA TEMPERATURES

City	H	L	F'cast	City	H	L	F'cast
Daytona Bch.	89	74	ts	Miami	89	78	ts
Ft. Lauderdale	89	78	ts	Ocala	92	71	ts
Fort Myers	91	74	ts	Orlando	92	73	ts
Gainesville	93	72	ts	Pensacola	87	76	ts
Homestead	88	76	ts	Sarasota	89	73	ts
Jacksonville	90	72	ts	Tallahassee	92	72	ts
Key West	89	77	ts	Tampa	90	76	ts
Lakeland	91	73	ts	Vero Beach	89	74	ts
Melbourne	89	75	ts	W. Palm Bch.	88	77	ts

MARINE OUTLOOK

West winds around 10 knots. Seas 1 foot or less. Bay and inland waters will have a light chop. Scattered thunderstorms today.

Gulf water temperature

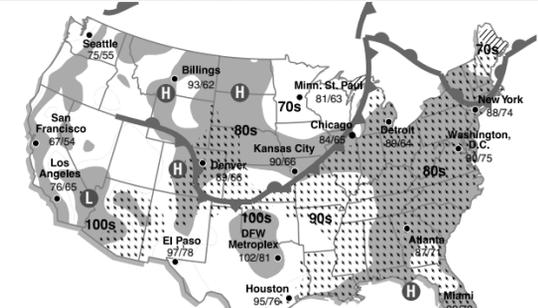
87°
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LAKE LEVELS

Location	Mon.	Tues.	Full
Withaloochee at Holder	28.40	28.35	35.52
Tsala Apopka-Hernando	37.32	37.31	39.25
Tsala Apopka-Inverness	37.88	37.86	n/a
Tsala Apopka-Floral City	39.37	39.37	42.40

Levels reported in feet above sea level. Flood stage for lakes are based on 2.33-year flood, the mean annual flood which has a 43-percent chance of being equaled or exceeded in any one year. This data is obtained from the Southwest Florida Water Management District and is subject to revision. In no event will the District or the United States Geological Survey be liable for any damages arising out of the use of this data. If you have any questions you should contact the Hydrological Data Section at (352) 796-7211.

THE NATION



FORECAST FOR 3:00 P.M. WEDNESDAY

City	Tuesday			Wednesday			City	Tuesday			Wednesday		
	H	L	Pcp.	Fcst	H	L		H	L	Pcp.	Fcst	H	L
Albany	85	70	.01	ts	86	70	New Orleans	90	74	pc	90	76	
Albuquerque	93	68		ts	94	71	New York City	88	74	.17	ts	88	74
Asheville	86	66		ts	83	66	Norfolk	89	75		ts	90	74
Atlanta	88	71	trace	ts	87	71	Oklahoma City	99	78		pc	101	75
Atlantic City	87	72		ts	86	74	Omaha	95	76	.29	s	83	62
Austin	99	74		pc	100	74	Palm Springs	106	86		pc	108	83
Baltimore	83	73		ts	90	73	Philadelphia	88	75		ts	90	74
Billings	80	59		s	93	62	Phoenix	104	90		pc	105	88
Birmingham	89	72		ts	85	74	Pittsburgh	83	68	.31	ts	82	67
Boise	97	59		s	102	64	Portland, ME	70	62	.07	ts	75	68
Boston	72	64	.01	ts	84	73	Portland, Ore	87	60		pc	80	56
Buffalo	79	70	.04	ts	82	66	Providence, R.I.	79	68	.07	ts	86	72
Burlington, VT	86	66		ts	84	70	Raleigh	87	72		ts	89	72
Charleston, SC	89	74		ts	86	74	Rapid City	85	56		ts	86	63
Charleston, WV	88	71		ts	88	70	Reno	93	62		pc	94	65
Charlotte	88	72		ts	87	70	Rochester, NY	82	71	.03	ts	85	67
Chicago	85	73		pc	84	65	Sacramento	99	62		s	96	59
Cincinnati	89	73		ts	86	69	St. Louis	93	81		pc	92	68
Cleveland	88	71	.84	ts	86	67	St. Ste. Marie	79	64		pc	73	55
Columbia, SC	91	74	.16	ts	90	73	Salt Lake City	99	73		s	100	75
Columbus, OH	88	72	.08	ts	85	69	San Antonio	98	75		pc	98	76
Concord, N.H.	74	64		ts	83	69	San Diego	77	69		pc	75	68
Dallas	100	67		pc	102	81	San Francisco	70	55		pc	71	55
Denver	95	67		pc	89	66	Savannah	90	73		ts	89	74
Des Moines	93	76	.06	s	83	60	Seattle	85	59	c	75	55	
Detroit	90	71	.23	ts	89	64	Spokane	86	58		s	90	59
El Paso	98	77		s	97	78	Syracuse	85	69		ts	84	69
Evansville, IN	91	76		ts	90	71	Topeka	104	80		s	91	65
Harrisburg	83	70	.34	ts	87	71	Washington	85	75		ts	90	75
Hartford	83	69		ts	86	73							
Houston	94	74		pc	95	76							
Indianapolis	88	76		ts	88	65							
Jackson	94	72		ts	93	74							
Las Vegas	109	86		pc	107	87							
Little Rock	97	76		pc	98	75							
Los Angeles	76	65		ts	76	65							
Louisville	90	77		ts	89	72							
Memphis	93	77		pc	97	75							
Milwaukee	83	68	.10	s	80	61							
Minneapolis	87	71	.34	s	81	63							
Mobile	89	70		pc	90	74							
Montgomery	91	70		ts	86	73							
Nashville	93	72		ts	91	73							

KEY TO CONDITIONS: c=cloudy; dr=drizzle; f=fair; h=hazy; pc=partly cloudy; r=rain; s=rain/snow mix; s=sunny; sh=showers; sn=snow; ts=thunderstorms; w=windy.

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Today in HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, July 10, the 191st day of 2013. There are 174 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight:

On July 10, 1913, the highest recorded shade temperature was measured in Death Valley, Calif., at 134 degrees Fahrenheit.

On this date:

In 1890, Wyoming became the 44th state.

In 1925, jury selection took place in Dayton, Tenn., in the trial of John T. Scopes, charged with violating the law by teaching Darwin's Theory of Evolution.

In 1940, during World War II, the Battle of Britain began as Nazi forces began attacking southern England by air.

In 1951, armistice talks aimed at ending the Korean War began at Kaesong.

In 1985, the Greenpeace protest ship Rainbow Warrior was sunk with explosives in Auckland, New Zealand, by French intelligence agents; one activist was killed.

Ten years ago: Astronomers announced they had found the oldest and most distant planet yet, a huge, gaseous sphere 13 billion years old and 5,600 light years away.

Five years ago: The Senate handily confirmed Gen. David Petraeus as the top commander in the Middle East.

One year ago: The National League romped to an 8-0 victory over the American League in the All-Star game.

Today's Birthdays: Former boxer Jake LaMotta is 92. Former New York City Mayor David N. Dinkins is 86. Actor William Smithers is 86. Singer Mavis Staples is 74. Actor Ron Glass is 68. Actress Sue Lyon is 67. Folk singer Arlo Guthrie is 66. Country singer Gary LeVox (Rascal Flatts) is 43. Actor Aaron D. Spears is 42. Actor Thomas Ian Nicholas is 33. Singer-actress Jessica Simpson is 33.

Thought for Today: "When I feel the heat, I see the light." — Everett Dirksen, American politician (1896-1969).

THREE DAY OUTLOOK

Exclusive daily forecast by:

TODAY & TOMORROW MORNING
High: 91 Low: 72
Partly Sunny; A 40% chance for afternoon showers and storms

THURSDAY & FRIDAY MORNING
High: 90 Low: 73
Partly Sunny; A 50% chance for showers and storms

FRIDAY & SATURDAY MORNING
High: 90 Low: 73
Partly Sunny; A 50% chance for showers and storms

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TEMPERATURE*	Tuesday 94/72	DEW POINT	Tuesday at 3 p.m. 68
Record 98/66	HUMIDITY	Tuesday at 3 p.m. 46%	
Normal 92/71	POLLEN COUNT**	Today's active pollen: Ragweed, grasses, chenopods	
Mean temp. 83	Today's count: 3.7/12	Thursday's count: 2.9	
Departure from mean +2	Friday's count: 1.9		
PRECIPITATION*	Tuesday 0.00 in.	AIR QUALITY	Tuesday was good with pollutants mainly ozone.
Total for the month 4.00 in.	Total for the year 23.30 in.		
Normal for the year 25.84 in.			
*As of 7 p.m. at Inverness			
UV INDEX: 11	0-2 minimal, 3-4 low, 5-6 moderate, 7-9 high, 10+ very high		
BAROMETRIC PRESSURE	Tuesday at 3 p.m. 30.14 in.		

SOLUNAR TABLES

DATE	DAY	MINOR (MORNING)	MAJOR (MORNING)	MINOR (AFTERNOON)	MAJOR (AFTERNOON)
7/10	WEDNESDAY	7:45	1:33	8:07	1:56
7/11	THURSDAY	8:33	2:22	8:55	2:44

CELESTIAL OUTLOOK

SUNSET TONIGHT	8:32 P.M.
SUNRISE TOMORROW	6:40 A.M.
MOONRISE TODAY	8:45 A.M.
MOONSET TODAY	9:58 P.M.

BURN CONDITIONS

Today's Fire Danger Rating is: LOW. There is no burn ban.
For more information call Florida Division of Forestry at (352) 754-6777. For more information on drought conditions, please visit the Division of Forestry's Web site: http://flame.fl-dof.com/fire_weather/kbcd

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TIDES

City	Wednesday		Thursday	
	High/Low	High/Low	High/Low	High/Low
Chassahowitzka*	8:11 a/3:31 a	7:26 p/3:31 p	8:39 a/4:07 a	8:04 p/4:09 p
Crystal River**</				

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How Often Should You Aerate a Lawn?

Most lawns benefit from annual aeration. Heavily used lawns, or those growing on heavy clay or subsoils may need more than one aeration each year. Again, turf responds best when tine spacing is closer and penetration is deeper.

When is the Best Time to Aerate Lawns?

Warm season turfgrasses such as Zoysia, Bahia and St Augustine grass should be aerated in mid-spring to summer. Avoid aerating when warm season grasses are dormant - it may encourage weed competition. In addition, avoid aerating warm season grasses during spring greenup, and not until after their first spring mowing.

Lawn Aeration

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Aeration Benefits:

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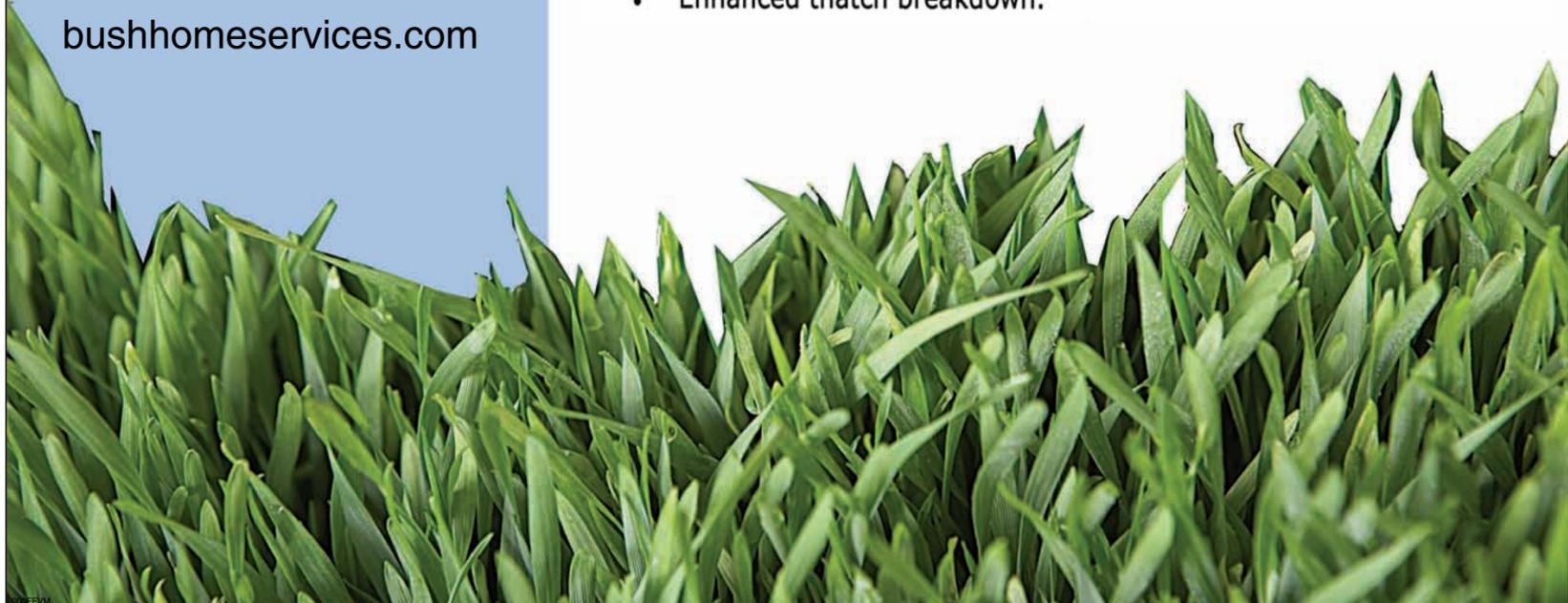
- Improved air exchange between the soil and atmosphere.
- Enhanced soil water uptake.
- Improved fertilizer uptake and use.
- Reduced water runoff and puddling.
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Obituaries

Jaime Collazo, 70
HERNANDO

Jaime Collazo, 70, of Hernando, Fla., formerly of Marlboro, Mass., died Thursday, July 4, 2013, at Oak Hill Hospital in Spring Hill, Fla. He is survived by his wife of 25 years, Lynda (Perkins) Collazo of Hernando, Fla.

Jaime was born in Guayama, Puerto Rico, son of the late Juan Bautista Rivera and Justina Collazo. He moved to New York at the age of 5 where he was raised, resided in Natick, Mass., and then Marlboro for many years before moving to Hernando, Fla., 16 years ago. He was employed by Sealtest/Good Humor Breyer in Framingham for 37 years, working in the warehouse, a member of the Teamsters Union Local 25, and union steward at the plant.

On May 1, 2013, Jaime's lifelong dream became reality when he opened Lake Side Boxing in Hernando, Fla. His mission statement: "We teach boxing; The sport of fighting with fists with padded gloves in a roped square ring according to the Queensberry Rules. Strictly boxing." Jaime opened Lake Side Boxing with a vision; a place for boys and girls to come and participate in something that would shape character, teach perseverance, commitment, hard work, patience and endurance. With perseverance comes confidence, with confidence comes the respect and understanding of the discipline necessary to become successful; life lessons to be learned.

Besides his wife, he is survived by his son, James Collazo and his wife Debbie Collazo of Buckeye, Ariz.; his daughter, Lisa Collazo, of Framingham, Mass.; his two brothers, Alex Aponte of St. Petersburg, Fla., and Ismael Claudio of Puerto Rico; five grandchildren, Marissa Rene Collazo, Dylan James Collazo, Kat-

rina Marie Collazo, Jaime-Ann Cosme and Alexander Cosme; and one great-grandchild, Aidan Jace Collazo; sister-in-law, Nancy Morin and husband Philip Morin of Weare, N.H.; and in-laws, George and Janet Perkins of Hudson. He was predeceased by two brothers and one sister.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m. Saturday, July 13, 2013, in St. Michael's Church, 21 Manning St., Hudson, Mass. Burial services will be held in St. Michael's Cemetery, Hudson, at a later date. Family and friends may attend calling hours from 5 to 8 p.m. Friday, July 12, 2013, at the Tighe-Hamilton Funeral Home Inc., 50 Central St., Hudson, MA 01749 (www.tighehamilton.com).

Cleofe Ballester, 77
CITRUS SPRINGS

Cleofe O. Ballester, 77, of Citrus Springs, Fla., died July 5, 2013. A memorial service of remembrance will be at 4 p.m. Thursday, July 11, 2013, at Fero Funeral Home.



David Fetzer, 89
INVERNESS

David Wallace Fetzer, 89, Inverness, died July 8, 2013. Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home with Crematory is assisting the family with private arrangements.

Jerry Stimpfling, 67
INVERNESS

The service of remembrance for Jerry Stimpfling, 67, of Inverness, will be at 6 p.m. Friday, July 12, 2013, at Gravity Church, 801 S.E. U.S. 19, Crystal River. He died June 22, 2013.

Obituaries will be posted online at www.chronicleonline.com.



Howard Urvat, 91
INVERNESS

Howard John Urvat, 91, Inverness, died July 9, 2013, in Hospice of Citrus Co. unit of Citrus Memorial Hospital.



Howard Urvat

Howard was born in Brooklyn, N.Y., Sept. 6, 1921, to the late Frederick and Mary (Michlick) Urvat and moved to Florida in 1980 from Plainview, N.Y. He retired from the New York City Fire Dept., after 31 years of service; member of Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church, the Citrus American and Italian Social Club, and a U.S. Naval Veteran.

Left to cherish his memory are his son, Edwin (Maria) W. Urvat of Smithtown, N.Y.; and two grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife of 63 years, Eleanor Urvat, April 23, 2010.

The Mass of Christian Burial will be offered at 10 a.m. Thursday, July 11, 2013, from Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church. Entombment will follow in The Cloisters of St. John's Cemetery, Queens, N.Y. Reposing from Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home Wednesday from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m., with a wake vigil service at 3:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials requested to the Italian American Club or Hospice of Citrus Co.

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Jacque Weber, 84
INVERNESS

Jacque E. Weber, 84, Inverness, died July 9, 2013. Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home with Crematory is assisting the family with private arrangements.

assisting the family with arrangements and there will be a memorial service at a later date, to be announced.

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Shirley Nelson, 69
ROCKWOOD, TENN.

Shirley Ann Nelson, 69, of Rockwood, Tenn., passed away July 7, 2013. She was born July 18, 1943, to Milton and Doris Jones.

She is survived by her loving husband of 51 years, Bernie Nelson; sons, Russ Nelson (Brenda) of Australia, Ron Nelson (Claudia Esperanza) of Houston, Texas; sisters, Gloria Jones, Carolyn DeYoung (Ralph) and Sherry Furtado (Fred); father-in-law, Ernest J. Nelson of Knoxville, Tenn.; sister-in-law, Marilyn Decker (Bill) of Boulder, Colo.; brother-in-law, David Nelson (Judy) of Denver, Colo.; six grandchildren; and numerous other family members.

She was a loving and kind wife, mother and a friend to all. She was the light of our life and we know she is in heaven today. She will be missed and always remembered fondly by all who knew her.

The family will receive friends at 10 a.m. Saturday, July 13, 2013, with a memorial to follow at 11 a.m., at Central Baptist Church in Crossville, Tenn. In lieu of flowers, a donation may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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Shirley Renfro, 84
CRYSTAL RIVER

Shirley A. Renfro, 84, of Crystal River, Fla., passed away Sunday, July 7, 2013, at Seven Rivers Regional Medical Center in Crystal River. She was born June 22, 1929, in Schenectady, N.Y., to Seward and Anna (Madison) Dodge. She came here 38 years ago from Atlanta, Ga. She was a former office manager for New York Telephone Engineers in New York until she met and married her husband Rear Admiral Edward E. Renfro, U.S. Navy, (retired). She was a classic who touched everyone she met and was a strong supporter of her husband as they moved around the world in their "Joint" career. She played golf and tennis and was an excellent dancer.

She is survived by her loving husband of 52 years, Edward of Crystal River; one brother, William Dodge (Cathy) of Port Orange.

Private cremation arrangements are under the care of Strickland Funeral Home with Crematory Crystal River. In lieu of a memorial service a donation to a charity of your choice in Shirley's name would be appreciated.

