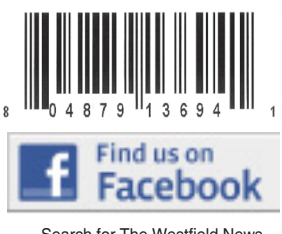




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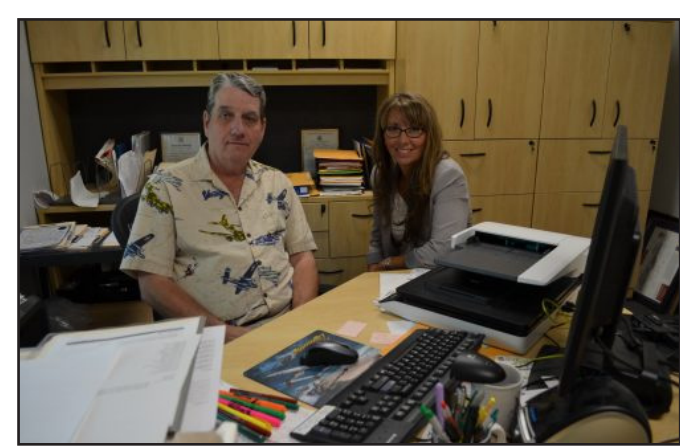
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Transition underway at veterans services office

By LORI SZEPELAK
Correspondent
WESTFIELD – As a member of a “strong military family,” Julie Barnes is eager to start her new role on Aug. 1 as director of veterans services for the city. Barnes has been working part time alongside Bobby Callahan since March, learning all of the intricacies of the office which is located within the Westfield Senior Center complex. Callahan will officially retire on July 31 while James Jordan, veterans services officer, will continue to serve in the office with Barnes. The Westfield Department of Veterans Services is responsible for assisting veterans residing in the city on issues on the federal, state, and local levels, according

to Callahan. Office hours are weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., and inquiries can be made by calling (413) 642-9314. During a recent morning interview, Barnes said the transition is going well and she knows Callahan is a “hard act to follow.” “I know the veterans who visit the office love him,” said Barnes, noting the new role will be a challenge at first. “It’s a lot to learn but I enjoy learning something new.” Barnes grew up in Granville and attended Southwick High School. Her military family includes her grandfather, Arthur Daigneau, and his brothers, and her father, Alan Daigneau, who all served in the Navy. “My sister, Jeanne Daigneau, has been

in the military for 27 years and is currently serving in the Connecticut ANG as their mission support group superintendent/chief,” said Barnes, adding that her husband, Brian Paul Barnes, is a former A-10 pilot who retired with 28 years in the service and finished his career as the wing commander of the Connecticut ANG. Barnes started working as the office secretary in the recruiting department at Barnes Air National Guard in 1989 when she was 18 and within six months, she enlisted. “I signed up as a supply technician and went to basic training in Texas and Tech School at Lowry Air Force Base in



Bobby Callahan will be retiring as director of the Westfield Department of Veterans Services and is currently training Julie Barnes to take over his duties.

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Strawberry Festival a highlight of Thursday’s market

By LORI SZEPELAK
Correspondent
WESTFIELD—There are many reasons to visit the Westfield Farmers’ Market on Thursdays, according to Debbie Randzio, market co-manager. “Our market is unique in a number of ways,” said Randzio. “We are blessed to have an entirely volunteer crew who enthusiastically and tirelessly support the market, and we offer live music every week. We also have a playground, accessible restrooms, a cooling room, free parking, and all in a friendly atmosphere and in a beautiful central location.” The market is conducted Thursdays from noon to 6 p.m. on the grounds of the Episcopal Church of the Atonement on Court Street.

On June 21, among more than 25 vendors, the 156th annual Strawberry Festival will take place from 4 to 6 p.m., and then move to the Park Square Green from 6 to 9 p.m. The menu is strawberry shortcake and strawberry sundaes. A portion of the festival proceeds will benefit the Genesis Spiritual Life Center’s Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Healing Hearts Program, as well as Ascentria Care Alliance’s “Celebrating Community Cookbook.” Also on June 21, the art of chainsaw woodcarving will be demonstrated by Jeff Bellefleur of Agawam, who specializes in carvings of stools, wood spirits, and mushrooms. “Vendors who are accepted support our mission,” said Randzio, noting that vendors and their products must “promote healthy living” and crafts must use “natural, agricultural, organic or repurposed materials and that are produced locally by hand.” For the latest schedule of events and a list of vendors to check out, visit westfieldfarmersmarket.net.



Jeff Bellefleur of Agawam will demonstrate how to carve wood with a chainsaw this Thursday at the Westfield Farmers’ Market.



Students from each grade spoke about their projects before showing them at an assembly with environmental educator Ted Watt.

Russell Elementary holds final assemblies, starts packing and thanks the town for being gracious hosts

By AMY PORTER
Correspondent
RUSSELL – On Wednesday, students at Russell Elementary School held an assembly to speak and show the projects they worked on with Ted Watt, an environmental educator from the Hitchcock Center for the Environment in Amherst. This was the third year in a row that Watt, who all the students call Mr. Ted, came to the school thanks to a \$5,000 STARS grant (Students and Teachers Working with Artists, Scientists and Scholars) from the Massachusetts Cultural Council. Before the assembly, Russell principal Alison Hamilton spoke about the final weeks at Russell Elementary. She said the staff will be busy packing everything up, before the lease runs out at the end of June. “The town has been so gracious, I loved working with them; they’ve been great landlords. Anything I’ve ever asked of them, they’ve done,” said Hamilton. She said she called them on Monday to ask if they could mow in advance of the field day on Thursday, and they came right out. Hamilton became visibly moved as she showed a large framed photo that Ray Gouley, a photographer working with the Russell Electric Company, had taken of all the students, teachers and staff in front of the school and presented to her. She made 190 copies of the photo to give to everyone as a parting gift. “The kids and their families and the staff love it here,” she said. Hamilton will also be retiring at the end of the year after 40 years in education. She took her first teaching job in 1978



Retiring Russell Elementary principal Alison Hamilton and administrative assistant Tina Howe, who will be going to Franklin Avenue school next year. (Photos by Amy Porter)

with the Hampshire Education Collaborative in Northampton. In Westfield, she has had nine superintendents in nine different positions at six different schools. “I’m so glad I ended here,” she said. Hamilton has made the most of the lovely Hilltown surroundings. Besides the work with Watt, there were two owl releases at the school by Bird of Prey Rehabilitation facility owner Thomas Riccardi. They also had the Enchanted Circle Theatre troupe in to work with the kids. Their final program was held on Friday.

