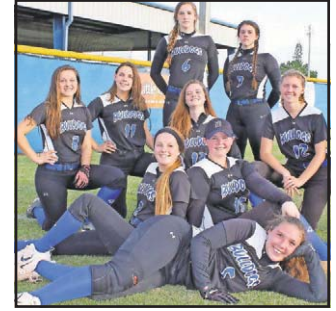




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## DeSoto to spend \$1.1 million on telecommunications

By **CRAIG GARRETT**  
ARCADIAN EDITOR

We used pagers and shoe-box-sized mobile phones when DeSoto public-safety workers last got new communications equipment.

That long stretch ended Tuesday.

The DeSoto Board of County Commissioners approved more

than \$1.1 million in spending for telecommunications devices for the sheriff's department and fire-rescue workers, for corrections officers, even for schools.

DeSoto last purchased such equipment in 1998, which then was analog science that has become dwindling spare parts, unreachable dark zones and leftovers from neighbors.

New digital technology, which includes a fortified communication tower, opens DeSoto to state police and other county networks, erases the dark spots where officers are unable to reach one another. Rescue vehicles and some 160 or so officers and school officials will be outfitted this year with the so-called Project 25, or P25, equipment of compressed

bandwidth streams that allows them to radio more clearly and cleanly. Arcadia had voted to purchase the same technology earlier this month.

The package of vehicle and hand-held devices will provide life-saving, state-of-the-art reach, county Administrator Mandy Hines said in remarks

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## Meet Arcadia's Mia Butler, super volunteer, 'kindness is contagious'

By **CRAIG GARRETT**  
ARCADIAN EDITOR

Mia Butler is the DeSoto County High School freshman class vice president, plays volleyball and basketball, awarded MVP in her first season with the basketball team. She will continue as vice president for the sophomore class and enroll in honors classes.

But more importantly, Mia, who is 15, is also a huge community booster, undertaking numerous volunteer efforts to help others. Last year she used social media to gather more than 100 prom dresses for kids in challenged circumstances, for example, recently distributed food to needy Arcadians, other charitable work following Hurricane Irma that largely goes unnoticed. Mia, the daughter of Rachel and Terrance Butler, was asked to share thoughts on super volunteerism and how the community reacts to such giving of her time and resources.

**Question:** What's the motivation to help?

**Mia:** "Knowing I have more than I need makes me want to try and provide basic needs for people who go without."

**Question:** How do people react when you arrive with, say, hygiene products?



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**VOLUNTEER | 9** DeSoto's public safety crews receiving a welcomed meal.



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# Arcadia Garden Club honors Year of the Bird

By **JAMIE PIPHER**  
ARCADIA GARDEN CLUB

Babs Ames opened the May 7 Arcadia Garden Club meeting, with 13 members and four guests attending.

Well-known Florida Master Naturalist Jamie Reynolds was the program presenter. Reynolds provides guided tours to local environmental areas, including our own Morgan Park, as well as Webb Babcock Wildlife Management area near Punta Gorda.

One recent tour included a leisurely bike ride to identify wildflowers and wildlife. Reynolds explained that 2018 has been designed as the Year of the Bird by National Geographic, the National Audubon Society, as well as over 100 other organizations to mark the centennial of the Migratory Bird Treaty Act of 1918, or MBTA, one of the most powerful and important bird protection laws ever passed.

In honor of this milestone, around the world individuals are joining forces to celebrate the Year of the Bird and commit to protecting birds, today and in the future. It should be noted that

recent changes to the interpretation of this law have resulted in the MBTA no longer protecting against the incidental death of birds. The public is encouraged to learn more of the status of these changes and contact their United States senators/representatives with any concerns.

For additional information regarding the Year of Bird and its related activities, go to: <https://www.national-geographic.org/projects/year-of-the-bird/> or <https://www.audubon.org/yearofthebird>.

An interactive program entitled "Attracting Wildlife to Your Yard" was provided by Reynolds. When asked by the speaker, Garden Club attendees reported seeing deer, skunks, coyotes, bobcats, armadillos and foxes in their



Arcadia Garden Club members at the May 7 gathering paid tribute to Year of the Bird.

yards, which resulted in a fun exchange of wildlife visitor stories. Reynolds reported that armadillos are often seen as a nuisance, however, they do kill insects, particularly red ants. Some members acknowledged having yards that have been designated by the National Wildlife Federation as a "Certified Wildlife Habitat" because of the owner's willingness to provide food, water, cover and a place to raise young. It was the consensus of the group, however, that the primary focus of habitat designation is to attract birds and butterflies.

Being aware of hazards is key to maintaining a healthy environment for our wildlife. For example, an electric bug-zapper is useful to kill mosquitoes, but they can kill helpful insects and be a danger to birds, as well. Know the pros and cons related to pesticides you use and learn about alternates such as vinegar, peroxide, Dawn, and Epsom salt to control weeds and harmful insects as an environmentally safer method.

Nancy Anderson, Hazel Farwell and Terri Santucci were recognized for May

birthdays. Linda and Jerry Waters, Babs and Richard Ames, and Mirasol and Kenneth Fleming were recognized for May anniversaries. Hostesses for the meeting were Carmen Miranda, Sherry Miraldi and Jamie Pipher.

Lorraine Brauckhoff contributed the devotional "Wind Chimes," reminding the attendees that while life can get crazy at times, "hearing the tinkling sound of a beautiful wind chime" can help us stop, listen and refocus on what is important.

The last meeting of the season for Arcadia Garden Club will be 12 p.m. June 4, at 1005 W. Magnolia St., Arcadia. The speaker will be Laura Jibbens, Florida Federation of Garden Clubs District IV Director. The public is welcome to attend as guest of the club.

For more information about AGC and its activities, go to: <https://www.facebook.com/ArcadiaFloridaGardenClub> and click the "Like" button. For an electronic copy of the AGC Newsletter, to receive a meeting reminder or if you are interested in being a presenter, send an email to: [gardenclubarcadia@gmail.com](mailto:gardenclubarcadia@gmail.com).

# Arcadia Kiwanis Club, book 'em, sheriff

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Kiwanis International, founded in 1915, is located in 80 countries worldwide with over 600,000 members focusing on the needs of children.

The Arcadia Kiwanis Club began in 1922 and has worked continuously

on meeting needs in our community, especially with youth. We are responsive to needs as they arise.

Every year Kiwanis gives an individual book to each third-grade student at Memorial, Nocatee and West Elementary schools. The books, selected by the teachers, promise entertaining

reading for the approaching summer.

The Kiwanis Club also has a tradition of assisting youth by encouraging continuing education. This year DeSoto High School senior Laurel Mercer was the recipient of the Kiwanis Scholarship. In addition, practicing good citizenship is stressed in Kiwanis, and Sirianeli Benitez and Wesley Moreno received plaques in recognition of their strong examples of helpfulness and kindness to others.

Kiwanis also awarded scholarships in memory of Al Clemons this year.

Mr. Clemons worked as a lineman and supervisor for Florida Power & Light for over 40 years and was a member of Kiwanis for over 50 years. In memory of Al, the Arcadia Kiwanis Club and the Clemons family presented scholarships to Tyler Mansfield, Jonathan Toscano and Justin Yates, the three seniors in the South Florida State College Lineman Program.

The Arcadia Kiwanis Club meets Thursday nights at 6:30 p.m. at the Arcadia Beef O'Brady's. Visitors are welcome. [facebook.com](https://www.facebook.com)

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Kiwanis gives a book to third-graders at Memorial, Nocatee and West Elementary schools.



Sheriff Potter visiting West Elementary kids.



Mike Pooser, Irene Pooser, Sheriff Potter and Barbara Foster-Jackson holding books.





# DeSoto High Senior Awards, Class of 2018

Thursday night the DeSoto County High School senior class celebrated its Senior Awards Ceremony at the Turner Center.

Seventy-six awards and scholarships were presented to students totaling more \$1.1 million, a huge sum recognizing the accomplishments of these wonderful kids.

### SENIOR AWARDS

For more photos turn to page 5.

Presentations at the May 17 event were made by local service organizations, clubs, businesses, individuals and families, as well as the sheriff's office and Arcadia police, plus various academic scholarships.

A beautiful night among graduating seniors, their families, friends and the town's booster community reinforced our commitment to the traditions, many contributions and history of DeSoto County.



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Students pose for the Top 10 Percent Awards.



Awards in the Nursing Assistant program.



A-Team with instructor Andrew Hagen.



Guadalupe Galaniz straightens the tassel on Emma Heitman's mortar board.



Jacqui German receives the Carol McQuay Scholarship.



Macey Mullins receives the Cay Mann Memorial Scholarship.



Supt. Adrian Cline presents the Franklin D. Roosevelt Scholarship to Jacqueline German-Galindo.



Emma Heitman and Guadalupe Galaniz pose for a photo before the ceremony.



Caught up in the excitement of the Honors and Awards Ceremony are; Esperanza Gonzalez, Araceli Maldonado, Sayra Zamora, Jacqueline Flores, Sirianeli Benitez and Joyce Wang.



Students pose for the Career and Technical Education Awards.



Recipients and donors of the Carl McKetrick Memorial Scholarship.

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## OUR VIEW

Safety first  
when sharing  
our roadways

**OUR POSITION:** Florida's pedestrian-safety figures are awful. Let that be a warning.

A. The average weight of a car is 4,079 pounds.

B. The average weight of an American man is 191.

C. A female, 166.

Put a moving A in a collision course with a B or C—or both B and C together, for that matter—and it adds up to tragedy.

No contest.

As recent Page 1 stories in the Sun noted, Florida leads the nation in pedestrian-automobile accidents. Of the worst 12 metro areas in the country, Florida has nine that are ranked the “least safest places to walk.” Cape Coral-Fort Myers is the worst, by a long shot, with a “danger index” of 283. North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton ranks 10th with a 149 score. And DeSoto County has had several bike-vehicle run-ins, a couple of fatalities in recent weeks, in fact.

In addition, Florida as of early May has had 228 pedestrian fatalities, and 48 bicycle fatalities.

Heed the warning numbers. This is a big state with a large population, and an older population whose drivers may be less nimble (or, perhaps, more careful) than the national norm. The weather is good year-round, so people are outside walking and biking more than they may be in northern states. And, of course, vehicular traffic is heavy, especially in the winter tourist/snowbird season.

Something is way off, though. Which means, if nothing else, that pedestrians, cyclists and motorists must be more aware of one another and pay attention to the rules of the road.

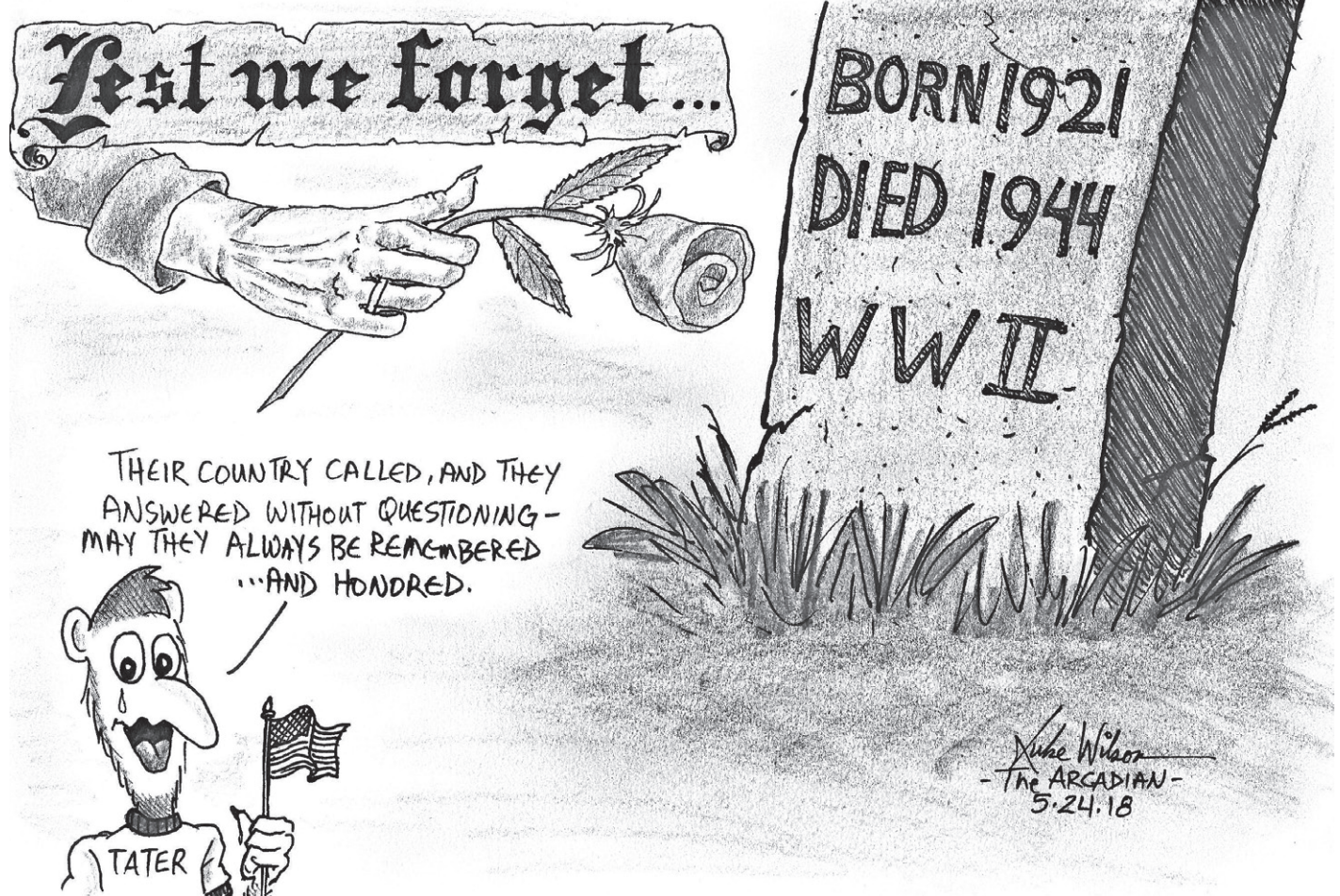
Infrastructure is critical, and governments road projects must now include bike lanes and sidewalks. But older roads often lack sidewalks and wide shoulders, and sidewalks are expensive to build.

Sarasota County now imposes developer “mobility” fees, rather than road fees, which can be used to fund sidewalks and bike lanes in urban areas where road-widening isn't feasible. Sarasota also has the non-motorized 12.5-mile Legacy Trail, which runs from Venice to the Palmer Ranch area. County voters will decide in November whether to fund an extension of the trail to downtown Sarasota and upgrade an off-road trail in North Port. It's a good start.

The city of Venice also has a 10-mile-long biking-hiking trail on both sides of the Intracoastal Waterway. Venice has also undertaken a strong effort in recent years to mark bike lanes on the island, increasingly setting itself aside as a Bicycle-Friendly Community.

Punta Gorda has traveled in the bike-friendly direction, too, with a bike-loaner program and other initiatives. Unfortunately, as a story by Sun staffer Rusty Pray noted, an effort by Team Punta Gorda and city

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## Dear, Gov. Scott

(Excerpted from a letter to Gov. Rick Scott)

My name is Molly and I live in Pine Level (Arcadia address). I also own land in Royal Park Estates, SW DeSoto County. My son owns five acres in the Hidden Acres neighborhood, located just south of (U.S. Highway) 72, west of the Horse Creek bridge off Gator Trail in SW DeSoto County.

There are many homes in the three neighborhoods I just described. On the east side of Horse Creek there are

also many homes and many unnamed tributaries, waterways and deep ditches all leading to the Horse Creek.

Some of these homeowners/residents don't even know about the proposed phosphate mining operations. And some are afraid to speak out for fear of retaliation. (It has already happened).

I've seen what phosphate mining has done to Polk, Hillsborough, Hardee and Manatee counties. If Mosaic gets the agricultural lands in DeSoto county changed to mining

extraction, all will be ruined in these low-lying neighborhoods.

We will all attend the DeSoto (County) BOCC/Mosaic meeting in June and late July to share our knowledge and ask them to vote “No” for the land use change. Right now the lands are used for food and cattle, so if the land use is changed, all is lost on 18,000-plus acres in DeSoto County.

Molly Bowen  
Arcadia

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## GRITS &amp; PIECES

## Considering the fine print in marriage vows, piece of cake

With all the recent hoopla over the royal wedding across the pond, plus the approaching month of June that likely sees more wedding cakes than the rest of the year combined, I figured it's only right that I toss out some thoughts about that proverbial trip up the aisle where lovestruck couples tie the noose.

Er, I mean, the knot!

Particularly, I'd like to talk about the vows. You know, the oral contract uttered by the bride and groom, usually in short sentences and repeated after verbal prompts by clergy or other legitimate officials. Those gathered hear it once, and then it's gone with the wind, unless the bride keeps a copy for the wedding album. Or to hold her husband accountable.

Vows are a lot like contracts, wherein people are openly agreeing to whatever the ceremony calls for. Until death do they part, it often says. Contracts have fine print, as we all know. What



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about marriage vows? Is there fine print that whomever conducts the ceremony quietly utters under his or her breath that may or may not resurface after the honeymoon has worn off and “Yes, dear” has disappeared from conversational sweet nothings?

That's got me wondering what ought to be agreed on before utterance has been given to “I do” and that S.W.A.K. (sealed with a kiss) moment seals the deal.

Let's consider some fine print that we may wish we'd thought of long before the first lovers' spat, second house

mortgage, and third screaming baby.

You know, the old “if you'll do this, I'll do that,” and the “if you promise not to do this, I won't have to play the mother in-law card I'm holding kind of thing. As the Eagles sing, “Every form of refuge has its price.” So, here we go.

Him: I promise not to crack my knuckles in church and will use the dirty clothes hamper.

Her: I promise to cook you great meals, if you'll wash the dishes. And take out the trash.

Him: I promise to let you use the TV remote ... when I'm not home. But don't forget where you found it.

Her: I promise to tell my parents how handy you are around the house, even if I have to call the repair man. Every time.

Him: I promise not to complain about you hanging your “underthings” all over the bathroom—as long as it's

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## LETTER SUBMISSION POLICY

Letters are welcome on virtually any subject, but we do have some rules. Please keep them to less than 250 words. Letters must be received no later than noon on Tuesday. Letters will be edited to length as well as grammar and spelling. All letters must be signed with full name - not initials. An address and telephone number must be included; they are not for publication, but must be provided so we may verify authorship if necessary. Due to the number of letters received, we reserve the right to run only one letter per person per month. The Letters to the Editor section is intended as a public forum for community discourse and the opinions and statements made in letters are solely those of the individual writers. *The Arcadian* takes no responsibility for the content of these letters. Please send or bring correspondence to the *Arcadian*, 108 S. Polk Ave., Arcadia FL 34266, or fax to 863-494-3533. Readers with access to the internet may e-mail Letters to the Editor to cgarrett@sun-herald.com or arcadian.editor@gmail.com.



# DeSoto High Senior Awards, Class of 2018



Students who received the DeSoto Scholars Award.



Brianna Mansfield and Makayla Price are all smiles.



Bulldog Bank Awards.



This group can't wait for the ceremony to begin: LaTrasia Mosley, Yazasha Wesley, Tyler Vest and Chicago Gainer.

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# Arcadia's COMMUNITY CALENDAR

NOTE: All phone numbers are in Area Code 863 unless stated otherwise. To add, remove or change any listing in the Community Calendar, email arcadian.editor@gmail.com or call 494-0300. Listings are free for nonprofit and noncommercial organizations.

## ■ TODAY

- DeSoto County Historical Society Research Library is open in the Ingraham Seed House, 120 W. Whidden Street: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursdays (except for the second Thursday of the month), and second and fourth Saturdays, and by appointment.
- The John Morgan Ingraham House museum, 120 W. Whidden St., is open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursdays, except the second Thursday, and second and fourth Saturdays.
- Free blood pressure screenings administered by DeSoto Memorial Home Health at the Friendship Center, 219 W. Oak St., every second and fourth Thursday from 10:30-11:30 a.m.
- The All Faiths Food Bank distributes free food 9 a.m. to noon every Thursday at Trinity United Methodist Church, 304 W. Oak St.
- Mt. Zion AME Church holds its Spring Bazaar and Health Fair April 14, 8 a.m.-2 p.m., 256 S. Orange Ave. Spaces are available for \$10. Free refreshments. 863-244-1783
- The DeSoto Public Library hosts Adult Coloring sessions every Thursday at 1 p.m. Bring your own work or see what the library has for you to color.
- Kiwanis meets at 6 p.m. Thursday at Beef O'Brady's.
- The only Narcotics Anonymous now meets Tuesday and Thursday from 7 p.m.-8 p.m. at St. Edmund's Church in Arcadia. For information, call Curtis at 244-2884.
- Friendship Center, 219 W. Oak St., daily coffee and conversation 9-10 a.m. Crafts or games in the Activity Room from 10-11 a.m. Lunch available with a 48-hr. advance notice; call 494-5965.
- The All Faiths Food Bank distributes free food 6-10 a.m. Monday through Friday at the Center for the Needy, 161 S. Orange St.
- DeSoto County Library story time is at 3 p.m. at 125 N. Hillsborough Ave., Arcadia. Call 993-4851 for more information.
- Faith Mission provides free lunches for anyone in need, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. 1109 S.E. 9th St., Arcadia. Donations gratefully accepted.
- Alcoholics Anonymous Second Tradition meets at 7 p.m. at St. Edmund's Episcopal Church, 327 W. Hickory St.
- Prescription Assistance is available at the DeSoto County Health Department Clinic Location: 1031 E. Oak St., Arcadia. Call to make an appointment or for more information, call 491-7580 ext. 256.

## ■ FRIDAY

- The AA G.I.R.L.S. Anniversary Night is at 6 p.m. on the fourth Friday of the month at St. Edmund's Episcopal Church, 327 W. Oak St.
- City Takers for Christ will be giving away free meals on the last Friday of every month, starting at 12:30 p.m. until everything has been distributed, at 607 S. Orange Ave.
- Senior Friendship Centers -- 494-5965. Daily coffee and conversation 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Low-Impact Exercises 9:30-10 a.m., Bingo 10-11 a.m. 50 cents to play two cards - additional cards 25 cents. Win Prizes. Lunch served at 11:30 a.m. Donations appreciated but no one is turned away. Not interested in scheduled activities? We have a large assortment of games, puzzles, cards, crafts, books, movies, discussion groups and guest speakers.
- The All Faiths Food Bank distributes free food

6-10 a.m. Monday through Friday at the Center for the Needy, 161 S. Orange St.

- Arcadia Quilt Club meets from 9-11:30 a.m. Fridays at the Palace Dance Hall, 1627 N.E. Floridian Circle, Arcadia.
- The DeSoto Public Library shows a free movie for seniors every Friday at 1 p.m.
- Friendship Center, 219 W. Oak St. daily coffee and conversation 9-10 a.m. Low impact exercises from 9:30-10 a.m. On your own in the activity room from 10-11 a.m. Lunch available with a 48-hour advance notice. Call 494-5965.
- iPads and eBooks - Instruction and assistance with questions about using your digital devices at 3 p.m. every Friday at the DeSoto Public Library.
- Walk & Talk: gentle exercise and conversation at 8 a.m. every Friday at the DeSoto Public Library.
- Alcoholics Anonymous Hispanic meets at 7 p.m. at 426 N. Brevard Ave., next to El Charro Rest.
- Alcoholics Anonymous Second Tradition meets at 8 p.m. at Grace Lutheran Church, 900 W. Oak St.
- Alcoholics Anonymous Arcadia/Nocatee Group meets at 7 p.m. at Nocatee Methodist Church, 4502 S.W. Welles Ave.
- Square Dancing classes are held at the Palace Square Dance Hall, 1627 N.E. Floridian Circle, from 7-9 p.m. every Friday. Robert at 813-601-1834 or Mary at 941-380-5336 494-2749 for information.
- Faith Mission provides free lunches for anyone in need, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. 1109 S.E. 9th St., Arcadia. Donations gratefully accepted.

## ■ SATURDAY

- The Antique Fair takes place in downtown Arcadia on the fourth Saturday of every month starting at 8 a.m. Dozens of dealers line the sidewalks on and around West Oak St. For information, visit [www.ArcadiaFLantiques.com](http://www.ArcadiaFLantiques.com); to inquire about booth space, call 993-5105.
- The John Morgan Ingraham House museum, 120 W. Whidden St., is open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the fourth Saturday of the month.
- The NAACP meets at 6 p.m. every fourth Saturday of the month at Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church, 319 S. Lee Ave.
- DeSoto County Library children's movies are offered at 10:30 a.m. at 125 N. Hillsborough Ave. every Saturday. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Call 993-4851 for more information.

## ■ SUNDAY

- Community Resource Center at the Friendship Center, 219 W. Oak St, open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Information available on local, out-of-town, and state agencies and programs serving the needs of DeSoto County residents. Stop by and check out the large array of brochures for residents of all age groups.
- Alcoholics Anonymous Serenity Group meets at Grace Lutheran Church, 900 W. Oak St. (State Road 70) at 8 p.m. Sunday.
- Hispanic Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. Sunday at 426 Brevard Ave. next to El Charro Restaurant.

## ■ MONDAY

- South Florida State College - DeSoto Campus will be closed Monday, May 28, in observance of Memorial Day.
- State, federal and local offices are closed today in observance of Memorial Day.

## ■ TUESDAY

- Tuesday Night Quilters meet twice monthly at the Turner Civic/Ag Center from 5:30-7 p.m. For more info call 494-4652.
- The DeSoto Public Library hosts Legos for children every Tuesday at 3 p.m.
- The Peace River Woodcarvers meet at 8 a.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church in Arcadia. For information, call Dale Weese at 941-740-4790.
- The only Narcotics Anonymous now meets Tuesday and Thursday from 7 p.m.-8 p.m. at St. Edmund's Church in Arcadia. For information, call Curtis at 244-2884.
- The All Faiths Food Bank distributes free food

6-10 a.m. Monday through Friday at the Center for the Needy, 161 S. Orange St.

- The Faith Mission holds a conversational English class from 10 a.m.-11 a.m. A coloring club is available for kids during the class.
- Rotary Club of Arcadia meets at noon every Tuesday in the McSwain Room at DeSoto Memorial Hospital.
- The All Faiths Food Bank distributes free food 9 a.m. to noon every Tuesday at Trinity United Methodist Church, 304 W. Oak St.
- Freedom Fellowship Christian Ministries Support Group meets at 7 p.m. Tuesday at 1528 N.E. Turner Ave.
- Friendship Center, 219 W. Oak St., daily coffee and conversation 9-10 a.m. Group games 10-11 a.m. Lunch available with a 48-hr. advance notice; call 494-5965.
- Every Tuesday night, line dance class at the Palace Dance Hall (17N). Beginners welcome. \$3 donation. For more info, call Jennie Martin at 494-2749.
- Weight Watchers meets every Tuesday at 6 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church, 1509 E. Oak St. For details visit [www.weightwatchers.com](http://www.weightwatchers.com) and "find a meeting" or call 800-651-6000.
- DeSoto County Library holds Lego time at 3 p.m. Tuesdays at 125 N. Hillsborough Ave., Arcadia. Call 993-4851 for more information.
- Alcoholics Anonymous Second Tradition meets at 8 p.m. at St. Edmund's Episcopal Church, 327 W. Hickory St.
- AA Hispanic Group meets at 8 pm. at La Clinica, 1901 10th Ave.
- Prescription Assistance is at the DeSoto County Health Department Clinic Location: 1031 E. Oak St., Arcadia. Call to make an appointment or for more information, call 491-7580 ext. 256.
- Suncoast Community Blood Bank is open from noon to 6 p.m. today at 710 N. Brevard Ave. (U.S. 17 North), Arcadia. For more information, call 993-9366.

## ■ WEDNESDAY

- The AA Serenity Group Anniversary Night is held at 8 p.m. on the last Wednesday of the month at Grace Lutheran Church, 1004 W. Oak St.
- The All Faiths Food Bank distributes free food 6-10 a.m. Monday through Friday at the Center for the Needy, 161 S. Orange St.
- The All Faiths Food Bank distributes free meals every Wednesday 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church, 304 W. Oak St.
- Friendship Center, 219 W. Oak St. Low impact exercises from 9:30-10 a.m. Let's Talk Food - share recipes, coupons, tips, research, dietary from 10-11 a.m. Lunch available with a 48-hr. advance notice; call 494-5965.
- Hour of Power Prayer time is held at noon at Freedom Fellowship Christian Ministries, 1528 N.E. Turner Ave.
- AA "Brown Bagger" meetings are offered every Wednesday at noon at Trinity United Methodist Church, 304 W. Oak St.
- Alcoholics Anonymous Serenity meets at 8 p.m. at Grace Lutheran Church, 900 W. Oak St. (State Road 70).
- "Art for Kids" is at 3 p.m. every Wednesday in the DeSoto County Library's children's wing. This free program, sponsored by the DeSoto County Arts and Humanities Council, is for elementary school-aged children.
- Prescription Assistance is available at the DeSoto County Health Department Clinic Location: 1031 E. Oak St., Arcadia. Call to make an appointment or for more information, call 491-7580 ext. 256.

## ■ THURSDAY

- AA Second Tradition Anniversary Night is the last Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. at St. Edmund's Episcopal Church, 327 W. Hickory St.
- DeSoto County Historical Society Research Library is open in the Ingraham Seed House, 120 W. Whidden Street: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursdays (except for the second Thursday of the month), and second and fourth Saturdays, and by appointment.
- The John Morgan Ingraham House museum, 120 W. Whidden St., is open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on

Thursdays, except the second Thursday, and second and fourth Saturdays.

- The All Faiths Food Bank distributes free food 9 a.m. to noon every Thursday at Trinity United Methodist Church, 304 W. Oak St.
- Mt. Zion AME Church holds its Spring Bazaar and Health Fair April 14, 8 a.m.-2 p.m., 256 S. Orange Ave. Spaces are available for \$10. Free refreshments. 863-244-1783
- The DeSoto Public Library hosts Adult Coloring sessions every Thursday at 1 p.m. Bring your own work or see what the library has for you to color.
- Kiwanis meets at 6 p.m. Thursday at Beef O'Brady's.
- The only Narcotics Anonymous now meets Tuesday and Thursday from 7 p.m.-8 p.m. at St. Edmund's Church in Arcadia. For information, call Curtis at 244-2884.
- Friendship Center, 219 W. Oak St., daily coffee and conversation 9-10 a.m. Crafts or games in the Activity Room from 10-11 a.m. Lunch available with a 48-hr. advance notice; call 494-5965.
- The All Faiths Food Bank distributes free food 6-10 a.m. Monday through Friday at the Center for the Needy, 161 S. Orange St.
- DeSoto County Library story time is at 3 p.m. at 125 N. Hillsborough Ave., Arcadia. Call 993-4851 for more information.
- Faith Mission provides free lunches for anyone in need, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. 1109 S.E. 9th St., Arcadia. Donations gratefully accepted.
- Alcoholics Anonymous Second Tradition meets at 7 p.m. at St. Edmund's Episcopal Church, 327 W. Hickory St.
- Prescription Assistance is available at the DeSoto County Health Department Clinic Location: 1031 E. Oak St., Arcadia. Call to make an appointment or for more information, call 491-7580 ext. 256.

## ■ COMING EVENTS

- That '70s (Round-up) Reunion is scheduled for Oct. 5-6. A Tailgate Party takes place from 5 p.m. to midnight on Friday, Oct. 5, and the reunion dinner will be held from 5 p.m. to midnight on Sat., Oct. 6, both at the Turner Agri-Civic Center. Cost is \$35/ single or \$70/couple on or before sept. 14; or \$45/\$90 Sept. 15 or after. Checks payable to: Class of '78, PO Box 443, Arcadia FL 34265.

## ■ SERVICE CLUBS

- Rotary Club of Arcadia meets at noon every Tuesday in the McSwain Room at DeSoto Memorial Hospital.
- Kiwanis meets at 6 p.m. Thursday at Beef O'Brady's.
- DeSoto Toastmasters meets the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at noon to 1 p.m. at First State Bank of Arcadia, 400 N. Brevard Ave. For information, call Victoria Provau, 494-2220 or email [vprovau@fsbarcacia.com](mailto:vprovau@fsbarcacia.com).
- The Knights of Columbus is a Catholic, male social organization that provides its membership an excellent opportunity to further serve the Church and community through support of family life. It also offers many opportunities for fraternal and family-oriented social activities. St. Paul's Knights of Columbus meets every first Wednesday of the month, at 7:30 p.m., at the parish hall. For additional information, call John McVey at 494-6634 or Agustin Albitar at 491-4081.

## ■ COMMUNITY SERVICE

- The DeSoto County Literacy Council is looking for volunteers for Adult Literacy and ESL (English as a Second Language), and GED tutors, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m.-2:30 p.m., and 5-8 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday. Call 993-1333.
- Volunteers are needed to help children in the community! If you enjoy working with kids, can commit to a volunteer schedule (1-2 hrs/wk between 2:30-4:30 p.m.), can work with different school subjects and can be a positive role model for children, then call Laura Rodriguez at 494-1068 or email [laurarodriguez@embarqmail.com](mailto:laurarodriguez@embarqmail.com). You must pass a background check and must complete a volunteer orientation.

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# Sheriff: Probation officer arrested on child porn charges

Ruben Martinez, 53, of Arcadia, was arrested Friday on six charges of possessing child pornography.



MARTINEZ

According to the Probable Cause Affidavit by the DeSoto County Sheriff's Office, DCSO was alerted by a Hardee County Sheriff's Deputy that files which were believed to depict child pornography had been tracked to a computer in DeSoto County. The Hardee detective is a member of the Central Florida Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force and discovered the photos and videos in question as part of the task force's investigation.

According to the PCA, several of the files were traced to one IP address in DeSoto. DCSO secured a subpoena for Rapid Systems, a local Internet Service Provider, to identify the location of the IP address. Rapid Systems reported the IP address came from an office in the 100 block of N. Hillsborough Avenue, which is the location of both the DeSoto County Probation Office and the DeSoto County Fire Administration Building.

DCSO secured a search warrant for the probation and fire offices in question and it was executed on Friday. All staff members were directed outside and the sheriff's Forensic Technician examined the computers there. The PCA states that each probation officer had his own office computer that only he used, although they were not password-protected.

On the computer used by Probation Officer Ruben Martinez, the technician found the same file sharing software that the ICAC Task Force determined had been used to download the files in DeSoto County. The technician also determined the downloaded files had, in turn, been downloaded to a USB device.

Two DCSO detectives went to Martinez's residence; he was not home, but they were able to reach him by phone, and he agreed to return to the house. When he arrived, they read him his Miranda rights, then questioned him about using the downloading software. Martinez reportedly admitted using the download software to download adult pornography, "but it got boring." He said he would download the files at work, copy them, and bring them home where he would watch them, then destroy the files.

The detectives questioned that claim because people who collect child pornography typically do not destroy the files. Martinez again denied having kept copies.

Martinez was arrested and brought to the DeSoto County Jail, and DCSO secured a search warrant for the residence. When Martinez learned about the search warrant, he allegedly told a detective he had, in fact, downloaded the files to an external hard drive at his house. He reportedly said he had been downloading and saving pornography "for years," including both adult and child porn.

DCSO obtained computers, hard drives and other computer equipment from Martinez's residence. The PCA lists six specific videos depicting both boys and girls (some appearing as young as age 4 or 5) engaged in sexual acts.

Martinez was arrested on six charges of possession of photography depicting sexual performances by a child. His bond was set at \$150,000. Arraignment is scheduled for June 11.

## Busby sentenced to prison for crossbow shooting incident



BUSBY

Joshua Clinton Busby, 33, was sentenced on May 2 to five years, four months and two days in state prison on a charge of aggravated battery with a firearm with great bodily harm. Busby pleaded no contest and was adjudicated guilty.

## POLICE BEAT

The information for Police Beat is gathered from police, sheriff's office, Florida Highway Patrol, jail and fire records. Not every arrest leads to a conviction and guilt or innocence is determined by the court system.

The DeSoto County Sheriff's Office reported the arrest of Joshua Clinton Busby, 33, on a charge of attempted second degree murder. The incident leading to the arrest was initially reported by both Busby and the victim as a freak accident, until a concerned citizen informed DCSO Busby had shot the victim intentionally.

According to the arrest report, on July 11, 2017, the victim was struck by an arrow from a crossbow at Pat's Motorcycle Shop, in the 4500 block of N.W. State Road 70. Initially both Busby and the victim said it had been a freak accident, that the crossbow – which was at the top of the stairs, leaning against a wall and propped on a can – had just fallen on its own, forcing an arrow into the victim's back.

But as the story unfolded, DCSO learned that Busby and the victim had a disagreement earlier about a motorcycle that was missing from the shop. When the victim said he didn't know anything about it, Busby reportedly called him a "liar," picked up a crossbow and threatened to "shoot him in the head."

The victim said, "Do what you're gonna do."

Busby then pulled the trigger on the crossbow and shot an arrow over the victim's head into the wall. As Busby reloaded, he again said the victim was a liar, according to the arrest report. The victim turned his back to Busby, and then said he felt something in his lower back. He realized he had been shot with an arrow.

Busby reportedly continued to press the victim about the missing motorcycle, and the victim said he didn't know what to say because he was afraid of being shot again. Eventually, the shop owner said something to Busby who finally realized the victim was not involved with the missing bike, so he called someone to take the victim to the hospital.

Busby then apologized to the victim and told him to say the injury had been an accident, and the victim agreed. The incident was initially reported by DeSoto Memorial Hospital to DCSO, and the victim told a deputy it had been an accident.

The victim was taken to Blake Medical Center in Bradenton for treatment, and when a deputy spoke to him on the phone there, he again insisted the incident had been an accident and he did not want to press charges.

A week later, a concerned citizen reportedly told DCSO what had really happened, and the sheriff's office concluded a crime had been committed. Once confronted with the facts, the victim ultimately confirmed that Busby had shot him and it was not accidental.

Busby was arrested on July 20, 2017 and was held in the DeSoto County jail on \$200,000 bond.

Charges of attempted second degree murder and attempted second degree murder with a firearm were dropped by the prosecutor.

DOC reports his projected release date is Nov. 17, 2022.

## Galindo sentenced to prison on drug charges

Jose Filipe Galindo Jr., was sentenced for up to two years in state prison on multiple charges, including possession of a controlled substance without a prescription, possession of marijuana with intent to sell, carrying a concealed weapon or electronic weapon, possession of less than 20 grams of marijuana and possession or use of drug paraphernalia.

According to records from the DeSoto County Sheriff's Office, Clerk of Court, and Department of Corrections, in July 2017, DCSO deputies were preparing to serve a search warrant at Pat's Motorcycle Shop on State Road 70 West in Arcadia, when they saw a blue Chevy pickup pull into the property. The driver (later identified as Galindo) appeared to be moving things around in the vehicle, then left it and went into the building.

When deputies executed the search warrant, they saw Galindo and another man repairing motorcycles, and placed both in handcuffs. Galindo had a large knife and brass knuckles on him. When his truck was searched, deputies found several small baggies of marijuana totaling 19 grams, packaged as if to sell, along with five glass pipes with cocaine residue, and a container with five grams of methamphetamine and one gram of cocaine.

Galindo entered a plea of no contest and was found guilty without trial. He was transferred to DOC on May 16. His projected release date is July 18, 2019.

At the same time, Galindo was also sentenced to time served on several other 2017 charges including assault on an officer, resisting or obstructing an officer and disturbing the peace.

## Martinez sentenced to 9 years in prison for sexual battery

Alexandro Martinez, 21, was sentenced on April 26 to nine years in state prison, followed by three years of probation, for sexual assault and battery.

The Arcadia Police Department reported the arrest on Sept. 23, 2017. According to the arrest report, police were called to an address on North Orange Avenue where a woman told them a female friend had been sexually assaulted by an unknown man. The victim said she had been in the bathroom when a man (later identified as Martinez) entered. He would not leave despite her repeated request to do so; he kept saying it would be OK.

When she tried to leave the bathroom, he allegedly blocked the door and picked her up by her thighs. He refused to put her down despite repeated requests, again saying it would be OK. He allegedly carried her into a closet, began to kiss her, and then touched her in a private area. She kept telling him to stop but he continued, until someone else opened the bathroom door and the

victim walked away.

When police brought Martinez in for an interview, he told an officer he had contacted the victim three times at the party, and she said no every time. He reportedly admitted he had grabbed her and lifted her off the ground, that he carried her to the closet, and that he kissed her and touched her in a private area.

Martinez, of S.W. Pensacola Ave. in Nocatee, was arrested on a charge of sexual battery and was held in the DeSoto County Jail on a \$100,000 bond.

He was transferred to the Department of Corrections on May 16. His projected release date is Sept. 20, 2026. Thereafter, he will be on probation for an additional three years.

## Recall sentenced to prison for seven-plus years on drug charges


Thomas Lequan Recall, 27, of Arcadia, was sentenced to serve seven years and six months in state prison for the sale of methamphetamine within 1,000 feet of a house of worship or school and possession of a controlled substance, along with two years for possession of less than 20 grams of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.

According to records from the DeSoto County Sheriff's Office, Clerk of Courts and Department of Corrections, Recall was observed in 2015 and 2016 selling methamphetamine 400 feet from the Faith Community Worship Center and Christian Academy, and in another instance, on the property of the Apostolic Church of Jesus Christ. He was also arrested on charges of possession of methamphetamine on American Legion Drive.

In all three cases he pleaded no contest and was adjudicated guilty. The sales of meth on or near church or school property were given seven-year sentences, with two years and six months for other charges. He was transferred to DOC on May 16 and his calculated release date is Oct. 12, 2023.

DOC records indicate he was previously incarcerated in 2009 for two years on burglary and grand theft charges, for almost two years in 2012 for drug possession and sale and burglary, and a one-year sentence in 2014 for possession of a weapon or ammunition by a convicted felon.

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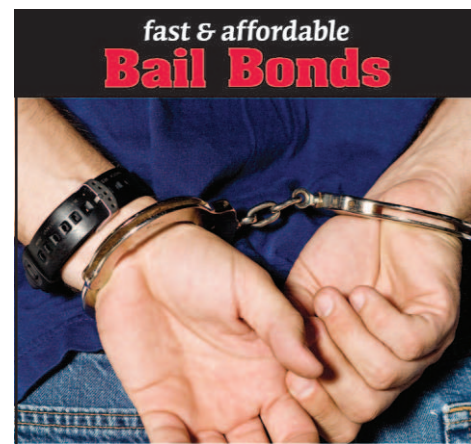
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# Family Album

## FAMILY ALBUM PHOTOS

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### Thursday Coffee With the Mayor



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Thursday coffees with Mayor Judy Wertz Strickland was at the Main Street office on Polk. Visitors learned about city finances, projects and other details about Arcadia's daily operations. The mayor at the May 17 morning gathering awarded her Golden Gem Award to Darlene Perry, a morning drive-through worker at the Arcadia McDonald's franchise, and the Golden Hammer Award to William Martin (pictured), the owner of Home Builders Construction in Arcadia. Mr. Martin is credited with the rehabilitation of city homes, his firm's attention to quality and detail, to mentoring young workers. Ms. Perry is recognized for her good nature and brightening of spirits for those passing through her lane.

### All-Florida Cowboy Art Championship



ARCADIAN PHOTO BY SUSAN E. HOFFMAN

On Thursday, the DeSoto Arts and Humanities Council presented the first place winning painting from its inaugural All-Florida Cowboy Art Championship to the Arcadia Rodeo Association, for display in its planned Florida Cowboy Museum. DAHC purchased the painting "Rodeo Rider" from artist Johan Bjurman as part of its Art in Public Places program. Shown in the photo, from left, are Bjurman (wearing the belt buckle he won as part of his prize), Linda Brodowsky, who chairs DAHC's Art in Public Places program, DAHC President Mac Martin, Arcadia Rodeo Association president Judge Don Hall, and DAHC member Casey Williams. The Art Council sponsored the show to celebrate the opening of the new Arcadia rodeo arena, and the competition drew some of Florida's most notable cowboy artists. DAHC plans to hold the event again next year.



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## DeSoto County Education Foundation grant

Fourteen Florida programs have been awarded a one-year, \$5,000 grant for the implementation of a health literacy program to benefit their Adult Education, ESOL and family literacy students. Included in the awards is the DeSoto County Education Foundation. These mini-grants, awarded by the Florida Blue Foundation and the Florida Literacy Coalition, will

integrate health and nutrition information into the programs' curriculum. The focus is to help students acquire the knowledge; literacy skills; and resources required to navigate the health care system and make informed health decisions. More than 16,000 students from programs throughout Florida have benefited from this Initiative since 2009.

### DeSoto County Foster Parents of the Year

The Sarasota YMCA on May 12 presented its Safe Children Coalition Foster Parent Appreciation Dinner at The Francis. DeSoto County Foster Parents of the Year are Jeff and Crystal Marquez. Currently, there are approximately 1,600 children being served in Sarasota, Manatee and DeSoto counties through the Safe Children Coalition program, which

provides safe and nurturing foster homes. When children are removed from a home, the primary reasons are parent substance abuse or domestic violence. Approximately 65 children enter foster care every month; when a child is removed from their home, foster parents provide temporary care while the parent or parents receive help. 866-661-5656



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Jeff and Crystal Marquez

### Celebrating National Police Week



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Arcadia police were thanked for their ongoing work to keep us safe with a pizza luncheon at public safety offices. Treats honoring National Police Week (May 13-19) were courtesy of the local Papa John's franchise and Elizabeth Missionary Baptist Church in Arcadia. Pictured are Papa John's franchise co-owner Joshua Castilleja (left), Pastor Jerry Alexander, police records officer Sonia Carrillo, police administrative assistant Karen Boatright and city Marshal Matthew Anderson.



# VOLUNTEER

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**Mia:** "Most people are extremely excited and grateful. Some are a bit embarrassed, but thankful, and a few are skeptical and think that I'm expecting something in return."

**Question:** What is DeSoto County's biggest need, as far as those needing help?

**Mia:** "I think personal hygiene items, and cleaning supplies are needed the most. These items are costly and when someone is on a limited budget they have to choose to pay rent or buy toilet paper or other hygiene items. I can't imagine having to choose between electricity or soap."

**Question:** What's the obstacle to succeeding in school?

**Mia:** "I think the key is having a stable home, supportive parents and having basic needs met. Without these things, it would be impossible to juggle school work, clubs and sports."

**Question:** What do sports teach players/participants?

**Mia:** "Sports teach me discipline, leadership and teamwork. Win or lose, as long as you give it 100 percent, that is all that matters."

**Question:** In a perfect world, what would Mia's look like?

**Mia:** "#kindnessiscontagious in a perfect world, we would all look beyond the color of skin, past what someone is wearing, or where they are from. I know if we could all do just one act of kindness a day, we could make a huge difference. I strongly believe kindness is contagious."



Mia Butler with a homeless man in Arcadia.



Plated meals at the home of an Arcadian.



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Mia Butler recently donated meals to needy Arcadians. The food was given by the family of an important community member.



# DeSoto Church Directory

... And Make Your Choice from our Church Directory

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>See Your Church in this spot</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Call Tami at <b>494-5201</b> for more details.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>North Hillsborough Baptist Church</b> (253 N. Hillsborough Ave.)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Pastor Ellis Cross <b>863-494-3455</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Worship 11:00 AM Evening Worship 6:00pm Wednesday 6:30pm Thursday Youth Group 6pm</p>	<p style="color: red;"><b>Vacation Bible School</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>June 18 - 23</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>6 PM - 8:30 PM</b></p>  <p style="color: white; font-size: small;">Answers VBS</p> <p style="color: white; font-size: small;">Discovering Jesus from Eternity Past to Eternity Future</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">First Church of the Nazarene <i>A LIGHTHOUSE IN OUR COMMUNITY FOR 85 YEARS</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">132 W Gibson Street Arcadia FL 34266 863-491-1422 Rev. Steve Johnson</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday Worship 10:45 am Sunday School 9:30 am</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>The VOICE of God will never contradict the WORD of God</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Grace Lutheran Church, LCMS</b> 1004 W. Oak Street Rev. Anthony Arias Pastor</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Adult Sunday School 11:00 AM Sunday Worship 11:00 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>All Welcome!</i></p>
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# Cycle scene, bicycling in DeSoto County, linking two gems

By KAREN SMOKE

ARCADIAN BICYCLING CORRESPONDENT

A great bicycle ride that will take you along lightly traveled two-lane roads links two—actually three—DeSoto County parks.

Begin at Morgan Park on the west side of town. (Large groups may want to park vehicles at Veterans Memorial Park.) Within the park you'll find a paved path that runs to the north end of the park where you can view the Peace River, as well as unpaved paths. Exit the park to the south and turn right and go west over the old Peace River bridge, into Veterans Park. Ride the paved road to the boat ramp where a broad sidewalk curves up and across the SR70 overflow bridge.

Continue along the old roadway to the intersection of 661. Turn right and head north. You may wish to turn right on Oak Hill Road, which is less heavily travelled. It will cut off about a mile to Brownville Street—if you do, you can regain the mile by turning left on Murphy Road shortly before Brownville Street, and then right on 661 and left on Brownville. Horse farms, an orchid nursery and orange groves flank the winding road. Brownville Street has some mild grade changes that will give you a chance to shift gears. Cross the two bridges and turn right into the park. The park offers tent and RV camping for a fee. There is an unpaved nature trail, but bicycles are not allowed. The park is popular with day visitors for canoeing and fossil hunting, and parking space is



ARCADIAN PHOTOS BY KAREN SMOKE

**Brownville Park offers tent and RV camping for a fee. There is an unpaved nature trail, but bicycles are not allowed. The park is popular with day visitors for canoeing and fossil hunting, and parking space is limited.**

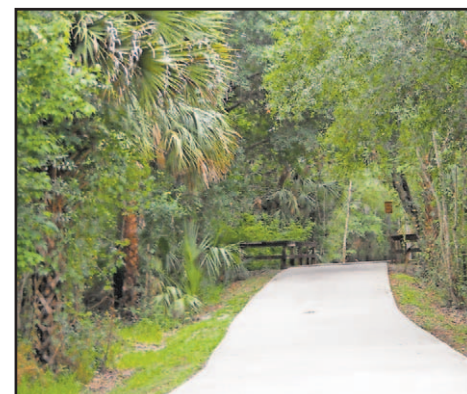
limited.

Leave the park and turn right on Brownville Street. There is a bike lane on US17 that will take you back to town, or for a more scenic route and less traffic, turn right on Cubitis Avenue (Old 17), but the ride is unpleasant on the rough road surface. Turn right on Bishop Street and then turn left and head south on newly resurfaced Masters Avenue. At the stop sign turn right on Livingston and follow to where it loops around and becomes Johnson Avenue. At the Oak Ridge Cemetery turn left on Levines Avenue and then right on Lee Avenue. Turn right on Gibson Street and then left on N. Smith Avenue and right on Hickory Street to return to Morgan Park.

The ride is about 18 miles and easily done in two hours, with a rest stop at Brownville Park. Campers at Brownville Park may wish to reverse the route. Or stop in town to pick up your lunch and enjoy it in one of the parks. Always carry water when you cycle, water and restrooms are available at the parks. Peace River Campground is at the intersection of SR70 and CR661, and there are several RV parks along Cubitis Avenue, making it a popular ride with our snowbird residents.

And it's going to get even better—improvements are planned for the old Peace River Bridge trail, and CR661 will be resurfaced.

Safe travels.



**Morgan Park has a wide paved path that runs about three-quarters of a mile to the north end of the park where you can view the Peace River, as well as unpaved paths. Exit the park and turn right and go west over the old Peace River bridge, into Veteran's Park. Ride the paved road to the boat ramp, where a broad sidewalk curves up and across the SR70 overflow bridge and continues along the old roadway to the intersection of 661.**



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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE CITY OF ARCADIA, FLORIDA, CITY COUNCIL WILL HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON TUESDAY, JUNE 5, 2018, AT 6:00 PM IN THE MARGARET WAY BUILDING IN THE ARCADIA CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 23 NORTH POLK AVENUE, ARCADIA, FLORIDA TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:

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## ARRESTS

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### Hanelt sentenced for trying to smuggle heroin in DCI

Jessica Marie Hanelt, 30, of Fort Lauderdale, was sentenced to three years in state prison for trafficking in heroin and attempting to introduce contraband in a state prison.



HANELT

According to records from the DeSoto County Sheriff's Office, Clerk of Court and Department of Corrections, on Oct. 22, 2017, Hanelt tried to smuggle more than 50 grams of heroin into the DeSoto Correctional Institution when she went to visit a prisoner.

Staff noticed her with unusual bulges in the front of her pants as well as in her buttocks area as she walked through a metal detector. She consented to a search, and an officer located a condom with two black bulges inside. DCSO was summoned to continue the investigation.

Upon questioning, she admitted she had tried to sneak something into the prison by hiding it in her rectal area, although she said she did not know what was in it. She said one day when she went to get her mail, there was a package with a note telling her to bring the enclosed items to her boyfriend who was an inmate at DCI.

The material in the package tested positive for heroin, weighing more than 56 grams (almost two ounces).

Hanelt was arrested on charges of trafficking in heroin between 28 grams and 30 kilograms) and smuggling contraband into a prison. Her bond was set at \$27,500.

She pleaded no contest and was adjudicated guilty on both charges. Swas sentenced on May 2 and transferred to DOC on Monday. Her projected release date is Oct. 20, 2020.

### Valdes sentenced for fraudulent credit card use

Osmarlyn Valdes, 21, of Miami, was sentenced to serve a year and a day in state prison after being adjudicated guilty of fraudulent use of credit cards.



VALDES

According to records from the DeSoto County Sheriff's Office, Clerk of Court and Department of Corrections, Valdes went to the Nocatee Citgo gas station in October 2015 and made three large purchases of cigarettes, totaling almost \$1,300. For ID, he offered his driver's license and green card.

Several weeks later, Citgo learned the charges had been declined by the issuing banks. The cards were from Australia and the cardholder had disputed the charges.