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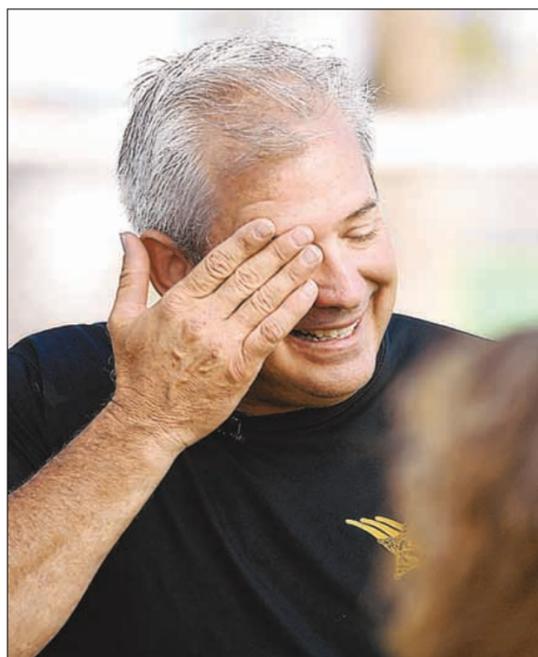
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MATTHEW BECK/Chronicle

Lt. Ricky Grant, brother of Commander Buddy Grant, makes his way through the course. The younger Grant topped his brother's mark significantly with a time of 4 minutes and 12 seconds.



Commander Buddy Grant wipes sweat from his brow following the completion of his run.

BUDDY

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Way. Our agency is always big on community involvement and physical fitness.”

The 13-obstacle course is designed to simulate challenges deputies face on the job — running, climbing stairs, going over a wall, through a window, and pulling a 150-pound sled, which Grant said is his toughest challenge. That, and avoiding the good-natured attempts at sabotage prior to his run.

On Tuesday, Grant walked into his office to a pile of candy, and yesterday United Way CEO Amy Meek sent over doughnuts and others ordered pizzas and burgers, trying to slow



Deputy Thomas Beagan pulls a 150-pound sled as one of the final challenges.

him down.

“This gives me the opportunity to interact with my guys and joke with each other — instill com-

petition,” he said.

Grant beat his own best time, which was 5 minutes and 12 seconds.

“I just wanted to be in

the 5-minute range,” he said after his run was over.

Of the eight deputies who beat Grant, his younger brother Lt. Ricky



Detective Jeremy Laughlin exits a patrol vehicle Tuesday at the start of his timed run. Those running the course started and finished at the patrol car with 13 obstacles in between.

Grant came in at 4 minutes 50 seconds.

and 12 seconds.

The best time belonged to Ryan Glaze, 37, who came in at 3 minutes and

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their differences," Nemzoff said.

Proposals on the table from four bidders could net the community up to \$85 million in cash to pay for health care needs. The CCHB will hear proposals from bidders at a special 3 p.m. meeting today in the county commission chambers.

Nemzoff said he met

with the foundation board without prior knowledge of the CCHB or its attorney, Bill Grant. The CCHB hired Nemzoff to broker the hospital's lease, sale or merger.

Grant received a copy of the offer from foundation attorney Clark Stillwell after the foundation meeting concluded.

The proposal calls for both sides to dismiss all lawsuits against the other; for the CCHB to pay the hospital \$4 million; and that the foundation will

sign a letter of intent with a bidder by July 31.

It also calls for the creation of a citizens' committee, comprised of members appointed by the foundation and CCHB, to develop a community health plan and decide how sale proceeds are spent.

Nemzoff suggested both boards hire lawyers who have zero connection to Citrus County to work on the settlement agreement.

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BUDGET

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nickname "The Love Boat," Kenney said. "I think we've had more marriages from that community center than any other community center."

Commissioner Rebecca Bays said she did not have enough information to make a decision about the cut, while Commissioner Scott Adams said the suggested staff hours reduction along with other suggested cost-cutting measures was all "a dog and pony show."

"I don't see any real backbone in any of this proposal to get to bare bones — what we need to be doing," Adams said. "There's a lot of mumbo-jumbo feel-good stuff that don't amount to nothing in here."

Commission Chairman Joe Meek said he did not support the community centers staff hours cut.

Other suggested ad valorem budget reductions included: Keeping The Centers funding at current level to save \$51,926; transit operations grant match to gas tax for \$160,000 in savings; grounds maintenance reclassifications for \$10,600; Human Resources reclassification for \$5,660; reduce Older Americans Act grant match for \$20,000; reduce Community Care for the Elderly grant match for \$17,500; and reduce Re-

tired Senior and Volunteer Program grant match for \$4,695.

Oliver took the BOCC through his budget study's many aspects. In the proposed budget coming forth, the county could lose another 15 staff positions.

The county has to set up a Municipal Services Taxing Unit (MSTU) for storm water management, Oliver said. Other government bodies have challenged the requirement and lost. If not implemented, the county could face sanctions.

Oliver also displayed the across-the-board cuts necessary to find \$1.4 million in savings to keep the ad valorem rate at 8.1739 mills. The sheriff's budget would have to be cut by 28.66 percent for a savings of \$401,240. The clerk of court's budget would have to be cut 2.29 percent to save \$37,060; the supervisor of elections would be cut 1.48 percent to save \$20,720; the property appraiser would be cut 3.61 percent to save \$50,540; the tax collector's cut would be 3.2 percent to

save \$44,800; and the BOCC would be cut 60.76 percent to save \$850,640.

Adams said he was looking for a trim-back across the board to fit the population.

The proposed average tax increase at present is \$98, Oliver said. He listed unknown factors affecting the ultimate sum: the outcome with the Duke/Progress Energy dispute; the sale of Citrus Memorial Health System and whether a new owner or partner would have to pay taxes; the impact of federal regulations regarding coal-fired generating plants; the impact of federal health care legislation; the impact of any new state mandates or cost shifts; and future adjustments to the Florida Retirement System contribution rates.

Oliver took instruction to report back with an updated plan.

The preliminary budget hearing has been set for 9 a.m. Wednesday, July 24, at the Citrus County Courthouse, Room 100, 110 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness.

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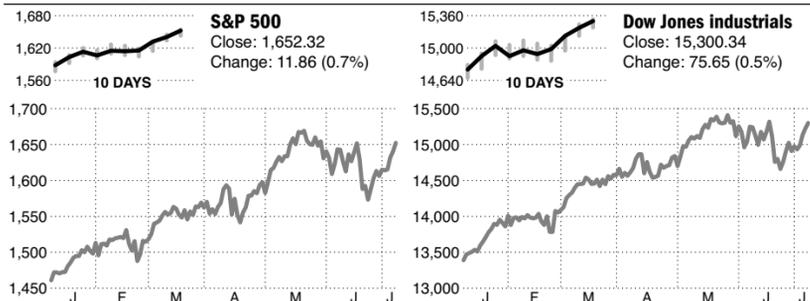
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	NYSE	NASD		HIGH	LOW	CLOSE	CHG.	%CHG.	YTD
Vol. (in mil.)	3,076	1,574	DOW	15320.42	15228.46	15300.34	+75.65	+0.50%	+16.76%
Pvs. Volume	3,195	1,455	DOW Trans.	6479.85	6312.05	6440.47	+142.11	+2.26%	+21.36%
Advanced	2267	1509	DOW Util.	487.17	483.77	486.32	+3.10	+0.64%	+7.33%
Declined	803	955	NYSE Comp.	9349.95	9287.78	9341.41	+75.11	+0.81%	+10.63%
New Highs	283	311	NASDAQ	3508.81	3484.79	3504.26	+19.43	+0.56%	+16.05%
New Lows	37	15	S&P 500	1654.18	1642.89	1652.32	+11.86	+0.72%	+15.86%
			S&P 400	1202.94	1188.30	1201.27	+12.97	+1.09%	+17.72%
			Wilshire 5000	17514.77	17365.64	17497.45	+131.81	+0.76%	+16.69%
			Russell 2000	1018.93	1010.83	1018.05	+8.80	+0.87%	+19.86%

Stocks of Local Interest

NAME	TICKER	LO	HI	CLOSE	CHG	%CHG	WK	MO	QTR	%CHG	%RTN	P/E	DIV
AK Steel Hold	AKS	2.76	6.73	3.29	+16	+5.1	▲	▼	▲	-28.5	-49.0	dd	...
AT&T Inc	T	32.71	39.00	35.60	+02	+0.1	▲	▼	▲	+5.6	+5.4	27	1.80
Ametek Inc	AME	29.86	44.61	44.54	+31	+0.7	▲	▲	▲	+18.6	+31.1	23	0.24
Anheuser-Busch InBev	BUD	76.17	101.86	90.02	+36	+0.4	▲	▼	▲	+3.0	+17.7	12	2.21e
Bank of America	BAC	6.90	13.99	13.53	+25	+1.9	▲	▲	▲	+16.5	+73.9	31	0.04
Capital City Bank	CDBG	7.00	12.64	12.72	+36	+2.9	▲	▲	▲	+11.9	+64.1	98	...
CenturyLink Inc	CTL	32.05	43.43	35.39	+04	+0.1	▼	▼	▼	-9.5	-3.8	25	2.16
Citigroup	C	24.91	53.56	50.21	+69	+1.4	▲	▲	▲	+26.9	+88.0	14	0.04
Commwth REIT	CWH	13.46	25.25	23.41	+22	+0.9	▲	▲	▲	+47.8	+27.4	98	1.00
Disney	DIS	46.53	67.89	64.94	+23	+0.4	▲	▲	▲	+30.4	+36.3	20	0.75f
Duke Energy	DUK	59.63	75.46	68.16	+43	+0.6	▲	▲	▲	+6.8	+6.9	20	3.12f
EPR Properties	EPR	41.18	61.18	50.40	+119	+2.4	▲	▼	▲	+9.3	+24.8	21	3.16
Exxon Mobil Corp	XOM	82.83	93.67	93.34	+109	+1.2	▲	▲	▲	+7.8	+11.5	10	2.52f
Ford Motor	F	8.82	16.93	16.84	+03	+0.2	▲	▲	▲	+30.0	+80.1	12	0.40
Gen Electric	GE	19.36	24.45	23.62	+30	+1.3	▲	▲	▲	+12.5	+20.3	17	0.76
Home Depot	HD	49.77	81.56	79.70	+48	+0.6	▲	▲	▲	+28.9	+54.5	25	1.56
Intel Corp	INTC	19.23	26.90	23.14	-05	-0.2	▼	▼	▼	+12.2	-7.9	12	0.90
IBM	IBM	181.85	215.90	191.30	-3.68	-1.9	▼	▼	▼	-0.1	+3.7	13	3.80f
LKQ Corporation	LKQ	16.54	26.83	26.29	+09	+0.3	▲	▲	▲	+24.6	+54.2	30	...
Lowes Cos	LOW	24.76	43.84	43.81	+31	+0.7	▲	▲	▲	+23.3	+58.5	25	0.72f
McDonalds Corp	MCD	83.31	103.70	99.99	+11	+0.1	▲	▲	▲	+13.4	+14.8	19	3.08
Microsoft Corp	MSFT	26.26	35.78	34.35	+03	+0.1	▲	▼	▼	+28.6	+16.7	18	0.92
Motorola Solutions	MSI	44.49	64.72	58.03	+17	+0.3	▲	▲	▲	+4.2	+25.4	18	1.04
NextEra Energy	NEE	65.95	82.65	81.35	+69	+0.9	▲	▲	▼	+17.6	+21.8	20	2.64
Penney JC Co Inc	JCP	13.55	32.55	17.05	+10	+0.6	▲	▼	▼	-13.5	-23.4	dd	...
Piedmont Office RT	PDM	14.62	21.09	18.37	+08	+0.4	▲	▲	▲	+1.8	+11.2	40	0.80
Regions Fncl	RF	6.19	10.34	10.20	+05	+0.5	▲	▲	▲	+43.1	+52.8	12	0.12f
Sears Holdings Corp	SHLD	38.40	68.77	43.43	+132	+3.1	▲	▼	▲	+5.0	-25.7	dd	...
Smucker, JM	SJM	74.12	105.18	104.62	-25	+0.2	▲	▲	▲	+21.3	+41.3	21	2.08
Sprint Nextel Corp	S	3.15	7.50	7.06	-01	-0.1	▼	▼	▼	+24.5	+114.9	dd	...
Texas Instru	TXN	26.06	37.36	36.24	+55	+1.5	▲	▲	▲	+17.3	+31.9	22	1.12
Time Warner	TWX	36.95	61.73	61.28	+35	+0.6	▼	▲	▲	+28.1	+60.7	19	1.15
UniFirst Corp	UNF	61.22	100.07	94.54	+151	+1.6	▼	▼	▼	+28.9	+38.9	17	0.15
Vizion Comm	VZ	40.51	54.31	50.96	-21	-0.4	▲	▲	▲	+17.8	+19.8	cc	2.06
Vodafone Group	VOD	24.42	30.80	28.82	+08	+0.3	▲	▲	▲	+14.4	+7.7	1.57e	...
WalMart Strs	WMT	67.37	79.96	77.03	+32	+0.4	▲	▲	▲	+12.9	+9.9	15	1.88
Walgreen Co	WAG	29.35	51.25	46.45	+112	+2.5	▲	▼	▲	+25.5	+56.8	21	1.10

Dividend Footnotes: a - Extra dividends were paid, but are not included. b - Annual rate plus stock. c - Liquidating dividend. e - Amount declared or paid in last 12 months. f - Current annual rate, which was increased by most recent dividend announcement. i - Sum of dividends paid after stock split, no regular rate. j - Sum of dividends paid this year. Most recent dividend was omitted or deferred. k - Declared or paid this year, a cumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m - Current annual rate, which was decreased by most recent dividend announcement. p - Initial dividend, annual rate not known, yield not shown. r - Declared or paid in preceding 12 months plus stock dividend. t - Paid in stock, approximate cash value on ex-distribution date.

PE Footnotes: q - Stock is a closed-end fund - no P/E ratio shown. cc - P/E exceeds 99. dd - Loss in last 12 months.

Interestrates



The yield on the 10-year Treasury note held steady at 2.64 percent Tuesday. Yields affect interest rates on consumer loans.

	PRIME RATE	FED FUNDS
YEST	3.25	.13
6 MO AGO	3.25	.13
1 YR AGO	3.25	.13

Commodities

The wholesale price of gasoline rose to its highest settlement level since April. An afternoon rally for crude oil helped it eliminate losses from the morning to end modestly higher.



MutualFunds

FAMILY	FUND	NAV	CHG	YTD	1YR	3YR*	5YR*
American Funds	BalA m	22.48	+14	+11.2	+18.3	+14.2	+8.1
	CapIncBuA m	55.02	+17	+6.1	+11.9	+10.8	+4.3
	CpWldGrIA m	39.85	+21	+8.7	+21.9	+11.4	+3.7
	EurPacGrA m	42.23	+24	+2.5	+17.8	+7.2	+1.9
	FnlInvA m	46.78	+31	+15.4	+26.7	+15.9	+6.4
	GrthAmA m	39.46	+24	+14.9	+26.9	+15.4	+6.2
	IncAmerA m	19.30	+11	+8.7	+15.6	+13.1	+7.3
	InvCoAmA m	34.47	+24	+15.2	+23.5	+14.8	+6.8
	NewPerspA m	34.47	+18	+10.3	+23.6	+13.3	+6.0
	WAMutlInvA m	36.38	+28	+17.8	+24.2	+18.1	+8.3
Dodge & Cox	Income	13.44	+01	-1.6	+1.3	+4.6	+6.5
	IntlStk	37.10	+30	+7.1	+27.7	+9.4	+2.6
	Stock	146.49	+104	+21.2	+36.7	+18.7	+7.9
Fidelity	Contra	88.31	+55	+14.9	+20.5	+16.5	+7.4
	GrowCo	108.79	+83	+16.7	+22.6	+19.6	+8.8
	LowPriStk d	46.76	+28	+18.4	+30.3	+18.9	+11.3
Fidelity Spartan	500IdxAdvTg	58.58	+42	+17.1	+24.9	+17.7	+8.2
FrankTemp-Franklin	IncomeA m	2.28	+01	+5.2	+13.1	+10.8	+6.9
FrankTemp-Templeton	GlBondA m	13.02	+05	-0.9	+7.9	+6.3	+9.4
	GlBondAdv	12.98	+05	-0.8	+8.2	+6.5	+9.6
Harbor	IntlInstl	62.92	+26	+1.3	+16.9	+9.2	+1.8
PIMCO	TotRetA m	10.70	+02	-3.7	-0.5	+4.1	+6.5
T Rowe Price	EgtyInc	30.52	+07	+6.4	+26.9	+16.8	+7.8
	GrowStk	43.48	+33	+15.1	+21.1	+18.0	+8.6
Vanguard	500Adml	152.39	+109	+17.1	+24.9	+17.8	+8.2
	500Inv	152.39	+109	+17.1	+24.8	+17.6	+8.1
	MultAdml	13.71	-02	-3.1	-0.8	+3.7	+4.5
	STGradeAd	10.65	...	-0.5	+1.5	+2.7	+3.7
	Tgtet2025	14.64	+08	+7.7	+15.2	+11.7	+6.2
	TotBdAdml	10.61	+01	-3.0	-2.0	+3.3	+4.9
	TotIntl	14.85	+09	+0.7	+16.1	+6.6	+0.2
	TotStlAdm	41.54	+31	+17.6	+25.8	+18.2	+8.8
	TotStlIdx	41.53	+31	+17.5	+25.6	+18.0	+8.0
	Welltn	37.00	+22	+10.7	+17.5	+13.0	+8.7
	WelltnAdm	63.89	+36	+10.7	+17.6	+13.0	+8.1

* - Annualized; d - Deferred sales charge, or redemption fee. m - Multiple fees are charged, usually a marketing fee and either a sales or redemption fee. x - fund paid a distribution during the weekly.



Traders Joel Luchese, left, and Michael Urkonis confer Monday on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange. Asian stock markets rebounded and European shares continued a global rally Tuesday following positive U.S. economic news as nervousness about an imminent scaling back of the Federal Reserve's monetary stimulus eased.

Stocks head higher for fourth day

Associated Press

NEW YORK — The stock market edged higher Tuesday as investors bought companies that fare best when the economic outlook is bright. All major stocks indexes rose, but gains were led by the riskier parts of the market. The Russell 2000, an index of small-company stocks, climbed for a fourth straight day. The Dow Jones transportation average, seen as a leading indicator for the broader economy, also jumped.

The gains suggest investors are getting more confident about the economy's prospects. In the first half of the year, stock markets were powered by the safer companies that paid large dividends.

"When you see that leadership from the smaller caps that's proba-

bly a good sign overall for the bigger blue chips to potentially follow suit," said Ryan Detrick, a senior technical strategist at Schaeffer's Investment Research. "People are leaving the more defensive areas."

The Russell 2000 rose eight points, or 0.9 percent, to 1,018.05. It has gained 4.2 percent in July and is moving deeper into record territory. The index has risen more this year than its large-company counterparts, the Dow Jones industrial average and the Standard & Poor's 500 index.

The Dow Jones transportation index rose the most among major U.S. indexes Tuesday, led by strong gains for Alaska Air Group and FedEx.

The index jumped 148 points, or 2.4 percent, to 6,446. Alaska Air Group

rose 7 percent after it forecast an additional \$50 million a year in revenue from increased fees. FedEx rose 6 percent on speculation that William Ackman's hedge fund, Pershing Square, could invest in the company.

Wall Street is also turning its attention to corporate earnings. The second-quarter results should give traders and investors fresh insights into the economy. Market watchers spent most of June trying to figure out where the Federal Reserve was headed with its economic stimulus program.

Along with the quarterly results, investors want to see how confident companies are about the rest of the year, said Cam Albright, director of asset allocation for Wilmington Trust Investment Advisors.

Fla. joins feds in organized retail theft task force

Associated Press

MIAMI — Federal and Florida law enforcement officials said Tuesday they are creating the nation's first task force to tackle the growing problem of organized retail theft, which victimizes nearly every store nationwide and costs retailers some \$30 billion in losses each year.

Alysa D. Erichs, special agent in charge of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement's Homeland Security Investigations office in Miami, said retail thievery has become a sophisticated and well-organized criminal enterprise that uses teams of people armed with technology and the Internet to steal merchandise from stores of all sizes.