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Kick-off meeting for 250th set for Monday night

By GREG FITZPATRICK
Correspondent
SOUTHWICK – The Select Board will be hosting the introductory meeting for the 250th anniversary committee on Monday at 6:30 p.m. in the auditorium of the Southwick Town Hall. The kick-off meeting is open to all interested residents in town to attend. The Select Board is hoping to have numerous civic organizations, faith-based organizations, non-profits, and civic groups attend and give their thoughts on the 250th anniversary. According to Select Board Clerk Russ Fox, the hope is to have a member of the Park and Recreation Commission, the school district, police and fire departments, as well as the



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The Queen Retires

By LYNN BOSCHER
Special contributor
WESTFIELD – The Queen of Fitness, a.k.a. Carol Palmer, retired after 34 years of service to the Westfield Y.M.C.A. About 100 people gathered on Friday morning to honor Palmer on her last day of work.

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Past Executive Directors, Harry Rock, John Barclay and Andrea Allard and Winnie Oliniski honor Carol Palmer (center, on throne). (Photo by Lynn Boscher)

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New England District of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod 2018 convention

The New England District of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod is having their 2018 convention and held the opening Worship service at St John's in Westfield Thursday evening. Pastor David Riley (St John's Westfield), Rev Dr. John Sias (LCMS Secretary), Pastor Tim Boerger (Zion Lutheran - Orange, MA), Pastor Randall Bessette (First Lutheran - Holyoke, MA), and Pastor Eric Wismar (Holy Cross Lutheran - Trumbull, CT) (Photo by Don Wielgos)

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St. Paul raccoon set free after scaling 25-story tower

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — A raccoon that became an internet sensation by scaling a 25-story office tower in downtown St. Paul was safely trapped Wednesday and released back into the wild.

The raccoon looked a bit bedraggled but healthy after it was caught before dawn atop the UBS Plaza. Technicians took the caged raccoon down a freight elevator to a truck, according to Wildlife Management Services, which provides animal control services for St. Paul.

"It's definitely a healthy raccoon. It's in good condition. It's eating normally," said Christina Valdivia, the company's general manager, who accompanied the technicians to the rooftop.

The raccoon's adventures caused a stir on social media as it scaled the tower Tuesday, with many Twitter users voicing concern for its safety or joking about the drama as its seemingly death-defying climb was livestreamed by several broadcasters. Valdivia said her mother-in-law saw it on the news in Chile.

The animal made it to the roof early Wednesday, where traps baited with cat food were waiting. The raccoon, a female, was released later in the day and scampered into a wooded area on private property near the Twin Cities suburb of Shakopee.

Minnesota Public Radio, which broke the story and closely followed the raccoon's climb from its headquarters less than a block away, branded the animal #mpraccoon.

Among those riveted was Suzanne MacDonald, a raccoon behavior expert at York University in Toronto.

"Raccoons don't think ahead very much, so raccoons don't have very good impulse control," she said, admitting she could barely sleep she was so worried about the animal. "I don't think the raccoon realized when it started climbing what it was in for."

Initial speculation was that the raccoon climbed to a lower part of the building, frequented by pigeons, in search of bird eggs. But workers who tried to lure it down with a wooden ramp likely just scared it, said Phil Jenni, executive director of the Wildlife Rehabilitation Center of Minnesota.

So it did what raccoons do when they're stressed: it climbed.

It's not unusual for raccoons to climb fairly tall trees and other structures, according to MacDonald and Jenni, though neither had heard of one climbing such a tall building before.

MacDonald said one raccoon grabbed attention in 2015, after climbing 699 feet (213 meters) up a construction crane in Toronto. It safely climbed down on its own.

Jenni said the outpouring of concern online was encouraging, but he noted it's often best to leave wild animals alone.

"The narrative that developed was this raccoon was stranded and needed rescuing. I'm not sure that was true. It was behaving like a lot of raccoons do," he said.

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TODAY IN HISTORY

TODAY IS SATURDAY, JUNE 16, THE 167TH DAY OF 2018. THERE ARE 198 DAYS LEFT IN THE YEAR.

ON THIS DATE:

In 1567, Mary, Queen of Scots, was imprisoned in Lochleven Castle in Scotland. (She escaped almost a year later but ended up imprisoned again.)

In 1779, the nearly four-year Great Siege of Gibraltar began as Spain declared war on Britain.

In 1858, accepting the Illinois Republican Party's nomination for the U.S. Senate, Abraham Lincoln said the slavery issue had to be resolved, declaring, "A house divided against itself cannot stand."

In 1903, Ford Motor Co. was incorporated.

In 1933, the National Industrial Recovery Act became law with President Franklin D. Roosevelt's signature. (The Act was later struck down by the U.S. Supreme Court.) The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. was founded as President Roosevelt signed the Banking Act of 1933.

In 1943, comedian Charles Chaplin, 54, married his fourth wife, Oona O'Neill, the 18-year-old daughter of playwright Eugene O'Neill, in Carpinteria, California.

In 1944, George Stinney, a 14-year-old black youth, was electrocuted by the state of South Carolina for the murders of two white girls, Betty June Binnicker, 11, and Mary Emma Thames, 7.

In 1958, the Supreme Court, in *Kent v. Dulles*, ruled that artist Rockwell Kent could not be denied a passport because of his communist affiliations. Imre Nagy (IM'-ray nahj), premier of Hungary during the 1956 rebellion, was executed in Budapest for treason.

In 1978, President Jimmy Carter and Panamanian leader Omar Torrijos signed the instruments of ratification for the Panama Canal treaties during a ceremony in Panama City.

In 1988, impeached and ousted Arizona Governor Evan Mecham and his brother, Willard, were acquitted by a Phoenix jury of concealing a \$350,000 campaign loan.

In 1996, Russian voters went to the polls in their first independent presidential election; the result was a runoff between President Boris Yeltsin (the eventual winner) and Communist challenger Gennady Zyuganov. Sports caster Mel Allen died in Greenwich, Connecticut, at age 83.

In 2015, real estate mogul Donald Trump launched his successful campaign to become President of the United States with a speech at Trump Tower in Manhattan.

TEN YEARS AGO:

Former Vice President Al Gore announced his endorsement of fellow Democrat Barack Obama for president. A California Supreme Court ruling that overturned the state's bans on same-sex marriage became final at 5:01 p.m. Pacific time, prompting dozens of gay couples to tie the knot. Tiger Woods, playing on a throbbing injured knee, won an epic U.S. Open after a 19-hole playoff at Torrey Pines with Rocco Mediate.