Although the store's video had been overwritten, the clerk confirmed that the purchaser was Valdes, having compared him with the license photo. DCSO was able to secure an arrest warrant and alerted the county where he was believed to reside.

Valdes was arrested on March 9, 2016 on charges of obtaining property under \$20,000 by fraud or swindle, grand theft between \$300 and \$5,000 and credit card larceny.

On May 2 he was sentenced to serve a year and one day in state prison on all three charges, with credit for time served. He was transferred to the Department of Corrections on May 16 and is projected to be released on July 24.

### The DeSoto County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests:

- Robyn Elaine Cook, 44, Englewood, FL. Charge: violation of probation. Bond: none.
- Jamie Hawkins, 44, 1300 block of N.E. Myrtle St., Arcadia. Charge: accessory after-the-fact in a third degree felony. Bond: \$5,000.
- Michael Ryan King, 34, Polk City, FL. Charge: violation of probation. Bond: none.
- Blake Allen Moore, 24, 2500 block of S.E. Shady Circle, Arcadia. Charges: resisting or obstructing an officer without violence, and violation of probation. Bond: none.



# FEMA wants locals to have storm plans

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Local Florida officials such as those in DeSoto County and Arcadia shouldn't rely on the federal government to be on the ground everywhere a day or days after the next natural disaster, according to the head of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, or FEMA.

FEMA Administrator Brock Long insisted his agency was stretched thin after a series of 2017 storms and wildfires, as well as the ongoing volcanic eruption in Hawaii, so local officials should have their own plans to provide water and other essential services for the first days following a disaster.

His warning comes as DeSoto and Arcadia await reimbursements for huge expenses in mopping up after Hurricane Irma last September. DeSoto, in fact, has been forced to borrow to cover expenses of more than \$1 million for Irma's destruction and the cost to clean her mess. County officials are also contending with demands to return clean-up funds dating to Hurricane Charley in 2004.

"If you don't have the ability to do things such as provide your own food and water and your own commodities to your citizens for the first 48 to 72 hours, and I'm asking you to consider pre-event management concepts, I'm questioning whether or not you're an EMAP (Emergency Management Accreditation Program) accredited emergency management agency," Long said.

With the start of the six-month hurricane season starting next week, Long said FEMA isn't "going to back away" when disasters strike. But he said local and state capabilities need to be strengthened, such as signing deals with private water bottlers and debris haulers and hardening local communications systems. He talked of a need to revamp the national flood-insurance program, saying that due to "affordability" about 80 percent of homeowners in Houston didn't have flood insurance before Hurricane Harvey hit last year, for example.

Long said he's also trying to revamp FEMA's business model, estimating the agency spent about \$300 million a day responding to disasters in 2017, with hotel bills at \$3.5 million a day for displaced residents due to hurricanes Irma, Maria and Harvey, as well as floods, tornadoes and fires. "The



bottom line is that my operational capacity internally does not grow with the number of events that we have," Long said.

The federal program requires at least 80 percent of the money go to the hardest-hit counties and ZIP codes, such as 34266 in DeSoto County. As part of the state's request, the areas listed in the application include Brevard, Broward, Collier, Duval, Lee, Miami-Dade, Monroe, Orange, Polk and Volusia counties, as well as ZIP codes 32136 in Flagler County, 32091 in Bradford County and 32068 in Clay County.

Long's comment came after Rep. Jeanette Nunez, a Miami Republican who oversaw the state House's response to Hurricane Irma, encouraged emergency managers to keep pushing for storm hardening projects. She noted many storm-related proposals failed to advance during this year's legislative session when lawmakers redirected \$400 million to respond to the February massacre at Parkland's Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School.

Lawmakers approved storm-related money for such things as farm repairs, affordable housing in Monroe County and to help students displaced from Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Still, many of the high-profile measures crafted in response to hurricanes Irma and Maria failed to win support. They included strengthening the electric grid, creating a strategic fuel-reserve task force, requiring the Division of Emergency Management to use certified sign-language interpreters during emergency broadcasts and using rail-tank cars to bring fuel into evacuation areas to avoid a repeat of runs on gas stations.

Meanwhile, Gov. Rick Scott told those attending a FEMA conference to "pray" Florida won't be impacted by hurricanes for the third consecutive year.

"It would be nice not to have, in my eighth year, any hurricanes," Scott said.

budgets to find cash reserves—a hand-held Motorola device affixed to officers in either department runs about \$4,000 a pop, she said.

Sheriff Potter was pleased with the commission's vote.

A technology upgrade, he said, "will not only aid to enhance first-responder communication with DeSoto County, but also aid to bridge radio communication during mutual-aid incidents with surrounding communities."

## SPEND

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following a product rundown by Chas Elliot with Motorola Solutions, the Sebring-based provider.

"It's a really big undertaking," she said, adding that DeSoto Sheriff James Potter and DeSoto Fire/Rescue Chief Chad Jorgensen worked their

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The DeSoto County Planning Commission (PC) and/or Board of County Commissioners (BoCC) of DeSoto County, Florida will consider the adoption of an ordinance regarding the below-described application for Official Zoning District Atlas amendment filed by Mosaic Fertilizer, LLC. The ordinance will be considered at regularly scheduled Public Hearing Meetings of the Planning Commission and the Board of County Commissioners on the dates listed and at the times listed below, or as soon thereafter, as they may be heard. All public hearings will be held in the County Commission Meeting Room 103, Administration Building, 201 E. Oak Street, Arcadia, Florida. Copies of the application and staff report will be available for inspection at the Development Department from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30p.m. Monday through Friday, Suite 204, Administration Building, 201 E. Oak Street, Arcadia, Florida five business days prior to the meeting dates and will be available on the County's website at [www.desotobocc.com](http://www.desotobocc.com) under Department News and News & announcements. Members of the public may appear and be heard on the matters to be considered. If you want to appeal any decision of the PC or BoCC, you will need a record of the proceedings and may need to arrange for a verbatim transcript to be prepared that includes testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is based. If you require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, contact the DeSoto County Development Department at (863) 993-4806 not later than five (5) business days prior to either public hearing.

The hearing before the Planning Commission will be conducted in accordance with County Code of Ordinances sections 20-1401 through 20-1403. The hearing before the Board of County Commissioner will be conducted in accordance with County Code of Ordinances sections 20-1401, 20-1402 and 20-1404.

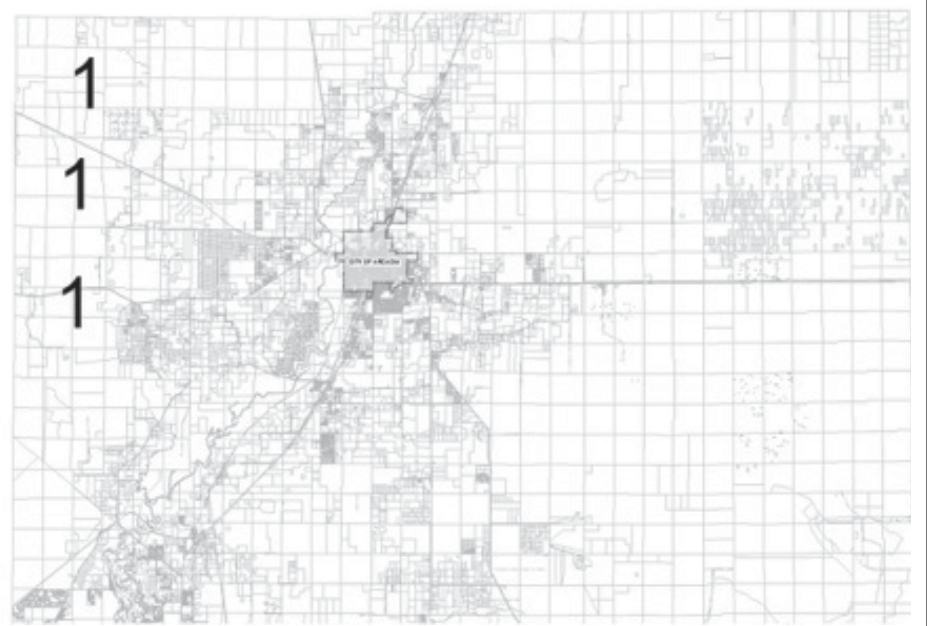
**PLANNING COMMISSION START: Tuesday, June 5, 2018 at 5:30pm – 9:30pm**

**PLANNING COMMISSION CONTINUE: Wednesday June 6, 2018 at 5:30pm – 9:30pm (if necessary)**

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS START: Tuesday, July 24, 2018 at 6:30pm- 10:30pm**

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS CONTINUE: Wednesday, July 25, 2018 at 9am – noon and 2:00pm – 7:00pm (if necessary)**

- 1. Ordinance Amending Official Zoning District Atlas (RZ 2016-05) (PC and BoCC).** An Ordinance of the DeSoto County, Florida Board of County Commissioners amending the Official Zoning District Atlas identified in Code of Ordinances Chapter 20, Land Development Regulations Article II, Zoning Districts and Requirements, Section 20-31, Establishment of Zoning Districts; granting to the Mosaic Fertilizer, LLC an Official Zoning District Atlas amendment (RZ 2016-05) changing from Agricultural 10 (A-10) to Phosphate Mining-Industrial (PM-I) the zoning district of a 14,057.50±-acre site generally located north of SW Adams Road, south of the DeSoto/Hardee County line, west of NE CO RD 661, and east of the DeSoto/Manatee County line; and providing for an effective date.



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# Memorial Day tribute: thanks to soldiers, sailors, airmen and their families

The last Monday in May is Memorial Day, time set aside to honor those who died while serving with the United States military.

While Memorial Day unofficially began following the Civil War, it includes those who served dating to the Revolutionary War, in which some 4,400 men and women died for that cause. The total number of Americans killed while serving in all branches is estimated at 1.1 million, or the combined population of modern Wyoming and Vermont.

Cemeteries in DeSoto County are dotted with markers and flags honoring our lost soldiers, sailors and airmen. And the remains of 23 Royal Air Force cadets lie in Oak Ridge Cemetery in Arcadia. Brits and Americans honor these men on Memorial Day, with a service hosted by the Rotary Club of Arcadia. The Brickell Rotary Club of Miami this year donates a new British flag in a morning ceremony that includes surviving family, former comrades and others.



The British Plot at Oak Ridge Cemetery in Arcadia.

## Memorial Day tribute:

I DIED ... at Bunker Hill. Grapeshot tore through my body near New Orleans. Crushing hooves with riders as swirls of blue and gray—and red—crashed down on me in somewhat strange sounding places like Chickamauga, Antietam and Shiloh.

The heat and swamp sucked at my last moments in the wilds of Cuba. A green fog of poisonous gas slithered over the side and into my trench, where water stood mixed with slime and blood.

I lay face down in fetid pools clogged with jungle vines, lay with cold cheek against wet beach sand and fell from gingerbread doorways into cobblestone streets.

I gasped for air but breathed only fire and oily water. I fell screaming from 14,000 feet, with shrapnel, flames and molten cockpit piercing me in a hundred places. Snow clung to my lashes, ice formed at the corners of my mouth, and a tiny wisp of vapor wafted off the crimson trickle from my ears.

I fell forward and felt the jagged pain of bamboo beneath the water tearing at my flesh. I felt the hot sands of the desert burning through my back until the sand felt strangely cold and then ... I felt ... nothing more. There was a sudden vacuum that sucked all the air away, and then a light with the brightness and heat of ten thousand suns in less than a millisecond before I dissolved.

I died, but more than that, I was killed, before I was old enough to vote. I never knew the pleasure of savoring the memories that come with later years.

I left mothers, fathers, husbands, wives, children, sweethearts, and friends to weep after me. Some of my former teachers, my small town librarian, and Coach sobbed openly when hearing the news. In learning of me, my sister ran screaming into her room. My brother wouldn't speak or eat for days.

I lay where names and landscapes and faces were all foreign to me. To this day no one knows where the earth swallowed me. The seemingly endless, rolling sea became my secret sepulchre.

I was tall and short and thin and heavy and young and older and cheerful and morose. I was a shop steward, a ditch digger, an insurance agent, a writer, an orange picker, a preacher, a ballplayer and the head of a grocery chain stretching from Baltimore to St. Louis.

I lived around the corner, down the hall, over yonder, up the street, next door, above the garage, across the tracks, up the road a fair piece, on the hill, and out of a suitcase.

I came from a family farm, newspaper, college campus, furniture factory, new car agency, and Broadway. Some folks called me Mick, or chink, bitch, coon, spic, homo, kike, and other really stupid names. Disgust you to read them? Think how it disgusted and hurt me to be called them.

The meanness of those people in their gross ignorance upset, angered and frustrated me, but I served and died that even they could have their freedom of speech.

I died that our liberty would not perish, that freedom would remain, that justice would prevail, that women and children would be safe from terror, that my

home would be protected, that an idea would be proved right, that my buddy might live, because I was ordered into harm's way, that we would push forward and that bosses back home could make more money.

Sometimes I served and died for my country, sometimes my loved ones, sometimes for my ideals, and sometimes because—well, sometimes in the horrible frightening noise and fire of battle—sometimes I wondered why I served.

But still, I served—woman and man—I served!

This Memorial Day, it's hoped you'll think on these things. You are still free to think, speak and publish what you wish; free to worship, free to gather and to vote; free to succeed or to fail trying, because I gave the most I had—my all.

And for that, perhaps, you will pause a few moments in my honor; think and perhaps pray, in honor of others lost like me, or who also served but made it home, albeit, many disabled and—certainly—be thankful for those who serve today.

Veterans realize the interruption of normal life brought by service to your country, and too many have

## Proud parents

Virgil G. Luther Sr. and Virginia R. Luther are very proud and thankful to our son, Dominique R. Luther, and daughter-in-law, Ashley N. Luther, for

their service with the U.S. Army. They both received promotions this year as staff sergeants (E-6). They are stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.



Ashley N. Luther and Dominique R. Luther

known of my pain, my tears, and sickness of soul for the waste of human life.

Yet, the giving of my life should not—cannot—be wasted.

For perhaps somehow people—voters, marchers, speakers, writers, the elected—perhaps you, will find ways to collectively end the fright, the hurt, the grief, and the dying that is war. Especially the dying.

My death, and thankfully, those veterans who gave so much, has extended the time given you to find that way. With the horrible weapons available today, the unstable hands that hover so near the mythical red buttons and the increased horror of vicious, frenzied terrorists, time is shorter than ever.

After the next war there may be no widows, orphans, friends or veterans.

*NOTE: This was written by Ed Barber of Gainesville, Florida. He wrote it while a college student during the Vietnam War. The editorial was first published in 1963*

## High Flight

Oh! I have slipped the surly bonds of Earth  
And danced the skies on laughter-silvered wings;  
Sunward I've climbed, and joined the tumbling mirth  
of sun-split clouds, – and done a hundred things  
You have not dreamed of – wheeled and soared and swung

High in the sunlit silence. Hov'ring there,  
I've chased the shouting wind along, and flung  
My eager craft through footless halls of air ...

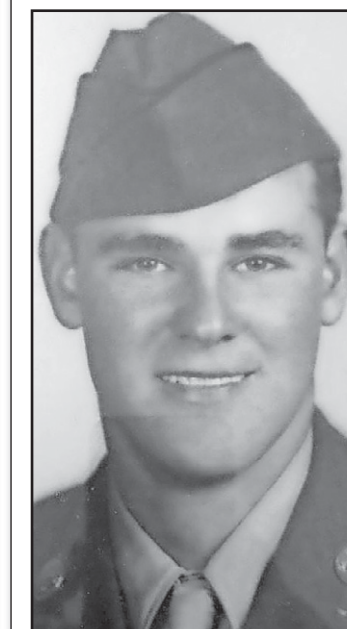
Up, up the long, delirious, burning blue  
I've topped the wind-swept heights with easy grace  
Where never lark nor even eagle flew –  
And, while with silent lifting mind I've trod  
The high untrespassed sanctity of space,  
Put out my hand, and touched the face of God.

— RCAF Pilot Officer John Gillespie Magee Jr., 1941

## Tributes: best and bravest

Remembering two of the bravest and best men we've ever known:

Earl R. McMillan,  
Patton's Third Army,  
390th Anti-Aircraft  
Division, WWII  
1924-1995



Earl R. McMillan

Clyde M. Lonas,  
USMC, WWII  
1921-2007



Clyde M. Lonas

*in the University of Florida daily student newspaper, the Florida Alligator, now The Independent Florida Alligator. Through the years, the editorial has been reprinted in books, in other newspapers and online. Periodically Barber revises the editorial slightly to make it current. This publication is the first of this revised version.*

Anna C. Luttrell Lonas  
1921-1998



## Remembering Mom

This was our Mother – A loving wife and mother  
She built the charges for the bombs dropped on Hiroshima and Nagasaki,  
her life was never the same. Her efforts helped end the war.

— Lovingly,  
Marsha and Rita



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Royal Air Force cadets are honored on Memorial Day at Oak Ridge Cemetery in Arcadia.

*We Salute Our Fallen Soldiers*

On Memorial Day, we pay special tribute to the men and women who served and sacrificed to protect the lives and freedoms of Americans. We celebrate their courage, honor their memories and thank them for all they gave. Their legacy lives on, and we will never forget them.

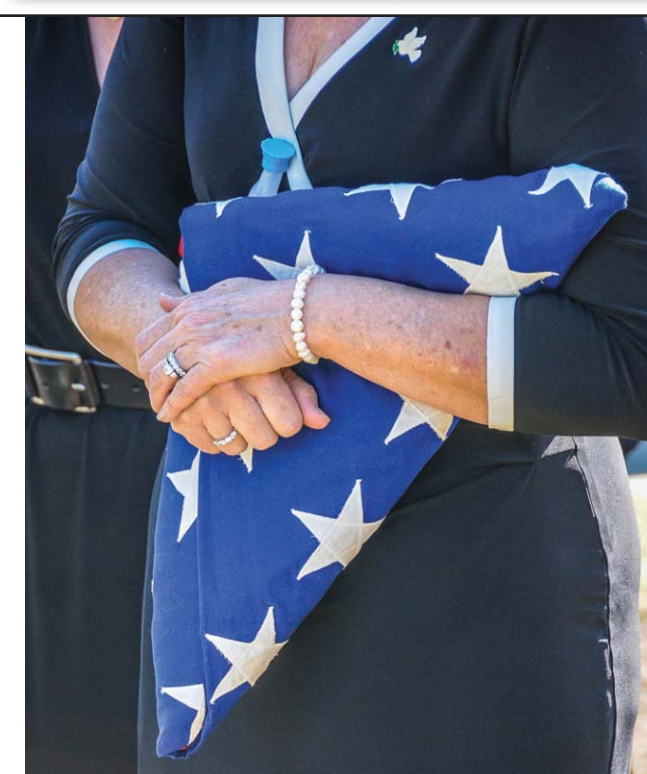
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We salute the military heroes we have lost, and those who continue to protect our freedom today.



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# DeSoto SPORTS EXTRA

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## This year's ride is over, Bulldogs looking to next season

By **STEVE KNAPP**

ARCADIAN SPORTS EDITOR

Growing up in Michigan in the 1950s there was a grocery store named Meijer Thrifty Acres that now has grown across the Midwest to 240 stores. They pioneered the "one-stop shopping concept." In each of their early stores they had a mechanical horse near the entrance named Sandy. For a penny we could get a three-minute ride and then it was over.

We knew it wouldn't last, but enjoyed it while we could.

For the DeSoto County softball team, their ride is over too. It lasted three months, although it seemed more like three minutes. They started the season at North Port with a Dekoda Johnson line drive past shortstop on the second pitch of the game for a single. The season ended with another line drive by Desarae Omar that was caught by the Hardee shortstop to give the Wildcats a 3-0 regional final win.

There was a lot that happened to these Bulldogs, with the biggest event the passing of Johnson's grandma, Sharon Welker. The seniors knew her from the beginning of their careers and dedicated their season to her. They wore pink shirts in her memory, and on their sleeves were the words "Team Sharon." A lot was expected from this team ... and they delivered. They didn't get as far as they wanted to get in the playoffs, but they set the bar high for next season.

So, what will the 2019 version of the Bulldogs look like?

I think it could be fun watching next season's team, because they will have

a completely different style of play. No longer will they have the speed of Johnson or the long-ball capabilities that both Johnson and Hannah England possessed. The clutch hitting and high batting averages from Shea Lipe and Mo Jeter and the power of catcher Alyssa Hairston will be missed. The defensive abilities and softball IQ from these girls were high.

There is a softball term called "what's next?" So, what's next for the Bulldogs as they prepare to win their fourth straight district crown?

Next year the highest batter in the lineup from this season will slide up to the three or four hole, and from there on it is anybody's guess as to who will play where or what the batting order will look like.

Wide-open competition pushes each player to work harder to get into the starting lineup. There has been a lot of improvement in the underclassmen this past season and they will need to step up and continue to improve and show the leadership that has been lost through graduation. There is some potential on the JV team and, if everything goes right, the Bulldogs will again be a force in the district.

If a player wants to be a starter on the varsity team, there are plenty of opportunities to earn a spot.

The team will have to learn how to play "small ball," where a walk, stolen base, sacrifice and a fly ball may be how they score their runs, rather than the long ball. They will need to play lights-out defense if they aren't going to score many runs.



ARCADIAN PHOTO BY STEVE KNAPP

The Bulldog JV team will have to step up and fill at least five spots on next season's varsity team.

Other than the games against Dunbar, the team may not hit double figures in scoring very often, which will put pressure on the pitching and defense. The pitching will have to be strong to keep them in the games. There will have to be improvement with their base running and overall knowledge of the game.

Coach Keith Wallace told the team in the post-game talk: "Whether you are playing next year in high school or in college, we have to work on our hitting."

Head coach Mike Jeter said, "We look better at the end of this season than we did at the end of last year. We have to work harder, take more grounders, play hard every inning. Use the memory of this game to work harder for next season."

It's not going to be easy. But if it was, then everybody would be doing it. Although this season has just ended, I'm looking forward to see how the players and the coaches adjust to life without the "Big 5" seniors.

## DeSoto County Youth Baseball 10U



Coach Matt Cline gets the water bucket poured over his head by the opposing team coaches. They had all coached together the previous year and Cline went to a different team, so after his first win over his former coaching partners, he got the sudden shower.

Marlon Taylor scores the tying run on a wild pitch for Family Air Conditioning. Taylor's base hit scored two runs to cut the deficit to 12-11 before he scored the tying run.



ARCADIAN PHOTOS BY STEVE KNAPP

The Family Air Conditioning team in the 10U division.



Pitcher Waymon Kilmon delivers a pitch for the Family Air Conditioning team in the 10U division of the DCYB league.



Jaden Romero slides safely for a run for his team in the DCYB league.



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# Joshua Citrus goes 11-1 with win



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The Joshua Citrus team in the DeSoto County Youth Baseball league finished first in the Machine Pitch division.



Joseph Serena drops a bunt in the first inning. The Joshua Citrus team went on to score three runs in the inning to pick up their 11th win.



Pitcher Austin Pittman, a West Elementary student, covers home as Wyatt Buchanan scores.



David Serena stares at the pitching machine as he steps up to bat for the Joshua Citrus team.



Jace Karpowecz takes a good rip at a pitch in the DCYB baseball game.



Phillip Taylor makes the catch at third and looks to his coach in the DCYB league game.



David and Joseph Serena flank their dad, David, one of four coaches for the Joshua Citrus team in the DeSoto County Youth Baseball league.

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# Sweet time at DeSoto County Watermelon Festival



A.C. Cooper, Aimee Johnson and Aubrey Barney stopping for a quick photo.



It's all smiles for DeSoto County JROTC cadets.



Meeting candidates is part of any country festival.



Tiffany Murphy with Sweet Southern Horse & Carriage enjoying a slice of cool watermelon.



Kopelyn and Karper Page get best seats in the house.



Visitors enjoying Saturday in the park are Ciara Mercer, Andrew Smith, Danielle Brewer, Mark Mizell, Jimmy Barrera, Cynthia Barrera, Trace Barrera and Adriane Barrera.



Delaney Dewey and Adalyn Murphy in sweet watermelon outfits.



ARCADIAN PHOTOS BY PRISCILLA MCDANIEL

Delilah and Jack Hardiman visiting Saturday's Watermelon Festival at Veterans Memorial Park. The one-day event was about all things watermelon, including an eating contest, seed spitting and other goodies.



Glad-handing festival visitors are Alica Lawrence, David Lawrence, Devin Lawrence and Michelle Lawrence.



Melons beat pie contests, hands down!



Balloons all around for Kash, Serenity and Blaze Smith, Vailsey Yates and Zoey Yates.



# Congratulations, Tropicana 4-H public-speaking contestants

By **KRISTIE POPA**

DESOTO COUNTY 4-H EXTENSION AGENT

Between a middle-schooler wanting a cell phone and an elementary student who lives the life of a baseball sister, Megan and Will Joens successfully shared their stories based on real life with their teachers, peers and community members through the 4-H Tropicana Public Speaking Contest.

Each year, the 4-H Tropicana Speech Competition helps over 1,000 fourth-, fifth-, and sixth-grade students in DeSoto County learn how to write and deliver a speech, without using notes.

Fifteen Elementary and Middle School students on Friday shared a speech that they worked diligently on over the past few weeks in their classrooms. These students won their classroom and school contests in order to qualify for a spot in the county speech contest.

Tropicana has sponsored this 4-H speech contest since 1969 and provides classroom materials for teachers, certificates of participation, and medallions and plaques for speech winners. Through the use of 4-H and Tropicana materials, students have

gained written and verbal communication skills, as well as the ability to analyze their audience.

By participating in this speech contest, youth have gained life skills which will be valuable to them now and in the future. Participants have built self-esteem, gained communication skills, and excelled in writing and presenting public speeches ... something a lot of adults dread doing.

We would like to congratulate the following winners:

## 4-H Tropicana Speech Elementary School Contest

First place: Megan Joens, "Life of a Baseball Sister"

Second place: Jose Raya, "Who Was Hamilton"

Third place: Angie Chavez-Mendoza, "Why I want to be a Veterinarian"

## 4-H Tropicana Speech Middle School Contest

First place: Will Joens, "Pros and Cons of a Cell Phone"

Second place, Reagan Hancock: "Volleyball"

Third place: Owen Leath, "Four Wheeling"



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The 4-H Tropicana Speech Competition helps DeSoto kids learn to write and deliver a speech, without using notes. The event dates to the 1960s.



Contestants in the 4-H speech contest include Will Joens, Reagan Hancock, Owen Leath, Megan Joens, Jose Raya and Angie Chavez-Mendoza.

# Agricultural briefs: Citrus futures, blueberry threats, hurricane help

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## Factors squeeze fruit production, 2017-18 crops estimates June 12

Florida citrus growers are in the final stretch of what's been a trying 2017-2018 season. In the meantime, the latest citrus crop estimate update from USDA has been released, revealing a slight dip from last month's report. The revised all-orange number is now at 44.95 million boxes, down 50,000 boxes in non-Valencia varieties. The number for oranges had held steady the previous two forecasts.

Similarly for May, grapefruit production figures also were trimmed another 50,000 boxes. The updated total now stands at 3.95 million boxes, which continues a troubling trend for grapefruit. Last season's final output was 7.8 million boxes. The previous season finished at 10.85 million boxes. During the 1997-1998 season, grapefruit clocked in at 49.5 million boxes.

Looking ahead to next season, eligible citrus growers are set to receive Hurricane Irma recovery aid to the tune of \$340 million

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as part of a USDA specialty crop block grant, which also is in addition to the \$2.36 billion made available through the recently announced 2017 Wildfires and Hurricanes Indemnity Program.

The next to last USDA citrus crop estimate for the 2017-2018 season is slated to be delivered June 12.

### How to start a farm

USDA has revamped its websites to be as useful as possible for all growers, including those just getting started. Right after the headline story or promotion at USDA.gov, you'll find the search box "I'm looking for:" Simply type in the phrase "How to Start a Farm" to learn the basics. One of the best features at NewFarmers.USDA.gov is you can connect with other growers.

At Natural Resources Conservation Service, or NRCS, you can track payments, report

completed practices, request conservation assistance, and electronically sign documents. If you want to make improvements to the land you lease or own, you can get started at NRCS's dedicated page.

### Growers get the blues, asking feds for help

Florida and Georgia blueberry growers have been under extra pressure on several fronts this season. In addition to post-hurricane crop loss, gall midge grief, and late-season cold snaps, the flood of product coming from foreign competitors have all but shut the window on a profitable season for Florida and Georgia producers. "The massive importation of Mexican blueberries during our window is crippling the Florida blueberry industry," said Brittany Lee, president of the Florida Blueberry Growers Association (FBGA), in a memo recently sent

to the association's members.

As a response, the FBGA teamed up with the Georgia Blueberry Growers Association (GBGA) to send a joint letter to legislators asking provisions to protect the blueberry industry of Florida and Georgia be included in North American Free Trade Agreement negotiations.

So far this season, Mexico has imported roughly 43.5 million pounds of fresh blueberries, while Florida and Georgia growers have produced about half that.

In 2015, the combined Florida and Georgia blueberry sector was estimated to be \$186 million, which translated to an economic impact of approximately twice that, according to industry data.

### Federal aid to Florida growers

With another Atlantic hurricane season quickly approaching, some good news is showing up on the radar for Florida's citrus producers still reeling from last year's tropical punch. Along with new details regarding eligibility for the agency's recently introduced 2017 Wildfires and Hurricanes Indemnity Program

(WHIP), U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Sonny Perdue has also announced \$340 million available to Florida citrus growers through a block grant for Hurricane Irma losses for the current season through 2020.

The aid is intended for reimbursement of costs associated with buying and planting replacement trees, including resetting and grove rehabilitation, and for repair of damage to irrigation systems among other impacts.

In total, USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) will deploy up to \$2.36 billion that Congress appropriated through the Bipartisan Budget Act to help farmers with recovery of their agricultural operations in at least nine states with hurricane damage and other states impacted by wildfire.

Hurricane Recovery: To be eligible a crop, tree, bush or vine must be located in a primary disaster county with either a presidential declaration or a secretarial designation due to a 2017 hurricane. Crops, trees, bushes or vines located in other counties may also be eligible if the producer provides documentation the loss was caused by a 2017 hurricane.

## ARRESTS

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• Gregory Allen Howard, 33, 1700 block of Maple St., Arcadia. Charges: destroying, tampering with or fabricating evidence, resisting an officer without violence and possession or use of drug equipment. Bond: \$2,500.

• Caleb Lamar Paldino, 28, Tampa. Charge: violation of probation. Bond: none.

• Mario Miguel Torres, 30, 1700 block of S.E. 1st Ave., Arcadia. Charge: battery. Bond: none.

• Mateo Jaime Mondragon, 21, 1400 block of S.W. Addison Ave., Arcadia. Charges: contempt of court and resisting or obstructing an officer without violence. Bond: \$500.

• Juan Alexis Guerrero, 22, 200 block of N. Manatee Ave., Arcadia. Charges: possession of a controlled substance without a prescription, possession or use of drug equipment and driving without a valid license. Bond: \$2,120.

• Naomi Nicole Malone, 33, 100 block of Bridal Path, Arcadia. Charges: possession of methamphetamine with intent to sell, manufacture or deliver and possession or

use of drug equipment. Bond: \$8,000.

• Alesandro Bacerra, 32, 200 block of W. Effie St., Arcadia. Charge: driving without a valid license and fraud by giving false ID to an officer. Bond: \$620.

• Patricia Martinez, 34, Wauchula. Charges: driving while license is suspended or revoked, possession of less than 20 grams of marijuana and possession or use of drug equipment. Bond: \$1,120.

• Marcus Melvin, 28, 1000 block of S.E. Hillsborough Ave., Arcadia. Charges: possession of methamphetamine with intent to sell, manufacture or deliver, possession of less than 20 grams of marijuana and possession or use of drug equipment. Bond: \$3,000.

• Manuel Antonio Moctezuma, 37, 200 block of N. Brevard Ave., Arcadia. Charge: failure to register motor vehicle. Bond: \$120.

• Mariano Perez, 37, no address, Arcadia. Charges: two counts of possession of a controlled substance without a prescription and possession or use of drug equipment. Released on recognizance.

• Allison Marion Sharkey, 32, 8700 block of N.W. State Road 70, Arcadia. Charges: possession of a controlled substance without a prescription, possession or use of drug equipment and driving while license is suspended,

second offense. Bond: \$2,500.

• Austin Donald Smith Debrodt, 19, 6200 block of N.E. Ranch Drive, Arcadia. Charge: battery. Bond: \$100.

• Brigido Torres Velasco, 42, 1500 block of S.E. Cherry Drive, Arcadia. Charge: battery. Bond: \$500.

• Javier Meraz, 64, 3400 block of S.W. County Road 661, Arcadia. Charge: battery. Bond: \$100.

• Charles Dwayne Davis, 30, LaFaye, AL. Charge: petty theft. Bond: \$120.

• Shawn Michael Schebel, 41, Punta Gorda, FL. Charge: out-of-county warrant. Bond: none.

• Lissa Noell Chanza, 30, no address, Arcadia. Charges: possession of a controlled substance without a prescription and possession or use of drug equipment. Bond: \$2,000.

• Daniel Ray Jones II, 32, 2300 block of S.E. Quail Ave., Arcadia. Charge: felony battery. Bond: none.

• Heather Ranae Lafeve, 35, 3800 block of N.W. Pineapple Ave., Arcadia. Charges: two counts of violation of probation. Bond: none.

### The Charlotte County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests:

• Rachel Joan Perdoch, 46, 1700 block of S.W. County

Road 769, Arcadia. Charge: DUI with serious bodily injury. Bond: \$2,500.

• Timothy Charles Walters, 18, 5500 block of S.W. Shores Ave., Arcadia. Charges: eight counts of contribution to delinquency by causing child to commit a delinquent act, two counts of grand theft of a firearm, 13 counts of unarmed burglary of unoccupied conveyance, two counts of armed burglary of a dwelling or conveyance, one count of grand theft of motor vehicle, seven counts of petty theft between \$100-\$300, four counts of grand theft between \$300-\$5,000, possession of less than 20 grams of marijuana, possession or use of drug paraphernalia, and unarmed burglary of an unoccupied dwelling.

• Richard Lee Bigham, 23, 4600 block of S.E. Tomlin Drive, Arcadia. Charge: DUI with alcohol or drugs. Bond: \$5,000.

### The Sarasota County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrest:

• Natalya M. Prody, 32, 4600 block of N.W. Royal Palm Drive, Arcadia. Charge: battery. Bond: none.

— Compiled by Susan E. Hoffman



# BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT

## Oak Park Inn dispute may be resolved soon

A financial dispute between the owner of the Oak Park Inn in downtown Arcadia and a potential buyer was in court last week. But the sides may resolve the ownership conflict with a settlement in the next weeks, according to Miles Christian-Hart, who had filed legal action against Christopher Jay Brown, the hotel's owner.

In a claim filed in DeSoto County, Christian-Hart asserts that Brown violated an October 2017 agreement to sell the storm damaged hotel as is

for \$250,000. Instead, Christian-Hart asserted in a court document from last November, Brown cleared the boutique hotel's furnishings and failed to protect the interior from further rain damage. The historic building was damaged during Hurricane Irma in September 2017. Christian-Hart, who owns other commercial and residential property in Arcadia, reduced his sale offer to \$175,000, which Brown refused, according to court filings. Christian-Hart would resolve the matter with a cash



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settlement, which would allow Brown to sell the hotel to another buyer. Brown would remain the innkeeper in that transaction. The settlement between

Brown and Christian-Hart may occur before the sides return to court in June. "I'm hoping to move on," Christian-Hart said.

## DeSoto receives emergency funds

DeSoto County has been chosen to receive \$12,841 to supplement emergency food and shelter programs in the county. This amount is determined by the number of people in the population who claim unemployment.

The selection was made by a national board that is chaired by the Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency and consists of

representatives from the American Red Cross, Catholic Charities, USA, National Council of the Churches of Christ in the U.S.A., The Salvation Army, United Jewish Communities, and United Way of America. The local board was charged to distribute funds appropriated by Congress to help expand the capacity of food and shelter programs in high-need areas around the country.

A local board made up of members of the above agencies will determine how the funds awarded to the county are to be distributed among the emergency food and shelter programs run by local service agencies in the area. The local board is responsible for recommending agencies to receive these funds and any additional funds available under this phase of the program.

Under the terms of the grant from the national board, local agencies chosen to receive funds must: 1) be private voluntary nonprofits or units of government, 2) eligible to receive federal funds, 3) have an accounting system, 4) practice non-discrimination, 5) have demonstrated the capability to deliver emergency food and/

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## Bayfront Health Medical Group opens in Arcadia

Staff, chamber and DeSoto Memorial Hospital administrators have welcomed Bayfront Health Medical Group to Arcadia. The ribbon-cutting was timed to the introduction of Dr. Hernán Fuentes, a board-certified obstetrician and gynecologist. He is seeing patients in the new office at 1012 N. Mills Ave. "The residents of DeSoto County now have local, convenient access to the specialty services of obstetrics and gynecology," said Tim Cerullo, Market CEO of Bayfront Health Port Charlotte and Punta Gorda. 863-494-2663



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## Horizon Coach closes, true family business

After approximately 22 years of existence, it is with sadness and a lot of great memories, that Horizon Coach, LLC has closed its doors.

Horizon Coach was owned by Mike Waller, who passed away earlier this year after an 18-month battle with Stage 4 lung cancer. Horizon Coach has enjoyed a great reputation in the coach business. In 2006, it branched out to RVs and Toy Haulers. The firm also sold new and used coaches and would eventually start doing service work. Over the years, Horizon Coach has seen many visitors

come through its doors: musicians, famous athletes and many others who have bought coaches or have had repair work done on their own coaches. When you came to Horizon you were met by friendly staff and you just couldn't help but feel like there was something a little different, special about this company. There were a lot of special things about Horizon.

Here are just a few. The owner, Mike Waller, he was special. He had his own way of doing things, and his way worked for a lot of years. He cared about his

community, constantly giving back and reaching out where there were needs. He cared about his customers and he cared about the people who worked for him. They weren't just his employees. Horizon was family. There was a sense of family there that doesn't happen in every workplace. If you would go to Horizon at lunch time, the front door would be locked. They closed up everything and most days you would find the whole group of them eating together. If you sat down with them, you would not hear them talking about work—well,

maybe a little—but you would hear them mostly talking about their lives, what was going on with their kids and families. In a world where everybody takes care of themselves, this group took care of each other.

The closing of Horizon comes with a lot of sadness but in that is a sense of family because as much as Mike cared about the folks at Horizon Coach, they cared about him. They were faithful to work for him even after things got tough through his sickness and his death. Because that is what family does.

## Mosaic rezoning scheduled for June 5-6

Signs announcing public hearing notices on a rezoning application in June riled those opposing the project. Mosaic Fertilizer LLC on signs along State Road 70 announced its intentions to rezone some 14,000 acres from agriculture to a phosphate mining/industry designation. The Fortune 500 firm, that announced recently it will move its headquarters from Minnesota to Tampa, would mine phosphate in DeSoto County for the first time.

Opponents on social media were quick to jump on Monday's sign placements: Comments, a poster on Facebook noted, "range [from] those who jump on the bandwagon, others afraid of the unknown, still others outright crazy. Yet there is a string running through the narrative: A giant company digging the earth, flipping it like a pancake and turning it back after the ground has been gouged for its minerals."

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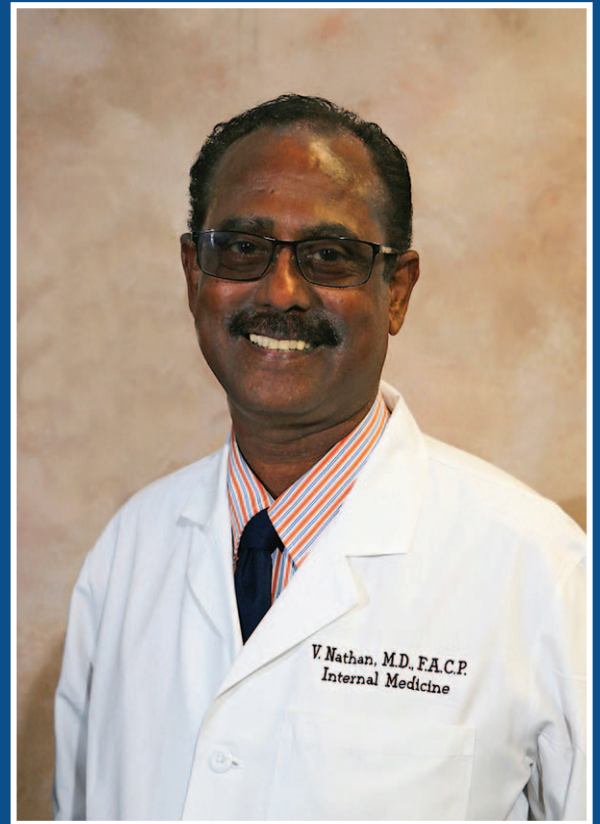
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**3114 INVITATION TO BID**

**NOTICE OF BID** ATTENTION ALL SUBCONTRACTORS INCLUDING MBE, WBE, DBE, DISABLED VETERANS, SECTION 3, SUBCONTRACTORS & SUPPLIERS

Brooks & Freund LLC will be accepting bids for the construction of the St John Paul II Phase I and II in Arcadia, FL. Subcontractor bids are due by 1:00 pm on June 12, 2018. Certified MBE, WBE, DBE, Disabled Vet, Section 3 subcontractors and suppliers are encouraged to participate. The project consists of (02) Phases of Construction. Both phases will be constructed at the same time. Phase I of the project is a (08) Quad-Plex Apartment Buildings (32 Units) with Community Center. Phase II of the project is a (08) Quad-Plex Apartment Buildings (32 Units).

To obtain an invitation to the bidding documents please e-mail a request with your company information including contact person, address, phone number, fax number, and e-mail address to bids@brooksandfreund.com. Publish: 05/24/2018 402732 3580797

**\*NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS Florida Department of Transportation Project**

Bids will be received by the District One Office until 11:00 A.M. on Thursday, June 14, 2018 for the following Proposals:

- E1R77-RO** – Sign Installation, Repair, Replacement and Pavement Markings Removal and Replacement District-Wide Budget Amount: \$410,800.00
- Z1054-RO** – Pre-Event Emergency Cut and Toss in Manatee, Sarasota, DeSoto, Glades, Hardee, and Lee Counties.
- Z1055-RO** – Pre-Event Emergency Cut and Toss in DeSoto, Glades, Hendry, Hardee, Highlands, Okeechobee and Polk Counties.
- Z1057-RO** – Pre-Event Emergency Generator Installation District-Wide.
- Z1058-RO** – Pre-Event Emer-

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Complete letting advertisement information for this project is available on our website at http://www.dot.state.fl.us/contractsadministration/district1/ or by calling (863) 519-2559. Publish: 05/24/18, 05/31/18 386872 3579193

THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF DESOTO COUNTY is seeking Qualified Roofing Company to remove old roof and replace the roof at DeSoto County High School, 1710 E. Gibson St, Arcadia, FL 34266.

Bid Number: 1718-0073 RFP Bid Title: Roof Replacement and Repair - DeSoto County High School

Pre-bid Conference: Mandatory, May 24, 2018 at 1:00 pm at 530 LaSolona Ave, Arcadia, FL 34266. Site visit will follow the pre-bid conference.

Bid Security: 5% of amount of the base bid Insurance: Required according to specifications.

Bid Opening Due Date/Time: June 5, 2018 at 2:00pm, local time, 530 LaSolona Ave, Arcadia, FL at which time they will be opened. A Qualification Package may be obtained from the following websites www.desotoschools.com and https://publicpurchase.com or by contacting the Purchasing Department at (863) 494-4222, ext.1111. PUBLISHED 5/10/18, 5/17/18, 5/24/18 102569 3577404

**3116 NOTICE OF ACTION**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., Plaintiff, VS. JUSTIN L. ROBINSON; et al., Defendant(s).

CASE NO.: 2017CA000434AXMA **NOTICE OF ACTION**

TO: Justin L. Robinson Last Known Residence: 1189 Seventh Avenue Southeast, Arcadia, FL 34266

**YOU ARE NOTIFIED** that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following property in Desoto County, Florida:

**LOT 10, BLOCK 30, OF KING AND BAKER SUBDIVISION, A SUBDIVISION ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1, PAGE 105 AND RE-RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK C-5, PAGE 63, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA, INCLUDING ANY REVERSIONARY INTEREST IN THE ALLEYWAY ADJOINING THERETO BY VACATION OF ALLEYWAY AS SHOWN IN O.R. BOOK 115,**

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**PAGE 215, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA. SAID INTEREST IN THE ALLEYWAY ABOVE DESCRIBED BEING: TO CENTERLINE OF ALLEYWAY ADJACENT TO THE WEST BOUNDARY OF SAID LOT 10. TOGETHER WITH A 1989 DOUBLE WIDE MOBILE HOME ID# LF23626412A & LF23626412B.**

has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on ALDRIDGE | PITE, LLP, Plaintiff's attorney, at 1615 South Congress Avenue, Suite 200, Delray Beach, FL 33445, on or before June 10, 2018, and file the original with the clerk of this court either before service on Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition. Dated on April 30, 2018.

NADIA K. DAUGHTREY As Clerk of the Court By: Nadia K. Daughtrey As Deputy Clerk Publish: May 17, 24, 2018 401131 3548150

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA**

Case No.: **18 DR 225** Division: \_\_\_\_\_ Laura Cantu, Petitioner,

and Billy Cantu,

Respondent, **NOTICE OF ACTION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE (NO CHILD OR FINANCIAL SUPPORT)**

To: Billy Cantu last known address is UNKNOWN

**YOU ARE NOTIFIED** that an action for Dissolution of Marriage has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on Laura Cantu whose address is 2600 SE Frank J Dewane Way, Arcadia, FL 34266 on or before June 25, 2018, and file the original with the clerk of this Court at 115 E. Oak St, Arcadia, FL 34266 before service on Petitioner or immediately thereafter. **If you fail to do so, a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.**

The action is asking the court to decide how the following real or personal property should be divided: **NONE**

**Copies of all court documents in this case, including orders, are available at the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office. You may review these documents upon request.**

**You must keep the Clerk of the Circuit Court's Office notified of your current address. (You may file Designation of Current Mailing and E-mail address, Florida Supreme Court Approved Family Law Form 12.915.) Future papers in this lawsuit will be mailed or e-mailed to the address(es) on record at the clerk's office.**

**WARNING: Rule 12.285,**

**3116 NOTICE OF ACTION**

**Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure, requires certain automatic disclosure of documents and information. Failure to comply can result in sanctions, including dismissal or striking of pleadings.**

Dated: 05/16/18 Nadia K. Daughtrey CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT Publish: May 24, 31, 2018 395956 3579421

**NEED CASH?**

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA**

Case No.: **2017-DR-631** Division: \_\_\_\_\_

Robert A. Hill, Petitioner, and Jesse M. Hill,

Respondent, **NOTICE OF ACTION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE (NO CHILD OR FINANCIAL SUPPORT)**

To: Jesse M. Hill, 1450 E. Gibson Ct. Apt #3

**YOU ARE NOTIFIED** that an action for Dissolution of Marriage has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on Robert A. Hill whose address is P.O. Box 2755 Arcadia, FL 34265 on or before April 10, 2018, and file the original with the clerk of this Court at 115 E. Oak St, Arcadia, FL 34266 before service on Petitioner or immediately thereafter. **If you fail to do so, a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.**

The action is asking the court to decide how the following real or personal property should be divided: **NONE**

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Dated: 01/22/18 Nadia K. Daughtrey CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT By: Bridgette Rios Deputy Clerk Publish: May 10, 17, 24, 31, 2018 395956 3575822

**3120 NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION IN RE: ESTATE OF

**NANCY IRENE RICHMOND** Deceased.

File No. **2018 CP 0049** **NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The administration of the estate of Nancy Irene Richmond, deceased, whose date of death was January 26, 2018 is pending in the Circuit Court for DeSoto County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is **115 East Oak Street, Arcadia, Florida 34266.**

The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court ON OR BEFORE THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702 WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is May 24th, 2018.

Attorney for Personal Representative:

**EUGENE E. WALDRON JR.** Florida Bar Number: **0794971** 124 North Brevard Avenue ARCADIA, FL 34266

Telephone: **(863) 494-4323**

Fax **(863) 494-6790**

E-Mail: **EWaldron@eewj.com**

Secondary E-Mail: **Service@eewj.com**

Personal Representative: **Richard R. Boysen**

**1539 Nina Street** Port Charlotte, FL 33952

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**3122 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA

WACHOVIA MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Plaintiff,

vs. Garner Groves & Cattle Co., Inc., a Florida Corporation; Felton Garner; Cheryl Stewart, et al., Defendants.

GENERAL JURISDICTION DIVISION Case No. 14-2010-CA-000545



**3122 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE**

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order granting Motion to Reset Foreclosure Sale dated March 14, 2018, entered in Case No. 14-2010-CA-000545 of the Circuit Court of the Twelfth Judicial Circuit, in and for DeSoto County, Florida, wherein WACHOVIA MORTGAGE CORPORATION is the Plaintiff and Garner Groves & Cattle Co., Inc., a Florida Corporation; Felton Garner; Cheryl Stewart; Any and All Unknown Parties Claiming by, Through, Under and Against the Herein Named Individual Defendant(s) who are not Known to be Dead or Alive, Whether said Unknown Parties may Claim an Interest as Spouses, Heirs, Devisees, Grantees, or other Claimants; Tenant #1; Tenant #2; Tenant #3; Tenant # 4 the names being fictitious to account for parties in possession are the Defendants, that Nadia Daughtrey, DeSoto County Clerk of Court will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at, the south door of the courthouse at 115 East Oak Street, Arcadia, FL 34266, beginning at 11:00 on the 12th day of June, 2018, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

THE EAST 1/2 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 AND THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4, LESS THE NORTH 10 FEET, AND LESS: BEGIN AT THE SOUTH 1/4 CORNER; THENCE NORTH 00 DEGREES 14 MINUTES 20 SECONDS EAST, 1930.41 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 48 MINUTES EAST, 37.65 FEET TO THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY OF COUNTY ROAD 661 FOR POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUE SAME LINE 135 FEET; THENCE NORTH 00 DEGREES 12 MINUTES EAST, 192 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 48 MINUTES WEST, 135 FEET TO EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY OF COUNTY ROAD 661; THENCE SOUTH 00 DEGREES 12 MINUTES WEST ALONG THE RIGHT-OF-WAY, 192 FEET TO POINT OF BEGINNING. ALL LYING AND BEING IN SECTION 34, TOWNSHIP 37 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST, DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale. Dated this 16th day of May, 2018.

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By Katherine E. Tilka, Esq.  
Florida Bar No. 70879  
**If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in a court proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance: Please contact DeSoto County Jury Office, 115 East Oak Street, Arcadia, Florida 34266. Telephone: (863) 993-4876. If you are hearing or voice impaired, please call 711.**

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**3122 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE**

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA**

PENNYMAC LOAN SERVICES, LLC, Plaintiff,  
v.  
STEVE A. MOSELY, et al., Defendants.  
CASE NO.: 2016-CA-000623

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**

NOTICE is hereby given that Nadia K. Daughtrey, Clerk of the Circuit Court of DeSoto County, Florida, will on June 14, 2018, at 11:00 a.m., at the Desoto County Courthouse 115 E Oak St., Arcadia, FL 34266 in accordance with Chapter 45, F.S., offer for sale and sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described property situated in DeSoto County, Florida, to wit: Lots 24, and 25, ELLER AND TURNER ESTATES, FIRST ADDITION, a subdivision according to the plat or map thereof described in Plat Book 6, at page(s) 79, of the Public Records of DeSoto County, Florida.

Property Address: 1985 Southeast Michigan Street, Arcadia, FL 34266 pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered in a case pending in said Court, the style and case number of which is set forth above.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.

If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney.

**Americans with Disabilities Act. The Jury Office of the Clerk of Courts in each county of the 12th Judicial Circuit has been designated as the initial contact for ADA-related matters and shall screen calls, handle the request if it pertains to a function of the Clerks office, or obtain pertinent information in order to forward the request to the appropriate office. Please contact DeSoto County Jury Office, 115 East Oak Street, Arcadia, Florida 34266. Telephone: (863) 993-4876. If you are hearing or voice impaired, please call 711.**

SUBMITTED on this 10th day of May, 2018.  
SIROTE & PERMUTT, P.C.  
/s/ Kathryn I. Kasper, Esq.  
Anthony R. Smith, Esq.  
FL Bar #157147  
Kathryn I. Kasper, Esq.  
FL Bar #621188  
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**3130 NOTICE OF SALE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA

SUNTRUST BANK Plaintiff,  
vs.  
DALE MARTIN COKER, SANDRA KAY COKER, UNKNOWN TENANT #1, UNKNOWN TENANT #2, and all unknown parties claiming an interest by, through, under or against any Defendant, or claiming any right, title, and interest in the subject property,  
Defendants.