"We are not speaking about simple 'onesie-twosie' shoplifters," Erichs told reporters. The task force, which includes ICE, the Florida Department of Law Enforcement and multiple police agencies in South Florida, will target the thieves with federal money laundering and cash smuggling laws in many cases, Erichs said. At the state level, Republican Gov. Rick Scott signed a new law this year that boosts potential prison sentences for organized theft to a minimum of 21



Rich Mellor, vice president of loss prevention for the National Retail Federation, points to a portion of about \$7,000 in stolen merchandise recovered in a recent bust in Broward County Tuesday during a news conference.

months, said Addy Villanueva, who runs the Miami FDLE office. The Miami area ranks fourth in the U.S. in organized retail theft, according to the National Retail Federation, behind Los Angeles, New York and Chicago. Rich Mellor, the federation's vice president for loss prevention, said his organization's annual survey of retailers found that more than 90 percent reported being victims of organized theft. Eight in 10 said the problem is increasing.

"We are extremely concerned by the organized patterns that are taking place in the retail industry right now as these crime gangs continue to find ways to maneuver the system," Mellor said. At a news conference Tuesday, authorities displayed about \$7,000 in merchandise recovered in a recent bust in Broward County. The stolen items were among the most popular across the country: over-the-counter medicines, razor blades, beauty and hygiene products. Also highly popular are personal electronics, said Miami U.S. Attorney Wilfredo Ferrer. Criminal tactics run the gamut. One group might use teams of shoplifters to target certain items at multiple stores, later reselling them on the Internet or at a flea market. Others use fake receipts to return items in exchange for gift cards, which they then convert into cash. Still others use legitimate receipts but simply go back to the store, get an identical item, then return it while keeping the original they bought — and then selling it.

The goal of the task force is to marshal law enforcement agencies across South Florida so that criminals cannot use jurisdictional boundaries to their advantage.

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 Dostoyevsky, "A Diary of a Writer," 1876

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Two tax rolls for one county

Citrus County has many distinctions, some natural and some manmade. Now, we have another perhaps more dubious one. Our county has two certified tax rolls.

One of these rolls shows the level of assessed value the property appraiser said we should collect taxes on, but probably won't. The other shows the assessment level he thinks we will collect taxes on.

The difference between the two represents how much the property appraiser says Duke Energy's property in the county is worth, and how much the company says it is worth. The property appraiser says Duke's property is worth \$3.47 billion, while Duke says its property is only worth \$1.2 billion. This represents about \$35 million in taxes at current assessment levels.

In normal times, the property appraiser determines the assessed value of property in the county and then informs taxing authorities such as the school board and the county commission the value of property against which ad valorem taxes can be assessed.

Taxing authorities set a millage rate, which is then applied to the assessed values to determine the ad valorem taxes billed to each property owner.

But these are not normal times. Last year, after the tax roll was certified, the largest

taxpayer in the county refused to pay the assessed amount, which put local officials into a tizzy. The company gives no indication of willingness to pay significantly more this year.

So this year the Citrus County property appraiser certified two tax rolls. One with Duke property at the level his office appraises it, and one at the level Duke said the property is worth.

But the property appraiser has advised taxing authorities they should set their millage rates on the lower one, so in effect the lower one is the real tax roll. The higher one is, well, a higher one, but not one that has meaning for taxing authorities, since Duke will only pay on the higher level if it loses in the company's current litigation with the property appraiser.

Given these facts, issuing two tax rolls seems less about information and more about political theater. We have had quite enough of this lately, with the hospital dispute and last year's flap with Duke. The fact our county officials have to face is that their budget is limited, and they have to make the hard choices necessary to live within it.

This is the real message from the lower certified tax roll, and one that will have to inform the decisions of county officials at all levels as we go forward into another budget year.

THE ISSUE:

Property appraiser certifies two tax rolls.

OUR OPINION:

More political theater than information.

Hot Corner: **MILLAGE**

It'll be a ghost county

If the county commissioners refuse to cut a lot of the services and raise the millage rate on the property taxes too high, they won't have to worry about the services because the people's homes will go into foreclosure and they will move out and there won't be anyone left here to use the services. So, commissioners, be careful. Start cutting services and do not raise up millage rates too high. Otherwise you're going to have a ghost county over here where no one will be able to afford to live here anymore and foreclosure looks like it may be coming for a lot of families if that millage rate is too high.

Not a nice citizen

I know it's a mistake to make a comment after reading nothing but a headline, but a headline in this morning's paper made me see that my taxes are about to go up 30 percent primarily because one citizen of our county has refused to pay what they were assessed. Not only has that citizen refused to

pay their taxes, they continue to charge me whatever they choose to charge me for future building plans they have.

Keep public safety

I was just wanting to say to the county commissioners that I think once again Scott Adams has the right idea: across-the-board cuts. I don't want any of your services. And two of the commissioners said the main thing government is charged with is public safety. That should be the only thing government is charged with

— public safety. The rest of it, get rid of it until you are balanced, just like I do in my home.

These folks are crazy

Citrus County people could get together and stop this tax increase. What is going on? What is wrong here? This county has not come out of its problems yet and they're wanting more money from people who can't afford it? And then they're adding another assessment on top of the taxes? Are these people out of their minds?



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Standing in line with God

I was standing in line with God, buying tickets to see "Monsters University." He's a big Billy Crystal fan.

"So," I said, "have you heard about these religious atheists?"

God gave me a look. "Is this a joke?" He asked.

"No," I said. "It's a story that ran in the *Washington Post* recently about religion in America. It was fascinating. Turns out 12 percent of those who say they don't believe in you nevertheless pray. Some of them pray to something they call a 'universal spirit.' It also said 18 percent of atheists say religion has some importance in their lives."

"Really?" said God as the line edged forward. "So where's this coming from?"

"It was from a Pew study that came out in October. For some reason, the study didn't get much traction, but the *Post* story has been making noise all over the Internet. People are blogging about it, tweeting about it."

"I hadn't heard," said God. "My Internet's been down."

"So anyway," I said, "about these religious atheists?"

"What about them?"

"You don't think it's weird? They don't believe in you, but they pray?"

"To this 'universal spirit'?" said God.

"Yeah." We edged forward again.

"Why should that bother me?" asked God. "I am a universal spirit."

"But it's hypocritical," I insisted. "The story even talks about atheists who mimic religious practices, who gather in so-called 'godless congregations' on Sundays to, I don't know, meditate and reflect."

"This annoys you?" God wagged His fingers at a toddler who was staring at Him.

"A little," I conceded. "Just seems like they're trying to have it both ways. Heck, some of them throw hissy fits at any passing mention of you. If I write some innocuous line — 'Lord, have mercy,' let's say — suddenly, I've got atheists out the wazoo."

"Sounds painful," He said.

"I'm just saying: If you believe, believe. If you don't, don't. Make up your mind."

"You think it's that simple? It's not. Faith and doubt do not oppose each other. They define each other, like light and shadow."

"Wow," I said, "that's deep."

"I have my moments," said God.

We got to the window. "Two for Monsters," I said. God showed his AARP card and got the senior discount.

"Here's the thing," said God as we lined up at the snack counter. "I designed you to seek me, to feel a need for me. Some people — that 12 percent you're so fired up about — maybe they

don't find me in what you call 'religion.' Maybe that means they're missing something. Or maybe religion is."

"What if they don't find you at all?"

"Finding is important," said God. "But seeking is important, too. Seeking teaches patience, opens your mind, shows you your own limitations. That's where wisdom begins."

"But come on," I said, "'universal spirit'?" Doesn't that sound cheesy?"

God shrugged. "I've been called worse. Besides, have you seen the things some religious people do, supposedly in my name? They blow things up in the name of God. They stone women in the name of God. They fight in the name of God. They hate in the name of God."

He looked sad. "I wish, more often, they would hug in the name of God. Serve in the name of God. Heal in the name of God. Make peace in the name of God. I would like that very much."

We got to the snack counter. I ordered popcorn and a cherry Icee. "He'll have water," said God and when I looked at him, He said, "I gave you good, strong teeth. Why do you want to rot them?"

The kid behind the counter handed the water bottle to God, who handed it to me. "Don't forget to recycle," He said. "My oceans are not garbage dumps."

I sighed. "Yes, universal spirit," I said.

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LETTER to the Editor

Repeating history

In the early 1930s, the world was in financial turmoil and a most heavily affected country after World War I was Germany. Inflation was totally out of hand and the people of Germany were looking for a government to bring about financial order.

In their despair, they eventually named a fellow by the name of Hitler as chancellor, after which by edict he declared himself total ruler and dictator. His promises of future financial well being was the drawing card. The people of Germany elected a planned autocracy without realizing it, but the public satisfaction was based on the almighty Deutschmark, (the German dollar), and the resolution became a one-party dictatorial government.

Today in the U.S. political atmosphere we have an organized group in Congress that identifies itself as the tea party. In the last five years, it has refused to negotiate any bill the president supports and one of the tea party supporters, Republican Congressman Connelly of Kentucky, declared that we will make President Obama look bad. The methodology was to oppose any bill that Obama supported and stalemated the Congress. In doing so, they imposed a "my highway or no highway" philosophy. Guess what? That is known as one-party government or other wise known as a

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desire an autocracy; however, because of clever propaganda and self-serving leadership that is what they ended up with. So beware of the propaganda that comes from self-serving political organizations and remember that you truly want a two or more party government that negotiates and sets our national agenda, rules and legislation. A one-party government is an autocracy that easily becomes a dictatorship as happened in Germany.

Demand that your representatives represent you and our country, not some self-serving ideology that only represents an unworkable philosophy. Good governments have always had political party disagreements, but intelligent men and women have always understood how to negotiate and compromise in order generate legislation that supports and represents the people of the USA for the betterment of our government. To do nothing while supposedly representing you and I is a sham.

But then who am I to suggest that an autocracy is a possibility here in the United States of America? Well I am one who reads, understands and respects history, because history just happens to repeat itself over time. Let us not be a child of a bad act or a bad historical repetition here in the USA. You may not like the outcome if you are not concerned.

Dan Groner
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Stillwell said in an interview the proposal was "well received" by the foundation and wanted both boards to approve it no later than July 24.

Grant said afterward he would suggest the trustees discuss the offer behind closed doors July 19 or July 24.

Nemzoff told county commissioners that no bidder would agree to a letter of intent without backing from both the CCHB, which owns the hospital, and the foundation, which leases it from the CCHB.

With the hospital facing a potential Sept. 30 bond default, Nemzoff said the issue is simple.



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Bidders will not stick around forever, he said.

"Do you want to take a bid or take a chance on defaulting on the bond issue?" he said. "This has got to be resolved in the next month or two."

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CENTER

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had become insolvent. The options on the table were to subsidize, sell or shut it down.

But residents seemed to understand that the Citrus County Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) expects the community to give greater support to its community center in the years ahead as the board voted unanimously for the \$49,000 subsidy for the next budget year. Cathy Pearson, assistant county administrator and community services director, said the community center needs 285 additional members to break even. It currently has 301 members.

Long-time Beverly Hills resident Joe Ricotta spoke about developer Sam Kellner's vision for Beverly Hills.

"He promised everybody that it was not just going to be a residential area, but a recreational area," Ricotta said. "People I've talked to told me that's why they came here. They like sunshine, and the housing wasn't that expensive."

For recreation, the community had tennis courts and a swimming pool, among other facilities.

"A lot of us who lived in the big cities and lived on the second floor never lived on the first floor in the sunshine. So we came here and we enjoyed it here," Ricotta said.

While glad to have the county's help, Ricotta urged his community to

recognize that times had changed and the neighborhood was allowing appearances of homes to decline, causing a lowering of pride in the community and reluctance to become a community center member.

"We need our integrity back in Beverly Hills," Ricotta said.

Theodora Rusnak, president of the Citrus County Council, supported keeping the community center in public hands.

"This building has been the centerpiece of the community for decades," Rusnak said.

Shutting it down would still require the expense of maintenance, such as landscaping, utilities and insurance, Rusnak said. The total shutdown also would lower the property values of houses in Beverly Hills. As the county now owns it, the community center can be used by all county residents.

Harvey Gerber, presi-

dent of the Beverly Hills Civic Association, thanked commissioners for their support of the community center.

"You all recognize how essential this is to the quality of life," Gerber said. "But the secondary point is ... the economic value, not only to the property owners in the greater Beverly Hills area, but to you, the commissioners, and the property appraiser."

Gerber said any subdivision with significant amenities sells faster and for more money than a subdivision that doesn't have amenities, and pays higher ad valorem taxes.

"Beverly Hills has fantastic amenities," Gerber said. "That means it sold faster and is selling for more money. Therefore, tax rates are in your favor, so you've made a wise economic decision today — not only a wise social decision, but a wise economic decision."

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Mud Day



Associated Press

Stephanie Strong, 9, standing, helps Grace Lipscomb, 10, both of Howell, Mich., wheelbarrow Tuesday in the mud in Westland, Mich. Hundreds of kids enjoyed the annual Mud Day event in a 7-by-150-foot mud pit.

NTSB: Pilots relied on auto speed control

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Calif. — The pilots of Asiana Flight 214 relied on automated cockpit equipment to control the jetliner's speed as they landed at San Francisco airport, but realized too late they were flying too low and too slow before the aircraft crashed, investigators said Tuesday.

One of the most puzzling aspects of the crash has been why the wide-body Boeing 777 jet came in far too low and slow, clipping its landing gear and then its tail on a rocky seawall just short of the runway. The crash killed two of the 307 people and injured scores of others, most not seriously.

Among those injured were two flight attendants in the back of the plane, who survived despite being thrown onto the runway when the plane slammed into the seawall and the tail broke off.

National Transportation Safety Board chairman Deborah Hersman said the training captain who was instructing the pilot flying the aircraft has told investigators he thought the autothrottle, similar to a car's cruise control, was programmed for a speed of 137 knots — the target speed the pilots had selected for how fast they wanted the plane to be flying when it crossed the runway threshold.

Instead, investigators said the plane reached speeds as low as 103 knots.

Illinois enacts nation's final concealed-gun law

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. — The last holdout on allowing the public possession of concealed guns, Illinois joined the rest of the nation Tuesday as lawmakers raced to beat a federal court deadline in adopting a carry law over Gov. Pat Quinn's objections.

Massive majorities in the House and Senate voted to override changes the Democratic governor made just a week ago in an amendatory veto.

Some lawmakers feared failure to pass something would mean virtually unregulated weapons in Chicago, which has endured severe gun violence in recent months — including more than 70 shootings, at least 12 of them fatal, during the Independence Day weekend.

The Senate voted 41-17 in favor of the override after a House tally of 77-31, margins that met the three-fifths threshold needed to set aside the amendatory veto. Quinn had used his veto authority to suggest changes, including prohibiting guns in restaurants that serve alcohol and limiting gun-toting citizens to one firearm at a time.

—From wire reports

Egypt pushes ahead transition plans

Associated Press

CAIRO — Egypt's interim president named an economist as prime minister Tuesday, ending days of deadlock as the head of the military pressured political factions to speed along the process, warning them that "maneuvering" must not hold up the transition toward new elections after the ouster of President Mohammed Morsi.

The appointment of Hazem el-Beblawi, along with the setting of a swift timetable for parliamentary and presidential elections early next year, underlined the military-backed leadership's determination to push ahead with their transition plans in the face of Islamist protests demanding the reinstatement of Morsi, Egypt's first freely



Associated Press

Supporters of ousted President Mohammed Morsi protest Tuesday in Nasr City, Cairo, Egypt.

elect president. The new leadership got a boost Tuesday from Arab allies in the Gulf. Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates, both opponents of Morsi's Muslim Brotherhood, cele-

brated his ouster by showering the cash-strapped Egyptian government with promises of \$8 billion worth of cash grants, loans and badly needed gas and oil.

In doing so, they are effectively stepping in for Morsi's Gulf patron, Qatar, a close ally of the Brotherhood that gave his government several billion in aid. During Morsi's year in office, he and his officials toured multiple countries seeking cash to prop up rapidly draining foreign currency reserves and plug mounting deficits — at times getting a cold shoulder.

The developments underlined the multiple pressures on the new leadership even with the country still in turmoil after what Morsi's supporters have called a coup against democracy.

Honoring fallen firefighters



Associated Press

A bell is rung Tuesday for each of the 19 fallen firefighters during a memorial service in Prescott Valley, Ariz. Prescott's Granite Mountain Hotshots were overrun by smoke and fire while battling a blaze on a ridge in Yarnell, about 80 miles northwest of Phoenix, on June 30.

Car bomb rocks Lebanon

Associated Press

BEIRUT — A powerful car bomb exploded in a Hezbollah stronghold in the southern suburbs of Beirut on Tuesday, wounding at least 53 people in the most troubling sign yet that Syria's civil war is beginning to consume its smaller neighbor.

The blast in the heart of the Shiite militant group's bastion of support raised the worrying specter of Lebanon being pulled into the violent Sunni-Shiite struggle in the region, with sectarian killings similar to those plaguing Syria and Iraq.

The Syrian conflict, now in its third year, is whipping up sectarian fervor. Sunni-Shiite tensions have risen sharply, particularly since Hezbollah raised its profile by openly fighting alongside President

Bashar Assad's forces. Lebanese Sunnis support the rebels fighting to topple Assad.

While there was no immediate claim of responsibility, there have been growing fears in Lebanon that Hezbollah could face retaliation for its now overt role fighting alongside Assad's troops. The group's fighters played a key role in a recent regime victory to retake control of the strategic town of Qusair, near the Lebanese border, where rebels held sway for more than a year. Syrian activists say Hezbollah fighters are now aiding a regime offensive in the besieged city of Homs.

Syria-based rebels and militant Islamist groups have threatened to target Hezbollah strongholds in Lebanon in retaliation.

Seeking death penalty in Boston case? A long road

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — If the Obama administration tries for the death penalty against Boston Marathon bombing suspect Dzhokhar Tsarnaev, it could face a long, difficult legal battle in a state that hasn't seen an execution in nearly 70 years.

Attorney General Eric Holder will have to decide several months before the start of a trial — if there is one — whether to seek death for Tsarnaev. It is the highest-profile such decision yet to come before Holder, who personally opposes the death penalty.

Tsarnaev will be arraigned in U.S. District Court in Boston this afternoon — the first public court appearance for the teenager who was found wounded in a boat stored in a suburban backyard after a massive manhunt and a shootout with police in which his brother died last April.

Holder, in making his decision, will get plenty of advice.

"If you have the death penalty and don't use it in this kind of case where someone puts bombs down in crowds of civilians, then in what kind of case do you use it?" said Aitan D. Goelman, who was part of the legal team that prosecuted Oklahoma City bombing figures Timothy McVeigh and Terry Nichols.

In the past 4 1/2 years, the Justice Department has sought executions in several instances. But, in an indication of how protracted the process can be, none of the administration's cases has yet put anyone on death row.

Massachusetts abolished its own death penalty in 1984, but Tsarnaev is being prosecuted in federal court. Since the federal death penalty was reinstated in 1988, only three people, including McVeigh, have been executed. Others have pending appeals.

In cases where federal juries have chosen between life and death, they have imposed twice as many life sentences as death sentences — 144 to 73 — according to the Federal Death Penalty Resource Counsel Project, a two-decade-old group created by the Administrative Office of the United States Courts.

The jury pool for a death penalty case against Tsarnaev would come from a state that has rejected repeated efforts to reinstate capital punishment.

However, a former U.S. attorney in Massachusetts, Michael J. Sullivan, said viewing the state as opposed to the penalty is not entirely correct. Voters have supported reinstating the death penalty in non-binding referenda. And when Sullivan was U.S. attorney in Boston, his team of prosecutors won a death penalty verdict. That case is on appeal.

"I'm not suggesting there's strong interest in reinstating the death penalty in Massachusetts, but I think jurors in a federal case would be very thoughtful and under the right circumstances would vote in favor of the death penalty," Sullivan said.



Dzhokhar Tsarnaev
Boston Marathon bombing suspect.

World BRIEFS

Criminal probe in Quebec oil train derailment

LAC-MEGANTIC, Quebec — Canadian authorities said Tuesday they have opened a criminal investigation into the fiery wreck of a runaway oil train as the death toll climbed to 15, with dozens more bodies feared buried in the blackened, burned-out ruins of this small town.

