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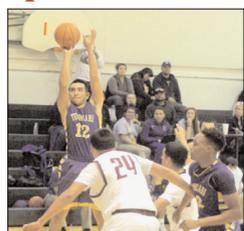


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Judge Garnett stepped down

□ A single-engine plane made emergency landing on Interstate 40.

The following is a continuation of the top stories and photos published in the Quay County Sun in 2016:

Local/state government

■ Despite a threat of recall by a county resident and public objection by several residents, Tucumcari city commissioners approved an ordinance placing a six-per-year limit on the number of garage sales residents can conduct a year during their June 23 meeting.

In April, Tucumcari resident Dena Mericle had started an online petition against the proposed ordinance.

Mericle, who resides just outside the city limits, said if there were no yard sales, then people would be prompted to leave to another town for yard sales then would proceed to buy their groceries and other needs out of town. She said if there is an issue of people operating a second-hand store and calling it a garage sale, the commission should target them, not the community as a whole.

The proposed change to the municipal code would require residents to obtain a permit at no cost from the city in order to hold a

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File photo: Thomas Garcia

Law officers secure the scene of an emergency landing of a single-engine plane April 13 on Interstate 40 west of Tucumcari.



File photos: Thomas Garcia

Above: Molten iron splashes from the mold at the 18th annual Iron Pour on March 8 at Mesalands Community College. D'Jean Jawrunner, Mesalands' fine arts faculty member, oversaw the pouring of the molten metal.

Left: Kimber Eastwood stands atop the Longhorn "Vegas" after the Tucumcari Rawhide Days parade on April 16.



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Benavidez



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Try, try again

□ Locals share their resolution stumbling blocks.

By Thomas Garcia
QCS SENIOR WRITER

A new year means resolution time — only this year, instead of asking people what resolutions they are making for the 2017 year, we asked locals what resolution they have had a difficulty living up to.

Name: Georgia Lujan
What is your failed resolution?

Losing weight. Every year I start out doing good for the first three months. I eat right and exercise and even count calories. I slowly begin to progress back to bad habits. I will start slacking off on the exercise and will eat something unhealthy, saying to myself "I'll make it up tomorrow," only I never do. Sometimes life happens, and I don't have time in my schedule to stick to a diet plan.

How can you make your resolution outcome different this year?

To make this stick this year, I have to look at it not as a resolution but as a

lifestyle change. I can't think of it as a resolution but as a goal that I must reach to have a better life. This is not something that I can make up later; I need to make this happen now.

Name: Cynthia Benavidez
What is your failed resolution?

Stop drinking sodas. For the past seven years, I have tried to stop drinking soda. I have failed each year. It probably doesn't help that I have access to soda every day at work.

How can you make your resolution outcome different this year?

I have to be strong and not give in so easily. It is too easy for me to give in and get a cup of that sweet soda. I need to have some willpower and avoid the temptation. I will be drinking lots of water and tea. As long as I keep reminding myself that soda is bad, I may have a chance this year.

Name: Melissa Foster

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ENERCON selected to explore borehole field test possibility

□ Nara Visa site being considered.

By Thomas Garcia and Steve Hansen
QUAY COUNTY SUN

The U.S. Department of Energy selected ENERCON as one of two companies to begin exploring the possibility of conducting a deep borehole field test in New Mexico, according to a press release from the DOE.

ENERCON's selection was announced on Dec. 19 in a release from DOE Under Secretary for Science and Energy Lynn Orr.

Four companies were selected to begin exploring the possibility of conducting a deep borehole field test with only one site being chosen for the actual field test, said Chip Cameron, ENERCON spokesman, who said the first phase of the project will focus on the feasibility of conducting the deep borehole drilling in Nara Visa.

Cameron said ENERCON plans to conduct a lot of outreach in January and February with local residents and government entities.

He said the main goal at this point is to keep the public informed about all that is going on with the project, and the public support of the project is crucial for

successful consideration of Nara Visa as the actual drill site.

Cameron said the selection for the drilling project will not take place until phase four. He said the DOE will examine the data from the four selection sites and determine which presents the best conditions for the borehole field test.

Officials with Atlanta-based ENERCON Federal Services and DOSECC Exploration Services of Salt Lake City met in October with residents of Nara Visa about the proposed drilling of exploratory three-mile-deep boreholes in the Nara Visa area for the U.S. DOE.

Deep boreholes are narrow, vertical holes drilled deep into the earth, in this case to a depth of approximately three miles below the earth's surface. The department is partnering with companies to study the feasibility of engineering deep boreholes. One of the field test's main purposes is to collect data on the type of rocks, the chemistry of the water, the depths to these rocks and water, the temperature of the rocks and other geologic data to see if nuclear waste disposal is

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What's happening

Monday
 Quay County Commission: 9 a.m., Quay County Courthouse

Jan. 12
 City Commission Work Session: 5 p.m., Tucumcari City Hall
 City Commission: 6 p.m., Tucumcari City Hall

Support groups
 Alcoholics Anonymous unity group: 7 p.m.

Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays 1704 S. Fourth St.
 Alcoholics Anonymous and Narcotics Anonymous: 7 p.m., Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays 1704 S. Fourth St.

To list items in the calendar, email tgarcia@qcsunonline.com or call 575-461-1952. The deadline is 10 a.m. Monday.

Senior menus

The following are the menus for the Tucumcari and Logan senior centers and schools in Quay County for today through Jan. 11:

Coffee, tea and milk served daily
Thursday: Chili relleno, salad with dressing, pinto beans, crackers, fruit cocktail
Friday: Pork posole, spinach salad, pinto beans,

flour tortilla, strawberries and peaches
Monday: Round steak with mushroom gravy, broccoli, baked potato, margarine, whole wheat roll, banana pudding
Tuesday: Chicken fajita, chili beans with cheese, Jell-O, orange slices
Wednesday: Spaghetti, salad with dressing, spinach, garlic bread, pear cobbler

School menus

The following are the menus for the Tucumcari and Logan senior centers and schools in Quay County for today through Jan. 11:

juice and milk
 Lunch: Chicken wrap, macaroni and cheese, pinto beans, fruit, milk

San Jon

Thursday
 Breakfast: Cereal, muffins, fruit, milk
 Lunch: Chicken taco, crackers, brownie, salad, fruit, milk

Monday

Breakfast: Pancakes, toast, fruit, milk
 Lunch: Hot dog, baked beans, baked chips, cauliflower, fruit, milk

Tuesday

Breakfast: Cereal, toast, fruit, milk
 Lunch: Beef stew, corn bread, brownie, salad, fruit, milk

Wednesday

Breakfast: Breakfast burrito, fruit, milk
 Lunch: Chicken enchiladas, crackers, refried beans, fruit, milk

House

Thursday

Breakfast: Breakfast burrito, cereal, yogurt, variety of juice and milk
 Lunch: Corn dog, carrots, fruit, milk

Monday

Breakfast: French toast sticks, cereal, yogurt, variety of juice and milk
 Lunch: Chalupas, rice, corn, fruit, milk

Tuesday

Breakfast: Sausage biscuit, cereal, yogurt, variety of juice and milk
 Lunch: Salisbury steak with brown gravy, peas and carrots, fruit, milk

Wednesday

Breakfast: Breakfast bar, cereal, yogurt, variety of

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What is your failed resolution?

Quitting smoking. I have been trying for five years to put the cigarettes down. It is a horrible habit; I need to stop. A lot of the problem is the mental portion of the addiction.

How can you make your resolution outcome different this year?

This year I have been mentally preparing to stop smoking. If you are not mentally prepared then it is so easy to relapse. I know that there will be stress and other situations that will want to make me smoke. I have to remind myself why I am doing this. That reason being, to live a healthier and longer life.

Can't believe anything Trump says

In the third paragraph of his Dec. 28 column, Rube Render states: "The insinuation that an American president would instigate a terrorist attack on our country borders on indicting him as a traitor and is inexcusable."

Coming up with a "pants on fire" statement in the beginning of an article is about par for conservatives but way below Trump's average.

Paul Krugman made no such insinuation; he stated that Bush benefited from the 9/11 attack. The "pants on fire" statement is further enhanced in the fourth paragraph by saying the New York Times allowed the outlandish slander to be published.

The NYT has the ability to read and is dedicated to truth, not ideology. Trump knows more about the war

than the generals, more about intelligence than the CIA, lips off about everything.

I cannot imagine why anyone would believe anything Donald Trump had to say. He told more lies than the last three presidential campaigns combined.

Antics against Trump intolerable? Republicans spent eight years investigating Clinton for corruption and came up with zilch. James Comey, FBI director, previously worked for the Whitewater committee that spent seven years investigating a failed land deal.

Remember the "murder investigation" of an employee that the Clintons were supposed to have engineered? Results — nada.

Trump praises Putin, believes him over our intelligence agencies. Trump

the chump — how absurd.

Most of Trump's appointees are opposed to the reason the agencies were established. Trump changed his mind about announcing how he was going to solve the problem of the presidency and his businesses. Some prominent Republicans proposed changing the ethics to accommodate his majesty. Trump is the only one who can solve this problem or exacerbate it.



Letters to the Editor

Leon Logan Tucumcari

Presbyterian Health gets new vice president

STAFF REPORT

ALBUQUERQUE — Presbyterian Healthcare Services has a new vice president of regional operations, according to a press release from the health care provider.

Troy Clark previously acted as executive director

of strategic finance and director of finance for Presbyterian. He joined the provider in 2014, the release said.

Clark will oversee Plains Regional Medical Center in Clovis and Dr. Dan C. Trigg Memorial Hospital in Tucumcari, the release said. He also oversees

Presbyterian Espanola Hospital, Socorro General Hospital and Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso.

"In addition to his finance experience, Troy brings to Presbyterian more than 20 years of experience managing various healthcare acquisitions and start-up

operations," the release said.

"Troy brings a wealth of healthcare finance and administration experience to this role," Vice President of Presbyterian Delivery System Operations Sandy Podley said in the release. "We know that these hospitals will continue to thrive under his leadership."

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feasible in this kind of geology.

However, Marc Eckles,

program manager for DOSECC and ENERCON President Peter Mast ensured area residents around Nara Visa and the Quay County Commission that no nuclear waste will be involved in their drilling.

Eckles said the DOE would look at the viability of disposing of waste generated at nuclear weapons production facilities in boreholes drilled into granite miles below the surface. However, he added, the borehole in Nara Visa will be for research only, and no nuclear waste will be involved in the testing, which had concerned some area residents.

Eckles said the energy department knows "this project cannot succeed without the community's support."

"Residents can get apprehensive when you start talking about waste disposal. It doesn't exactly help that this project is being conducted by the same agency responsible for nuclear waste disposal," he said.

Eckles said the project will take all precautions to avoid contaminating groundwater.

Mast said project man-

agers will obtain all federal, state and local permits and follow all regulations.

Eckles said the main problem he can foresee is collapsing walls in the boreholes' lowest depths.

He said the project would create up to five jobs for the drilling, produce gross receipts tax revenue and supplies would be purchased from local retailers.

Mast said both companies will try to hire local residents wherever possible.

He said the bidding process is likely to take a year, which will include community relations, permitting and regulatory compliance and detailed planning. He said DOE also wants to learn whether highly radioactive used fuel from commercial nuclear power plants could be stored permanently in these ultra-deep boreholes. Enercon will oversee the project, including community relations and regulatory and permitting matters, while DOSECC will conduct the actual drilling, Mast added.

Over the project's two years, Mast said, it could inject \$30 million to \$40 million into the county's economy.

The project would include the drilling of one or two boreholes, each of which would be about three miles deep, said DOSECC's president, Dennis Nielson.

Nielson said the first would be 8 1/2 inches wide. If successful, a second three-mile-deep borehole, 17 inches wide, would be drilled nearby.

According to the release, the DOE's goal is to evaluate whether deep boreholes might offer a safe and practical alternative to mined geologic repositories for smaller forms of nuclear waste.

"In closing, I want to recognize that anytime a community hears about a Federal government project involving the words 'nuclear waste,' questions and concerns understandably arise," Orr said. "That's why DOE has strengthened this project's contract provisions to make completely clear that it will not involve the handling, treatment or disposition of any nuclear waste."

Actual drilling, he said, is likely to begin in early 2018.

What's Happening at Wheatfields!

January Events

2nd Café Grand opening - at 12:45 - friends and family
 6th New Year New Home Tour - Come and tour Wheatfields and learn how you can get \$600 off rent.
 10th Meet the team Lunch - Medical Professionals, Non Profits organizations welcome.
 11th Tea at Two celebrating national hot tea month. We will be hosting a tea party- RSVP
 14th Bereavement group at 10:00
 17th Pink Ladies Lunch. Celebrating our volunteers that wear pink. Clovis and Portales -RSVP
 19th Spotlight Dinner - National soup month, we will have a soup buffet. Friends and family welcome.

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Review

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garage, rummage or yard sale, said City Manager Jared Langenegger.

■ After more than nine years as Quay County magistrate judge Joel Garnett traded a docket full of cases for spending time with his grandchildren at the end of September.