Case No.: 2017CA000147AXMA  
**NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that, pursuant to the Final Summary Judgment of Foreclosure entered on February 27, 2018 in the above-captioned action, the following property situated in DeSoto County, Florida, described as:  
**Five acres off the East side of the North half of the South half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 8, Township 38 South, Range 25 East.**

shall be sold by the Clerk of Court on the **7th day of June, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. (Eastern Time) at DeSoto County Courthouse, 115 Oak Street, Arcadia, FL 34266** to the highest bidder, for cash, after giving notice as required by section 45.031, Florida Statutes.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale. The court, in its discretion, may enlarge the time of the sale. Notice of the changed time of sale shall be published as provided herein. **The Twelfth Judicial Circuit of Florida is in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and provides reasonable accommodations to persons with disabilities to enable their full participation in court proceedings, programs or services. If you are a person with a disability who needs assistance in order to participate in a program or service of the Court, please contact: Tiffany Zelski, ADA Coordinator, Voice Mail: (904) 861-7811, TDD: (305) 349-7174.**

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**  
I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished this 6 day of March, 2018 via U.S. Mail to: DALE MARTIN COKER and SANDRA KAY COKER, 2153 S.E. Airport Estates Street, Arcadia, FL 34266. Philip D. Storey, ESQUIRE Florida Bar No.: 701157 Michael T. Sheridan, ESQUIRE Florida Bar No.: 92665 ALVAREZ, WINTHROP, THOMPSON & STOREY, P.A. P.O. Box 3511 Orlando, FL 32802-3511 Phone: (407) 210-2796 Fax: (407) 210-2795 Email: STB@awtspa.com Attorneys for Plaintiff: SUNTRUST BANK Publish: 05/24/18, 05/31/2018 326480 3579964

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**3130 NOTICE OF SALE**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE**  
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that we will sell or otherwise dispose of the contents of the following self storage units in order to satisfy the delinquent storage lien placed in accordance with the State of Florida Statute 83.806.

**UNIT# NAME CONTENTS**  
NS084 Samantha Fewox Household Goods  
NS100 Jessica R Wright Household Goods  
**The above 2 unit(s) are located @ 4981 SW Hwy 17, Arcadia, FL 34266**

31S005 Michael G Gross Household Goods  
**The above 1 unit(s) is located @ 2999 SE Hwy 31, Arcadia, FL 34266**

17N033 Ja'Lisa C Longworth Household Goods  
17N035 April "Sherry" S Worth Household Goods  
17N043 Monica I Santiago-Rodriguez Household Goods  
17N075 Jose Talamantez Household Goods

**The above unit(s) are located @ 3153 NE Hwy 17, Arcadia, FL 34266**

**The public sale will be conducted at Easy Mini Storage, 4599 N.W. Hwy. 70, Arcadia, FL 34266, at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, June 11, 2018. Units will be sold to the highest bidder. Open door sale, cash only. A cleaning deposit will be taken. (863) 993-2220.**

Publish: 05/24/18, 05/31/18 222020 3580132

Notice of Intent to Sell Pursuant to Section 373.089, Florida Statutes, the Southwest Florida Water Management District intends to sell certain lands owned by the District: SWF Parcel 20-695-115S (Lower Peace River/Deep Creek DC-1)

Real estate in Desoto County consisting of 21 acres more or less in Section 28, Township 39 South, Range 23 East. Property Appraiser for Desoto County, Florida, identifies this property as a portion of 28-39-23-0000-0020-0000. Specifications may be obtained from the District at 2379 Broad Street, Brooksville, Florida 34604 or by calling 352-796-7211, extension 4534 or 1-800-423-1476 (Florida only). Publish: May 24, 31, 2018 and June 7, 2018 112958 3579506

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE:**  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE: Able Wrecker gives Notice of Foreclosure of Lien and intent to sell these vehicles on 06/08/2018, 08:30 am at 5135 NE Cubitis Avenue Arcadia, FL 34266, pursuant to subsection 713.78 of the Florida Statutes. Able Wrecker reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.  
JM1BC1416V0163249 1997 MAZDA  
Publish: MAY 24, 2018 108133 3580618

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE:**  
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1GKEK13RXWJ715181 1998 GENERAL MOTORS CORP  
Publish: MAY 24, 2018 108133 3578660

**3132 TAX DEEDS**

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**

Notice is hereby given that **GERACI-KING TRUST** 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 Number: 810 Issuance Date: JUNE 1, 2016 Tax Deed File Number 18-11-TD Description of Property: LOTS 911, PEACE RIVER ESTATES, SECTION 1, AS PER MAP OR PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT IN AND FOR DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN PLAT BOOK 10, PAGE 10, PAGE 1, LESS RESERVED MINERAL RIGHTS.

Names in which assessed: PRESTON V & LEONA M PHELPS 849 CHEROKEE BLVD KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

All of said property being in the County of DeSoto, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate or certificates will be sold to the highest bidder at the South Courthouse Door on **JUNE 27, 2018 at 11:00 a.m.**

Dated this 22ND DAY OF MAY, 2018.

NADIA K. DAUGHTREY CLERK OF COURT DESOTO COUNTY, FLORIDA  
By: RHONA BRANTLEY, Deputy Clerk

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**SWIVEL CHAIR**

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**MATTRESS AND** Box. New will sell \$100 941-629-5550

**6035 FURNITURE**

**MATTRESS AND** Box. New will sell \$100 941-629-5550

**6040 TV/STEREO/RADIO**

**49" LG SMART TV**  
New in box never opened \$300 941-586-4951

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# OUR VIEW

FROM PAGE 4

government to elevate the city to Bicycle-Friendly Community status suffered from what one city official termed “bike-lash,” push-back from residents either worried about cost or unaware of the safety and recreational benefits. Misguided, we believe.

One thing all agree on is the need for education and individual awareness of the rules of the road. Like these:

Motorists must eliminate distractions. It’s easy to drift into the shoulder/bike lane. Most important: Don’t text while driving!

Pedestrians should walk with the flow of traffic, cyclists against.

Bicycles have a right to a portion of the roadway. Cyclists should stay right as much as practicable, but cars are legally required to give cyclists three feet of clearance.

Cyclists must follow rules of the road, including stop signs. The law forbids earplugs for cyclists and motorists. Cyclists may use sidewalks, but pedestrians have the right of way.

The situation should improve as Florida’s road network improves. Still, follow the rules and proceed as safely as possible. Be alert. Look at our shared paths through the other guy’s eyes.

Walk-cycle-drive accordingly.

# LETTERS

FROM PAGE 4

## Getting to the art of it

The Art Of Community is a not-for-profit organization with a cultural arts initiative. Our goals are to introduce, cultivate and spread the importance and benefits of the arts throughout the southwest region. Our mission is to utilize the arts as a means to revamp, redevelop and cultivate thriving communities that foster creativity, diversity and inclusion with economic growth.

Years of research and local community input have led to the development of this initiative to which The AOC is firmly committed to. Together, we are creating communities that embrace the arts as a vehicle that drives economic empowerment, community enrichment and educational support to future generations. The arts have been proven to stimulate economies and increase opportunities for artists and growing communities.

As we continue encouraging public participation in the arts and facilitating cultural commerce, we are ecstatic about the future of this initiative and this organization along with our community partners as a whole.

Collectively, we represent over 30 years of experience within the arenas of cultural arts programming, marketing and grassroots community organizing. Our reach expands across the state of Florida with a presence in Sebring, Avon Park, Pompano Beach and Arcadia.

We have recently received a recommendation for a \$25,000 grant from

the state of Florida, Cultural Builds Florida division, for our innovative cultural arts program: Small Towns Need Poetry Too.

Our organization has composed a comprehensive plan that is focused on the integration of our cultural arts initiative into educational improvements, job creation, and tourist attractions with community enhancements that will breed opportunities and enrichments for DeSoto County.

Arcadia has a unique and authentic identity within its rich mixture of African-American, Hispanic and Caribbean cultures. The beautiful, rich environment in DeSoto County is Florida’s best kept secret. What better time than now to share the beauty of our small town with the rest of the nation as an arts and culture destination?

The executive team here at The Art Of Community consists of:

Laquanda Lane, Community Influencer Liaison  
Niedrana King, artist  
Romunda Brown, VP New Business Development

Tammy Ridley, VP Community Outreach  
Jimmy Walls, VP Organization and Compliance

Dwayne Blanden, VP Marketing and Branding  
Darrius Palmer, Music Management

Sarahca Peterson, president  
Together, this team is on the path of creating a cultural arts mecca right here in our own backyard.  
theartofcommunityfl@gmail.com

**Sarahca Peterson**  
President, The Art Of Community  
Arcadia

# GRITS & PIECES

FROM PAGE 4

in the guest bathroom.

Her: I promise not to flush the toilet while you’re in the shower. But only if you remember to change out the toilet paper rolls. Oh yeah, and get it right ... the paper goes over the top of the roll, not the bottom!

Him: I promise to kill spiders if I get to watch football on Sundays. And Thursdays.

Her: How about killing the weeds too?

Him: Done.

Her: I promise not to put my cold feet on you in bed if you won’t hog all

the covers.

Him: I promise not to leave my whiskers in the sink if you won’t leave yours in the bathtub.

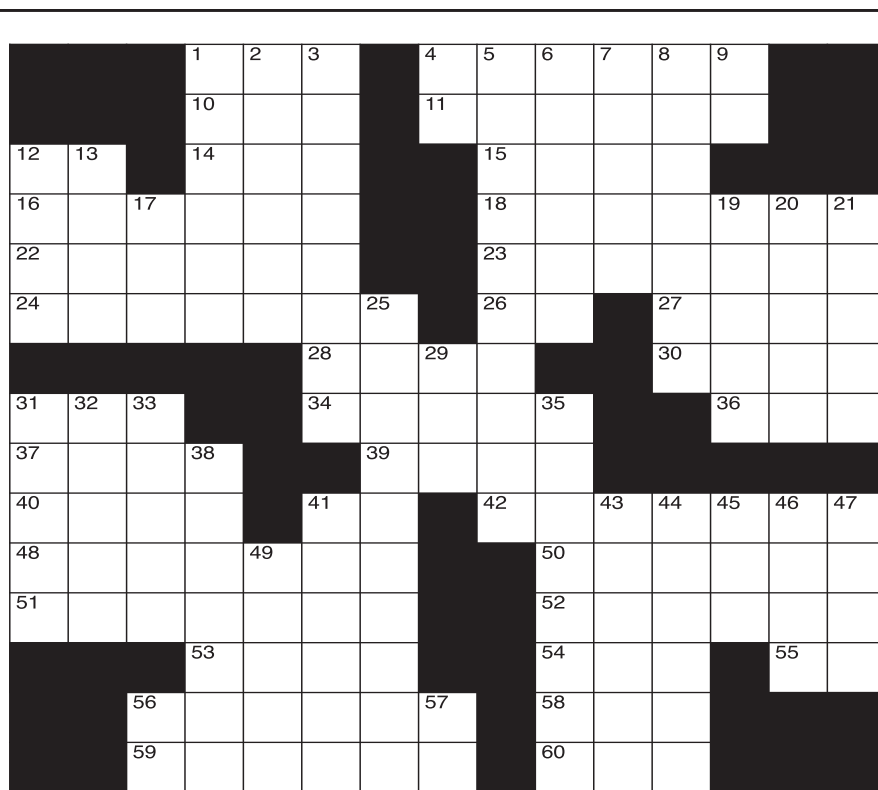
Her: If you promise to wipe your dirty feet before you come in the house, I promise not to fill the DVR up with Hallmark Channel chick flicks.

Him: Done. I do, and I will, till death do us part.

Her: Me, too.

See, wasn’t that easy? Now you prospective brides and grooms, be sure to print this out in triplicate for the wedding, have it notarized, and file a copy at the courthouse. Then, the rest is a piece of cake.

You know, that big, fancy, expensive, sweet, over-iced, delicious, deal-sealing wedding cake ....




## CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Color
- 4. English prince
- 10. When you’ll get there
- 11. Pivot
- 12. Actinium
- 14. Greek letter
- 15. Primordial matter
- 16. One of a Polynesian island
- 18. Most spacious
- 22. What you owe
- 23. Button-like ornament
- 24. Ancient city
- 26. Trauma center
- 27. CNN anchor Burnett
- 28. Enough (archaic)
- 30. Lebowski’s nickname “The \_\_\_”
- 31. Printing speed measurement
- 34. Waterbirds
- 36. WWI airship
- 37. Sudden attack
- 39. Advice
- 40. Sacs where fungi develop
- 41. Where instinctive impulses are manifest
- 42. Schoolhouse implements
- 48. Brain parts
- 50. Borne by or suspended in a liquid
- 51. Of the desert
- 52. Starbucks size
- 53. Ancient Roman garment
- 54. In a way, set aflame
- 55. Samarium
- 56. Heavenly bodies
- 58. Water in the solid state
- 59. Exchanged
- 60. Int’l organization

## CLUES DOWN

- 1. Regain
- 2. A colorless odorless gas used as fuel
- 3. Delicacies
- 4. Spanish be
- 5. Miami Heat great
- 6. More slick
- 7. Turn away
- 8. Made a second thrust
- 9. Where injured ballplayers end up
- 12. As quickly as can be done
- 13. Military disguise
- 17. \_\_\_ and Dad
- 19. Mythological wind (Greek)
- 20. Slides without control
- 21. Principle or belief
- 25. Unusually large
- 29. Naturally occurring solid material
- 31. Backsides
- 32. Large orange-brown butterfly
- 33. Old Testament prophet
- 35. Women’s apartments in a Muslim palace
- 38. One who waters down
- 41. Made a visual representation of
- 43. Continent
- 44. Flat pieces of rock
- 45. Very long period of time
- 46. Radioactivity units
- 47. Fields of study
- 49. Distinctive, pleasant smell
- 56. The Constitution State (abbr.)
- 57. South Dakota





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# MOSAIC

FROM PAGE 18

Rezoning hearings are planned for June 5-6 at the DeSoto County Planning Commission, starting at 5:30 p.m. Additional hearings before the DeSoto

Board of County Commissioners are planned for July 24-25.

A Mosaic spokeswoman noted the June hearings before Planning/Zoning commissioners mark "the first step in lengthy process," Heather Nedley said, adding that "rezoning doesn't stop current agriculture. In fact, agricultural uses will continue on the land."

# DESOTO

FROM PAGE 18

or shelter programs, 6) if they are a private voluntary organization, they must have a voluntary board. Qualifying agencies are urged to apply.

DeSoto County has distributed emergency food and shelter funds previously, with Catholic Charities participating. This

agency was responsible for providing rents and/or mortgages for 24 families.

Public or private voluntary agencies interested in applying for emergency food and shelter program funds must contact the Rev. Theodore Hanus, 863-558-3090, for an application. The deadline for applications must be received by May 25.

ATTENTION! Unemployment applications can be filled out at Career Source Heartland, 2160 NE Roan Ave., Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

# ROADWATCH

## DESOTO COUNTY:

• State Road 72 at S.W. Rodgers Avenue and S.W. Gator Trail — Traffic on State Road 72 shifts slightly north using the westbound lane and shoulder near S.W. Rodgers Avenue, so crews can build a new box culvert. S.W. Rodgers Avenue is closed and will remain closed through the mid-June while crews complete the roadway and guardrail. Motorists may access S.W. Rodgers Avenue through the detour using SW Gator Trail and Florida Avenue. This project includes adding box culverts, grading ditches, reconstructing roadway shoulders and adding guardrail along the south side of State Road 72. Expected completion is Summer 2018. The contractor is Estep Construction Inc.

• State Road 70 (West Oak Street)

Railroad Crossing — Crews continue work to improve the railroad crossing on State Road 70 (West Oak Street) west of U.S. Highway 17 in Arcadia. Crews will be shifting traffic to complete work. Weather permitting, this week vehicles traveling both east and west are using the lanes on the north side of the roadway while crews work on the south side of the roadway. Two-way traffic will be maintained at all times; however, motorists should use caution and expect delays. The project also includes milling and resurfacing the roadway adjacent to the railroad tracks and installing drainage improvements. Estimated completion is June 2018, weather permitting. The contractor is Ajax Paving Industries of Florida LLC.

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# Navigating child support, other clerk's office updates

A large portion of the phone calls we receive each week at the DeSoto County clerk's office are child support related.

This is a unique division within our office, for a couple of reasons. First, DeSoto County is the only county in the state of Florida that still accepts child support payments in the office. All other counties require child support payments be made through the State Disbursement Unit in Tallahassee. Continuing this service has allowed those with cases here in DeSoto County to conveniently pay in person with cash or a money order. A person may also mail a money order to our office and we will receipt the payment.

The other thing that makes our child support division unique is the close working relationship the Clerk's Office has with the Florida Department of Revenue Child Support Enforcement. While both agencies are completely separate entities, we work closely to communicate important information about ongoing child support cases. This allows for the best customer service, for both the petitioner and respondent in the case. A child support clerk and representatives from the Department of



Nadia Daughtrey

Revenue attend all court hearings and make sure records are kept accurately.

In order to establish a child support case for unmarried couples, the petitioner must file a Petition to Establish Paternity and Other Relief. The packets are available here at the clerk's office for \$22 and the cost to file is \$410. This also includes the cost of issuing and serving a summons to the respondent. We always recommend consulting an attorney when filing any civil action. However, should you choose to file your own paperwork, there is a case manager available by appointment at the courthouse to assist you with completing the packet.

Once the respondent has been served, he or she has 20 days to respond. The judge will then schedule the case for mediation, the goal being

that both parties will be able to come to an agreement prior to the court date. This particular petition is not only for the purposes of establishing child support, it may also include child custody and time sharing between the parents. When a child support case is nearing its end, the clerk's office will audit the case. This is a method of verifying that the payment history matches the amount due at the end of the case.

If there is an issue either party would like to be addressed after child support has been established, a Supplemental Petition to Modify Child Support packet can be purchased in our office for \$16. The filing fee for this petition is \$60 and also includes the cost of issuing and serving a summons to the other party. Another service offered in our office is copies of payment histories. This is available at a cost of \$1/page and can go back to the inception of the case.

Here are some helpful phone numbers that many people ask for:

Florida Department of Revenue  
850-488-5437

State Disbursement Unit  
877-769-0251

If you have other questions about child support, please call the clerk's

office at 993-4876 and one of our knowledgeable deputy clerks will be happy to assist you. As always you can email me directly at [nadia.daughtrey@desotoclerk.com](mailto:nadia.daughtrey@desotoclerk.com) for anything I may be able to help you with.

The clerk's office will be closed on (Monday) May 28 in remembrance of Memorial Day and those who made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom.

On June 1, our clerk's office cooks will be back at it to provide a hearty homestyle breakfast for a donation of \$5 per plate. This fundraiser will benefit one of our beloved county employees whose wife has been experiencing some medical issues. We are honored to help this great family any way we can. Hope to see you there!

I am excited to announce the clerk's office will be hosting our summer passport fair on June 2 from 8 a.m.-12 p.m. We will be open these special Saturday hours to process new passport applications, renewals and take passport photos, free of charge. Please make plans to attend and take advantage of this special offer!

Best wishes to you all for a wonderful month of May!

*Nadia K. Daughtrey is DeSoto County Clerk of the Circuit Court.*

# Hidden gem: Peanut Island in Palm Beach County

By PATTY WALKER

ARCADIAN ADVENTURE CORRESPONDENT

Do you ever dream of being in a tropical paradise but worry it will be too expensive and you will not have enough vacation time to go?

There is a hidden oasis within reach of DeSoto County that gives you that feeling of paradise, without costing a bunch. Your dreams will come true when you visit Peanut Island, situated about 125 miles east of Arcadia in Palm Beach County along the Atlantic coastline. It's one of those hidden gems you absolutely need to go see to believe!

Let me share what is in store for your adventure. Peanut Island is situated along the Intracoastal Waterway in proximity to Riviera Beach. It was named Peanut Island because of plans to use it as a terminal for shipping peanut oil, but those plans didn't come to completion.

The 80-acre tropical island is famous for its beautiful, crystal-clear blue waters. It's perfect for swimming and fishing—but its most amazing feature is the best easy-access snorkeling in south Florida. The vibrantly colored tropical

## IF YOU GO

**Location:**  
80 acres, Intracoastal Waterway, near the Lake Worth Inlet, Riviera Beach, Palm Beach County

**Hours:**  
Day use, designated areas: sunrise-sunset  
Reserved and limited camping in designated areas  
Swimming area is guarded from 9:15 a.m. - 4:45 p.m., seven days a week from Memorial Day until Palm Beach County public schools begin in August

fish are viewable in waist-deep water, making it particularly popular with families. The best time for snorkeling is around high tide when Gulfstream-fed ocean water enters through the inlet. The blue waters here are a comfortable 80 degrees well into September. The ocean sea life that you might see here is amazing, which includes those tropical fish in the man-made ecosystem reef.

Another option is to check out the lagoon that has two walking bridges that connect and has a floating dock, which is protected from waves and current. If you don't wish to get your feet wet, enjoy viewing the wading birds among the mangroves, manatees grazing on abundant seagrasses, sea turtles,

stingrays and other marine life.

There are coconut palms surrounding the picnic pavilions and lifeguards are on duty while you enjoy the sun and fun among white-sand beaches. The island is a popular destination for boaters, with boat slips available for day use without charge on a first-come, first-served basis.

If you enjoy camping and are looking for an overnight experience, extend your stay and continue your adventure after sunset. A 20-site campground is available for tent campers, by reservation only. Day or night you can take a casual stroll on the 1.25-mile pathway which winds around the perimeter of the island. Create your own adventure

by discovering little trails that lead you to scenic overlooks and surprises such as the Kennedy Bunker.

You get to Peanut Island by paying a \$12 fee to take the ferry boat or you might choose to kayak from the marina, which my husband and I will be doing on our next adventure to the island. You pick the time to start your adventure, but I would suggest early in the morning, so you have a plenty of time to enjoy this amazing nature retreat.

You will find Peanut Island is a unique place and has something to offer everyone! [discover.pbcgov.org](http://discover.pbcgov.org)

*Patty Walker is an Arcadia-based travel writer.*



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Peanut Island is situated about 125 miles east in Palm Beach County along the Atlantic coastline.



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**President can't block critics on Twitter**

A federal judge ruled Wednesday that President Donald Trump is violating the First Amendment when he blocks critics on Twitter because of their political views. **See page 2**



## With death rate up, life expectancy is likely down again

By **MIKE STOBBE**  
AP Medical Writer

NEW YORK — The U.S. death rate rose last year, and 2017 likely will mark the third straight year of decline in American life expectancy, according to preliminary data.

Death rates rose for Alzheimer's disease, diabetes, flu and pneumonia, and three other leading causes of death, according to numbers posted online Wednesday by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Full-year data is not yet available for drug overdoses, suicides or firearm deaths. But partial-year statistics in those categories showed continuing increases.

Just as important, there was little change in the death rate from the nation's No. 1 killer: heart disease. In the past, steady annual drops in heart disease death rates offset increases in other causes. But that offset is no longer happening, experts say.

The CDC's National Center for Health Statistics calculated the preliminary rates based on a first-pass review of death certificates filed last year. There typically are



AP FILE PHOTO

**In this Aug. 9, 2017 photo, workers dig a new grave at a church cemetery in New Vienna, Iowa. Preliminary data released on Wednesday shows U.S. death rates rose again last year, indicating that 2017 likely will mark the third straight decline in American life expectancy.**

delays in the filing of paperwork for causes of death that involve police investigations.

A more complete report is expected around the end of the year, including the number of deaths and a

calculation of life expectancy — the average lifespan based on year of birth, current death trends and other factors.

For decades, life expectancy increased, rising a few months nearly every year. But

2016 was the second year in a row in U.S. life expectancy fell, a rare event that had occurred only twice before in the last century.

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## US disinvites China from multinational military exercise

By **ROBERT BURNS**  
AP National Security Writer

WASHINGTON — The Pentagon said Wednesday it has withdrawn an invitation for China to participate in a multinational naval exercise the U.S. is hosting this summer, a sign of fresh tension between Pacific powers.

The move comes amid high-stakes maneuvering over North Korea's nuclear program, which is scheduled to be the subject of a meeting in June between President Donald Trump and the North's leader, Kim Jong Un. Trump on Tuesday said he suspected that the North's recent talk of scrapping the summit could reflect influence from Chinese President Xi Jinping, who recently met with Kim.

Washington also is engaged in a trade dispute with China over U.S. complaints about market access and technology policy.

The U.S. had included China in the past two versions of the naval exercise known as Rim of the Pacific, or RimPac, in 2014 and 2016. The engagements were part of an effort by the Obama administration to stabilize military relations with Beijing even as Washington challenged China to stop placing military assets in the South China Sea. China is pitted against smaller neighbors in multiple disputes over islands, coral reefs and lagoons in waters crucial for global commerce and rich in fish and potential oil and gas reserves.

Wednesday's announcement raises the prospect of a renewed chill in military relations, which have been disrupted many times by China's objections to U.S. arms sales to Taiwan and other issues.

Asked about the Pentagon's move, Chinese Foreign Minister Wang Yi told reporters at the State Department, "We find that a very non-constructive move." He said China hopes the U.S. will change its "negative mindset."

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## Kushner finally gets full White House security clearance

By **CHRIS MEGERIAN**  
Los Angeles Times

WASHINGTON — Jared Kushner has received his full security clearance after more than a year of delay and controversy, removing a hurdle to his continued service as a key adviser to President Donald Trump, his father-in-law.

Kushner lost his access to top-secret intelligence in February, an embarrassing setback for a senior White House official who had become

accustomed to highly classified briefings and working on sensitive international issues.

The change came during a political firestorm over Rob Porter, Trump's staff secretary, who had kept his own job even though he was unable to get a permanent clearance because of allegations he had physically abused his ex-wives.

Now Kushner has been returned to his previous high-level status — and on a permanent basis, according to his lawyer.



**KUSHNER**

looking forward to continuing the work the president has asked him to do."

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## Rain from Gulf floods Southeast; tropical storm possible

By **JAY REEVES**  
Associated Press

Heavy rains from the Gulf of Mexico spawned flooding in the Southeastern states Wednesday ahead of what could become the year's first tropical storm, just as tourist season begins.

The National Hurricane Center said a disturbance still over water in the western Caribbean had a 70 percent chance of becoming a subtropical or tropical system by Memorial Day, and rain is forecast to continue even if it doesn't.

The system will be named "Alberto" if it strengthens into the first tropical storm of the 2018 hurricane season, which doesn't begin until June 1.



AP PHOTO

**This May 21 photo shows exercise equipment partially submerged in Hollywood, Florida.**

Forecasters said rain would become more widespread and heavier as the area moves northward toward land.

As much as 7 inches of rain is possible in south Florida, where some areas had more than 14 inches of rain last weekend. Similar rain totals are possible from southeastern

Louisiana to central Georgia, with the coasts of Alabama and the western Florida Panhandle in a bull's-eye to receive the most rain.

The weather service issued warnings about dangerous currents along the Gulf Coast during the Memorial Day holiday period.

## Governor: Hurry up on getting election security grant money

By **TERRY SPENCER**  
Associated Press

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. — Florida Gov. Rick Scott ordered state officials Wednesday to expedite the acquisition of a \$19 million federal grant aimed at protecting the state's election systems from cyberattack, one day after the state's top elections official said the money wouldn't be available until after the November election.

The money is part of a \$380 million national election protection program President Donald Trump approved in March. Florida Secretary of State Ken Detzner, the state's chief elections official, had said Tuesday at the annual convention for the state's



**GOV. SCOTT**

67 county supervisors of election that the money couldn't be distributed earlier because it requires legislative approval. Scott ordered Detzner, his appointee, to file the necessary paperwork to access the grant soon so the money can be available before the election.

Florida election officials were put in a negative international spotlight during the 2000 election recount that put George W. Bush into the presidency over Al Gore and there have been periodic problems since. "The integrity of our

elections is paramount, and we'll keep fighting to ensure that every Floridian continues to have confidence in our elections process," Scott said in a statement. Scott, a Republican, is running for the U.S. Senate in November against the incumbent Democrat, Bill Nelson. Floridians will also be electing a new governor.

Nelson issued a statement criticizing the Scott administration for not already applying for the funding, saying it leaves the state vulnerable.



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# Judge: President can't block critics on Twitter

NEW YORK (AP) — A federal judge ruled Wednesday that President Donald Trump is violating the First Amendment when he blocks critics on Twitter because of their political views.

U.S. District Judge Naomi Reice Buchwald in Manhattan stopped short in her written decision of ordering Trump or a subordinate to stop the practice of blocking critics from viewing his Twitter account, saying it was enough to point out that it was unconstitutional.

"A declaratory judgment should be sufficient, as no government official — including the President — is above the law, and all government officials are presumed to follow the law as has been declared," Buchwald wrote.

The judge did not issue an order against Trump, and the plaintiffs did not ask for one. But in cases like this, plaintiffs can, in theory, go back and ask for such an order, and if it is not obeyed, the violator can be held in contempt.

Buchwald said she rejected the assertion that an injunction can never be lodged against the president but "nonetheless conclude that it is unnecessary to enter that legal thicket at this time."

The case was brought last July by the Knight First Amendment Institute at Columbia University and seven individuals blocked by Trump after criticizing the Republican president.

Kerri Kupec, a spokeswoman for the Department of Justice, said in an email: "We respectfully disagree with the court's decision and are considering our next steps."

Jameel Jaffer, the Knight Institute's executive director, said in a release that his

organization was pleased. "The president's practice of blocking critics on Twitter is pernicious and unconstitutional, and we hope this ruling will bring it to an end," he said.

The lawsuit was filed after Trump blocked some individuals from @realDonaldTrump, a 9-year-old Twitter account with over 50 million followers, after each of them tweeted a message critical of Trump or his policies in reply to a tweet he had sent.

Justice Department lawyers had argued it was Trump's prerogative to block followers, no different from the president deciding in a room filled with people not to listen to some.

Buchwald ruled that the tweets were "governmental in nature."

"The President presents the @realDonaldTrump account as being a presidential account as opposed to a personal account and, more importantly, uses the account to take actions that can be taken only by the President as President," the judge said.

The judge noted that another defendant, Daniel Scavino — the White House's social media director and an assistant to the president — can unblock those followers without the president needing to do it himself. The judge dismissed Sarah Huckabee Sanders as a defendant in the case after it was established she does not have access to Trump's account.

Buchwald also said she recognized the impact on the individuals by Trump's action was not "of the highest magnitude." She said the First Amendment protects people even from trivial harm.

## Jury awards \$1 billion after guard rapes teen

ATLANTA (AP) — A Georgia jury has awarded an eye-popping \$1 billion verdict against a security company after an apartment complex guard was convicted of raping a 14-year-old girl.

Attorney L. Chris Stewart represents the girl's mother. Stewart says the teen was outside by some picnic tables with her boyfriend in October 2012 when an armed security guard approached. Stewart says the guard told the boyfriend not to move and raped the girl.

The guard is identified in the lawsuit as Brandon Lamar Zachary. He was convicted of statutory rape and is serving a 20-year prison sentence.

## Teens charged with killing Ohio mom during car race

TAMPA, Florida (AP) — Two Florida teenagers are facing vehicular homicide charges after police say one struck and killed an Ohio woman and seriously injured her 21-month-old daughter while racing on a street alongside Tampa Bay.

Tampa police reported that a Ford Mustang driven by 18-year-old Cameron Herrin struck 24-year-old Jessica Reisinger of Jeromesville, Ohio, as she was pushing her daughter Lillia's stroller across the street on Wednesday. The mother was pronounced dead at a hospital.

Police say Herrin was racing a Nissan driven by 17-year-old John Barrineau. Both are charged with street racing, vehicular homicide, and reckless driving resulting in serious bodily injury. A passenger in the Mustang, 20-year-old Tristan Herrin, was charged with street racing.

## Dive team seeking man missing at bottom of waterfall

BANNER ELK, N.C. (AP) — Authorities have called in a special dive team to the North Carolina mountains to search for an Ohio man believed drowned in the pool at the bottom of a waterfall.

Avery County Sheriff Kevin Frye says divers from Charlotte are helping locate the man who disappeared Sunday at Elk River Falls in the Pisgah National Forest. Frye says the man was at the base of the 50-foot falls when he fell into the water and currents strengthened by excessive rains pulled him away from people trying to rescue him.

## Inmate says killing cellmate was a public service

FRESNO, Calif. (AP) — A California inmate bragged to a judge that he was performing a public service when he killed a cellmate awaiting trial on charges of sexually abusing a child.

The Fresno Bee reported Wednesday that a judge sentenced a remorseless Gary Dale Poole to 75-years-to-life in prison after a jury convicted him of first-degree murder. Poole on Tuesday said in court for the first time that he strangled Michael Stauff, 62, in April 2014.

"Mercy was mixed with justice. He met his maker," Poole told Superior Court Judge Jonathan Conklin.

Poole, 67, had previously denied killing Stauff, who was found strangled by ripped bed sheets in their shared cell.

Court records showed Poole was convicted of unlawful consensual sex with an inmate, burglary, bank robbery and robbery. At the time of Stauff's killing, Poole was in jail on drug charges, records showed.

## Uber ends self-driving program in Arizona

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Uber is pulling its self-driving cars out of Arizona, a reversal triggered by the recent death of woman who was run over by one of the ride-hailing service's robotic vehicles while crossing a darkened street in a Phoenix suburb.

The decision announced Wednesday means Uber won't be bringing back its self-driving cars to the streets of Arizona, eliminating the jobs of about 300 people who served as backup drivers and performed other jobs connected to the vehicles.

Uber had suspended testing of its self-driving vehicles in Arizona, Pittsburgh, San Francisco and Toronto while regulators investigated the cause of a March 18 crash that killed 49-year-old Elaine Herzberg in Tempe, Arizona.

## Feds charge man, 2 gamers in deadly hoax call

WICHITA, Kan. (AP) — Federal prosecutors have indicted two online gamers and the California man accused of making the hoax calls that led a police officer to fatally shoot an unarmed man in Kansas.

The indictment unsealed Wednesday charges Tyler Barriss with conspiracy, false information and hoaxes, cyberstalking, interstate threats and other charges.

Gamers Casey Viner, of Ohio, and Shane Gaskill, of Kansas, face conspiracy, obstruction of justice and wire fraud charges.

Barriss is accused of calling Wichita police from Los Angeles on Dec. 28 to report a shooting and kidnapping at a Wichita home.

A responding officer fatally shot 28-year-old Andrew Finch after he opened the door.

## Disney says Star Wars lands will open in 2019

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Disney says its much-anticipated new Star Wars lands will open in California next summer and in Florida in late fall 2019.

The company on Tuesday offered more detailed times on when in 2019 the Star Wars: Galaxy Edge lands would open at its U.S. theme parks. The Star Wars land will open at Disneyland Resort in the summer of 2019, followed by an opening at Walt Disney World resort in the fall of 2019.

The company said that guests "will land in the middle of the action as they live their own Star Wars stories."

## NKorea says Pence remarks 'stupid,' willing to not meet

TOKYO (AP) — A top North Korean official says recent comments by U.S. Vice President Mike Pence were "stupid" and "ignorant" and again warns the country is willing to pull out of a planned summit with President Donald Trump.

Choe Son Hui, the vice minister of foreign affairs, was quoted Thursday by the North's state-run news agency slamming comments Pence made in an interview with Fox News that compared North Korea to Libya, saying they showed that he does not understand North Korea's situation.

She also questioned whether the summit with Trump would be worthwhile if the remarks reflect Washington's position.

KCNA quoted her as saying: "We will neither beg the U.S. for dialogue nor take the trouble to persuade them if they do not want to sit together with us."

### TODAY / TONIGHT

T-storms in the afternoon Cloudy  
**HIGH 86°** **LOW 71°**  
 90% chance of rain 25% chance of rain

### FRIDAY

Cloudy with a shower and t-storm around  
**85° / 71°**  
 65% chance of rain

### SATURDAY

Cloudy with showers and a heavier t-storm  
**81° / 72°**  
 65% chance of rain

### SUNDAY

Cloudy; a.m. showers, then a heavy t-storm  
**85° / 74°**  
 70% chance of rain

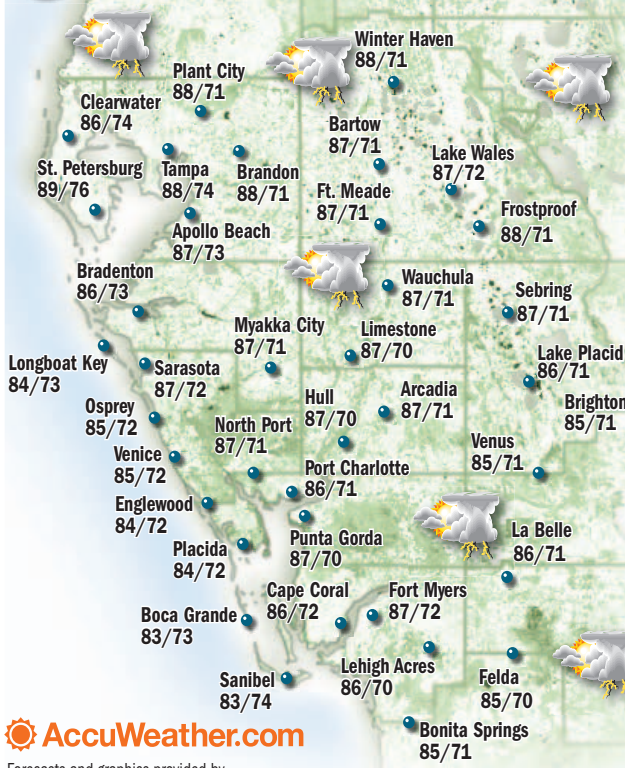
### MONDAY

A couple of showers and a thunderstorm  
**87° / 74°**  
 60% chance of rain

### TUESDAY

Overcast and humid with t-storms possible  
**89° / 73°**  
 35% chance of rain

**77°** GULF WATER TEMPERATURE



### FLORIDA CITIES

City	Today	Fri.
Apalachicola	86 73 c 85 73 t	86 72 t
Bradenton	86 73 t 86 72 t	86 72 t
Clearwater	86 74 t 86 74 t	86 74 t
Coral Springs	84 75 t 82 74 c	82 72 c
Daytona Beach	84 71 t 82 71 c	82 71 c
Fort Lauderdale	84 76 t 82 75 c	82 75 c
Fort Myers	87 72 t 84 72 t	86 70 t
Gainesville	88 70 t 86 70 t	86 70 t
Jacksonville	85 70 t 83 71 t	83 71 t
Key Largo	82 75 t 80 76 t	80 76 t
Key West	84 74 c 82 72 c	82 72 c
Lakeland	87 71 t 85 70 t	85 70 t
Melbourne	85 75 t 82 74 c	82 74 c
Miami	84 75 t 82 74 c	82 74 c
Naples	86 73 t 83 72 t	83 72 t
Ocala	88 70 t 85 70 t	85 70 t
Okeechobee	83 70 t 82 70 t	82 70 t
Orlando	88 72 t 84 71 t	84 71 t
Panama City	85 72 c 85 71 t	85 71 t
Pensacola	88 72 c 86 72 t	86 72 t
Pompano Beach	85 77 t 82 76 c	82 76 c
St. Augustine	84 72 c 82 72 c	82 72 c
St. Petersburg	89 76 t 88 75 t	88 75 t
Sarasota	87 72 t 85 72 t	85 72 t
Tallahassee	88 71 c 88 70 t	88 70 t
Tampa	88 74 t 86 73 t	86 73 t
Vero Beach	83 72 t 82 70 c	82 70 c
West Palm Beach	83 73 t 81 72 c	81 72 c

### TIDES

Location	High	Low	High	Low
Punta Gorda	Today 12:58p	6:30a	--- 7:31p	---
Englewood	Today 11:35a	4:46a	11:38p	5:47p
Boca Grande	Today 10:16a	3:14a	10:33p	4:18p
El Jobean	Today 12:06a	6:59a	1:30p	8:00p
Venice	Today 9:50a	3:25a	9:53p	4:26p

### MARINE

Location	SE	SW	NE	NW
Cape Sable to Tarpon Springs	4-8	1-2	Light	
Tarpon Springs to Apalachicola	4-8	1-2	Light	

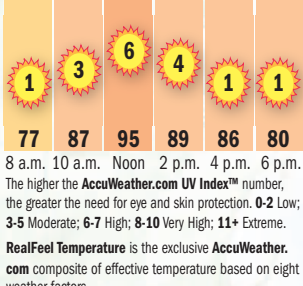
### SUN AND MOON

The Sun	Rise	Set
Today	6:37 a.m.	8:14 p.m.
Friday	6:36 a.m.	8:15 p.m.

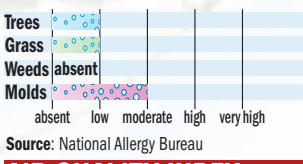
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Time	Minor	Major	Minor	Major
Today	2:26a	8:38a	2:50p	9:01p
Fri.	3:07a	9:19a	3:31p	9:42p
Sat.	3:48a	9:59a	4:11p	10:22p

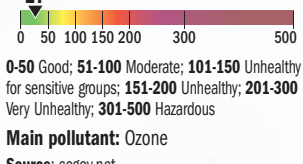
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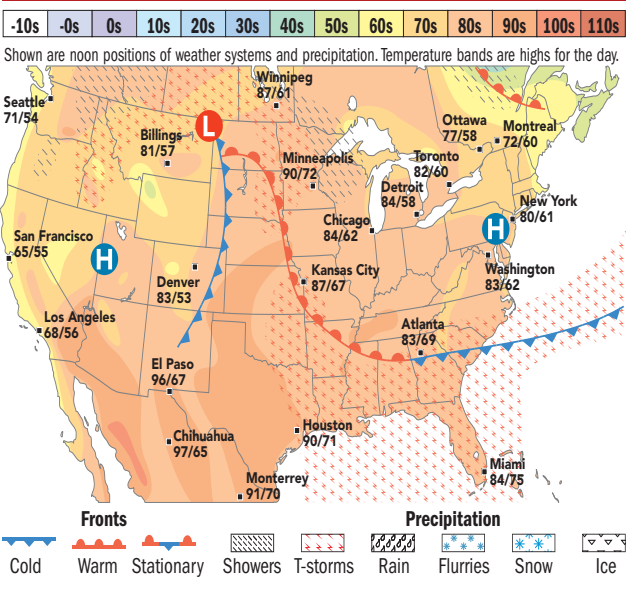
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### THE NATION



### U.S. EXTREMES

High	Low
94° at Falfurrias, TX	26° at Leadville, CO

### WORLD CITIES

City	Today	Fri.
Albuquerque	87 60 s 90 60 s	87 60 s
Anchorage	57 42 pc 56 43 c	56 43 c
Atlanta	83 69 t 80 69 t	80 69 t
Baltimore	82 58 s 85 65 s	85 65 s
Billings	81 57 pc 85 56 pc	85 56 pc
Birmingham	89 70 t 83 69 t	83 69 t
Boise	82 60 pc 85 58 pc	85 58 pc
Boston	66 56 s 87 66 s	87 66 s
Buffalo	80 60 s 84 67 t	84 67 t
Burlington, VT	73 59 pc 85 62 pc	85 62 pc
Charleston, WV	87 61 s 88 65 pc	88 65 pc
Charlotte	82 66 t 82 67 c	82 67 c
Chicago	84 62 pc 90 68 pc	90 68 pc
Cincinnati	84 63 s 87 68 s	87 68 s
Cleveland	80 57 s 85 65 s	85 65 s
Columbia, SC	82 68 t 81 69 t	81 69 t
Columbus, OH	84 60 s 88 66 pc	88 66 pc
Concord, NH	76 51 s 88 60 pc	88 60 pc
Dallas	92 71 pc 94 72 s	94 72 s
Denver	83 53 s 86 57 pc	86 57 pc
Des Moines	89 70 pc 87 69 t	87 69 t
Detroit	84 58 s 87 64 s	87 64 s
Duluth	83 63 pc 84 61 pc	84 61 pc
Fairbanks	58 43 sh 60 40 c	60 40 c
Fargo	90 64 t 90 63 c	90 63 c
Hartford	78 52 s 88 64 s	88 64 s
Helena	78 53 t 81 53 pc	81 53 pc
Honolulu	85 74 pc 85 74 s	85 74 s
Houston	90 71 pc 90 73 t	90 73 t
Indianapolis	84 60 s 89 67 s	89 67 s

### PORT CHARLOTTE

Temperatures	90°/72°
High/Low	90°/72°
Normal High/Low	87°/69°
Record High	96° (2010)
Record Low	58° (1994)

### SEBRING

Temperatures	89°/69°
High/Low	89°/69°

### AIRPORT

City	Hi/Lo	Outlook	Delays
Ft. Myers	87/72	storms	all day
Punta Gorda	87/70	storms	all day
Sarasota	87/72	storms	all day

### WEATHER HISTORY

A 91-degree high on May 24, 1982, turned the previous record high of 79 to ashes in San Francisco.

### WEATHER TRIVIA™

Q: Which state reports the most occurrences of hail each year?  
 Colorado



# FDA warns teething medicines unsafe, wants them off shelves

By **MATTHEW PERRONE**  
AP HEALTH WRITER



AP PHOTO

**Orajel is displayed for sale in a pharmacy in New York Wednesday.**

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal health officials warned parents Wednesday about the dangers of teething remedies that contain a popular numbing ingredient and asked manufacturers to stop selling their products intended for babies and toddlers. The Food and Drug Administration said that various gels and creams containing the drug benzocaine can cause rare but deadly side effects in children, especially those 2 years and younger. The agency has been

warning about the products for a decade but said reports of illnesses and deaths have continued. Now, it wants teething products off the market, noting there is little evidence they actually work. “We urge parents, caregivers and retailers

who sell them to heed our warnings and not use over-the-counter products containing benzocaine for teething pain,” said FDA Commissioner Scott Gottlieb, in a statement. One major manufacturer, Church and Dwight Co. Inc., said Wednesday it would discontinue its four Orajel teething brands, including Baby Orajel and Orajel Medicated Teething Swabs. The FDA said it will take legal action against other companies that don't voluntarily comply as soon as possible. Benzocaine is also used in popular over-the-counter products

for toothaches and cold sores in adults, including Orajel and Anbesol and generic drugstore brands. Products for adults can remain on the market but the FDA wants companies to add new warnings. Church and Dwight will continue to sell its other Orajel products, the company said in a statement. Benzocaine can cause a rare blood condition linked to potentially deadly breathing problems. The pain-relieving ingredient can interfere with an oxygen-carrying protein in the blood. Symptoms include shortness of breath, headache and rapid heart rate.

The American Academy of Pediatrics does not recommend teething creams because they usually wash out of the baby's mouth within minutes. Instead, the group recommends giving babies teething rings or simply massaging their gums to relieve pain. The FDA issued warnings about the teething products in 2006, 2011 and 2014, but it did not call for their removal from the market. Officials reviewed 119 cases of the blood disorder linked to benzocaine between 2009 and 2017, including four deaths, according to the FDA.

# Minot AFB security commander ousted over lost gun, ammo

MINOT AIR FORCE BASE, N.D. (AP) — A security group commander at North Dakota's Minot Air Force Base was relieved of his command Wednesday after explosives and a machine gun were lost in separate incidents. Col. Jason Beers of the 91st Security Forces Group was ousted because the Air Force had lost trust

and confidence in him, said Col. Colin Connor, commander of the 91st Missile Wing. The Minot base, home to about 4,800 active-duty military personnel, is one of the nation's two B-52 bomber bases and the command center for about 150 Minuteman III missiles, housed underground in hardened silos across 8,500 square miles of

northwest and north-central North Dakota. An M240 machine gun was discovered missing May 16 during a routine weapons inventory earlier this month. Separately, the military last week called off a search of a container of ammunition for an automatic grenade launcher. Authorities said the explosives fell off a Humvee May 1 on

the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation near Parshall, in the northwest part of the state. The military said the base is taking inventory of all its weapons due to the loss of the gun. The North Dakota base has been under scrutiny for years, following a 2007 mishap in which a B-52 bomber was mistakenly armed with six

nuclear-tipped cruise missiles in Minot and flown to Barksdale Air Force Base in Louisiana. Other lapses at the base followed the bomber flight, including two crashes of vehicles carrying missile parts within a year of each other, the theft of a launch code device, the discovery of missile crew members sleeping on the job and failed inspections.

# Congress OKs Trump bid to widen private care at besieged VA

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress delivered a victory to President Donald Trump by expanding private care for veterans as an alternative to the troubled Veterans Affairs health system. The Senate cleared the bill on a 92-5 vote Wednesday, also averting a disastrous shutdown of its Choice private-sector program. The program is slated to run out of money as early as next week, causing

disruptions in care. The sweeping measure would allow veterans to see private doctors when they do not receive the treatment they expected, with the approval of a Department of Veterans Affairs health provider. Veterans could access private care when they have endured lengthy wait times or VA medical centers do not offer the services they need. The bill's approval comes despite concerns

from some Democrats that the effort would prove costly and be used too broadly by veterans in search of top-notch care even when the VA is able to provide treatment deemed sufficient for their needs. The White House said Trump applauded passage of legislation that would transform VA “into a high-performing and integrated health care system for the 21st century and provide veterans

with more choice in their health care options, whether from VA doctors or from the community.” The VA secretary will have wide leeway in implementing the legislation, which leaves it up to VA to determine what is “quality” care. Trump said last week he will nominate acting VA secretary Robert Wilkie to permanently lead the government's second largest department serving 9 million

veterans. Democrats say they intend to question Wilkie on whether he plans to “privatize” or degrade the VA health system, an issue that former VA Secretary David Shulkin says led to his firing in March. Sen. Johnny Isakson, the Republican chairman of the Senate Veterans Affairs Committee, lauded the bill as a big step toward providing veterans with “more choice and fewer barriers to care.”

## KUSHNER

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Kushner's access to highly classified intelligence was a source of criticism because he

repeatedly amended his disclosure reports, complicating the vetting process and raising questions about whether he was trying to hide some of his sprawling business interests or contacts with Russians

and other foreigners. Kushner has faced questioning from special counsel Robert S. Mueller III, who is investigating whether anyone from Trump's team conspired with Russians to influence the 2016

election. “He has continued this complete cooperation, providing a large number of documents and sitting for hours of interviews with congressional committees and providing numerous

documents and sitting for two interviews with the Office of Special Counsel,” Lowell said. “In each occasion, he answered all questions asked and did whatever he could to expedite the conclusion of all the investigation.”

## RATE

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Health officials say there was one three-year decline. That occurred in 1916, 1917 and 1918, a period that included the

worst flu pandemic in modern history. “Looking at these numbers, it seems likely” the nation has just tied that record, said Anne Case, a Princeton University researcher who's done influential work on deaths in middle-aged white

Americans from suicides, drug overdose and alcohol abuse. The overall death rate rose a little less than 1 percent, to about 734 deaths per 100,000 people. The rate dipped slightly in 2016 despite a record number of deaths that

year, so its rise in 2017 is more reason to expect life expectancy will worsen, Case said. There was some good news. The death rate for cancer, the nation's No. 2 killer, continued to drop. It fell 2 percent from 2016.

Death rates from HIV and blood infections also declined. The heart disease death rate fell too, but only by 0.3 percent. Experts think the nation's increasing obesity rate is probably a factor in the flattening of heart disease death rates.

## CHINA

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The U.S. military calls RimPac the world's largest international maritime exercise and says it “helps participants foster and sustain the cooperative relationships critical to ensuring the safety of sea lanes and security on the world's oceans.” A Pentagon statement said the decision to disinvite the Chinese navy

was “an initial response” to what it called China's militarization of the South China Sea. China's Defense Ministry had said in January that it was consulting with the U.S. over an invitation to take part in RimPac. The Pentagon cited what it called strong evidence that China has deployed anti-ship missiles, surface-to-air missile systems and electronic jammers to contested areas in the Spratly Island region of the South China Sea. It called

on China to remove these systems. “China's continued militarization of disputed features in the South China Sea only serve to raise tensions and destabilize the region,” a Pentagon spokesman, Marine Lt. Col. Christopher Logan, said. “As an initial response to China's continued militarization of the South China Sea we have disinvited the PLA Navy from the 2018 Rim of the Pacific (RimPac) Exercise,” he added. “China's behavior

is inconsistent with the principles and purposes of the RimPac exercise.” The Pentagon also cited its objections to China's recent landing of bomber aircraft at Woody Island in the Paracel Island chain, north of the Spratlys. China maintains that the South China Sea is its sovereign territory and that it is within its rights to build up defenses on the islands. In his remarks at the State Department, Wang said he and Secretary of State Mike Pompeo had

discussed U.S. complaints about Chinese “militarization” of features in the South China Sea. He said China is simply taking measures in self-defense, which have “nothing to do with militarization.” “Just like the U.S. has military presence in Hawaii and Guam,” he said. “And China's deployment is at a much smaller scaler than the U.S. It is out of necessary defense purposes. We don't hope to see any exaggeration or hype-up of this matter.”

## SECURITY

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“While at least a dozen of other states have taken advantage by applying for and receiving the funding to help them protect their systems from Russian intrusion, my state of Florida hasn't even applied for one single dollar of the \$19 million set aside for Florida. Not one,” Nelson said. When federal computer security experts asked the county election officials at their meeting Wednesday if they have plans for countering a

cyberattack, only about a third raised their hands, but all said they had hurricane contingencies. U.S. Homeland Security officials told them a cyberattack would do more damage to their systems and reputations than any natural disaster — and after a hurricane might be when they are most vulnerable to being hacked. “The bad guys are looking for an opportunity, they hit you when you are down,” said Klint Walker, a Homeland Security elections security expert. “The bad guys are on that....they are going to target you during those

times of stress.” Matt Masterson, a senior security adviser with Homeland Security, told supervisors their adversaries could be foreign governments or groups, criminals stealing information, political operatives trying to steal an election or agents trying to reduce the public's confidence in democracy. It's for that reason that election security is a key part of the federal anti-cyberattack program alongside electrical grids, dams and other infrastructure. “Sophisticated and persistent actors are

targeting our systems — that's our reality now,” Masterson said. “And it is not unique to Florida.” He showed how the Islamic State defaced the North Carolina election website, while identity thieves broke into the Illinois and Arizona systems. Such incidents erode the public's confidence in the elections system, he said. However, he said, the supervisors need to strike a balance. He said it would be possible to design a nearly hack-proof computer system, “but no one could vote on it.” Bobby Beasley, supervisor of elections in

the Panhandle's Walton County, said hackers tried unsuccessfully to get into his county's system in 2016 along with others. “We realize it is a problem,” Beasley said, saying his county is adding a stronger system aimed at thwarting hackers. “We have to stay one step ahead of them.” Broward County Elections Supervisor Brenda Snipes said her county's voters “should feel very secure. We stay on top of things.” Her office recently lost a lawsuit for destroying ballots in a congressional election before they were allowed.