Quebec police Inspector Michel Forget said investigators have "discovered elements" that have led to a criminal probe. He gave no details but ruled out terrorism.

Tangled debris and gas leaks hampered rescue workers' search for bodies three days after the crash early Saturday that incinerated much of Lac-Megantic's downtown and raised questions about the safety of transporting oil by rail instead of pipeline.

Investigators zeroed in on whether a blaze on the train a few hours before the disaster set off the deadly chain of events.

The death toll rose with the discovery of two more bodies Tuesday. About three dozen more people

were missing.

The same train caught fire hours earlier in a nearby town, and the engine was shut down — standard operating procedure dictated by the train's owners, Nantes Fire Chief Patrick Lambert said.

Edward Burkhardt, president and CEO of the railway's parent company, Rail World Inc., suggested shutting off the locomotive to put out the fire might have disabled the brakes.

Confusion on Venezuela asylum offer to Snowden

MOSCOW — The WikiLeaks secret-spilling site on Tuesday said NSA leaker Edward Snowden has not yet formally accepted asylum in Venezuela, trying to put to rest growing confusion over whether he had taken up the country's offer.

Venezuelan President Nicolas Maduro has offered asylum to Snowden and said his country received a request from the former NSA systems analyst. But Snowden, who is believed to be in a Moscow airport's transit zone, has applied for asylum in other countries as well, and it is not clear

how easy it would be for him to travel to the Latin American country.

On Tuesday, a prominent Russian lawmaker tweeted that Snowden had accepted Venezuela's offer, then deleted the posting a few minutes later.

Roadside bomb kills 17 villagers in Afghanistan

KABUL, Afghanistan — A roadside bomb struck a motorcycle-drawn cart carrying women and children between two villages Tuesday in western Afghanistan, killing all 17 people on board, a grim reminder of the dangers facing Afghan civilians ahead of the 2014 withdrawal of foreign combat troops.

The roadside bomb that struck the cart was aimed at stopping a joint patrol of Afghan soldiers and police that was pursuing a group of Taliban militants in the western province of Herat, local police Lt. Sher Agha said. But the bomb exploded next to the cart carrying the villagers, killing 12 women, four children and a man, Agha said.

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Citrus' McIntyre signs with PHCC



Former Hurricane will attend college in New Port Richey

C.J. RISAK
Correspondent

A decision made prior to her junior season at Citrus High School ended up making Aaron McIntyre a coveted addition to any collegiate softball team.

At the time, McIntyre was the Hurricanes' returning shortstop. But Citrus coach Larry Bishop had other

Citrus High School graduate Aaron McIntyre, right, will attend Pasco-Hernando Community College to play softball. McIntyre will play for Conquistadors head coach Tom Ryan, left.

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lineup holes to fill, in particular in centerfield. He decided McIntyre's speed would be ideal in that spot.

McIntyre made the switch without complaint, proving two things: First, she would do whatever she could for the betterment of the team, and second, she had the talent to make it a very successful change.

Now McIntyre will tackle another alteration. She's taking her game to Pasco-Hernando Community College, where she'll play for coach Tom Ryan.

"They have a really good program and staff," McIntyre said of her decision to attend PHCC. "I sent him a video and (Ryan) said come in for a tryout."

That was in mid-May. McIntyre,

who patrolled centerfield for Citrus for the past two seasons, will probably be in that spot for the Conquistadors. But that isn't for certain, considering McIntyre's overall skills.

"I really like fielding, but once I switched to the outfield, I thought I did better there," McIntyre said.

Bishop agreed to a point. "She is very capable of playing shortstop," he

noted, adding, "She can play anywhere in the field, with her speed and ability."

Bishop said he moved her to center because McIntyre has "a lot of speed. She can cover a lot of ground."

Her willingness to make the switch to the outfield impressed Bishop.

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“ They have a really good program and staff. ”

Aaron McIntyre
 said of picking Pasco-Hernando Community College to play softball

Title game set



STEPHEN E. LASKO/For the Chronicle

Inverness second baseman Jaylen Armstrong attempts to turn the double play Tuesday as Dunnellon's Kenny Richardson tries to break it up in a District 15 major baseball tournament semifinal game at Bicentennial Park in Crystal River.

Dunnellon, Crystal River advance to District 15 major championship

LARRY BUGG
Correspondent

CRYSTAL RIVER — Patrick St. Jean blasted a grand slam and Connor Neal tossed a complete game as the Dunnellon Major Baseball All Stars beat Inverness 10-1 on Tuesday at Bicentennial Park.

Dunnellon (5-0) advances to the Little League District 15 majors title game tonight at 6:30 against Crystal River. Crystal River (4-1) beat West Hernando 12-10.

St. Jean's shot cleared the left center field fence and was the key blow in a seven-run third inning. Dunnellon had seven hits in that inning.

Inverness pitcher Zion Pressley took the pitching loss.

Dunnellon hurler Neal allowed six hits, struck out five and walked no one in the contest.

St. Jean was 2 for 4 with two runs. Neal was 2 for 3 with



Inverness' Jaylen Armstrong slides back to the bag as third baseman Payton Sapp places the tag.

three RBIs. Jonathan Santiago was 3 for 3 with a run and an RBI. Timothy Grieves was 2 for 2 with two runs. Matthew Kleckner scored two runs.

Inverness made three errors.

Inverness' Colton Smith singled his team's only run in the third inning.

"We had a complete game

by Connor Neal," Dunnellon manager Matt Kleckner said. "We had great defense. The boys just hit well up and down the lineup. Our catcher (St. Jean) did great."

Majors Baseball
Crystal River 12,
West Hernando 10

Zach O'Callaghan was the

winning pitcher for the Crystal River all-star team.

Seth Purnell had four RBIs on two doubles and also scored twice. Lane Ewing had two runs and an RBI.

T.J. Keefer had a two-run double. Tyler LaBelle scored two runs.

Crystal River had five doubles and 13 hits in the contest.



Associated Press

Carlos Ortiz appears for a hearing at Attleboro, Mass., District Court on Tuesday. Ortiz agreed to remain in jail until an August hearing to determine if he is a danger to the community. He had been arrested on weapons charges in June in Bristol, Conn., in connection with the murder case against former New England Patriots tight end Aaron Hernandez. Hernandez is charged in the June murder of Odin Lloyd, a semi-pro football player from Boston.

Documents paint ex-Pat as shooter

Man linked to case casts Hernandez as triggerman

Associated Press

ATTLEBORO, Mass. — A man linked to the murder case involving former New England Patriots player Aaron Hernandez cast him as the triggerman in a police interview, according to documents filed Tuesday in Florida that provide the most damning evidence yet against the star athlete.

The records, obtained by The Associated Press, also show a vehicle wanted in a double killing in Boston a year before had been rented in Hernandez's name.

Hernandez has been charged with murder in the June killing of Boston semi-pro football player Odin Lloyd. The records say Hernandez associate Carlos Ortiz told Massachusetts investigators that another man, Ernest Wallace, said Hernandez shot Lloyd in an industrial park near Hernandez's home in North Attleborough.

The documents were filed in court by the Miramar, Fla., police department to justify a search of Wallace's mother's home in that city.

The records also show that police, while investigating Lloyd's killing, searched in Hernandez's hometown of Bristol, Conn., and found a vehicle wanted in connection with a July 2012 double homicide near a Boston nightclub.

Hernandez has pleaded not guilty in Lloyd's killing. His legal team did not return email messages Tuesday. Wallace faces an accessory to murder charge in the case and has pleaded not guilty.

Prosecutors say Hernandez, Wallace and Ortiz drove with Lloyd in a rented Nissan Altima to the industrial park where Lloyd was fatally shot.

Ortiz told police that during the drive Hernandez told Lloyd that Lloyd had been "chilling" with people Hernandez had problems with, the documents say. But Ortiz

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Golf on a hovercraft

Ohio course buys different take on golf cart

Associated Press

For the curious and the adventurous, a round of golf at an Ohio course is about to cost a lot more.

Windy Knoll Golf Club tries to keep the price under \$40 on the weekend, which includes a cart. That soon will go up to \$230 — when the round of golf includes a hovercraft.

Pete Duffey, the managing director of the public course in Springfield, Ohio, was so intrigued by the YouTube video of Bubba Watson skimming over water and through bunkers in a hovercraft built for golf that he called the manufacturer to make sure it was real.

And then he ordered two of them.

“We’re always looking for a way to set ourselves apart from the competition,” Duffey said Tuesday. “We’ll be able to offer something that no one in the area, in the state and at this point in the country can offer.”

The golf hovercrafts are made by Neoteric Hovercraft in Terre Haute, Ind., which specializes in light hovercrafts for personal and commercial use. Its clients include government agencies and companies such as Disney World, according to its website.

Neoteric built a golf hovercraft for Oakley, which sponsors Watson and wanted it for corporate events.

Duffey said his first golf hovercraft is to arrive on July 18 and the other a week later. The club plans to launch its new “carts” during a promotional outing on July 27 that is to feature LPGA great Nancy Lopez.

He said the cost would be \$230 for golf in the hovercraft. He declined to say how much it cost the club except that it was “10 times the cost of a standard cart.”

Why just two? “We thought it made sense for a foursome to use,” he said.

Unlike the video, golfers in the hovercraft can go anywhere. Duffey said there would be a designated area on the front and back nine where the golfers can take it onto the lake. And the club has decided to make the putting green and bunkers off lim-



Associated Press

A golf course in Ohio was so intrigued by a video of PGA Tour golfer Bubba Watson using a hovercraft that they bought two of the devices to offer for use for players.

its, even though Neoteric says it has a footprint pressure 33 times less than the human foot.

He said the club is working with an attorney and its insurance company on liability issues, and that golfers using the craft will have to go through a half-hour presentation on how to drive it. And how will this help pace of play at the club, one of the top issues in golf?

“It’s going to turn heads,” Duffey said. “I think other golfers on the course might find themselves so interested in looking at it that if it did slow play down, I don’t think it will be noticeable.”

For those who don’t want a cart or a hovercraft, walking remains an option.

The final stretch

In the first year of the FedEx Cup, there was so much promotion that Vijay Singh said he was tired of talking about it even before the season started. His sound advice was to worry about that when it mattered later in the year, much like the Presidents Cup or Ryder Cup standings.

It’s getting to be that time.

There are only six tournaments remaining to get into the top 125 and take part in the \$35 million bonanza known as the FedEx Cup playoffs. Singh won the FedEx Cup and its \$10 million bonus in 2008. Now, he is on a short list of players who have never missed the playoffs and currently are outside the top 125. Singh is at No. 136.

Others outside the top 125 who have never missed the playoffs since they began in 2007 include Sean O’Hair, Jonathan Byrd and Robert Allenby.

This would be a bad year to miss out. After the playoffs, there is no longer a Fall Series for players to make up ground. The top 125 earn cards for the following season, while the next 75 players (if not already exempt) would go to a four-tournament series with top Web.com Tour players who play for a card.

That’s because the next season starts in October.

Out with the old

Mission Hills in China is one of the largest golf complexes in the world with over 20 courses, most of them named after players who typically “consult” on the design

and have the course named after them. There are courses for Vijay Singh, Jumbo Ozaki, Annika Sorenstam, Ernie Els, Nick Faldo, David Leadbetter and Jose Maria Olazabal. There’s even one for David Duval, a former world No. 1 and British Open champion.

But not much longer. Mission Hills China announced two weeks ago that U.S. Open champion Justin Rose and Ian Poulter of Ryder Cup fame will stage an exhibition match Oct. 28 to celebrate the opening of the redesigned “Rose-Poulter” course.

Brian Curley is the architect of the redesign. The course had been “designed” by Duval and was known as the “Duval” course.

Rose said in the press release, “We’ve had a number of discussions with Brian Curley and I look forward to coming to Mission Hills in October and seeing the end result.”

New home for Frys

The Frys.com Open is moving to its third course, and this one should make Johnny Miller happy. The tournament will be played at his Silverado Resort and Spa in Napa, Calif., starting in 2014.



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Using a metronome application on your smartphone is a helpful way to develop a consistent putting tempo.

Treat your short game with TLC

Consistency biggest part of successful game

MARY SLINKARD
Special to the Chronicle

Do you have a problem with your short game, those shots that are close to the green or on the green? If so, you may not be giving your short game enough TLC.

You have to be saying to yourself, “What is she talking about?” If you have read any of my previous golf instruction articles, you know that I like to catch your attention.

So does TLC stand for tender, loving care? I don’t think so. TLC stands for tempo, length of swing and club selection. As I mentioned in my last article, if there is a secret to having a good short game, it is controlling the distance of your shots.

Today, I am going to talk about controlling the distance of your putts. If your goal is to have a great short game, the first skill you need to improve is keeping a consistent tempo.

What is tempo? Most golfers don’t understand exactly what it means. Tempo is the amount of time it takes to make your stroke from start to finish. Whether you are chipping, pitching or putting, all of your strokes should take the same amount of time (or tempo).

A useful way to work on your tempo is to work with a metronome. If you ever took music lessons, you probably used a metronome. If you have a smartphone, you can download a free app. Just search for “metronome” in your app store. As you can see in the photo, I am working on my putting tempo while listening to the beat with my smartphone app.

If you don’t have a smartphone, use the internet by going to www.metronomeonline.com. You can set a tempo that is comfortable for you. Listen to the sound of the repetitive beat and make all of your short-game strokes to the same beat or rhythm.

The second skill you need to improve is varying the length of your stroke. The only difference in a putting stroke for a three-foot putt versus a 30-foot putt should be the length of your stroke. Putting strokes should be balanced: what I mean by that is the length of your backswing and forward swing should be about the same distance.

To practice this skill, listen to the beat of the metronome and make continuous strokes of different lengths. You will begin to feel that the putter is traveling faster on the longer strokes than it is on the shorter strokes. Therefore, if the putter is moving faster, the ball will be moving faster. A ball that is moving faster takes a longer time to come to a stop. (Just like an automobile — a car that is traveling fast will take a longer time to come to a stop than a car traveling slow.)

If you are three-putting frequently, I would guess that you are not getting close to the cup on your first putt. Improving your skills for varying the length of your strokes and keeping a consistent tempo will definitely help you control the distance of your first putt.

So far today, I have discussed tempo and length of stroke. I will save the subject of club selection for my next article about improving your distance control on shots around the green.

For now, when you practice your putting, remember this “TL”: tempo and length of stroke. Good luck and see you on the greens!

Local LEADERS

BRENTWOOD

July 3, Wednesday Point Quota Group results.
First
Dick Hunt, Harry Engle
Second
Angie Deyeso (Partner-DNF)
Most over quota:
Steve Arena
Closest to the pin:
No. 2 Jim Madden
No. 4 Angelo Deyeso
50/50 winner:
Wayne Brooks

July 6, Saturday Morning Scramble results.
First
Ed Hildenbrandt, Rick Mazzuca, Tarry Myers, Dick Emberly
Second
Vaughn Thornton, Jennie Diaz, Don Gittings, Leyland Richmond
Third
R.J. Cantagallo, Larry Lietzke, Rick Urban, Gene Pokaluk
Closest to the pin:
No. 2 Steve Leonard
No. 4 Bob Staker

July 7, Sunday Morning Scramble results.
First
Kenny McCabe, Michael Wagner, Diane Wagner
Second
Steve Leonard, Herm Gardner, Bud Reigner
Third
Chuck Curtis, Anita McCabe, Don Gittings
Closest to the pin:
No. 2 Paul Roy
No. 4 Chuck Curtis
50/50 winner:
Chuck Curtis

July 8, Monday Morning Men’s Group results.
First
Bob Staker
Second
Steve Leonard
Most over quota:
Pat Foss
Closest to the pin:
No. 2 Bob Staker
No. 4 Vaughn Thornton
July 9, Men’s Nine Hole League at Brentwood Golf Club results.
Low net
Ed Hildenbrandt 33

Andy McKenny 35
Horst Templin 36 (TB)
Tarry Myers 36 (SA)
Gene Thompson (HM No. 9 Green)
All ages or ability are welcome to join in for a friendly round of nine holes of handicap golf. We get the round of golf out of the way early every Tuesday morning because we know you have a lot going on. We play at Brentwood Golf Course. The league starts with sign-in at 7:15 a.m.; tee time at 7:45 a.m. For information call Frank Hughes at 352-746-4800 or email new216@tampabay.rr.com.

CITRUS HILLS

On July 2, the Citrus Hills Ladies Golf Association participated in July’s qualifying round for the end of season Ace of Aces Tournament. This month’s qualifiers are:

Flight 1
Low gross 74
Jackie Dziekan
Second low gross 87
Martí Jones
Low net 69
Pat Laskowski
Second low net 73
Kathy Stefani

Flight 2
Low gross 90
Bonnie Yanosy
Second low gross 92
Marilyn Campbell
Low net 67
Second low net (tie) 72
Helen Clayton
Deniece Gatz

Flight 3
Low gross 94
Gloria Phillips

Flight 4
Low gross 95
Jeannette Mazzone
Second low gross 106
Diane Halloran
Low net 72
Linda Fick
Second low net 78
Karen Feutz
Birdies:
No. 3 Sung Ja Kim
No. 4 Pat Laskowski
No. 3 Bonnie Yanosy
No. 4 Kathy Stefani
No. 1 Jackie Dziekan
No. 3 Marti Jones
No. 14 Sherry Robertson

No. 13 Sharon Fowler
On July 3, the Citrus Hills Men’s Golf Association on the Oaks Golf Course played “Old School Best Ball Net.”
First -32
John Nagel, Clive Affleck, Jim Pachmayer, John Balais
Second -28 MOC
Tom Halloran, Angelo Previte, W.A. Pace, Lou Pulgrano
Third -28 MOC
Gene Yanosy, Bob Miller, Randy Robertson, Gene Stillman
Fourth -26
Mike Stefani, Larry Jones, Bob Fabrie, Joe Skender

CITRUS SPRINGS

MEN
On July 4, the Citrus Springs Men’s Association played a red, white and blue scramble.
First 65
Jerry Feher, Don Goncz, Walt Norton, Ed Starling
Second 67
Rick Hancock, Doug Simmons, Bob Hunt, Jack Williamson
Third 69
Pete Clutter, Glen Robertson, Jack Williamson, Emil Colletti
Closest to the pins:
No. 4 Bill Curry
Nos. 8, 11, 14, 16 Rick Hancock

WOMEN
July 5, points quota “Chicks with Sticks” results.
Sandy Brown +7
Joy Cocuzzi +5
Ginny Hearn +2
Lorraine Adams +1
Amy Angeletti +1
Jan Kominski +1
Essie McLane +1
Closest to the pin:
No. 4 Lorraine Adams
No. 8 Jan Kominski
No. 16 Noreen Elliott
“Chicks with Sticks,” a ladies points quota league, meets every Friday morning at Citrus Springs. Interested players with GHIN handicaps should call Carole at 352-746-2082 or Jan at 352-344-9550.

PINE RIDGE

On July 3, the Pine Ridge LPGA played “Throw Out 4 Holes.”
Babe Zaharais Flight
First 16

Rainey Hart
Second 16
Jo Steele

Patty Berg Flight
First 19
Mary Hayes
Second 19
Betty Klingner

Julie Inkster Flight
First 18
Linda Healan
Second 20
Kay Bell

Nancy Lopez Flight
First 19
Sandy Doyle
Second 19
Debbie Clancy
Closest to the pin:
No. 1 Joanne Laudicina
No. 2 Mary Hayes
No. 7 Jo Steele
No. 9 Betty Klingner
Birdies:
No. 7 Jo Steele
No. 4 Linda Healan
No. 7 Lisa Wahba

PLANTATION

Wednesday, June 26, “Breakfast Club” – Ladies 9 Hole points games results on the Lagoon Course.
Straightest drive:
Lillian Brown
Points – High Score:
Dora Acuna 18
Margie Dorris 14
Marietta Boetcher 13
Linda Sacker 13
The June 30 Sunday Social Group was rained out.