“After 34 years of law enforcement and serving the residents of Quay County, I am ready to give retirement a try,” Garnett said.

Garnett said he began his law career with the Quay County Sheriff’s Office, moved to the 10th Judicial District Attorney’s Office and rounded it out as magistrate judge.

Sept. 30 was Garnett’s last official day as judge.

Timothy “TJ” O’Quinn, 34, was named the new Quay County Magistrate Court judge November.

On Nov. 4, Gov. Susana Martinez announced the appointment of O’Quinn to fill the vacancy left by Garnett.

Nov. 28 was his official starting date as a judge.

■ After 24 years of law enforcement, including seven as Tucumcari’s police chief, Jason Braziel retired November.

Braziel’s last day was Nov. 21.

Other news

■ Interstate-40 traffic was a bit more congested than usual on April 13 as an Indiana couple landed their single-engine airplane on the median about 15 miles west of Tucumcari after losing power.

Ronald and Bernadette Beyers were flying to their home in West Lafayette, Indiana, from Mesa, Arizona, when their 1958 Piper Comanche lost power.

Ronald Beyers said he was focused on landing the plane in the dirt median between the eastbound and westbound highways, and he did not notice if there was any other traffic.

New Mexico State Police reported there were no injuries related to the incident.

■ A summertime Grinch stole toys and equipment from the playground of a local daycare on June. 20

Someone stole two tricycles and sports equipment that were bought with the money from a fundraiser held earlier in the year, according to Michelle Chavez, owner of Turquoise Child Development Center in Tucumcari.

Chavez said someone had jumped the fence, landed on the roof of one of the playhouses and collapsed it to gain access to the playground. She said the person or persons then removed the metal tricycles and several sports equipment items, including soccer balls, footballs, basketballs and baseball bats.

■ Logan police officers shot a black bear to death on June 6, saying they did so in the interest of public safety.

Officers located the bear about 9:30 p.m. June 6 in a tree in the neighborhood of Perch and Sunfish in the village of Logan, according to Logan Police Chief Bob Gore.

Gore said two bears had been reported in neighborhoods near Ute Lake State Park in the past week. Officials had made several unsuccessful attempts to locate the bears prior to that day.

Gore said New Mexico Department of Game and Fish officials advised police to put the animal down.

Gore said the bear had been spotted on a picnic table and was rummaging through the garbage of several residences, but there had not been any reports of the bear attacking any humans or animals prior to it being killed.

Dan Williams, spokesman for Game and Fish, said that once a bear begins to eat “human food,” the activity becomes a habitual occurrence that could result in an encounter with humans. He

said the animal was showing no fear of humans and had been spotted several times in residential areas.

Local events

■ A week filled with myriad artistic styles, meticulous planning and the camaraderie of kindred spirits from all walks culminated the night of March 11 with the pouring of 6,000 pounds of molten iron at Mesalands Community College.

Shouts of joy filled the air as the first stream of fiery liquid poured out of the blast furnace “Peechy Keen” from the Keen Foundry in Houston into the buckets at the 18th annual Iron Pour.

This was the largest pour done in the history of the event, according to D’Jean Jawrunner, Mesalands’ fine arts faculty member and the creator of the college’s Iron Pour.

The pour lasted 5 1/2 hours.

■ Cowboys and cowgirls and the smell of food cooking in cast iron skillets and Dutch ovens overwhelmed the visitors on April 23 at Ute Lake State Park in Logan.

Each year residents are drawn to the 16th annual Chuckwagon Cookoff featuring Old West chuckwagon cooking, according to Sharon Reid, event coordinator.

“It’s a family affair,” said Walter Bressler, from Rising W Chuckwagon out of Happy, Texas.

Each year, the chuckwagons compete in cooking a meal in cast-iron skillets and Dutch ovens over a campfire. The entries, chicken fried steaks, potatoes, beans biscuits or roll and apple cobbler are blind judged with the top five wagons in each food category receiving cash prizes.

■ Two days of festivities across the community, three families of “Rawhide” stars and more than 2,000 attendees have the Rawhide Days Festival coordinators looking toward next year’s event.

Event founder Karen Alarcon said she was ecstatic and almost in tears as she rode in the Saturday parade in April along Route 66 in Tucumcari.

Alarcon said the parade was the final milestone in a dream come true in a concept that began with a simple question one year ago.

The inaugural Rawhide Days Festival was held April 15 and April 16 with events at both the Tucumcari Convention Center and Tucumcari Historical Museum.

Residents and visitors enjoyed gunfighter shows, trick ropers, vendors, performances by state and Nashville artist all celebrating the TV series “Rawhide” and the heritage of the Old West.

Special guests Shirley Brinegar, widow of Paul Brinegar, Kimber Eastwood, daughter of Clint Eastwood and Chrystie Wooley, daughter of Sheb Wooley, took part in the events.

■ Twenty-three bands from around the world — including Lee Rocker of the Stray Cats — classic cars, a pin-up contest and vendors drew more than 3,500 people to Tucumcari for the fourth annual Rockabilly on the Route June 2- June 5.

“Lee Rocker was amazing; he is a very genuine person, and it was awesome to have him perform at Rockabilly on the Route,” said Simon Cantlon, event co-founder.

“Each year the city welcomes visitors to Tucumcari to celebrate the spirit of Route 66 and Rockabilly,” said Mayor Ruth Ann Litchfield.

Events featured three nights of concerts at the convention center as well as live music performances across the city.

Litchfield said the venues throughout the town helped boost the local economy through sales at local merchants and gross receipt taxes.

■ Another successful

Rattler Reunion came and went this year with more than 400 alumni returning to Tucumcari to “Return to the 80s.”

The host class for the reunion was the Tucumcari High School Class of 1986.

Christine Montano, who said she has attended the reunion in the past, said so many people helped to make the reunion a success for the host class.

The 45th annual reunion was the last for alumni board member Norma Jean Crellin, who said she stepped in 16 years ago to form a corporation and create a non-profit foundation to better run the reunion.

Crellin said she feels it is time for someone else to step in and run the foundation.

“All of the smiles and seeing old friends reunite has made all the work worthwhile,” Crellin said.

■ The crowning of local legend royalty, molten artwork and fire dancers drew more than 2,000 people to downtown Tucumcari on a September weekend.

Porfy Martinez and Abigail Lucero were crowned as Prince Tocom and Princess Cari on Sept. 24 at the sixth annual Fired Up!

The crowning of young royalty was one of the main events for the weekend festivities.

Martinez, son of Porfy and Jessica Martinez, and Lucero, daughter of Scotty and Amber Lucero were among 10 youth that competed in the contest.

Christine Montano, event coordinator, said the public’s response to the event was lower than last year, but overall, it was a successful event.

Making its debut this year was the molten metal pour



File photo: Thomas Garcia

Lee Rocker of the Stray Cats performs on June 4 during the Tucumcari fourth annual Rockabilly on the Route that drew more than 3,500 people to town.

conducted by the faculty and students of Mesalands Community College’s fine arts program.

Joel Kiser, a fine arts faculty member, said the aluminum was poured into the sand tiles that were made

and designed by the students of the dual enrollment program at Mesalands, adding that the tiles took two hours to cool, giving the crowd the opportunity to see the pour and the reveal.

Obituaries

Albert J. Mirabal

(May 24, 1933 - December 30, 2016)

Albert J. Mirabal, age 83, long time Tucumcari resident, passed away in Clovis, NM on Friday, December 30, 2016 following an extended illness.

Albert was born May 24, 1933, at Pastura, NM. He had been a farmer all of his life.

Surviving him is his wife, Priscilla of the home at Tucumcari. His children; Rose Quintana of Tucumcari and Albert T. Mirabal of Hugoton, KS. Seven Grandchildren and nine Great-grandchildren. Also, are his siblings; Lucy Kirby, Jane Anaya and Toni Chavez.

Graveside services celebrating his life were Monday, December 2, 2017 at the Newkirk Cemetery at Newkirk, NM, beginning at 1:00 PM. Pall bearers are Dominic, Matthew and Joseph Quintana, Quinten and Michael Mirabal and Casey Gonzales. Honorary bearers are Charlie Moya, Ralph Moya, Howard Moya, Corey and Nichole Mirabal. Burial followed in the family plot of the Newkirk Cemetery.

Arrangements entrusted to Dunn Funeral Home of Tucumcari New Mexico.

Geral D. Kinkade

April 29, 1930 – December 24, 2016

Geral D. Kinkade, 86, of Logan NM, entered the pearly gates of heaven on December 24, 2016, to join his beautiful wife for Christmas. He passed away at the hospital in Tucumcari, NM. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Geral Kinkade was born April 29th, 1930, in Clovis NM to Jonathan Lawson Kinkade and Nellie May Louderback. He was a sibling of 15 children. He served as Private First Class in the US Army from 1951 to 1953 in the 28th Infantry Division Bloody Bucket, 1st Calvary. He married his beautiful wife Barbara Jean England on March 28th, 1963. He grew up and worked in the golf course industry from Colorado to all over New Mexico. He is mentioned every month in the US Superintendent Golf Course Association. He enjoyed creating a healthy green place for people to enjoy.

He is a lifetime member of the Local VFW and the American Legion Post 77. Geral had a wonderful wife and boys, whom became fine men with many good friends.

Survivors include: his sons; Drury J Kinkade of Tucumcari, NM and Darrell R Kinkade and fiancé Sherry of Ponca City, OK; 5 grandchildren; and a sister Teresa Cruze.

He is preceded in death by; his father Jonathan Kinkade; his mother Nellie Kinkade; his wife Barbara Kinkade and his granddaughter Chellsey Riley.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Muffley Funeral Home & High Plains Crematory. 575 762-4435 muffleyfuneralhome.com



Sharon Lee Lucero-Cartwright

December 23, 1960 – December 22, 2016

Sharon Lee Lucero-Cartwright age 55, a resident of Tucumcari, passed away Thursday, December 22, 2016, in Amarillo, TX at the North West Hospital following an extended illness.

Shari was born December 23, 1960 in Tucumcari, NM. Shari was a mother, grandmother, sister, aunt and friend. She loved spending time with her grandchildren and loved babysitting her great nephews and nieces. Shari was active in all sports. She was a graduate from THS. She worked in construction and as a substitute teacher. She was a member of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary Post 2528.

Surviving Shari are two daughters, Tinicka and husband Richard Lopez of Tucumcari, NM and Jocelin Martinez of Albuquerque, NM; one son, Jason Lucero of Tucumcari, NM; six grandchildren, Andrew Lujan, Antonio and Alejandro Lopez; Elijah, Alyssa and Natalia Martinez; four brothers, Sammy Lucero and wife Carla of Erie, PA, Tony Lucero and wife Lola of Tucumcari, NM, Louie Lucero and wife Helen of Alaska and David Lucero of Las Vegas, NM; five sisters, Vicky Jimenez and husband Felix, Edith Lucero and Christy Garcia all of Tucumcari, Yolanda Lucero of Amarillo, TX, Dorothy Garcia and husband John of El Paso, TX and Laney Greenwood of Amarillo, TX; along with numerous nephews, nieces, great nephews and great nieces.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Juan and Rafaelita Lucero; two brothers, Bobby and Ricky Lucero. Services will be recited at St. Anne’s Catholic Church at 10:00am January 3rd, 2017. Interment will take place in the Tucumcari Memorial Park Cemetery.

Honoree Pall Bearers will be Louie Lucero Jr, JR Jimenez, Tony Lucero Jr, Dennis Garcia and Tony Masacarenas.



John Alexander Mihm

John Alexander Mihm, 50 years old, of Tucumcari, New Mexico, beloved son, brother, uncle, great-uncle, and friend, passed away unexpectedly on Monday, December 19, 2016.

John was born in Malden, Massachusetts and moved to New Mexico as a young child. John received an Associates Degree in Criminal Justice from New Mexico State University and moved to Tucumcari in 2006. John has been an optician since 1986. He was a partner in Buena Vista Laboratories and Optical Retail Shop. John served on the Tucumcari City Commission, was a member of the Knights of Columbus, a Mason, member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Legion, served on the Tucumcari Chamber of Commerce, member of the St. Vincent De Paul Society and St. Anne’s Catholic Church. John was a veteran, and served in the United States Air Force. Everyone who knew John loved him as a dear friend.

Some of his greatest joys were entertaining in his home (especially with home-cooked Italian meals), boating in the summertime, collecting vintage cars, spending holidays and special occasions with his family. He was the first to offer help when anyone was in need.

John is survived by his mother, Joan Boue’ and husband Hudson; sister, Lisa Vellekamp and brother-in-law Phil; niece, Adina Francis and husband Tim; niece, Susanna Reyand husband Isaac; great-nephew Benaiah and great-niece Sofia.

John is preceded in death by his father, John J. Mihm.

A memorial service, celebrating his life, will be held on Saturday January 14, 2017 @ 11:00 AM at the Tucumcari Convention Center~1500 West Route 66~Tucumcari, NM.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to St. Vincent De Paul Society~PO Box 815 , Tucumcari, NM 88401.