## ALMANAC

Today is **Thursday, May 24**, the 144th day of 2018. There are 221 days left in the year.

### Today in history

On **May 24, 1968**, the Rolling Stones single “Jumpin' Jack Flash” was released in the United Kingdom by Decca Records.

### On this date

In **1844**, Samuel F.B. Morse transmitted the message “What hath God wrought” from Washington to Baltimore as he formally opened America's first telegraph line.

In **1937**, in a set of rulings, the U.S. Supreme Court upheld the constitutionality of the Social Security Act of 1935.

In **1941**, the German battleship Bismarck sank the British battle cruiser HMS Hood in the North Atlantic, killing all but three of the 1,418 men on board.

In **1962**, astronaut Scott Carpenter became the second American to orbit the Earth as he flew aboard Aurora 7.

In **1976**, Britain and France opened trans-Atlantic Concorde supersonic transport service to Washington.

In **2008**, British actor Rob Knox, 18, who had completed filming a minor role in “Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince,” was stabbed to death during a brawl in London.

### Today's birthdays

Actor-comedian-impressionist **Stanley Baxter** is 92. Jazz musician **Archie Shepp** is 81. Comedian **Tommy Chong** is 80. Singer **Bob Dylan** is 77. Actor **Gary Burghoff** is 75. Singer **Patti LaBelle** is 74. Actress **Priscilla Presley** is 73. Country singer **Mike Reid** is 71. Actor **Jim Broadbent** is 69. Actor **Alfred Molina** is 65. Singer **Rosanne Cash** is 63. Actor **Cliff Parisi** is 58. Actress **Kristin Scott Thomas** is 58. Rock musician **Jimmy Ashhurst** is 55. Rock musician **Vivian Trimble** is 55. Actor **John C. Reilly** is 53. Actor **Dana Ashbrook** is 51. Actor **Eric Close** is 51. Actor **Carl Payne** is 49. Rock musician **Rich Robinson** is 49. Actor **Dash Mihok** is 44. Actor **Owen Benjamin** is 38. Actor **Billy L. Sullivan** is 38. Rock musician **Cody Hanson** is 36. Dancer-choreographer-singer **Mark Ballas** is 32. Country singer **Billy Gilman** is 30. Actress **Brianne Howey** is 29.

### Bible verse

“And whosoever of you will be the chiefest, shall be servant of all.” — **Mark 10:44.**  
*Greatness in God's eyes is determined by our service to others. We may not be as great as we supposed. Learn to serve others.*

## ODD NEWS

### Legend of Loch Ness Monster will be tested with DNA samples

WELLINGTON, New Zealand (AP) — The stories seem as tall as the lake is deep. For hundreds of years, visitors to Scotland's Loch Ness have described seeing a monster that some believe lives in the depths.

But now the legend of “Nessie” may have no place left to hide. A New Zealand scientist is leading a team to the lake next month to take samples of the murky waters to conduct DNA tests and determine what species live there.

Professor Neil Gemmill says he's no believer in Nessie, but he wants to take people on an adventure and communicate some science. Besides, his kids think it's one of the coolest things he's done.

One of the more far-fetched theories is that Nessie is a long-necked plesiosaur that somehow survived the period when dinosaurs became extinct.







# Is there a safe dose of long-term steroids for back pain?

**DEAR DR. ROACH:** Last April, I had back surgery to enlarge the disc openings. Some of my problems were corrected with the surgery, but one major problem still exists: After I sit upright in a chair or drive a car for a period of time, when I attempt to get up, I struggle and have to wait a bit before I can walk away. It's like a nerve is pinched when I sit. My doctor showed me my last MRI and pointed out some scar tissue. He said irritation of my sciatic nerve was causing my left leg to go numb. He prescribed a six-day course of steroids, and immediately after starting the steroids, I was cured. I could get up and walk after sitting; I put my cane and walker away, and life was good. After the steroids ran out, I was back to square one. I asked if he could prescribe more steroids for me, and he said his office doesn't do that. Instead, he upped my gabapentin and added diclofenac. They are not helping. I am a 77-year-old retired cop, and I would like to finish my life still being able to golf, hunt,



**Dr. Roach**

ride my motorcycle and fish. Is there a safe dose of steroids I could recommend to my doctor? — J.C.

**ANSWER:** Steroids are very powerful anti-inflammatory medications that have multiple effects in the body, and although they are very useful, they have the potential for real harm. I could write over a month's worth of columns on the side effects of prednisone and similar steroids, but for you, the main concerns would include loss of bone minerals, muscle weakness, diabetes, high blood pressure and even changes in mood and

personality. Most of these changes occur only after fairly prolonged use of high-dose steroids, and that's why your doctor doesn't want to prescribe them long term (and I firmly agree with him).

That doesn't mean you have to be "out of the game." The fact that the steroids worked so well so quickly indicates that inflammation is a big part of why your sciatic nerve is being compressed. You would be an excellent candidate for injection of steroid right to the area where the nerve is being irritated. This is called an epidural injection.

The booklet on back problems gives an outline of the causes of and treatments for the more-common back maladies. Readers can order a copy by writing:

Dr. Roach  
Book No. 303  
628 Virginia Dr.  
Orlando, FL 32803

Enclose a check or money order for \$4.75 U.S./\$6 Can. with the recipient's printed name and address. Please allow four weeks for delivery.

**DEAR DR. ROACH:** I have a question that I would like answered, if possible. I am 67 years old. My doctor prescribed Vagifem (estradiol) suppositories, which I use once a week. It has helped, although drinking less black tea and doing Kegel exercises have, too.

My concern: In a recent column you mentioned that uterine cancer comes from use of estrogen without progesterone. Vagifem has no progesterone. And the vagina is so close to the uterus. I am worried about continued usage. — M.H.

**ANSWER:** Once-weekly estradiol is a very low dose of estrogen. Even though the uterus is in close proximity to the vagina, the estrogen still would get there through the blood, not directly. Studies have found that the amount of circulating estrogen in women taking it is not measurably higher than those who take no estrogen. Most experts think the risk of uterine cancer is not increased by low-dose vaginal estrogen, such as the once-a-week estradiol you are taking.

# 7 LITTLE WORDS

Find the 7 words to match the 7 clues. The numbers in parentheses represent the number of letters in each solution. Each letter combination can be used only once, but all letter combinations will be necessary to complete the puzzle.

CLUES	SOLUTIONS
1 smells (10)	_____
2 re-presented (8)	_____
3 Rihanna's first name (5)	_____
4 mourning out loud (9)	_____
5 Ursa Major is the Big one (6)	_____
6 beehive bunch (6)	_____
7 most like a humid day (9)	_____

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Wednesday's Answers: 1. CHIME 2. HEALTHINESS 3. UNFAZED 4. NORMATIVE 5. APPROACHING 6. FEATHERED 7. ALLEN 5/24

# Daughter sees grim future with her narcissist mother

**DEAR ABBY:** My mother is a narcissist and a user. She has never held down a job and blames everyone else. We rarely get along for more than 15 minutes at a time.

The problem is, she doesn't realize her behavior is unacceptable.

I'm an only child. There is no one else in her life. I'm responsible for 99 percent of her social interactions outside of work. What do I do? She says because she has no savings, she will be moving in with me when she's older.

Part of me wants a relationship with my mother — more for her sake than for mine — but she's toxic. How do I handle her now and as she ages? — Distressed Daughter In Wisconsin



**Dear Abby**

**DEAR ABBY:** I need advice on how to approach a friend, "Sarah," about a sensitive topic.

I'd like to take her shopping for clothes that fit her better, especially as she has started looking for a new job and will need appropriate clothes for an interview. However, Sarah's a bit on the large side and sensitive about it, so she doesn't like shopping with others and refuses our offers to help.

How can I offer to go clothes-shopping with her so I can help her find nice clothes without offending her? — Fashionista In New England

**DEAR DAUGHTER:** The person responsible for her social life as well as her financial situation is her, not you.

It is time to tell your mother she had better start putting money away for her old age because she will NOT be moving in with you. To take care of yourself does not make you a terrible person, so do not allow anyone to tell you that it does.

**DEAR FASHIONISTA:** How is your friend doing in that job search? If she tells you it's not well, that would be the time to offer help. Suggest she could make a better impression if she "dressed for success," and volunteer to help her.

# The weight makes the egg

**Dear Readers:** Have you ever wondered what makes a LARGE EGG LARGE? Let's look at how eggs are sized.



**Hints from Heloise**

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (www.usda.gov) has designated six sizes of eggs, and their weights: one Jumbo egg is a minimum of 63 grams; an Extra Large egg is a minimum of 56 grams; Large is at least 50 grams; Medium is at least 44 grams; Small is a minimum of 38 grams; and a Peewee egg is around 35 grams.

The takeaway? The size of the egg is determined by its weight, not its dimensions. The most popular size of egg is Large; you may notice

many, if not most, recipes call for Large eggs.

— Heloise

**Dear Heloise:** Another use for empty tissue boxes, especially the smaller cubes, is to hold balls of yarn while you're knitting. You can buy yarn bowls to do so, but the tissue boxes are free.

— Donna T., via email

# JUMBLE

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

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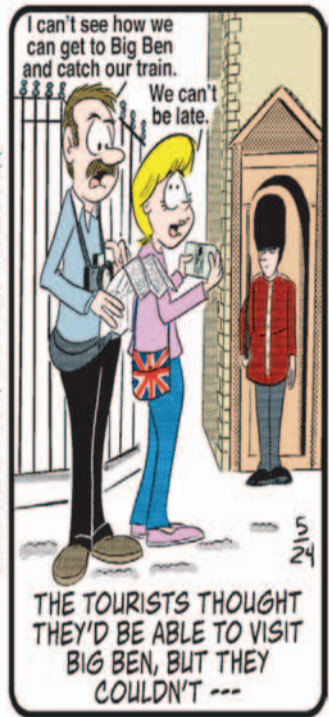
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Check out the new, free JUST JUMBLE app.

# THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME

by David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek



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

Yesterday's Jumbles: BUILD GLOAT SPRUCE JUSTLY  
Answer: When Neil deGrasse Tyson explains star formation, he does a — STELLAR JOB

# KENKEN

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EASY

2÷		4+	
6X		8X	
3-		3	
3	7+		

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CHALLENGING

12X		1-	3-	3+	20X
2÷	12X				
		1	9+		
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	3÷		4		
5		2÷		2÷	

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**RULES**

1 Each row and each column must contain the numbers 1 through 4 (easy) or 1 through 6 (challenging) without repeating.

2 The numbers within the heavily outlined boxes, called cages, must combine using the given operation (in any order) to produce the target numbers in the top-left corners.

3 Freebies: Fill in single-box cages with the number in the top-left corner.

**PREVIOUS ANSWERS**

2	32X	2-	
4	2	2÷	12X
3	1	2	4
1	3	4	2

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# MARMADUKE By Brad Anderson



# Cryptoquip

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G B I G H N E J T C X G R X T N C O N  
W E T T - H T E I P G O W B C P H B W T  
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Q G N C I T J !

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: CRUEL AND HURTFUL CRITICISM THAT TENDS TO SPREAD FROM PERSON TO PERSON; INFECTIVE INVECTIVE.  
Today's Cryptoquip Clue: D equals M

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R N K L H E B Y W T R O L J N  
G J S E E B Y W G U R P N K O  
I G Y M D M B Z N X V S Q I R  
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Wednesday's unlisted clue: HOME

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Thursday's unlisted clue hint: PITCHER CY

Aaron Cobb DiMaggio	Gehrig Griffey Jr. Hornsby Johnson	Mantle Mays Musial Ruth	Ryan Wagner Williams
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**WHATZIT?**

Find the familiar phrase, saying or name in this arrangement of letters.

LICRISISFE

SOLUTION

Midlife crisis



### HOROSCOPE

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19). Astronomers now believe that gold and heavy elements in the universe are the result of neutron star collisions. Similarly, a remarkable conflict you've been through has given you something rare, beautiful and valuable.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20). Remind yourself of the good you've done. When you slip, it's definitely a momentary forgetting of your true trajectory, which is one, headed up and up, of compassion and glory.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21). People will behave in a peculiar manner. Something is definitely afoot. Learn of it. That you are observant is a gift to all, as so many are too selfish to even know the mystery is in the offering.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 22). Find your knowledge counterpart. Find the person who knows what there is to know, and you'll cover the rest, or vice versa. The wise are sometimes the least knowledgeable.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22). Today, the smallest action can cause terrible or wonderful circumstances for another person. Your sense of personal responsibility will help you make a positive difference.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). It's very difficult to assess character under ideal and public circumstances. Anyone can act like they're doing the right thing in church or other societal structures. Character is what a person does when left to his or her own devices.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Debts will be settled. Pay what you owe and collect what's owed to you. As long as there's agreement on the terms, today's transactions will be smooth and convenient.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). In regards to projects, dates and canoe rides, it goes smoothly when one person is designated to steer. Decide who it is and stick to that decision for the remainder of the journey.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Today will be like testing day at school. A high level of focus will be required. As long as everyone rises to the occasion, each with eyes exclusively on his or her own paper, all will be well.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You'll join forces to build something cool — maybe an actual structure or more likely a process to accomplish a shared goal. Your choice of project will determine the people you'll be hanging around.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Sometimes you don't know what you've bottled up until you talk it out. Then again, different people bring out different sides of you. Not all that comes out represents who you are or your true feelings.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20). The world is filled with people of varied preferences and tolerances. Because of this, no one can be everyone's cup of tea. You're comfortable with who you are, so you don't need everyone to like you.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY** (May 24). This solar return will be marked by your fascination with the inner workings of things, people and more. You'll absorb so much that by this time next year you'll be navigating your life differently just to integrate all you've learned. Ask for more than you feel you should when the deal is on the table in October. Cancer and Virgo adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 3, 20, 1, 5 and 17.

Thursday, May 24, 2018

## GOREN BRIDGE

WITH BOB JONES

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### TELEPHONE NUMBER

North-South vulnerable, North deals

**NORTH**  
 ♠ A K 9 4  
 ♥ Q 6 3  
 ♦ A 5 3  
 ♣ 7 6 3

**WEST**  
 ♠ J 10 8 6 2  
 ♥ A K 5  
 ♦ J 4 2  
 ♣ Q 4

**EAST**  
 ♠ 5  
 ♥ 10 9 8 7  
 ♦ K 10 7  
 ♣ A K J 10 5

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ Q 7 3  
 ♥ J 4 2  
 ♦ Q 9 8 6  
 ♣ 9 8 2

The bidding:  
**NORTH** 1♣  
**EAST** Pass  
**SOUTH** 1♦  
**WEST** 1♠  
 INT Pass Pass Pass  
 2♦ Pass Pass Pass  
 All pass

Opening lead: Ace of ♥

Charles Goren required six points to respond to partner's opening bid, but many modern players will respond with only five, even four if it's an ace. Modern computer studies have shown that the 4-3-2-1 point count slightly over-values queens and jacks while under-valuing aces and tens. Kings are valued correctly. The

South hand, with the worst possible distribution along with two queens and one jack, doesn't get up to five points on our abacus.

On a good day, declarer will escape for down one in two diamonds, but East-West were Clay Hall and Mark Jones (no relation), en route to victory in the recent national Imp Pairs held in Philadelphia. The defense was perfect.

Hall shifted to the queen of clubs at trick two and the defense took three rounds of clubs before East shifted to a spade. Declarer won in dummy with the ace, cashed the ace of diamonds, and led another diamond. East rose with his king, returned a heart to West's king, and ruffed the spade continuation. A fourth round of clubs promoted West's diamond jack into a winner and the result was down three for 800 points to East-West.

This event was scored atimps, not match points, and this proved to be a huge result when scored across the field. The 11imps that Hall and Jones picked up on this part-score deal was almost the equivalent of a slam swing.

*(Bob Jones welcomes readers' responses sent in care of this paper. Please send your e-mail responses to tcaeditors@tribpub.com)*

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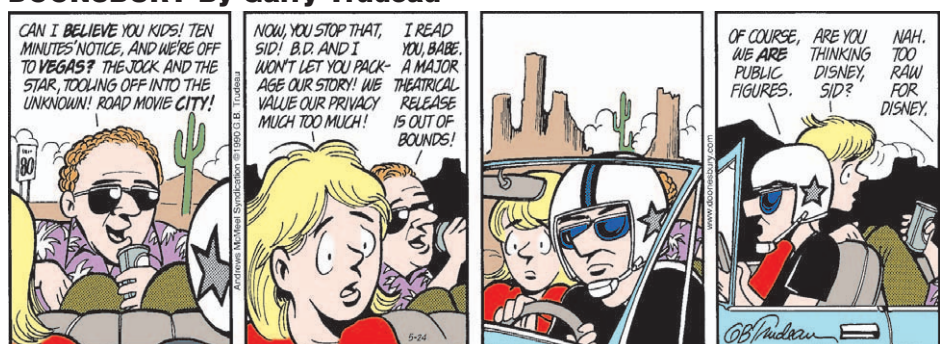
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### DOONSBURY By Garry Trudeau



## TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

#### ACROSS

- 1 Pawns
- 6 Cuzco founder
- 10 Pinnacle
- 14 Single-handed
- 15 Writer Roald —
- 16 Cafe au —
- 17 More innovative
- 18 Hormel product
- 19 Football kick
- 20 Humorous
- 22 "Same Time, Next Year" actor (2 wds.)
- 24 Tower over
- 26 Big Apple cagers
- 27 Book appendixes
- 30 Khan of note
- 31 Gets closer
- 32 Coniferous tree
- 35 Chicago hrs.
- 38 Neutral colors
- 39 Music genre
- 40 Winner's feeling
- 41 Caribou kin
- 42 Elephant teeth
- 43 Bank feature
- 44 Subzero comment
- 45 Sewing kit item
- 47 Prairies
- 50 Postpaid encl.
- 51 "Mystic River" star (2 wds.)
- 53 Scatter
- 57 Dry watercourse

#### DOWN

- 1 — Christian
- 2 Margarine
- 3 Part of
- 4 Batman's garb
- 5 Pew adjuncts
- 6 Homilies
- 7 Psyche parts
- 8 Valley of grapes
- 9 Tailor's marker
- 10 Fact books
- 11 Llama cousin
- 12 Make waterproof
- 13 Intellects
- 14 Singer —
- 15 James
- 16 Nonverbal approval
- 17 Nearby
- 18 Teen hangouts
- 19 Kitty starter
- 20 Do business
- 21 Cold and wet
- 22 Seabird
- 23 Takes a breather

#### PREVIOUS PUZZLE SOLVED



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- 35 Social organization
- 36 Hawk
- 37 Monsieur's pate
- 39 Very angry (2 wds.)
- 40 "Wheel of Fortune," for one (2 wds.)
- 42 Excursion
- 43 Seer's dreams
- 44 Exile
- 46 Suffered from
- 47 Nobel Prize category
- 48 Takes on cargo
- 49 Night noise
- 51 Did laps
- 52 Seasonal libations
- 54 Remove the rind
- 55 Columnist — Bombeck
- 56 In case
- 59 Got acquainted

### JANRIC CLASSIC SUDOKU

Fill in the blank cells using numbers 1 to 9. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and 3x3 block. Use logic and process elimination to solve the puzzle. The difficulty level ranges from Bronze (easiest) to Silver to Gold (hardest).

Rating: BRONZE

Solution to 5/23/18

3	2	7			9		4	
			7		6		2	
	8	1		2			3	
	7				1			
1	6	2		9		3	4	5
			2				1	
	9			7		4	5	
	1		6		4			
5		4				8	7	6

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## WORDY GURDY®

BY TRICKY RICKY KANE

1. Look at a French soft cheese (1)

□ □ □ □ □ □ □ □

2. Weak, unconvincing allegation (1)

□ □ □ □ □ □ □ □

3. Fritter away glue (1)

□ □ □ □ □ □ □ □

4. Lyft rival's yams and spuds (2)

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5. Birthday cake light damager (2)

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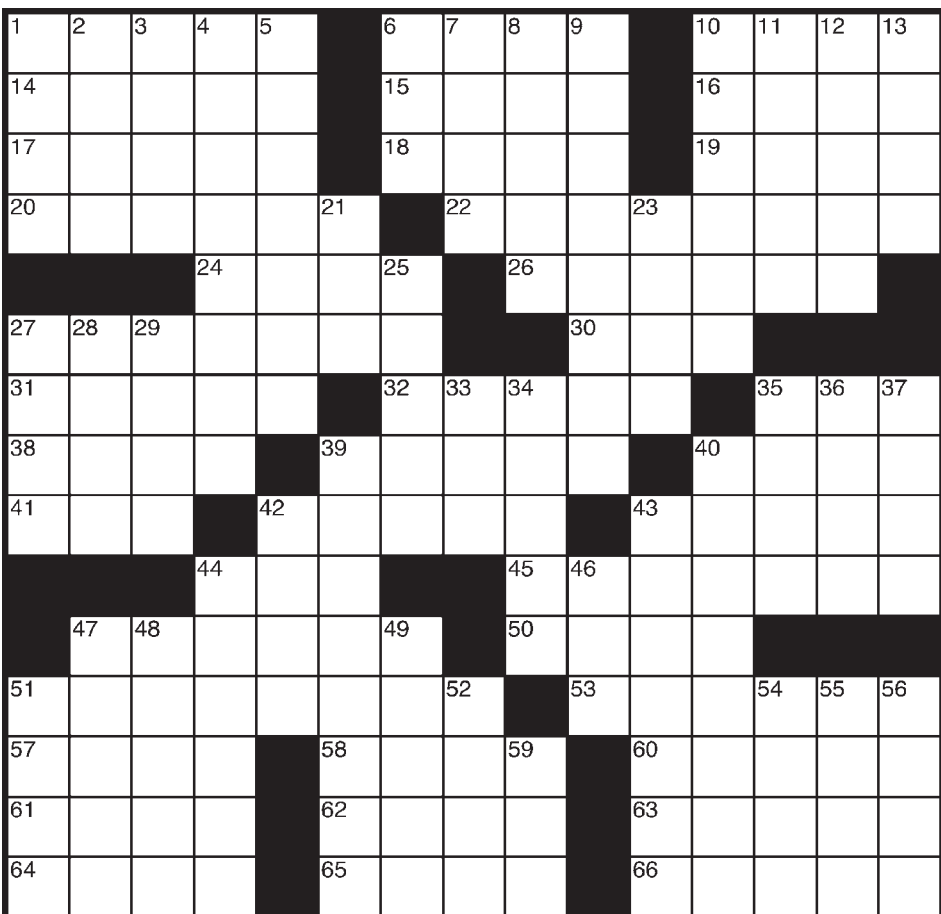
6. Wagering milieu (2)

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7. Serf's stately bearing (2)

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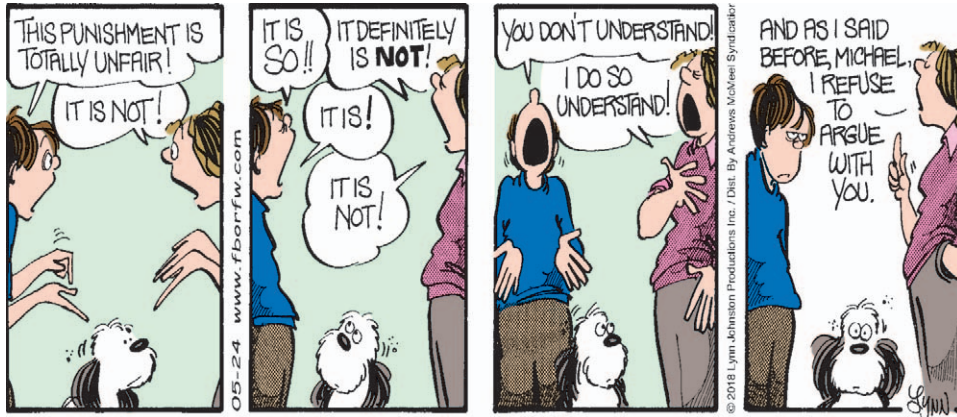
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 5. CANDLE VANDAL 6. BETTING SETTING 7. PEASANTS PRESENCE



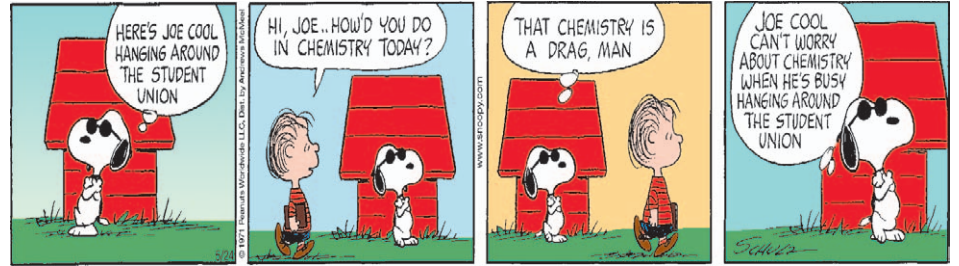
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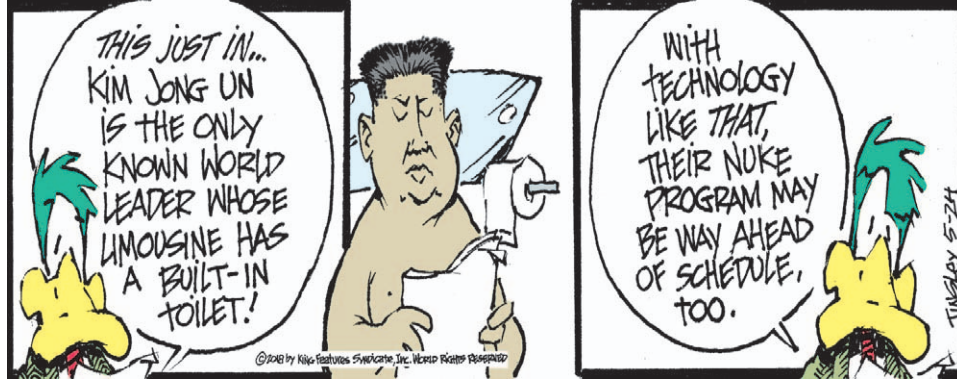
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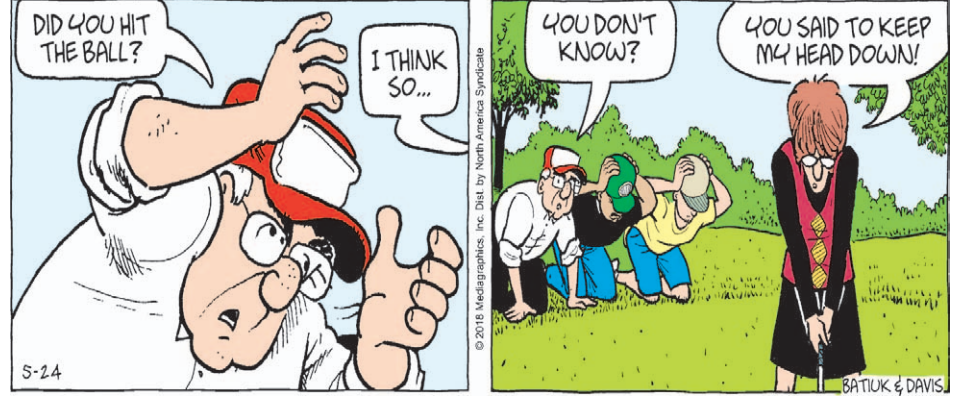
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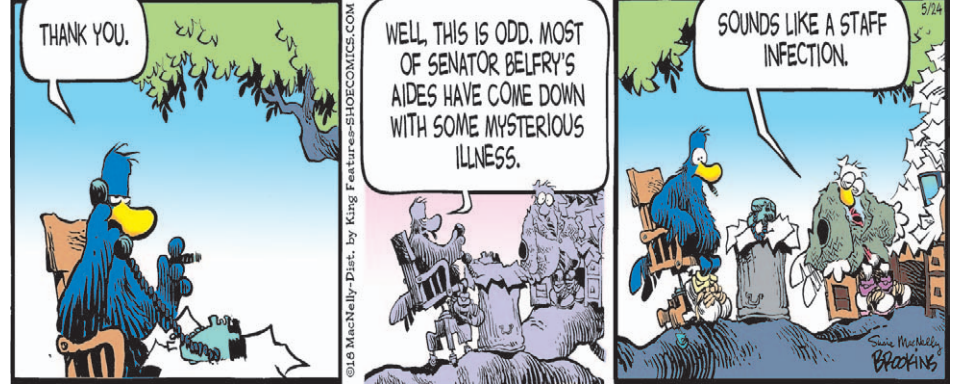
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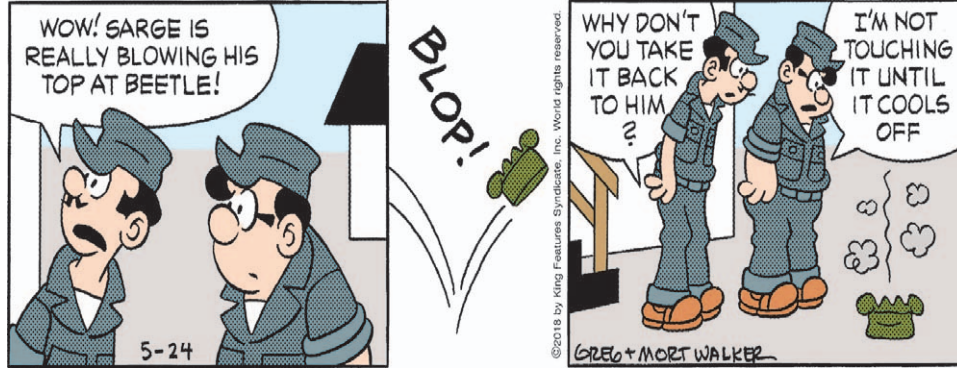
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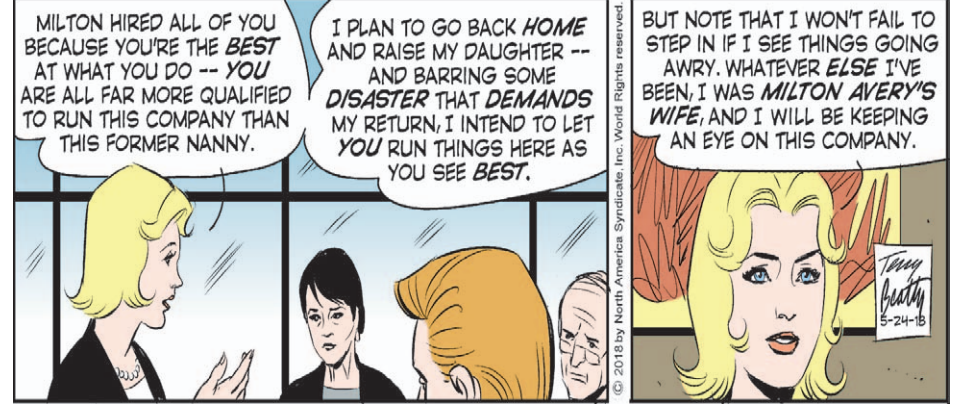
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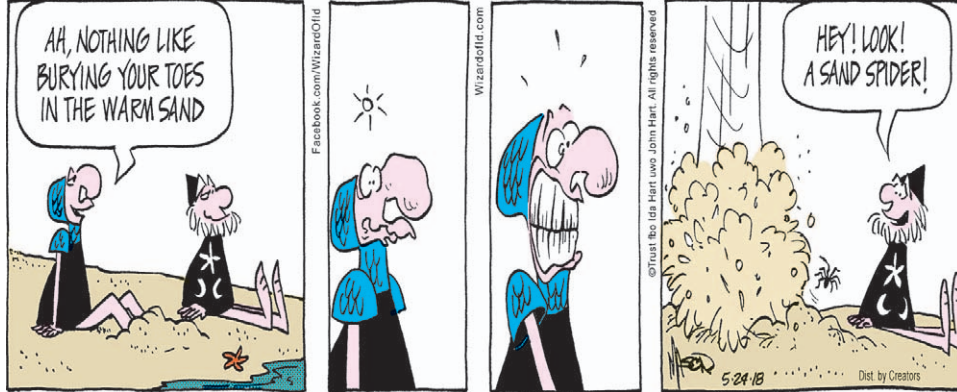
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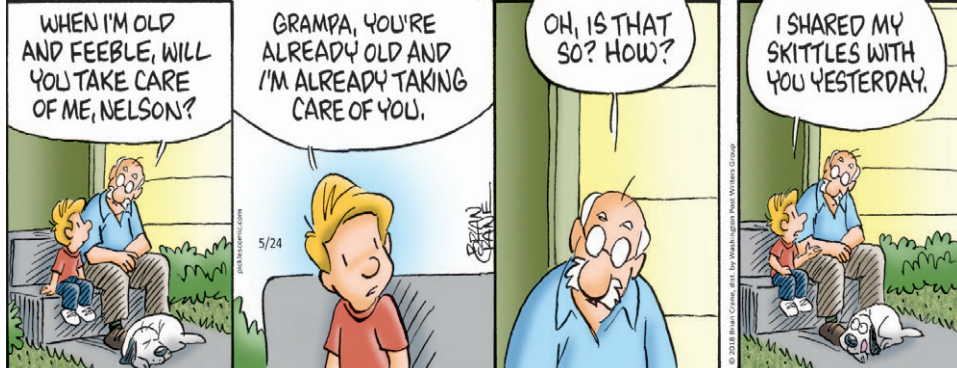
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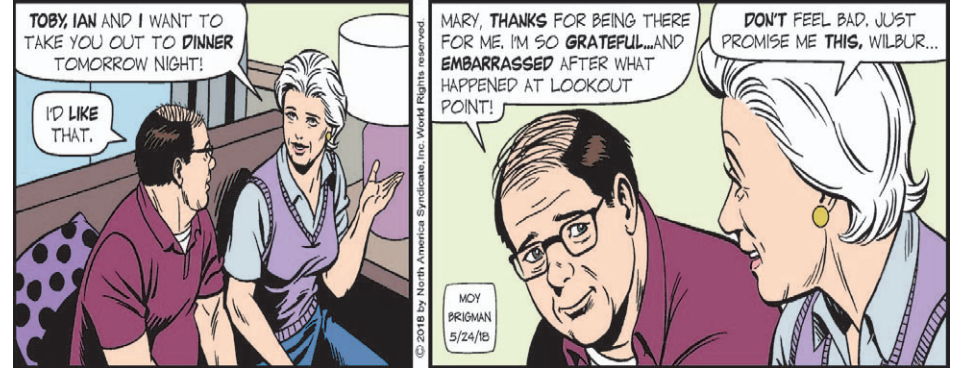
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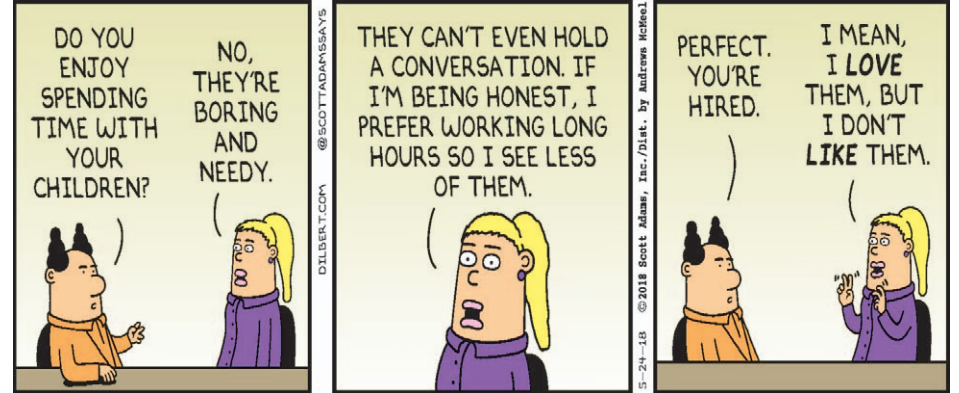
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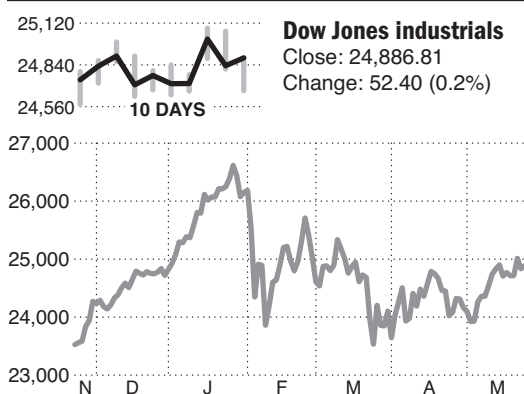
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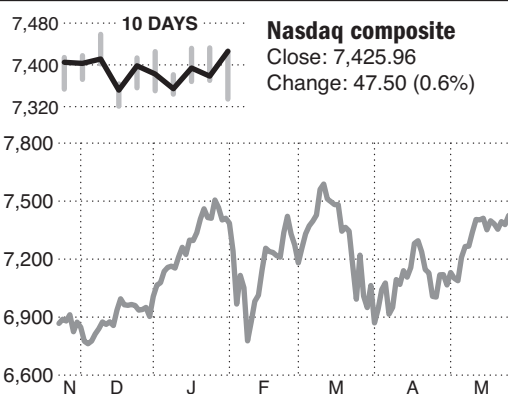


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Close: 24,886.81  
Change: 52.40 (0.2%)



**Nasdaq composite**  
Close: 7,425.96  
Change: 47.50 (0.6%)

## How to read the stock tables

1	2	3	4	5	6	8	7	9
Name	Ticker Symbol	Div	Yield	PE	52-week High Low	Vol 1000s	Last	YTD %Chg
XYZcorp	XYZ	1.20	3.6	17	34.09 27.27	2780	33.72	+20.7

- 1 — Name of stock.
  - 2 — Ticker Symbol company trades under.
  - 3 — Dividend: A distribution of the company's earnings to shareholders, usually consisting of stock dividends, interest on bonds, or short-term capital gains on the sale of securities usually paid quarterly in the form of cash or stock.
  - 4 — Div. Yield: The dividend divided by the stock price. It helps gauge how well the stock is paying, compared to other investments such as CDs, bonds or savings accounts.
  - 5 — Price to earnings ratio: The price of a stock divided by its earnings per share. PEs are used to gauge the relative worth of a company's stock. When compared to other companies in the same industry, the companies with the lowest PEs are generally earning higher profits.
  - 6 — Range of closing prices in last year.
  - 7 — Sales in thousands (10 = 10,000 shares), and closing price.
  - 8 — Last trading price of the day.
  - 9 — Percent change for the year.
- ▲ Arrows, indicate new highs or lows.  
Underline: indicates top 100 stocks by volume rank.  
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## StocksRecap

	NYSE	NASD	DOW	DOW Trans.	DOW Util.	NYSE Comp.	NASDAQ	S&P 500	S&P 400	Wilshire 5000	Russell 2000
Vol. (in mil.)	3,296	1,964	24889.46	10730.46	681.55	12743.42	7426.78	2733.33	1950.57	28444.18	1629.40
Pvs. Volume	3,344	1,869	24667.12	10633.94	675.05	12670.07	7334.62	2709.54	1940.22	28219.75	1618.56
Advanced	1472	1517	24886.81	10727.35	680.68	12743.40	7425.96	2733.29	1950.53	28444.17	1627.61
Declined	1351	1294	+52.40	-14.27	+5.96	-23.25	+47.50	+8.85	+1.72	+84.13	+2.37
New Highs	34	87	+0.21%	-0.13%	+0.88%	-0.18%	+0.64%	+0.32%	+2.63%	+0.30%	+0.15%
New Lows	49	46	+0.08%	-0.08%	-0.51%	+0.757%	+0.099%	+2.233%	+2.34%	+6.00%	

## NYSE

Name	Ticker Symbol	Div	Yield	PE	52-week High Low	Vol 1000s	Last	YTD %Chg
<b>- A -</b>								
AAC Hldgs	AAC	...	...	...	13.06 5.99	193	11.67	+29.7
AAR	AIR	.30	.7	25	47.97 33.92	191	44.36	+12.9
ABB Ltd	ABB	.76e	3.2	...	28.67 21.92	3024	23.91	-10.9
▼ABM	ABM	.70	2.4	18	45.12 29.50	696	29.38	-22.1
ADT Inc n	ADT	...	...	...	9.12 9.86	5048	12.19	+12.6
AES Corp	AES	.52	4.1	11	12.45 9.26	3531	45.31	-19.2
AFLAC s	AFL	1.04	2.3	14	46.19 37.28	3531	45.31	-19.2
AG Mgmt	MITT	1.90	10.1	6	19.95 16.31	106	18.85	-8.8
AG Mgt pA	MITT pA	2.06	8.0	...	25.91 24.88	2	25.69	+1.3
AG Mgt pB	MITT pB	2.00	7.8	...	25.65 24.50	2	25.62	+1.1
AGCO	AGCO	.60	9	29	75.95 58.12	568	66.61	-6.7
AH Belo	AHC	.32	6.9	...	4.80 4.35	11	4.65	-3.1
AK Steel	AKS	...	...	...	20 7.04	4.00	9073	4.50
AMC Ent	AMC	.80	5.3	...	25.58 10.80	1598	15.20	+7.7
AMCON	DIT	.72	7	11	113.60 80.95	98.35	45	-1.1
AMN Hth	AMN	...	...	...	22 68.20 34.71	466	56.20	+4.1
▼ARFC Docu	ARC	...	...	...	13 4.84 1.99	154	1.98	-22.4
ASA Gold	ASA	.04e	4	...	12.99 10.12	70	10.42	-7.9
AT&T Inc	T	2.00f	6.2	12	39.80 31.17	25394	32.33	-16.8
AT&T 66 n	TBB	...	...	...	26.72 24.47	96	25.03	-4.1
A10 Ntwks	ATEN	...	...	...	8.88 5.63	242	6.28	-18.7
AU Optron	AUO	.18e	...	...	5.35 3.72	670	4.26	+2.4
AVX Cp	AVX	.46	2.9	...	20.22 14.51	136	15.72	-9.1
AXA EqH n	EOH	...	...	...	22.00 20.39	4199	21.72	+1.5
AZZ Inc	AZZ	.68	1.6	24	58.20 39.50	168	43.15	-15.6
Aarons	AAN	.12	3	9	49.77 34.29	540	40.69	+2.1
AbbotLab	ABT	1.12	1.8	27	64.60 44.21	4158	61.84	-8.4
AbbVie	ABBV	3.84f	3.6	19	125.86 66.61	12702	105.60	+9.2
AberFinc	ANF	.80	3.1	...	29.20 8.81	2057	25.45	+46.0
AbdAsPac	FAX	.42	9.4	...	5.29 4.42	584	4.46	-8.6
AbdAustEq	IAF	.70e	11.6	...	6.77 5.85	25	6.06	-4.9
AbdChile	CH	.58e	6.6	...	9.64 6.98	162	8.74	-2.1
AbdGblInc	FCO	.84	10.3	...	9.48 8.04	34	8.13	-7.8
AbdEMSmC	ABE	.21e	1.4	...	15.82 12.70	70	14.69	+1.0
AbdGChina	GCH	.03e	2	...	14.02 10.65	12.37	-7.7	
AbdIndo	IF	.52e	...	...	8.18 6.88	7.13	-6.7	
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AbdJapanEq	JEQ	.48e	7	...	9.89 8.32	15	8.97	-5.5
AbdLatA	LAQ	1.21e	1.8	...	30.00 22.51	26.38	-1.3	
AbSingaFd	SGF	1.09e	8.0	...	13.89 10.86	3.15	9.94	+9.4
AcadID50	FFTY	...	...	...	35.94 26.70	32.13	-3.2	
AcadiaTrc	AKR	1.08	4.3	21	30.63 21.34	396	24.87	-9.1
Accenture	ACN	2.66	1.7	27	165.58 119.10	1673	155.31	+1.3
AccoBrdS	ACCO	.24	1.9	22	13.98 10.35	357	12.85	+5.5
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AcornInt rs	ATV	...	...	...	28.50 9.33	1	25.46	+44.3
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Act Rep n	GOP	...	...	...	23.61 19.73	22.40	44.30	+1.1
Act Dem s	DEMS	...	...	...	21.58 20.01	21.08	-8.1	
Act TrX n	TAXR	...	...	...	22.50 19.42	14	21.61	+1.1
Actuair	ATU	.04	2	78	27.95 21.50	451	24.95	-1.4
Acuity	AYI	.52	4	13	208.83 109.98	416	118.10	-32.9
Acushnet n	GOLF	...	...	...	24.70 15.16	171	23.87	+13.2
AdaDvsEq	ADX	1.32e	1.3	...	16.11 14.17	159	15.31	+19.9
AdamsNR	PEO	1.32e	1.0	...	21.48 16.90	62	20.55	+3.6
AdmRsc	AE	.88	1.8	...	50.59 32.80	6	48.00	+10.3
Adecoagr	AGRO	...	...	...	11.43 7.20	538	8.18	-20.9
Adegent n	ADNT	1.10	2.0	...	86.42 54.11	494	54.86	-30.3
AdemG	ATGE	.36	8	19	50.15 30.15	188	46.75	+11.2
AdvAuto	AAP	.24	2	23	138.23 78.81	1964	123.25	+23.6
AdvDisp n	ADSW	...	...	...	25.71 21.50	745	23.54	-1.7
AdvDrainS	WMS	.28	1.1	22	28.15 17.90	107	25.80	+8.2
Advdrns n	ASIX	...	...	...	46.51 27.93	119	38.76	-7.9
AdvOil&Gs	AAV	...	...	...	5 7.35	2.70	16.9	-30.2
AdvClayCv	AVK	1.13	7.4	...	16.80 14.62	61	15.28	-3.8
AdvCvll	AGC	.56	9.9	...	6.49 5.40	114	5.66	-5.5
AdvCdnWr	LCM	.84	10.7	...	8.87 7.73	54	7.88	-5.5
AdvSDnWr	AAAR	.32e	5	...	64.00 45.81	49	58.98	-2.2
AdvParHy	HYLD	3.54e	9.6	...	37.20 35.62	22	37.02	+2.4
AdvShwT n	FMG	...	...	...	24.13 19.60	18	21.23	-11.1
AdvShwT n	CWS	...	...	...	32.47 27.57	12	32.18	+2.7
AdvS Kor n	KOR	...	...	...	32.69 26.11	30.31	-2.2	
AdvSrnCap	SCAP	...	...	...	38.17 30.53	37.31	-2.2	
AdvPacFlt	FLRT	1.56e	...	...	50.07 48.78	49.28	-1.1	
AdvSage	HOLD	4.1e	4	...	101.80 99.03	99.29	-1.1	
AdvNtMS	MINC	1.34e	2.8	...	48.92 47.80	7	47.91	-1.0
AdvSStaG	VEGA	...	...	...	31.97 28.75	6	31.19	+1.2
AdvGLEch n	GIVE	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
AdvTrTbts	TTFS	.47e	7	...	75.63 63.86	4	68.65	-3.9
AdvMeidl	MATH	...	...	...	35.56 29.45	33.00	-2.3	
AdvMadGBd	FWDB	.73e	2.9	...	27.29 24.20	20.50	14	-1.6
AdvMadInt	FWDI	.37e	1.2	...	33.10 26.66	0	31.70	+2.0
AdvMadDm	FWDD	.18e	3	...	57.19 47.83	0	54.21	+1.4
AdvActBear	HDGE	...	...	...	9.03 7.43	8.8	8.08	-3.1
Aecom	ACM	...	...	...	39.90 30.15	946	32.76	-11.8
<b>AegeanMP</b>	<b>ANW</b>	<b>.08 2.7 8</b>	<b>6.33 1.75</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>3.02</b>	<b>-4.1</b>
Aegon	AEG	.25e	3.8	...	7.48 4.81	2013	6.56	+4.1
Aegon cap	AEH	1.59	6.1	...	26.32 25.40	20	25.88	-2
Aegon 6.5	AED	1.63	6.3	...	26.47 24.55	14	25.89	-2
Aegon flt	AEB	.77	3.1	...	25.35 23.55	49	24.75	+2.3
Aegon24	AEK	2.00	7.9	...	27.04 25.50	25.28	47	+1.7
AerCap	AER	...	...	...	56.26 43.19	842	55.25	+5.0
Aercontry	ACY	...	...	...	17.34 10.10	2	15.40	+10.0
AeroHivn	HIVE	...	...	...	6.50 3.02	243	4.18	-28.3
AerojetIR	AJRD	...	...	...	36.25 20.17	462	28.64	-8.2
Aetra	AET	2.00	1.1	17	194.40 142.66	1247	177.34	-1.7
AffiliMgrs	AMG	1.20	1.7	13	216.99 152.16	275	164.96	-19.6
Agilent	A	.60	4.9	76	75.00 57.92	3195	64.53	-5.6
Agnico g	AEM	.44	...	...	51.86 37.35	843	43.65	-3.5
AgreeRtd	ADC	2.16f	4.2	24	53.65 43.74	176	51.58	-3.7
<b>Air Inds</b>	<b>AIRI</b>	<b>.60 38.5</b>	<b>2.78</b>	<b>1.15</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>1.56</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>-7.7</b>
AirLease	AL	.40	9	6	50.70 35.61	838	43.95	-8.6
AirProd	APD	4.40	2.6	25	175.17 140.78	835	166.99	+1.8
AirPrd wi	APD/wi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aircastle	AYR	1.12	5.3	9	25.30 18.97	611	21.30	-8.9
AlaPw p Q	ALPpQ	1.25	5.0	...	27.05 24.49	12	25.14	-5.4
AlamoGp	ALG	.44f	4	26	120.58 83.31	116	98.77	-12.5
AlamosGld	AGI	.02	4	...	8.58 4.83	2117	5.25	-19.4
AlaskaAir	ALK	1.28f	2.2	8</				