POINT O’WOODS

On July 6, the Point O’ Woods Golf Club Flag Day Tournament Winners were:
First place
Jodie Daniels
Second place (tie)
Dave Haschel, Dave Wade
Third place
Trey Daniels
Fourth place
Rich Nardi
Most accurate drive: Greg Andreichuk

SOUTHERN WOODS

On July 3, the Southern Woods Men’s Golf Association played “Best Ball 2 of 4 Odd

Holes, 3 of 4 Even Holes – Mixed.”

First -22
Doug Martin, Ed Skinner, Tom Hendricksen, Tai Um
Second -14
Ken Moody, George Lentowicz, OJ Klim, Mike Bury
Third -10
Tom Venable, Allen Moore, Kyle Muzina
Closest to the pins:
No. 4 Ken Eckhardt
No. 17 Erv Koch

SUGARMILL WOODS

July 2 Sand Blasters Men’s Group played team point quota.
First +13
John Doyle, Chuck Reeb, Ken Eckhardt
Second +6
Ed Compson, Zane Megos, Jack Winner
Third +5
Alex Law, Ron Lawwill, Al Turksa
Notable Rounds
Ed Compson, 80; John Doyle, 81; Chuck Reeb, Al Turksa, 85

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TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

American League

BOSTON RED SOX—Placed RHP Alex Wilson on the 15-day DL. Recalled OF Jackie Bradley Jr. from Pawtucket (IL). Optioned RHP Jose De La Torre to Pawtucket. Selected RHP Brandon Workman from Pawtucket.

DETROIT TIGERS—Placed 2B Omar Infante on the 15-day DL. Recalled INF Hernan Perez from Erie (EL).

MINNESOTA TWINS—Placed LHP Caleb Thielbar on the bereavement list. Recalled RHP Michael Tonkin from Rochester (IL).

TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Signed RHP Kendall Graveman and LHP Chad Girono to minor league contracts.

National League

ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Activated OF Adam Eaton from the 15-day DL. Optioned RHP Charles Brewer to Reno (PCL).

FLORIDA MARLINS—Recalled LHP Duane Below from New Orleans (PCL).

NEW YORK METS—Called up RHP Gonzalez Germen from Las Vegas (PCL).

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Called up RHP Luis Garcia from Lehigh Valley (IL). Optioned RHP Philippe Aumont to Lehigh Valley.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Placed 2B Neil Walker on the 15-day DL, retroactive to July 7. Recalled INF Josh Harrison from Indianapolis (IL).

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Traded RHP Mitchell Boggs to Colorado for Colorado's international signing bonus slot number four. Released INF Ty Wigginton. Purchased the contract of C Rob Johnson from Memphis (PCL).

SAN DIEGO PADRES—Announced the resignation of president and CEO Tom Garfinkel. Named Ron Fowler interim president and CEO. Agreed to terms with OF Hunter Renfroe on a minor league contract. Recalled RHP Miles Mikolas from Tucson (PCL). Optioned RHP Tyson Ross to Tucson.

SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Placed C Hector Sanchez on the 15-day DL. Called up RHP Michael Kickham from Fresno (PCL). Purchased the contract of 2b Kensuke Tanaka from Fresno. Designated OF Cole Gillespie for assignment. Agreed to terms with OF Jeff Francoeur on a minor league contract.

Carolina League

WINSTON-SALEM DASH—Announced C Jeremy Dowdy was assigned to the team from Birmingham (SL).

American Association

EL PASO DIABLOS—Signed LHP Drew Coffey. Released LHP Jake Wortham.

LINCOLN SALTDOGS—Sold the contract of C Jose Gil to New York (AL).

ST. PAUL SAINTS—Signed C Nick Ammirati.

WICHITA WINGNUTS—Signed RHP Lincoln Holdzkom.

WINNIPEG GOLDEYES—Signed OF Tyler Graham.

Atlantic League

LONG ISLAND DUCKS—Announced the contract of LHP Eric Niesen was purchased by Boston (AL).

Can-Am League

NEW JERSEY JACKALS—Signed RHP Andrew Wells.

Frontier League

JOLIET SLAMMERS—Released OF Robby Kuzdale. Traded UTL Kyle Robinson to Windy City for a player to be named.

LAKE ERIE CRUSHERS—Released RHP Doug Shields.

ROCKFORD AVIATORS—Signed LHP Jesus Del Rosario.

SCHAUMBURG BOOMERS—Released INF Michael Demperio.

WINDY CITY THUNDERBOLTS—Released INF C.J. Gillman.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Waived F DaJuan Summers.

SACRAMENTO KINGS—Named Dee Brown assistant coach and director of player development. Micah Nori assistant coach and Bill Pope advanced scout.

WOMEN'S NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

INDIANA FEVER—Signed coach Lin Dunn to a one-year contract extension through 2014. Promoted Stephanie White to associate head coach beginning next year.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS—Signed QB-RB Denard Robinson.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Signed S Eric Reid to a four-year contract.

Canadian Football League

WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS—Added OL Aderious Simmons to the practice roster. Released P Billy Pavlopoulos from the practice roster.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

ANAHEIM DUCKS—Named Jarrod Skalde assistant coach for Norfolk (AHL). Signed RW Zack Stortini and Dn Nolan Yorkman to one-year contracts.

CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS—Named Mark Osiacki assistant coach for Rockford (AHL).

COLORADO AVALANCHE—Signed F Nathan MacKinnon to a three-year contract.

PHOENIX COYOTES—Re-signed F Andy Miele to a one-year contract.

American Hockey League

GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS—Re-signed LW Jeff Hoggan and D Nathan Paetsch to two-year contracts.

SAN ANTONIO RAMPAGE—Agreed to terms with F Jared Gomes, F Jed Ortmeier and D Zach Miskovic on one-year contracts. Signed F Trevor Lewis.

ECHL

ECHL—Named Valerie Persinger executive/marketing assistant.

MOTORSPORTS

INDIANAPOLIS MOTOR SPEEDWAY—Named Doug Boles president.

SOCCER

Major League Soccer

D.C. UNITED—Acquired MF Luis Silva from Toronto FC for allocation money.

COLLEGE

ASSUMPTION—Named Stacie Wentz college men's and women's cross country and track and field coach.

BERRY—Named Debbie Heida vice president for student affairs and dean of students.

BLOOMFIELD—Named Elson Smajlaj men's and women's cross country coach.

COCKER—Named Eric Samuel men's assistant basketball coach.

LIVINGSTONE—Named Rodney Hughey defensive coordinator, Brian White offensive line coach and Rodney Simmons defensive line coach.

NEWBERRY—Named Turner Almond men's assistant soccer coach.

SC UPSTATE—Named Drew Saberhagen pitching coach.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA—Announced sophomore basketball G Katin Reinhardt has transferred from UNLV.

VIRGINIA TECH—Dismissed RB Michael Holmes.

WASHINGTON (MD.)—Named Dale Becraft men's assistant basketball coach.

For the record

Florida LOTTERY

Here are the winning numbers selected Tuesday in the Florida Lottery:



Monday's winning numbers and payouts:

Fantasy 5: 6 - 19 - 27 - 29 - 30
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2 - 3 - 0

PLAY 4 (early)

3 - 3 - 5 - 1

PLAY 4 (late)

5 - 4 - 8 - 7

FANTASY 5

7 - 9 - 22 - 28 - 31

MEGA MONEY

12 - 18 - 28 - 39

MEGA BALL

22

MEGA MILLIONS

3 - 21 - 43 - 45 - 48

MEGA BALL

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On the AIRWAVES

TODAY'S SPORTS

TV

BASEBALL

12:30 p.m. (FSNFL) Atlanta Braves at Miami Marlins
7 p.m. (ESPN) Oakland Athletics at Pittsburgh Pirates
7 p.m. (SUN) Minnesota Twins at Tampa Bay Rays
8 p.m. (WGN-A) Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim at Chicago Cubs

BICYCLING

8 a.m. (NBCSPT) 2013 Tour de France Stage 11: Individual Time-Trial

GOLF

5 p.m. (GOLF) LPGA Tour: Manulife Financial LPGA Classic Pro-Am (Same-day Tape)

SOCCER

8:30 p.m. (ESPN2) Chicago Fire vs. Club America

RADIO

BASEBALL

6:30 p.m. (WYKE 104.3 FM) Tampa Bay Rays pregame
7:10 p.m. (WYKE 104.3 FM) Minnesota Twins at Tampa Bay Rays

Note: Times and channels are subject to change at the discretion of the network. If you are unable to locate a game on the listed channel, please contact your cable provider.

BASEBALL

A's 2, Pirates 1

Oakland	ab	r	h	bi	Pittsburgh	ab	r	h	bi
Crisp cf	4	0	1	0	SMarte lf	4	0	1	0
Reddick rf	3	0	0	0	Tabata rf	4	0	1	0
Drdlns 3b	3	0	0	0	McCtch cf	3	0	0	0
Lowrie ss	4	0	1	0	PAIvrv 3b	3	1	1	1
Cespedes lf	4	0	0	0	RMartin c	3	0	0	0
Jaso c	4	1	1	0	GJones 1b	2	0	0	0
Balfour p	0	0	0	0	GSnchz ph-1b1	0	0	0	0
Moss 1b	3	1	1	2	Mercer 2b-ss	3	0	0	0
Sogard 2b	3	0	0	0	Barnes ss	1	0	0	0
Straily p	1	0	0	0	Snider ph	1	0	0	0
Doolittle p	0	0	0	0	Grilli p	0	0	0	0
CYoung ph	1	0	0	0	Cole p	2	0	0	0
Cook p	0	0	0	0	Watson p	0	0	0	0
DNorris c	0	0	0	0	JHrns ph-2b	1	0	0	0
Totals	30	25	2	2	Totals	28	13	1	1
Oakland	000	200	000	—	2				
Pittsburgh	010	000	000	—	1				
DP—Oakland 1, Pittsburgh 2. LOB—Oakland 4, Pittsburgh 4. 2B—Jaso (11). HR—Moss (16). PAlvarez (23). SB—S.Marte (28). S—R.Martin.									

AL leaders

BATTING—	MCabrera, Detroit, .363; Pedroia, Boston, .320; Abeltre, Texas, .319; DOrtiz, Boston, .318; Donaldson, Oakland, .316; Loney, Tampa Bay, .316; Trout, Los Angeles, .315; Machado, Baltimore, .315.
RUNS—	MCabrera, Detroit, 69; CDavis, Baltimore, 63; Trout, Los Angeles, 61; Bautista, Toronto, 60; DeJennings, Tampa Bay, 60; AJones, Baltimore, 60; Encarnacion, Toronto, 56.
RBI—	MCabrera, Detroit, 92; CDavis, Baltimore, 85; NCruz, Texas, 68; Encarnacion, Toronto, 68; Fielder, Detroit, 66; AJones, Baltimore, 61; DOrtiz, Boston, 61.
HITS—	MCabrera, Detroit, 126; Machado, Baltimore, 123; Abeltre, Texas, 113; Pedroia, Boston, 112; Trout, Los Angeles, 112; AJones, Baltimore, 109; Ellsbury, Boston, 107.
DOUBLES—	Machado, Baltimore, 39; Mauer, Minnesota, 27; Trout, Los Angeles, 27; CDavis, Baltimore, 26; Pedroia, Boston, 24; JhPeralta, Detroit, 24; Seager, Seattle, 24.
TRIPLES—	Ellsbury, Boston, 7; Drew, Boston, 6; Trout, Los Angeles, 6; Gardner, New York, 5; DeJennings, Tampa Bay, 5; LMartin, Texas, 5; Kawasaki, Toronto, 4; HKendrick, Los Angeles, 4.
HOME RUNS—	CDavis, Baltimore, 33; MCabrera, Detroit, 29; ADunn, Chicago, 24; Encarnacion, Toronto, 23; NCruz, Texas, 22; Ibanez, Seattle, 22; Bautista, Toronto, 20; Abeltre, Texas, 20; Cano, New York, 20.
STOLEN BASES—	Ellsbury, Boston, 36; McLouth, Baltimore, 24; RDavis, Toronto, 23; Altuve, Houston, 21; Kipnis, Cleveland, 20; Trout, Los Angeles, 20; AlRamirez, Chicago, 19; Rios, Chicago, 19.
PITCHING—	Scherzer, Detroit, 13-0; Colon, Oakland, 12-3; MMoore, Tampa Bay, 12-3; Tillman, Baltimore, 10-3; Masterson, Cleveland, 10-7; Buchholz, Boston, 9-0; FHernandez, Seattle, 9-4; Verlander, Detroit, 9-6; Sabathia, New York, 9-7.
STRIKEOUTS—	Darvish, Texas, 157; Scherzer, Detroit, 146; FHernandez, Seattle, 136; Masterson, Cleveland, 131; Sale, Chicago, 123; Verlander, Detroit, 122; DHolland, Texas, 114.
SAVES—	Nathan, Texas, 30; JJohnson, Baltimore, 30; MRivera, New York, 29; Balfour, Oakland, 24; GHolland, Kansas City, 22; AReed, Chicago, 22; Frieri, Los Angeles, 22.

NL leaders

BATTING—	Y Molina, St. Louis, .346; Cud-dyer, Colorado, .338; Craig, St. Louis, .325; Segura, Milwaukee, .320; Posey, San Francisco, .318; Votto, Cincinnati, .318; McCarpenter, St. Louis, .316.
RUNS—	MCarpenter, St. Louis, 66; CGonzalez, Colorado, 66; Holliday, St. Louis, 63; Votto, Cincinnati, 61; SMarte, Pittsburgh, 58; Choo, Cincinnati, 57; Goldschmidt, Arizona, 57; JUp-ton, Atlanta, 57.
RBI—	Goldschmidt, Arizona, 74; Craig, St. Louis, 69; DBrown, Philadelphia, 64; Phillips, Cincinnati, 64; CGonzalez, Colorado, 63; Bruce,

Cincinnati, 60; PAlvarez, Pittsburgh, 58. HITS—Segura, Milwaukee, 113; Votto, Cincinnati, 107; McCarpenter, St. Louis, 106; YMolina, St. Louis, 106; Craig, St. Louis, 105; Goldschmidt, Arizona, 103; GParra, Arizona, 103.

DOUBLES—Bruce, Cincinnati, 26; YMolina, St. Louis, 26; GParra, Arizona, 26; McCarpenter, St. Louis, 25; McCutchen, Pittsburgh, 25; Posey, San Francisco, 25; Rizzo, Chicago, 25.

TRIPLES—CGomez, Milwaukee, 9; SMarte, Pittsburgh, 8; Segura, Milwaukee, 8; Span, Washington, 7; CGonzalez, Colorado, 6; Hechavaria, Miami, 5; DWright, New York, 5.

HOME RUNS—CGonzalez, Colorado, 24; PAlvarez, Pittsburgh, 23; DBrown, Philadelphia, 23; Goldschmidt, Arizona, 21; Beltran, St. Louis, 19; Bruce, Cincinnati, 18; Tulowitzki, Colorado, 16; Uggle, Atlanta, 16; JUpton, Atlanta, 16.

STOLEN BASES—ECabrera, San Diego, 31; SMarte, Pittsburgh, 28; Segura, Milwaukee, 27; Revere, Philadelphia, 21; CGomez, Milwaukee, 20; McCutchen, Pittsburgh, 18; Pierre, Miami, 18.

PITCHING—Zimmermann, Washington, 12-3; Lynn, St. Louis, 11-3; Wainwright, St. Louis, 11-5; Corbin, Arizona, 10-1; Lee, Philadelphia, 10-2; Marquis, San Diego, 9-4; Bumgarner, San Francisco, 9-5; SMiller, St. Louis, 9-6; Maholm, Atlanta, 9-7.

STRIKEOUTS—Harvey, New York, 147; Kershaw, Los Angeles, 129; Samardzija, Chicago, 123; Latos, Cincinnati, 120; Lee, Philadelphia, 119; Wainwright, St. Louis, 117; Bumgarner, San Francisco, 116.

SAVES—Grilli, Pittsburgh, 28; RSoriano, Washington, 24; Kimbrel, Atlanta, 24; Mujica, St. Louis, 23; Romo, San Francisco, 20; Chapman, Cincinnati, 20; Papelbon, Philadelphia, 19.

This date in baseball

July 10

1917 — Ray Caldwell of New York pitched 9 2-3 innings of no-hit relief as the Yankees beat the Browns 7-5 in 17 innings in St. Louis.

1932 — The Philadelphia A's defeated Cleveland 18-17 in an 18-inning game in which John Burnett of the Indians had a record nine hits. Jimmie Foxx collected 16 total bases, and Eddie Rommel of the A's pitched 17 innings in relief for the win, despite giving up 29 hits and 14 runs.

1934 — Carl Hubbell struck out Babe Ruth, Lou Gehrig, Jimmie Foxx, Al Simmons and Joe Cronin in succession, but the AL came back to win the All-Star game 9-7 at the Polo Grounds as Mel Harder gave up one hit in the last five innings.

1936 — Philadelphia's Chuck Klein hit four home runs in a 9-6 10-inning victory over the Pirates, and it wasn't in the cozy Baker Bowl. He hit them in Pittsburgh's spacious Forbes Field, including the game-winning three-run shot in the 10th off Bill Swift. Klein almost homered in the second inning when he sent Pirates outfielder Paul Waner to the wall in right to haul in a long fly ball.

1947 — Don Black of the Cleveland Indians pitched a 3-0 no-hitter over the Philadelphia A's in the first game of a twin bill.

1951 — The NL hit four homers en route to an 8-3 triumph at Detroit, giving the league consecutive All-Star victories for the first time.

1982 — Larry Parrish of the Texas Rangers hit his third grand slam in seven days, off Milt Wilcox in the first game of a doubleheader against Detroit. The Rangers beat the Tigers 6-5. Parrish had hit his first on July 4 and his second on July 7.

2001 — Cal Ripken upstaged every big name in the ballpark, hitting a home run and winning the MVP award in his final All-Star appearance to lead the American League over the Nationals 4-1. Derek Jeter and Magglio Ordonez connected for consecutive home runs as the AL won its fifth in a row.

2007 — Seattle's Ichiro Suzuki went 3-for-3 with an inside-the-park home run to lead the American League to a 5-4 victory over the National League in the All-Star game.

2009 — Jonathan Sanchez pitched the majors' first no-hitter of the season, recording a career-high 11 strikeouts in San Francisco's 8-0 win over the San Diego Padres. The only runner the Padres managed came on an error by third baseman Juan Uribe in the eighth.

2012 — San Francisco's Melky Cabrera and Pablo Sandoval set the National League to a big early lead. Matt Cain and the rest of an imposing pitching staff finished off a Giant blowout in the All-Star game. The San Francisco slugger keyed a five-run blitz against Justin Verlander in the first inning that powered the NL to an 8-0 romp over the American League.

Blood and bruises: A day's work for Tour sprinters



Associated Press

Ryder Hesjedal rides in the pack during the 10th stage of the Tour de France cycling race Tuesday over 123.1 miles with start in Saint-Gildas-des-Bois and finish in Saint-Malo, Brittany region, western France.

Tough day at Tour de France for riders

Associated Press

SAINT-MALO, France — Hitting the asphalt at something like 40 miles per hour flayed off a patch of skin from Tom Veelers' right thigh. Blood snaked down his leg from his sliced-up right knee. His white jersey was torn and soiled.

"Bruised and scratched from all sides," said the big Dutchman when asked how he felt. "But ... yeah, OK."

In short, Stage 10 was another day at the office for the charging-bull sprinters of the Tour de France.

Chris Froome, the race leader, isn't a sprinter. The Briton was just relieved to survive unscathed all the pushing and shoving on two wheels.

The "worst nightmare," he said, for riders like him — lighter, less muscular and with eyes fixed on reaching the podium in Paris on July 21 — is to be felled by crashes like the one that floored Veelers on Tuesday in Saint-Malo. The fall came in the shadow of this Brittany port's crenelated walls, with spectators crammed cheek by jowl to get a look.

"Every day you get through with the yellow jersey is a blessing," Froome said. "So I'm happy just to tick that one off."

Veelers' job is to help launch his teammate, sprinter Marcel Kittel, in the final mad dash for the line. He did that just fine on Tuesday, because Kittel won — becoming the first rider at this 100th Tour to win two stages, having also won Stage 1.