Satan's Origins and Power

“Dear brother David: This question came up in discussions. Just where did Satan Come from, and how great is his power? A.R., KY”

We will start by looking at several passages of scripture that tell his story. " And there was war in heaven, Michael and his angels waging war with the dragon. The dragon and his angels waged war, and they were not strong enough there was no longer a place found for them in heaven. And the great dragon was thrown down, the serpent of old who is called the devil and Satan, who deceives the whole world: he was thrown down to the earth and his angels were thrown down with him" (Rev. 12:7-9). Satan lost a cosmic battle in heaven and along with his followers

"And angels who did not keep their own domain, but abandoned their proper abode, He has kept in eternal bonds under darkness for the judgment of the great day" (Jude 6). " For if God did not spare angels when they sinned, but cast them into hell and committed them to pits of darkness, reserved for judgment" (2 Peter 2:4). " You are of your father the devil, and you want to do the desires of your father. He was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth because there is no truth in him. Whenever he speaks a lie, he speaks from his own nature, for he is a liar and the father of lies" (John 8:44). This last statement, made by Jesus, is about the most harsh thing He ever said. His description of Satan tells us that the devil's skills are such that he must have led a rebellion of some sort against God, I and lost that battle. Revelation 12 tells us he confined to the earth (where he can still tempt the children of God). He will be eternally condemned and confined at the last judgment.

Many think the fallen angels serving Satan who were banished to the earth are the demons we read about in Bible times. This might be supported by the demons own statement, "What business do we have with each other, Son of God? Have you come here totortment us before the time?" (Matt. 8:29). The demons knew their time was limited and were as active as the Lord allowed them to be. Through these angels, or demons, Satan was able to torment mankind.

Satan's Power is never equal to that of the Father. He did not have that power before he fell to earth and he only has the power God allows, as the story of Job demonstrates (Job1)/ Better yet, we have this great assurance. "No temptation has overtaken you but such as is common to man: and God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted and beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will provide the way of escape also, so that you will be able to endure it" (1 Cor. 10:13). There is no temptation the devil can throw at us that we cannot withstand. Which means, Satan only has the power we give him when we give in to temptation.

-David Thurman

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Viewpoint

More spending is not going to fix education

It is a cautionary tale, from a respected outside institution, as to the folly of simply throwing money at early childhood education without accountability measures.

Those who would advocate for another raid on the Land Grant Permanent Fund in the name of helping New Mexico's youngest children should take heed. Because so far, spending hundreds of millions of dollars on New Mexico's Head Start has left the Land of Enchantment dead last in the nation when it comes to instructional quality.

And that should come as no surprise, given the dismal proficiency rates of our youngest public school students.

The new report, from Rutgers University's National Institute of Early Education Research, took classroom observations during the 2014-2015 school year and found New Mexico's Head Start program is 50th among the states — yet instead of prompting a demand for accountability, the criticism has already, predictably, prompted a call to spend even more money.

And it's not the first time. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services doles out around \$8 billion a year under Head Start for preschool instruction for low-income children, along with family health and nutrition services. In 2013, a Legislative Finance Committee report showed the \$61 million the federal government spent on New Mexico's Head Start each fiscal year had done nothing to boost third-grade reading and math scores.

Then, as now, there was a call to simply spend more rather than target existing spending to data-driven programs.

By 2014-15, annual federal spending on Head Start in New Mexico had increased to \$78 million — around \$8,387 per child — yet the results show that, in this case, spending more just gets you more of the same.

In a state that dedicates close to half of its budget on K-12 public education, that has increased K-12 spending from \$2.49 billion in 2008 to \$2.75 billion this year, that has boosted the early childhood budget to nearly \$200 million and ranks among the top states with the highest percentage increase of spending on these programs in recent years, it is unconscionable that fewer children can read and do math at grade level than three years ago.

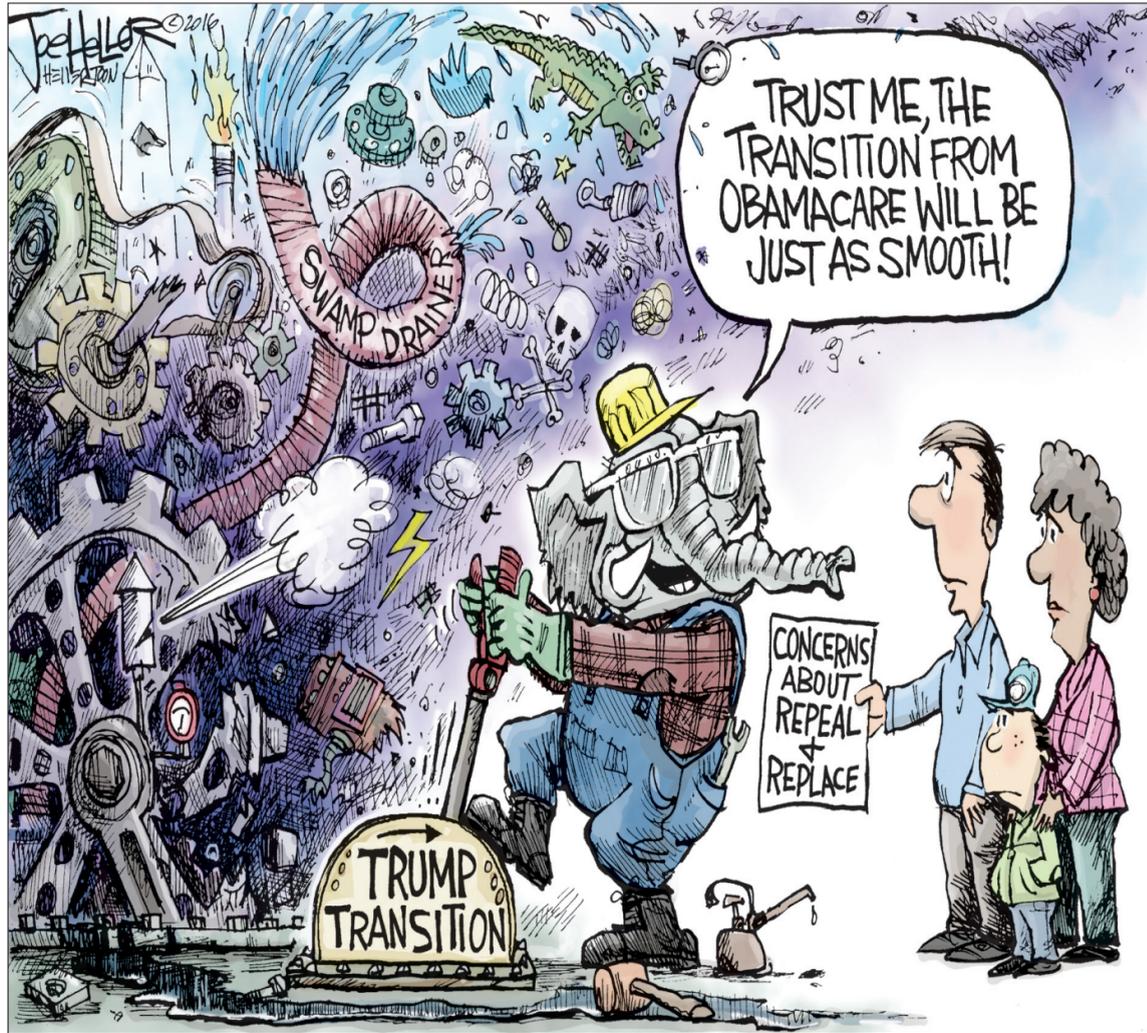
The Rutgers study found just 36 percent of Head Start teachers in the state have bachelor's degrees, compared with the national average of 73 percent. Apologists for the Head Start ranking argue New Mexico needs to spend more on teachers, even though a Legislative Finance Committee report found the state's \$300 million three-tiered licensure system did little to improve student test scores.

Chairman and Sen. John Arthur Smith, D-Deming, said in 2012, "We've rewarded, in many cases, mediocrity, and really haven't accomplished what we set out to do."

Advocates for taking hundreds of millions more out of the state's trust fund for education offer no more than the vague promise of "high-quality early childhood education." That's highly suspect, considering a longitudinal study of what was a promising K-3 Plus program, which extends the school year into the summer months for some of the state's poorest children, found that any gains in math, reading and writing flatten out over time.

Unless and until advocates for spending more on early childhood education can fight data with data — that is, offer a proven program to address New Mexico's abysmal standings in everything from Head Start to student proficiency — they should focus on channeling the hundreds of millions in existing funding to programs that actually work.

— Albuquerque Journal



Mourn, then continue Mihm's work

I was visiting England last week when I learned that John Mihm had died.

His sudden and untimely passing leaves me with a sense of loss.

I was not one of John's close friends, but I was well acquainted with John and admired him and his accomplishments. I had done a little work with John on economic development matters and bought eyeglasses from him.

I also covered the five-person race in which he won his Tucumcari City Commission seat and talked to him often about city business and economic development.

My sense of loss comes from what he had done for the city and his hopes for its future.

John put his money where



Steve Hansen
Local columnist

his mouth was. He didn't talk about bringing new businesses to Tucumcari. He put up pegboards and shelves, added some plumbing and installed lens-making machinery in an abandoned building on Route 66 and started a wholesale eyeglass-lens making operation.

He had customers in several states and was getting ready to expand his business.

He also installed display racks, desks, furniture and

more equipment in the building next door and started selling glasses retail at incredibly low prices to local customers.

He succeeded. In Tucumcari.

John was also a leader among the elected officials, business owners, civil servants and others who would rather pave the way for success in Tucumcari than despair at the loss of past glory.

John was a regular at informal morning sessions at local restaurants and coffee shops where people shared news and information about local business.

He didn't talk about how great things used to be but about how great they were going to be.

He worked and played hard,

served with dedication and loved a good party, especially when he was the host.

He acted on his belief in the city with a lot of energy and spirit. He always had a smile and a contagious sense of humor.

His sudden passing leaves an empty space that will be hard to fill.

We need to pause to mourn John's passing, but then we need to continue what he has done so much to get started in our city.

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Sometimes, the 'news' is just lies

On Nov. 9, the New York Times reported, "Donald Trump was elected the 45th president of the United States on Tuesday in a stunning culmination of an explosive, populist and polarizing campaign that took relentless aim at the institutions and long-held ideals of American democracy."

This is an example of "news."

A man described as a "YouTube star and serial prankster" was recently escorted off an airplane for speaking loudly in Arabic to his mom on his cell phone. Adam Saleh, who claims more than 1.5 million followers on the video site, has also posted a number of videos on YouTube that present titles such as, "Arabs on a Plane" and "Never Wear This on a Plane in America."



Rube Render
Local columnist

On occasion, the regular news media pick up these tidbits and presents them as "news." This is an example of "fake news."

In an effort to create a front page, above-the-fold news story, major media will take what would normally be a mundane story and amplify it to create the appearance of an earth-shaking event.

Two examples of the above are the way print and electronic media portrayed the requested recount of the recent presidential election

and the attempt to overturn the election results in the Electoral College.

While both the requested recount and the appeal to "faithless electors" to change their votes qualify as news, there was never the slightest chance that either the recount or the "faithless elector" ploy would change the election. Those requesting the recount had no official standing to make such a request and 38 electors were never going to change their votes.

This is an example of media trying to turn "news" into "NEWS."

Federal laws governing the handling of classified information are some of the most simple and straight forward regulations published anywhere. The primary reason for this simplicity is that millions of people covered under these

regulations have the potential to be charged with a crime even if they inadvertently mishandle classified material.

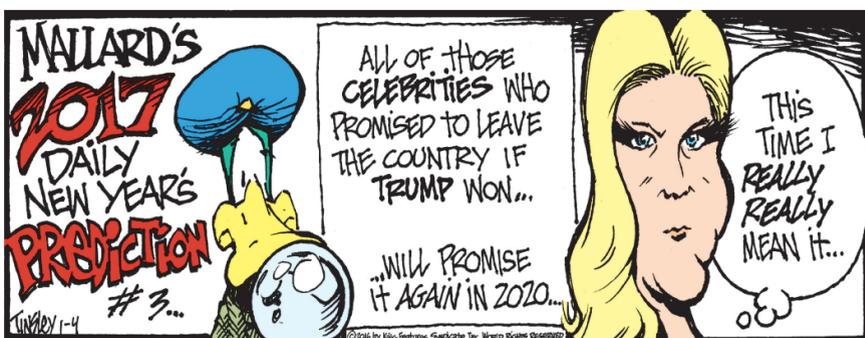
The law states explicitly that the act of mishandling classified information is sufficient to complete the offense. The intent of the person mishandling information is of no consequence.

The sitting president went on television and told the audience that his secretary of state had no intention of harming America, so she could not be guilty of mishandling classified material.

That is not an example of either "news" or "fake news." That is an example of a "damn lie."