FIVE YEARS AGO:

Riot police firing tear gas and water cannons repelled thousands of anti-government protesters attempting to converge on Istanbul's central Taksim Square while Prime Minister Recep Tayyip Erdogan (REH'-jehp TY'-ihp UR'-doh-wahn) defended the crackdown at a rally of his supporters. Justin Rose captured his first major championship and became the first Englishman in 43 years to win the U.S. Open, shooting a closing 70 at Merion Golf Club in Ardmore, Pennsylvania, for a 1-over 281 total. Connecticut accountant Erin Brady won the Miss USA pageant in Las Vegas.

ONE YEAR AGO:

President Donald Trump acknowledged for the first

time that he was under federal investigation as part of the expanding probe into Russia's election meddling as he lashed out at a top Justice Department official overseeing the inquiry. A St. Anthony, Minnesota, police officer was acquitted of manslaughter in the fatal shooting of Philando Castile, a black motorist who had just informed the officer that he was carrying a gun. A woman who sent her boyfriend a barrage of text messages urging him to kill himself when they were both teenagers was convicted in Taunton, Massachusetts, of involuntary manslaughter in a trial that raised questions about whether words can kill. Former German Chancellor Helmut Kohl died at his home in Ludwigshafen; he was 87. Actor Stephen Furst, who played naive fraternity pledge Flounder in the hit movie "Animal House," died in Moorpark, California, at age 63.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS:

Actress Eileen Atkins is 84. Actor Bill Cobbs is 84. Author Joyce Carol Oates is 80. Country singer Billy "Crash" Craddock is 80. Songwriter Lamont Dozier is 77. Rhythm and blues singer Eddie Levert is 76. Actress Joan Van Ark is 75. Actor Geoff Pierson is 69. Rhythm and blues singer James Smith (The Stylistics) is 68. Boxing Hall of Famer Roberto Duran is 67. Pop singer Gino Vannelli is 66. Actress Laurie Metcalf is 63. Actor Arnold Vosloo is 56. Actor Danny Burstein is 54. Model-actress Jenny Shimizu is 51. Actor James Patrick Stuart is 50. Rapper MC Ren is 49. Actor Clifton Collins Jr. is 48. Golfer Phil Mickelson is 48. Actor John Cho is 46. Actor Eddie Cibrian is 45. Actor Fred Koehler is 43. Actress China (chee-nah) Shavers is 41. Actor Daniel Bruhl is 40. Bluegrass musician Caleb Smith (Balsam Range) is 40. Actress Sibel Kekilli is 38. Actress Missy Peregrym (PEH'-rih-grihm) is 36. Actress Olivia Hack is 35. Singer Diana DeGarmo (TV: "American Idol") is 31. Pop-rock musician Ian Keaggy (Hot Chelle (SHEL)) is 31.

Transition

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Denver," said Barnes. After receiving her bachelor's degree in 1991 in business management at Westfield State, she received a commission and a position within the Maryland Air National Guard as a C-130 navigator.

"Unfortunately, a few years later I entered a DNIF (duty not involving/including flying) status due to migraine headaches," said Barnes.

Barnes then took on the role of the squadron's executive officer, organizing programs, performing computer work and coordination with the unit's personnel.

"My husband and I moved to New York in 1997 and I transferred to the NY ANG as a non-flying navigator where I assisted our unit with planning missions," said Barnes, adding that all of her military experience "will come in handy" as she assumes the director's role for city veterans. Also, the couple has two children, Nathan, 23, who is in the Masters Program at Westfield State University, and Grace, 20, who will be entering her sophomore year at Westfield State in the fall in the Special Education program.

In addition to her 11 years serving with the ANG, Barnes has spent the past 13 years as the development officer for the Springfield Rescue Mission.

Callahan has served in the veterans services office since 2008 and said he has spent most of the time training Barnes on "two big programs," the Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 115 Veterans' Benefits, and on pension claims - especially for surviving spouses.

"We currently service about 100 clients," said Callahan, adding that if individuals cannot qualify for either one of the programs, he also tries to help by work-

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 Connor and Mackenzie and your beloved
 pets Willow and Sami.*

ing with Karen Noblit, the city's senior benefits coordinator, who also has an office in the senior center.

"We share a lot of the same clients with Karen," said Callahan, adding "We make a great team."

While the training continues for a few more weeks on subjects ranging from Agent Orange, Post Traumatic Stress, medical benefits, financial assistance, and disability claims, Barnes is thankful for all of the ways Callahan has prepared files - paper and computer - to ensure a smooth transition.

"I consider it a privilege to have served my country while enlisted, and I am proud to continue helping our Westfield veterans who seek assistance through the Veterans Services Office," said Barnes.

As for Callahan, he soon will have more time to spend socializing with family and friends, and enjoying more time on the golf course. While he and his wife have visions of being Florida snowbirds too, his memberships with AMVETS, the VFW and Legion will always be an important part of his life.

Palmer

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Palmer was honored by being presented a sash, crown, flowers, purple robe, a scepter, a gold watch and a "Lifetime Membership" in the Y.M.C.A.

Harry Rock, former Executive Director said, "We were blessed to have Carol for 34 years for her passion, joy, happiness and love of life that she spread across the YMCA, our community and everyone she touched."

Vinnie Olinski recognized her as "A breath of fresh air for new ideas with positive energy in everything she did."

As for John Barclay, former Executive Director "One of the best decisions I ever made was to hire her for the YMCA."

Andrea Allard, current YMCA CEO praised Palmer. "Carol embraced the YMCA mission in all her endeavors; dedicating her life's work to creating a healthy spirit, mind and body for all. Her enthusiasm, dedication, and passion were second to none. She truly impacted thousands of lives and we are a better organization because of her service."



Carol receives a big hug from her sister in law, Linda Buzzee.



William Palmer congratulates Carol on her retirement.



Family, friends, co-workers applaud in honor.