As Kittel sprinted away, rival Mark Cavendish hared after the German. In doing so, Cavendish's left arm barged into Veelers' right arm. Because both were riding at such speed, the contact was enough to tip the Dutch rider over.

"Marcel went all the way left and Cavendish dived to the left. I think to try to follow Marcel," Veelers explained after he picked himself up, climbed back on his bike and rode

through the finish to his Argos-Shimano team bus, where a shoal of impatient, sharp-elbowed reporters waited.

"He touched my handlebars and knocked me over."

Cavendish was adamant this wasn't deliberate. The Briton with 24 Tour stage wins lost his temper with an Associated Press reporter who asked if he was at fault, grabbing his voice recorder.

"I touched with him. But the road's bearing left. I know you're trying to get all the 'Oh, Mark Cavendish, a really bad sprint again.' The road's bearing left

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with columns: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include Boston, Tampa Bay, Baltimore, New York, Toronto.

Table with columns: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include Detroit, Cleveland, Kansas City, Minnesota, Chicago.

Table with columns: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include Oakland, Texas, Los Angeles, Seattle, Houston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table with columns: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include Atlanta, Washington, Philadelphia, New York, Miami.

Table with columns: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include St. Louis, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago, Milwaukee.

Table with columns: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include Arizona, Los Angeles, Colorado, San Fran., San Diego.

NL

Braves 6, Marlins 4

Scoreboard for Braves vs Marlins. Includes batting order and totals for both teams.

Atlanta 012 011 100 — 6. Miami 031 000 000 — 4. E—C.Johnson (7), H.Alvarez (1), Hechavarria (6), DP—Miami 2. LOB—Atlanta 9, Miami 5.

Phillies 4, Nationals 2

Scoreboard for Phillies vs Nationals. Includes batting order and totals for both teams.

Washington 010 000 001 — 2. Philadelphia 000 103 00x — 4. E—A.LaRoche (6), K.Suzuki (5), DP—Washington 3, Philadelphia 1. LOB—Washington 8, Philadelphia 3.

Brewers 2, Reds 0

Scoreboard for Brewers vs Reds. Includes batting order and totals for both teams.

Cincinnati 000 000 000 — 0. Milwaukee 000 020 00x — 2. DP—Milwaukee 2. LOB—Cincinnati 4, Milwaukee 4.

Interleague

Cubs 7, Angels 2

Scoreboard for Cubs vs Angels. Includes batting order and totals for both teams.

Los Angeles 001 003 10x — 7. Chicago 200 000 200 — 2. DP—Los Angeles 1, Chicago 1. LOB—Los Angeles 5, Chicago 6.

Baseball Calendar

- July 12 — Deadline for amateur draft picks to sign, except for players who have exhausted college baseball eligibility. July 16 — All-Star game, Citi Field, New York. July 28 — Hall of Fame induction, Cooperstown, N.Y. July 31 — Last day to trade a player without securing waivers. Aug. 14-15 — Owners meeting, Cooperstown, N.Y. Sept. 1 — Active rosters expand to 40 players. Oct. 23 — World Series begins. November TBA — Deadline for teams to make qualifying offers to their eligible former players who became free agents, fifth day after World Series.



Associated Press

The Tampa Bay Rays' Matt Joyce, center, celebrates in the dugout with teammates after scoring on Kelly Johnson's two-run hit off of Minnesota Twins starting pitcher Kyle Gibson during the fourth inning Tuesday in St. Petersburg. The Rays downed the Twins 4-1 to win their sixth straight game.

Rays keep up winning ways

TB downs Twins to earn sixth straight win. Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE Tuesday's Games. Kansas City 3, N.Y. Yankees 1. Oakland 2, Pittsburgh 1. Texas 8, Baltimore 4. Cleveland 3, Toronto 0. Chicago White Sox 11, Detroit 4. Tampa Bay 4, Minnesota 1. Chicago Cubs 7, L.A. Angels 2. Houston at St. Louis, late. Boston at Seattle, late.

Today. Kansas City (W.Davis 4-7) at N.Y. Yankees (Nova 3-2), 7:05 p.m. Oakland (Milone 8-7) at Pittsburgh (Liriano 8-3), 7:05 p.m. Texas (Lindblom 1-2) at Baltimore (W.Chen 3-3), 7:05 p.m. Toronto (Rogers 3-4) at Cleveland (Masterson 10-7), 7:05 p.m. Chicago White Sox (Axelrod 3-5) at Detroit (Porcello 5-6), 7:08 p.m. Minnesota (Correia 6-6) at Tampa Bay (Hellickson 8-3), 7:10 p.m. L.A. Angels (C.Wilson 8-6) at Chicago Cubs (Samarzija 5-8), 8:05 p.m. Houston (Lyles 4-3) at St. Louis (S.Miller 9-6), 8:15 p.m. Boston (Doubtront 5-3) at Seattle (Harang 4-7), 10:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Tuesday's Games. Oakland 2, Pittsburgh 1. Philadelphia 4, Washington 2. Atlanta 6, Miami 4. Chicago Cubs 7, L.A. Angels 2. Milwaukee 2, Cincinnati 0. Houston at St. Louis, late. L.A. Dodgers at Arizona, late. Colorado at San Diego, late. N.Y. Mets at San Francisco, late.

Today. Atlanta (Maholm 9-7) at Miami (Ja.Turner 2-1), 12:40 p.m. Cincinnati (Leake 7-4) at Milwaukee (Hellweg 0-2), 2:10 p.m. N.Y. Mets (Z.Wheeler 2-1) at San Francisco (M.Cain 5-5), 3:45 p.m. Oakland (Milone 8-7) at Pittsburgh (Liriano 8-3), 7:05 p.m. Washington (G.Gonzalez 6-3) at Philadelphia (Lee 10-2), 7:05 p.m. L.A. Angels (C.Wilson 8-6) at Chicago Cubs (Samarzija 5-8), 8:05 p.m. Houston (Lyles 4-3) at St. Louis (S.Miller 9-6), 8:15 p.m. L.A. Dodgers (Ryu 7-3) at Arizona (Skaggs 2-1), 9:40 p.m. Colorado (J.De La Rosa 8-5) at San Diego (Cashner 5-4), 10:10 p.m.

ST. PETERSBURG — Chris Archer pitched six strong innings, while Matt Joyce and Kelly Johnson drove in two runs apiece to help the surging Tampa Bay Rays extend their winning streak to a season-best six games with a 4-1 victory over the sputtering Minnesota Twins on Tuesday night.

Archer (3-3) limited the Twins to an unearned run and three hits to outpitch fellow rookie Kyle Gibson (1-2), who was done in by one bad inning in his third career start for Minnesota.

The Rays' starter yielded Joe Mauer's first-inning double and singles by Trevor Plouffe and Chris Parmelee in the second. He retired 10 in a row before the Twins scored their only run without getting a hit, thanks to Brian Dozier being hit by a pitch, Archer's two-base throwing error and Ryan Doumit's sacrifice fly.

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American League

Royals 3, Yankees 1

NEW YORK — James Shields wiggled out of early trouble and got home run help from Billy Butler and David Lough as the Kansas City Royals sent the New York Yankees to their third straight loss, 3-1.

Center fielder Lorenzo Cain contributed four nifty catches, defensive replacement Elliot Johnson ranged a long way for a grounder and Kansas City backed Shields (4-6) with a pair of double plays.

Fittingly, the game ended on a fine, twisting grab by another defensive sub, third baseman Mike Moustakas. CC Sabathia (9-7) gave up seven hits in his second complete game.

Rangers 8, Orioles 4

BALTIMORE — Adrian Beltre went 4 for 4 with two homers and a season-high five RBIs to help the surging Texas Rangers beat the Baltimore Orioles 8-4.

Beltre hit a solo shot in the second inning and a three-run drive in the fifth, both off Zach Britton (2-3). Beltre has six home runs in his last six games and is batting .488 (21 for 43) during an 11-game hitting streak that began on June 28.

Beltre also singled in the fourth, received an intentional walk in the seventh and delivered an RBI single in the ninth. The two homers gave him 20 for the season.

Indians 3, Blue Jays 0

CLEVELAND — Ubaldo Jimenez and three relievers combined on a shutout and the Cleveland Indians de-

feated the Toronto Blue Jays 3-0.

Jimenez (7-4) dodged constant trouble in six innings, allowing five hits with two walks and four strikeouts.

Cody Allen, Joe Smith and Chris Perez blanked Toronto over the final three innings. Perez allowed two hits in the ninth, but earned his 10th save as the Indians recorded their American League-leading 11th shutout.

The Indians managed only four hits. Nick Swisher and Michael Brantley had RBI singles in the fourth when the Indians put together a walk and three straight singles off starter Josh Johnson (1-4), who gave up two runs in seven innings.

Asdrubal Cabrera added a sacrifice fly in the eighth.

White Sox 11, Tigers 4

DETROIT — Alex Rios tied an American League mark with six hits in a nine-inning game and Adam Dunn hit a go-ahead, two-run homer off Justin Verlander in the eighth to lift the Chicago White Sox to an 11-4 win over the Detroit Tigers.

Dayan Viciedo's second homer of the game helped the White Sox score seven runs in the eighth inning, and they scored three more runs in the ninth to surpass a season high for scoring.

Miguel Cabrera hit his 29th homer, an impressive blast to left-center, to give him a major league high 92 RBIs and .363 batting average.

He broke the franchise record for homers before the All-Star game, surpassing the total Cecil Fielder had at the break in 1990 during his 51-homer season

Verlander (9-6) gave up a season-high 12 hits, five runs and struck out three to match a season low in seven-plus innings.

National League

Braves 6, Marlins 4

MIAMI — Justin Upton homered, doubled twice and scored three runs to help the Atlanta Braves earn their 27th comeback victory when they beat the Miami Marlins 6-4.

The Braves overcame deficits of 3-1 and 4-3. They lead the NL in come-from-behind wins.

Pitchers for the two teams combined to retire 30 consecutive batters Monday, when Atlanta won 7-1 in 14 innings. The second game of the series was a slugfest by comparison, with Upton leading the way.

He doubled home a run in the third, doubled and scored to make it 4-all in the fifth, then hit his 16th home run — but first since June 12 — leading off the seventh against reliever Ryan Webb.

In Monday's marathon, Upton hit a two-run double to put Atlanta ahead in the final inning.

Phillies 4, Nationals 2

PHILADELPHIA — Cole Hamels threw eight sharp innings, Michael Young hit a two-run double and the Philadelphia Phillies beat the Washington Nationals 4-2 for their third straight win.

Hamels (4-11) allowed one run and six hits to win his second consecutive start for the first time this season. The three-time All-Star lefty has struggled in his first full year after signing a \$144 million contract extension last July.

Jayson Werth hit a solo homer for Washington. The defending NL East champs have lost two straight and are only 1 1/2 games ahead of third-place Philadelphia.

The Phillies have won six of their past eight games, including consecutive series victories over first-place Pittsburgh and Atlanta, to move within one game of .500 at 45-46.

Brewers 2, Reds 0

MILWAUKEE — Wily Peralta tossed a three-hitter for his first career shutout and Logan Schafer hit his first homer, a two-run shot that helped the Milwaukee Brewers to a 2-0 victory over the Cincinnati Reds.

Peralta (6-9), whose start was pushed back from Sunday to give his aching left hamstring a couple extra days of rest, struck out six and walked four for his first complete game. It also was the Brewers' first shutout and complete game of the season.

Tony Cingrani (3-1), was almost as effective as Peralta, allowing only two singles and Schafer's home run, striking out 10 and walking two in seven innings.

Interleague

Cubs 7, Angels 2

CHICAGO — Alfonso Soriano hit two of the Cubs' season high five home runs and Travis Wood earned his first win in nearly six weeks in Chicago's 7-2 victory over the Los Angeles Angels.

Anthony Rizzo, Starlin Castro and Darwin Barney also homered for Chicago in the interleague game.

Wood (6-6) gave up four hits over 6 2-3 innings and retired 14 straight from the second inning into the sixth for his first victory since May 30.

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Rays 4, Twins 1

Scoreboard for Rays vs Twins. Includes batting order and totals for both teams.

Minnesota 000 001 000 — 1. Tampa Bay 000 400 00x — 4. E—Archer (1), DP—Minnesota 1, Tampa Bay 1. LOB—Minnesota 5, Tampa Bay 4.

IP H R ER BB SO. Minnesota: Gibson L,1-2 (6 4 4 4 3), Roenicke (1 0 0 0 0 1), Duensing (1/3 1 0 0 0 0), Fien (2/3 0 0 0 0 1). Tampa Bay: Archer W,3-3 (6 3 1 0 0 2), Al.Torres H,1 (1 0 0 0 0 2), McGee H,18 (1 0 0 0 0 0), Rodney S,21-26 (1 2 0 0 0 3).

Rangers 8, Orioles 4

Scoreboard for Rangers vs Orioles. Includes batting order and totals for both teams.

Texas 010 040 201 — 8. Baltimore 011 020 000 — 4. E—A.Beltre (9), Chirinos (1), Profar (6). DP—Texas 2, Baltimore 3. LOB—Texas 6, Baltimore 5.

Royals 3, Yankees 1

Scoreboard for Royals vs Yankees. Includes batting order and totals for both teams.

Kansas City 000 001 110 — 3. New York 100 000 000 — 1. DP—Kansas City 2. LOB—Kansas City 6, New York 5.

Indians 3, Blue Jays 0

Scoreboard for Indians vs Blue Jays. Includes batting order and totals for both teams.

Toronto 000 000 000 — 0. Cleveland 000 200 01x — 3. DP—Cleveland 2. LOB—Toronto 9, Cleveland 3.

White Sox 11, Tigers 4

Scoreboard for White Sox vs Tigers. Includes batting order and totals for both teams.

Toronto 000 000 000 — 0. Cleveland 000 200 01x — 3. DP—Cleveland 2. LOB—Toronto 9, Cleveland 3.

Tampa Bay Rays schedule

- July 10 vs Minnesota. July 11 vs Minnesota. July 12 vs Houston. July 13 vs Houston. July 14 vs Houston. July 19 at Toronto.

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Staycation destinations

It is a little more than a month before the kids go back to school and two months before summer officially ends. If you have the time, we have the ideas of things for the whole family to do, most of them just outside the comfortable confines of Citrus County. The only requirements are the willingness to take a drive. The list includes more than 30 adventures and expeditions to do between now and Sept. 21, the last official day of summer, that are within a 100-mile radius of Citrus County.

What: Kayak, canoe or get on a johnboat on the Chassahowitzka River, which transitions into Hanging Pumpkin Place in the Seminole. It is some of the best paddling in Florida. Surrounding waters and forest have manatees, otters, even dolphins. There is also a campground there.
Address: 8600 W. Miss Maggie Drive, Chassahowitzka 34448
Distance, Minutes: 18 miles, 28 minutes
Contact Info: chassahowitzkaflorida.com, 352-382-2200

What: Sun Cruz Port Richey Casino Cruise. Sailing times are 11 a.m., as well as 3:30 and 7 p.m. daily. Special promotions six days a week include free money Sundays, bonus jackpot Mondays, HDTV giveaway Tuesdays, double jackpot Wednesdays, iPad Facebook Fridays.
Address: 6520 Ridge Road, Port Richey 34668
Distance: 49 miles, 1 hour 7 minutes
Contact Info: portricheycasino.com, 727-848-3423

What: World War II Barracks Museum. Zephyrhills Army Airfield was a teaching ground for hundreds of U.S. Army fighter pilots. The barracks museum houses multiple World War II artifacts. Open Saturdays only from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Address: 39444 South Ave., Zephyrhills 33542
Distance: 62 miles, 1 hour 26 minutes
Contact Info: ci.zephyrhills.fl.us/About541281951.asp, 813-780-0078

What: Crystal Springs Preserve. You can learn about the anatomy of Crystal Springs, see native Floridian amphibians and reptiles in the 4,000-square-foot nature center, as well as butterflies in the butterfly garden.
Address: 1609 Crystal Springs Preserve, Crystal Springs 33524
Distance: 70 miles, 1 hour 32 minutes
Contact Info: crystalspringspreserve.com/index.php, 813-715-9707

What: Cedar Key Labor Day Auction, 12:30 p.m. on Sept. 1. Local Cedar Key businesses, residents

and artists auction off great deals on lodgings, dining, fishing, fine art, gifts, fresh clams and other items.
Address: 450 Second St., Cedar Key, 32625
Distance: 61 miles, 1 hour 15 minutes
Contact Info: www.cedarkey.org/events.php

What: Boat Tour of Cedar Key's National Wildlife Refuge. A total of 13 islands make up the 762-acre refuge. Wading birds, shorebirds, fishes, manatees, bald eagles and crabs are some of the wildlife that can be seen.
Address: A Street, Cedar Key 32625
Distance: 61 miles, 1 hour 16 minutes
Contact Info: cedarkeyboatrentalsandislandtours.com, 352-231-4435

What: Dream Cars Weekend at Coronado Springs Resort, Walt Disney World, Aug. 30 to Sept. 2. Don Garlits and Geoff Bodine highlight a car enthusiast's

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TRIPS

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dream vacation. Antique, dragsters and custom cars will be a small part of the massive party on Labor Day weekend
Address: 1000 W Buena Vista Dr. Lake Buena Vista, 32830
Distance, Minutes: 88 miles, 1 hour 40 minutes
Contact Info: dreamcarsweekend.com, 407-939-1000

What: The Shops at Wiregrass July Car, Truck Show and Cruise-In 1 p.m. Saturday and Aug. 25. Stock and modified cars in 21 different class categories will be on display. For those interested in displaying a car, Saturday the entry fee is waived. The street opens at 1 p.m. with judging at 5 p.m. and awards presentation at 8 p.m. On Aug. 25 entry fee is \$15 and \$20 on the day of show. The street opens at 8 a.m. on Aug. 25, judging at noon and awards presentation at 3 p.m.
Address: 28211 Paseo Drive, Wesley Chapel, 34652
Distance: 59 miles, 1 hr 19 minutes
Contact Info: premiumcarshows.com/wppremium/the-shops-at-wiregrass-july-car-truck-show-cruise-in, 727-547-8082

What: Dog Yappy Hour To Support Pasco Pet Fest 12 to 3 p.m. on July 28 and Aug. 25 The Market Off Main restaurant in New Port Richey host dogs off all kinds on its massive lawn overlooking the Cotee River. The outdoor, dog-friendly dining area has great food. Free dog treats will also be provided
Address: 6421 Lincoln Street, New Port Richey, 34652
Distance, Minutes: 51 miles, 1 hour 10 minutes
Contact Info: pascopetfest.com, 727-845-1200

What: Bike and Hike the Flying Eagle Preserve in eastern Citrus County. There are 13 miles of designated bike trails, as well as 16 miles of wooded roads to hike on in the preserve's lakes, marshes and swamps
Address: 11080 East Moccasin Slough Road, Inverness, 34450
Distance, Minutes: 20 miles, 38 minutes
Contact Info: swfwmd.state.fl.us/recreation/areas/flyingeagle, 352-796-7211 ext.4470

What: Bike the Suncoast Trail. The 41-mile trail runs through northern Hillsborough, Pasco and Hernando counties. Suburban, agricultural, river and creek views fill the 41 miles. With seven trailheads, entry is easy. The closest trailhead to Citrus County is located at U.S. 98 on the Hernando-Citrus county border just off Suncoast Parkway
Contact Info: hernandocounty.us/Parks_Rec/parks/brochures/suncoast_final.pdf

What: Canyons Zip Line and Canopy Tours. Located on nearly 100 acres in Marion County, zippers can fly through tree line gaps, cliff formations and canyon walls normally not seen in Florida.
Address: 88045 NW Gainesville Rd, Ocala, 34475
Distance, Minutes: 38 miles, 53 minutes
Contact Info: zipthecanyons.com, 352-351-9477

What: Transformers The Ride 3D at Universal Studios. The latest and greatest ride at Universal has Central Floridians talking.
Address: 1000 Universal Studios Plaza, Orlando, 32819
Distance, Minutes: 82 miles, 1 hour 36 minutes
Contact Info: universalorlando.com/home.aspx

What: Sounds Like Summer concert series at Epcot's America Gardens Theatre. Tribute bands will cover music from some of greatest artists of



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all time. Entrance to the concerts are free with paid admission to Epcot. Today through July 13: Southbound and Company (Lynyrd Skynyrd), July 14 to July 20: The Police Experience (Police) and July 22 to July 27: 2U (U2). Show times are 5:30, 6:45 and 8 p.m.
Address: Walt Disney World Resort, Lake Buena Vista, 32830
Distance, Minutes: 91 miles, 1 hour 45 minutes

Contact Info: disneyworld.disney.go.com/event-s-tours/epcot/sounds-like-summer-concerts/

What: Legoland Florida. The newest Florida theme park has 50 rides, shows, attractions, restaurants, shopping and a botanical garden. Twelve sections make up the 150 acre park area. The water park is a separate entity with its own admission price. Stay cool in

Legoland's wave pool, Build-A-Raft lazy river, tube slides, body slides and an interactive water-play structure.
Address: One Legoland Way, Winter Haven, 33884
Distance, Minutes: 105 miles 2 hours, 12 minutes
Contact Info: florida.legoland.com, 877-350-LEGO

What: Dade City's Wild Things. Sunken jungle

treks and safari rides bring you up close to tiger cubs, monkeys, bears, lions, otters and gators. The 22 acre zoo works in conjunction with Steams Zoological Rescue and Rehab Center.
Address: 37245 Meridian Avenue, Dade City, 33525
Distance, Minutes: 52 miles, 1 hour 11 minutes
Contact Info: magnusonhotel.com, 352-567-9453

What: Giraffe Ranch. Four-wheel drive vehicles or a camel-backed expedition are the two ways to see giraffes roam in this licensed working ranch. Horses, cattle and sand-hill cranes also can be found on the ranch as well as the 47 acres of the Green Swamp that rests next to the ranch.
Address: 38650 Mickler Road, Dade City, 33523
Distance, Minutes: 45 miles, 1 hour 4 minutes
Contact Info: girafferanch.com

What: Skydive City. A jump of a lifetime will be the longest 60 seconds of your life. You'll accelerate up to 120 miles per hour. Must be 18 years old and weigh no more than 220 lbs.
Address: 4241 Sky Dive Lane, Zephyrhills, 33542
Distance, Minutes: 62 miles, 1 hour 25 minutes
Contact Info: skydivecity.com, 813-783-9399

What: 25th Annual Ladies Fishing Tournament. Aug. 1 is silent auction to benefit the Celma Mastry Ovarian Cancer Foundation. Aug. 3 is when ladies will be fishing for grouper, snapper, amberjack, sea trout, redfish (photo release), flounder, spanish mackerel and sheepshead.
Address: Madeira Beach Municipal Marina 503 150th Ave. Madeira Beach, 33708
Distance, Minutes: 98 miles, 2 hours
Contact Info: http://old saltfishing.org/2013-tournaments, 727-399-2631

What: 48th Annual St.