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4	MTV	MTV	25	USA	USA Network
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6	KCIT	KCIT-FOX (Amarillo)	28	GALA	Galavision
7	KVII	KVII-ABC (Amarillo)	29	NICK	Nickelodeon
8	KOB	KOB-NBC (Albuquerque)	30	AMC	American Movie Classics
9	KAMR	KAMR-NBC (Amarillo)	33	UNI	Univision
10	KFDA	KFDA-CBS (Amarillo)	34	CNBC	CNBC
11	KENW	KENW (PBS) Portales	35	LIFE	Lifetime Network
12	KOAT	KOAT (ABC) Albuquerque	36	TNT	TNT
13	KRQE	KRQE-CBS (Albuquerque)	37	SPIKE	Spike
14	FSNM	FSN-New Mexico	38	HIST	The History Channel
15	CNN	CNN	39	TOON	Cartoon Network
16	MSNBC	MSNBC	40	HALL	Hallmark Channel
17	KASA	KASA (FOX) Albuquerque	41	SYFY	Syfy
18	MAX	Cinemax	42	DISC	The Discovery Channel
20	TLC	The Learning Channel	44	NBCSN	NBC Sports Network
21	ESPN	ESPN			

THURSDAY PRIME TIME JANUARY 5

	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
2	WGN	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Rules	Rules
3	KVII	Legends "Shogun"	Super. "The Foundry"	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Queens	Queens	Rules	Rules	Rules
4	MTV	Friends 1/2	Friends 2/2	Friends	Friends	Catfish: The TV Show	Catfish: The TV Show	Catfish: The TV Show	Catfish: The TV Show	Catfish: The TV Show
5	TBS	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	Conan	Billy on (N)	Conan	Seinfeld	
6	KCIT	Hell's Kitchen (N)	FOX 14 News at 9	BigBang	Modern	2 1/2 Men	Anger M.	2 1/2 Men	The Insider	
7	KVII	Truth and Lies: The Menendez Brothers (N)	7 Nightside :35 Jimmy Kimmel Live	7 Nightside :35 Jimmy Kimmel Live	35 Nightl.	35 Paid	35 Doctors			
8	KOB	Super (N)	GoodPla (N)	Chicago Med (N)	The Blacklist (N)	News	35 The Tonight Show	35 Late N.		
9	KAMR	Chicago Med (N)	The Blacklist (N)	News	35 The Tonight Show	35 Seth Meyers	35 C. Daly			
10	KFDA	Mom (N)	Pieces (N)	Pure Genius (N)	10 News	35 Stephen Colbert (N)	35 James Corden	35 Million?		
11	KENW	Frontline	Song of the Mountains	Craftsman	Red Green	Infinity Hall Live!	Charlie Rose (N)			
12	KOAT	Baking Show (N)	Truth and Lies: The Menendez Brothers (N)	Pure Genius (N)	Action 7 News Live	35 Jimmy Kimmel Live				
13	KRQE	BigBang (N)	Indoor (N)	Mom (N)	Pieces (N)	Pure Genius (N)	News	35 Stephen Colbert (N)	J.Corden	
14	FSNM	6:30 NBA Basketball Phoenix vs Dallas (L)	Suns Post	Suns Post	Fight Sports: In 60	WPT Poker				
15	CNN	Anderson Cooper 360	CNN Tonight	CNN Tonight	Anderson Cooper 360	Anderson Cooper 360				
16	MSNBC	Rachel Maddow	The Last Word	11th Hour	Hardball	Rachel Maddow	The Last Word			
17	KASA	Hell's Kitchen (N)	Hell's Kitchen (N)	News	News	Simpsons	35 News	35 Tosh.0	35 TMZ	
18	MAX	6:20 P. American Pie	Harold & Kumar Escape From...	Harold & Kumar Escape From...	Search Party	Paranormal Se...				
20	TLC	6:00 My 600-lb Life (N)	Extreme Weight Loss	600 Life: Supersized "Brandi and Kandis' Story" (N)	Extreme Weight Loss					
21	ESPN	NCAA Basketball California at UCLA (L)	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter				
22	HBO	Movie	5:30 Black Mass (15, Cr) Joel Edgerton, Johnny Depp.	5:30 The Blues Brothers John Belushi.						
23	FREE	5:00 The Notebook	Beyond "Pilot"	The 700 Club	5:30 All About Steve	Sandra Bullock.				
24	USA	6:00 Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: S.V.U.	Law & Order: S.V.U.	Shooter "Red on Red"	SVU "Manipulated"				
27	A&E	The First 48 (N)	Nightwatch (N)	5:30 First 48 "Snapshot"	5:30 The First 48					
28	GALA	Vecinos	Familia	P. Luche	Vecinos	Noticias	P. Luche	Maria	La hora	Vecinos
29	NICK	6:30 Diary of a Wimpy...	Friends	Friends	Nashville	Nashville	35 Friends	40 Friends		
30	AMC	6:00 P. Predators Adrien Brody.	Terminator 3: Rise of the Machines	Terminator 3: Rise of the Machines	Red Dawn					
33	UNI	Vino el amor	El color de la pasion	Impacto	Noticie.	Contacto Deportivo	La mujer del Vendaval			
34	CNBC	Shark Tank	Super Rich	Super Rich	Super Rich	Super Rich	Super Rich	Super Rich	Super Rich	Super Rich
35	LIFE	Project Runway (N)	Tiny House Nation (N)	Project Runway: Junior	Project Runway: Junior	Project Runway: Junior				
36	TNT	6:00 NBA Basketball Okl./Hou. (L)	NBA Basketball L.A. Lakers vs Portland (L)	Inside the NBA						
37	SPIKE	6:00 P. *** Shooter (07, Act) Mark Wahlberg.	*** Top Gun (86, Act) Kelly McGillis, Tom Cruise.	*** Top Gun (86, Act) Kelly McGillis, Tom Cruise.	Movie					
38	HIST	Alone (N)	Alone "The Lone Wolf"	Oak Island	55 Oak Isl.	Alone "The Lone Wolf"				
39	TOON	Cleveland	BobBurg.	Amer. Dad	Amer. Dad	Family Guy	Family Guy	Robot	AquaT.	EricAn
40	HALL	The Middle	The Middle	The Middle	The Middle	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	Fraser	Fraser
41	SYFY	6:00 P. *** Oz the Great and Powerful	*** Robin Hood (10, Adv) Cate Blanchett, Russell Crowe.	*** Robin Hood (10, Adv) Cate Blanchett, Russell Crowe.						
42	DISC	6:00 Street Outlaws: Full Throttle (N)	Street Outlaws	Street Outlaws	Street Outlaws	Street Outlaws				
44	NBCSN	6:30 NHL Hockey Buffalo vs Chicago (L)	15 NHL Overtime (L)	Dew Tour	Dew Tour	Dew Tour				

FRIDAY PRIME TIME JANUARY 6

	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
2	WGN	*** Tremors (90, Hor) Kevin Bacon.	*** Tremors (90, Hor) Kevin Bacon.	*** Tremors (90, Hor) Kevin Bacon.	*** Tremors (90, Hor) Kevin Bacon.	*** Tremors (90, Hor) Kevin Bacon.	*** Tremors (90, Hor) Kevin Bacon.	*** Tremors (90, Hor) Kevin Bacon.	*** Tremors (90, Hor) Kevin Bacon.	*** Tremors (90, Hor) Kevin Bacon.
3	KVII	Crazy Ex-Girlfriend (N)	Crazy Ex-Girlfriend (N)	Crazy Ex-Girlfriend (N)	Crazy Ex-Girlfriend (N)	Crazy Ex-Girlfriend (N)	Crazy Ex-Girlfriend (N)	Crazy Ex-Girlfriend (N)	Crazy Ex-Girlfriend (N)	Crazy Ex-Girlfriend (N)
4	MTV	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous
5	TBS	BigBang	BigBang	ELeague "Special" (N)	*** The A-Team (10, Act) Bradley Cooper, Liam Neeson.	*** The A-Team (10, Act) Bradley Cooper, Liam Neeson.	*** The A-Team (10, Act) Bradley Cooper, Liam Neeson.	*** The A-Team (10, Act) Bradley Cooper, Liam Neeson.	*** The A-Team (10, Act) Bradley Cooper, Liam Neeson.	*** The A-Team (10, Act) Bradley Cooper, Liam Neeson.
6	KCIT	Shrek "Columbia" (N)	FOX 14 News at 9	BigBang	Modern	2 1/2 Men	Anger M.	2 1/2 Men	The Insider	
7	KVII	Sleepy Tank (N)	20/20	7 Nightside :35 Jimmy Kimmel Live	35 Nightl.	35 Paid	35 Doctors			
8	KOB	Grimm "Fugitive" (SP)	Emerald City (N)	Emerald City (N)	News	Game Day	45 Tonight	45 Late N.		
9	KAMR	Emerald City (N)	Emerald City (N)	News	35 The Tonight Show	35 Seth Meyers	35 C. Daly			
10	KFDA	Hawaii 5-0 "Ka'aelike" (N)	BlueBlood "Genetics" (N)	10 News	35 Stephen Colbert (N)	35 James Corden	35 Million?			
11	KENW	Market	Wealth	W.Week (N)	CharlieR (N)	Mozart in London	M'piece "Sherlock: A Study in Pink"	Stevens'		
12	KOAT	Last Man	Dr. Ken (N)	Shark Tank (N)	20/20	Action 7 News Live	35 Jimmy Kimmel Live			
13	KRQE	MacGyver (N)	Hawaii 5-0 "Ka'aelike" (N)	BlueBlood "Genetics" (N)	News	35 Stephen Colbert (N)	J.Corden			
14	FSNM	Cronkite	Pre-game	NHL Hockey Arizona Coyotes at Anaheim Ducks (L)	Post-game	Post-game	Polo			
15	CNN	Anderson Cooper 360	CNN Tonight	CNN Tonight	CNN Tonight	A. Bourdain "Nashville"	Anthony Bourdain			
16	MSNBC	Rachel Maddow	Hardball	All in With Chris Hayes	Rachel Maddow	MSNBC Documentary				
17	KASA	Rosewood (N)	Sleepy "Columbia" (N)	News	News	Simpsons	35 News	35 Tosh.0	35 TMZ	
18	MAX	6:20 P. *** Vacation	*** Jurassic World (15, Adv) Chris Pratt.	*** Jurassic World (15, Adv) Chris Pratt.	*** Executive Decision Kurt Russell.					
20	TLC	Paranormal Lock. (N)	Alaska Haunting (N)	Paranormal Lockdown	Alaska Haunting	Paranormal Lockdown				
21	ESPN	6:00 NBA Basketball N.Y./Mil. (L)	NBA Basketball Memphis vs Golden State (L)	SportsCenter						
22	HBO	5:30 Forgetting Sarah ...	*** I Love You, Man	45 P. Vice Bruce Willis.						
23	FREE	5:30 A Walk to Remem...	Shadowhunters	The 700 Club	Beyond "Pilot"	Beyond "Tempus Fugit"				
25	USA	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern
27	A&E	Live PD (N)								
28	GALA	Familia	Familia	Vecinos	P. Luche	Noticias	P. Luche	La hora	Familia	Durmiendo
29	NICK	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Friends	Friends	35 Friends	35 Fresh P.	35 Fresh P.
30	AMC	5:00 P. Batman Begins	*** The Dark Knight (2008, Action) Heath Ledger, Aaron Eckhart, Christian Bale.	*** The Dark Knight (2008, Action) Heath Ledger, Aaron Eckhart, Christian Bale.	Movie					
33	UNI	Vino el amor	El color de la pasion	Impacto	Noticie.	Contacto Deportivo	La mujer del Vendaval			
34	CNBC	Boss "Twin Peaks"	Under Boss "Maaco"	Undercover Boss	Undercover Boss	Undercover Boss	Boss "Churchill Downs"			
35	LIFE	6:00 P. Good Deeds	Magic "Finding Magic" (N)	LW Atlanta "Party Foul"	Good Deeds (12, Com/Dra) Tyler Perry.					
36	TNT	6:00 P. *** Godzilla Elizabeth Olsen.	Percy Jackson and the Olympians: The Lightning Thief	Hawaii 5-0 "Ke Kinohi"						
37	SPIKE	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Jail	Jail	Jail	Jail	Jail
38	HIST	Curse of Oak Island	Curse of Oak Island	Oak Island "Bullseye"	Curse of Oak Island					
39	TOON	Cleveland	BobBurg.	BobBurg.	Amer. Dad	Family Guy	Family Guy	Robot	AquaT.	DreamC.
40	HALL	The Middle	The Middle	The Middle	The Middle	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	Fraser	Fraser
41	SYFY	5:30 Jumanji	*** Knowing (09, Sci-Fi) Nicolas Cage.	*** Knowing (09, Sci-Fi) Nicolas Cage.	Incorporated	*** Jumanji				
42	DISC	Rush "Abandonment" (N)	Rush "Running Dirt"	Rush "Abandonment"	Rush "Running Dirt"	Gold Rush				
44	NBCSN	6:30 NHL Hockey Min./Ana. (L)	Grudge	Grudge	Grudge	Rally	Rally	Truck (N)	Detroit (N)	