"The Queen of Fitness", Carol Palmer, retired Friday after 34 years of working at the YMCA of Greater Westfield. (Photo by Lynn Boscher)

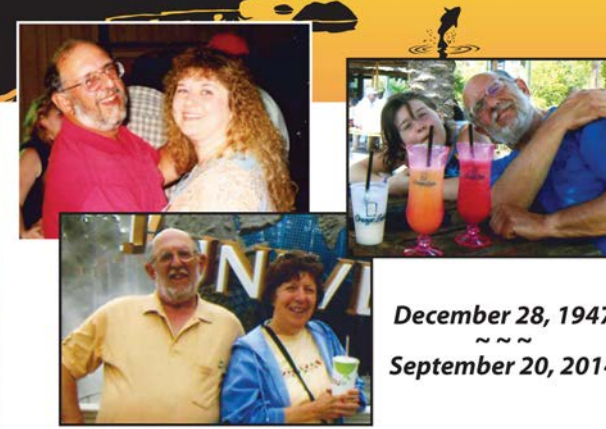


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 Special Town Meeting at 7 pm
 Zoning Board Meeting at 7 pm

TOLLAND:
 Men's Coffee at PSC Building at 7:45 am
 Board of Selectmen at 5 pm
 Planning Board at 7 pm

WESTFIELD:
 Police Commission at 5:30 pm
 Historical Commission at 7 pm

TUESDAY, JUNE 19

WESTFIELD:
 Legislative and Ordinance Meeting at 5:30 pm
 Park & Rec at 6:30 pm
 Commission for Citizens with Disabilities Meeting at 6:30 pm
 Planning Board at 7 pm

HUNTINGTON:
 Board of Assessors at 6 pm

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20

BLANDFORD:
 Board of Health Meeting at 6 pm
 Fire Department Meeting at 7 pm
 Historical Commission Meeting at 7 pm

WESTFIELD:
 Special City Council meeting at 6 pm
 Off-Street Parking Commission at 6 pm

SOUTHWICK:
 Library Board of Trustees Meeting at 6:30 pm

HUNTINGTON:
 Board of Health at 6 pm

THURSDAY, JUNE 21

BLANDFORD:
 Library Trustees Meeting at 7:30 pm

WESTFIELD:
 Retirement Board at 2 pm
 Personnel Action Committee at 6:30 pm
 City Council at 7 pm

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Judge jails ex-Trump campaign chair Manafort ahead of trial

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former Trump campaign chairman Paul Manafort was jailed Friday after a federal judge revoked his house arrest over allegations of witness tampering in special counsel Robert Mueller's investigation.

The order by U.S. District Judge Amy Berman Jackson adds to the already intense pressure on President Donald Trump's former top campaign aide in the special counsel's probe of Russian interference in the 2016 election campaign and the possible coordination with Trump aides.

Manafort, who is 69, now loses the relative freedom he enjoyed while preparing for two criminal trials, and he faces the possibility, if tried and convicted, of spending the rest of his life in prison. Still, it's unclear if the move will push Manafort to cooperate with prosecutors.

Manafort witnessed several key episodes under investigation by Mueller's team. But he has not shown a willingness to help investigators, instead vigorously maintaining his innocence and attacking his prosecution as illegitimate. Prosecutors have also given no indication they are pursuing a plea deal or consider his testimony essential to the probe given the amount of evidence — and other cooperators — they've amassed in the last year.

No one on the campaign, including Manafort, has been charged with a crime directly related to Russian attempts to sway the election.

On Friday, Trump criticized Jackson's decision, even as he sought to distance himself from Manafort by saying the former chairman worked for other prominent Republicans and worked for his campaign for only "49 days or something? A very short period of time." In fact, Manafort served there for nearly five months.

Trump also tweeted with sarcasm that he "didn't know Manafort was the head of the Mob" and asked: "What about Comey and Crooked Hillary and all of the others? Very unfair!" The president referred incorrectly to Manafort's pre-trial detention as a "tough sentence." Manafort hasn't been convicted of any crimes or sentenced.

In issuing her ruling, Jackson said she had struggled with the decision to jail Manafort while he awaits trial and considered alternatives.

But she couldn't "turn a blind eye" to his conduct or ensure he would abide by her orders if he remained on house arrest.

"You have abused the trust placed in you six months ago," she said.

Jackson's ruling came in response to an indictment handed up last week charging Manafort, and longtime associate Konstantin Kilimnik, with obstruction of justice and conspiracy to obstruct justice, adding to the multiple felony counts he already faced.

Manafort pleaded not guilty to the latest indictment on Friday. Kilimnik, who prosecutors say lives in Russia, did not appear in court or respond to an email seeking comment Friday. Mueller's team has said that Kilimnik has ties to Russian intelligence agencies, a claim he has denied.

Prosecutors say the two men tried to get two witnesses to say

that lobbying work on behalf of Ukraine and carried out by clandestinely paid former politicians occurred only in Europe and not the U.S., a contention the witnesses said they knew was false.

The distinction matters because unregistered foreign lobbying in the U.S. is a crime, while lobbying solely in Europe would be outside the special counsel's jurisdiction.

Manafort's attorneys have accused prosecutors of conjuring a "sinister plot" out of "innocuous" contacts. They filed a memo written by one of the witnesses for Manafort that his attorneys say shows the work of the group, known as the Hapsburg group, was European-focused.

In response, prosecutors filed additional documents showing extensive lobbying contacts by the group in the U.S., which they said showed "the falsity of his representation." One document was a 2013 memo from Manafort to former Ukrainian President Viktor Yanukovich. It described how Manafort had designed a program that used the Hapsburg members to lobby U.S. lawmakers and influence American public opinion including meetings on Capitol Hill.

On Friday, Manafort lawyer Richard Westling said his client had "largely" complied with Jackson's orders. And he argued that Manafort could not have known the men he contacted were witnesses.

Westling did not propose adding any conditions to Manafort's house arrest, only asking that the judge clarify whom he was or wasn't allowed to contact. He also asked the judge to consider the burden it would place on Manafort to prepare for two criminal trials from jail.

Prosecutor Greg Andres said it was "inconceivable" that Manafort didn't know the men were potential witnesses, noting that he had specifically reached out to them to discuss allegations made in an indictment against him.

Andres said Manafort had carried out a "sustained campaign" over five weeks to influence the witnesses' testimony, which he said was part of Manafort's "history of deception in this case."

For example, he said, the government had discovered Manafort was trying to hide his communications by using a technique called "foldering" in which multiple people have access to the same email account and communicate by saving messages in a drafts folder rather than sending them.

Jackson said she was "very troubled" by Manafort's contacts with witnesses. She also refused to lay out which witnesses were off-limits.

"This is not middle school. I can't take his cellphone," she said, noting that if she listed 56 witnesses, she couldn't be certain he wouldn't contact the 57th.

Manafort will remain in jail while he awaits trial in both Washington and Virginia over the next few months. He faces several felony charges — including tax evasion, bank fraud, money-laundering conspiracy and acting as an unregistered foreign agent — related to his Ukrainian political work, money he funneled through offshore accounts and loans he took out on property in the U.S.

DHS reports about 2,000 minors separated from families

WASHINGTON (AP) — Nearly 2,000 children have been separated from their families at the U.S. border over a six-week period during a crackdown on illegal entries, according to Department of Homeland Security figures obtained Friday by The Associated Press.

The figures show that 1,995 minors were separated from 1,940 adults from April 19 through May 31. The separations were not broken down by age, and included separations for illegal entry, immigration violations or possible criminal conduct by the adult.