Pete Open. The self-proclaimed world's largest spearfishing tournament is Aug. 17. Past tournaments included over 300 participants and over 1000 spectators. Kickoff party in Aug. 9, registration and captains meeting is Aug. 16 and awards breakfast is Aug. 18.
Address: Magnuson Hotel - Marina Cove, 6800 Sunshine Skyway Lane, St. Petersburg, 33711
Distance, Minutes: 98 miles, 1 hour, 52 minutes
Contact: stpeteopen.com, 727-253-1944

What: Night in the Islands. A celebration of Greek culture the first Saturday of the next three months, Aug. 3, Sept. 7 and Oct. 5 from 6 to 11 p.m. Features live Greek music, dancing under the stars, and outdoor dining on the Tarpon Springs sponge docks.
Address: Dodecanese Blvd, Tarpon Springs, 34689
Distance, Minutes: 58 miles, 1 hour 20 minutes
Contact Info: spongedocks.net/night-in-the-islands.htm, 727-937-6109

What: Summer Sizzle: Taste of the Beach, 4 to 9 p.m. July 20. A total of 25 Tampa/St. Pete restaurants will be available for tasting. Live music and cash bar will accompany the taste fest. Auction and raffles will also take place.
Address: Horan Park, 7701 Boca Ciega Dr. St. Pete Beach, 33706
Distance: 99 miles, 1 hour 59 minutes
Contact Info: tampabaybeaches.com/events/eventdetail.aspx?EventID=1809, 727-360-6957

What: Back-to-School Tax-Free Shopping. Aug. 2 to 4. This is one of just a few things on this list that you do inside.
Address: Any store selling items on the state's tax-exempt items list
Contact Info: http://dor.myflorida.com/dor/pdf/sales_tax_holiday_list_of_items.pdf

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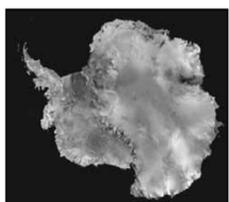
Survival Strategies

Animals of Antarctica

Antarctica is the coldest place on Earth and one of the driest. Animals have developed amazing ways of surviving in this icy desert.

The Mini Page talked with an expert on Antarctic life to find out more about the incredible creatures that live at the southern end of the world.

Ice about one mile thick covers most of Antarctica. This is about 90 percent of all the ice in the world.



In the sea and air

No large animals live on the Antarctic land year-round. They live in the sea and air around the continent, coming onto land for only part of the year. During the winter, the Antarctic waters are warmer than the land.

On land, animals are surrounded by salt water, which they can't drink. They get their water from their diet or from ponds of melted ice.

Tiny insects are the biggest organisms living year-round on the land. Some go into **hibernation**, or a kind of long sleep, in harsh conditions.



Many animals survive in Antarctica by migrating north to escape the harsh winter conditions. For example, the humpback whale moves to warmer northern waters during the winter. It returns to dine on the abundant life in summer Antarctic waters.

Antifreeze fishes

Fish in Antarctic waters have a real problem. Water temperatures often fall below freezing, and ice crystals form in the fish's blood.

If ice crystals touch one another, they form a solid sheet of ice. Fish could not survive with ice sheets in their bloodstreams.

About 250 species of fish conquered this problem by developing antifreeze in their blood. The antifreeze forms physical barriers that prevent ice crystals from touching each other.

Some tiny insects and bacteria that stay on Antarctic land have also developed antifreeze in their bodies.

Icy waters

Antarctic fish have very slow heart rates. They have only enough energy to swim slowly through the icy-cold water. They don't speed by like warm-water fish.

For at least three months each winter, so much additional sea ice forms that it doubles the size of the continent. In spring, the sea ice breaks up, and in the summer, it becomes open water again.

In some cases, fish live below layers of ice. Some live in the cracks in the underside of the sea ice. Others live on the sea floor. They feed on tiny **crustaceans** (kruh-STAY-shuns), or animals resembling crabs and shrimp.



The icefish in Antarctica has white blood, not red. It is the only known vertebrate, or animal with a backbone, in the world to have no hemoglobin, a substance that carries oxygen and turns our blood red. Experts believe this may be tied to the high amounts of oxygen in the cold waters.

Mini Spy . . .

Mini Spy and Basset Brown are exploring the Antarctic and visiting some penguins. See if you can find:

- tooth
- ruler
- letter A
- frog
- number 3
- caterpillar
- elephant
- word MINI
- heart
- number 2
- letter L
- snake
- question mark
- exclamation mark
- man in the moon



Rookie Cookie's Recipe Cheesy Tomato Bake

You'll need:

- 2 large ripe tomatoes, sliced thick
- lemon pepper to taste
- 2 tablespoons grated parmesan cheese
- 2 tablespoons mayonnaise
- 1 tablespoon Dijon mustard
- 2 tablespoons grated mozzarella cheese
- 1 tablespoon fresh basil (optional)

What to do:

1. Place tomato slices on a rimmed baking sheet. Sprinkle with lemon pepper.
2. In a small bowl, mix together parmesan cheese, mayonnaise and mustard. Top tomato slices with mixture.
3. Top slices with mozzarella cheese and sprinkle with fresh basil.
4. Bake at 350 degrees for 13 minutes.
5. Broil for additional 1 minute to lightly brown. Makes 8 to 10 slices.

You will need an adult's help with this recipe.

Meet Hullabaloo

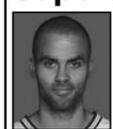


The folk duo Hullabaloo's latest CD for kids is "Raise a Ruckus." The band includes songwriter Steve Denyes, who sings and plays the guitar, and Brendan Kremer, who sings and plays a percussion instrument called a **cajón** (cah-HONE).

Steve and Brendan have been friends since kindergarten. They first played music together in their fifth-grade band. As adults, they began performing as a duo at Brendan's twin daughters' first birthday party.

Steve has taught music to kids in kindergarten through sixth grade. He loves to surf, skateboard, ski, play soccer and go camping with his family. Brendan earned the money for his first drum set by delivering newspapers in the sixth and seventh grades. He enjoys playing football and baseball and watching car racing.

Gus Goodsport's Report Supersport: Tony Parker



Height: 6-2 **Birthdate:** 5-17-82
Weight: 185 **Grew up in:** France

It's hard to believe now, but Tony Parker once wasn't considered tough enough to play for the San Antonio Spurs. That was 13 years ago.

Fortunately, Spurs coaches took a second look and saw his potential. Since then the slick, quick point guard has played in five All-Star games and was the NBA finals MVP in 2007.

At 31, Parker is still tough enough. He again led the Spurs to the 2013 NBA finals with explosive scoring and assists. His star status is secure in San Antonio.

Aside from playing, Parker's interests include providing Spurs home-game tickets for deprived youth and making music. He has produced an album, so stay tuned. If the music matches his performance on the basketball court, it will be a big hit.

Chain of Life

Walking "trees"

Soft corals are animals that live in colonies that look like colorful trees. The corals eat **plankton**, or tiny organisms drifting in the sea. In warmer waters, where there is more food, corals grab food as it drifts by.

But because plankton is scarce in winter Antarctic waters, one type of soft coral has developed an amazing way to survive. Rather than relying on food floating by, the entire coral "tree" lies down and rolls around in circles, picking up food from the sea floor. Then it stands up and moves to a new area.

The soft coral in Antarctic waters is the only coral in the world known to get up and walk.



Experts believe there are so many krill that all the krill in Antarctic waters would weigh more than all the people on Earth.

Krill

Small shrimp-like creatures called **krill** are one of the most important food sources in Antarctic waters. They depend on winter sea ice.

Tiny one-celled plants called **diatoms** (DIE-uh-toms), a type of algae, live on the underside of winter sea ice. Young krill gather under the sea ice to dine on diatoms. The sea ice also protects the krill during the icy winters. Diatoms are also an important food source for fish.

Staying warm

Many birds, such as penguins, have tightly woven layers of feathers that help keep out the cold. As with many seabirds, their feathers are waterproof.

Birds in the southern polar region also have extra layers of fat to keep them **insulated**, or protected from the cold.

Mammals, such as seals and whales, have layers of fat, or **blubber**, to insulate them. Seals also have fur to keep them warm.

On land, seals lie around most of the time. This lack of movement conserves their energy. They don't really move fast until they hit the water.

Animals and birds may also have smaller **extremities**, or body parts away from the main body, such as bills and ears. Having smaller parts of the body exposed to the cold helps the animals keep more heat in their bodies.

Fragile Habitat

The emperor penguin

The emperor penguin spends more time on land than any other type of penguin in Antarctica. Females come onto land to lay their eggs. The males hold the eggs on their feet, warming them with their skin and feathers throughout the bitter winters.

The males form big circles of penguins. The inner circles are the warmest because the outer penguins help block the cold winds.

In order to survive the frigid winters, emperor penguins take turns in the circles. After warming up in the inner circle, penguins move to the outer, coldest circle. The coldest penguins get to move to the warmer circles. They take turns all winter.



Adult male and female emperor penguins take turns caring for chicks.



The Weddell seal hunts its food under the ice. It comes onto land to rest.

Safety on ice

The female Weddell seal uses the sea ice to protect herself and her young from enemies, or **predators**. The female has special ice-chipping teeth. When she is ready to give birth, she swims under the winter sea ice. She finds a weak spot and chips away at the ice until she creates a breathing hole.

She keeps chipping away until she has made a big enough hole that she can push herself through it and up onto the sea ice. She delivers her young on the ice away from land. Enemies such as leopard seals and killer whales can't get onto the ice to reach her or the seal pups.

A changing environment

The Antarctic Peninsula* is one of the most rapidly warming areas of the planet. In the last 60 years, average midwinter air temperatures have gone up about 10 degrees Fahrenheit. There have never been such rapid changes in the history of Antarctica.

*The Antarctic Peninsula is a long area of land stretching toward South America.

Some animals in trouble

The rapid warming in the Antarctic Peninsula is causing the winter sea ice and glaciers to decrease in the area. Ice sheets connected to land float in the ocean year-round. These massive ice sheets have lasted for thousands of years, but now they are breaking apart.

Entire ecosystems are changing within 10, 20 or 30 years. Normally, these types of major changes would take thousands of years to occur.

Many creatures may not have time to adapt. Some are unlikely to survive. For example, in warmer areas, krill are disappearing.

Vanishing Adelie

The warming climate is causing it to snow later in the year, during the time when Adelie (uh-DAY-lee) penguins usually lay their eggs. These late snowfalls can bury entire Adelie colonies under the snow. When the snow melts, the melt-water drowns the chicks in their eggs.

In some areas of the northern Antarctic Peninsula, 90 percent of the Adelies have apparently died.



Adelie penguins slide across sea ice to reach their food. The melting sea ice is forcing the Adelies to swim farther offshore to find food. This leaves them less energy to care for their young.

MIGHTY FUNNY'S Mini Jokes

All the following jokes have something in common. Can you guess the common theme or category?

- Pierre:** Where does a penguin keep its money?
Petra: In a snow bank!
- Paula:** What do you call a penguin walking in the desert?
Pete: Lost!
- Pam:** What do you call a smiling penguin?
Porter: A pen-grin!

Basset Brown The News Hound's Antarctica TRY 'N' FIND

Words that remind us of Antarctic animals are hidden in the block below. Some words are hidden backward or diagonally. See if you can find: ANTIFREEZE, BLUBBER, COLD, CORAL, DESERT, DRY, ECOSYSTEM, EGGS, FISH, FUR, ICE, INSECT, KRILL, MIGRATE, PENGUIN, SEA, SEAL, SNOW, SOUTHERN, TEETH, WATERS, WEDDELL, WHALE, WINDS.

WHO COULD RESIST A PENGUIN?

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Ready Resources

The Mini Page provides ideas for websites, books or other resources that will help you learn more about this week's topics.

- On the Web:**
- bit.ly/13Xxt0d
 - bit.ly/16nBILT
 - bit.ly/18xszs3
- At the library:**
- "March of the Penguins," DVD
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Garden inspires reflection

Project features student murals, performance area

WILLIAM JOHNSON
The Daily Comet

OPELOUSAS, La. — An Inspiration Garden, a dream almost a decade in the making, should be ready to greet students at Opelousas' Magnet Academy for the Cultural Arts when they return in the fall.

Much of the work, including two student-created murals, an 18-by-18 foot stage and a host of benches and picnic tables with awnings, is already in place.

The project's final ingredient was a dump truck full of compost.

Karren Ryder, the project's coordinator, said the outdoor performance space and garden has been a dream since MACA was created a decade ago.

"This was a seed planted by the committee when we were first developing the plans for this academy but we didn't have the funding," said Ryder.

That changed last year. She applied for a \$4,000 Lowe's Toolkit Grant, and won it this year. That covered most of the costs.

But she had no money for soil and she turned to the St. Landry Parish Solid Waste Disposal District for help.

"I was out of money and explained my plight. They were happy to help," Ryder said.

The compost, delivered in June, made it possible to level the garden site and provide a rich growing environment for



Mark Gillis plants flowers in front of a mural that is connected to the Inspiration Garden at Magnet Academy for the Cultural Arts in Opelousas, La.

the plants.

"We make this available to any public institution," said Katty Martin with Solid Waste.

He said the material starts out life as the bedding for horses at Evangeline Downs Racetrack and Casino, and is then composted into a rich, dark soil.

"It makes a good stock for anyone who is doing gardening or landscaping," said Martin,

who said his agency processes about 200 tons a month, so there is usually a good supply.

Ryder, who serves as the St. Landry Parish School System's gifted and talented coordinator, said the soil will be wonderful for the banks of flowering plants, trees and more.

"We have chosen our plants so there will be different smells and different flowers in bloom all year long," Ryder said.

"Someday the students will be able to go out there and pick a satsuma right off the tree. That would be such a treat," Ryder said. "This will create a natural environment where students can write or draw.

She said the project is a great fit for the academy, whose 240 students in grades 7-12 specialize in music, theater, dance, the arts and creative writing.

Associated Press

Children's library named in honor of Hillary Clinton

Associated Press

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — Former Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton on Monday helped dedicate a new children's library named for her in Little Rock, saying she hoped it would be a reminder of the importance of reading to a child at an early age.

The former first lady and potential 2016 presidential candidate recalled taking her daughter to the library in Little Rock when her husband, Bill Clinton, served as Arkansas' governor.

Clinton said she hoped the new library would help parents be their children's first teacher and cited research that showed the benefits of reading to children regularly in their first years.

"If you do not invest in those first five years of life, if we do not do more to help parents understand what they can do to be their child's first teachers, then our schools despite all their best efforts are not going to be able to do what should be done to give every child a chance to fulfill his or her God-given potential," Clinton said in a theater packed with parents and children. "So this library, which is so exciting, is going to be a very visible symbol of that commitment."

The library system's



Associated Press

Former Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton reads to children Monday at a children's library and learning center in Little Rock, Ark. The center is being named for the former first lady.

board voted last month to name the facility, which opened earlier this year, in honor of Clinton. The system's board cited her work on issues regarding children's health and education as Arkansas' first lady.

Bobby Roberts, the library system's director, praised Clinton's work as first lady in 1983 heading up a committee to improve the state's education system. Roberts said those efforts eventually led to the "rebirth" of the library system.

"Had it not been for the Clintons and the work Secretary Clinton did on those education standards in 1983 that pushed us in that direction, we would be sitting out in the hot July dirt," Roberts

said. "This building wouldn't be here."

Before the dedication ceremony, Clinton toured the facility and read "The Very Hungry Caterpillar" to a group of children at the library.

The library is located just a few miles away from Bill Clinton's presidential library, which opened in 2004. Both Clintons remain deeply popular in the state, and she easily won the state's Democratic primary during her unsuccessful presidential bid in 2008.

Clinton didn't refer to her political future during her remarks at the ceremony, but supporters made it clear they were watching to see what she does next.

Actress forges new career with Wilmington school

PHIL FUHRER
StarNews

WILMINGTON, N.C. — Beth Becka had a recurring part in "Matlock," appeared opposite Jennifer Lopez in "What to Expect When You're Expecting" and mastered leading or supporting roles in theater productions from New York to California.

But now she's well into her second year as a Wilmington entrepreneur with her own startup business, and that's not an act.

"When we opened our doors," Becka remembers about the 2011 debut of her Insight School of Acting, "we had two teachers and 14 students. Today we have seven teachers and over 70 students."

"By August, that number will be up to 90. With a zero marketing budget to start, we have relied heavily on word of mouth, our website and our Facebook page."

Word of mouth was not an issue. She's lived in Wilmington for 20 years, working in film and theater, supporting the community and teaching at the University of North Carolina Wilmington.

"And with the way the film and television industry is booming here, (starting the school) was just a natural fit for me and the market," Becka said. "We are unique in this market in that we are the only acting studio offering an ongoing program of courses for the student to progress from a beginning level through to advanced-level courses."

Becka has deep roots not only in

Southeastern North Carolina, but throughout the state.

Her master's in acting and directing is from the University of North Carolina-Greensboro, and her Wilmington credits include fundraising for local nonprofits - but always with one hand, or mainly both feet, in her trade: acting — whether performing, studying or teaching.

"An actor's life is, in part, about becoming a perpetual student, certainly of life, but also in training," Becka said. "As with anything that is to be done with excellence, it takes practice."