SATURDAY PRIME TIME JANUARY 7

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2	WGN	BlueBlood "Nightmares"	Blue Bloods	Met Mother	Met Mother	Met Mother	Met Mother	Salem		
3	KVII	Family Guy	Family Guy	BobBurg.	BobBurg.	Family Guy	Seinfeld	Rules	Rules	Rules
4	MTV	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	*** Bring It On (00, Com) Kirsten Dunst.	*** Bring It On: All or ...			
5	TBS	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	Frontal	*** Shrek (01, Ani) Mike Myers.	*** Shrek 2		
6	KCIT	Star	News	Paid	2 Broke G.	2 Broke G.	Amer.Ninja			
7	KVII	6:00 NFL Football Wild Card (L)	News	RingHonor	Wrestling	Outdoors	Judy	Judy		
8	KOB	To Be Announced	News	Saturday Night Live	Kingdom	Paid				
9	KAMR	To Be Announced	News	Saturday Night Live	Kingdom	Paid				
10	KFDA	Criminal Minds "Taboo"	48 Hours	10 News	CSI: Miami	Elementary	Bones			
11	KENW	Lawrence Walk Show	Grace	Red Green	Austin City	Austin City	Nova	Nature		
12	KOAT	To Be Announced	Ent. Tonight	News	Castle "Heartbreaker"	Scandal				
13	KRQE	Ransom (N)	Criminal Minds "Taboo"	48 Hours	News	35 Major Crimes	McCarver			
14	FSNM	6:00 NHL Hockey N.Y./Ariz. (L)	Post-game	Post-game	Fight Sports: In 60	Main Event	WPT Poker			
15	CNN	6:30 Now More Than Ever: The History of Chicago	The Sixties	Now More Than Ever: The History of Chicago	The Sixties	Now More Than Ever: The History of Chicago	The Sixties			
16	MSNBC	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary	MSNBC Documentary			
17	KASA	Sleepy "Columbia"	Star	News	News	Hell's Kitchen	News	To Be Announced		
18	MAX	5:55 P. Mission: Impos...	*** The Fantastic Four	40 P. *** Legend (86, Dra) Mia Sara, Tim Curry, Tom Cruise.						
20	TLC	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress	Yes Dress
21	ESPN	6:00 NCAA Basketb. (L)	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	NFL PrimeTime (L)	SportsCenter				
22	HBO	Movie	6:00 P. *** The Revenant (15, Dra) Tom Hardy, Leonardo DiCaprio.	*** The Revenant (15, Dra) Tom Hardy, Leonardo DiCaprio.	*** Sisters (08, Thril) Chloe Sevigny.					
23	FREE	5:00 P. The Twilight ...	20 P. *** The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 2 Robert Pattinson.	Beyond "Pilot"						
25	USA	This Is Us "The Trip"	This Is Us	Law&O: SVU"Escape"	SVU "Monster's Legacy"	SVU "Presumed Guilty"				
27	A&E	6:00 P. Life, Animated	L. Remini "Auditing"	5:30 Remini "Golden Era"	5:30 Life, Animated (2016, Documentary)					
28	GALA	La rosa de Guadalupe	La rosa de Guadalupe	Como dice el dicho	La rosa de Guadalupe	Paid	Paid			
29	NICK	School (N)	H.Danger	Full House	Full House	Friends	35 Friends	35 Fresh P.	40 Fresh P.	
30	AMC	6:30 Rambo: First Blood	*** Rambo: First Blood Part II	*** Rambo III (88, Act) Sylvester Stallone.						
33	UNI	5:55 MFL Futbol (L)	55 MFL Futbol UNAM at Guadalajara (L)	Durmiendo	Noticiero	Estrellados				
34	CNBC	American Greed: Scam	American Greed: Scam	American Greed: Scam	American Greed: Scam	American Greed: Scam	American Greed: Scam			
35	LIFE	6:00 P. Under the Bed	Flight 192 (16, Thril) Victoria Pratt, Dina Meyer.	Under the Bed (16, Thril) Hannah New.						
36	TNT	6:00 P. Percy Jackson: S...	*** Percy Jackson: Sea of Monsters Logan Lerman.	*** The Bourne Identity						
37	SPIKE	Cops	Cops	*** The Book of Eli (09, Adv) Gary Oldman, Denzel Washington.	*** Snitch					
38	HIST	CountCar	CountCars	CountCars	CountCars	CountCars	CountCars	CountCars	CountCars	CountCars
39	TOON	Amer. Dad	BobBurg.	BobBurg.	Family Guy	Family Guy	DB Super	DBZ Kai (N)	Jojo's (N)	MSG 0096
40	HALL	6:00 P. Love on Ice (17, Rom) Julie Berman. (P)	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	Fraser	Fraser	Fraser
41	SYFY	6:00 P. *** Final Destination Devan Sawa.	*** Warm Bodies Nicholas Hoult.	*** Warm Bodies Nicholas Hoult.	*** Dead Still					
42	DISC	Naked "All or Nothing"	Naked "Frozen in Fear"	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked "Rise Above"				
44	NBCSN	5 Hockey	Mecum Auto Auctions	Naked "Rise Above"	Mecum Auto Auctions	The multi-day fine car auction is action packed.				

SUNDAY PRIME TIME JANUARY 8

	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
2	WGN	Blue Bloods "Framed"	BlueBlood "Inside Jobs"	Bones	Family Guy	Seinfeld	Bones	Bones	Person of Interest	
3	KVII	6:30 Hachi: A Dog's Tale	SHIELD "Yes Men"	Family Guy	Seinfeld	Cops	Cops	Rules	Rules	Rules
4	MTV	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	*** Step Up (06, Dra) Jenna Dewan, Channing Tatum.	Movie			
5	TBS	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	BigBang	*** The LEGO Movie (14, Ani) Chris Pratt.	*** Old Dogs			
6	KCIT	Fam.Guy	BobBurg.	News	Paid	Paid	2 1/2 Men	Anger M.	Last Man	Last Man
7	KVII	To Tell the Truth (N)	Conviction (N)	News	Measure	35 Report	RingHonor	Wrestling	35 Doctors	
8	KOB	6:00 The 74th Annual Golden Globe Awards (L)	Access Hollywood	News	35 Ins. Ed.	35 Entertainers				
9	KAMR	6:00 The 74th Annual Golden Globe Awards (L)	News	Paid	Ent. Tonight	Paid	Paid			
10	KFDA	Madam "Gift Horse" (N)	Elementary (N							

Regional events

Jan. 5
■ Brian Regan
 7:30 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$43
 Information: 432-552-4430

Jan. 6
■ Michael Carbonaro
 7:30 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$25-\$47
 Information: 432-552-4430

Jan. 7
■ A night with Elvis Featuring Lonnie Yanes
 8 p.m.
Kiva Auditorium, Albuquerque
 Tickets: ticketmaster.com
 Information: 505-768-4575
■ Vince Neil with Great White
 8 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$55-\$75
 Information: 432-552-4430

Jan. 8
■ The Devil Makes Three, Lost Dog Street Band
 8 p.m.
Sunshine Theater, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$20
 Information: 505-764-0249
■ Travis Tritt with Little Texas
 7 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$43-\$63
 Information: 432-552-4430
■ Winter Winds and Brass by NM Philharmonic
 2 p.m.
Popejoy Hall, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$24-\$68
 Information: 505-323-4343

Jan. 12
■ Travis Tritt
 7:30 p.m.
Lea County Events Center
 Tickets: \$28-\$75
 Information: 575-391-2900
■ Matilda the Musical
 7:30 p.m.
Popejoy Hall, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$40-\$65
 Information: 877-664-8661

Jan. 13
■ Travis Tritt
 7 p.m.
Curry County Events Center, Clovis
 Tickets: \$26-\$73

Information: 575-935-7000
■ Matilda the Musical
 8 p.m.
Popejoy Hall, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$40-\$65
 Information: 877-664-8661
■ Paradise Lost and Found production
 7:30 p.m.
Roswell Community Little Theater
 Tickets: \$7 students, \$10 adults
 Information: roswelltheatre.com

Jan. 14
■ Tri-State Open Chili Championship
 11 a.m.
Tri-State Expo, Amarillo
 Information: 806-376-7767
■ Selena Tribute by Evelyn Molina y Los Chicos del 512
 8 p.m.
Isleta Casino, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$10-\$20
 Information: 505-724-3800
■ Strange Magic-The ELO Experience
 8 p.m.
Route 66 Casino, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$22
 Information: 505-352-7829
■ Matilda the Musical
 2 p.m., 8 p.m.
Popejoy Hall, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$40-\$65
 Information: 877-664-8661
■ Paradise Lost and Found production
 7:30 p.m.
Roswell Community Little Theater
 Tickets: \$7 students, \$10 adults
 Information: roswelltheatre.com

Jan. 15
■ The Temptations and The Four Tops
 7:30 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$39-\$109
 Information: 432-552-4430
■ Matilda the Musical
 1 p.m., 6:30 p.m.
Popejoy Hall, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$40-\$65
 Information: 877-664-8661
■ Paradise Lost and Found production
 7:30 p.m.
Roswell Community Little Theater
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Jan. 20
■ Blue Oyster Cult
 8 p.m.
Isleta Casino, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$20-\$25
 Information: 505-724-3800
■ Paradise Lost and Found production
 7:30 p.m.
Roswell Community Little Theater
 Tickets: \$7 students, \$10 adults
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Jan. 21
■ Vince Neil
 8 p.m.
Route 66 Casino, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$26-\$58
 Information: 505-352-7829
■ Paradise Lost and Found production
 7:30 p.m.
Roswell Community Little Theater
 Tickets: \$7 students, \$10 adults
 Information: roswelltheatre.com

Jan. 22
■ Paradise Lost and Found production
 2 p.m.
Roswell Community Little Theater
 Tickets: \$7 students, \$10 adults
 Information: roswelltheatre.com

Jan. 25
■ The Temptations and The Four Tops
 7:30 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$39-\$109
 Information: 432-552-4430
■ Matilda the Musical
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Popejoy Hall, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$40-\$65
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■ Paradise Lost and Found production
 7:30 p.m.
Roswell Community Little Theater
 Tickets: \$7 students, \$10 adults
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Jan. 29
■ Pavlo
 Noon buffet
 2 p.m. show
Spencer Theater, Alto
 Tickets: \$20 buffet, \$39-\$59
 Information: 575-336-4800

Jan. 30
■ The StepCrew
 7 p.m.

2 p.m.
Roswell Community Little Theater
 Tickets: \$7 students, \$10 adults
 Information: roswelltheatre.com

Jan. 16
■ J Boog, Jo Mersa Marley, Jemere Morgan
 13+ ages
 8 p.m.
Sunshine Theater, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$18
 Information: 505-764-0249
■ Tenore presented by Live On Stage
 7 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$33
 Information: 432-552-4430

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Jan. 30
■ The StepCrew
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Jan. 23
■ The Oak Ridge Boys with The Gatlin Brothers
 7:30 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$38-\$63
 Information: 432-552-4430

Jan. 24
■ The Odd Squad
 6:30 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$18-\$68
 Information: 432-552-4430

Jan. 26
■ Kristin Chenoweth: Celebrating the Art of Elegance
 7:30 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$59-\$125
 Information: 432-552-4430

Jan. 27
■ Potter County Jr. Livestock Show
 7 a.m.
Tri-State Expo, Amarillo
 Information: 806-376-7767
■ Ron White
 8 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$49-\$239
 Information: 432-552-4430

Jan. 28
■ Potter County Jr. Livestock Show
 7 a.m.
Tri-State Expo, Amarillo
 Information: 806-376-7767
■ StepCrew
 7 p.m.
Flickinger Center, Alamogordo
 Information: 575-437-2202
■ Mark Chestnut, Joe Diffie
 8 p.m.
Inn of the Mountain Gods, Mescalero
 Tickets: \$25
 Information: 800-545-9011

Jan. 29
■ Pavlo
 Noon buffet
 2 p.m. show
Spencer Theater, Alto
 Tickets: \$20 buffet, \$39-\$59
 Information: 575-336-4800

Jan. 30
■ The StepCrew
 7 p.m.