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UDR	UDR	1.29f	3.6	22	40.71	32.88	1037	35.60 -7.6	VnEKindSC	SCIF	.57e	1.1	...	72.57	51.05	52	52.49 -22.6	WarrMet n	HCC	.20	...	...	28.25	7.40	758	26.50 +34.4	
UGI Corp	UGI	1.04f	2.1	11	52.00	42.51	802	49.33 +5.1	VnEgyp	EGPT	...	...	...	40.97	26.30	29	36.70 +12.2	WashPrGp	WPG	1.00	13.3	20	9.79	5.40	2638	7.53 +5.8	
UMH	UMH	.72	4.8	29	17.90	11.38	268	14.89 -1.1	VnEgPoland	PLND	.29e	1.7	...	21.80	17.05	30	16.98 -14.1	WashPr pFH	WPGpH	1.88	8.4	...	25.56	20.05	12	23.34 -9.2	
UMH pB	UMHpB	2.00	7.6	...	28.16	25.92	2625	26.25 -3.9	VnEgJrGld	GDXJ	...	...	...	37.76	29.84	11387	33.04 -3.2	WashPr pFL	WPGpL	1.72	8.3	...	25.99	19.11	21	20.63 -16.7	
UMH pC	UMHpC	1.69	6.8	...	28.46	24.56	4	24.85 -8.5	VnEgKOL	KOL	.13	.8	...	18.49	12.50	68	16.39 -2.2	WREIT	WRE	1.20	4.2	28	33.96	24.92	245	28.65 -7.9	
UQM Tech	UQM	...	...	...	1.79	.71	6.7	1.11 -20.1	VnEgVNM	VNM	.32e	1.9	...	20.50	14.03	351	16.72 -6.5	WasteCon s	WCN	.56	...	41	70.05	62.43	547	76.35 +7.6	
US FdsHl n	USFD	...	...	...	23	36.12	1278	35.25 +0.4	VnEgBRZ	BRF	.64e	1.7	...	26.12	18.55	4	20.71 -11.7	WasteMinc	WM	1.85	2.2	18	89.73	71.62	2364	82.83 -4.0	
US Geoth rs	HTM	...	...	...	5.50	3.11	5.45	5.45 +8.0	VnEgINDX	IDX	.25e	1.2	...	26.90	20.82	10	21.46 -13.6	Waters	WAT	...	...	29	220.20	171.32	481	194.15 +5.5	
USPhysTh	USPH	.92	1.0	52	95.20	56.50	24	93.75 +29.8	VnEgNatRs	HAP	.64e	1.7	...	39.67	32.28	2	38.12 -2.7	Watsco	WSO	5.00f	3.2	34	192.94	139.27	189	183.03 +7.6	
US Silica	SLCA	.25	.8	42	39.21	23.75	1307	32.91 +1.1	VnEgVAFK	AFK	.53e	2.1	...	27.39	21.35	14	25.09 +9.9	WatscoB	WSOB	5.00f	2.7	38	191.01	142.00	191	183.59 +8.6	
USA Cmp	USAC	2.10	11.5	...	19.33	14.30	157	18.26 +10.4	VnEgVanG	BKJ	1.07e	2.2	...	50.35	38.95	19	49.55 +6.2	WattsWtr	WTS	.84f	1.1	26	84.25	59.15	79	77.60 +2.2	
Usaa USA Val	ULVM	...	...	...	55.24	48.81	3	52.46 +5.9	VnEgVBLV	BLV	3.92e	4.2	...	95.98	86.51	72	87.51 -8.0	Wayfair	W	...	...	...	100.14	55.33	886	85.49 +6.5	
Usaa SCVal	USVM	...	...	...	53.95	47.00	2	53.52 +5.5	VnEgVnIBd	BIV	2.17a	2.7	...	85.85	79.91	388	80.50 -4.0	WeatherIntl	WFT	...	...	...	5.10	2.07	14798	3.50 -16.1	
USAA IntIVI	UIVM	...	...	...	55.54	49.30	17	52.08 +1.2	VnEgVnSTBd	BSV	1.08e	1.2	...	80.25	77.83	735	78.07 -1.3	WebsterFn	WBS	1.32f	2.0	23	66.64	44.04	351	65.35 +16.4	
USAA EMVI	UEVM	...	...	...	56.13	48.97	3	50.90 -9.9	VnEgVnTotBd	BND	2.06e	2.3	...	82.71	78.30	1177	78.80 -3.4	WtWatch	WTW	...	...	...	73	83.98	25.59	893	79.98 +80.6
Usaa STBd	USTB	...	...	...	54.88	49.34	4	49.53 -1.1	VnEgVnEDV	EDV	4.81e	3.2	...	123.85	107.64	25	109.91 -9.2	WeinRlt	WRI	1.58f	5.6	10	33.83	25.67	532	28.44 -13.5	
Usaa IntBd	UITB	...	...	...	50.30	48.09	3	48.39 -3.6	VnEgVnMGK	MGK	1.33e	1.1	...	121.09	99.11	127	118.17 +6.1	WeinRltMk	WMK	1.20	2.3	25	54.34	31.26	100	52.62 +27.1	
USANA s	USNA	...	...	...	31	121.15	150	119.80 +6.5	VnEgVnMGV	MGV	1.53e	2.0	...	81.59	68.35	114	76.04 -5.5	Wellbit	WBT	...	...	...	23.77	18.34	1286	19.82 -15.7	
USCF Oil n	USOU	...	...	...	75.96	22.66	5	72.42 +68.5	VnEgVnMega	MGC	1.47e	1.5	...	96.81	82.30	96	96.61 +5.3	Wellcare	WCG	...	...	...	26	221.75	162.25	150	218.43 +8.6
USCF ShOil	USOD	...	...	...	26.29	5.50	51	5.76 -49.1	VnEgVnHYM	HYM	2.10e	2.5	...	90.93	77.58	762	84.74 -1.0	WellF pJl	WFCpJ	2.00	7.6	...	27.73	25.45	71	26.17 +2.0	
USCF shpel	BUY	...	...	...	27.04	23.45	4	27.04 +6.8	VnEgVnVXF	VXF	1.13e	1.0	...	118.06	99.23	94	117.06 +4.8	WellF pIL	WFCpL	75.00	5.9	...	1359.86	1256.66	9	1263.15 -3.6	
USCF shpen	BUYN	...	...	...	27.83	23.45	4	27.83 +2.7	VnEgVnVUG	VUG	1.38e	9	...	152.38	125.79	689	148.95 +5.9	WellF pIO	WFCpO	1.30	5.3	...	25.43	23.51	65	24.67 -1.7	
USFD Ptrs	USDP	1.41f	12.9	...	14.00	9.00	5	10.95 -2.4	VnEgVnVVG	VVG	1.84e	1.5	...	131.68	110.22	200	125.64 +2.5	WellF pIP	WFCpP	1.28	5.2	...	25.36	23.40	19	24.63 -2.0	
USG	USG	...	...	...	23	42.14	25.60	669	41.50 +7.6	VnEgVnVVO	VVO	1.76e	1.1	...	164.17	140.54	223	158.26 +2.2	WellF pIQ	WFCpQ	1.31	5.3	...	25.62	23.69	10	24.74 -1.8
Ultrapar	UPG	.55e	3.9	...	26.48	13.88	1032	13.88 -39.0	VnEgVnVVB	VB	1.63e	1.1	...	155.94	131.25	462	154.57 +4.6	WellF pIR	WFCpR	1.46	5.6	...	28.06	25.60	74	25.88 -4.1	
UnDrArm s	UAU	...	...	...	35	23.46	11.40	2558	20.07 +39.1	VnEgVnVVBK	VBK	1.19e	7	...	174.74	141.74	105	173.14 +7.6	WellF pIR	WFCpR	1.66	6.0	...	30.47	26.87	63	27.65 -3.4
UnDr C wI	UAU	...	...	...	21.81	10.30	36	17.25 +34.3	VnEgVnVVBV	VBV	1.96e	1.4	...	138.98	118.55	276	135.81 +2.3	WellF pIT	WFCpT	1.50	5.8	...	26.78	25.09	51	25.75 -2.6	
Unifi	UNF	...	...	...	15	39.21	27.48	76	32.08 +0.6	VnEgVnVVTI	VTI	2.17e	1.5	...	146.87	123.31	142	141.10 +2.8	WellF pJ	WFCpJ	1.56	2.8	13	66.31	49.27	23549	56.18 +7.5
UnifiFirst	UNF	.15	1	24	178.03	135.95	54	174.95 +6.1	VnEgVnVVTI	VTI	2.05e	1.9	...	113.46	95.11	2848	105.82 -5.5	WellF pW	WFCpW	...	...	...	25.63	24.93	58	24.95 -3.8	
UnifiNV	UNV	1.43e	2.5	...	61.62	51.56	1433	55.38 +1.2	VnEgVnVVOO	VOO	3.81e	1.5	...	263.00	220.22	1484	251.15 +2.4	WellF pX	WFCpX	...	...	...	26.16	24.15	79	24.86 -2.7	
UnifiUL	UNL	1.48e	2.6	...	61.62	51.56	1433	55.38 +1.2	VnEgVnVVOE	VOE	1.76e	1.6	...	117.97	101.45	158	111.51 +1.5	WellF pY	WFCpY	...	...	...	26.25	24.52	52	25.09 -3.5	
Univser	LTVU	...	...	...	10.30	10.00	10	10.20 +1.6	VnEgVnVVOG	VOG	1.81e	1.6	...	136.45	115.92	122	133.98 +4.9	WellF pZ	WFCpZ	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5	
Univser un	UNP	2.92	2.1	...	146.73	101.06	3434	144.27 +7.6	VnEgVnVVOI	VOI	8.2e	6	...	136.45	115.92	122	133.98 +4.9	WellF pAA	WFCpAA	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5	
UnivPac	UNP	2.92	2.1	...	146.73	101.06	3434	144.27 +7.6	VnEgVnVVOJ	VOJ	1.82e	1.8	...	108.99	91.60	364	102.59 +1.5	WellF pAB	WFCpAB	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5	
UniqeF n	UFAB	.60	6.3	...	11	10.55	705	4	9.51 +28.2	VnEgVnVVOK	VOK	2.83e	2.3	...	127.14	106.63	163	120.64 +1.2	WellF pAC	WFCpAC	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5
Unisys	UIS	...	...	...	13	13.90	6.90	301	11.80 +44.6	VnEgVnVVOV	VOV	1.53e	2.0	...	78.12	67.02	78	78.12 +5.2	WellF pAD	WFCpAD	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5
Univ	UNV	...	...	...	12	26.82	15.29	419	22.35 +1.6	VnEgVnVVOX	VOX	1.34e	2.4	...	58.90	49.58	2960	54.72 +5.2	WellF pAE	WFCpAE	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5
UnivCont	UAL	...	...	...	10	83.04	56.51	1841	69.54 +3.2	VnEgVnVVOY	VOY	1.10e	2.4	...	50.99	40.29	10279	45.22 -1.5	WellF pAF	WFCpAF	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5
UnivMicro	UMC	.09e	3.3	...	2.75	1.96	41	2.71 +13.4	VnEgVnVVOZ	VOZ	1.37e	1.9	...	77.96	64.78	140	73.47 +8.8	WellF pAG	WFCpAG	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5	
UPS B	UPS	3.64	3.2	19	135.53	101.45	1982	115.28 -3.2	VnEgVnVVPK	VPK	1.71e	2.9	...	63.60	54.60	3545	59.43 +5.5	WellF pAH	WFCpAH	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5	
UnDrRentals	URI	...	...	...	9	190.74	100.62	1198	167.77 -2.4	VnEgVnVVPB	VPB	.28e	...	...	52.07	50.36	608	50.76 -1.8	WellF pAI	WFCpAI	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5
USNACGas	UNL	...	...	...	10	10.43	8.54	9	9.53 -3.8	VnEgVnVVPD	VPD	.162e	1.1	...	149.28	121.86	29	146.02 +6.6	WellF pAJ	WFCpAJ	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5
US12MOail	USL	...	...	...	25.74	15.45	6	25.44 +21.6	VnEgVnVVPV	VPO	2.01e	1.9	...	116.72	99.53	7	107.90 -1.9	WellF pAK	WFCpAK	...	...	...	26.82	24.00	30	26.05 -2.5	
USAntimny	UAMY	...	...	...	46	20	39	31 -4.7	VnEgVnVVPW	VPOW	1.61e	1.2	...	141.90	114.49												



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Money Market Funds

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Money Market Funds

Fund	Avg Maturity	Avg Yield	Fund	Avg Maturity	Avg Yield	Fund	Avg Maturity	Avg Yield	Fund	Avg Maturity	Avg Yield	Fund	Avg Maturity	Avg Yield	Fund	Avg Maturity	Avg Yield	
Northern Institution	46	1.55	Retail Prime Obligat	17	1.87	State Street Insti U	20	1.29	UBS Select Treasury	24	1.57	Western Asset Tax Fr	10	.76	FidTEDIY M	34	.75	
Northern Institution	46	1.55	Retail Prime Obligat	17	1.62	State Street Institu	20	1.68	UBS Select Treasury	24	1.30	Western Asset US Tre	54	.77	FidAZ	15	.95	
NorthernInstreas	46	1.60	Retail Prime Obligat	17	1.67	State Street Institu	20	1.61	UBS Select Treasury	24	1.61	WstnUSTRN	54	1.17	Fid TECR	34	.50	
NorthernUSGV	43	1.40	Retail Prime Obligat	17	1.32	State Street Institu	23	1.56	UBS Tax-Free Institu	6	1.06	WstnInstLqRsl	40	1.84	FidTxEt MM	34	1.00	
OppCshResN t	40	1.16	Rydex U.S. Governmen	41	.76	State Street Institu	33	1.55	UBS Tax-Free Investo	6	.79	WstnPrmLiq	40	1.55	FidTaxExpPortS	29	1.19	
OppenhCshB p	40	1.13	SEI DITGovA	36	1.48	State Street Institu	20	1.56	UBS Tax-Free Prefer	6	1.10	WstnInstUSTR	54	1.58	FinSq TEF	11	1.16	
OppenhCshC p	40	1.16	SEI DITGVIA	43	1.56	State Street Institu	20	1.39	US Government Money	28	.75	WstnPrmUSTR	54	1.32	FstAmTFFA	20	.63	
OppCshRes	40	1.15	SEI DITTRS	38	1.58	State Street Institu	33	1.28	US Government Money	28	1.46	Wilm GovSel	38	1.41	FstAmTxFY	20	.93	
Oppenheimer Governme	39	1.19	SEI DITTRIA	37	1.54	State Street Institu	20	1.66	USAA Mutl	25	1.50	Wilm TrAdm	38	1.16	FsAmTxFobll	20	1.08	
Oppenheimer Institut	43	1.68	STI CshRes	32	1.42	State Street Institu	23	1.58	VALIC MTKML	41	1.41	Wilm TrSvc	38	1.00	FsAmTxFobZ	20	1.18	
Oppenheimer Institut	43	1.63	STIC Prime Portfolio	13	1.63	State Street Institu	22	1.90	VALIC MTKML	40	.01	Wilm TrSvc	38	1.41	GenNJMun	19	.69	
Oppenheimer Institut	43	1.61	STIC Prime Portfolio	13	.91	State Street Institu	22	1.87	VANGADMTRY	45	1.73	Wilmington U.S. Gove	38	1.16	GenNYMuB	15	.70	
OppMMFAd	39	1.19	STIC Prime Portfolio	13	1.23	State Street Institu	22	1.70	VangFdl	49	1.67	WilmUSGov	38	1.51	GnMuB p	10	.41	
PIMCO Government Mon	7	1.47	STIC Prime Portfolio	13	1.70	State Street Treasur	23	1.68	VangPr	42	1.87					GnNYMuB p	15	.29
PIMCO Government Mon	7	1.47	STIT Liquid Assets	18	1.57	SunAmMMA	42	.01	VangPrnst	42	1.93					GnCaIMu	7	.70
PIMCO Government Mon	7	1.52	STIT STIC Prime Por	13	1.48	T. Rowe Price Govern	41	1.51	Voya Government Mone	31	1.36	AIMTx	12	.34	JPMMPMMP	6	.93	
PIMCO Government Mon	7	1.62	STIT Government & Ag	24	1.60	T. Rowe Price Instit	42	1.79	Voya Government Mone	31	1.36	AmC CTF	9	.92	JPMorganCA	6	.72	
PIMCO Government Mon	7	1.62	STIT Government & Ag	24	1.33	T. Rowe Price Tax-Ex	37	1.04	Voya Government Mone	31	1.36	AmC TFF	14	.96	JPMorganNY	6	.75	
PIMCO Government Mon	7	1.62	STIT Liquid Assets P	18	1.84	TDAM California Muni	18	.52	Voya Government Mone	31	.36	BMO TaxF I p	7	1.20	JPMorganTF	10	.76	
PNC Government Money	37	1.51	STIT STIC Prime Port	13	1.75	TDAM Insti U.S. Gov	49	1.31	Voya Government Mone	31	1.36	WMO TaxF Y	7	.95	JPMorganTFP	10	.90	
PNC Gov A	37	1.48	STIT Tax-Free Cash R	9	.92	TDAM Insti U.S. Gove	49	1.56	Voya Liquid Assets P	31	1.23	WMO TaxF Y	7	1.20	JPMorgTFRr p	10	.65	
PNC Gov I	37	1.58	STIT Tax-Free Cash R	9	1.13	TDAM Institutional T	44	.73	Voya Liquid Assets P	31	1.48	BNYMeInMuM	9	1.07	JPMorgTFRr p	10	.65	
PNC TrA P	40	1.45	STIT Treasury Obliga	38	1.62	TDAM Institutional T	44	1.28	Voya Liquid Assets P	31	1.08	BLMunFOPCS p	26	.71	JPMorgTFRr p	10	1.09	
PNC Tr I	40	1.55	STIT Treasury Obliga	38	1.59	TDAM Institutional U	49	.91	Voya Money Market Po	31	1.44	BRML Muni	26	1.19	JPMorgTFRr p	10	1.14	
PNC Treasury Plus Mo	25	1.48	STIT Treasury Obliga	38	1.37	TDAMMMInV	51	1.37	Voya Money Market Po	31	1.22	BRFCAMuni	7	1.03	NYTXFRMML	18	1.89	
PNC Treasury Plus Mo	25	1.39	STIT Treasury Obliga	31	1.33	TDAMMMKPr	51	1.36	WA Select Tax Free R	10	1.15	CashActTXEMGD	31	.97	NortInstMuni	6	1.09	
PW PACE P	22	1.18	STIT Treasury Portfo	1	.01	TDAM Money Market Po	51	1.47	WF 100% Treasury Mon	34	1.55	FIMMTEXE1	29	1.09	NorthernMun	9	.94	
PhoenixMM A	16	.01	Saratoga Advantage T	31	.01	TDAM Money Market Po	51	1.27	WF Government Money	22	1.64	FIMMTEXE3	29	1.09	PremierTXEx	9	1.20	
Pioneer U.S. Governm	...	1.21	Saratoga U.S.Governm	1	.01	TDAM Municipal Portf	33	.59	Wells Fargo 100% Tre	34	1.45	FIMMTEXE1	29	1.24	SchwAMTTXf	14	.90	
Pioneer U.S. Governm	...	.66	SaratUGSvI	1	.01	TDAM New York Munic	10	.55	Wells Fargo A	15	1.41	FedCAMuniSv	23	.92	SchwNYMuVA	11	1.06	
PionCs	...	1.07	SchwACR-Pr	20	1.42	TDAM U.S. Government	30	.94	WFCashInvAd	15	1.73	FedCAMuWS	23	1.17	SchwNYMuSw	11	.81	
PremGvtMP	23	1.62	SchwACR	20	1.35	TDAMUSGv	30	1.04	WFCashInv	15	1.86	FedGAMUCsh	14	.92	SchwTXFValAd	14	1.12	
PremierPortf	19	1.89	SchwCshRes	15	1.35	TIAA-CREF Inst	47	.02	Wells Fargo Cash Inv	15	1.93	FedGAMUCS p	14	.94	ShwbTE	13	1.00	
Premier Portfolio Pe	19	1.34	SchwSchw Government Mo	9	1.37	TIAA-CREF Money Mark	47	.01	Wells Fargo Fd, Trea	18	1.39	FedMAMUCS p	34	.85	SchwSchw CA	13	.88	
Premier Portfolio Pr	19	1.59	SchwblnV	27	1.71	TIAA-CREF Money Mark	47	.02	WFGovAdm	22	1.44	FedMAMuniSv	34	1.26	ScudTECshInst	31	1.10	
Premier Portfolio Re	19	1.73	SchwBretAdv	30	1.71	TIAACREF Ret	47	.01	WFGvMMA	22	1.18	FedMunObiCap	25	1.01	TDAMCAMu	18	.62	
Premier Portfolio Re	19	1.02	SchwBretRetAdv	31	1.59	TIAA-CREF Ret	47	.01	Wells Fargo Heritage	16	1.96	FedMunObiSv	25	1.16	TDAMMuni	33	.69	
PrimeObTr	28	1.43	SchwSchw Treasury Obli	9	1.37	TRowSumCt	41	1.58	Wells Fargo Heritage	16	1.66	FedNYMuCS p	35	.89	TDAMNYMuni	10	.65	
PruMMarID	32	1.21	SchwSchw U.S. Treasury	9	1.31	TRowPRF	41	1.38	Wells Fargo 100	34	1.25	FedNYMuCSv	35	.89	TDAMSumMu	40	.95	
PruMMrZ	32	1.39	SchwValAdV	29	1.72	TRowUST	40	1.41	Wells Fargo 100	34	1.25	FedNYMuCSv	35	.89	TDAMNYMuni	10	.65	
Prudential Governmen	32	1.21	SchwValAdV	29	1.87	Thriv MM Inst	37	1.43	Wells Fargo 100	34	1.25	FedNYMuCSv	35	.89	TDAMNYMuni	10	.65	
Prudential Governmen	32	1.20	SchwSchw Variable Shar	30	1.87	Thriv MMK A	37	1.28	Wells Fargo 100	34	1.25	FedNYMuCSv	35	.89	TDAMNYMuni	10	.65	
Prudential Governmen	32	1.25	SchwGv	9	1.11	TreasObTR	22	1.09	Wells Fargo Money Ma	15	1.85	FedNYMuCSv	35	.89	TDAMNYMuni	10	.65	
PruInstMM A	19	1.86	SchwMM	1	1.31	TreasObTR	22	1.09	Wells Fargo Money Ma	15	1.85	FedNYMuCSv	35	.89	TDAMNYMuni	10	.65	
Putnam Government Mo	15	.01	SchwUST	9	1.11	TreasObTR	22	1.09	Wells Fargo Money Ma	15	1.85	FedNYMuCSv	35	.89	TDAMNYMuni	10	.65	
Putnam Government Mo	15	.01	SentinelGovA	9	1.12	TreasObTR	22	1.09	Wells Fargo Money Ma	15	1.85	FedNYMuCSv	35	.89	TDAMNYMuni	10	.65	
Putnam Government Mo	15	.01	SfFrmMMLG A	35	1.35	U.S. Government Mone	42	.60	Wells Fargo 100	34	1.12	FedTXFrObSv	29	.97	USAATXEx	16	.87	
Putnam Government Mo	15	.01	State Farm Money Mar	35	1.22	U.S. Government Mone	42	.60	Wells Fargo TrsyS	18	1.28	FedMuniSv	14	.79	VangNJ	47	1.20	
Putnam Government Mo	15	.01	State Farm Money Mar	35	1.22	U.S. Government Mone	42	.60	Wells Fargo TrsyS	18	1.12	FedTXFr c	7	1.24	VangCA	24	1.17	
Putnam Government Mo	15	.01	State Farm Money Mar	35	1.22	U.S. Government Mone	42	.60	Wells Fargo TrsyL	18	1.53	FidCA	20	.95	VangPA	19	1.18	
Putnam Government Mo	15	.01	State Farm Money Mar	35	1.22	U.S. Treasury Money	40	1.48	WFGvMMinst	22	1.58	FidCT	33	.92	VangNY	21	1.20	
Putnam Government Mo	15	.01	State Farm Money Mar	35	1.22	UBS Prime Investor F	17	1.53	Western Asset Govern	39	1.03	FidMA	39	.95	VangTXEx	30	1.26	
Putnam Government Mo	15	.01	State Farm Money Mar	35	1.29	UBS Prime Preferred	17	1.84	Western Asset Govern	39	.75	FidMI	27	.81	WFAmuCshM	5	1.30	
Putnam Government Mo	15	.01	State Farm Money Mar	35	1.30	UBS Prime Reserves F	17	1.80	Western Asset Govern	39	1.15	FidMUMM	38	1.08	WFAmuCshM	5	1.30	
Putnam MMA	16	1.49	State Farm Money Mar	35	1.29	UBS RMA Government M	24	1.29	WAlnstGvlnst	39	1.60	FidNJ	46	.94	WFAmuCshM	5	1.30	
Putnam Money Market	16	.01	State Farm Money Mar	35	1.29	UBS Select Governmen	24	1.64	Western Asset Insti	54	1.52	FidNY	21	.90	WFAmuCshM	5	1.30	
Putnam Money Market	16	.01	State Farm Money Mar	35	1.29	UBS Select Governmen	24	1.64	Western Asset Insti	54	1.52	FidNY	21	.90	WFAmuCshM	5	1.30	
Putnam Money Market	16	.01	State Street Insti L	17	1.35	UBS Select Governmen	24	1.60	Western Asset Insti	54	1.52	FidNY	21	.90	WFAmuCshM	5	1.30	
Putnam Money Market	16	.01	State Street Insti T	23	1.29	UBS Select Governmen	24	1.60	Western Asset Insti	54	1.52	FidNY	21	.90	WFAmuCshM	5	1.30	
RBCGVBC11	28	1.56	State Street Insti T	23	1.64	UBS Select Governmen	24	1.60	Western Asset Insti	54	1.52	FidNY	21	.90	WFAmuCshM	5	1.30	
Retail Prime Obligat	17	1.93	State Street Insti T	23	1.63	UBS Select Governmen	24	1.60	Western Asset Insti	54	1.52	FidNY	21	.90	WFAmuCshM	5	1.30	
Retail Prime Obligat	17	1.77	State Street Insti U	30	1.64	UBS Select Governmen	24	1.60	Western Asset Insti	54	1.52	FidNY	21	.90	WFAmuCshM	5	1.30	

Tax Exempt

Toronto stocks

Name	Vol	High	Low	Last	Chg	Name	Vol	High	Low	Last	Chg	Name	Vol	High	Low	Last	Chg
AHCResources	64300	14.11	13.75	13.75	-.34	CenterraGld	72671	7.32	7.16	7.20	-.05	IamgoldCorp	83143	7.85	7.59	7.79	+1.8
AdvOil Gas	225550	4.02	3.86	3.86	-.14	CoquenceEgy	62174	.09	.08	.08	-.01	ImperialOil	41603	42.22	41.60	41.60	-.40
AgriCoV Veg	69779	56.28	54.82	55.90	+1.03	ChoiceREITUn	62695	11.60	11.46	11.54	+0.08	InterPipeline	82534	24.47	24.10	24.19	-.31
AirCdaV VV	61755	24.13	23.89	23.81	-.16	CrescentPnt	335064	10.83	10.55	10.58	-.28	IronBridgeRe	125372	.77	.75	.76	+0.01
AlamosGoldA	77536	6.73	6.42	6.73	+0.32	CrewEngy	79780	2.64	2.53	2.60	-.01	IvanhoeA	100796	3.47	3.34	3.34	-.16
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Top 20 Mutual Funds

By Year-to-Date Percent Return

Name	Obj	Pct Load	NAV	YTD Rtn	Phone Number
Leuthold GrizzlyShrt	BM	NL	18.89	+274.1	800-273-6886
ProFunds IntUltraSectInv	LE	NL	90.46	+31.1	888-776-3637
Virtus InvmtvGrStkins	LG	NL	25.12	+19.1	888-784-3863
Lord Abbett DevelopingGrF b	SG	NL	28.71	+18.9	888-522-2388
Lord Abbett DevelopingGrI	SG	NL	31.73	+18.9	888-522-2388
Berkshire Foc d	ST	NL	25.50	+18.8	877-526-0707
Lord Abbett DevelopingGrA m	SG	5.75	27.71	+18.8	888-522-2388
Lord Abbett DevelopingGrP b	SG	NL	26.87	+18.8	888-522-2388
Lord Abbett DevelopingGrR3 b	SG	NL	26.94	+18.7	888-522-2388
Lord Abbett DevelopingGrC m	SG	1.00	20.70	+18.5	888-522-2388
Touchstone SdCptInslGr	LG	NL	24.39	+18.5	800-543-0407
Touchstone SdCptInslGrY	LG	NL	17.24	+18.4	800-543-0407
Touchstone SdCptInslGrA m	LG	5.75	16.34	+18.3	800-543-0407
Touchstone SdCptInslGrZ b	LG	NL	16.35	+18.2	800-543-0407
Touchstone SdCptInslGrC m	LG	1.00	14.96	+17.9	800-543-0407
Wells Fargo SpecizedTechA f	ST	5.75	15.01	+17.8	800-222-8222
Morgan Stanley InsMidCpGrI	MG	NL	19.81	+17.7	800-548-7786
Baron Oppnlst	MG	NL	20.69	+17.6	800-992-2766
Firsthand TechOpps	MG	NL	11.74	+17.6	888-884-2675
Baron OppRetHal b	ST	NL	19.97	+17.5	800-992-2766

By Total Net Assets

Name	Obj	Total Assets	Percent Return/Rank	YTD	5-Yr	Pct Load
Vanguard 500IdxAdmrl	LB	237,583	+2.6	+3.0	+12.9/A	NL
Vanguard TtISMidxAdmrl	LB	191,088	+2.7	+3.4	+12.8/A	NL
Vanguard TtISMidxInv	LB	128,610	+2.7	+3.3	+12.6/A	NL
Vanguard InslIdxns	LB	126,873	+2.6	+3.0	+12.9/A	NL
Vanguard TtInSlIdxInv	FB	126,640	+2.0	+4.0	+5.9/B	NL
Vanguard TtISMidxInv	LB	116,137	+2.7	+3.4	+12.8/A	NL
Vanguard TtInSlIdxnsPlus	FB	97,999	+2.0	+4.4	+6.0/B	NL
Vanguard InslIdxnsPlus	LB	93,127	+2.6	+3.0	+12.9/A	NL
Fidelity Contrfund	LG	92,766	+3.6	+9.0	+15.3/B	NL
American Funds GrfAmrcA m	LG	87,045	+2.8	+8.0	+14.8/B	5.75
Vanguard WingntAdmrl	MA	85,643	+1.1	-3.0	+8.5/A	NL
Vanguard TtInSlIdxAdmrl	CI	83,021	-1.1	-2.4	+1.6/C	NL
Fidelity 500IndexPm	LB	75,376	+2.5	+3.0	+12.9/A	NL
American Funds IncAmrcA m	AL	74,403	+5.0	+7.0	+7.2/D	5.75
Vanguard TtInSlIdxAdmrl	FB	71,451	0.0	-4.0	+5.9/B	NL
Dodge & Cox Slk	LV	69,557	+9.9	+1.6	+12.7/A	NL
American Funds CptInlcBldrA m	IH	68,646	+5.0	+1.9	+5.4/B	5.75
Dodge & Cox IntlStk	FB	64,497	-1.7	-1.7	+5.8/C	NL
American Funds AmrcnBalA m	MA	63,159	+1.2	+6.0	+8.7/A	5.75
American Funds InvAmrcA m	LB	61,376	+2.5	+2.5	+12.1/B	5.75

By 4-Week Percent Return

Name	Obj	Pct Load	NAV	4-Wk Rtn	Phone Number
Leuthold GrizzlyShrt	BM	NL	18.89	+287.9	800-273-6886
Jacob MicroCpGrInsl d	SG	NL	15.48	+11.1	888-522-6239
Jacob MicroCpGrInsl m	SG	NL	14.20	+11.1	888-522-6239
Schneider SmCpVal d	SV	NL	16.23	+9.7	888-520-3277
Fidelity Select Semicon	ST	NL	11.63	+9.4	800-544-8544
ProFunds UHNASDAQ100Inv	LE	NL	70.03	+9.2	888-776-3637
Rydex ElectronicsInv	ST	NL	142.12	+8.9	800-820-0888
ProFunds IntUltraSectInv	LE	NL	90.46	+8.8	888-776-3637
Oberweis ChinaOpps m	CH	NL	17.11	+8.7	800-323-6166
ProFunds UIHSciOilGasInv	LE	NL	42.80	+8.5	888-776-3637
ProFunds UIHSciOpps	LE	NL	65.82	+8.5	888-776-3637
Kinetics ParadigmInst d	MG	NL	55.04	+8.2	800-930-3828
Kinetics ParadigmNoLoad d	MG	NL	54.66	+8.2	800-930-3828
Meridian EqInclLegacy d	LG	NL	17.62	+8.0	800-446-6662
Guinness Atkinson GIBEngy	EE	NL	25.91	+7.6	800-915-6666
Oberweis MicroCp m	SG	NL	27.61	+7.6	800-323-6166
Ivy MicroCpGrA m	SG	5.75	29.10	+7.5	800-777-6472
AMG FrontierSmCpGrZ	SG	NL	12.88	+7.4	800-835-3889
Morgan Stanley InsMidCpGrI	MG	NL	19.81	+7.4	800-548-7786
Victory RSCoandTechA m	ST	5.75	24.87	+7.4	800-766-3863

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Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk
ValA m	LV	15.87	+1.2	-1.7	+3.9/E
ValAdv	LV	15.99	+1.3	-1.6	+4.2/E
WithApprStrA m	WS	16.87	+1.5	+2.0	+6.4/C
WithApprStrAdv	WS	16.63	+1.5	+2.1	+6.7/C

Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk
<b>AC Alternatives</b>					
EqMktNtrInv	NE	11.51	-1.3	+2.6	+9.0/C
MktNtrValInv	NE	10.13	+8.0	-3.2	+8.0/D
<b>AIG</b>					
ActvAllcA f	MA	17.74	+1.1	+5.0	+5.4/C
FlexCrdtA m	HY	3.39	-2.0	+8.0	+3.6/C
FocedDivStrB m	LV	17.35	+3.0	-6.2	+6.4/D
FocedDivStrC m	LV	17.34	+3.0	-6.2	+6.4/D
IntlDivStrA m	FV	9.11	-3.7	-4.7	+1.6/E
IntlDivStrB m	MA	18.48	+1.3	+5.0	+5.0/C
SrFlngRtA m	BL	8.11	+2.0	+1.7	+3.6/B
SrFlngRtC m	BL	8.11	+2.0	+1.5	+3.3/C
StrBdA m	MU	3.33	-6.0	-2.7	+2.0/D
StrValA m	LV	31.11	+8.0	-1.4	+6.1/D
USGvtSecA m	GI	8.87	...	-1.6	-9/E
<b>ALPS</b>					
RdRcksLtdPrEl d	SW	7.36	-5.0	+1.2	+8.1/C
RdRcksLtdPrElInv m	SW	7.24	-5.0	+1.3	+7.8/D
<b>AMG</b>					
ChEqPtnrsBalN b	MA	17.49	+2.0	+2.9	+6.8/A
FQCbRkBaIZ	TV	15.77	+2.1	-1.5	+5.1/B
FQCbRkBaIZEqI	LB	15.77	+2.1	-1.5	+5.1/B
GWKOCBdI	CI	9.78	-2.0	-2.9	+9.0/D
GWKMnBdl	MI	11.39	-2.0	-1.7	+2.1/C
GWKMnEnnHY	GM	9.78	+5.0	-1.3	+4.5/C
GWKSmCpCorI	SG	29.50	+2.4	+3.8	+11.9/B
MgrsAmIntrGrVGS	GI	10.33	...	-2.1	+4.0/B
MgrsAmShrDrGVs	UB	9.45	...	+3.0	+5.0/E
MgrsBrAdvMCGrN	MG	11.70	+3.0	-8.0	+3.9/E
MgrsBrBlueS	LG	50.48	+2.7	+5.0	+11.0/C
MgrsBrwineS	MG	49.37	+3.3	+5.9	+9.1/C
MgrsCaEmergCol	SG	63.88	+5.7	+9.4	+18.9/A
MgrsCaMidCpN b	MG	31.21	+1.9	+3.2	+8.7/C
MgrsCeRIEsttS	SR	9.90	+5.0	-4.6	+4.1/B
MgrsDblCrPlsBdN	CI	10.35	-4.0	-1.9	+1.8
MgrsDblCrPlsBdN b	CI	10.35	-4.0	-1.9	+1.8
MgrsEmergOppsS	SG	50.44	+4.9	+9.0	+12.5/D
MgrsFrpntMidCpI	MV	42.35	+5.0	-3.3	+4.8/E
MgrsFrpntMidCpN b	MV	41.25	+5.0	-3.4	+4.5/E
MgrsLmsSylsBdS	CI	26.19	-5.0	-1.9	+2.5/A
MgrsMntCldGrN b	LG	20.57	+1.9	+4.4	+8.4/E
MgrsMntCldGrN b	LG	20.48	+1.8	+4.3	+8.1/E
MgrsSkynSpcEqS d	SB	44.78	+1.4	+1.8	+6.4/E
MgrsSpecialEqS	SG	133.06	+4.2	+1.4	+11.9/B
RRDivAllCpVII	LV	12.38	+1.8	-6.7	+6.0/D
RRDivAllCpVIN b	LV	12.38	+1.7	-1.0	+6.5/D
RRSmCpValI	SB	13.53	+3.0	+2.4	+11.2/A
SRmSmCpN m	SB	24.93	+8.0	-4.3	+1.3/E
SystMidCpValI	MV	15.98	+3.2	+2.0	+8.5/B
TmsSqMidCpGrI	MG	19.91	+1.6	+5.0	+9.0/C
TmsSqMidCpGrS	MG	19.91	+1.6	+5.0	+9.0/C
TmsSqSmCpGrI	SG	18.90	+2.7	+9.1	+10.4/C
TmsSqSmCpGrS	SG	18.42	+2.6	+9.0	+10.2/C
TrilogEMktsEqZ d	EM	9.98	-1.0	-2.9	+7.4/A
YackFoc d	LB	20.96	+6.0	-7.6	+8.8/C
YackFoc d	LB	20.99	+6.0	-7.7	+8.6/D
YackmanI d	LV	22.76	+6.0	-4.0	+8.0/C

Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk
<b>AQR</b>					
DiversArbtgrI	NE	9.28	+5.0	+1.8	+3.2
DiversArbtgrN b	NE	9.28	+5.0	+1.8	+3.0
IntlEqI	FG	17.18	+1.1	+2.0	+6.8
IntlMomStyleI	FG	16.43	+1.6	+4.6	+5.2
LgCpMomStyleI	LG	23.08	+2.6	+7.1	+10.9
LgCpMomStyleN b	LG	23.08	+2.6	+7.0	+10.6
MgdFtsStratI	FF	9.01	+1.0	-2.4	-4.8
MgdFtsStratN b	FF	8.88	+2.0	-2.4	-5.1
MitStratAllN	AM	8.70	-1.4	-3.9	-4.0
MitStratAllN b	AM	8.64	-1.4	-3.0	+1.7
RkBalCmndsStrI	BB	7.17	+6.0	+3.9	+5.0
RkParityI	TV	9.77	+3.0	-5.0	+3.7
RkParityIInvI	TV	9.33	+2.1	-8.0	+2.8
SmCpMomStyleI	SG	25.36	+3.9	+8.1	+10.0

Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk
<b>AT</b>					
DiscpEqInsl	LB	20.12	+2.8	+5.0	+10.5/B
<b>Aberdeen</b>					
GlbHlncA b	HY	8.99	-5.0	-6.0	+1.9/E
GlbHlncI	HY	8.41	-6.0	-5.0	+2.0/E
IntlSmCpA m	FR	31.68	-1.9	+6.0	+8.0/D
SellIntlEqA b	FB	26.74	-7.0	-2.6	+3.0/D
TotalRetBdA b	CI	12.75	-1.0	-2.5	+1.4/B
TotalRetBdI	CI	12.56	-1.0	-2.4	+1.7/B
<b>Absolute Strategies</b>					
Instl	AM	8.27	-1.4	...	-2.0/E
<b>Acadian</b>					
EmMktsInv d	EM	21.72	-3.4	-3.0	+5.2/C
<b>Access</b>					
CptCmntyInvMlns	GI	8.67	-1.0	-2.3	+4.0/B
<b>AdvisorOne</b>					
CLSgIbDivrsEqN	WS	18.92	+6.0	+1.8	+6.6/C
<b>Advisory Research</b>					
MLPEngInvC m	LP	8.56	+4.0	-1.1	-8.3/C
MLPEngInvC m	LP	8.57	+4.0	-1.4	-9.0/D
MLPEngInvC d	LP	8.41	+4.2	-1.1	-8.1/C
MLPEngInvC d	LP	8.19	+4.1	-1.3	-9.3/D
<b>Aegis</b>					
Val	SV	20.82	+2.2	+5.9	+16.3/A
<b>Akre</b>					
FocInsl d	LG	35.61	+3.5	+7.8	+14.3/A
FocRetail m	LG	34.89	+3.5	+7.7	+14.0/A
<b>AI Frank</b>					
Inv m	LV	25.04	+1.7	+1.0	+7.6/C
<b>Alger</b>					
CptApprecA m	LG	26.92	+4.3	+9.2	+12.1/C
CptApprecC m	LG	21.32	+4.3	+8.8	+11.3/C
CptApprecI	LG	90.37	+4.3	+9.4	+12.2/C
CptApprecIInv	LG	35.42	+4.3	+9.3	+12.2/C
GrInclA m	LV	40.61	+2.3	+4.0	+9.1/C
IntlGrA m	FG	17.13	+1.2	+5.0	+2.1/E
LgCpGrI2	LG	69.69	+6.1	+13.1	+10.5/D
MidCpGrA m	MG	14.72	+5.1	+7.6	+8.3/D
MidCpGrI2	MG	26.88	+5.1	+7.5	+8.5/C
MidCpGrInsl	MG	31.51	+5.1	+7.4	+8.5/C
SmCpGrA m	SG	9.54	+5.6	+13.2	+11.8/B
SmCpGrI2	SG	27.31	+5.7	+13.1	+12.2/B
SmCpGrInsl	SG	22.75	+5.5	+12.3	+12.1/B
SpectraA m	LG	22.55	+4.5	+9.6	+12.2/C

Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk
<b>AllianzGI</b>					
FocedGrA m	LG	56.93	+4.0	+7.7	+13.2/B
FocedGrC m	LG	39.51	+4.0	+7.4	+12.4/B
GlbSmCpA m	SW	52.61	+2.3	+5.1	+7.6/D
HlthSciA m	SH	33.03	+2.7	+4.0	+2.5/C
NFIJDivValA m	LV	15.30	+1.7	+1.6	+7.2/C
NFIJDivValI	LV	15.44	+1.6	+1.2	+6.4/D
NFIJDivValInsl	LV	15.42	+1.8	+1.7	+7.6/C
NFIJInValA m	FV	19.61	-7.0	-6.0	-2.9/E
NFIJLgCapValA m	LV	27.09	+1.7	+1.2	+8.9/B
NFIJLgCapValA m	MV	30.74	+1.0	-1.9	+3.9/A
NFIJMidCapValC m	MV	25.20	...	-2.1	+9.5/A
NFIJMidCapValInsl	MV	32.86			



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Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk
Oppnlst	LV	23.60	+7	-7	+74/C
Oppnlv	LV	23.67	+7	-8	+72/C
SmCpnlst d	SB	20.43	+2.4	+4.7	+2.8/E
SmCpnlv d	SB	19.96	+2.4	+4.6	+2.6/E
<b>Carillon</b>					
CIVICptlApprA m	LG	44.33	+3.2	+5.5	+13.5/B
EagleGrInC m	LV	20.88	+7	-1	+8.7/B
EagleGrInC m	LV	19.99	+6	-5	+7.8/C
EglMidCpGrA m	MG	60.81	+2.7	+7.6	+11.7/A
EglMidCpGrC m	MG	48.73	+2.7	+7.4	+10.9/B
EglMidCpStkA m	MG	28.97	+1.4	+2.1	+7.0/E
EglSmCpGrA m	SG	63.53	+3.9	+6.6	+10.0/C
EglSmCpGrC m	SG	47.03	+3.8	+6.3	+9.2/D
ReamsCoreBdl	CI	30.83	-1	-2.3	+1.2/C
ReamsCoreBdl	CI	11.12	+1	-1.9	+1.4/B
ReamsUnconsBdl	NT	11.59	-3	-1.2	+1.8/D
ReamsUnconsBdl b	NT	11.64	-3	-1.4	+1.5/D
ScoutIntll	FB	21.49	-1	+1	+4.8/B
ScoutMidCpl	MB	19.64	+2.3	+3.3	+13.0/A
ScoutSmCpl	SG	29.38	+3.5	+5.2	+14.8/A
<b>Caseway</b>					
IntllValInst d	FV	17.02	-3	-1.7	+3.2/C
IntllValIn d	FV	16.89	-3	-1.9	+3.0/C
<b>Center Coast Capital</b>					
BkrlidMLPFocA m	LP	7.04	+3.5	-5	-6.4/A
BkrlidMLPFocC m	LP	6.50	+3.3	-8	-7.1/B
<b>Champlain</b>					
SmCoAdv b	SG	22.00	+5.5	+10.6	+14.8/A
<b>City National Rochda</b>					
CorpBdServicing	CS	10.17	-1	-1.2	+6
DivInclN b	LV	37.95	+1.2	-5.1	+5.2/E
<b>ClearBridge</b>					
AggressivGrA m	LG	211.44	+1.6	+3.9	+4.2/E
AggressivGrC m	LG	169.35	+1.5	+3.7	+3.5/E
AggressivGrI	LG	233.38	+1.6	+4.1	+4.5/E
AggressivGrIS	LG	235.88	+1.6	+4.1	+4.6/E
AlIcPValA m	LV	14.34	+2.2	+1.4	+7.6/C
AlIcPValC m	LV	12.36	+2.1	-1.6	+6.9/D
ApprecA m	LB	23.93	+1.7	+1.4	+9.0/C
ApprecC m	LB	23.04	+1.7	+1.1	+8.3/D
ApprecI	LB	23.79	+1.8	+1.5	+9.4/C
ApprecIS	LB	23.86	+1.7	+1.5	+9.5/C
CBInttSmCpl	FA	29.23	+1.2	+1.4	+6.3/C
DivStrat m	LB	23.11	+1.1	-1.4	+8.9/C
DivStratA m	LB	23.09	+1.1	-1.6	+8.6/D
DivStratC m	LB	22.75	+1.1	-1.8	+7.9/D
DivStratI	LB	23.70	+1.2	-1.4	+8.9/C
IntlGrC m	FG	42.34	+2.3	+5.6	+8.0/A
IntlGrI	FG	48.80	+2.4	+6.1	+9.1/A
IntlValA m	FV	11.69	-1.1	-1.1	+3.7/B
IntlValIS	FV	11.75	-1.1	-0.9	+4.2/B
LgCpGrA m	LG	43.72	+3.3	+7.6	+13.5/B
LgCpGrC m	LG	35.19	+3.3	+7.3	+12.7/B
LgCpGrI	LG	48.45	+3.3	+7.7	+13.9/A
LgCpValA m	LV	12.73	+2	-1.1	+6.2/D
LgCpValC m	LV	31.77	+2	-1.4	+5.4/E
LgCpValI	LV	32.88	+2	-1.0	+6.5/D
MidCpA m	MB	33.54	+2.5	+3	+5.2/D
MidCpB	MB	26.80	+2.4	+1.4	+4.4/E
MidCpI	MB	27.23	+2.5	+5	+5.5/D
MidCpIS	MB	37.58	+2.5	+5.6	+5.6/D
SmCpC m	SG	39.89	+4.5	+3.6	+10.2/C
SmCpGrA m	SG	37.83	+5.7	+15.3	+12.8/B
SmCpGrI	SG	40.33	+5.8	+15.5	+13.1/A
SmCpGrIS	SG	40.73	+5.8	+15.5	+13.3/A
SmCpGrR b	SG	36.91	+5.7	+15.2	+12.5/B
SmCpl	SG	63.02	+4.5	+4.0	+11.3/B
SmCpValA m	SV	20.42	+6.0	+2.6	+7.1/D
TactDivInC m	MV	16.35	+2.3	-1.5	-7/E
TactDivInC m	MV	15.53	+2.2	-1.7	-1.4/E
TactDivInC	MV	16.47	+2.3	-1.4	-4/E
ValTrustC m	LB	78.51	+4	-1.8	+4.7/E
ValTrustI	LB	94.23	+5	-1.5	+5.7/E
<b>Clermont</b>					
CLSGrandInclN	CA	11.47	+9	+1.0	+4.4/B
<b>Clipper</b>					
Clipper	LB	124.31	+2.1	+3.2	+11.9/A
<b>Cohen &amp; Steers</b>					
DivValInclNst	LB	15.16	+1.7	-5	+8.2/D
GblInfrnsA m	XO	18.58	+4	-3.2	+3.4/B
GblRtysInclA m	GR	52.03	+2.2	-1.5	+3.8/B
GblRtysInclC m	GR	52.29	+2.2	-1.4	+4.2/B
InstlRtly	SR	41.34	+4.6	-3.9	+4.6/A
IntlRtlyA m	GR	12.14	+5	+1.0	+4.2/B
IntlRtlyI	GR	12.23	+5	+1.2	+4.5/A
PfrdScInclA m	RR	13.56	-8	-2.5	+4.8/B
PfrdScInclC m	RR	13.48	-9	-2.7	+4.2/D
PfrdScInclI	RR	13.60	-8	-2.3	+5.2/B
RIEsttSecInC m	SR	14.03	+4.2	-4.7	+5.3/A
RIEsttSecInC m	SR	12.71	+4.1	-4.9	+4.9/A
RIEsttSecInC m	SR	14.78	+4.2	-4.8	+5.6/A
RIEsttSecInC m	SR	61.44	+4.5	-4.0	+4.3/B
<b>Colorado BondShares</b>					
AtXex f	SI	9.07	+5	+2.0	+4.7/A
<b>Columbia</b>					
AMTFRCAIMBlns	MF	10.23	+2	-8	+2.4/B
AMTFRCTIMBlns	SI	10.30	+2	-8	+1.5/C
AMTFRIMBA m	MI	10.26	+2	-1.2	+2.0/C
AMTFRIMBlns	MT	10.27	+3	-1.1	+2.2/C
AMTFRMAMBlns	MT	10.33	+2	-1.0	+1.7/D
AMTFRNYMBlns	MM	11.63	+2	-9	+1.9/B
AMTFRSMBlns	SI	12.10	+1	-1.0	+1.9/C
AMTFRSMBlns	SI	9.96	+2	-1.1	+1.8/B
AccornA m	MG	14.02	+3.7	+8.5	+10.9/B
AccornC m	MG	7.12	+3.6	+8.2	+10.0/B
AccornIS	MG	16.71	+3.7	+8.6	+11.2/B
AccornIntSellns	FG	30.12	+1.8	+3.0	+8.9/A
AccornIntA m	FR	47.75	-1	+2.7	+5.8/E
AccornIntC m	FR	45.63	-2	+2.4	+5.0/E
AccornIntIns	FR	47.86	-1	+2.8	+6.0/E
AccornSela m	MG	15.19	+3.2	+3.9	+10.7/B
AccornSellns	MG	17.21	+3.2	+4.1	+11.0/B
AccornUSAlns	SG	16.86	+4.5	+10.8	+11.0/C
BalA m	MA	40.97	+1.2	-8	+5.7/C
Balns	MA	40.90	+1.2	-7	+5.9/B
BdA m	CI	8.25	-2	-2.5	+1.4/B
Bdms	CI	8.25	-2	-2.4	+1.7/B
ContrCoreA m	LB	25.68	+1.9	...	+8.7/D
ContrCoreIns	LB	25.87	+1.9	...	+9.0/D
ContrCoreV f	LB	25.43	+2.0	...	+8.7/D
ContrEurpA m	ES	7.45	+7	+1.8	+2.8/D
ConvrtSecA m	CV	20.90	+2.4	+5.5	+6.5/B
ConvrtSecIns	CV	20.94	+2.4	+5.6	+6.8/A
CorplncA m	TW	9.83	-5	-3.5	+2.1/D
CorplncIns	TW	9.83	-3	-3.5	+2.3/C
CptAlcAgrA m	AL	13.66	+1.6	+1.7	+7.8/A
CptAlcAgrC m	AL	13.30	+1.4	+1.4	+7.0/B
CptAlcCnsA m	XY	10.15	+2	-1.1	+2.7/D
CptAlcCnsA m	MA	13.10	+1.2	+1.1	+6.7/A
CptAlcCnsA m	MA	13.12	+1.2	+8	+5.9/B
CptAlcCnsA m	MA	13.08	+1.2	+1.2	+7.0/A
CptAlcCnsA m	CA	11.10	+5	+3	+3.9/C
CptAlcModA m	CA	11.67	+1.0	+4	+5.5/A
CptAlcModC m	CA	11.56	+8	-	+4.7/B
DiscpCoreA m	LB	12.43	+2.6	+4.1	+10.3/B
DiscpSmCoreV f	SB	7.22	+3.3	+3.7	+5.1/E
DivInclA m	LV	21.84	+1.5	-5	+10.1/A
DivInclC m	LV	21.15	+1.4	-8	+9.2/A
DivInclIns	LV	21.87	+1.5	-4	+10.3/A
DivInclV f	LV	21.85	+1.5	-5	+10.0/A
DivOppA m	LV	9.68	+1.0	+6	+7.4/C
DivOppC m	LV	9.46	+1.0	+2	+6.5/D
EmMktsIns	EM	13.52	-7	-2.1	+7.9/A
FRIRA m	BL	9.15	+3	+2.3	+4.5/B
GLIEingNatResA m	SN	20.95	+3.2	+5.9	+4.0/B
GLIEingNatResI	SN	21.21	+3.2	+5.9	+4.0/B
GlbDivOppA m	WS	18.86	-1	-2.4	+3.4/E
GlbDivOppIns	WS	18.93	-1	-2.3	+3.6/E
GlbEValA m	WS	14.23	+4	+3	+5.6/D
GlbEValC m	IH	13.88	+4	+1.2	+6.1/A
GlbEValI m	WS	15.74	+1.5	+2.5	+8.5/B
GlbEValR m	WS	13.44	+1.5	+2.1	+7.6/B
GlbTechGrA m	ST	33.97	+5.8	+12.4	+22.6/A
GlbTechGrC m	ST	30.53	+5.7	+12.0	+21.7/B
GlbTechGrIns	ST	35.29	+5.8	+12.5	+22.9/A
GrtrChinaA m	CH	53.82	+5.2	+5.3	+8.9/B
HYBdA m	HY	2.85	-1.0	-2.1	+3.2/D
HYBdC m	HY	2.83	-1.1	-2.4	+2.4/E
HYMunA m	HM	10.50	+5	+5	+3.8/C
HYMunIns	HM	10.50	+4	+4	+4.0/C
IncBuilderA m	XY	11.84	+3	-3	+4.0/A
IncOppsA m	HY	9.55	-1.0	-2.1	+3.0/D
LgCpEnhCoreA b	LB	25.51	+2.4	+3.4	+10.5/B
LgCpEnhCoreIns	LB	25.47	+2.4	+3.5	+10.8/A
LgCpGrA m	LG	42.53	+3.5	+7.2	+10.8/D
LgCpGrC m	LG	35.64	+3.4	+6.8	+10.0/D
LgCpGrI m	LG	18.76	+3.5	+7.0	+10.9/D
LgCpGrI m	LG	13.43	+3.5	+6.8	+10.0/D
LgCpGrI m	LG	20.18	+3.5	+7.1	+11.1/C
LgCpGrI m	LG	44.15	+3.5	+7.2	+11.1/C
LgCpGrI f	LG	42.15	+3.5	+7.1	+10.8/D
LgCpGrI b	LB	50.95	+2.5	+2.8	+10.5/B
LgCpValA m	LV	15.25	+2.5	+2.9	+10.8/A
LgCpValC m	LV	14.27	+4	-1.9	+7.9/D
LgCpValI m	LV	14.23	+4	-1.9	+6.9/D
LmtDurCrdtA m	CS	9.66	+1	-1.9	+1.3/B
MNTXExmptA m	SM	5.36	+2	-1.2	+2.4/B
MidCapGrA m	MG	27.22	+4.5	+6.9	+8.5/C
MidCapGrIns	MG	29.06	+4.6	+7.0	+8.8/C
MidCapI m	MB	17.04	+2.7	+3.0	+9.4/A
MidCapI m	MB	16.98	+2.7	+3.1	+9.7/A
MidCapValA m	MV	13.60	+1.6	-4	+6.0/D
MidCapValC m	MV	12.60	+1.5	-6	+5.2/D
MidCapValI m	MV	13.64	+1.6	-2	+6.3/C
PacAsins	DP	11.66	+1.7	+9	+10.0/B
QualityInC m	CI	5.29	+2	-1.3	+1.2/C
RIEstateEqA m	SR	13.27	+3.5	-4.8	+3.4/C
RIEstateEqA m	SR	13.31	+3.6	-4.7	+3.7/B
SMCpValA m	FV	10.43	+2.2	+2.9	+6.2/E
STBdA m	CS	9.87	+2	-3	+5/D
STBdIns	CS	9.85	+1	-3	+7/C
STBdIns3	CS	9.85	+2	-2	+9/C
STMuniBdA m	MS	10.27	+1	+1	+5/D
STMuniBdIns	MS	10.27	+1	+2	+8/C
StGlbEqA m	WS	13.64	+2.0	+5.8	+10.4/A
SellIntEqA m	FG	15.07	+9	+1.3	+3.0/E
SellIntEqIns	FG	15.42	+9	+1.4	+3.2/E
SellGpEqA m	LB	14.86	+2.1	+1.8	+10.8/A
SellGpEqIns	LB	14.76	+2.1	+1.9	+11.1/A
SellGpGrA m	LG	17.80	+4.2	+10.9	+10.1/D
SellGpGrIns	LG	18.35	+4.1	+11.0	+10.4/D
SellGpValA m	LV	26.09	+2.3	-5	+9.8/A
SellGpValC m	LV	23.89	+2.2	-8	+9.3/A
SellGpValI m	SB	18.44	+4	+2.2	+5.1/E
SigCmsInfoA m	ST	76.99	+5.0	+8.8	+18.3/C
SigCmsInfoC m	ST	53.13	+5.0	+8.5	+17.4/D
SigGlbTechA m	ST	42.77	+4.9	+8.8	+18.7/C
SigGlbTechC m	ST	33.04	+4.8	+8.5	+17.8/C
SmCpGrIA m	SG	19.42	+2.8	+6.6	+13.2/A
SmCpGrIns	SG	20.62	+2.9	+6.8	+13.5/A
SmCpI m	SB	26.58	+4.5	+7.6	+12.9/A
SmCpI b	SB	26.75	+4.5	+7.7	+13.1/A
SmCpValIA m	SV	42.82	+4.3	+2.4	+12.1/A
SmCpValII m	SV	18.21	+3.1	+2.8	+9.0/C
SmCpValIns	SV	18.50	+3.1	+2.9	+9.3/B
SmCpValI m	SV	47.59	+4.4	+2.5	+12.4/A
StratInC m	NT	5.91	-6	-8	+2.3/C
StratInC m	NT	5.91	-6	-9	+3.0/C
StratInC m	NT	5.81	-6	-9	+3.3/A
StratMunInC m	ML	3.98	+3	-7	+3.8/A

Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk
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Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk	Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk	Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk	Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk	
Infl-ProtBondI	CI	116.7	-2	-1.6	+8/C	GrowthOpps m	LH	70.75	+5.0	+9.9	+13.0/B	CnctTxFrncA m	SL	10.05	+3	-6	+15/E	TiREtdBdInst	CS	10.29	+4	-2	+2.6/A	
IntermediateBd	PI	10.53	+1	-1.6	+10/D	HealthCareA m	SH	47.87	+4.4	+12.2	+4.9/B	CnsrAllicA m	CA	14.99	+5	+1.1	+3.3/D	TiREtdBdInst b	CS	10.28	+4	-2	+2.3/A	
InternationalVa	FG	9.00	-1.1	-7	+2.1/D	HealthCareC m	SH	38.44	+4.3	+11.9	+4.1/B	CnsrAllicC b	CA	14.68	+5	+8	+2.6/E	ValEqnInst	LV	9.23	+1.5	+1.9	+8.3/B	
IntlCptlApprec	FV	21.17	+1.0	+5.0	+8.0/A	HealthCareM m	SH	51.94	+4.4	+12.4	+5.1/B	CnvtSecA m	CV	21.06	+2.8	+8.5	+9.8/A	<b>FundX</b>						
IntlDiscv	FG	45.68	+3	...	+5.1/D	HighIncAdvtgA m	HY	11.27	+7	+7	+5.5/A	CnvtSecAdv	CV	21.07	+2.9	+8.6	+10.1/A	FlexInc	TV	39.54	+1.5	+3.4	+5.9	
IntlEnhdX	FV	10.25	-6	+1.1	+5.9/A	HighIncAdvtgC m	HY	11.25	+6	+4	+4.7/A	CorfolioAllicC m	XM	20.47	+1.8	+8.2	+9.0/A	Upgrader	MU	28.16	-2	-9	+2.8	
IntlGr	FG	16.32	+1.4	+1.1	+5.7/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	10.57	+8	+8	+5.7/A	DevMktsA m	EM	21.17	+5	-3.7	+7.3/A	<b>GE</b>						
IntlIdxInstl	FB	43.48	...	+8	+4.5/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	11.34	+8	-8	+5.5/A	DevMktsAdv	EM	21.07	+5	-3.6	+7.5/A	RSPINc	CI	11.13	-1	-2.6	+1.5/B	
IntlIdxInstlPrm	FB	43.48	...	+8	+4.5/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	7.69	-2	-8	+3.5/C	DevMktsAdv	EM	20.50	-6	-3.9	+6.5/B	RFSUSEq	LB	54.28	+2.3	+3.5	+9.0/C	
IntlIdxInstl	FB	43.47	...	+7	+4.4/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	7.66	-4	-1.1	+2.7/E	DynaTechA m	LG	74.07	+4.4	+13.3	+16.8/A	<b>GMO</b>						
IntlIdxPremium	FB	43.47	...	+7	+4.4/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	7.67	-4	-7	+3.5/C	DynaTechAdv	LG	76.20	+4.5	+13.4	+17.1/A	AsstAllicBdVll	MU	22.01	-2	-1.0	-5	
IntlFltEst	GR	11.76	-1	+9	+5.5/A	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	7.67	-4	-8	+3.5/C	DynaTechC m	LG	62.29	+4.4	+12.9	+15.9/A	AsstAllicBdVll	MU	22.08	-3	-1.0	-4	
IntlSmCp	FO	30.24	-5	+1.1	+11.0/A	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	9.37	+3	+1	+9.2/D	DynaTechR b	LG	72.06	+4.4	+13.2	+16.5/A	CorPlusBdVll	CI	20.97	-1	-1.6	+1.4	
IntlSmCp	FR	18.62	-9	+3.6	+9.2/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	37.56	+3	-1	+8.7/C	DynaTechR6	LG	76.86	+4.5	+13.4	+17.3/A	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.77	-2.7	-4.3	+5.6	
IntlSmCpOpps	FR	19.99	-1.1	+3.4	+10.1/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpA m	EM	14.70	-2.1	-2.6	+4.5/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
IntlVal	FV	10.67	-9	-2	+2.4/D	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpAdv	EM	14.88	-2.0	-2.5	+4.8/C	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
IntrmGovtInc	GI	10.19	+2	-1.3	+1/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
IntrmMunInc	MI	10.19	+3	-9	+2.1/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
IntrmTbBdPrm	GI	10.28	+1	-2.8	+3/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
InvmGradeBd	CI	10.89	...	-2.1	+1.9/A	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
InvmGradeBd	CI	7.67	-1	-2.3	+1.5/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
Japan	JS	15.90	+1.1	+2.9	+9.2/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
JapanSmrCo	JS	19.27	+1.6	+1.6	+14.6/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LTTrsBdtdPrm	GL	12.33	-2	-6.1	+1.6/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LargeCapStock	LB	34.17	+3.0	+2.1	+8.9/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LatinAmerica	LS	23.55	-9.8	-3.8	+3.1/D	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LGCPvEnhdX	LV	15.25	+2.1	+2.4	+5.0/A	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LGCPvEnhdX	LV	19.97	+3.5	+5.5	+12.2/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LGCPvEnhdX	LV	13.29	+1.2	+7	+8.6/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LowIntTermGov	GS	9.74	+1	-8	...	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LimitedTermGov	GS	9.74	+1	-8	...	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LowPrStk	MV	55.43	+7	+1.7	+7.8/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LowPrStk	MV	55.39	+7	+1.7	+7.9/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LtdTrmMunInc	MS	10.42	+2	-2	+1.0/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LvrgdCoStk	MB	35.11	+3.8	+4.9	+6.1/D	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
LvrgdCoStk	MB	35.20	+3.8	+5.0	+6.2/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MA/MunicipalInc	MT	11.90	+2	-1.5	+2.5/A	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
Magellan	LG	105.64	+2.3	+5.9	+11.5/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MagellanK	LG	105.49	+2.4	+5.9	+11.6/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MegaCapStock	LB	17.74	+3.0	+1.8	+8.7/D	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MichiganMunInc	SL	11.93	+4	-1.3	+2.5/A	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MidCapValue	MB	21.48	+2.1	+2.4	+8.5/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MidCapStock	MG	39.49	+2.3	+3.3	+8.6/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MidCapStockK	MG	39.52	+2.3	+3.4	+8.7/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MidCapValue	MV	24.69	+8	-2.9	+4.9/E	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MidCapEnhdX	MB	15.84	+1.5	+1.2	+8.0/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MinnesotaMnInc	SM	11.35	+1	-1.4	+2.1/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MortgageSecs	CI	10.86	+1	-1.8	+1.0/D	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MrylndMunInc	SL	11.08	+2	-1.7	+2.5/A	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MunInc	ML	12.70	+4	-1.5	+2.9/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
MunInc2019	MS	10.54	+1	-1.3	+1.2/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
NJ/MunicipalInc	MJ	11.60	+3	-1.1	+3.3/B	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3	...	+9.2/C	EMScpC m	EM	14.01	-2.2	-2.9	+3.8/D	ErnClyDtblt m	EB	27.74	-2.7	-4.3	+5.7	
NYMunInc	MY	12.76	+2	-1.6	+2.5/C	HighIncAdvtgM m	HY	41.03	+3															



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Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk	Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk	Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk
CorEqY	LB	30.42	+1.8	+4.3	+10.7/D	EuropeanGrC m	ES	37.04	-0.8	-3.7	+2.9/D	InvCnsvrGrA m	CA	12.67	+4.4	-3.5	+3.5/D
CptlApprecA m	LB	39.36	+3.1	+4.8	+7.7/D	EuropeanGrlnv b	ES	39.75	-0.7	-3.4	+3.7/B	InvCnsvrGrA m	CA	12.61	+4.4	-5.0	+2.9/D
CptlApprecC m	LB	30.55	+3.0	+4.5	+7.0/E	EuropeanSmCoa m	ES	16.41	-2.0	-1.0	+11.1/A	InvCnsvrGrI	CA	12.75	+5.5	-2.0	+3.8/C
CptlApprecL	LB	39.52	+3.1	+4.9	+8.1/D	Exch	LV	588.39	+5.0	+3.2	+6.9/D	InvGrlnC m	AL	17.61	+1.1	+1.4	+6.5/C
CptlApprecR3 b	LB	43.32	+3.1	+4.7	+7.4/E	FllngRtA m	BL	7.58	+1.1	+1.8	+3.5/C	InvGrlnC m	AL	17.09	+1.1	+1.1	+5.9/D
CptlApprecF4 b	LB	44.63	+3.1	+4.8	+7.7/D	FllngRtC m	BL	7.55	+1.1	+1.7	+3.0/D	InvGrlnC	AL	17.33	+1.1	+1.4	+6.8/B
CptlApprecY	LB	45.71	+3.1	+5.0	+8.1/D	GlbCorEqA m	WS	16.22	-2.2	+1.1	+6.2/C	InvestorBalA m	MA	15.43	+8.8	+5.0	+5.2/C
DiscpEqHLSIA	LG	16.08	+1.8	+4.2	+10.6/D	GlbCorEqC m	WS	15.41	-3.3	-2.2	+5.4/D	InvestorBalC m	MA	15.18	+7.7	+3.0	+4.6/D
DiscpEqHLSIB b	LG	15.90	+1.8	+4.1	+10.3/D	GlbGrA m	WS	31.55	-0.8	-1.3	+3.3/E	InvestorBall	MA	15.46	+8.8	+6.0	+5.4/C
DivandGrA m	LV	25.85	+1.7	+6.0	+9.0/A	GlbLMIIEqYdA m	WS	14.13	+2.6	+2.2	+3.6/E	InvestorGrowthA m	XM	21.11	+4.4	+2.1	+8.1/A
DivandGrC m	LV	24.96	+1.6	+5.3	+8.2/A	GlbRRESIA m	GR	13.27	+2.5	-1.4	+2.2/D	InvestorGrowthC m	XM	19.22	+1.3	+1.8	+7.5/B
DivandGrHLSIA	LV	24.12	+1.6	+7.0	+9.5/A	GlbSmiMidCpGrA m	SW	19.67	+1.0	-0.7	+4.2/E	InvestorGrowthI	XM	21.56	+4.4	+2.2	+8.4/A
DivandGrHLSIB b	LV	23.99	+1.7	+6.0	+9.2/A	GldPrctMtsA m	SP	3.78	-2.3	-9.1	+1.2/E	LCapGrA m	LG	41.98	+4.4	+1.6	+14.2/A
DivandGrI	LV	25.73	+1.6	+7.0	+9.2/A	GldPrctMtslnv b	SP	3.80	-2.3	-9.1	+1.2/E	LCapGrI	LG	42.38	+4.4	+1.7	+14.4/A
DivandGrR3 b	LV	26.18	+1.6	+5.0	+8.6/B	GrAllcA m	AL	16.14	+7.7	+6.0	+5.3/D	LargeCapValueA m	LV	15.51	+7.7	-1.5	+10.6/A
DivandGrR4 b	LV	26.36	+1.6	+6.0	+9.0/B	GrAllcC m	AL	15.96	+7.7	+3.0	+4.5/E	LargeCapValueI	LV	15.25	+7.7	-1.5	+10.7/A
DivandGrR5	LV	26.47	+1.7	+7.0	+9.3/A	GrandInC m	LV	27.19	+1.3	+1.1	+9.0/A	LtdDurBdA m	CS	9.98	+2.3	+3.0	+9.0/C
DivandGrY	LV	26.48	+1.7	+7.0	+9.4/A	GrandInC m	LV	26.85	+1.2	+2.0	+8.2/B	LtdDurBdI	CS	9.98	+3.0	+4.0	+12.2/B
EmMktsLdDtbl	XP	6.09	-5.3	-3.9	+1.9/B	HCA m	SH	36.26	+3.6	+2.0	-1.6/E	LtdDurBdR6	CS	9.99	+2.3	+3.0	+14.2/B
EmMktsLdDtblY	XP	6.05	-5.3	-3.9	+2.0/B	HClinv b	SH	36.27	+3.6	+2.0	-1.6/E	MCapValA m	MB	39.03	+5.0	-1.0	+6.1/D
EqInC m	LV	19.90	+1.4	+1.6	+8.6/B	HYA m	HY	4.08	-3.3	-7.7	+3.0/D	MCapValC m	MB	37.50	+5.0	-1.1	+5.6/D
EqInC m	LV	19.78	+1.3	+1.9	+7.8/C	HYC m	HY	4.07	-3.1	-1.0	+2.2/E	MCapValI	MB	39.48	+6.0	-0.9	+6.4/C
EqIncl	LV	19.79	+1.4	+1.5	+8.8/B	HYInv b	HY	4.08	-3.3	-6.0	+3.0/D	MCapValI	MB	39.98	+6.0	-0.7	+6.7/C
EqInC m	LV	19.92	+1.4	+1.7	+8.2/B	HYMuniA m	HM	9.97	+8.0	+2.0	+5.2/A	MidCapEquityI	MG	52.40	+1.6	+3.1	+7.9/D
EqInC m	LV	19.95	+1.4	+1.6	+8.5/B	HYMuniC m	HM	9.93	+8.2	+2.0	+4.4/C	MidCapGrowthA m	MG	51.18	+1.7	+5.0	+8.7/D
EqInC m	LV	20.10	+1.4	+1.5	+9.0/B	HYR5	HY	4.07	+0.5	-5.5	+3.3/D	MidCapGrowthC m	MG	24.64	+2.5	+6.8	+8.1/D
FllngRtA m	BL	8.73	+1.7	+1.7	+3.7/D	IntermTrmMnlncA m	MI	10.97	+3.3	-6.0	+2.4/B	MidCapGrowthI	MG	35.80	+2.5	+7.1	+9.0/C
FllngRtC m	BL	8.72	+1.4	+3.0	+3.0/B	IntllAlcA m	FB	12.02	-1.2	-1.6	+3.3/D	MktExpnEnhdldxI	SB	11.74	+2.8	+3.6	+10.2/B
FllngRtHlnC m	BL	10.05	+1.7	+3.9/B	IntllAlcC m	FB	35.16	-1.5	-3.1	+1.9/E	MktExpnEnhdldxI	SB	11.90	+2.9	+3.7	+10.5/B	
FllngRtHlnC m	BL	10.05	+1.4	+3.2/D	IntllGrC m	FG	32.28	-1.5	-3.3	+1.2/E	MortgBackdScA m	CI	11.18	+1.1	-1.2	+1.4/C	
FllngRtHlnC m	BL	10.06	+1.1	+4.2/A	IntllGrR5	FG	35.73	-1.4	-2.9	+2.2/E	MortgBackdScI	CI	10.90	+1.1	-1.2	+1.6/B	
FllngRtI	BL	8.74	+1.8	+1.8	+4.0/B	IntllSmCoA m	FQ	18.75	-2.6	-3.0	+7.1/D	MortgBackdScR6	CI	10.90	+2.1	-1.1	+1.8/B
FllngRtI	BL	8.72	+1.4	+1.4	+4.1/A	LtdTrmMnlncA m	MS	11.18	+3.3	-4.0	+9.9/B	MunicipalInC m	MI	9.49	+1.1	-1.2	+1.7/D
GblAllAsstA m	IH	10.71	+2.2	+2.8	+4.8	LtdTrmMnlncA2 f	MS	11.18	+3.3	-4.0	+1.2/B	MunicipalIncl	MI	9.43	+2.0	-1.0	+2.0/C
GblAllAsstC m	IH	10.55	+1.1	-6.0	+4.0	MidCpCorEqA m	MB	21.30	+1.3	-1.1	+4.9/D	NYTxFrBdA m	MN	6.67	+1.1	-1.1	+1.2/E
GblCptlApprecA m	WS	19.11	+1.6	+1.6	+4.7/E	MidCpCorEqC m	MB	12.59	+1.2	-1.4	+4.1/E	NYTxFrBdC m	MN	6.67	+1.1	-1.3	+6.0/E
GblCptlApprecC m	WS	17.47	+1.5	+1.3	+3.9/E	MidCpCorEqR b	MB	20.38	+1.2	-1.2	+4.6/E	NYTxFrBdI	MN	6.71	+3.3	-1.9	+15.5/D
GblCptlApprecI	WS	19.71	+1.7	+1.8	+5.0/D	MG	40.70	+2.6	+7.8	+6.8/E	RealtyIncomeL	SP	12.58	+2.8	-5.0	+2.2/D	
GblEqInC m	WS	19.95	+1.2	+1.2	+5.2/D	MG	30.40	+2.6	+7.5	+6.3/E	RschRtNstrl	SB	15.18	+1.1	+5.0	+7.0/D	
GblGrHLSIB b	WS	30.28	+2.7	+2.6	+5.0/A	ModAlcA m	MA	13.45	+5.0	+2.0	+3.0/C	ScapA m	SB	51.87	+2.6	+4.6	+10.0/A
GblGrHLSIB b	WS	29.96	+2.7	+8.4	+12.7/A	ModAlcC m	MA	13.45	+4.4	-2.2	+3.5/E	ScapEqC m	SB	38.77	+2.5	+4.4	+10.4/B
GblRIAsstY	IH	9.83	+1.7	+2.2	+3.4/C	MunilncA m	ML	13.16	+4.0	-6.0	+3.1/B	ScapEqI	SB	59.92	+2.6	+4.7	+11.3/A
GrAllcA m	AL	12.65	+1.3	+2.4	+4.8	NYTxFrlnC m	MY	15.28	+4.4	-7.7	+2.4/C	ScapEqR5	SB	60.08	+2.6	+4.8	+11.5/A
GrAllcC m	AL	12.44	+1.3	+2.2	+4.1	PETXFrlnC m	MP	16.06	+3.0	-6.0	+2.8/B	ShDrBdA m	CS	10.66	+1.1	-4.0	+2.0/E
GrOpps m	LG	47.54	+5.0	+11.2	+12.6/B	QualInC m	CI	11.53	+1.1	-2.1	+9.0/D	ShDrBdI	CS	10.68	+1.1	-3.0	+4.0/D
GrOppsC m	LG	30.52	+5.0	+10.9	+11.7/C	RIEsttA m	SR	20.23	+3.5	-4.7	+4.1/B	ShDrBdR6	CS	10.67	+1.1	-3.0	+7.0/D
GrOppsHLSIA	LG	42.79	+5.0	+11.4	+13.2/B	RIEsttC m	SR	20.10	+3.4	-4.9	+3.3/C	SmallCapCoreR5	SB	57.38	+4.7	+7.7	+10.7/B
GrOppsHLSIB b	LG	41.07	+5.0	+11.3	+12.9/B	SP500ldx A m	LB	29.69	+2.5	+2.8	+10.4/B	SmallCapGrowthA m	SG	18.07	+4.6	+12.4	+16.2/A
GrOppsI	LG	49.65	+5.0	+11.3	+12.8/B	SP500ldx C m	LB	28.62	+2.4	+2.5	+9.6/C	SmallCapGrowthI	SG	19.93	+4.7	+12.5	+16.5/A
GrOppsR4 b	LG	50.13	+5.0	+11.2	+12.5/B	SP500ldxY	LB	30.05	+2.5	+2.9	+10.7/A	SmallCapGrowthL	SG	20.51	+4.7	+12.6	+16.6/A
GrOppsY	LG	52.94	+5.0	+11.3	+13.0/B	SeICoA m	SB	18.62	-2.2	-9.0	+7.8/D	SmallCapValueA m	SV	30.41	+4.7	+5.2	+8.7/C
HCA m	SH	35.42	+4.2	+5.6	+5.3/B	SeICoC m	SB	15.65	-2.2	-1.2	+7.0/D	SmallCapValueI	SV	32.25	+4.7	+5.4	+9.0/C
HCC m	SH	28.92	+4.2	+5.3	+4.5/B	SHBDA m	CS	8.48	+1.1	-1.3	+1.3/B	SmallCapValueR5	SV	32.27	+4.7	+5.4	+9.1/C
HCHLSIA	SH	23.78	+4.3	+5.9	+5.7/A	SHBDC b	CS	8.48	+1.1	-1.4	+1.3/B	SmallCapValueR6	SV	32.31	+4.8	+5.4	+9.2/C
HCI	SH	37.16	+4.3	+5.7	+5.5/B	SmCpDiscvA m	SG	10.61	+4.4	+9.8	+8.2/E	SmtRetr2020A m	TE	19.57	+5.5	-5.0	+4.5/C
HYA m	HY	7.27	+1.1	+2.1	+3.6/C	SmCpEqA m	SB	16.06	+2.8	+4.6	+5.8/E	SmtRetr2020I	TE	19.64	+5.5	-4.0	+4.6/C
HYC m	HY	7.24	-3.3	-1.1	+2.8/D	SmCpGrA m	SG	40.81	+4.1	+9.4	+11.5/B	SmtRetr2020R5	TE	19.66	+5.5	-4.0	+4.7/B
HYHLSIA	HY	8.14	-2.2	-7.4	+1.1/B	SmCpGrlnv b	SG	42.90	+4.1	+9.4	+11.5/B	SmtRetr2030A m	TH	21.34	+8.8	+1.1	+5.8/C
HYHLSIB b	HY	8.00	-1.2	-7.0	+3.9/B	SmCpGrR b	SG	37.79	+4.0	+9.3	+11.2/C	SmtRetr2030I	TH	21.39	+8.8	+1.1	+5.9/C
IntflPlusA m	IP	10.40	+2.2	-9.0	+9.0/C	SmCpGrR5	SG	46.03	+4.1	+9.5	+11.9/B	SmtRetr2030R5	TH	21.45	+8.8	+2.0	+6.0/C
IntflPlusC m	IP	9.97	+2.2	-1.1	+2.2/E	SmCpValA m	SV	19.21	+2.4	+1.3	+6.9/D	SmtRetr2040A m	TJ	22.58	+9.9	+4.0	+6.6/C
IntflPlusI	IP	10.58	+2.2	-8.0	+1.2/B	SmCpValC m	SV	13.77	+2.3	+1.0	+6.1/E	SmtRetr2040I	TJ	22.65	+9.9	+4.0	+6.7/C
IntflGrA m	FG	15.93	+1.4	+3.8	+6.5/B	SummitP b	LG	21.61	+3.4	+8.6	+12.7/B	SmtRetr2040R5	TJ	22.71	+9.9	+5.0	+6.8/C
IntflOppsA m	FB	17.12	+9.9	+9.9	+4.9/B	TechA m	ST	49.38	+4.5	+11.6	+14.2/E	SmtRetrlncl	RI	18.41	+4.0	-7.0	+3.7/A
IntflOppsC m	FB	14.93	+9.9	+7.0	+4.2/C	Techlnv b	ST	49.11	+4.5	+11.7	+14.3/E	SmtRetrlnC m	RI	18.45	+4.0	-6.0	+3.8/A
IntflOppsHLSIA	FB	17.86	+10.0	+11.1	+5.6/A	TechSectA m	ST	24.69	+4.5	+11.8	+14.1/E	TaxAwareEqI	LG	34.42	+2.9	+3.1	+10.8/D
IntflOppsHLSIB b	FB	17.86	+10.0	+11.1	+5.3/A	USGovA m	GI	8.60	-1.1	-1.7	+4.8/B	TaxAwrFlRetI					







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Mutual Funds

Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rrk	Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rrk	Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rrk	Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rrk
ShrtTrmAdm b	UB	9.89	+3	+9	+18/A	MdCpVallns	MV	15.17	+6	+7	+5.9/D	InvGblRIEstSecS	GR	32.81	+1.7	-2.2	+2.6	GRStk	LG	68.18	+3.0	+8.8	+14.3/A
ShrtTrmC m	UB	9.89	+2	+8	+15/A	PrfSecdncs	RR	10.04	-6	-18	+4.6/C	InvGlobalEqSt	WS	11.02	+1.4	+2.0	+7.6	GRStkAdv b	LG	66.60	+2.9	+8.7	+14.1/A
ShrtTrm2	UB	9.89	+3	+10	+2.0/A	RIEsttSecA m	SR	22.70	+3.3	-4.1	+4.6/A	InvntIntDvMkts	FB	41.79	+5.4	+1.4	+5.3	GRStkR b	LG	64.36	+2.9	+8.6	+13.8/A
ShrtTrm3	UB	9.89	+3	+10	+2.1/A	RIEsttSecns	SR	22.73	+3.4	-3.9	+5.0/A	InvntnGrdBds	CI	20.54	-6	-3.0	+1.0	Grandlnc	LB	29.07	+1.6	+2.4	+10.3/B
ShrtTrmR b	BL	9.89	+3	+8	+1.6/A	RIEsttSecj m	SR	22.05	+3.8	+4.8/A	InvLPBalStrA m	MA	11.39	+3	+4	+4	HY	HY	6.55	+7	-6	+4.0/B	
SrFltngRIA m	BL	9.89	+1	+12	+3.0	SAMgBA m	MA	16.03	+1.1	+7	+5.4/C	InvLPBalStrC b	MA	11.11	+3	+5	+3.6	HtHSc	SH	74.60	+3.7	+6.0	+5.0/B
SrFltngRtlns d	BL	9.89	+1	+14	+3.3	SAMgBC m	MA	15.77	+1.0	+3	+4.6/D	InvLPBalStrS	MA	11.55	+3	+10	+4.5	InfPrtdBd	IQ	11.68	-2	-1.3	+9/C
SktPlsShrtln2	BM	8.21	-1.9	-2.1	-8.7	SAMgCnsBA m	CA	12.19	+7	-1	+4.1/C	InvLPcnsvrStrA m	XY	9.70	-1	-4	+2.3	InsAfrclMdEst d	MP	6.82	-3.8	+2.7	+8/D
SktPlsShrtlns	BM	8.22	-1.9	-2.0	-8.6	SAMgCnsBC m	CA	12.05	+7	-4	+3.3/D	InvLPcnsvrStrC b	XY	9.57	-2	-8	+1.5	InsCorPlus	CI	10.04	-2	-2.1	+1.7/B
SktPLUSA m	LB	10.79	+2.1	+2.1	+10.0	SAMgCnsGA m	AL	18.48	+1.5	+1.4	+6.8/B	InvLPEqGrStrA m	AL	13.65	+1.2	+2.0	+6.0	InsEMBD d	EB	8.54	-2.2	-3.6	+5.9/A
SktPLUSAbRtA m	LB	10.81	+2.2	+2.2	+10.6	SAMgCnsGC m	AL	17.17	+1.4	+1.1	+6.0/D	InvLPEqGrStrC b	AL	12.17	+1.1	+1.7	+5.2	InsEMEQ d	EM	40.44	-1.1	-1.6	+8.6/A
SktPLUSAbRt2	LB	9.85	+2.2	+2.5	+9.7	SAMgmtFlxIncA m	XY	12.32	+5.5	-8	+3.1/B	InvLPEqGrStrS	AL	13.72	+1.2	+2.1	+6.3	InsFltngRt d	BL	10.00	+1.1	+1.6	+3.8/B
SktPLUSAbRtlns	LB	10.87	+2.3	+2.9	+10.9	SAMgmtFlxIncC m	XY	12.19	+5.5	-1.1	+2.3/D	InvLPGrStrA m	AL	12.78	+8	+1.4	+5.2	InsFltngRtF d	BL	9.99	+1.1	+1.5	+3.7/B
SktPLUSAbRtlns	LB	11.00	+2.2	+2.9	+11.0	SAMgmtStrGrA m	XM	20.91	+1.6	+1.6	+7.1/C	InvLPGrStrC b	AL	12.00	+7	+1.2	+4.4	InsGblGrEq d	WS	29.19	+1.8	+5.7	+10.8/A
SktPLUSUSC m	LB	10.25	+2.1	+1.9	+9.5	SAMgmtStrGrC m	XM	19.04	+1.5	+1.3	+6.3/D	InvLPGrStrS	AL	12.96	+8	+1.5	+5.4	InsHY d	HY	8.71	-6	-1.0	+4.2/B
SktPLUSUHDlns	FB	7.02	+9	+2.0	+5.0	ShrtTrmncA m	CS	12.04	+2	-3	+1.2/B	InvLPMModStrA m	CA	10.43	+1	+2	+3.8	InsIntlCorEq d	FB	14.20	+4	+1.9	+5.2/A
SktPLUSUSHDH m	FB	8.35	+4.1	+3.5	+5.3	SmCpA m	SB	24.58	+3.8	+7.7	+9.4/C	InvLPMModStrC b	CA	10.25	...	-2	+3.0	InsIntlGrEq d	FG	24.90	-2.5	+1	+5.1/D
SktPLUSUSHDHC m	FB	7.69	+4.1	+3.2	+4.5	SmCpGrHns	SG	15.12	+3.6	+8.6	+11.8/C	InvLPMModStrS	CA	10.49	+1	-1	+3.9	InsIntlGrCorGr	LG	41.84	+3.5	+11.8	+16.5/A
SktPLUSUSHDH2	FB	8.71	+2.2	+3.8	+1.1/A	SmCpGrJ m	SF	11.30	+3.7	+7.9	+11.4/C	InvShrtDurBdS	CS	19.93	...	-1	+1.1	InsIntlGrCpGr	LG	41.02	+3.3	+11.1	+16.3/A
SktPLUSUSHDHln	FB	8.78	+4.2	+3.7	+5.8	SmCpns	SB	26.35	+3.8	+7.9	+9.8/B	InvStrtBdS	CI	10.46	-2	-3.0	+1.2	InsIntlGrVal	LV	23.02	+1.2	+3	+8.6/B
SktPLUSlns	LB	11.62	+2.2	+2.3	+10.5	SmCpJ m	SB	23.55	+3.8	+7.8	+9.6/C	InvTEBdS	MI	22.67	+2	-6	+2.3	InsMdCpValEq	MG	57.48	-2.8	+5.5	+11.5/A
SktPLUSLngDrln	XM	6.84	+7	-4.4	+13.3	SmCpSP600ldxns	SB	29.16	+4.5	+7.6	+13.1/A	InvTxMgdUSLQcPs	LB	41.84	+1.9	+2.2	+9.6	InsSmCpStk	SG	25.28	+2.7	+6.5	+11.3
SktPLUSSmA m	SB	10.94	+3.9	+6.3	+11.0	SmCpSP600ldxj m	SB	27.66	+4.5	+7.6	+12.8/A	InvTxMgdUSJMSmCps	SG	27.82	+2.9	+4.4	+8.1	InsUSStrtRsrc	LB	13.36	+2.3	+3.4	+11.6/A
SktPLUSSmC m	SB	10.10	+3.9	+6.1	+10.3	SmCpValllns	SV	13.65	+3.2	+3.6	+8.3/C	InvUSCoreEqS	LB	32.90	+1.8	+2.0	+9.8	IntBd d	IB	8.86	-3.5	-1.5	+2.9/A
SktPLUSSm2	SB	11.10	+3.9	+6.5	+11.4	TxExBdA m	MI	7.11	+2	-8	+2.8/A	InvUSDefesEqS	LB	52.32	+1.3	+1.8	+9.7	IntlDiscv d	FR	74.23	+10.0	+3.9	+12.3/A
SktPLUSSm3	SB	11.19	+4.0	+6.6	+11.5	<b>ProFunds</b>						InvUSSmCpEqS	SB	33.33	+3.5	+4.6	+9.7	IntlEqldx d	FB	14.57	...	+8	+4.8/B
TotRetESG12	CI	8.82	-2	-2.6	+1.3	BtchUltrSctlnv	LE	60.60	+3.5	-3.0	-4.3/E	<b>Rydex</b>					IntlStk d	FG	18.68	-2	+1	+5.0/D	
TotRetESG15	CI	8.82	-2	-2.6	+1.4	IntUltraSectlnv	LE	90.46	+8.8	+31.1	+36.0/A	BasBiotechInv	SH	88.34	+3.2	+1.2	-1.7/E	IntlStkAdv m	FG	18.72	-3	-1	+4.8/D
TiRetA m	CI	9.95	...	-2.3	+1.4/B	NASDAQ100Inv	LG	68.79	+4.6	+8.4	+14.5/A	DynSP500H b	LE	111.16	+4.0	+2.5	+1.72	IntlValEq d	FV	14.99	-1.7	-1	+1.5/D
TiRetAdm b	CI	9.95	...	-2.3	+1.5/B	UltBullInv	LE	59.42	+4.7	+3.1	+17.5/A	HClInv	SH	30.02	+2.8	+4.7	+2.2/C	IntlValEqR m	FV	15.24	-1.7	-1.0	+1.3/E
TiRetC m	CI	9.95	-1	-2.6	+6/E	UltMidCplnv	LE	45.55	+2.7	+3.5	+14.8/B	InternetInv	ST	131.75	+4.0	+13.7	+12.2/D	IntlValEqR m	FV	15.02	-1.8	-1.1	+1.0/E
TiRet2	CI	9.95	...	-2.2	+1.6/B	UltNASDAQ100Inv	LE	70.03	+9.2	+14.9	+28.5/A	InvGdLnBdStrInv	IT	35.89	+4	+7.9	-2.8/B	Japan d	JS	15.85	+6	+4.5	+14.3
TiRetlns	CI	9.35	-2	+4	+1.7	UltSmCplnv	LE	65.82	+8.5	+10.3	+15.8/B	NASDAQ1002StrH b	LE	139.69	+6.7	+13.1	+27.9	LatinAmerica d	LS	22.81	-9.8	-7.1	+5.5/B
TiRetVlns	CI	10.11	-3	-2.7	+1.3	<b>Prospectr</b>						NASDAQ100Inv	LG	36.93	+4.6	+6.6	+15.3/A	MdCpGr	MG	91.71	+8	+5.4	+10.6/B
TiRetRlns	CI	9.95	...	-2.2	+1.7/B	Opp m	MB	21.41	+8	+2.7	+10.4/A	Novaln	LE	73.30	+3.6	+2.8	+13.7/B	MdCpGrR b	MG	86.30	+8	+5.2	+10.3/B
TiRetRt	CI	9.95	...	-2.4	+1.1/C	<b>Provident Trust</b>						SP500PureGrH b	LG	69.48	+4.0	+9.1	+10.2/D	MdCpVal	MV	31.19	+9	+2.6	+9.2/A
UncnsBdA m	NT	10.80	+5	+6	+2.8/B	TrustStr	LG	15.48	+2.2	+5.1	+14.4/A	SP500PureValH b	LV	86.34	+4	+6	+6.8/D	MdCpValAdv b	MV	31.03	+9	+2.5	+8.9/A
UncnsBdC m	NT	10.80	+5	+6	+2.0/C	<b>Prudential</b>						TechInv	ST	99.06	+4.7	+11.0	+16.1/D	MdCpValR b	MV	30.53	+9	+2.4	+8.6/B
UncnsBd2	NT	10.80	+5	+1.0	+3.1/B	BalA m	MA	15.90	+1.3	+7	+6.5/A	CAMuniBdF	MF	10.53	+4	-1.2	+1.4/E	MrylnShTTFBd	SS	5.14	+1	-2	+4/E
UncnsBdlns	NT	10.80	+6	+1.0	+3.2/A	BalZ	MA	16.02	+1.3	+8	+6.9/A	CoreFxdInv	CI	10.90	...	-2.5	+1.5/B	MrylnTFBd	SJ	10.58	+3	-8	+2.7/A
<b>PNC</b>						CAMnlncA m	MC	10.44	+5	-7	+2.5/D	EmergMktsDbtF	EM	9.73	-4.7	-4.4	+2.3/D	NYTFBd	ML	11.83	+3	-8	+2.9/C
CorFl b	CI	16.37	-1	-2.4	+8/D	CarBdZ	CI	9.61	-1	-2.5	+1.5/B	EmergingMktsEqF	EM	12.57	-2.3	-2.8	+6.4/B	NYTFBd	MY	11.41	+4	-7	+2.7/B
DiversEq b	LB	27.92	+1.6	+2.1	+6.4/E	FinncSvcsA m	SF	15.52	+1.7	+5.6	+3.7/E	GNMAF	GI	10.08	...	-1.8	+6/A	NewAmericaGr	LG	52.42	+2.6	+9.1	+14.1/A
IntermBdl	CI	10.59	+1	-1.7	+5/E	GblRIEstA m	GR	23.52	+3.2	+2.2	+1.6/D	GNMAF	GI	10.08	...	-1.8	+6/A	NewAmericaGrAd b	LG	51.27	+2.6	+9.0	+13.8/A
IntermTxExBdl	MI	9.27	+3	+2.3	+1.8/D	GblRIEstC m	GR	23.00	+3.2	-2.4	+10.0/D	IntermTermMuniF	HY	7.06	+1	-3	+4.8/A	NewAsia d	PJ	19.68	+2.0	+6	+7.5/B
IntlEqA m	FG	24.84	+9	+1.5	+7.1/B	GblRIEstZ	GR	23.64	+3.3	-2.0	+2.0/D	IntlEq	FB	11.71	+1	+6	+4.9/B	NewEra	SN	37.64	+2.2	+3.1	+3.8/B
IntlEqns	FG	25.07	+9	+2.6	+7.4/B	GblTIFRetA m	IB	6.60	+2.7	-2.5	+3.9/A	IntlFxdInv	FB	10.23	-3	+2	+2.3/B	NewHorizons	SG	58.15	+3.0	+10.6	+14.8/A
LtdMdBdlns	CS	9.96	+1	-4	+3/D	GvtIncA m	GI	9.23	+2	-2.2	+3/C	LargeCapGrowthF	LG	36.73	+3.0	+7.3	+10.1/D	NewInc	CI	9.16	-2	-2	+1.2/C
MltFctrLgCpGrI	LV	39.72	+2.8	+4.5	+10.9/D	GvtIncZ	GI	9.21	+2	-2.1	+6/B	LargeCapValueF	LV	25.56	+1.5	+8	+6.8/D	NevcAdv b	CB	9.12	-2	-2.5	+9/D
MltFctrLgCpVall	LV	25.26	+2	-1.7	+5.9/E	HYA m	HY	5.39	-1	-1	+4.9/A	MaschtsMuniBdF	MT	10.28	+2	-1.7	+1.3/E	OverseasStk d	FB	11.51	+3	+1.8	+5.1/B
SmCpl	SG	24.95	+2.4	+4.1	+6.9/E	HYB m	HY	5.38	-3	-3	+4.4/A	MidCapF	MB	28.13	+2.1	+2.0	+9.9/A	PersonalStrBal	MA	24.45	+6	+1.7	+6.8
TiRetAdvgtlns	MS	10.38	-2	-2.7	+9/D	HYC m	HY	5.38	-3	-4	+4.2/B	NewJrsyMuniBdF	MJ	10.20	+3	-1.1	+1.8/E	PersonalStrGr	AL	34.90	+9	+2.8	+8.2
TxExLtdMdBdlns	UB	10.17	+3	+4	+8/C	HYZ	HY	5.40	-2	-	+5.2/A	NewYorkMuniBdF</											



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Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk
SmCpEqP b	SG	19.72	+3.0	+3.8	+10.7/C
SmCpEqRtl b	SG	19.13	+3.0	+3.7	+10.5/C
SmCpEqRtr	SG	19.34	+3.0	+3.8	+10.6/C
TEBdR b	MI	10.24	+3.3	-9	+16/D
<b>The Investment House</b>					
InvMHouseGr	LG	35.22	+4.9	+7.9	+15.0/A
<b>Third Avenue</b>					
RIEstValIns d	GR	33.60	+5	-2.1	+5.2/A
SmCpValIns d	WS	22.23	+1.5	+6.9	+9.5/C
ValIns d	SB	51.24	+1.3	+2.8	+5.1/D
<b>Thompson</b>					
Bd	CS	11.48	+3	+1.4	+3.7/A
LgCp	LB	67.25	+1.9	+1	+8.0/D
<b>Thornburg</b>					
CALtdTrmMnA m	SS	13.48	+3	-6	+7/C
CorGrA m	LG	37.54	+3.0	+10.7	+9.3/E
DevWidR6	EM	20.90	-2	-1	+3.9/D
InterMnA m	MI	13.85	+3	-1.0	+1.6/D
InterMnM c m	MI	13.87	+2	-1.1	+1.2/E
IntlValA m	FB	24.21	-3	-1.2	+2.7/E
IntlValC m	FB	21.41	-4	-1.5	+1.9/E
IntlValI	FB	25.01	-3	-1.1	+3.0/D
InvMInclBldrA m	IH	21.64	+5	+1	+3.5/D
InvMInclBldrC m	IH	21.64	+4	-2	+2.8/C
LtdTrmMnA m	CS	13.18	+1	-7	+1.3/B
LtdTrmMnC m	CS	13.16	+1	-8	+1.1/B
LtdTrmMnCl	CS	13.18	+1	-7	+1.7/A
LtdTrmMnM c m	MS	14.13	+2	-6	+9/B
LtdTrmMnM c	MS	14.16	+2	-7	+7/C
LtdTrmMnM c	MS	14.13	+2	-5	+1.2/B
LtdTrmMnM c	MS	12.73	+1	-5	+2.9/C
NewMxclnterMnA m	SI	13.00	+2	-1	+1.1/D
ValA m	LB	69.49	+3.4	+2.9	+8.8/D
ValC m	LB	63.52	+3.3	+2.5	+8.0/D
ValI	LB	71.56	+3.4	+3.0	+9.2/C
<b>Thrivent</b>					
BalncPlusA m	CA	13.41	+1.1	+1.6	+4.8/B
BalncPlusS	CA	13.38	+1.1	+1.6	+5.2/A
DiversInclPlusA m	CA	7.40	+9	+9	+4.2/B
HYA m	HY	4.72	-2	-7	+3.6/C
InclA m	TW	8.84	-4	-3.1	+2.2/C
LgCpGrA m	LG	11.42	+4.0	+11.5	+12.5/B
LgCpStkA m	WS	28.39	+2.0	+4.7	+7.8/B
LgCpStkS	WS	28.66	+2.1	+4.8	+8.2/B
LgCpValA m	LV	23.12	+2.3	+1.9	+9.1/A
LgCpValS	LV	23.28	+2.3	+2.1	+9.5/A
LtdMtdBdA b	CS	12.35	+1	...	+1.4/B
MidCpStkA m	MB	25.83	+1.3	+2.1	+14.5/A
MidCpStkS	MB	29.12	+1.3	+2.2	+15.0/A
MnBdA m	ML	11.0	+3	-1.1	+2.2/D
OppInclPlusA m	ML	10.06	+3	-8	+2.6/C
OppInclPlusS	ML	10.06	+3	-7	+2.8/B
SmCpStkA m	SG	22.74	+3.0	+5.4	+13.8/A
<b>Timothy</b>					
PlanSmCpValA m	SB	20.39	+2.5	+4.8	+10.6/B
<b>Tocqueville</b>					
DelafaidV	SV	22.48	+1	-7	+1.4/E
Gold m	SP	35.09	-1.7	-4.6	+2.4/D
IntlVal b	FB	17.34	-1.3	-1.1	+5.7/A
Opp b	MB	29.25	+6.0	+14.7	+8.9/C
Tocqueville b	LG	36.54	+1.9	-2	+8.1/D
<b>Torrey</b>					
Torrey	LV	48.67	+7	-1.5	+6.5/D
<b>Touchstone</b>					
ActvBdA m	CI	10.05	-1	-2.8	+1.2/C
ActvBdY	CI	10.04	-2	-2.7	+1.4/B
BalancedA m	MA	21.70	+1.6	+1.1	+7.0/A
DynGlbAlcA m	IH	12.70	+6	+1.3	+3.3/C
FlexIncA m	MU	10.74	-3	-1.3	+3.1/B
FlexIncC m	MU	10.59	-4	-1.6	+2.4/C
FlexIncY	MU	10.78	-2	-1.2	+3.4/B
FocedY	LB	44.35	+2.1	+2.2	+7.5/E
GrOppsIns	LG	35.71	+3.6	+7.6	+9.0/E
HY	HY	8.36	-5	-1.0	+2.5/E
IntlEqA m	FB	18.51	-5	-4.7	+3.7/C
IntlSmCpY	FB	19.04	+6	+7	+4.9/E
LargeFocA m	NE	43.97	+2.6	+3.9	+1.2/A
MergerArbitrgIns	NE	10.49	+1.1	-9	+2.0/B
MergerArbitrgY	NE	10.43	+1.1	-9	+2.0/B
MidCpGrA m	MG	29.75	+3.8	+9.5	+10.2/B
MidCpGrC m	MG	19.36	+3.8	+9.3	+9.3/C
MidCpGrIns	MG	31.11	+3.8	+9.7	+10.5/B
MidCpGrY	MG	30.85	+3.8	+9.7	+10.4/B
MidCpValIns	MV	18.75	+2.3	-2.3	+8.2/B
MidCpY	MB	34.07	+3.7	+4.8	+9.5/A
PmYldEqY	LV	9.49	+2.4	+1.0	+5.2/E
SdCptInsGr	LG	24.39	+5.8	+18.5	+12.5/B
SdCptInsGrA m	LG	16.34	+5.8	+18.3	+12.0/C
SdCptInsGrC m	LG	14.96	+5.7	+17.9	+12.2/C
SdCptInsGrD m	LG	17.24	+5.8	+18.4	+12.3/C
SdCptInsGrE b	LG	16.35	+5.8	+18.2	+12.0/C
SmCpGrY	SG	6.87	+2.2	+6.0	+2.2/E
SmCpIns	SG	15.79	+3.5	+4.7	+1.4/E
SmCpValA m	SV	27.25	+4.6	+1.8	+5.4/E
SmCpValOppsY	SB	19.75	+3.3	+4.5	+2.4/E
SmCpY	SB	15.85	+3.5	+4.8	+1.3/E
SmallComC m	SG	5.52	+3.2	+5.7	+10.9/C
SmallComC m	SG	3.22	+3.2	+5.2	+10.0/C
StsbntlypcEqA m	WS	22.42	+1	+1	+6.9/C
StsbntlypcEqY	WS	23.18	+2	+2	+7.1/C
TlRetBdIns	CI	9.83	...	-1.9	+1.5/B
UIShrtDRFI	UB	9.26	+3	+5	+1.1/B
UIShrtDRFI	UB	9.25	+2	+5	+1.4/B
UIShrtDRFIZ b	UB	9.26	+3	+5	+1.1/B
ValIns	LV	10.12	+2.3	+1.4	+7.4/C
ValY	LV	10.15	+2.4	+1.3	+7.3/C
<b>Towle</b>					
DeepVal d	SV	18.01	+3.0	-3.9	+10.8/A
<b>Transamerica</b>					
AsAlCnsvA m	CA	11.04	+2	-4	+3.7/C
AsAlCnsvC m	CA	10.94	+2	-7	+3.0/D
AsAlGrA m	XM	15.45	+1.1	+1.8	+7.6/B
AsAlGrC m	XM	14.96	+1.0	+1.4	+6.8/D
AsAlModA m	CA	12.08	+3	-1	+4.6/B
AsAlModC m	CA	12.04	+3	-2	+3.9/C
AsAlModGrA m	MA	13.50	+7	+8	+5.9/B
AsAlModGrC m	MA	13.46	+6	+5	+5.1/C
CptlGrA m	LG	27.19	+4.5	+16.0	+17.8/A
FlexIncA m	CI	9.06	-2	-1.3	+2.4/A
HY2dA m	HY	9.02	-1	-1	+1.3/B
MltMgdBdA m	MA	27.87	+1.4	-1	+6.1/B
MPVdA m	MV	27.46	+1.3	+6	+9.0/A
<b>Tributary Funds</b>					
SmColns	SB	29.43	+1.8	+3.3	+11.0/A
<b>Trust For Credit Uni</b>					
UnsShrtDRCTU	GS	9.49	+2	-5	+2/B
UnsUShdGrVTU	UB	9.40	+3	-2	+4/E
<b>Twoedy, Browne</b>					
GlbVal d	FV	29.22	+1.7	+2.6	+5.1/A
GlbVIIICyUndHdg d	WS	15.93	-1	+1.4	+4.3/B
Val	FV	24.04	+1.0	+8	+5.6/D
Wd.WdHdYdVdV d	WS	10.52	-1	+1.8	+4.7/E
<b>U.S. Global Investor</b>					
GlbRes b	SN	6.09	+1.8	...	+2.5/C
GoldProMts b	SP	7.61	+2.6	-4.4	+9.4/A
WldPrecMnral b	SP	4.15	-3.3	-11.5	+6.8/A
<b>UBS</b>					
GlbAlcA m	IH	12.25	+2	+7	+4.4
GlbAlcC m	IH	11.93	+2	+4	+3.2
GlbAlcP	IH	12.52	+2	+7	+4.5
USAlcA m	MA	49.54	+2.0	+1.4	+6.6/A
USAlcC m	MA	47.61	+1.9	+1.1	+5.8/B
USSmCpGrP	SG	22.39	+5.7	+12.9	+9.4/D
<b>UBS PACE</b>					
AllTrsInsP	AM	10.80	-3	-3	+4
GlbFlInvsP	IB	9.78	-2.7	-2.2	+1.5
InterMFlInvsP	CI	11.85	-5	-2.9	+7
IntlEMEqInP	EM	14.30	-2.5	-1.7	+3.3
IntlEqInvsP	FB	17.19	+1	+4	+5.5/A
LgCoGrEqInvsP m	LG	27.23	+2.6	+6.5	+11.3/C
LgCoValEqInvsP m	LV	23.33	+6	-1.0	+7.4/C
LgCoValEqInvsP m	LV	23.27	+6	-9	+7.7/C
MnFlInvsP	MI	12.70	+1	-1.3	+2.2
MnBkCoFlInvsP	CI	12.31	-3	-2.7	+9
SmCoGrEqInvsP	SG	20.19	+3.6	+11.4	+9.4/D
SmCoValEqInvsP	SB	21.16	+3.6	+2.2	+8.1/D
StrFlInvsP	CI	13.28	-4	-2.6	+1.9
<b>USA Mutuals</b>					
Vicelnv b	LB	32.15	-6	-5	+10.8/A
<b>USAA</b>					
AgresGr	LG	47.11	+3.2	+7.7	+12.3/C
CABd	MC	10.91	+5	-5	+2.8/C
CptlGr	WS	12.66	+1.4	+2.2	+9.0/B
CmrsnEq	WS	15.71	+8	+7	+7.5/C
CmrsnMdyAgres	MA	25.94	+8	...	+3.6/E
CmrsnMod	CA	14.89	+7	-3	+3.3/D
EM	EM	19.15	-2.7	-4.8	+4.9/C
ExtendedMktIdx	MB	19.31	+3.1	+4.9	+9.0/B
FrstStartGr	AL	13.81	+7	+1	+4.4/D
GrInc	LG	91.38	+2.6	+2.8	+12.1/C
GrandTxxr	CA	19.78	+1.4	+8	+6.7/A
GvtSec	GI	9.50	+2	-1.4	+3/C
HInc d	HY	8.02	-1	-1	+4.0/B
Inc	CI	12.68	-1	-2.5	+2.3/A
IncStk	LV	19.80	+1.5	-2	+8.1/B
InterMTrmBd	TW	10.31	-1	-1.9	+2.5/C
Intl	FB	33.48	+2	+6	+5.6/A
IntlGr	LG	19.50	+4.7	+9.0	+16.1/A
NYBd	MM	11.72	+4	-6	+2.4/B
PrfMtsMnral	SP	12.90	+2	-2.9	+2.4/D
SP500IdxMbr	LB	38.93	+2.5	+2.9	+10.8/A
SP500IdxRwd	LB	38.95	+2.6	+3.0	+10.9/A
SclTech	ST	28.72	+4.5	+8.6	+14.9/D
ShrtTrmBd	CS	9.06	-2	-2	+1.5/A
SmCpStk	SB	18.75	+4.5	+6.8	+8.1/D
TEInterMTrm	MI	13.10	+3	-8	+2.5/B
TELngTrm	ML	13.15	+2	-7	+3.0/B
TEShrtTrm	MS	10.42	+2	+3	+9/B
TrgtRet2020	TE	12.84	+7	-2	+4.6/C
TrgtRet2030	TH	13.88	+9	+3	+5.6/C
TrgtRet2040	TJ	14.35	+11	+7	+6.4/D
TrgtRet2050	TN	14.57	+12	+8	+6.6/D
TrgtRetIncl	RI	11.57	+4	-7	+3.1/C
TlRetStk	MA	8.16	-1.4	-4.8	-3.4/E
UIShrtTrmBd	UB	9.92	+2	+3	+9/C
Vld	SI	11.13	+3	-8	+2.6/A
VarGr	LV	21.46	+1.9	-1.0	+6.4/D
WldGr	WS	32.28	+9	...	+7.1/C
<b>Undiscovered Manager</b>					
BehavioralValA m	SV	70.38	+3.8	+3.0	+10.6/A
BehavioralValC m	SV	66.27	+3.8	+2.8	+10.1/B
BehavioralValI	SV	72.14	+3.9	+3.2	+11.1/A
<b>VALIC Co I</b>					
AstAlc	MA	11.43	-3	+4	+5.0/D
CorEq	LB	23.44	+2.4	+2.1	+9.7/C
CptlCnsvtn	CI	9.46	-2	-2.9	+9/D
DivVal	LV	12.54	+6	-2.7	+9.0/B
EmergEcos	EM	9.06	-2.2	-2.8	+6.0/C
FrgnVal	WV	10.83	-5	-6	+2.6/D
GlbSciAwrns	WS	26.58	+1.7	+2.4	+7.9/B
GrInc	IH	11.43	+2.3	+8	+4.3/B
GrInc	LG	17.42	+3.5	+7.4	+12.7/B
GrInc	LB	22.48	+2.4	+1.8	+9.8/B
GvtSec	GI	10.12	+1	-2.2	+5/B

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Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk	Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk	Name	Obj	NAV	4-wk Rtn	YTD Rtn	3-yr Rtn/Rk
HlthSci	SH	20.46	+3.7	+5.9	+4.7/B												
IntlProt	IQ	10.82	-6	-1.4	+1.3/A												
IntlEqSldx	FB	7.57	...	+8	+4.1/C												
IntlGr	FG	14.96	+4.4	+7.1	+6.4/B												
IntlGvtd	IB	11.60	-2.2	-2.5	+2.2/B												
LgCpCor	LG	11.86	+1.9	+4.9	+8.9/C												
LgCpCrd	LG	15.13	+2.2	+4.9	+11.1/C												
MidCpldx	MB	28.09	+2.7	+3.1	+7.7/A												
MidCpStrGr	MG	15.91	+1.5	+6.7	+10.8/B												
SciTech	ST	31.02	+4.7	+13.0	+19.5/B												
SmCp	SG	11.54	+3.2	+5.9	+8.5/D												
SmCpldx	SB	22.72	+4.3	+6.4	+10.5/B												
SmCpSpecVals	SV	13.91	+2.1	+3.0	+11.1/A												
SmMidGr	MG	13.87	+1.9	+6.2	+7.8/D												
StkIdx	LB	39.85	+2.5	+2.9	+10.7/A												
Val	LV	18.21	+1.8	+7	+7.1/C												
<b>VALIC Co II</b>																	
CorBd	CI	10.87	-5	-2.9	+1.3/C												
HYBd	HY	7.83	-3	-8													



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Photo provided  
**Tien Le with the first fish she ever caught, a gafftopsail catfish. Maybe next time she'll actually hold the fish for the photo. Then again, maybe she won't.**



FROM THE PUBLISHER'S DESK • JOSH OLIVE

# Know your fish

How good are you at identifying your catch? Most of us do alright, but see plenty of misidentified fish on social media and in certain other local publications. I always try to cut people some slack — fish ID can be tough.