Under a "zero tolerance" policy announced by Attorney General Jeff Sessions, Department of Homeland Security officials are now referring all cases of illegal entry for criminal prosecution. U.S. protocol prohibits detaining children with their parents because the children are not charged with a crime and the parents are.

Sessions announced the effort April 6, and Homeland Security began stepping up referrals in early May, effectively putting the policy into action.

Since then, stories of weeping children torn from the arms of their frightened parents have flooded the media and the policy has been widely criticized by church groups, politicians and children's advocates who say it is inhumane. A battle in Congress is brewing in part over the issue.

Some immigrant advocates have said women were being separated from their infants — a charge Homeland Security and Justice officials flatly denied. They also said the children were being well cared for and disputed reports of disorder and mistreatment at the border.

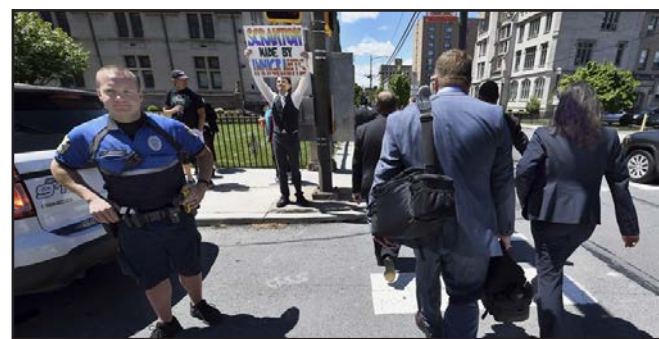
On Thursday, Sessions cited the Bible in defending the policy, arguing the recent criticisms were not "fair or logical and some are contrary to law."

"I would cite you to the Apostle Paul and his clear and wise command in Romans 13, to obey the laws of the government because God has ordained them for the purpose of order," he said.

The International Rescue Committee, a humanitarian aid group, released a statement Friday saying, "A policy of willing cruelty to those people, and using young sons and daughters as pawns, shatters America's strong foundation of humanitarian sensibility and family values."

The new figures are for people who tried to enter the U.S. between official border crossings. Asylum seekers who go directly to official crossings are not separated from their families, except in specific circumstances — such as if officials can't confirm the relationship between the minors and adults, if the safety of the children is in question, or if the adult is being prosecuted.

There were an additional 38 minors separated at ports of entry in May through June 6. There were more than 55 in April and a high of 64 in March, according to the figures.



Jonathan Wilson, 33, of Scranton, Pa., holds a sign outside of a Lackawanna College where U.S. Attorney Jeff Sessions spoke on immigration policy and law enforcement actions, Friday, June 15, 2018, in Scranton, Pa. Attendees who took part in listening to the speech cross the street at right. (AP)



Paul Manafort arrives at federal court, Friday, June 15, 2018, in Washington. (AP Photo/Jacquelyn Martin)

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11:55 a.m.: breaking and entering, Southampton Road, a caller reports his son's vehicle was broken into and property was stolen, the responding officer reports the caller said that a window had been removed from the vehicle and a speaker was stolen;

1:38 p.m.: animal complaint, Westfield Animal Shelter, 178 Apremont Way, an Easthampton resident brought a mother cat and four kittens to the shelter, the woman said that she had seen the felines near her home and was concerned for their well being;

2:06 p.m.: larceny, Atwater Street, a caller reports her son's bicycle is missing, the responding officer reports the caller said that her son's unlocked bike was stolen from the side of her house;

3:10 p.m.: larceny, WalMart, 141 Springfield Road, store personnel report a shoplifter is in custody, the responding officer reports the complainant said that two person were seen shoplifting merchandise valued at more than \$500, one of the persons was found to be in possession of illicit drugs, **Alicia Ann Hansen**, 35, of 10 Oakdale Ave., Westfield, was arrested for shoplifting by asportation, a third offense, **William Pagan-Rivera**, 46, of 106 Noel St., Springfield, was arrested for shoplifting by concealing merchandise, a third offense, and for possession of a Class B drug;

3:53 p.m.: multiple callers reports a motorcyclist was injured in a crash with a a car, the responding officer report the motorcyclist fell off his motorcycle to avoid a crash but is injured, the rider was transported to Baystate Medical Center and his motorcycle was transported to the police impound yard.

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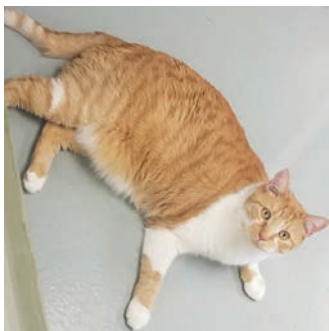
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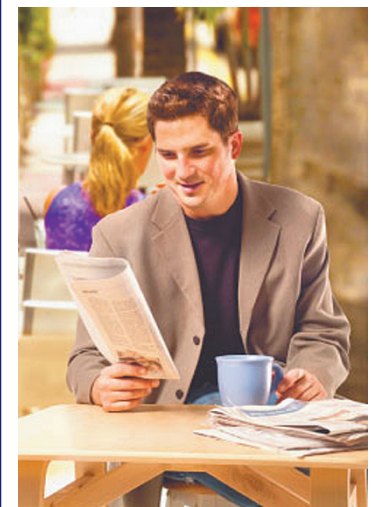
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Rev. Dr. Susanne U. Hayes - Interim Minister
Music - Roberta Kowal; Patti Wood
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Sundays
10:00 AM (9:30 AM from 6/17-9/2/18)
Worship Service
(Nursery Available)
10:15 AM
Sunday School/Youth Group
(2nd and 4th Sunday) (off for summer 5/20)
3:30 PM
O.A. Meeting
Tuesday
6:30 PM
Boy Scouts Meeting
6:30 PM
Bell Choir Rehearsal
Wednesday
6:30 PM
Cub Scouts Meeting
7:00 PM
Voice Choir Rehearsal
Thursday
6:30 PM
Mid-Week Service
Friday
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Henrietta's Thrift Shop Open
6:00 PM
O.A. Meeting
7:30 PM
A.A. Meeting
Saturday
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Henrietta's Thrift Shop 7 Pm Adult Choir Rehearsal
Thursday
6:30 Pm T.O.P.S.
Friday
9-1 Pm Henrietta's Thrift Shop - Open
6 Pm O.A. Meeting
7:30 Pm A.A. 12 Step Meeting
Saturday 9-1 Pm
Henrietta's Thrift Shop - Open