Tydings Auditorium, Hobbs
 Tickets: \$20
 Information: 575-738-1041

Feb. 4
■ Foreigner
 8 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$55-\$75
 Information: 432-552-4430

Feb. 8
■ Iration, Protoje, Zach Deputy
 8 p.m.
Sunshine Theater, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$23
 Information: 505-764-0249

Feb. 9
■ Gabriel Iglesias: Fluffymania Tour
 8 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$33-\$148
 Information: 432-552-4430

Feb. 11
■ Willie Nelson
 8 p.m.
Route 66 Casino, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$43-\$101
 Information: 505-352-7829
■ The Carpenters Tribute featuring Michelle Whited
 5 p.m. buffet
 7 p.m. show
Spencer Theater, Alto
 Tickets: \$20 buffet, \$39-\$79
 Information: 575-336-4800
■ Forte Tenors with Southwest Symphony Orchestra
 7 p.m.
Tydings Auditorium, Hobbs
 Tickets: \$20
 Information: 575-738-1041
■ Tyler Farr
 8 p.m.
Inn of the Mountain Gods, Mescalero
 Tickets: \$25
 Information: 800-545-9011

Feb. 12
■ Bill Maher
 7:30 p.m.
Popejoy Hall, Albuquerque
 Tickets: www.livenation.com
 Information: popejoypresents.com49

Feb. 14
■ Complexions Contemporary Ballet
 7:30 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$25
 Information: 432-552-4430

Feb. 15
■ The 5 Irish Tenors
 5 p.m. buffet
 7 p.m. show
Spencer Theater, Alto
 Tickets: \$20 buffet, \$39-\$89
 Information: 575-336-4800

Feb. 27
■ Over Kill, Nile, Deforme, Deceltful
 13+ ages
 7:30 p.m.
Sunshine Theater, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$20
 Information: 505-764-0249

Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$25
 Information: 432-552-4430

Feb. 17
■ Once (Broadway)
 7:30 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$58-\$88
 Information: 432-552-4430
■ Monster Jam
 7:30 p.m.
Tingley Coliseum, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$15-\$35
 Information: 800-745-3000
■ Granger Smith
 8 p.m.
Inn of the Mountain Gods, Mescalero
 Tickets: \$15
 Information: 800-545-9011

Feb. 18
■ "Play Me", the Music of Neil Diamond and Chocolate Buffet
 7 p.m.
Flickinger Center, Alamogordo
 Information: 575-437-2202
■ Monster Jam
 2 p.m., 7:30 p.m.
Tingley Coliseum, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$15-\$35
 Information: 800-745-3000

Feb. 19
■ Monster Jam
 2 p.m.
Tingley Coliseum, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$15-\$35
 Information: 800-745-3000

Feb. 24
■ America
 8 p.m.
Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center, Midland
 Tickets: \$40-\$65
 Information: 432-552-4430

Feb. 25
■ The 5 Irish Tenors
 5 p.m. buffet
 7 p.m. show
Spencer Theater, Alto
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 Information: 575-336-4800

Feb. 27
■ Over Kill, Nile, Deforme, Deceltful
 13+ ages
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Sunshine Theater, Albuquerque
 Tickets: \$20
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cers after he was involved in the disappearance of \$35,000 worth of diamonds that were later recovered.

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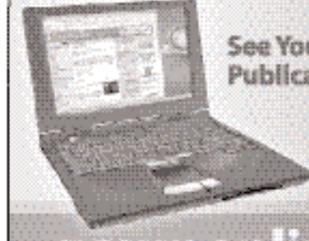
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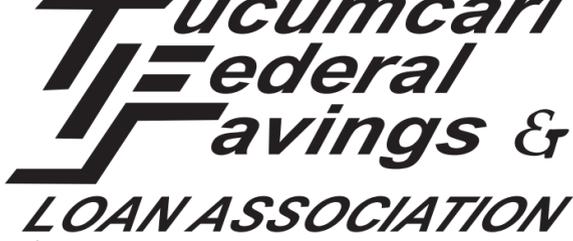
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1-3 CRYPTOQUOTE

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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: THE FIRST STEP TOWARD GETTING SOMEWHERE IS TO DECIDE THAT YOU ARE NOT GOING TO STAY WHERE YOU ARE. — SOURCE OBSCURE

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Newsday Crossword

HIGH POINTS by Billie Truitt Edited by Stanley Newman www.stanxwords.com

ACROSS

- 1 Have a fainting spell 6 Whole bunch 10 Church seats 14 Spinnet or baby grand 15 "Uh-huh!" 16 Feel sore 17 Starts a poker pot 18 Hard to find 19 "My country, 'tis of ..." 20 Doctors: Abbr. 21 Horse-racing prize 24 Neck of the woods 25 Menagerie 26 Pesto herb 28 Overemphasize 32 Coat of arms 34 Dylan or Hope 36 Quaint hotels 37 Sailor's "yes" 38 Honolulu's island 39 Self-image 40 Meeting of global leaders 44 At a sharp vertical angle 46 Bothered greatly 47 Atlas page 48 Barbell metal 49 Reward for a great server 54 "Be Prepared" org. 57 Aroma 58 Animal shelter org. 59 "This ___ your fault!" 61 Awestruck

- 62 And others: Abbr. 63 Showery month 64 Youngster 65 Japanese electronics giant 66 Mean-spirited DOWN 1 Unwanted email 2 ___-chill factor 3 Grains in granola 4 Dollar bill 5 One of a facial pair 6 Damascus' nation 7 Jump 8 ___ Grey tea 9 Breathes noisily 10 Sentry duty

- 11 Sound rebound 12 "That's a relief!" 13 Viewed 22 Depend (on) 23 Young stallion 24 Without a guarantee 26 Hair over the forehead 27 "Are so!" response 28 In an unemotional way 29 Garden invader 30 44th president 31 ___ game (pitcher's dream) 32 Preceder of "foe" and "fum" 33 Astronomer Sagan

- 35 Nothing ___ (totally) 38 Prophetic sign 40 Be dressed in 41 Runs against 42 Dress of India 43 Highly idealistic 45 Come forth 48 Boot-shaped country 49 Bearded fam animal 50 Feeling nervous 51 Cozy corner 52 No later than 53 Read electronically 54 Taverns 55 Narrow opening 56 Partner in battle 60 Resort with hot springs

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Jail log

The following individuals were booked into the Quay County Detention Center from Dec. 31 through Jan. 2:

- Noel Acosta, 51, aggravated assault against a household member
Pete Apodaca, 38, warrant
Jeremy Box, 21, Battery on a household member
Jerry Cordova, 64, driving under the influence of liquor
Kenneth Hanson, 25, driving under the influence of liquor
Steven Newman, 24, driving under the influence of liquor
Martha Padilla, 47, driving under the influence of liquor
James Szalay, 55, possession of a controlled substance
Anthony Valdez, 44, driving while license suspended or revoked

The following individuals were released from the Quay County Detention Center from Dec. 31 through Jan. 2:

- Kenneth Hanson, 25, bond
Anthony Valdez, 44, bond

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But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, long suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith. Galatians 5:22

My lips shall not speak wickedness, nor my tongue utter deceit. Job 27:4

A wicked man hardeneth his face: but as for the upright, he directeth his way. Proverbs 21:29

Finally, brethren, farewell. Be perfect, be of good comfort, be of one mind, live in peace; and the God of love & peace shall be with you. 2 Corinthians 13:11

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Cast thy burden upon the Lord, and he shall sustain thee: he shall never suffer the righteous to be moved. Psalm 55:22

For kings, and for all that are in authority; that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty. 1 Timothy 2:2

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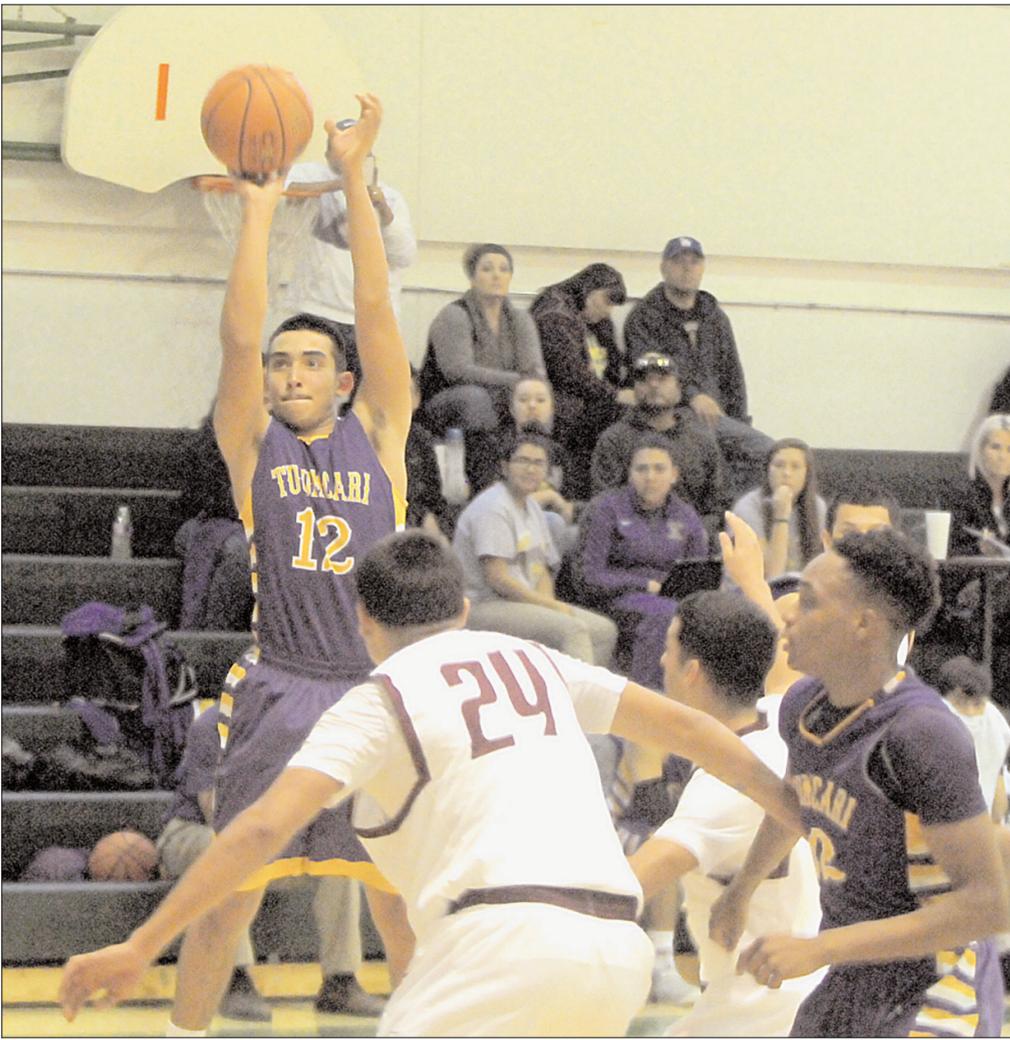
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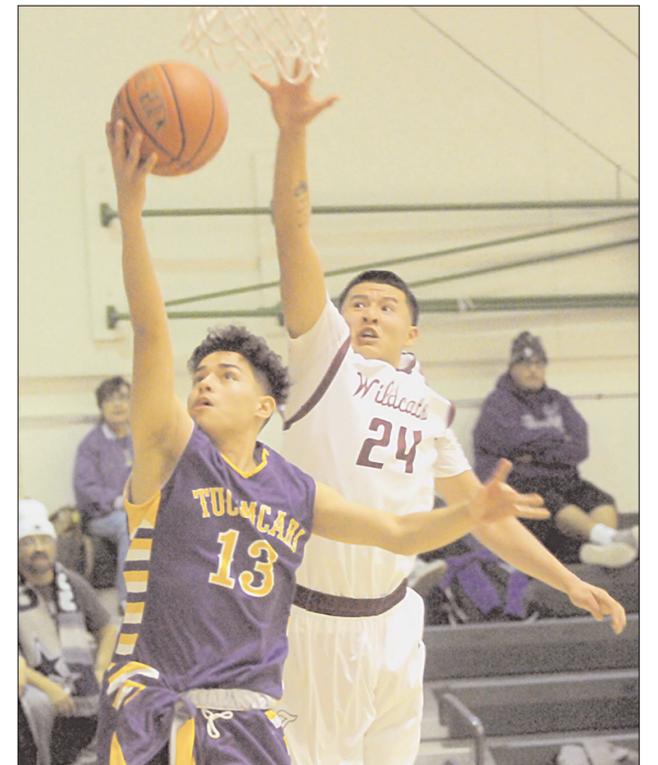
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Left: Tucumcari's Jose Duran Flores shoots a jump shot during Friday's 52-43 loss to Tularosa. The Rattlers and Wildcats were competing at the Citizens Bank Invite basketball tournament at Texico.

Below: Tularosa's Joe Perez tries to block a layup attempt from Tucumcari's Matthew Lopez.



Rattlers fall at Citizens tournament

□ Lady Rattlers finish tourney with 1-2 mark.

By Thomas Garcia
 QCS SENIOR WRITER

The Tucumcari Rattlers lost their three games during the Citizens Bank Invite basketball tournament this weekend at Texico.

"We need to do a better job of taking care of the ball," said John Span, Rattlers head coach.

Span said the Rattlers (2-5) had 20 turnovers during Friday's 52-43 loss to the Tularosa Wildcats (8-3). He said other factors impacting the Rattlers during the tournament were missed open shots and free throws.

"We missed too many open shots that put us behind and in a situation of having to foul to stop the clock," Span said. "The problem was the Wildcats made their foul shots."

The Wildcats were 18 of 22 from the foul line while the Rattlers were 8-14.

Span said free throws were an issue in Thursday's 66-58 loss against the Muleshoe Mules (4-7). He said the Rattlers were 11-21 from the foul line and the Mules were 14-23.

"We weren't making our free throws, and we were giving them too many opportunities at the foul line," Span said.