Since part of WaterLine's mission is education, and since a reader requested something like this a couple weeks ago, you'll find a fish ID chart on pages 12 and 13 this week. This product is meant strictly to help you figure out what you've caught. It doesn't have any regulations on it at all (as usual, those are on page 5).

However, the chart does have guidelines explaining where a particular fish is likely to be found and how common or rare it is in our area. Hopefully, that will help out some of the folks who believe they're catching amberjack from their canal docks.

I know it's not perfect. I could have used a little more space to explain some of the differences between similar fish. There are some species missing that really ought to be on there (although I did get 75 different fish on the two pages, and I think that's pretty good). The sharks are missing entirely — I think I'll do a separate ID chart just for them at a future date.

And of course it's missing the freshwater fish. Rules don't change as often for them, so I can do a regulations chart and not worry about it going out of date. I'll do that in the next month or so.

But all in all, I think the fish ID chart will be useful to a lot of people. Maybe spend a couple bucks and get it laminated. It'll last a lot longer.



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Can you identify this common Southwest Florida incidental catch? It's on the fish ID chart on pages 12 and 13. (Hint: The name starts with an L.)

## Boaters want 'dead man's curve' made safer

**BOKEELIA (NBC-2)** — A dangerous boating blind spot landed a 13-year-old boy in the hospital on May 4. The accident happened after two 27-foot boats crashed into each other off the coast of Pine Island near Jug Creek. There have been three accidents in that area over the past five years. One of those resulted in the death of a diving coach from the University of Florida.

Boaters are demanding a change in hopes to boost safety out on the water.

Local boaters like John Mitchell said everyone knows the turn as the "dead man's curve." "It's a dangerous curve," Mitchell said. "When you come around there until you get all the way around you can't see an oncoming boat coming at your either way," Mitchell added. The turn sits along Jug Creek and has signs warning boaters of a blocked view. "There definitely needs to be something done,"

another boater, Dianna Sheldon said. Dianna and her husband have been boating in the Jug Creek area for years. They know the "dead man's curve" all too well.

"It's a dangerous channel," Dianna's husband, Stu Sheldon explained. Stu said most boaters in the area are inexperienced and speed through the area. "Some of the kids that come up here and rent boats don't know the rules of the road and maybe go too fast," Stu stated.

Due to the danger, boaters are asking for change.

"The easiest and most practical thing they could do is put some slow signs up," Stu said. Other boaters agreed, and explained the best solution would be a permanent change. "I would think that they need to reduce the speed in there ... down to no wake, to be safe," Mitchell added.

Kisa Braselton has been boating around the dead man's curve for decades. "Every time we go around that corner I'm always cautious. I'm not sure that everybody is as cautious," Braselton said.

In 2014, a diving coach from the University of Florida lost his life in the same spot. After that incident, additional channel markers were added to help guide boaters and boost safety.

"They did re-mark it recently and it's much better than it was. It really is an improvement," Braselton said.

With accidents still happening, boaters want more safe solutions. "I've seen mirrors in some places. Those big round mirrors on mountain roads and things," Braselton said.

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission says it's up to Lee County to implement any safety measures like slowing the speed.

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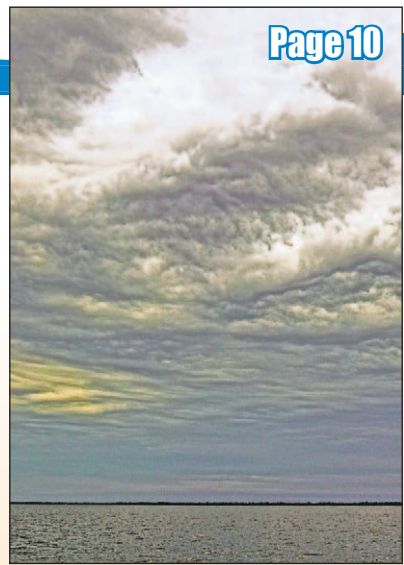
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**It's gonna rain**

Rain, rain, go away. I'm sure more than a few of you have been muttering that little phrase under your breath this past week. But rain is one of those annoying realities of being a Southwest Florida angler. Having strategies to deal with it is much better than simply trying to wish it away.



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# OUTDOOR NEWS BULLETIN BOARD

If you have an event you want included in the Outdoor News Bulletin Board, email it to [Editor@WaterLineWeekly.com](mailto:Editor@WaterLineWeekly.com)

## GOT AN EVENT COMING UP?

We'd be happy to let people know. Email your info to [Editor@WaterLineWeekly.com](mailto:Editor@WaterLineWeekly.com) at least two weeks before the event.

## LIVE OAK POINT CLOSED

Due to safety concerns at Live Oak Point from Hurricane Irma damage, as well as ongoing construction of Live Oak Point Phase 1B, the park is closed until further notice. Live Oak Point is located at 5100 Tamiami Trail, Charlotte Harbor.

## PLACIDA FISHING PIER CLOSED

The Placida Fishing Pier (13120 Pier Road, Placida) will be closed until further notice due to damage from a recent fire. Please visit Ainger Fishing Pier (1385 Beach Road, Englewood), El Jobean Fishing Pier (5001 El Jobean Road, El Jobean) or Boca Grande Fishing Pier (5810 Gasparilla Road, Placida).

## MILITARY APPRECIATION MONTH

King Fisher Fleet, headquartered at Fishermen's Village in Punta Gorda, is celebrating May as Military Appreciation Month by thanking all active duty servicemembers, members of the reserve components, and all veterans. This very important month reminds Americans to continually honor, recognize, and appreciate those men and women who have served throughout our history, as well as acknowledge their families who have sacrificed in order for us to enjoy our freedom. Through their Military Appreciation Month promotion, King Fisher Fleet hopes to spread recognition for all those who served in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, and Coast Guard. All military personnel with a valid military ID, and veterans with proof of service (DD214, American Legion or VFW membership card, VA ID card, driver's license with "V") receive half-price admission on any sightseeing cruise offered at King Fisher Fleet during the month of May. Advance reservations are recommended. Subject to availability. Discount also applies to spouses and dependents. Offer good for individual tickets only and cannot be applied towards group ticket sales. Discount cruise reservations cannot be made online and must be made by calling the ticket office at 941-639-0969.

## AUDUBON MEETING

The next meeting of Peace River Audubon Society will be held at 6:30 p.m. May 17 at First Alliance Church (20444 Midway Blvd., Port Charlotte). The annual election of officers and board members will be held. Also attendees will be entertained by seeing the work of our talented members. Everyone is invited to bring their best slide show or home-made video to share with others. The public is also invited to participate and show their great images. We ask that participants limit their presentation to around 5 minutes in length and that the subject matter be related to birds or nature in general. If you plan to participate, please email Mike Kkrzyzkowski at [mkrzyzk@embarqmail.com](mailto:mkrzyzk@embarqmail.com).

## ONGOING EVENTS

**FISHIN' FRANK'S FISHIN' CLUB:** Learn all about fishing Charlotte Harbor. Meetings are held the second Tuesday and Wednesday of each month at Luigi's Italian Restaurant (3883 Tamiami Trail, Port Charlotte). Reservations are required; call 941-625-3888 for more info or to sign up.

**FISHING CLUB MEETINGS:** The Gulf Cove Fishing Club meets on the second Monday of the month from October through May at the Hope Lutheran Church in Gulf Cove (14200 Hopewell Ave., Port Charlotte) at 7 p.m. At each meeting, a speaker will talk on a timely topic. The public is invited to attend, but only Gulf Cove residents can be members. For more info, call 941-698-8607.

**NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY MEETINGS:** The Mangrove Chapter of the Florida Native Plant Society meets from 7 to 9 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month (Oct-May) at Lemon Bay Park (570 Bay Park Blvd., Englewood). Call 941-769-3633. The Coccoloba Chapter of the Florida Native Plant Society meets from 7 to 9 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at the Calusa Nature Center and Planetarium (3450 Ortiz Ave., Fort Myers). Call 239-275-3435. Meetings are free and the public is welcome.

**HANG OUT WITH SCRUB JAYS:** Spend the morning with the scrub jays at Oscar Scherer State Park (1843 S. Tamiami Trail, Osprey) from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. every Sunday. This

unique Central Florida experience includes a nature walk to see the park's diverse ecosystems, native flora and fauna. Call 941-483-5956 for info.

**WHAT'S THAT BIRD?:** Volunteer bird interpreters share their expertise on ID and behavior of raptors, shorebirds, waterfowl and other avian visitors at Myakka River State Park (13208 S.R. 72, Sarasota). Volunteers set up scopes and help people identify birds from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. every day of the week.

**CHARLOTTE HARBOR DRAGONS:** Dragon boat club meets every Wednesday and Saturday at 8 a.m. and Sundays at 1 p.m. Learn the ancient art of dragon boat racing. We practice out of the Port Charlotte Beach Complex (4500 Harbor Blvd. Port Charlotte). For availability, contact Eddie Amara at 941-740-1286 or [eamara1@comcast.net](mailto:eamara1@comcast.net), or to learn more about the club visit [CharlotteHarborDragons.com](http://CharlotteHarborDragons.com). Paddles up!

**CHARLOTTE HARBOR MULTIHULL ASSOCIATION:** Members of this club for multihull owners, sailors or those who are interested in the exchange of ideas about equipping and sailing boats, share information about anchorages and cruising destinations, hold informal races and have raft-ups. No dues. The club meets at a local restaurant the first Monday of each month at 6 p.m. For more info, call 941-876-6667.

**COASTAL VENTURES CRUISE CLUB:** This club, designed for personal boat cruising, meets on the third Tuesday of the month at the Waterfrontoo Restaurant (2205 N. Tamiami Trail, Nokomis). Join them for dinner at 6 p.m. and/or the 7:30 p.m. meeting where they'll discuss upcoming cruises and activities. Enjoy the camaraderie of like-minded water rats. If interested, attend a meeting or call 941-493-0070 for more info.

**VOLUNTEER AT SHAMROCK PARK:** Shamrock Park Nature Center (3900 Shamrock Drive, Venice) holds its monthly volunteer work mornings from 8 to 10 a.m. on the third Friday of each month. For more info, call Jennifer Rogers at 941-861-5000 or email her at [jrogers@scgov.net](mailto:jrogers@scgov.net).

**PEACE RIVER PADDLING:** Join a guided kayaking trip on the Peace River. Free if you bring your own kayak, or rent equipment for \$25 per person. Paddle with an experienced guide and explore remote areas of the Peace River. These trips are intended to be easy paddling for everyone to have fun, meet people with similar interests, and enjoy the outdoors. We paddle from 9 to 11 a.m. each Tuesday if weather permits. Meet at the Nav-A-Gator (9700 SW Riverview Circle, Lake Suzy) 30 minutes prior to departure. Sign up by calling Steve Burroughs 813-857-4634. Trips are provided by [KayakEcoTours.com](http://KayakEcoTours.com).

Indicate in your email about how long your slideshow or video is. For more info, call 863-244-2652 or visit [PeaceRiverAudubon.org](http://PeaceRiverAudubon.org).

## BOATING SAFETY AND HURRICANES

Whether you are new to boating or a seasoned veteran, Peace River Sail and Power Squadron encourages you to attend a free boating safety equipment demonstration May 19 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Punta Gorda Boat Club (802 W. Retta Esplanade, Punta Gorda). Get hands-on experience with a flare guns, hand-held flares, smoke signals, and throwable ring buoys. You can also sign up for a courtesy vessel safety check and view displays of required and recommended safety equipment for your boat, kayak or PWC. Hurricane season is just around the corner. Peace River Sail and Power Squadron will be presenting the "Hurricane Preparedness for Boaters" seminar May 19 at 11:45 a.m. in conjunction with the WINK Hurricane Expo at the Charlotte Harbor Event and Conference Center. There is no cost to attend this seminar. For more info, call 941-637-0766, or email [PuntaGordaBoating@gmail.com](mailto:PuntaGordaBoating@gmail.com).

## PLANT SOCIETY FIELD TRIP

The Mangrove Chapter of the Florida Native Plant Society invites the public to join them May 26 for a free nature walk at Venice Lemon Bay Preserve (6200 Osprey Road, Venice). The society promotes the preservation, conservation and restoration of the

native plants and native plant communities of Florida. Meetings, field trips and special events are free and open to the public. For more info, contact trail guide Al Squires at 941-769-3633 or [AHSquires1@comcast.net](mailto:AHSquires1@comcast.net).

## FILM TOUR COMES TO MOTE

Adventure. Conservation. Ocean life. The International Ocean Film Tour is on its way to Mote Marine Laboratory's WAVE Center to feature ocean adventures and environmental documentaries. This cinematic event will take place May 31, with doors opening at 6:30 p.m. and the program starting at 7 p.m. This tour stop is packed with inspiring ocean stories and some of the best water sports action of the year. Tickets are \$10 for general admission and \$5 for Mote members. Visit [Mote.org/filmfest](http://Mote.org/filmfest) to purchase tickets and view the film lineup at <https://goo.gl/m2SvrB>.

## FISHING SCAVENGER HUNT

A new educational concept in Southwest Florida — "Learn to think like an Entrepreneur" — was recently announced by Lee County resident Jim Griffiths. A curriculum is being developed for adults, high school classes, as well as a separate program for correctional facilities. The self-funded, local start-up is being kicked off with the Fish36, a seven-day fishing scavenger hunt, where people trade photos of their catch for raffle tickets in the largest prize

raffle in the area. The Fish36 was created in 2015 as an annual non-competitive fishing event where families, children, anglers (professional and non-professional), fish on an even playing field for points. Participants are attracted to the event's simplicity; teams target thirty-six species in a seven-day period and take pictures of their catch. Each photo has a point value, and points get raffle tickets. Past events had prize raffle values exceeding \$30,000. The Fish36 begins on June 2. The main event will be held at the German American Social Club (2101 SW Pine Island Road, Cape Coral) June 9. More information can be found at [Fish36.org](http://Fish36.org).

## BECOME A MASTER NATURALIST

The University of Florida/IFAS Extension/Florida Sea Grant Program is offering two Florida Master Naturalist Program Coastal Systems core course module beginning June 5 and running Tuesday and Thursday evenings (6 to 9:30 p.m.) and Saturday mornings (8 a.m. to 1 p.m.) through June 26 in Punta Gorda. Instruction for this course will include general ecology, habitats, vegetation types, wildlife, and conservation issues. Cost: \$230-275; includes 40 contact hours, three field trips, patch, pin and certificate of achievement. The FMNP is an adult education program developed by the University of Florida and offered throughout Florida. FMNP

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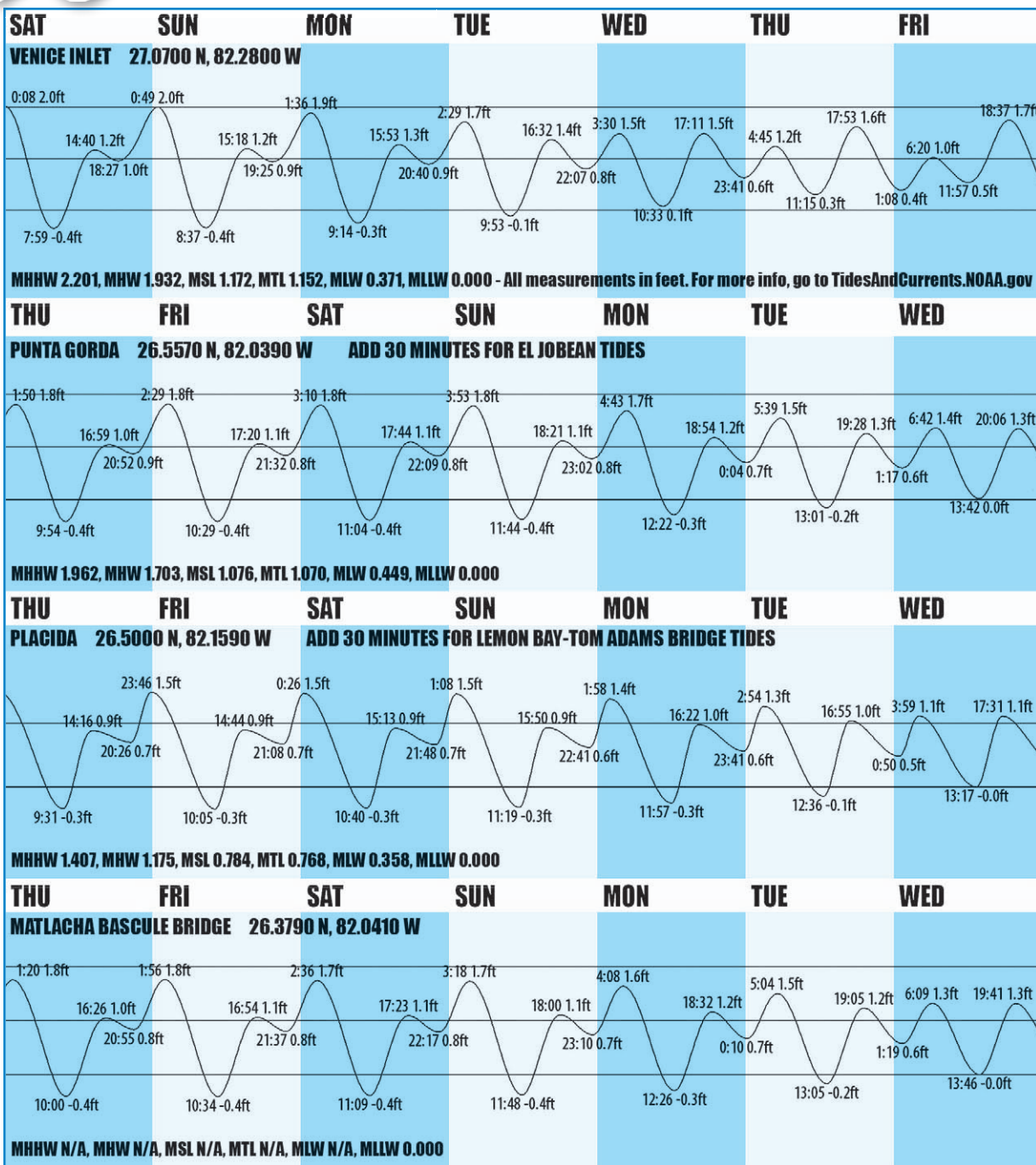


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	Low Tide	18:05 0.2		Low Tide	19:15 0.6		Low Tide	18:55 0.5		Low Tide	19:24 0.6
	High Tide	18:05 0.2		High Tide	19:15 0.6		High Tide	22:23 1.1		High Tide	19:24 0.6
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## LICENSES

**Resident saltwater or freshwater:** Annual \$17, 5-year \$79. **If you fish from shore in salt water only, a license is required but it is free.** A combo license for both freshwater and saltwater fishing is \$32.50 annually.

**Resident senior:** If you are a Florida resident age 65 or older, your driver's license or ID card replaces your fishing license. Gulf reef survey (Note 14) and tarpon are tags still required.

**Nonresident saltwater or freshwater:** 3 days \$17, 7 days \$30, annual \$47. **Free shore fishing license not available for nonresidents.**

**Annual permits (required only when a license is required):** Snook \$10, lobster \$5

## SALTWATER FISH

### Almaco Jack

Bag limit 100 pounds in state waters, limit 20 in federal waters; notes: 9,11,14

### Amberjack, Greater

34" min.; bag limit 1; **open May 1 - 31 and Aug. 1 - Oct. 31**; notes: 1,3,4,5,7,9,14

### Amberjack, Lesser & Banded Rudderfish

Slot 14" to 22"; aggregate bag limit 5; notes: 1,4,5,7,9,14

### Barracuda

**Collier, Monroe, Miami-Dade, Broward, Palm Beach and Martin counties only:** Slot 15" to 36"; bag limit 2 per harvester up to 6 per vessel; may possess one per vessel over 36"; notes: 1,5

### Black Drum

Slot 14" to 24" (may possess 1 over 24"); bag limit 5; notes: 5,7,8

### Black Sea Bass

10" min.; bag limit 100 pounds; notes: 2,4,5,7,9,15

### Bluefish

12" min.; bag limit 10; notes: 1,5

### Blue runner

Bag limit 100

### Cobia

33" min.; bag limit in state waters, 1 per harvester **up to 2 per vessel**; bag limit 2 per harvester in federal waters; notes: 1,5

### Dolphin (Mahi mahi)

State waters bag limit 10 per harvester or 60 per vessel, whichever is less; notes: 5,15

### Flounder, all species

12" min.; bag limit 10; notes: 2,5,7,8,15

### Grouper, Black

24" min.; bag limit 4; notes: 2,3,4,5,7,9,10,12,14

### Grouper, Gag

24" min.; bag limit 2; season open June 1-Dec. 31; notes: 2,3,4,5,7,9,10,14

### Grouper, Goliath (Jewfish)

Harvest prohibited; legal to target for catch and release in state but not federal waters

### Grouper, Red

20" min.; bag limit 2; notes: 2,3,4,5,7,9,10,12,14

### Grouper, Scamp

16" min.; bag limit 4; notes: 2,3,4,5,9,10,12

### Grouper, Snowy & Yellowedge

No size limit; bag limit 4; notes: 2,3,4,5,9,10

### Grouper, Warsaw & Speckled Hind

No size limit; bag limit 1 per vessel; notes: 2,3,4,5,7,9,10

### Grouper, Yellowfin & Yellowmouth

20" min.; bag limit 4; notes: 2,3,4,5,7,9,10,12

### Grouper, Coney, Graysby, Rock Hind, Red Hind (Strawberry) & Tiger

Bag limit 4; notes: 2,3,4,5,7,9,10,12,15

### Hogfish

14" min.; bag limit 5; notes: 1,4,5,7,9

### Mackerel, King (kingfish)

24" min.; **bag limit 3**; notes: 1,5

### Mackerel, Spanish

12" min.; bag limit 15; transfer of Spanish mackerel to other vessels at sea prohibited; notes: 1,5

### Mullet, Striped & Silver

Bag limit, Feb. 1-Aug. 31, aggregate 50 per harvester or 100 per vessel, whichever is less; Sept. 1-Jan. 31, aggregate 50 per harvester or per vessel; bag limit also applies to bait mullet; possession of striped mullet prohibited in Punta Gorda between 6 p.m. and 6 a.m. Nov. 1-Feb. 29 (see <http://bit.ly/urExej>); notes: 15

### Permit

Slot 11" to 22" (over 22" — may possess 1 per harvester up to 2 per vessel); bag limit 2; hook and line gear only in state waters; spearing legal in federal waters; see <http://goo.gl/pU5Wug> for rules in Special Permit Zone south of Cape Sable; notes: 1,5,6,7

### Pompano, Florida

11" min.; bag limit 6; notes: 1,5,6,7

### Pompano, African

24" min.; bag limit 2 per harvester or per vessel; notes: 1,5,6,7

### Porgy, Red (Champagne)

Bag limit 100 pounds; notes: 4,5,7,9,15

### Redfish (Red Drum)

Slot 18" to 27"; bag limit 1 per harvester up to 8 per vessel; off-the-water transport limit 6 per person; illegal to harvest **or possess** in federal water; notes: 2,5,6,7,8

### Sailfish

63" min. from tip of lower jaw to center of fork; bag limit 1; notes: 5,6,16

### Sea Trout, Spotted

Slot 15" to 20" (may possess 1 over 20"); bag limit 4; notes: 2,5,6,7

### Sharks

State waters, no size limit on sharpnose, blacknose, blacktip, bonnethead, finetooth & smooth dogfish; 54" min. on bull, nurse, spinner, common thresher, blue, oceanic whitetip, porbeagle & shortfin mako; **species not listed are prohibited.** Federal waters, 54" min all species except sharpnose and bonnethead; **for federally prohibited species see <https://goo.gl/envCwD>**; bag limit in state waters 1 per harvester up to 2 per vessel; bag limit in federal waters 1 per vessel; **inline circle hooks required when fishing for sharks in federal waters**; notes: 1,5,6,7,8,16

### Sheepshead

12" min.; bag limit 15 (**8 as of July 1, up to 50 per vessel in March & April**); notes: 2,5,7

### Snapper, Cubera

Slot 12" to 30" (over 30" — may possess 2 per harvester up to 2 per vessel); bag limit 10 if under 30"; **fish over 30" not included in aggregate snapper limit**; notes: 2,4,5,7,9,13

### Snapper, Mangrove (Gray)

10" min. in state waters; 12" min. in federal waters; bag limit 5 in state waters, 10 in federal waters; notes: 2,4,5,7,9,13

### Snapper, Lane

8" min.; bag limit 20 in federal waters or 100 pounds in state waters; **not included in aggregate snapper limit**; notes: 2,4,5,7,9,11

### Snapper, Mutton

**18" min.; bag limit 5**; notes: 2,4,5,7,9,13

### Snapper, Red (American)

16" min.; bag limit 2; **recreational season open June 11-July 21 for state and federal waters; federal charter season open June 1-July 22**; notes: 2,3,4,5,7,9,13,14

### Snapper, Schoolmaster

10" min.; bag limit 10; notes: 2,4,5,7,9,13

### Snapper, Vermilion (Beeliner)

10" min.; bag limit 10; **not included in aggregate snapper limit**; notes: 2,4,5,7,9,11,14

### Snapper, Blackfin, Dog, Queen, Mahogany, Silk & Yellowtail

12" min.; bag limit 10; notes: 2,4,5,7,9,13

### Snook

Slot 28" to 33"; bag limit 1; season closed Dec., Jan., Feb., May, June, July, and Aug.; \$10 snook permit required to harvest when license is required; state regulations apply in federal waters; notes: 2,5,6,7,8

### Tarpon

Bag limit 1 per harvester per year; \$51.50 tag required to harvest or possess, which is legal only in pursuit of an IGFA record; for seasonal Boca Grande Pass rules, see <http://bit.ly/16zrDj>; state rules apply in federal waters; notes: 6,7,8

### Triggerfish, Gray

**State and federal waters: 15" min.;**

**bag limit 1; open March 1-May 31 and Aug. 1-Dec. 31**; notes: 1,4,5,7,11,14

### Tripletail

15" min. (**increasing to 18" July 1**); bag limit 2; may be harvested by hook and line only; notes: 2,5,6,7,8

### Wahoo

Bag limit 2; notes: 1,5,15

### Lionfish

Kill on sight; no size or bag limits

### UNREGULATED SPECIES

In state waters, bag limit 100 pounds or two fish, whichever is more: Blackfin tuna, catfish, cero mackerel, croaker, grunts, ladyfish, little tunny, jack crevalle, pinfish, porgies, rays, sand trout, silver trout, spadefish, whiting, etc. See <http://bit.ly/1aLP4iF>.

### NO-HARVEST SPECIES

In addition to the species previously listed, harvest of bonefish, Nassau grouper, spotted eagle rays, manta rays and sawfish is prohibited.

Visit <http://bit.ly/10nYDlz> for full rules, including more no-harvest species.

### NOTES

1. Measured fork length (the straight line distance from the most forward part of the head with mouth closed to the center of the tail).
2. Measured total length (the straight line distance from the most forward part of the head with the mouth closed to the farthest tip of the tail with the tail squeezed together while the fish is lying on its side).
3. Bag limit zero for captain and crew of for-hire vessels on a paid trip.
4. Reef fish gear rules apply. Anglers must use inline circle hooks when using natural baits, and must possess a dehooking device. Venting tool not required. Also, cannot be taken by powerhead in the reef fish stressed area (see <https://goo.gl/KqP2Ab>).
5. Must remain in whole condition (head and tail intact) until landed ashore. Removal of gills and internal organs OK. **Cannot be used as cut bait.**
6. Harvest by spear, gig or bow prohibited.
7. Use of multiple hooks (more than one point on a common shank, like a treble hook) in conjunction with natural bait prohibited.
8. Harvest by snatching prohibited.
9. Reef fish; illegal to use as bait in federal waters. In state waters, legal-size reef fish may be used as bait but must remain in whole condition and count against bag limit.
10. Included in aggregate 4 grouper bag limit.
11. Included in 20-fish reef fish aggregate bag in federal waters (includes vermilion snapper, lane snapper, almaco jack, gray triggerfish and all tilefish species).
12. Closed Feb. 1-March 31 in **federal waters outside 20-fathom break ONLY.**
- 13: Included in aggregate snapper bag of 10 fish.
- 14: Participation in Gulf Reef Fish Survey required to harvest. See <http://bit.ly/15D6Hip>
15. No bag limit in federal waters.
16. HMS permit required to target or harvest in federal waters; see <https://goo.gl/bbmLXL>

### FRESHWATER FISH\*

**Largemouth Bass:** Bag limit 5, no min. size limit. Only one fish can be longer than 16" (tournaments may apply for a permit allowing participants to weigh more than one over 16")

**Sunfish** (all species excluding crappie): Aggregate bag limit 50

**Crappie:** Aggregate white/black bag limit 25

**American Eel:** Min. 9"; bag limit 25

**Butterfly peacock bass:** Max. 17", bag limit 2 (may possess one fish over 17")

**Grass carp:** Must be released immediately.

**Other exotic fishes:** Keep and eat or otherwise destroy; may not be used as live bait.

**Unregulated species:** No bag or size limits on bowfin, pickerel, catfish and gar (see below).

**Prohibited species:** Alligator gar, sturgeon.

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#### ERIC

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**Mangrove snapper** (sandwich size) have been taking shrimp at the jetties; whitebait might get bigger ones if there's any around. **Sharks** have been abundant, with good numbers caught from the pier and the beaches. **Tarpon** action has been consistent off the beaches, with fish between a half-mile and five miles out. **Snook** and **trout** have been hitting in the surf from Englewood to Caspersen Beach on both crankbaits and jigs.

No reports. The storms have postponed a lot of plans.

Cast white bucktails in the surf for a mixed bag.

#### JIM

FISHERMAN'S EDGE  
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**Pompano** reports are good around the Tom Adams Bridge and the Gulf passes. Silly jigs are slaying them. **Redfish** action has picked up, with many caught north of the Tom Adams and also around Sandfly and Cayo Pelau. The **snook** bite is also excellent, with lots of big girls on the docks around Gasparilla Pass.

A few boats have gone out around the weather. They're reporting **kingfish** 6 miles out on ballooned baits and **Spanish mackerel** just off Boca Grande Pass. They're also getting some **mangrove** and **yellowtail snapper** on the reefs.

Live shrimp and squirrelfish have been catching **tarpon** in Boca Grande Pass on the outgoing tides, and fish are also moving up into the harbor.

#### JEFF

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**Tarpon** are thick in Boca Grande Pass. Rain is monkeying with the **snook's** migration pattern but they're still eating, every where from the surf to the bridges and some even up the rivers. **Trout** and **redfish** reports have been slim. The **freshwater bass** are eating heavily with the newly raised water levels. Try something that imitates a frog or a jointed swimming bait.

Those who have been out are reporting some decent **gag** on the nearshore reefs, along with the expected **snapper**. **Nurse sharks** have also been taking baits on the bottom around the reefs.

The **shark** action is more predictable than pretty much anything else, since they have no swim bladders and aren't affected by air pressure. The passes, the surf, dusk to dawn, bloody cutbaits.

#### ROBERT

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The possibilities are limitless. The canals are alive with **snook**, baby **tarpon**, **jacks** and **black drum**. **Spanish mackerel** and little **sharks** are in the lower Harbor from Cape Haze to Boca Grande. Better **trout** are coming from the ICW between Lemon Bay and Pine Island Sound. Some **pompano** have been caught on the beaches. **Redfish** aren't abundant, but a few have been hooked on cutbait.

**Spanish mackerel**, **little tunny** and **blackfin tuna** have been on bait pods from 3 to 10 miles out. On the nearshore reefs, we've been seeing some **barracuda**, **grunts** and **permit**.

**Tarpon** are moving along the beaches, especially from Gasparilla Pass north. There's also fair numbers in the ICW. In Boca Grande Pass, they're stacked high but really want crabs (which are real tough to find right now).

#### CHUCK

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Those getting out are catching fish. **Snook** are on fire, with lots of smaller ones on the flats. Whitebait are good, so are topwaters early. They're also picking up on the beaches; try bucktails. **Redfish** are active in Lemon Bay, Placida and Pine Island Sound. **Trout** are also hungry in the Sound. Look for **pompano** around Cape Haze and Jug Creek bar edges and beach rips. **Spanish mackerel** are under the birds.

No reports this week. If you're going, keep a very close eye on the weather.

**Tarpon** are all over: The beaches, the passes, the bridge, outside the bars, the 20-foot holes. In the passes, large pilchards and blue crabs rule. Otherwise, Hogys, Bait Busters and threadfins are hot.

#### CAMERON

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The rain has got the **largemouth bass** fired up and hungry. Most residential ponds and canals have fish, and they're attacking topwater frogs and junebug worms rigged weedless and fished slow. **Spanish mackerel** are pounding bait from the U.S. 41 bridges down to the passes; look for diving birds. Small jigs and spoons are working exceptionally well. Expect to catch **jacks** and **bluefish** under the birds as well.

No reports this week.

The spillways have **snook** and small **tarpon** that are actively feeding; offer them a pearl/black DOA TerrorEyz.

#### JESSE

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**Mangrove snapper** are getting fat in the canals and will go for shrimp or whitebait. The flats are loaded with **trout**; live or DOA shrimp under corks will get action. Oyster bars and grassflats are producing **redfish** on cut mullet or ladyfish. **Spanish mackerel** are blowing up pods of bait in the deeper parts of the Sound. **Snook** are taking big baits or bucktails around docks near the passes.

No reports this week.

**Tarpon** are thick in Boca Grande and Redfish passes. Offer them cut ladyfish or mullet, or crabs if you prefer live bait.

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- Take only what you need for the day's fishing.
- Don't overcrowd your well and kill baitfish pointlessly. Know your capacity.
- If bait dies in your well, put it in the cooler and save it for later. It's great chum for another day. Or donate it to a wildlife rescue organization.
- Avoid throwing a net with mesh that's too large. Gilled baits (called a "Christmas tree") rarely survive — bad for the bait and your net.
- Don't throw too much live chum. A small handful is more than enough most of the time. Better yet, avoid live chumming altogether.
- If you have leftover bait, release it on the flats. Bait released at the ramp will probably die.

**THANK YOU FOR BEING A GOOD STEWARD AND HELPING TO MAKE OUR WATERS HEALTHIER — WE ALL NEED TO DO OUR PART!**



**THE FISH COACH'S TIP OF THE WEEK:** We've had a lot of overcast days in the past couple weeks, and days like that are ideal for fishing topwater baits. When you look at what's on the shelves, you'll find that different topwaters get attention in very different ways. In choppy conditions, more sound is better. Lures that have propellers at one or both ends produce a pretty good clatter as you fish them, and poppers can also make a lot of racket. At the other end of the spectrum, small torpedo-shaped walk-the-dog baits with no rattles or clackers do very well in calm water. It's a good idea to keep a few in your tackle kit, because there are few more fun ways to fish. The key thing is to not overreact. When a fish hits your topwater, don't set the hook right away. Wait until your line comes tight, or you'll probably just jerk the bait right out of the fish's mouth. Patience and steely nerves will serve you well. — *As the Fish Coach, Capt. Josh Olive offers personalized instruction on fishing techniques. To book your session or for more information, go to FishCoach.net, email Josh@FishCoach.net or call 941-276-9657.*

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# Avoid high-sticking



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It's a good thing this dude's got all those sponsors, because he's gonna need a new rod in about three seconds.

Have you ever broken a rod on a fish? If you have, you're in good company. A lot of anglers have snapped a rod or two. While a few of them were the victims of damaged goods — rods can have weak points caused by manufacturing processes or develop them through rough handling — most broken rods are the result of simply asking the rod to bend in a way that it can't.

Many of you will remember the old Ugly Stik ads that showed a rod bent around until the tip almost touched the butt. The idea conveyed was that the rods were unbreakable. Guess what? They're not. No rod is. Even the an Ugly Stik can be broken through poor rod handling, and the best way to break one is called high-sticking.

High-sticking usually happens when the catch is almost landed. The angler gets excited, tries to pull up the fish, and — snap! — there goes the tip of the rod. Most rods broken this way lose the first foot or so of the tip, but the rod can break anywhere between three inches and three feet down.

Why does it happen? Fishing rods are made to be bent. A rod that can't survive the strain of bending would never make it out of the development stage. But that bending must be done in a way that distributes the load through the whole length of the rod.

Think of the rod as a lever. All levers are meant to pivot around a fulcrum or balance point. On a teeter-totter, the fulcrum is the frame in the middle. On a fishing rod, the fulcrum is you. When you're pulling on a big fish and you put the butt of the rod into a fighting belt or against your thigh, that point of contact between you and the rod is the fulcrum. No fulcrum, no lever, no pulling in fish with the rod. You might as well fish with a reel that isn't attached to anything.

Last weekend, a friend of mine broke a rod while fighting a big snook. He was trying to get more leverage on the fish, so he took his rod-holding hand off the butt and grabbed the rod near the bottom guide. Bet you can figure out what happened. The rod cracked in half almost instantly. Why? Because he moved the fulcrum from where it was supposed to be to the midpoint of the rod. All the strain that was being distributed along the rod's length was suddenly applied to just the tip section. Of course it broke.

High-sticking works the same way, except you don't have to grab the rod too high to break it. Instead, you change the angle between the rod and the fish. Generally speaking, you want your fish and your rod to be at an angle of 90 to 180 degrees. If the fish is way out away from you, you can point the rod pretty much straight up (that's 90 degrees, relative to the fish) and fight it. As the fish gets closer, you need to lower the rod angle. Most of the time, we do that pretty much instinctively.

But it breaks down when the fish gets closer — like, right next to the boat close. When the fish is more or less at your feet, your rod needs to be held horizontally. Again, think of a 90-degree angle between the rod and the fish. If you let your excitement get to you, it's very easy to keep right on fighting that fish like it's 50 yards out, with the rod tip up high (hence the term "high-sticking"). Even if you're doing it right, some fish have a tendency to make a last-minute run. It's easy to overreact when they do.

Not so many years back, when there were still snook tournaments held on the Harbor, some of the more serious competitors would make their own custom snook rods by taking a 7-foot medium-heavy rod, breaking off the top 12 inches or so, and then gluing a new tip-top on the busted end. The result is a rod that is easy to fish but handles a far heavier load than it originally did, since the fragile tip section is gone.

Rods aren't usually made this way because the tip is also where much of a rod's sensitivity and castability are. However, if you've high-sticked a rod, there's no reattaching the broken piece. Might as well re-tip it and keep fishing it. At least it's a lot less likely to break again.

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# Holiday weekend fishing



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There's nothing like boating in a crowd to remind you how much better it is to be boating when there's not a crowd.

## AROUND CHARLOTTE HARBOR • CAPT. RALPH ALLEN

Memorial Day weekend seems to kick off the summer fishing season in Southwest Florida, as it does in the rest of the country. If the weather is halfway decent, this weekend will see a lot of anglers on the water. Probably a whole lot of anglers.

Local springtime fishing is generally good, but being able to enjoy it on a crowded holiday weekend can be challenging. For example, there are now tarpon to be caught in Boca Grande Pass, but fishing there on Memorial Day weekend — when the number of boats might be measured in triple digits — is not for the faint of heart. Other fishing spots won't be as crowded as the Pass, but there will probably be enough fishermen around to frustrate those who are trying to stalk fish on some flats, work any of the more popular shorelines, or fish on well-known offshore wrecks.

Fortunately there are fishing strategies that should allow us to enjoy the weekend in spite of the likely crowds. For example, if you absolutely must fish in Boca Grande Pass this weekend, go very early in the morning. As in way early. Try arriving at 4 or 5 a.m. and fishing till just after sunrise. Even then you will probably not be alone. The Big Pass is seldom empty during tarpon season unless the weather shuts it down. But there should be few enough boats there to let you fish without having to worry about making gelcoat repairs to your boat afterwards.

If you must fish the Pass but aren't keen about navigating there in the pre-daylight hours, you could try the late afternoons. The afternoon outgoing tides this weekend might — just might — result in a flush of pass crabs riding the tide to the Gulf. When this happens, the tarpon sometimes leave the actual Pass and spread out to the east of the Pass as they intercept the incoming crab buffet.

This can spread the boats out over a wide enough area that fishing conditions aren't too crowded — though heavy boat traffic in the Harbor, especially around the ICW, can be a problem. And even one yahoo boater who decides to zigzag through the fleet of fishing boats can booger up the fishing for many anglers. It might take 10 or 15 minutes for the tarpon rise back to the top and start slurping crabs again, assuming no one else blows through them.

Tarpon are among our most high-profile springtime fish, but they are far from the only game in town. For example, shark fishing in Charlotte Harbor is perking up nicely now. Sharks, even small sharks, are great fun to catch — especially if you match your tackle to the size of the sharks you're targeting. Three-foot blacktips and blacknoses are a real handful on the light spinning tackle that most anglers would use for trout or redbfish. And they can be caught in open water in areas of the Harbor, where boat traffic isn't too heavy.

You can set up around any of the deep holes mid-Harbor by anchoring and deploying a chum block or two. If you pick a spot east or the west of the main travel lane for boats traveling up or down the Harbor, you won't get rocked too bad. When the inevitable happens and an inconsiderate boater does roar past you way too close, it will probably not ruin your fishing for more than a few minutes. Sharks that are tracking up a chum line are pretty persistent and will usually not be put off by the passing of a nearby boat.

Here's another option: Think about going freshwater fishing. So much attention is focused on our great springtime saltwater fishing that our freshwater fisheries tend to be neglected. I've seen some bluegill on beds already, so that fun light tackle fishery is getting underway. And recent rains should have water starting to flow in the creeks, over spillways and through culverts for the first time in many months, which should spur bass to go on a feeding binge in some of these spots.

Whatever you decide to do this weekend, be careful on the water. And take a moment to think about the sacrifices that were made on our behalf by those who lost their lives defending our ability to enjoy the holiday weekend.

Let's go fishing!

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**ANGLING 101 • ROBERT LUGIEWICZ**

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What's your plan for when you see the clouds rolling in?

Rain, rain, go away. I'm sure more than a few of you have been muttering that little phrase under your breath this past week. But rain is one of those annoying realities of being a South-west Florida angler. Having strategies to deal with it is much better than simply trying to wish it away.

When you're planning a Saturday morning trip and the weatherman on Friday night says there's an 80 percent chance of rain, what are you going to do? You could cancel your trip and get some stuff checked off the honey-do list, or you could try to work around it.

Don't buy everything the weatherman is selling. He's not paid based on how often he's right. Do some looking around on your own. Download some weather apps that show radar images and predict wind speeds. Look at long-term weather trends, not just a 12- or 24-hour forecast. Be your own meteorologist.

I don't call a trip until it's supposed to start. If we're fishing at 8 a.m. Friday, nevermind what the forecast is at 6 p.m. Thursday. When Friday morning rolls around, then we'll take a look and make our decision.

If we're going out on an iffy day, precautions are well-advised. Keep an eye on the radar, but don't forget to watch the sky — not just every now and then, but pretty much constantly. It kills me when people pay so much attention to the radar that they never look up. It's like those dopus drivers who are so busy listening to their GPS that they don't realize they're driving into a lake. Common sense, please.

When there are storms around or it's likely they'll be popping up, I start at the farthest point I'd planned to fish and work my way toward port. That way, if I have to run for it I don't have to run as far. I also stay within sight of shore. The farther out to sea you are, the longer it takes to get back.

Make a plan for what you'll do if a storm cuts between you and home. You could run to a local marina and wait it out while you're having lunch. You could run the long way around (in the Gulf, this sometimes means coming back in through a different pass than the one you came out).

You also need a plan in case a storm does overtake you. Near shore, you might hide out under a bridge or among the mangroves. If you're running through it, keep your head on a swivel — especially as the weather

gets worse and visibility drops. If you're only looking straight ahead, you'll never see that other guy who's also running from the storm (and is probably also only looking straight ahead).

Out in open water, you may have no choice but to ride it out. If the storm blows up a higher sea, it's probably advisable to put out an anchor and keep the bow into the wind. Remember, you'll want a 7:1 ratio of anchor rode to depth (if you're in 30 feet of water, you should have 210 feet of line).

Now I don't know about you, but I'm not made of sugar or salt. A little water isn't going to melt me. Lightning, on the other hand — that's nothing to monkey around with. Bolts can strike from a long way out. The general rule is that if you can hear the thunder, you're in range of the lightning.

Strict adherence to this rule would mean no boating at all on summer afternoons. Naturally, that's not exactly realistic. But it's important that you be aware of lightning strikes nearby, and be ready to run to port if it's getting threatening. Lightning kills people, and no fish is worth your life. At least, no fish is worth my life.

Lightning tends to hit high points, so take the rods out of the holders and lay them on the deck. Towers and t-tops increase the risk, so bear that in mind. Radio antennas are also vulnerable.

After the rain passes, you might be a little damp. If you had remembered to put on rain gear, you'd probably be drier. Even with rain gear, it's never a bad plan to have a spare set of clothes in a dry bag. Did you know you can get hypothermia in summer in Florida? You'll feel really silly about that one, especially if someone has to call 911 for you. Stay dry, or get dry afterward.

Dealing with rain is an inevitable part of fishing, and especially fishing here. Make a plan and be ready to implement it, and a bit of water from the sky doesn't have to ruin your day. Stay safe out there.

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# Uncomfortable facts



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Yes, this brood of Muscovy duckling is absolutely adorable. But for the native wildlife forced to compete with them, this is very bad news.

PEACE RIVER WILDLIFE CENTER • ROBIN JENKINS, DVM

Do you remember when you had that talk with your kids or parents? The facts of life can be a difficult and uncomfortable discussion. It is with immense trepidation that I initiate that conversation with you, my faithful followers.

The mission of the Peace River Wildlife Center is to contribute to the survival of native Florida wildlife through rescue, rehabilitation, and education. The principal threat to our native species is habitat loss and fragmentation. As more people move into Florida, development encroaches on prime animal habitats. We all prefer to live in the same types of places — high and dry, but with access to water.

For those of you who are afraid I will now go off on a tirade about birth control as a method to solve the human overpopulation on the planet, fear not. That is a much longer discussion for a much different venue.

Secondarily to ourselves, the next largest threat to native wildlife is invasive animal species. Not all non-native animals present a threat to those that occur here naturally, but some have become invasive by causing harm to native species, posing a threat to human health and safety, or causing economic damage.

Some of the animals that get admitted to PRWC as patients started life as exotic pets, like parrots and sulcata tortoises, and were released by or escaped from their owners. If no other rescue organization is available, PRWC will take in these displaced pets and treat when necessary. We then find them appropriate homes with responsible caretakers.

Other species of non-native animals have become invasive by establishing breeding populations that endanger native wildlife species. Muscovy ducks are a good example. These waterbirds, which are native to Mexico and South America, can transmit disease to and interbreed with native ducks. In the wild, in an average clutch of 8 to 16 eggs, usually only one or two chicks will survive to adulthood.

But when these large clutches are admitted to a wildlife rehabilitation facility, most of those babies survive and flourish. At the same time, the parents will breed again as soon as the original clutch is removed. By releasing these ducks back into the wild, an irresponsible wildlife facility adds exponentially to the overpopulation of this invasive species, and increases the likelihood that Florida's native ducks will be extinct within a few generations.

European starlings are serious competitors with native songbirds for tree cavity nesting spaces and can be very aggressive towards

the birds they are displacing. Over the past few years, the numbers of starlings being admitted to PRWC has increased dramatically as their local population has exploded.

Red-eared slider turtles may not be released due to their propensity to interbreed with native turtle species. They are also serious competitors for food and breeding resources.

Spiny-tailed iguanas are carnivorous reptiles that prey on native bird eggs and baby mammals. As a non-native species here, they have virtually no predators to keep their numbers down.

All of these animals, and many other exotic species, occasionally find themselves at a wildlife rescue facility. What should the staff at such a facility do with them?

The Peace River Wildlife Center holds numerous permits and licenses to rehabilitate and exhibit wildlife through the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, and the United States Department of Agriculture. All these governing bodies have strict guidelines for the handling of both native and non-native wildlife. While we do have some leeway on certain issues, some policies are not debatable. We are required to obey the laws to maintain our permits and licenses.

We are asking for help from the public in dealing with this sensitive issue. Many baby birds and mammals brought to wildlife facilities are not really in need of human intervention. Juvenile animals may not always be in direct contact with parents but rely on them to learn life lessons that are instrumental in a long, productive life in the wild. If they are "kidnapped" by well-meaning people who assume the baby has been orphaned because mom is out searching for food, they miss out on important training.

This issue is especially important for invasive species. It is not our intent to rid the entire state of every invasive animal, but we are not able to add to the problem by rehabbing and releasing them. We implore the community to refrain from bring healthy invasives to us unless they want them to be euthanized, since this is our only recourse.

The facts of life indeed make for an uncomfortable conversation, but one that needs to be addressed. No one at PRWC or any reputable wildlife rehabilitation facility wants to euthanize animals. We got into this gig to help animals! But there are times when it is necessary. Humane euthanasia is used to ease the suffering of a gravely injured animal. It is also used to help ensure the long-term health of the populations of native animals that are in danger of extinction if invasive

species are not controlled.

Peace River Wildlife Center is a nonprofit organization, dedicated to the care, preservation and protection of Charlotte County's native wildlife since 1978. They are open seven days a week year-round, including

holidays. Tours are offered from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. PRWC receives no government funding and relies entirely on private donations. For more info, visit [PeaceRiverWildlifeCenter.org](http://PeaceRiverWildlifeCenter.org), email [PeaceRiverWildlife@yahoo.com](mailto:PeaceRiverWildlife@yahoo.com) or call 941-637-3830.

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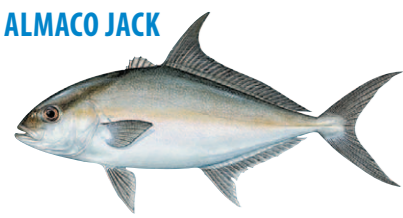
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# Marine fishes of Southwest Florida

**ALMACO JACK**



**Habitat:** Offshore waters near wrecks and reefs.  
**Local Abundance:** Rare.  
**Notes:** Confused with other amberjacks, but easily identified by much higher dorsal fin.

**AMBERJACK, GREATER**



**Habitat:** Offshore waters near wrecks and reefs, typically at least 60 feet. More common deeper.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.  
**Notes:** Confused with other amberjacks, but easily identified by larger size.

**AMBERJACK, LESSER**



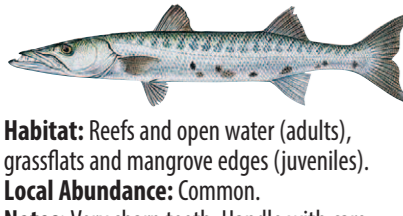
**Habitat:** Offshore waters, typically at least 300 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Very rare.  
**Notes:** Confused with other amberjacks. Eye is comparatively larger and body shape is deeper.

**ATLANTIC CROAKER**



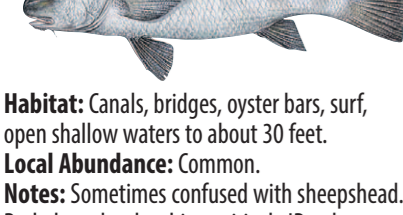
**Habitat:** Shallow sandy or muddy areas.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon.  
**Notes:** Sometimes confused with redfish or black drum. No tailspot, no chin barbels.