**ST. JOSEPH'S POLISH
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Social Center: Clinton Avenue
Father Sr. Joseph Soltysiak, Pastor
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Email - Soltysiak@Comcast.net
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Sunday School - 9:30 A.M., Social Center
Daily And Holy Day Masses as announced
For more Information & Links: PNCC.org

ST. MARY'S CHURCH
30 Bartlett Street, Westfield, Ma 01085
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Rev. Frank Lawlor - Pastor
Rev. Ryan Sliwa and Rev. John Touhey,
Parochial Vicar
Deacon Pedro Rivera
Deacon Roger Carrier
Weekday Mass - Monday-Friday, 8:30 A.M.
Holy Day Masses - 8:30 A.M. &
6:15 P.M. (Bilingual) Confessions -
Saturdays, 2:30-3:30 P.M. (Lower Church)
Saturday Mass - 4 P.M.
Sunday Mass - 7, 8:30 And 10 A.M.
And 11:30 A.M. and 5 PM.
All Masses Are In The Upper Church,
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St. Mary's High School (9-12) - (413) 568-5692
Office Of Religious Education - (413) 568-1127
St. Vincent De Paul Outreach To The Poor
And Needy - (413) 568-5619

ST. PETER & ST. CASIMIR PARISH
22 State Street
Westfield, Ma 01085
Rev. William H. Wallis, Pastor
Parish Office - (413) 568-5421
Mass Schedule Daily -
Mon.-Thurs. - 7:15 A.M.
Saturday Mass - 4 P.M.
Saturday Confessions - 3 P.M. - 3:30 P.M.
Sunday Masses - 8:30 A.M. & 10:30 A.M.

**TEMPLE BETH EL
Worship Services**
Sunday - Thursday Evening, 7 P.M.
Friday Evening, 6 P.M.
Saturday Evening, 5 P.M.
Monday-Friday Morning, 7 A.M.
Saturday Morning, 9:30 A.M.
Sunday And Holiday
Morning, 8 A.M. Ongoing
Monday Afternoons - Learning Center
(Religious School), 3:15 P.M.
Tuesday Afternoons - B'yachad
(Hebrew High School) 6:30
P.M.; Parshat Ha Shove
Study Group, 7:30 P.M.
Wednesday Afternoons - Learning Center
(Religious School), 3:15 P.M.;
Youth Chorale, 5:15 P.M.
Thursday Evenings - Boy Scout Troop
#32 Meets At 7:30 P.M.
Friday Mornings - "Exploring Our Prayers"
With Rabbi, 7 A.M.

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297 Russell Road, Westfield, Ma 01085
Rev. Jordan Greeley, Pastor
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Sunday Morning Service: 10 A.M.
Sunday Evening, 6 P.M.
Wednesday Evening, 7 P.M.

WESTFIELD EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
568 Southwick Road, Westfield, Ma 01085
Rev. David K. Young, Pastor
Phone - (413) 562-1504
Sunday - 10 A.M. - Morning Worship,
Childcare Available; 8:45 A.M. - Sunday School.
Wednesday - 7 P.M. - Bible Study.
Friday - 6:30 P.M. -
Awana Children's Program.

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61 Upper Church Street,
West Springfield, Ma 01089
Phone - (413) 736-1006
Sunday - 10:30 A.M. And 6 P.M., Worship Service; 9:30
A.M. - Bible Study.
Wednesday - 7 P.M., Bible Study.

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An Interdenominational Church**
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School At 10 A.M.
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Nursery Available
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Russell first graders Quinn Humason, Adam Baudin, Hailey Zanoli and Natalie Tremblay in front of their garden project.

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Russell Elementary

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They also have birdhouses in all shapes and sizes hung around the school, many from the Hitchcock Center. They will be leaving the birdhouses, most of which are occupied.

This year, Watt's focus with the students was on sustainability and recycling. Kindergarteners planted seeds and grew plants, some in a closet, some in the window, some under lights.

First graders took care of the garden at the school. On Wednesday, they also went with Mr. Ted for a nature walk at Stanley Park. "They were looking at stuff and learning. They practiced crossing the stream on rocks, and looked at acorn caps, quartz pebbles, and skunk cabbage," Watt said.

Second graders designed fencing for animals in the garden. Second grade speaker Kate St. Jean said in her presentation that they studied herbivores, carnivores and omnivores, their bones and teeth. She said they drew a design for the fencing. "When we visited the garden two days after the installation, the garden remained protected and peaceful," St. Jean said.

Third graders learned how to maintain a healthy environment for the survival of worms in recycled plastic soda bottles. Students in the class were each given seven red wigglers. Kaden Kent said they had to keep five alive. He said he used compost and mixed sand in it. "My worms survived," Kent said.

Fourth graders did a program on engineering, and how to build simple machines and wind turbines. Hamilton said the blizzard bag project for the school this year was also about engineering design and recycling projects. Fourth graders also worked with first graders on their garden project, doing research to answer questions the younger children had for



All of Russell third grader Kaden Kent's worms survived.

them.

Fifth graders learned about clean water, and took a field trip to the Hitchcock Center to visit the living building there, which is in the process of getting certified. Watt said to get the certification; a living building must have zero net energy, and zero net water, and be occupied for a year. He said the year of monitoring began last month, and will be regulated by the Federal Environmental Protection Agency, Mass. Department of Environmental Protection, Amherst Board of Health, and the Living Futures Institute.

The students made presentations on the visit and the research they did. One group built a model of the living building, including rainwater capture, solar panels on the roof, water filters and composting toilets in the basement, which Watt said all students are fascinated by. He asked them if he could take the model to the Hitchcock Center, and display it next to a professional model. The students said yes, and he packed it in his car at the end of the day.

"Russell is such a wonderful school. Small is beautiful with kids. I'm so impressed with the adult-student connections here," Watt said, adding, "I appreciated so much being here for the three years."

"He has taken good care of us," Hamilton said of Mr. Ted.



Visiting environmental educator Ted Watt with Connor McMahon, Zachary Zelasko and Sean McMahon from Amy Haramut's fifth grade class, and their model of Hitchcock Center's living building.

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historical commission, churches, and any others on the committee.

In April, the Select Board announced that they were looking to form a committee to work on the 250th anniversary project which will be celebrated in 2020. The town was incorporated as a separate community on November 7, 1770.

The Southwick Civic Fund, a non-profit organization that hosts events to raise money for the community, has already committed to assisting the committee in this process.

The responsibility of the committee will consist of trying to come up with a number of different events throughout 2020 that can be a part of celebrating the town's 250th anniversary.