Span said the Rattlers' free throw shooting improved on Saturday, making 11-15, but they still fell short 60-51 against the Clayton Yellowjackets (5-4).

Area scores

Logan Longhorns (3-6)	Lady Longhorns (9-1)
■ Dec. 29 51-24 loss at Melrose	■ Dec. 29 57-36 win at Melrose
■ Dec. 30 47-27 win Grady	■ Dec. 30 45-26 win Grady

"We've got a lot of work to do to prepare for Santa Fe Prep on Saturday," Span said.

Game time will be 4:30 p.m. Saturday at the Snake Pit.

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 The Tucumcari Lady Rattlers (6-3) finished 1-2 at the Citizens Bank Invite basketball tournament at Texico.

"It was a learning experience for the girls that allowed them to see the areas they still need to improve," said Gary Hittson, Lady Rattlers head coach.

Hittson said the tournament had two hard losses the first came during Thursday's 63-44 loss to the Eunice Cardinals (9-3). He said freshman point guard Ashley Shipley will miss 10 days after suffering a concussion during the loss to the Cardinals.

"Ashley's health comes first, and we want to make sure she is fully recovered before putting her back on the court," Hittson said.

Hittson said against the Cardinals the Lady Rattlers three-point shooting was off. He said the Lady Rattlers were 3 of 21.



Staff photo: Tony Bullocks

Tucumcari Lady Rattlers Jasmine Jonez and Tularosa Lady Wildcats Bethany Betancur fight for the rebound Friday at the Citizens Bank Invite basketball tournament at Texico.

"The shots were there; they just wouldn't go in," Hittson said.

The Lady Rattler's second loss was on Friday against the Tularosa Lady Wildcats (8-4).

Hittson said the Lady Rattlers ran out of time during the 50-47 loss to the Lady Wildcats. He said a missed layup and a baseline violation while inbound the ball in

the final seconds thwarted any chance at a comeback.

"The opportunities were right there; we just didn't seize them," Hittson said.

The Lady Rattlers won their third game with a 50-14 routing of the Dexter Lady Demons (8-4).

The Lady Rattlers will be competing Thursday-Saturday at the

Estancia basketball tournament against teams that include Santa Rosa, East Mountain, Bosque and Estancia.

"This tournament is going to benefit the team greatly," Hittson said. "There is a potential for some tough matchups that will help the team's development."

Texico seeks EPAC title repeats

□ Wolverine teams are top seeds; Melrose will host opening rounds.

By David Norton
 STAFF WRITER
 dnorton@pntonline.com

MELROSE — The New Year is here and to kick off every year on the High Plains comes the Eastern Plains Athletic Conference basketball tournament, this year being hosted by Melrose before moving to Greyhound Arena in Portales.

This year the top seeds will go to both the Texico boys and girls, having won the 2016 tournament. Texico ousted Melrose, 78-75, while the Lady Wolverines took a 3-point win over Tatum, 48-45.

"I've been involved with it (the tournament) for a long time," Texico girls coach Richard Luscombe said,

"coaching and before that watching it, and it is a big tournament and important. At least for the last couple of years the state champion has come out of the EPAC, across several classes."

Luscombe owns an EPAC-record 10 coaching titles, and is one of just four coaches to coach both an EPAC girls and boys champion.

The first two days of competition will be played at Melrose, followed by the final two days in Portales. Wednesday's opening round will kick off with No. 3 Melrose taking on No. 6 San Jon at 3 p.m. The girls will start things off with No. 9 Floyd taking on No. 8 Grady, also at 3 p.m.

When asked about hosting EPAC, Melrose coach Jim Doherty said, "Being at home always makes a big difference; we are at home and this is where we are comfortable. We shoot here, we work out here — so it definitely helps us get through the first round and get ready for the big

move to Portales."

The Lady Wolverines will head into the tournament with a 7-4 record while the boys will bring with them a 8-4 record. The hosting Buffs are 5-3 while the Lady Buffs are sitting at 4-5.

The two top seeds in each bracket will have first round byes. The No. 1 seeds will play their first games Thursday at 4:30 p.m. for the boys and 3 p.m. for the girls. Both teams will play the winner of the respective bracket's game one winners — Melrose or San Jon on the boys side and Floyd or Grady for the girls.

The No. 2 seeded Fort Sumner Foxes on the boys side will play Thursday at 7:30 p.m. while the No. 2 seed on the girls side, Tatum, will kick things off the same day at 6 p.m. The Foxes are 7-2 heading into EPAC, while the Lady Coyotes enter the tournament with an 8-1 record.

It's definitely a difficult tourna-

Previous EPAC boys champions

1958 — San Jon	1973 — Dora	1988 — Grady	2003 — Dora
1959 — San Jon	1974 — Floyd	1989 — Tatum	2004 — Texico
1960 — San Jon	1975 — Floyd	1990 — Texico	2005 — Texico
1961 — San Jon	1976 — Melrose	1991 — Melrose	2006 — Logan
1962 — San Jon	1977 — Grady	1992 — Melrose	2007 — Elida
1963 — San Jon	1978 — Grady	1993 — Melrose	2008 — Elida
1964 — Dora	1979 — Grady	1994 — Grady	2009 — Texico
1965 — Dora	1980 — Floyd	1995 — Grady	2010 — Texico
1966 — Floyd	1981 — Tatum	1996 — Grady	2011 — Texico
1967 — San Jon	1982 — Floyd	1997 — Texico	2012 — Fort
1968 — Melrose	1983 — Texico	1998 — Grady	Summer
1969 — Dora	1984 — Floyd	1999 — Grady	2013 — Texico
1970 — Causey	1985 — Floyd	2000 — Ft. Sumner	2014 — Texico
1971 — Dora	1986 — Floyd	2001 — Texico	2015 — Logan
1972 — Dora	1987 — Tatum	2002 — Floyd	2016 — Texico

ment all the way around," said Luscombe. "There are a lot of good teams playing in it, but of course our expectation for ourselves is to go out and win it if we can."

On Saturday, the championship day, the girls consolation game

will kick off at 2:15 p.m. for third place and the championship matchup will have a tipoff set for 6 p.m. For the boys, consolation is set for 4 p.m. and the night cap will be the championship game, starting at 8 p.m.

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LEGAL 54619
January 4, 2017
January 11, 2017
January 18, 2017

COUNTY ASSESSOR ORDER NO. 16-25 NOTICE OF REQUIREMENTS TO REPORT CERTAIN MATTERS RELATING TO PROPERTY VALUATION AND CLAIMING EXEMPTION FROM PROPERTY TAXATION

The County Assessor hereby publishes notice to property owners, pursuant to Section 7-38-18 NMSA 1978, as follows:

- All property subject to valuation for property taxation purposes not valued by the Assessor in 2016 for property taxation purposes must be reported to the Assessor no later than the last day of February 2017, unless it is not subject to valuation for property taxation purposes in 2017. The report must contain the required information and be on a form that is obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-38-8 NMSA 1978.
- If you have made improvements to real property during 2016 and the improvements cost more than Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000), the improvements must be reported to the Assessor no later than the last day of February 2017. The information required and the form may be obtained from the Assessor's office. 7-38-8 (C) NMSA 1978.
- All real property owned by any non government entity and claimed to be exempt from property taxation under the provisions of Paragraph (1) of Sub-section B of Section 7-36-7 NMSA 1978 shall be reported for valuation purposes to the appropriate valuation authority. If a change in eligibility status or ownership of the property has changed, the change shall be reported no later than the day of February 2017. Section 7-38-8.1 NMSA 1978.
- If you own property that has decreased in value during 2016, and that property is subject to valuation for property taxation purposes, you must report the decrease in value to the Assessor no later than the last day of February 2017. The report must contain the required information and must be on a form that is obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-38-13, NMSA 1978.
- If you believe that your real property is entitled to head-of-family exemption, veteran exemption or disabled veteran exemption from property taxation, you must apply to the Assessor for exempt status no later than thirty (30) days after the mailing of the County Assessor's notices of valuation in order to be entitled to

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the exemption from taxation in 2017. Exceptions: If an exemption from taxation was in effect for 2016 and the basis of the exempt status or use is unchanged from the year, application for exemption need not be made for 2017. If you have previously been granted an exemption and now have a change in ownership or status you must notify the Assessor of the change no later than the last day of February 2017 of the change. If required, application for exemption must contain the required information and must be on a form that is obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-38-17, NMSA 1978.

6. Property subject to valuation is presumed to be nonresidential and will be so recorded by the assessor unless you declare the property to be residential no later than the last day of February 2017. If your property has changed in use from residential to nonresidential or from nonresidential to residential use you must declare this status to the Assessor no later than the last day of February 2017. The declaration must contain the required information and must be in a form that may be obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-38-17.1 NMSA 1978.

7. If you are a person who is sixty-five (65) years of age or older or disabled, and whose modified gross income was not greater than \$32,000 in 2016 and you own and occupy a single-family dwelling you may be eligible for a limitation on the taxable value of your residence. The limitation of value specified in Sub-sections A, B and C under Section 7-36-21.3 NMSA 1978 shall be applied in the tax year in which the owner claiming entitlement files with the county assessor an application for the limitation. The application must contain the required information and must be on a form that is obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-36-21.3 NMSA 1978.

8. If your land was valued in 2016 in accordance with the special method of valuation for agricultural purposes, and the land is still used primarily for agricultural purposes, you need not reapply for that special method of valuation in 2017. If your land was valued in accordance with the special method of valuation in 2016, but it is no longer used primarily for agricultural purposes, you must report the change to the Assessor no later than the last day of February 2017. If your land was not valued in accordance with that method of valuation in 2016 and it is now used primarily for agricultural purposes, application must be made under oath, in a form and contain the information required by department rules and must be made no later than thirty (30) days after the mailing of the County Assessor's notices of valuation in order to be entitled to the

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exemption from taxation in 2017. Section 7-36-20 NMSA 1978.

9. If you own "livestock" that is subject to valuation for property taxation purposes, you must report such livestock to the Assessor. All such livestock present in the county on January 1, 2017 must be reported to the Assessor no later than the last day of February 2017. If the livestock is transported into the county after January 1, 2017, it must be reported to the Assessor no later than the first day of the month following the first month in which the livestock has been present in the county for twenty (20) days. The report must contain the required information and must be on forms obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-36-21 NMSA 1978.

10. If you own a manufactured home [that was not previously assessed] and it was present in the county on January 1, 2017, you must report it to the Assessor no later than the last day of February 2017. The report must contain certain required information and must be on a form obtained from the Assessor's office. Section 7-36-26 NMSA 1978.

THIS NOTICE IS ONLY A BRIEF STATEMENT OF THE PROVISIONS OF SECTIONS 7-38-8, 7-38-8.1, 7-38-13, 7-38-17, 7-38-17.1, 7-36-21.3, 7-36-20, 7-36-21, and 7-36-23 NMSA 1978, and related Taxation & Revenue Department Regulations. It is not intended to reflect the full content of these provisions, which may be examined at the office of the County Assessor.

Done this 13th day of December 2016 in Santa Fe, New Mexico.

/s/Michael O'Melia,
Deputy Director
Property Tax Division

LEGAL 55356
January 4, 2017

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, January 24, 2017 at the hour of 5:15 PM in City Hall Commission Chambers, 215 East Center Street, Tucumcari, New Mexico, the Tucumcari Planning and Zoning Commission will hear comments opposing to or in support of:

Variance Application 2017-01 Freddy & Hope Ortiz, owner/applicants are requesting a corner side setback variance of approx. 20 feet at 702 E. Turner also known as Block 30, Lot 6 of the Russell's Addition. As described in Section 17.02.030(C)(4)(d)(iii) of said Ordinance 1052.

Variance Application 2017-01 is being considered under the provisions of Section 17.01.090(B)(2)(a-i) of Ordinance 1052.

Being that the applicant

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has filed a valid application with the office of the Planning and Zoning Administrator, City of Tucumcari, New Mexico, respondents are invited to attend this hearing or to write in writing to the Tucumcari Planning and Zoning Commission, P.O. Box 1188, Tucumcari, New Mexico 88401. All written responses including petitions received on or before 5:00 PM, January 24, 2017 will be read and considered at the hearing. Written responses received or presented after this time will not be considered.

Mark A. Martinez
Project Manager

LEGAL 54211
January 4, 2017
January 11, 2017

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS

1. Pursuant to Board of Directors Resolution #2016-005, the following schedule of "Regularly Scheduled" meetings for Arch Hurley Conservancy Districts Board of Directors is provided.

2. Except as specifically noticed for any "Special or Emergency Meetings" all meetings of the Arch Hurley Conservancy Districts Board of Directors begin at 9:00 a.m., in the Conference Room of the Districts office located at 101 East High Street, Tucumcari, NM. All meetings are open to the public.

2017 BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING SCHEDULE

- January 10, 2017
- February 14, 2017
- March 14, 2017
- April 11, 2017
- May 9, 2017
- June 13, 2017
- July 11, 2017
- August 8, 2017
- September 12, 2017
- October 11, 2017
- November 14, 2017
- December 12, 2017

3. Pursuant to Board of Directors Resolution #2016-005, this is deemed to be reasonable notice for any "Regularly Scheduled" meeting of the Arch Hurley Conservancy Districts Board of Directors for calendar year 2017. The Agenda for each meeting will be available 72 hours prior to each meeting at the Districts office located at 101 E. High Street, Tucumcari, NM.