Becka has deep roots not only in Southeastern North Carolina, but throughout the state.

In fact, she has been in Oregon this summer refining her acting and teaching talent at the True Acting Institute.

Back in Wilmington this July, her business will be gearing up for

numerous summer programs based on two of the key elements of her school's success.

One is on-camera classes, where students are taught to be more natural in front of the camera, learning relaxation, the moment before, in-the-moment delivery, and substitution. Becka promises students will be on-camera acting in every session.

The other is audition taping services. Becka said the audition process is one of the things that has changed in the film and television industry the most in recent years.

"Where we used to go to the casting directors' offices to audition live, in this digital age, almost all auditions are taped," she said. "One of the areas of real growth for us has been in offering this service."

Chalk TALK

SCHOLARSHIPS

Applicants are now being accepted for the annual Penny Duteau Nursing Scholarship.

Qualified applicants must be a resident of Citrus County and must have been accepted into a recognized school of nursing program (proof required). Applications are available by emailing jolynn@firfin.com or writing Penny Duteau Nursing Scholarship Fund, c/o Jolynn Duteau, 4626 Stolls Ave., Tampa, FL 33615.

Applications must be returned by July 15.

MISCELLANEOUS

Take Stock in Children of Citrus County is seeking fe-

male mentors to help support new student scholars who just entered the program. Take Stock in Children, a program sponsored by the Citrus County Sheriff's Office, offers deserving youth in Citrus County, the opportunity to receive a college scholarship, a caring mentor and the promise of hope for the future.

The next mentor training is in August. For more information, call Pat Lancaster, program coordinator at 352-422-2348 or 352-344-0855.

ASSE International Student Exchange Program needs host families for boys and girls from Europe, Asia, the former Soviet Union, Canada, South America, Australia and New Zealand. Students are 15 to 18 years of age

and will be coming to the local area for the 2013/2014 school year. The students are sponsored by the nonprofit student exchange program. They are well screened and qualified by ASSE. Students speak English and are anxious to learn about this country through living as part of a family, attending high school and sharing their culture and language. For more information, call Joan Soderqvist at 352-382-4485 or call 800-473-0696. Visit www.asse.com

A group of students, parents and teachers from Citrus County are going on an educational tour hosted by Education First: Educational Tours based out of Boston, Mass. The group will travel to Dublin, London and Paris from June 17 to 26, 2014.

EF Educational Tours helps teachers in North America break down barriers of language, culture and geography by incorporating international travel into their lessons and opening the doors to the "Global Classroom." Students will visit historic sites, natural wonders and "learn it by living it."

For more information or to RSVP for the parent meeting, contact Dan Epstein at EpsteinD@citrus.k12.fl.us or 352-613-4478; or Deborah Beck at beckd@citrus.k12.fl.us or 352-422-6921.

The tour website is www.efours.com/1366896 register for Epstein's group or www.efours.com/1367131 to register for Beck's group. The website link includes pricing information and the itinerary.

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Victoria from Australia, 17 yrs. Enjoys spending time with her family and younger siblings. Victoria plays volleyball and is excited to learn new sports while in America.

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Giorgio from Italy, 16 yrs. Loves to play baseball and spend time with his dogs. Giorgio also plays the guitar, and his dream is to join a drama club at his American high school.

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News NOTES

New produce at Farmers Market

The Beverly Hills Farmers Market is open 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Fridays at Lake Beverly Park, 77 Civic Circle.

Featured this week is Lisa Palmer, the "go-to" vendor for anything related to candles. She is a PartyLite representative and offers a wide variety of fragrant, colorful candles with all the accessories.

Chef Andre and his Hot Diggity Dogs concession will be out of town this week at a family reunion, but will return July 19. For more information about becoming a vendor at \$5 per market day, call Bonnie Larsen at the Beverly Hills Civic Association from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday at 352-746-2657.

'Dog Days' to benefit rescues

Village Cadillac Toyota will sponsor its third annual Dog Days of Summer fundraiser for local animal rescue centers from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, July 13. The dealership is at 2431 U.S. 19 N., Homosassa.

Several local animal rescue centers are in need of cash donations, as well as supplies. Needed items include laundry detergent, paper towels, dog and cat treats (no rawhides), harnesses of all sizes, as well as dog and cat toys and beds.

For more information about the fundraiser, or to make a donation, call Charlie DeFreese at 352-628-5100.

Business group to convene Friday

Citrus Business Network will meet at 7:30 a.m. Friday, July 12, at Twisted Oaks Country Club, 4801 W. Forest Ridge Blvd., Beverly Hills.

For more information, call Jacqui Watkins at 352-422-4770, or visit www.citrusbusinessnetwork.com.

Everyone invited to fish dinner

Blanton-Thompson American Legion Auxiliary Unit 155, Crystal River, will serve a fish dinner — choice of fried or baked — from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 24, at the post home, 6585 W. Gulf-to-Lake Highway.

Everyone is welcome; donation is \$ 7.

All profits help support the many programs of the American Legion Auxiliary. For more information, call Unit President Barbara Logan, 352-795-4233.

Pet SPOTLIGHT

Zero



Special to the Chronicle

Zero, a 1-year-old male, was named after the cartoon character in the 1993 movie "The Nightmare Before Christmas." Randall Parrington, grandson of Mary and Pat DeStasio of Inverness, owns the Shiba Inu.

Getting connected

Citrus United Way unveils collective agency volunteer site

Special to the Chronicle

Is your nonprofit organization in need of volunteers? Does your nonprofit organization need office items and there's no money in the budget? United Way of Citrus County has you covered.

"Get Connected" increases the impact nonprofits and individuals have on the community. It allows individuals and organizations to either donate or find donated items, and it will keep volunteers plugged in to any agency in the system. It is the answer for developing and maintaining long-term volunteer relationships.

Get Connected is an easy-to-use

web-based platform that matches the right donors, advocates and volunteers with the right opportunities. Users can search for needs based on their own interests, they can reach out to agencies that care about the same things they care about and they can find meaningful ways to give back.

The new unified volunteer site allows residents to select their areas of volunteer interest and then agencies to blind email those individuals when a volunteer opportunity is available in that area. The resident no longer has to run around looking for where and when they can volunteer, and their email is kept private. Donations

needed and available can also be posted on the site.

Brief training sessions will be conducted for interested agency personnel Tuesday, July 16, at the College of Central Florida Citrus Campus.

At the sessions, United Way staff will explain the system and then assist participants in the free registration process.

Interested agencies should schedule one of the following session options on July 16: 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m. or 2:30 p.m. It will take about 90 minutes to complete training and actual registration. To RSVP, call Jennifer Barber or Cindi Fein at 352-795-5483.

Funding brighter futures



Special to the Chronicle

On behalf of Seven Rivers Regional Medical Center, Joyce Brancato, chief executive officer, accepts a recognition plaque from Jay Joines, sponsorship co-chairman of the Black Diamond Foundation 2013 Pro-Am Golf Tournament. The hospital is a proud sponsor of the annual tournament. This year, the event raised \$58,000 to improve lives and create opportunities for children and families in Citrus County.

Key events benefit nonprofit

31st annual Reach for the Stars auction coming up Friday

Special to the Chronicle

Tickets are still for sale for the 31st annual dinner auction kicking off the Key Training Center Run for the Money fundraising events.

"Reach for the Stars" will begin at 5:30 p.m. Friday at the Chet Cole Life En-

richment Center, 5521 W. Buster Whitton Way, Lecanto.

Guests will be greeted with a complimentary glass of champagne, live musical entertainment by the Cool Corporate Cats and a gourmet dinner provided by Ike's Place. This year's array of live

and silent auction items includes fine jewelry, art, tickets to collegiate and professional sporting events, unique items for the home, fashions, collectibles and bargains in areas of recreation, dining, travel, technology and just plain fun.

Proceeds from the \$50

tickets will go directly to the Key Training Center to provide scholarships, vocational training, residential provisions and life-enriching experiences to more than 300 adults with developmental disabilities.

For tickets, call 352-795-5541, ext. 311.

Zumba for the Key Sunday

Special to the Chronicle

Zumba for the Key is scheduled for Sunday, beginning at 2 p.m. with registration starting at 1:15 p.m. at the Chet Cole Life Enrichment Center, 5521 Buster Whitton Way, Lecanto.

Led by Marilynne Denison, a certified Zumba instructor, along with other local instructors, the two-hour workout session will consist of dancing routines to a va-

riety of international beats. The event will also include light refreshments and prizes.

The afternoon party will cost \$10, which is payable at the door or by the purchase of advance tickets sold at county Zumba classes. All proceeds will benefit the Key Training Center Run for the Money fundraising.

For more information, call 352-795-5541, ext. 311.

Run for the Money Telethon

Special to the Chronicle

The 26th Key Training Center Run for the Money Telethon airs from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, July 20, on WYKE Channel 47 or cable Channel 16, with a goal of raising the funds necessary to provide essential services to more than 300 developmentally disabled adults and to provide scholarships to nearly 70 individuals who do not receive state

funding.

Representatives from local businesses and organizations that raise funds for the Key Training Center are welcome to present their gifts live on the telethon.

Telethon pledges may be made July 20 by calling 352-527-2341 or toll free to 888-377-0340. All donations are tax deductible. Major credit cards are accepted.

For information, call 352-795-5541, ext. 311.

Master gardeners offer free monthly plant clinics

Special to the Chronicle

The free July monthly Citrus County Extension Service Master Gardener Plant Clinic topic is "Drought Tolerant Trees and Shrubs."

The remaining schedule for clinics for July is:

- Today at 1:30 p.m. at Central Ridge Library, Beverly Hills;
 - Friday at 1:30 p.m. at Coastal Region Library, Crystal River;
 - Wednesday, July 17, 1 p.m. at Citrus Springs Library;
 - Tuesday, July 23, 2 p.m. at Homosassa Library.
- Questions about landscape, sam-

ples for plant identification or garden-related problems are welcome.

Master gardener volunteers will be available to address these and other concerns regarding anything related to home landscaping.

For more information about the free monthly plant clinics, call the Extension Service at 352-527-5700.

News NOTES

Club slates card party, luncheon

One of the five card party/luncheons sponsored by the GFWC Woman's Club of Inverness during the year will be held Saturday, July 27, at the First Presbyterian Church in Inverness.

The event, which features a buffet salad luncheon and desserts prepared by club members, is open to anyone in the community, including men.

Participants usually get together their own group and bring their own cards such as bridge or mahjong; however, singles who wish to participate are welcome to come join group games such as Hand and Foot or Mexican Train.

Tickets are \$10 each and may be reserved in advance by calling Fran Pierce at 352-637-1582 or Sandra Koonce, 352-634-4216.

Lodge plans special events

Crystal River Moose Lodge No. 2013 is planning three special events.

The lodge will have a triathlon competition beginning at 8:30 a.m. Sunday, July 14. It consists of horse-shoes, pool and shuffleboard. Breakfast and lunch will be available.

The public is invited to an open house and anniversary celebration from noon to 4 p.m. Saturday, July 27. There will be games for all ages, along with music and food.

The district picnic will be Sunday, Aug. 18.

For more information about the lodge and its activities, call 352-795-7030 or visit mooselodge2013.com.

See 'Fashions Under the Sun'

The GFWC Crystal River Woman's Club's "Fashions Under the Sun" show is slated for Saturday, July 27, at Citrus Hills Golf & country Club in Hernando.

The luncheon and fashion show begin at 11 a.m. Tickets are \$25 per person and are nonrefundable.

There will be a silent auction and entertainment will be by Sophie Robitaille.

There will be door prizes and an opportunity drawing.

The luncheon menu is a choice of sliced London broil with mushroom gravy, Swiss chicken (boneless breast of chicken lightly breaded, topped with tomato and Swiss cheese with a demi glace) or eggplant parmesan with pasta. All are served with salad, rolls, parsley steamed red potatoes and vegetable of the day. The dessert is a berry trifle with coffee or tea.

For tickets, call Margie Harper at 352-795-6790 or Madeline Markowitz at 352-794-0477.

Pet SPOTLIGHT

Ash-A-Lee



Special to the Chronicle

Beautiful Ash-A-Lee was adopted after her human mommy passed away. She enjoys her many feline companions in her new home with Joanie Welch of Inverness.

WEDNESDAY EVENING JULY 10, 2013. Table listing TV programs, channels, and times. Includes categories like News, Entertainment, Sports, and Family.

Bridge section with North, West, East, and South hands. Dealer: South. Vulnerable: Both. Opening lead: ♠ K.

Phillip Alder, Newspaper Enterprise Assn. Column header.

Dean Martin said, "When your opponent's sittin' there holdin' all the aces, there's only one thing to do: kick over the table." I have never seen that at a bridge tournament...

JUMBLE word game section. Includes a cartoon by David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek, a grid of letters, and a list of words to find.

ACROSS and DOWN crossword puzzle. Includes clues for 1-38 across and 1-17 down. Includes a 'Want more puzzles?' box.

Dear Annie: My parents bought a house 15 years ago. When Mom died seven years later, Dad decided to refinance and take Mom's name off the deed. The bank needed a co-signer, so my sister and I agreed to be the co-borrowers. Dad is now 75. Four years ago, he married a 47-year-old divorcee with a 22-year-old daughter. Since then, they have been living on my dad's Social Security without making any effort to get a job. Now he wants to sell the house and move to Mexico to be closer to her family. I asked Dad to give us what would have been half of Mom's share to be split among his seven children. He doesn't want to give us anything. But without my signature, he can't sell the property. I'm concerned that this woman is taking advantage of my father. What should I do? — Not Fair

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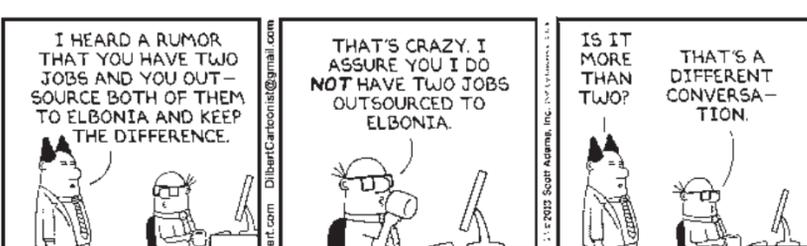
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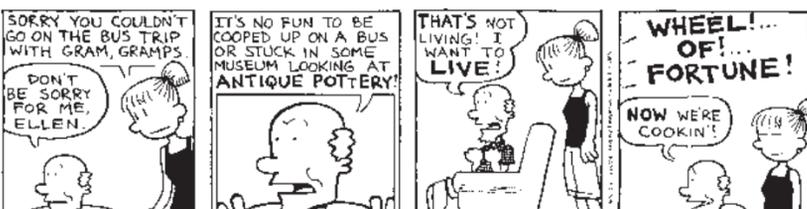
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Citrus Cinemas 6 — Inverness; 637-3377	7 p.m., 10:05 p.m.
"Despicable Me 2" (PG) 1:30 p.m., 7:40 p.m.	"The Heat" (R) 1 p.m., 4:50 p.m., 7:50 p.m., 10:40 p.m.
"Despicable Me 2" (PG) In 3D. 4:40 p.m., 10:20 p.m.	"White House Down" (PG-13) 12:40 p.m., 4 p.m., 7:20 p.m., 10:25 p.m.
"The Lone Ranger" (PG-13) 12:15 p.m., 3:45 p.m., 7:10 p.m., 10 p.m.	"Monsters University" (PG) 11:45 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 7:30 p.m.
"The Heat" (R) 1 p.m., 4:15 p.m., 7:20 p.m., 10:25 p.m.	"Monsters University" (PG) In 3D. 4:55 p.m., 10:05 p.m. No passes.
"White House Down" (PG-13) 12:30 p.m., 3:50 p.m., 7 p.m., 10:15 p.m.	"World War Z" (PG-13) 12 p.m., 2:40 p.m., 8 p.m.
"Monsters University" (PG) 1:15 p.m., 7:30 p.m.	"World War Z" In 3D. (PG-13) 5:20 p.m., 10:40 p.m. No passes.
"Monsters University" (PG) In 3D. 4:30 p.m., 10:20 p.m.	"Man of Steel" (PG-13) 11:50 a.m., 2:55 p.m., 6:50 p.m.
"World War Z" (PG-13) 12:45 p.m., 4 p.m., 6:50 p.m.	"Man of Steel" (PG-13) In 3D. 9:55 p.m.
"World War Z" In 3D (PG-13) 10:30 p.m.	"This Is The End" (R) 11:55 a.m., 5 p.m., 7:40 p.m., 10:20 p.m.
Crystal River Mall 9; 564-6864	"Now You See Me" (PG-13) 12:50 p.m., 4:10 p.m., 7:25 p.m., 10:30 p.m.
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CELEBRITY CIPHER
by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

TODAY'S CLUE: *o sjenba i*

"HXKRKOWAKSD KY SPG TKOG WXS HT
XGBGBLGXKOR UPWS DHJ PGWX LJS
THXRGSSKOR UPGXG DHJ PGWXZ KS."
— AWJXGOIG V. NGSGX

Previous Solution: "If you retain nothing else, always remember the most important rule of beauty, which is: who cares?" — Tina Fey

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Found

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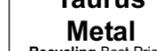
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Grace, from Trails End Rd has found her way home thank you all for your help in getting her home

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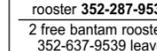


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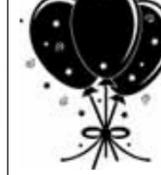
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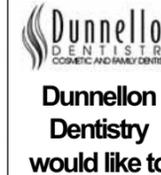
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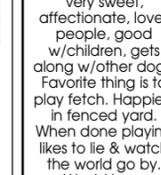
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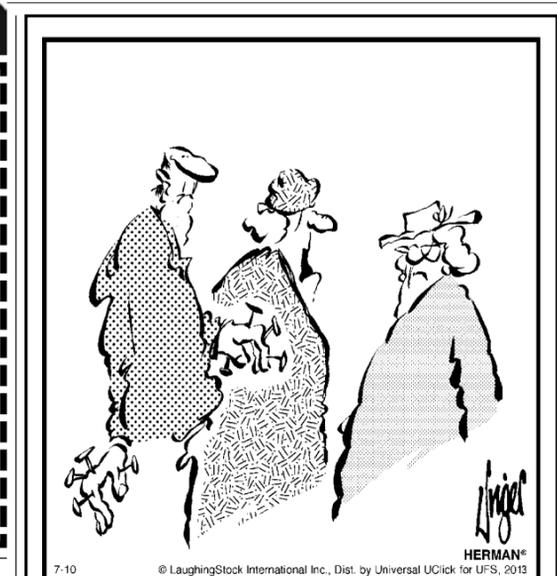
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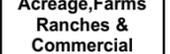
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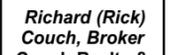


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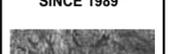
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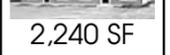
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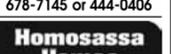
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- Unadorned swimming pool path (1)
- Fall guy's swimming headgear (1)
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2011, Camry LE, 15 yrs/150,000 miles of worry free protection warr. \$14,377, 352-240-7412

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GMC

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Tax Deed Notices

2479-0731 WCRN PUBLIC NOTICE APPLICATION: 2013-089

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: US BANK AS C/F FL DUNDEE LIEN INV LLC

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 10-0277 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2010

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:

CRYSTAL MANOR UNIT 2 LOT 7 BLK 57 PB 8 PG 112 DESC IN OR BK 699 PG 1628

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED:

TROYS PROPERTY INC

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on August 14, 2013 at 9:30 A.M. at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated June 18, 2013 ANGELA VICK Clerk of the Circuit Court, Citrus County, Florida

By: Theresa Steelfox, Deputy Clerk

Advised 4 times: July 10, 2013 July 17, 2013 July 24, 2013 July 31, 2013

2483-0731 WCRN PUBLIC NOTICE APPLICATION: 2013-093

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DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:

RAINBOW ESTS UNIT 2 PB 3 PG 84 LOTS 5, 6, 7, 8 & 9 BLK 10

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED:

CHARLES SANFORD, CHARLES D SANFORD, SCOTT A SANFORD

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida.