Events at the Westfield Senior Center

Father's Day Rock and Roll Concert at the Westfield Senior Center

The Westfield Senior Center will explode with music on Friday, June 15 from 6 to 7:45 p.m. We're going to celebrate the fathers, grandfathers, godfathers, and father-figures in our lives with an old fashioned rock and roll concert by Westfield's own The Knightsmen Band. Established in 1967 by Cory DeGray, The Knightsmen Band has been providing local establishments with rock and roll music for over three decades. The evening will include door prizes, a 50/50 drawing, and a grand prize for one lucky gentleman in attendance. Each participant will take home a scrumptious ice cream sundae to be distributed as participants leave the event. Tickets are \$5 and must be purchased in advance at the Westfield Senior Center located at 45 Noble Street. No tickets will be sold at the door.

"Get Ready to Retire?" at the Westfield Senior Center

Are you thinking about retiring? If so, planning is essential. Join Financial Consultant, Susan Allen, for an educational workshop at the Westfield Senior Center, 45 Noble Street on Wednesday, June 20 from 6 to 8 p.m. She'll focus on various aspects of Social Security including when to claim, taxation, and working while claiming; Medicare basics; how to do a 401K or 403B transfer or rollover; and creating retirement income. There is no charge for participation in the workshop, however advance registration is necessary. Please sign up by calling the Senior Center at 562-6435.

Star Spangled Senior Concert at the Westfield Senior Center

Join Walter Gladwin and members of the Senior Concert Band of Western Massachusetts for a lively instrumental celebration of the upcoming 4th of July holiday. The Westfield Senior Center Great Room will explode with music on Monday, June 25 from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. This is a free concert for all to come and enjoy! Well-behaved grandchildren are welcome! The Senior Center is located at 45 Noble Street. No advance registration necessary.

Whip City Fiber Drop-In Session at the Westfield Senior Center

Are you curious about "cutting the cord" and watching television and movies with Westfield's high-speed internet? The Whip City Tech Team will be at the Westfield Senior Center, 45 Noble Street, on Tuesday, June 26 from 10 to 11:30 a.m. to answer your questions. Join the G + E Whip City Fiber team in the Creativity Center to find out if you can get service at your address; learn how to watch local news and channels without cable; and explore ways to watch movies and sports including NESN! No advance registration necessary.

"Eating Right with Diabetes" Program Coming in June to the Westfield Senior Center

Beginning in June, the Westfield Senior Center, 45 Noble Street, will be the host site for a four-week nutritional series for older adults with Type II Diabetes or those who would like to prevent the condition. Participants will discuss methods to prevent and manage Diabetes, healthy foods and recipe options to maintain good health, and motivational ideas to get started. Healthy diabetic-friendly recipe ideas will be shared and taste tested during each session. The classes will be held on Thursdays June 21 and 28 from 9:45 to 10:45 a.m. There is no charge for participation in the series. Advance registration is necessary because space is limited. For more information or to sign up for the series, please call the Westfield Senior Center at 562-6435.

Events at the Westfield Athenaeum

Tiny Tots and Little Ones at the Library - Wednesday June 20

Join us for stories, songs, rhymes and playtime for babies and toddlers at the library. Tiny Tots is at 9:30am for ages birth-18 months and Little Ones is at 10:30am for ages 19-35 months. Sign up online westath.org or call us at 568-7833.

Summer Reading Kickoff Event - June 23, 10am-1pm

Join us for this fun event on the Park Square Green to celebrate the start of Summer Reading with this year's theme "Libraries Rock". Enjoy performers, crafts, face painting, fun activities, and join our Summer Reading Clubs. This event is free and open to the public. It is generously sponsored by the Friends of the Athenaeum. Special performances:

10am - Tinnell and Bates will perform a Song and Story Celebration

11:30am - Westfield High School and Westfield Technical Academy Bands directed by Patrick Kennedy.

In the event of rain, this program will be held inside the library.

STEAM Rocks! - Wednesday, June 27 at 10am

Enjoy a variety of hands-on activities that encourage curiosity and teach S.T.E.A.M. skills (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math). Ages 5-10. Sign up online at westath.org or call us at 568-7833.

Marionette Show: The Firebird by the Puppet People - Friday, June 29 at 11am.

Inspired by the Russian folktale and popular ballet, watch as even the impossible is possible, as the mythical firebird comes to life and Ivan and Princess Yelena team up to break the enchantment placed over their kingdom. This 50-minute magical puppet fantasy features beautiful marionettes accompanied by Stravinsky's musical score from the ballet of the Firebird. Sponsored by the Westfield Cultural Council and the Friends of the Athenaeum. Recommended for ages 4 and up. Sign up online westath.org or call us at 568-7833.

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SCHOOL NOTES

Westfield State University Sigma Tau Delta students attend annual convention

Eight Westfield State University students traveled to the annual Sigma Tau Delta Convention, held in Cincinnati, Ohio, in March. Accompanied by English Professors Glen Brewster, Ph.D., and Elizabeth Starr Ph.D., were Jamie Boucher of East Bridgewater, Elizabeth LaBruna of Enfield, Ashley Linnehan of Merrimac, Christine Luongo of Marshfield, Katie Morris of Avon, Elizabeth Potter of Warren, Morgan Stabile of Westfield, and Lilly Whalen of Plymouth.

Sigma Tau Delta is the English Honor Society that strives to recognize excellence in all areas of English language and literature studies, encourage further achievement in these areas, provide cultural stimulation on college campuses, and foster all aspects of the disciplines of English, including literature, language, and writing.

Every spring, Sigma Tau Delta holds its annual international convention, an event that allows members and sponsors from all over to share experiences and expertise, be recognized for their achievements, and participate in the official proceedings of the Society. The convention also provides opportunities to discover new ideas in English and English-related disciplines, while engaging with speakers, presenters, and texts.

Everyone that submits to present entered in a contest for best paper of their respective categories. Junior Elizabeth Potter was awarded 1st place for Creative Non-Fiction and in this year's elections, Ashley Linnehan was elected as associate student representative for the Eastern Region.

WSU's chapter of STD has been helping students attend this annual convention for over fifteen years. Students who attend the convention are members of the honor society, which requires them to have taken at least two classes in English beyond their first-year writing courses. In those classes, students must have at least a 3.0 and should be in the top 35 percent of their class.

Local Residents Inducted into The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi

The following local residents were recently initiated into The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, the nation's oldest and most selective collegiate honor society for all academic disciplines.

Sara Burke of Westfield was initiated at University of Puget Sound.

Katelyn Solokhina of Westfield was initiated at Westfield State University.

These residents are among approximately 30,000 students, faculty, professional staff and alumni to be initiated into Phi Kappa Phi each year. Membership is by invitation only and requires nomination and approval by a chapter. Only the top 10 percent of seniors and 7.5 percent of juniors are eligible for membership. Graduate students in the top 10 percent of the number of candidates for graduate degrees may also qualify, as do faculty, professional staff and alumni who have achieved scholarly distinction.