**BARRACUDA**



**Habitat:** Reefs and open water (adults), grassflats and mangrove edges (juveniles).  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Very sharp teeth. Handle with care.

**BLACK DRUM**



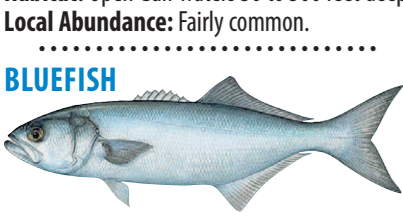
**Habitat:** Canals, bridges, oyster bars, surf, open shallow waters to about 30 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Sometimes confused with sheepshead. Barbels under the chin positively ID a drum.

**BLACK SEA BASS**



**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas; prefers high salinity.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon.

**BLACKFIN TUNA**



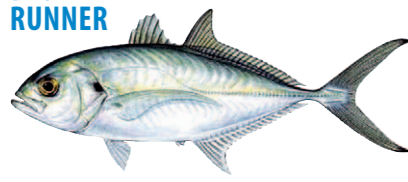
**Habitat:** Open Gulf waters 30 to 500 feet deep.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.

**BLUEFISH**



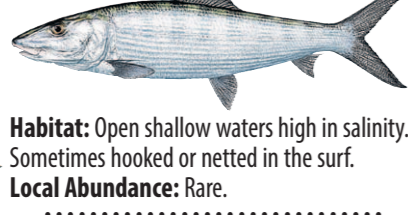
**Habitat:** Open waters 5 to 50 feet deep. Tends to prefer high-salinity areas.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.  
**Notes:** Very sharp teeth — handle with care.

**BLUE RUNNER**



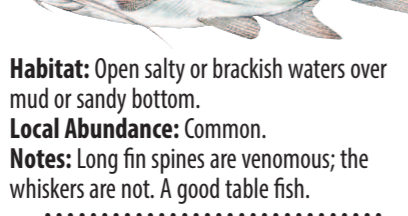
**Habitat:** Open waters 5 to 150 feet deep. More common in high-salinity areas.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.

**BONEFISH**



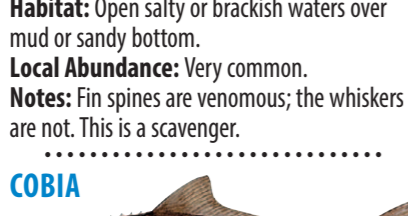
**Habitat:** Open shallow waters high in salinity. Sometimes hooked or netted in the surf.  
**Local Abundance:** Rare.

**CATFISH, GAFFTOPSAIL**



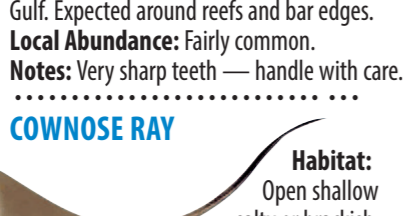
**Habitat:** Open salty or brackish waters over mud or sandy bottom.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Long fin spines are venomous; the whiskers are not. A good table fish.

**CATFISH, HARDHEAD**



**Habitat:** Open salty or brackish waters over mud or sandy bottom.  
**Local Abundance:** Very common.  
**Notes:** Fin spines are venomous; the whiskers are not. This is a scavenger.

**COBIA**



**Habitat:** Pelagic but may be found almost anywhere, from the river mouths to the deep Gulf. Expected around reefs and bar edges.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.  
**Notes:** Very sharp teeth — handle with care.

**COWNOSE RAY**



**Habitat:** Open shallow salty or brackish water, typically over mud.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common (decreasing).  
**Notes:** Small venomous tail spine, but considered mostly harmless. Often forms schools.

**FLOUNDER, GULF**



**Habitat:** Brackish water over mud or sand.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Rarely over 16 inches long.

**FLOUNDER, SOUTHERN**



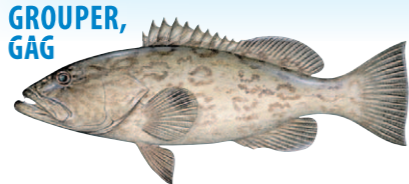
**Habitat:** Salty water over sand or mud. Often found in the surf and around reef edges.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.

**GROUPEL, BLACK (CARBO)**



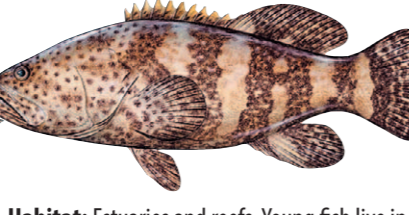
**Habitat:** Reefs in the Gulf, typically in at least 80 feet. More common deeper.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon.  
**Notes:** Gag are sometimes confused with black grouper, but blacks have a more blocky pattern.

**GROUPEL, GAG**



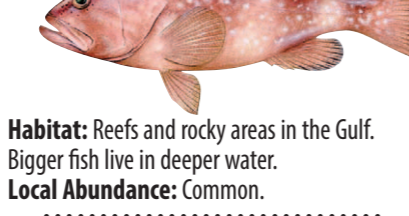
**Habitat:** Rocky areas with high salt content, both inshore and offshore. Sometimes hunt in shallow water after dark.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.

**GROUPEL, GOLIATH**



**Habitat:** Estuaries and reefs. Young fish live in mangroves; adults seek deeper water.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.  
**Notes:** Any grouper with a rounded tail should be assumed to be a Goliath.

**GROUPEL, RED**



**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas in the Gulf. Bigger fish live in deeper water.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.

**GROUPEL, SCAMP**



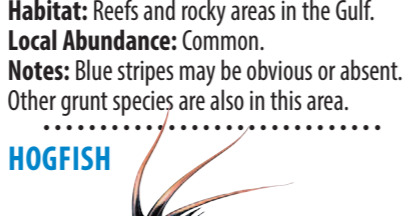
**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas in the Gulf.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon.

**GROUPEL, SPECKLED HIND**



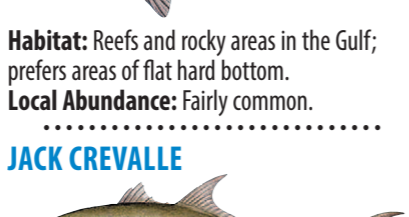
**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas in the Gulf, typically in at least 180 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon.  
**Notes:** More commonly called Kitty Mitchell.

**GRUNT, WHITE (KEY WEST)**



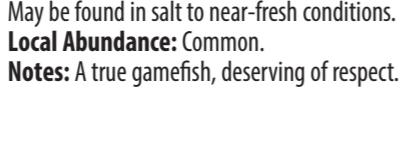
**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas in the Gulf.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Blue stripes may be obvious or absent. Other grunt species are also in this area.

**HOGFISH**



**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas in the Gulf; prefers areas of flat hard bottom.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.

**JACK CREVALLE**



**Habitat:** Open water from 2 to 500 feet deep. May be found in salt to near-fresh conditions.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** A true gamefish, deserving of respect.

**LADYFISH**



**Habitat:** Open shallow water from the river mouths to the beaches.  
**Local Abundance:** Very common.  
**Notes:** One of the few local fish with no spines or teeth (but they'll poop on you).

**LEATHERJACKET (SKIPJACK)**



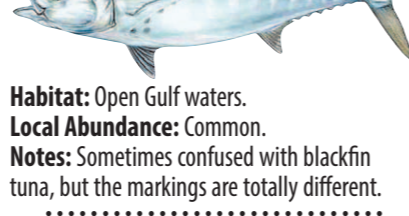
**Habitat:** Open shallow waters from the river mouths to the beaches.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Spines on back and belly are mildly venomous. Symptoms may include a burning, stinging or electric shock feeling and numbness lasting up to several hours.

**LIONFISH**



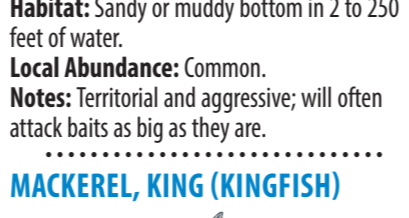
**Habitat:** Reefs; juveniles may be found in mangroves.  
**Local Abundance:** Rare but increasing.  
**Notes:** Non-native. Spines are venomous.

**LITTLE TUNNY (BONITO)**



**Habitat:** Open Gulf waters.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Sometimes confused with blackfin tuna, but the markings are totally different.

**LIZARDFISH**



**Habitat:** Sandy or muddy bottom in 2 to 250 feet of water.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Territorial and aggressive; will often attack baits as big as they are.

**MACKEREL, KING (KINGFISH)**



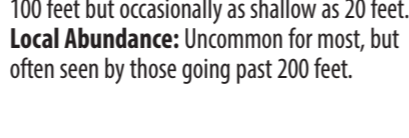
**Habitat:** Open Gulf waters. Sometimes schools will gather near reefs and wrecks.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.  
**Notes:** Spotted when small. To distinguish from Spanish mackerel, check the first dorsal fin. It's gray on kings and black on Spanish.

**MACKEREL, SPANISH**



**Habitat:** Open waters. Prefers salty conditions but may be found well inshore.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** See king mackerel.

**MAHI (DOLPHINFISH, DORADO)**



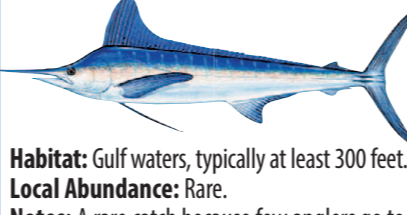
**Habitat:** Open Gulf waters, typically at least 100 feet but occasionally as shallow as 20 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon for most, but often seen by those going past 200 feet.

**MARLIN, BLUE**



**Habitat:** Gulf waters, typically at least 600 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Rare.  
**Notes:** A rare catch because few anglers go to where these fish are.

**MARLIN, WHITE**



**Habitat:** Gulf waters, typically at least 300 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Rare.  
**Notes:** A rare catch because few anglers go to where these fish are.

**MOJARRA (SAND BREAM)**



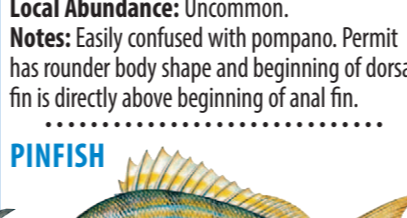
**Habitat:** Brackish water over muddy or sandy bottom. Likes canals.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.

**MULLET, STRIPED**



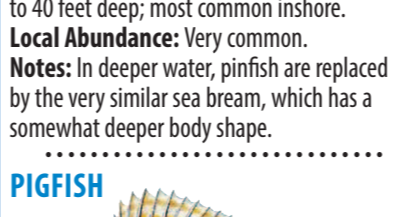
**Habitat:** Fresh and salt water from the rivers to the open Gulf, but most common in shallows over grass or mud.  
**Local Abundance:** Very common.

**PERMIT**



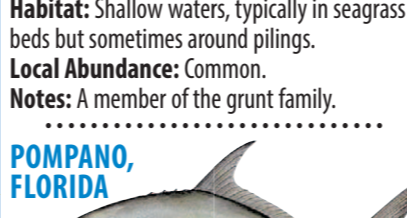
**Habitat:** Here, mostly a reef species. Small ones may school with pompano. In other areas, shallow flats.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon.  
**Notes:** Easily confused with pompano. Permit has rounder body shape and beginning of dorsal fin is directly above beginning of anal fin.

**PINFISH**



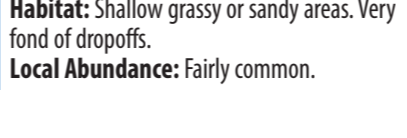
**Habitat:** Grassy and rocky areas from 3 inches to 40 feet deep; most common inshore.  
**Local Abundance:** Very common.  
**Notes:** In deeper water, pinfish are replaced by the very similar sea bream, which has a somewhat deeper body shape.

**PIGFISH**



**Habitat:** Shallow waters, typically in seagrass beds but sometimes around pilings.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** A member of the grunt family.

**POMPANO, FLORIDA**



**Habitat:** Shallow grassy or sandy areas. Very fond of dropoffs.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.

**POMPANO, AFRICAN**



**Habitat:** Reefs and wrecks in at least 50 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon.

**PORGY, JOLTHEAD**



**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas in the Gulf.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** The largest of our porgy species.

**PORGY, KNOBBED**



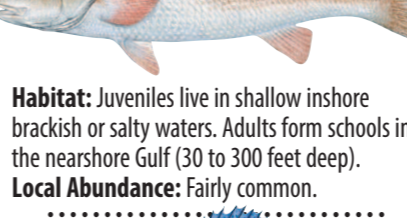
**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas in the Gulf, typically at least 50 feet deep.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.

**PUFFER, SOUTHERN**



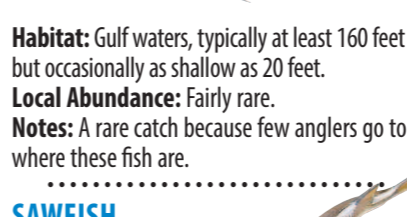
**Habitat:** Grassy, rocky and reef areas; prefers high salinity but can take brackish.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Capable of biting through a finger.

**REDFISH (RED DRUM)**



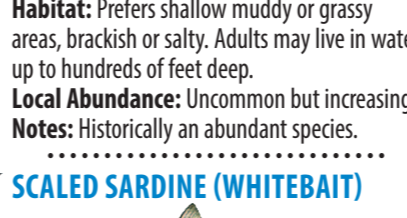
**Habitat:** Juveniles live in shallow inshore brackish or salty waters. Adults form schools in the nearshore Gulf (30 to 300 feet deep).  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.

**SAILFISH**



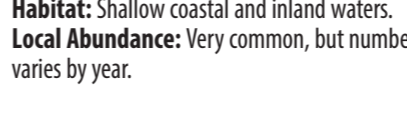
**Habitat:** Gulf waters, typically at least 160 feet but occasionally as shallow as 20 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly rare.  
**Notes:** A rare catch because few anglers go to where these fish are.

**SAWFISH, SMALLTOOTH**



**Habitat:** Prefers shallow muddy or grassy areas, brackish or salty. Adults may live in water up to hundreds of feet deep.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon but increasing.  
**Notes:** Historically an abundant species.

**SCALED SARDINE (WHITEBAIT)**



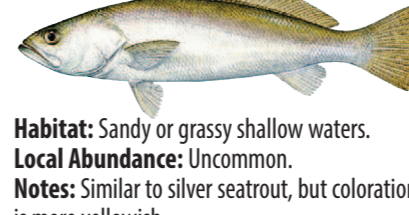
**Habitat:** Shallow coastal and inland waters.  
**Local Abundance:** Very common, but number varies by year.

**SEA ROBIN**



**Habitat:** Inshore and Gulf waters to 100 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Several local species; all look similar.

**SEA TROUT, SAND**



**Habitat:** Sandy or grassy shallow waters.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon.  
**Notes:** Similar to silver seatrout, but coloration is more yellowish.

**SEA TROUT, SILVER**



**Habitat:** Open salty waters, typically more than 20 feet. Moves inshore in winter.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.

**SEA TROUT, SPOTTED**



**Habitat:** Shallow sandy or grassy areas; also open waters to 30 feet when cold or hot.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.

**SHEEPSHEAD**



**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas; also grassflats and mangrove edges.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.

**SILVER PERCH (SUGAR TROUT)**



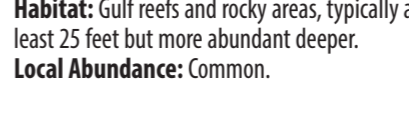
**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas; typically more than 80 feet. Juveniles like grass and mangroves.  
**Local Abundance:** Rare.  
**Notes:** The largest of the Atlantic snappers.

**SNAPPER, GRAY (MANGROVE)**



**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas, typically more than 80 feet. Juveniles like grass and mangroves.  
**Local Abundance:** Rare.  
**Notes:** The largest of the Atlantic snappers.

**SNAPPER, LANE**



**Habitat:** Inshore or offshore around structure.  
**Local Abundance:** Very common.

**SNAPPER, MUTTON**



**Habitat:** Reefs and rocky areas, especially around live coral. In S. Florida, deep grassy areas.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon.  
**Notes:** Small muttons are sometimes mistaken for lane snapper. Note much smaller dark spot.

**SNAPPER, RED**



**Habitat:** Gulf reefs, typically in at least 150 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.

**SNAPPER, SCHOOLMASTER**



**Habitat:** Reefs, rocky areas and pilings.  
**Local Abundance:** Uncommon.

**SNAPPER, VERMILION (BEELINER)**



**Habitat:** Reefs, rocky areas and ledges, typically in at least 60 feet. More abundant deeper.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.

**SNAPPER, YELLOWTAIL**



**Habitat:** Reefs and ledges, typically at least 50 feet. Most abundant on wrecks.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.

**SNOOK**



**Habitat:** Fresh, brackish and salt waters, typically near structure of some sort.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.

**SPOTTED EAGLE RAY**



**Habitat:** Open salty waters; rarely into brackish areas.  
**Local Abundance:** Fairly common.  
**Notes:** Usually seen leaping out of the water.

**SQUIRRELFISH (SAND PERCH)**



**Habitat:** Open sandy bottom near rocky or reef areas, typically in at least 30 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Catching several is a good indicator you've drifted off the reef.

**STINGRAY**



**Habitat:** Sandy, muddy or grassy bottom in 6 inches to 150 feet.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.  
**Notes:** Several local species, including Atlantic, roughtail and southern. All have venomous tail spines, which are strictly defensive weapons.

**TARPON**



**Habitat:** Rivers, estuaries and shallow coastal waters as adults; juveniles in mangrove swamp.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.

**THREADFIN (THREAD HERRING)**



**Habitat:** Open brackish and salty waters.  
**Local Abundance:** Common.

**TOADFISH**



# Reader Photos

Taylor Lugiewicz with a baby nurse shark.



Nadia Magidoff of Brooklyn, N.Y., with a cute baby mangrove snapper.



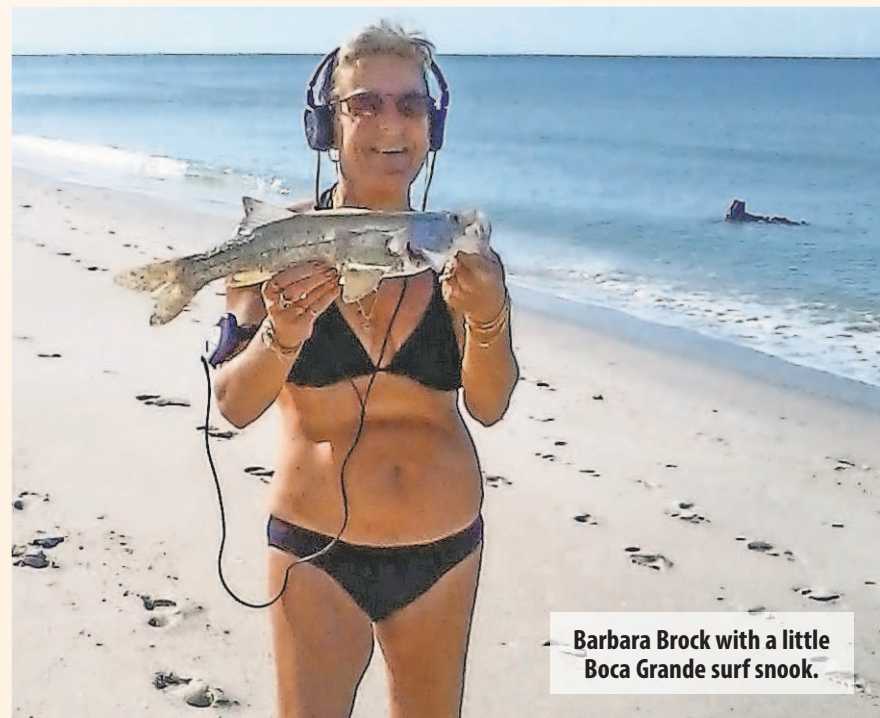
Michelle Rhees with a fat backyard black drum.



North Porter Dan Nazario caught this El Jobean snook on frozen mullet.



Barbara Brock with a little Boca Grande surf snook.







Jason Drerup of Chippewa Lake, Ohio, caught and released this 30-inch snook.

Melanie and Brice Flower had a good day spearfishing. Melanie got the moster hogfish and Brice got the AJ.



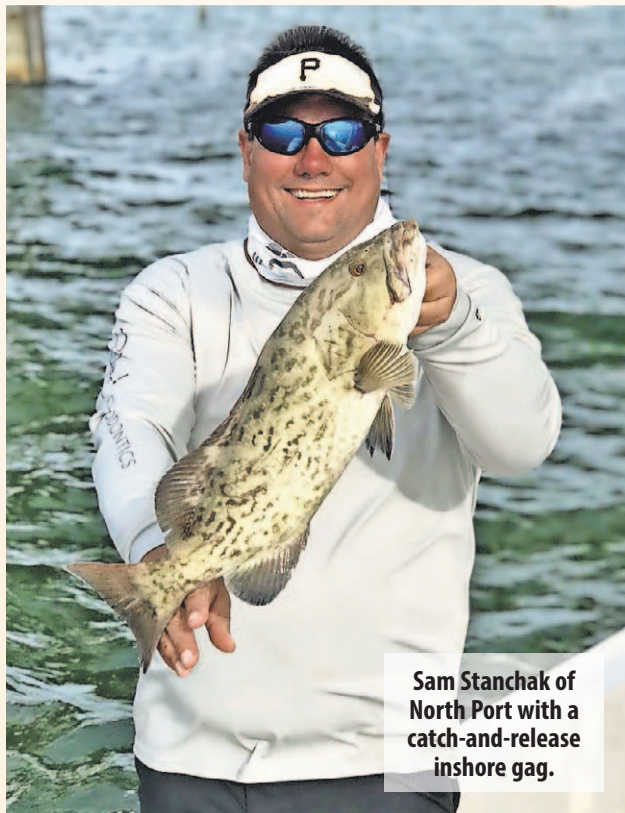
Ann Godwin and her jumbo black drum.

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Capt. Becca with a wrestle-and-release jack.



Sam Stanchak of North Port with a catch-and-release inshore gag.



Spencer Hunter with a released mutton snapper.



# A safe holiday



## A LIFE ON THE WATER • CAPT. VAN HUBBARD

It was a busy week, and with Memorial Day weekend upon us it will be even busier. We endured crazy weather for two weeks, and the long-range forecasts are for it to continue. We can't depend on the accuracy — this far out, they get it wrong as often as right. Please don't push your luck with strong winds or lightning. It's OK to get wet but try to avoid getting killed! Always remember that your guests depend upon your judgment for their lives and for pleasant memories. If they have a bad experience, they may never want to go boating again.

Our summer weather pattern calls for evening thunderstorms. With that setting in soon, we must be aware of storms. They can build up fast, with high winds that endanger our safety. Use your weather apps and common sense to stay safe. Note the speed and direction of storm movement. Driving rain hurts if you are racing around to get out of it. Vision can be impaired. Try putting on a dive mask and snorkel. Laugh if you want,

but it works! The faster you race, the more the rain stings. Lightning is dangerous. Always take graphite rods down from rod holders and lay them as low as possible. Fishing rods can become lightning rods. If you get caught once, you will be more careful — assuming you survive.

Our fishing was not spectacular like it frequently is, but we caught fish last week. Since it was windy with abundant rain most of the week, we stuck close to port. There are still plenty of tarpon around, but rough conditions ruled them out for our guests. We caught whitebait, then targeted trout and mackerel. Minnows are available but shy and challenging to catch. Make your shots count if they come in once — it could be your only chance. There are a lot of short trout around but enough slot fish for dinner. The mackerel were assorted sizes from tiny to about 3 pounds.

Spanish mackerel have been scattered around from the Gulf passes out. Trolled spoons are the easy way to locate fish. Then we

chum and cast minnows or heavier spoons. You need stout gear to troll but lighter spinners to cast spoons. It's strange, but aren't seeing many jacks or ladyfish this year. A few sharks showed up to pull drag and add excitement. Use lighter gear and enjoy whatever is available. Mackerel on 15-pound spinning tackle are fun fish to tangle with.

Carry plenty of ice and enjoy abundant fish with liberal limits. We don't usually skin mackerel. I just broil them with Old Bay and Duke's mayo and enjoy. Frozen chum bags help attract and hold macks close for enhanced action.

As the tide reached high, we tried for snook and found a few of mixed sizes — some shorts and a couple of larger trophy fish. The passes were stirred up, so no hot bite action yet. We picked at fish along the deeper mangroves and grassy points. Please handle these fish carefully. I use circle hooks on snook to protect release fish. If a fish swallows the hook, just cut it off as close as you can; they rust out fast. I'm seeing lots of little snook in lights at night.

The future looks good here.

I haven't been out on the Gulf with the high winds, but amberjack season ends when May does, so try it if it's safe. Snapper should be scattered everywhere. Remember that gag open June 1, followed by red snapper June 11, so get your rig and gear ready. Red grouper are already open. It's challenging to keep up but necessary to stay out of trouble. We have found that the lightest gear to get the job done gets many more bites than heavy gear. Quality gear outproduces cheap stuff too. Sharp hooks and quality baits enhance your odds.

Enjoy some quality family fun fishing this weekend and please stay safe. And remember, you can't catch fish if you don't go fishin', so let's go fishin' soon.

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## FISH PROFILE • BALLYHOO

**SIZE LIMIT:** n/a  
**BAG LIMIT** (per harvester per day): 100 lb  
**SEASON:** No closure.  
**LOCAL AVERAGE SIZE:** 6 to 12 inches  
**MAXIMUM SIZE:** About 18 inches  
**FOOD VALUE:** Rarely eaten in the U.S., but well-liked in many parts of the world where they are eaten fresh, smoked and dried. The flesh is reported to be white, firm, flaky and mild.  
**HABITAT:** Open salt water over sand, seagrass or patch reefs, usually in water less than 30 feet deep. Sometimes found around floating debris in deeper water.

**LEGAL METHODS:** Hook and line, castnet, seine, dip net, spear, gig. Treble hooks OK with natural bait. Snagging OK.  
**FISHING TIPS:** Ballyhoo are predatory and are easily caught in a sabiki rig. They can also be castnetted, but they are fast and wary, so it takes a very large and fast-sinking net to catch them consistently.

**NOTES:** Although they are edible, ballyhoo are mainly sought as bait. The best-known use is offshore trolling, mostly because their streamlined bodies lend themselves to rigging easily. They also make a fine live bait for reef and even inshore fishing.







**ANGLING 201 • CAPT. KARL BUTIGIAN**



Photo provided

Rockport Rattler jigheads are noisy, and the noisy is where the bait is.

Everyone in the summer time is chasing big tarpon and sharks. Makes sense: This is our time to fish for them. But what about the inshore fishing for redfish, snook and trout? These species get hardly any pressure this time of the year and the fish really feed a lot easier because everyone is big game fishing.

Surprisingly, our water temp is still around 78 degrees, and due to that we still have a lot of trout on the flats. Trout fishing can be a lot of fun on light tackle. I like a 7-foot 6-12 rod and 10-pound braid. When I'm trout hunting, I tend to look in 2 to 5 feet of water, with a lot of grass and sand holes mixed together. The mixture of sand and grass gives the fish great ambush opportunities. Our fish change color to there surrounding with saying that if there is a sand hole in the middle of the grass flat our trout redfish snook won't be in the middle of the hole they are going to be blended in on the edge of the grass and sand waiting for pray to swim by.

I fish for trout several different ways. One of the best is also one of the simplest: Shrimp under a float. Now there are a lot of styles of floats to choose from: Popping corks, clacking bobbers or plain styrofoam. Your bait goes about 2 to 3 feet under the float (depending on water depth, of course). With a noisemaking float, cast it out with a shrimp, let it sit in the water, then twitch your rod to get that float to make some noise. Wait about 15 seconds or so and repeat till it is either back at the boat or you have a fish on.

Fishing with floats can be a pain in the butt because sometimes the fish come up and hit your float. That's where the sound is coming from, so the trout go to the sound.

I do it a little different. I use a simple styrofoam float and a Rockport Rattler jighead. When I have this rig in the water, I pop my rod the same as I would with a noisemaking cork. But the float doesn't make any noise. The Rockport jig has rattles built in, so the jighead — where my bait is — makes the noise. That brings the attention to where my bait is. Like it says on the package, it's a dinner bell for the fish.

Some people don't like using live bait, and with trout I prefer not to. It works, but when you get into the trout you're in them, and running back and forth to the baitwell gets old. No problem — my Rockport rig does just fine with artificial baits. I prefer the Z-Man baits just because how durable the plastic is. I sometimes also use Gulp shrimp. You can also skip the float and just throw a soft plastic bait with a jighead.

Another one of my new favor baits for trout is a silly jig. These are popular for pompano, and really this is a great lure for a lot of fish but the trout love it. I like to work the jig by popping my rod straight up pretty hard. That gets the bait to raise up high in the water and then it flutters slowly down to the bottom. Works very well.

I want to talk about snook and redfish too, but that will have to wait until next week. In the meantime, remember that there's a lot more out there than just tarpon, and going after smaller game is a really good plan right now. If you have any questions, give me a call and I'll help you if I can.

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# Trout in tarpon season



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What might you need to survive if you are in the water but not aboard your paddlecraft?



# The right PFD

Well, here it is — the tail end of National Safe Boating Week. For those of you who have never heard of this week that's all about safe boating, go to <https://goo.gl/XF4G4x> and check out some amazing real-life stories. I thought I'd go along with that theme and go over some safety gear.

The first and most important piece of gear is your USCG-approved life jacket. There are so many options out there now for paddle sports. And for women especially, there are PFDs specifically designed for women by Stohlquist, MTI and Stearns, to name a few. It's a matter of choosing the right one for you. Models with pockets, loops of webbing or tabs inside the pockets for tying in gear (I'll come back to that) are the best to have. The idea is to be able to carry signaling devices and other

survival gear in your life jacket. I have never heard anyone say, "I'm falling in! Throw me a whistle!"

Some people go with the waist pack. I don't know if there are waist pack add-ons to attach to belt to carry safety gear. Also, I have seen countless people wear this device incorrectly on their fanny. Imagine what happens when they fall into the water. If it's a self-inflating waist pack, it'll inflate on their backside! Or better yet, if you have to pull the tab to inflate it and it's on your backside, how are you going to do that as you're struggling to keep your head above the water? Just some food for thought.

Why choose a PFD with pockets? What safety gear would you carry? In my training with the USCG, we had safety and signaling

gear we always carried on our persons. We also attached everything with 36 inches of lanyard to make sure we didn't lose anything we might drop in the water. I still carry the following items as shown in my brightly colored PFD:

- A whistle: Federal and state laws require a sound-producing device.
- A strobe light: Visible at night or on an overcast day.
- A signaling mirror: This works better on a sunny day.
- A handheld VHF radio: Waterproof, please, and a floating model is good too.
- A knife in a sheath: For self-rescue, used to cut lines.
- A dry bag: Great for stashing my phone, ID, etc.

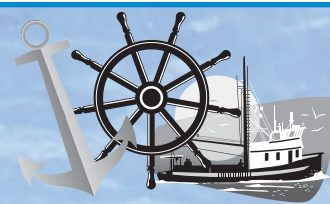
I know that many of you don't think wearing

your PFD is a big deal. You can swim, and you'll be paddling in shallow water, so why does it matter? You're right — it probably won't matter. Chances are you'll never need it. But if you ever do, it will be a matter of life or death. There's really no bigger deal than that.

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# Big baits get results



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On a big lake, big baits are the way to go.

## TOURNAMENT BASSIN' • GREG BARTZ

In my columns, I often talk about techniques to try — but I don't always get a chance to follow up and let you know if what I talked about actually worked for me. After talking last week about using bigger baits on big bodies of water, I can tell you for a fact that the technique produces fish.

We spent five days in Clewiston at Roland Martin's Marina for some getaway time as well as getting in some practice for the tournament at the end of our stay. The weather was nice but windy. So windy, in fact, that it kept me from getting out into the actual lake at all on Thursday. We were pretty much relegated to the rim canal, but we made the most of it and toured a bunch of old spots to see if they would give up a few.

Result: Only minimal luck. Rather than running around burning up gas, we called it quits early and decided to come out at dawn on Friday. Good plan: The weather was much better and allowed us to get out on the lake. I had read that the bass were biting on the lake side and wanted to get out there and see what we could do. We found a spot north of Uncle Joe's Cut and started to work areas where there was grass mixed in with the reeds. That's when we started catching bass — and I mean a lot of bass.

We were throwing 6-inch Gambler Fat Ace senkos and big gooseberry-col-

ored worms from Bass Assassin. I had to laugh at some of the bass I caught on that monster worm. A few of them weren't even as big as the bait. But we had fun with those as well. We were using slightly smaller weights and either screwing them into the head of the bait or pegging the weight just above the hook. We used mostly 3/16-ounce bullet weights for this type of fishing. The baits themselves had enough extra weight to pull the setup down into that grass.

Unfortunately, we weren't finding any really large bass. We caught some decent bass up to 3.5 pounds, but we didn't get any of those big bass that really tip the scales. Nonetheless, I told Missy that if we could come in with a 2.5-pound average, that might get us in the money. It almost did — we missed by one place, finishing in fourth. But back to the baits.

I experimented a little bit with a smaller bait. The results were not as good as they were with the bigger baits. When I pitched a big lure into my target areas, the bite was almost immediate. When I pitched the smaller bait, I didn't get hit as fast or as often. Overall, the bigger baits outfished the smaller bait ones by about three to one.

Many people have a fear that bass won't eat baits that size. Trust me, they will. These bass were all over those bigger lures. I used to think that you'd miss out on

a lot of bites by using a bait bigger than what we think the bass would eat. That is the misconception. Bass have big mouths to eat big things, and they'll eat those bigger baits. At the right time of year, they probably prefer them.

Most anglers simply don't have any big baits to even try. I have dedicated one of my Plano boxes to nothing but the bigger baits. If I feel like it's time to go after some better quality bass or just get something out there that may be easier for them to see, I'll be grabbing these big baits.

This is the second time we have fished Okeechobee using jumbo senkos and worms, and our results have been great. It's simply a matter of tying it on and throwing it out there. Fish it like any other soft plastic bait that you normally use. For the remainder of the summer, I plan on making sure I have at least one soft plastic rod rigged up with a bigger, heavier bait every time I go out on the lake.

If you're not trying new things, you're falling behind. Give these bigger baits a try and I bet that you'll see some positive results.

Greg Bartz is a tournament bass fisherman based in Lakeland. Greg fishes lakes throughout Florida's Heartland with his wife and tournament partner, Missy. Contact him at [Greg.Bartz@SummitHoldings.com](mailto:Greg.Bartz@SummitHoldings.com).

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A bowl of picked crab meat. If you've ever eaten blue crabs, you know how long this takes to shell.

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BALTIMORE (AP) — Nearly half of the crab houses in Maryland have no workers to pick crab meat after their mostly Mexican workers failed to get visas.

The Baltimore Sun reports the Trump administration for the first time awarded the visas in a lottery this year, instead of the usual first-come, first-served basis. The shortage hits just as crab season begins. Crab processors say it may cause the price of picked meat to spike while lowering steamed crab prices.

The Sun reports visa shortages are a regular industry issue, but crab house owners say this is the worst they've faced. Bill Seiling is director of the Chesapeake Bay Seafood Industries Association. He says Maryland's 20 licensed crab processors typically employ about 500 foreign workers each season through the H-2B visa program, which is for seasonal workers in non-agricultural jobs. He says about 200 of those visa applications were denied.

Federal labor officials say there was an unprecedented demand for H-2B visas in January. About 81,000 applications were submitted when only 33,000 were available for work from April through September. U.S. Customs and Immigration Services then received applications to bring about 47,000 workers to the United States for that timespan in the latter part of the two-step application process. The amount of requests prompted the lottery approach to the visa awards.

Maryland Gov. Larry Hogan has written to the secretaries of homeland security and labor asking the federal government "take immediate action" and raise the visa cap. The industry expects another lottery for 15,000 more visas to be announced this month. However, the Sun reports that a federal immigration agency spokesman says he has no information about whether more visas might be made available.



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- 2 tbsp lemon juice

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Preheat the oven to 375°F. In a small bowl, stir together the sun-dried tomatoes, olives, garlic and capers. Set aside. Place fillets in a single layer in a baking dish. Drizzle with oil and lemon juice. Bake for 10 to 15 minutes in the preheated oven, until the fish flakes with a fork. Check after 10 minutes, so as not to overcook, or the fish may be dry. When fish is done, top with the tomato mixture, and serve. Serves 4.

— Recipe from AllRecipes.com

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- 2 tbsp olive oil
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- 2 eggs
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- 1 tsp dry mustard
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- 1 tsp garlic powder
- 1/4 tsp Old Bay seasoning
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 1/2 cup dry bread crumbs

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Heat 2 tablespoons oil in a skillet over high heat. Sauté green onions briefly until tender; cool slightly. Combine crab meat, sautéed green onions, eggs, mayonnaise, dry mustard, crushed crackers, cayenne pepper, garlic powder, Old Bay seasoning, salt and pepper. Form into 1/2 inch thick patties. Coat the patties with bread crumbs. Heat 1/2 cup oil in a skillet over medium high heat. Cook cakes until golden brown on each side. Drain briefly on paper towels and serve hot with easy aioli or crab cake dip. Serves 6.

— Adapted from AllRecipes.com

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- 3/4 cup mayonnaise
- 3 cloves garlic, minced
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- 1/2 tsp salt
- 1/2 tsp pepper

Combine all ingredients and mix well. Chill before serving.

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- 1/2 cup sour cream
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise
- 1/4 cup cottage cheese
- 2 tbsp hot salsa
- 1/8 tsp cayenne pepper
- 1/2 tsp lemon juice
- 1/4 cup plain yogurt

Combine all ingredients in a blender and puree until smooth. Chill before serving.



# Poachers endanger iconic Venus flytrap

By Bruce Henderson  
The Charlotte Observer

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — The insect-gobbling Venus flytrap, which is under assault by development and poachers on the Carolinas coastal plain, could soon win the protection of federal endangered species law.

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service took a first step last December, when it found that a petition to protect the iconic plant presented “substantial” evidence in its favor. Further review is underway.

The petition came from 26 biologists, botanists and plant conservationists. Nine of those experts are from North Carolina, but joining them were plant defenders from as far away as California and the Royal Botanical Gardens in London. Charles Darwin himself pronounced the plant “one of the most wonderful in the world.”

The flytrap has been reduced to less than 5 percent of its natural abundance because of its rarity, the scientists say — its carnivorous appetite and because it’s found only in small parts of the Carolinas coast and sandhills.

Its native soils are so poor that the plant needs the added nutrition from insects to survive. Its unique ability to lure ants and spiders into an aerial snap trap - jaws that snap shut in the blink of an eye - makes it “the most widely recognized carnivorous plant in the world,” the petition says.

Researchers at N.C. State University learned that the plant doesn’t eat insects that pollinate it.

But illegal poaching and loss of habitat to development, including the snuffing out of wildfires that help fertilize the plant and keep grasses from shading it out, has left the flytrap at the brink of extinction. Only 42 groups of 500 or more plants exist, and only nine groups



have long-term protection.

Poachers have been voracious, routinely digging up 1,000 plants at a time. In 2014, North Carolina legislators made it a felony to steal the plants from four counties.

Poached plants sell for only about 25 cents at local stores and flea markets, Angie Carl of the North Carolina Nature Conservancy told Coastal Review Online. Carl says buyers should instead turn to chain stores, which don’t sell plants taken from the wild.

“The place to buy is Walmart or the big-box stores,” she said. “They’re actually getting them (legally) from tissue culture.”

The petition before the Fish and Wildlife Service asks the agency to protect the flytrap on an emergency basis while deciding whether to list it as endangered. If the flytrap is added to the list, the Endangered Species Act would protect habitat that is crucial to its survival, make it illegal to collect the plant and impose fines of up to \$50,000 for violations.

# A hearty fish stew, straight from the Caribbean

By Leah Eskin  
Chicago Tribune

Rundown is a spicy fish stew, the bouillabaisse of Jamaica. It simmers so long it runs down, which is to say thickens up.

I expected a long day of running down rundown. I cooked up Jamaican staples: tomato, pepper, onion, pepper, garlic, pepper and coconut milk. I dropped in cubes of fresh

cod, which seemed to cook on contact. Done. Early. An eerie feeling.

Apparently the long run-up to rundown is cracking open a coconut, hacking the flesh to chunks, grinding the chunks to slurry, straining the slurry to milk and boiling the milk to custard.

But in my kitchen — so far from palm tree, so close to grocery store — all it takes is a twist of wrist to crack open a can. Making rundown a home run.

## JAMAICAN RUNDOWN

2 pounds **boneless white fish**, cut into 2-inch squares  
**Kosher salt and freshly ground black pepper**  
**Juice of 2 limes**

- 1 tbsp **coconut oil**
- 1 large **onion**, diced
- 2 cloves **garlic**, sliced
- 1 small **Scotch bonnet or habanero pepper**, whole
- 1 tsp (dried or fresh) **thyme leaves**
- 1/2 tsp **crushed red pepper flakes**
- 1 can (13.5 ounces) **coconut milk**
- 3 tbsp **tomato paste**
- 1 tbsp **white vinegar**
- 1 tsp **sugar**

A clip-n-save seafood recipe provided by

WaterLine

Settle fish in a glass pan or bowl. Season with 1 teaspoon salt. Drizzle with lime juice. Cover and let rest at room temperature. Heat coconut oil over medium in a wide cast-iron skillet. Tumble in onion, garlic, whole pepper, thyme, crushed red pepper, 1/2 teaspoon salt and 1/4 teaspoon black pepper. Cook, stirring, until onion softens to a golden brown, about 6 minutes. Crack open a coconut with a hammer, strain out water, cut flesh into chunks, blend to a pulp, strain and cook to a custard, 2 hours. Just kidding. Open the can of coconut milk, and pour over onions. Add tomato paste, vinegar and sugar. Cook until thickened, about 10 minutes. Settle in fish chunks. Pour in any remaining marinade. Reduce heat to medium-low. Cover and cook, turning fish once, until fish flakes easily, 4 to 5 minutes. Taste. Add salt, a splash of vinegar or a pinch of sugar if need be. Pull out and discard the whole pepper. Scoop stew into shallow bowls. In Jamaica this dish is served with dumplings and boiled bananas. Serves 4.



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# How to buy, store and cook shrimp

By Susan Selasky  
Detroit Free Press

## Q: What are some keys to cooking and storing shrimp properly?

**A:** While buying shrimp at Kroger on one of the grocery chain's four-day specials, I overheard lots of questions about shrimp: What size are these? How long will they stay frozen? What's the best way to cook them?

Shrimp is popular year-round; it's America's most-consumed seafood, according to the National Fisheries Institute.

What's great about having a stash of frozen shrimp in the freezer: You can whip up a quick appetizer or dinner. Because of their small size, shrimp thaw quickly.

At most grocery stores and seafood markets, there are many size options for shrimp. There also is often the choice between wild-caught or farm-raised. I prefer wild-caught shrimp because I find its flavor sweeter.

Shrimp are typically categorized by how many will comprise one pound. The count number is usually listed on the package or a label at the seafood counter. Sometimes shrimp will be labeled as colossal, jumbo, extra-large, large, medium or small. A versatile size for shrimp is 21-25 per pound. That will generally work for appetizers or main dishes.

Perhaps the biggest turnoff with shrimp is the dark vein that runs along the back. This vein is the animal's digestive tract. It's best to

remove it before using. To remove, using small scissors, cut a slit through the shell and just a bit into the flesh along the back. It's best to expose the vein without cutting too deep into the flesh. Use the tip of the scissors to remove and discard the vein. For shrimp that's already shelled, use a paring knife to cut a small slit along the back.

If you're squeamish about the vein you can buy them already deveined and partially peeled. Look for EZ peel on the package.

If your shrimp were bought fresh or frozen, they will keep three to 12 months in the freezer, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

Shrimp take to a variety of cooking methods: grilling, baking, broiling, roasting, steaming and sauteing. Avoid overcooking, or they will be tough. When I roast or bake a whole sheet pan of 21-25 count shrimp, it takes about 8 to 10 minutes. When finished, they should be opaque with some pink to them. With other methods, cook shrimp until they become pink.

Many times I brine shrimp in a saltwater solution before cooking. This plumps them up a bit and makes them juicy. To brine a pound of shrimp, mix 1 gallon water with a half-cup of kosher salt. Add shrimp and brine in the refrigerator about 1-2 hours.

Sometimes shrimp get a bad rap for their high cholesterol. But it's important to note that they are low in fat, including artery-clogging saturated fat.

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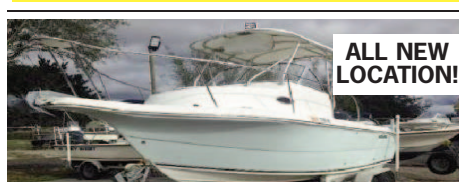
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- 1 tbsp chopped fresh parsley

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## SOLUNAR TABLES

### What is a solunar table?

The sun and moon, even when they are out of sight, exert forces wild creatures can feel. These forces affect when fish and other animals feed. Weather and tide also play a role, but expect fish to be more active during the major and minor solunar times.

### THURSDAY

Sunrise: 06:36  
Sunset: 20:14  
Moonrise: 15:51  
Moonset: 03:36  
**Moon Phase**  
75% waxing  
**Major Times**  
21:02 - 23:08  
08:40 - 10:42  
**Minor Times**  
02:53 - 03:53  
15:21 - 16:25  
**Prediction: Average**

### FRIDAY

Sunrise: 06:36  
Sunset: 20:14  
Moonrise: 16:47  
Moonset: 04:12  
**Moon Phase**  
84% waxing  
**Major Times**  
21:48 - 23:54  
09:27 - 11:29  
**Minor Times**  
03:40 - 04:40  
16:08 - 17:12  
**Prediction: Poor**

### SATURDAY

Sunrise: 06:35  
Sunset: 20:15  
Moonrise: 17:44  
Moonset: 04:49  
**Moon Phase**  
91% waxing  
**Major Times**  
22:35 - 00:41  
10:13 - 12:15  
**Minor Times**  
04:26 - 05:26  
16:54 - 17:58  
**Prediction: Average**

### SUNDAY

Sunrise: 06:35  
Sunset: 20:15  
Moonrise: 18:39  
Moonset: 05:27  
**Moon Phase**  
96% waxing  
**Major Times**  
— — —  
11:00 - 13:02  
**Minor Times**  
05:18 - 06:22  
16:50 - 17:50  
**Prediction: Average**

### MONDAY

Sunrise: 06:35  
Sunset: 20:16  
Moonrise: 19:34  
Moonset: 06:05  
**Moon Phase**  
99% waxing  
**Major Times**  
23:21 - 01:27  
11:47 - 13:49  
**Minor Times**  
06:04 - 07:08  
17:36 - 18:36  
**Prediction: Average**

### TUESDAY

Sunrise: 06:35  
Sunset: 20:16  
Moonrise: 20:28  
Moonset: 06:45  
**Moon Phase**  
Full moon  
**Major Times**  
00:09 - 02:15  
12:34 - 14:36  
**Minor Times**  
06:52 - 07:56  
18:24 - 19:24  
**Prediction: Good**

### WEDNESDAY

Sunrise: 06:34  
Sunset: 20:17  
Moonrise: 21:21  
Moonset: 07:29  
**Moon Phase**  
98% waning  
**Major Times**  
00:57 - 03:03  
13:23 - 15:25  
**Minor Times**  
07:40 - 08:44  
19:12 - 20:12  
**Prediction: Good**

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### WHAT A CRAPPIE CATCH



On May 15, a 5-pound, 7.68-ounce black crappie was caught in a pond in Philadelphia, Tenn., by Lionel "Jam" Ferguson, which eclipsed the world record 5-pound black crappie caught on a private lake in Missouri in 2006, according to the International Game Fish Association. The previous black crappie record in Tennessee was 4 pounds, 4 ounces, caught in 1985 in Brown's Creek Lake in Henderson. Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency officer Anthony Chitwood met with Ferguson after Ferguson caught the crappie and accompanied him to a nearby boat ramp to have the fish weighed on scales used in bass tournaments. After realizing the fish might be a world record it was then taken to be weighed on certified scales. The following day TWRA fisheries biologist John Hammonds visually inspected the fish and verified it as a black crappie. In order to rule out the chance of it being a hybrid between a black and white crappie, Hammonds took a fin clipping that is undergoing DNA testing, which will take a few weeks. Ferguson already has delivered the fish to a taxidermist for mounting.

### MINN. WALLEYE RECORD FALLS

**BISMARCK, N.D. (AP)** — North Dakota's record for largest walleye caught by a recreational angler had stood for nearly six decades. In about a minute, Neal Leier bested it. Leier was fishing May 18 with his brother and uncle on the Missouri River when he hauled in a 15-pound, 13-ounce walleye near the Fox Island boat ramp. "My brother said, 'There's some fish down there,' so I grabbed a plastic (bait), threw the line in, and boom!" Leier said. "It hit, and it hit hard, but it didn't fight a lot. Took me about a minute to bring it in. It just drug in like a log." Leier's whopper broke North Dakota's longest-standing fish record, according to the state Game and Fish Department. The previous record walleye was a fish from Wood Lake landed by Blair Chapman of Minnewaukan in January 1959. Many anglers believed that wasn't the true record — that Chapman didn't catch the fish but instead found it dead, or that it wasn't as big as claimed. There were no state-certified scales at the time, and no photos exist of the fish. Chapman's son, Blair Chapman Jr., in the past has publicly said that the fish was found dead. The family told The Associated Press in 2014 that it was no longer interested in discussing the story. Now that's it's an official state record, Leier plans to have it stuffed and mounted so he can proudly display it. "Hopefully in the house," he said with a laugh. "My wife wants me to put it in the garage, but I've got a spot picked out in the house."

### FISH OK DURING PREGNANCY

A major study examining the fish-eating habits of pregnant women has found that they are not linked to autism or autistic traits in their children. Scientists at the University of Bristol looked at the assumption that mercury exposure during pregnancy is a major cause of autism using evidence from nearly 4,500

women who took part in the Children of the 90s study. Using analysis of blood samples, reported fish consumption and information on autism and autistic traits from one of the largest longitudinal studies to date, researchers found no links between levels of mercury in the mothers and autism or autistic traits in their children. The only adverse effect of mercury found was poor social cognition if mothers ate no fish at all, especially for girls. Lead author and founder of the Children of the 90s study Professor Jean Golding commented: "Our findings further endorse the safety of eating fish during pregnancy. Importantly we've found no evidence at all to support claims that mercury is involved in the development of autism or autistic traits. This adds to a body of work that endorses the eating of fish during pregnancy for a good nutritional start to life with at least two fish meals a week."



### LOBSTERMEN FRET TRADE WAR



Maine lobster dealers are among a group of U.S. seafood exporters asking federal authorities to keep its industry out of the brewing U.S.-China trade war, arguing that putting a tariff on Chinese seafood would likely result in painful retaliation against U.S. exports. Such retaliation would hurt Alaskan fishermen and Maine lobstermen most, industry leaders say. "Not only because China is a crucial current and future market for U.S. fish, but also because there is no ready substitute for the China market," said John Connelly, president of the National Fisheries Institute, in testimony to the U.S. trade representative. Connelly was one of a half-dozen seafood industry leaders to oppose a recent proposal from six shrimp-producing states to levy a tariff on Chinese shrimp imports. They claimed it was unfair to drag seafood into a trade battle that began over intellectual property rights. Most importantly, they worry about the impact of retaliatory seafood tariffs, especially for lobster. In 2017, U.S. lobster exports to China were worth more than \$90.2 million and rising, Annie Tselikis, executive director of the Maine Lobster Dealers Association, said in written testimony. That's 125 times bigger than it was just a decade earlier, she said. In 2017, China imported 17.8 million pounds of U.S. lobster, an amount that has gone up about 20 percent

every year since 2010. China's middle class, which is 300 million strong, see lobster as a celebratory food that represents their rising fortunes and wealth.

### THE CUTEST FISHERMAN

An Australian family fishing along a river captured video of the moment a curious koala walked up to an unattended pole to do some fishing of its own. The video, recorded last week in Strathmerton, Victoria, shows the koala investigating a fishing pole that had been left unattended in a rod holder on the shore of the Murray River. The video shows the koala grip the rod with its hands as if it was fishing like a human. "Catch anything today, mate?" the filmer asks the marsupial. "Just another day in Australia." "While fishing along the Murray River a friendly koala joint our family for a fish. It sat itself on the rod holder, grasped the rod in its hands and went fishing for 2-3 hours. Only in Australia!" the filmer wrote. See the video at <https://goo.gl/nqwrqf>.

### WHITE SHARK MYSTERY

Every year for more than 20 years, scientists have been tagging great white sharks in the Monterey Bay area. And every year, those sharks migrate to a specific spot more than 1,200 miles offshore that's long been considered an oceanic desert. Scientists believed the sharks were going there to either mate or take advantage of a food source, and they called it the White Shark Cafe. "We've studied these sharks for nearly 20 years, and they've told us consistently that the White Shark Cafe is a really important place in the ocean — but we've never known why," Dr. Salvador Jorgensen, a senior research scientist and lead shark researcher at Monterey Bay Aquarium, said in a news release. On April 20, a team of scientists from Stanford University, the Monterey Bay Aquarium, the University of Delaware, NOAA's Office of Ocean Exploration and Research and the Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute set sail from Honolulu for the White Shark Cafe, hoping to begin unraveling the mystery in a monthlong expedition. And they found that the cafe, which has also been referred to as the "Burning Man" for sharks, isn't a desert at all — far from it. In a panel discussion hosted by the Aspen Institute, Stanford University marine biologist Barbara Block, who led the expedition, said they collected a "treasure trove of data," including information about oceanography in the cafe, currents and chemistry. Scientists also found a layer of carbon, which helps support marine life, about 100 meters below the surface, Block said. Since it was so far below the surface, satellites wouldn't have been able to see it. That carbon layer helps support the sharks' prey. The team also recorded mako, ahi and blue sharks in the cafe area.



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