4. In accordance with Sec. 10-15-1 to 10-15-4, NMSA 1978, notice of any "Special Meeting" will be posted three (3) days in advance of said meeting in three (3) places within Tucumcari, and will be broadcast on the local radio station. Agenda for these meetings will be available 72 hours in advance of said meeting at the Districts office located at 101 E. High Street, Tucumcari, NM.

5. In accordance with Sec. 10-15-1 to 10-15-4, NMSA 1978, notice of any "Emergency Meeting" will be posted 24 hours in advance of said meeting in three (3) places within Tucumcari, unless "threat of personal injury or property damage requires lessor notice." Arch Hurley Conservancy District will make a diligent effort to broadcast notice of any "emergency meeting" on the local radio station. The agenda for these meetings will be available 24 hours in advance of said meeting at the Districts office located at 101 E. High Street, Tucumcari, NM.

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Respectfully,
FOR ARCH HURLEY CONSERVANCY DISTRICT

President Larry Perkins

LEGAL 54624
December 28, 2016
January 4, 2017
January 11, 2017

STATE ENGINEER OFFICE

Notice is hereby given that on November 7, 2016, City of Tucumcari, Attn: Jared Langenegger, City Manager, 215 East Center Street, P.O. Box 1188, Tucumcari, NM 88401, filed Application TU-10 into TU-1257 with **STATE ENGINEER** for Permit to Change an Existing Water Right in the Tucumcari Underground Water Basin to transfer the water rights of municipal Well TU-10 declared in the NW¼SW¼SW¼ of Section 30, Township 11 North, Range 30 East, N.M.P.M. into and commence the use of existing irrigation and domestic Well TU-1257 POD2 drilled to a depth of 330 feet and constructed with 8-inch outside diameter casing, located in the SW¼NW¼NE¼ of Section 30, Township 11 North, Range 30 East, N.M.P.M., and Pt. NE¼ of Section 30, Township 11 North, Range 30 East, N.M.P.M.

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Any person, firm or corporation or other entity having standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writers complete name, phone number and mailing address). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State En-

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gineer, District VII Office of the State Engineer, PO Box 481, 301 East 9th Street, Cimarron, New Mexico, 87714 within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest as long as the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24-hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the District VII Office of the State Engineer, at 575-376-4565. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.



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This may be your weekend to find it! Our classifieds are full of surprises!

JOB OPENING

POSITION TITLE: Public Safety Telecommunicator (Dispatcher)

Public Safety Telecommunicator duties may include:

- Handling emergency and non-emergency calls for police, fire, and emergency medical services using telephone and Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) equipment;
- Quickly assessing both emergency and non-emergency situations and providing appropriate assistance to citizens;
- Utilizing good judgment in applying policies and procedures while functioning in a stressful environment;
- Communicating and carrying out instructions; and
- Coordinating calls for service between citizens and service providers, often multi-tasking, prioritizing and making quick decisions.

Requirements:

- Must be at least 18 years old;
- Have a High School Diploma or GED;
- Submit to a post offer pre-employment physical, drug and alcohol test;
- A passing score on a pre-employment public safety communications skills test;
- Successful completion of a criminal history check and an audiology examination provided at the employer's expense.

Applications may be obtained at and returned to the County Manager's Office, 300 South Third Street, Tucumcari, NM during normal business hours.
Deadline for Applications is Friday, January 6, 2017 at 5:00 p.m.

Occupancy Specialist (Full time): Eligible applicant should be able to multitask, work in a fast paced environment, be proficient in Microsoft Office and Excel, possess the ability to understand basic accounting procedures and book keeping and possess good customer service skills and be a highly dedicated and motivated self starter. The candidate will work directly under the supervision of the executive director, conducting day to day operations, including but not limited to processing applications and assisting individuals that qualify for housing assistance. The Occupancy Specialist posts rental payments, assists in investigation, case summaries, preparation of repayment schedules, reviews and authorizes rent charges, lease terminations and unit transfers. Considerable knowledge of HUD regulations and Housing Authority policies and procedures is highly desired. Certified Occupancy Specialist certification is preferred. Starting salary for this position is \$11.31 per hour.

Employment applications will be accepted through 5:00 p.m. on Friday, January 13, 2017 or until the position is filled. Please specify the exact position you are applying for. Only complete applications will be considered. Applications must be submitted to the City of Tucumcari, PO Box 1188, or 215 E. Center, Tucumcari, NM 88401. If you have questions please feel free to contact Human Resources Director, Shannon Shay at 575-461-6345. The City of Tucumcari is an equal opportunity employer.

HOUSE FOR RENT QUAY COUNTY

FOR RENT: 2 Bdrm Apt, partially furnished, includes dishwasher, washer & dryer, storage, and 1 vehicle carport. All electric. Among the nicest in town.
Water and trash utility included. \$525 per month with \$300 damage deposit. 1st & last month's rent and deposit required at move-in. For inquiries, please call (575) 461-1195 or (575) 461-0159 after 5pm or on weekends.

EASY MONEY... JUST A CALL AWAY. It's illegal for companies doing business by phone to promise you a loan and ask you to pay for it before they deliver. A public service message from Freedom New Mexico and the Federal Trade Commission.

Seeking Rental Residence
I am moving to Tucumcari in the early Spring. I will be in town the week of January 9th. All rental agents or landlords, please call 817.715.5119 to schedule a viewing that week.
Just out of town or edge of town preferred.
Maureen Tolbert

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MISCELLANEOUS

COMPUTER PROBLEMS
viruses, lost data, hardware or software issues? Contact Geeks On Site! 24/7 Service. Friendly Repair Experts. Macs and PCs. Call for FREE diagnosis. 1-800-993-6072

DISH TV - BEST DEAL EVER! Only \$39.99/mo. Plus \$14.99/mo Internet (where avail) FREE Streaming. FREE Install (up to 6 rooms.) FREE HD-DVR. Call 1-800-315-7043.

DONATE YOUR CAR, TRUCK OR BOAT TO HERITAGE FOR THE BLIND. Free 3 Day Vacation, Tax Deductible, Free Towing, All Paperwork Taken Care Of. CALL 1-800-948-7239

GOT AN older car, boat or RV? Do the humane thing. Donate it to the Humane Society. Call 1-800-316-0265

MR. BLANKENSHIP rented his house with the second call he received the first day he ran the ad.

MISCELLANEOUS



FOR SALE: Yakima Rocketbox Rack
In mint condition only used twice, almost 8 ft. long, with a lock, asking \$250. Call 575-693-3078.

CINDY CALLED to tell us she sold her home in 4 days using the Quay County Sun's Classifieds. Way to go, Cindy!

GOT KNEE Pain? Back Pain? Shoulder Pain? Get a pain-relieving brace - little or NO cost to you. Medicare Patients Call Health Hotline Now! 1-800-918-6159

LIFE ALERT. 24/7. One press of a button sends help FAST! Medical, Fire, Burglar. Even if you can't reach a phone! FREE Brochure. CALL 800-644-2630

SAFE STEP Walk-In Tub Alert for Seniors. Bathroom falls can be fatal. Approved by Arthritis Foundation. Therapeutic Jets. Less Than 4 Inch Step-In. Wide Door. Anti-Slip Floors. American Made. Installation Included. Call 800-296-0427 for \$750 Off.

MISCELLANEOUS

SELL YOUR structured settlement or annuity payments for CASH NOW. You don't have to wait for your future payments any longer! Call 1-800-614-1524

SOCIAL SECURITY DISABILITY BENEFITS. Unable to work? Denied benefits? We Can Help! WIN or Pay Nothing! Contact Bill Gordon & Associates at 1-800-591-5109 to start your application today!

STOP OVERPAYING for your prescriptions! SAVE! Call our licensed Canadian and International pharmacy service to compare prices and get \$25.00 OFF your first prescription! Call 1-800-661-3783 PROMO Code CDC201625

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ULTIMATE BUNDLE from DIRECTV & AT&T. 2-Year Price Guarantee - Just \$89.99/month (TV/fast internet/phone) FREE Whole-Home Genie HD-DVR Upgrade. New Customers Only. Call Today 1-800-000-0000

VIAGRA AND CIALIS USERS! Cut your drug costs! SAVE \$51 50 Pills for \$99.00. FREE Shipping! 100% Guaranteed and Discreet. CALL 1-800-956-1792

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ATV



RAPTOR 350 Like New
--Garaged and less than one hour on motor.
Now lowered to \$3500.
575-356-6853 or 575-607-5433

CAMPERS AND MOTOR HOMES

1993 ROCKWOOD TRAVEL TRAILER
\$7,000
28 ft.
GOOD CONDITION!!!
575-749-2147
575-356-4752



2012 JAYCO MELBOURNE CLASS C MOTOR HOME
Model 29D, 13,300 miles, excellent condition, 3

CAMPERS AND MOTOR HOMES

slides, walk-around queen bed, electric/gas fridge and water heater, one-piece rubber roof, automatic hydraulic leveling system, 4KW gas generator, 16' awning, electric step, 19" & 32" two flat screen TVs, full body paint & many more extras, inside storage when not in use. 575-693-6487

MOTORCYCLES



2009 YAMAHA YZF R6S
under 500 miles, excellent condition, has been garage kept and only one owner. \$6,800 OBO Call 575-218-4739.

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CARS FOR SALE



2004 DODGE INTREPID SE MODEL
*** SUPER CLEAN ***
POWER SEATS, 22's, & AC
\$4,900
Contact: 575-810-5163

CARS FOR SALE



1996 SEDAN DEVILLE CADILLAC V8
4.5ltr. Northstar Engine Less than 111,500mi Blue leather interior
All Electric
****GOOD CONDITION** \$3,500**
575-799-4607

WANT A JOB?

Legitimate job placement firms that work to fill specific positions cannot charge an up front fee. It's the law. A public service message from Freedom New Mexico and the Federal Trade Commission.



2002 BMW 745i
Leather, Navigation, Heated Seats, Sun Roof,
****LOADED***
& Super Clean
\$11,900 LOW miles
Contact: 575810-5163

DESAIREE SAYS "I placed an ad and it sold as soon as the ad came out"

3 PC. living room suite, sofa, chair, and loveseat. Southwest design w/soft pastel colors. \$265 OBO. Call xxx-xxxx.

CARS FOR SALE

NEW TODAY!



EXCELLENT CONDITION
1995 Crown Victoria 90,750 miles; regular maintenance through local dealership. 4000 miles on tires. A steal at \$2500. Call 313-575-6688

TRUCK/VAN/SUV

NEW TODAY!



2002 DODGE Dakota Club Cab (2 door) - ONLY 42K miles (CARFAX verified)! Excellent condition!
Base model with 4X4, SLT trim package, 4.7L V-8, and automatic transmission. New tires (off road flotation), new shocks, new battery, & much more! \$7,800 (firm). 575-693-3719 Serious buyers only.

NEWLY REDUCED!

2003 GMC - 132k mi WELL MAINTAINED
Asking \$7,000
Call: 575-763-4749

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STEAD, NM - Union Co, NM - located at the confluence of the Pinabets/Trampers Creeks, year round live water, beautiful country w/super improvements & livestock watering facilities, 4,650 deeded, 3,357 State Lease, one irr. well with 1/4 mi. pivot sprinkler for supplemental feed, excellent access via pvmt. & all weather roads.
PRICE REDUCED CONSIDERABLY!
AIRPORT DRIVE - Tucumcari, NM - Choice 160 ac. +/-, on pvmt. w/beautiful home, roping arena, steel pens & 139.5 ac. +/- of water rights.
BIRD HUNTERS HAVEN - Quay Co., NM - 276.22 ac. +/-, in easy driving distance of Ute & Conchas Lakes, all in native grass w/home, barns, good fences, well watered, on pvmt.
YES, WE CAN DIVIDE! 202 ac. +/-, just out of Tucumcari, NM, 40 ac. tracts minimum, ditch water rights, community water available, hwy. frontage, easy driving distance of Ute & Conchas Lakes.
Please view our websites for details on these properties, choice TX, NM & CO ranches (large & small), choice ranches in the high rainfall areas of OK, irr./dryland/CRP & commercial properties. We need your listings on any types of ag properties in TX., NM, OK & CO.
www.scottlandcompany.com
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<p>\$260/per month*</p> <p>2016 Dodge Journey</p> <p>STK# P9427</p>	<p>\$212/per month*</p> <p>2014 Jeep Cherokee 4x4</p> <p>STK# 76089A</p>	<p>\$376/per month*</p> <p>2016 Chrysler 300</p> <p>STK# P9399</p>	<p>\$465/per month*</p> <p>2016 Buick Enclave</p> <p>STK# P9440</p>	<p>\$444/per month*</p> <p>2014 Honda Pilot</p> <p>STK# 54151AA</p>

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