Bryant University President's List

Bryant University is committed to the pursuit, recognition, and celebration of academic excellence. The University is pleased to recognize the students who have been named to President's List for fall 2017.

The President's List is an academic distinction reserved for Bryant's highest achievers who earn a GPA of 4.0 or better for at least 12 semester hours of work.

Congratulations on this outstanding achievement.

Michael Biskupic, class of 2021, of Westfield, MA

Jonathan Huntley, class of 2021, of Westfield, MA

Bryant University Dean's List

Bryant University is committed to the pursuit, recognition, and celebration of academic excellence, and extends congratulations to the students who have been named to the Dean's List for the fall 2017 semester:

• Michael Biskupic, class of 2021 from Westfield, MA

• Jonathan Huntley, class of 2021 from Westfield, MA

• Allyson McCorison, class of 2020 from Southwick, MA

• Joshua Noel, class of 2018 from Southwick, MA

• Autumn Prete, class of 2019 from Southwick, MA

• Constance Tang, class of 2020 from Southwick, MA

Prewett of Emmanuel College Inducted into Kappa Pi

Emmanuel College student Jacob Prewett of Southwick was one of 40 Emmanuel College students inducted into Kappa Pi, the international art honor society, on Sunday, April 15.

Kevin Campbell of Westfield Honored by Clarkson University

Kevin William Campbell of Westfield, Mass., a senior at Clarkson University majoring in electrical engineering, received the following award(s) during the spring semester:

The Commendable Leadership Award For Seniors: This award is presented to juniors,

seniors, graduate students, faculty, staff and administration members who have demonstrated outstanding leadership abilities and quality participation in organizations associated with Clarkson and the Potsdam community. The award recipients exhibit exceptional leadership qualities and the versatility to balance all aspects of college life. New Phalanx members are selected from the group of Commendable Leadership Award recipients.

Local residents and Westfield State University students inducted into Alpha Phi Sigma Honor Society

Fifty Westfield State University students were inducted into the Alpha Phi Sigma Honor Society at a campus ceremony, held on April 18. Alpha Phi Sigma recognizes and promotes academic excellence of students in the criminal justice field, both undergraduate as well as graduate.

Among the inductees were the following local residents:

• Cole Provost of Granville, a senior majoring in criminal justice

• Nickolas Harrelson of Southwick, a senior majoring in criminal justice

• Zachary Howard of Westfield, a senior majoring in criminal justice

Kristen Bonsall Inducted into The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi

Kristen Bonsall of Westfield, Massachusetts, was recently initiated into The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, the nation's oldest and most selective all-discipline collegiate honor society. Bonsall was initiated at University of Massachusetts Amherst.

Bonsall is among approximately 30,000 students, faculty, professional staff and alumni to be initiated into Phi Kappa Phi each year. Membership is by invitation only and requires nomination and approval by a chapter. Only the top 10 percent of seniors and 7.5 percent of juniors are eligible for membership. Graduate students in the top 10 percent of the number of candidates for graduate degrees may also qualify, as do faculty, professional staff and alumni who have achieved scholarly distinction.

Phi Kappa Phi was founded in 1897 under the leadership of Marcus L. Urann who had a desire to create a different kind of honor society: one that recognized excellence in all academic disciplines. Today, the Society has chapters on more than 300 campuses in the United States and the Philippines. Its mission is "To recognize and promote academic excellence in all fields of higher education and to engage the community of scholars in service to others."

Lasell College Acknowledges Students on Spring 2018 Dean's List

Lasell College announced the students named to the spring 2018 Dean's List. Students with this accomplishment are full-time degree candidates who completed 12 or more credits in the spring semester, with a grade point average of 3.5 or higher. This semester's Dean's List encompasses a total of 707 students from all class years, including 126 members of the school's first-year class.

Timothy Kelleher of Westfield
Allison Garriepy of Huntington

Lauren Chapdelaine, of Huntington, Inducted into Psi Chi National Honor Society

The Assumption College Department of Psychology has announced that Lauren Chapdelaine, of Huntington, has become a member of the Psychology National Honor Society, Psi Chi. Chapdelaine, Class of 2019, was inducted into the honor society this spring.

Local Students Graduate from Assumption College

On Sunday, May 13, Assumption College awarded 617 degrees during its 101st Commencement exercises held at the DCU Center in downtown Worcester, MA, in which speaker The Most Reverend Robert E. Barron, S.T.D., auxiliary bishop of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles and evangelist who uses various forms of media, in particular social media, to share the Gospel message and one of the most-followed Catholics on social media, delivered the Commencement address. Local graduates included:

Luke Chlastawa and Dominick Ciejka of Westfield.

Nicholas Massarelli of Southwick.

Curry College Announces Area Graduates

Curry College is pleased to announce that the following residents received degrees on Sunday, May 20, 2018, at Commencement Exercises in Milton, Massachusetts:

Kayla Drenen of Southwick received a Bachelor of Science degree.

Carly Pioggia of Westfield received a Bachelor of Science degree.

Monmouth University Dean's List

On behalf of the Faculty of Monmouth University, we are pleased to recognize the Academic Achievement of Emily Ciccolo of Westfield.

Tyler Zering Named to SNHU's Dean's List

Tyler Zering of Westfield has been named to Southern New Hampshire University's winter 2018 Dean's List. Eligibility for the Dean's List requires that a student accumulate an academic grade point average (GPA) of 3.5-3.699 and earn 12 credits for the semester.

Emmanuel College Announces Spring 2018 Dean's List

In honor of their outstanding academic achievement, Emmanuel College has named more than 600 students to the Dean's List for the Spring 2018 semester. To earn a spot on the Dean's List, Emmanuel students must achieve a grade point average of 3.5 or higher for a 16-credit semester. Local students on the Dean's List include:

Aisling Butler, Alyssa Carson, Mikaela Dellaquila, and Elizabeth Irwin of Westfield.

Westfield resident Timothy Kelleher among recent graduates from Lasell College

Timothy Kelleher of Westfield received a bachelor's degree from Lasell College during its 164th commencement ceremony on May 12. The College granted 398 bachelor's and 125 master's degrees. Kelleher majored in Sport Management during their time at Lasell.

Worcester Polytechnic Institute Announces Spring 2018 Dean's List

The following local residents were among 1,474 students from Worcester Polytechnic Institute (WPI) named to the university's Dean's List for academic excellence for the spring 2018 semester.

Tyler Kornacki of Blandford, Mass., is a member of the class of 2019 majoring in civil engineering.

Dylan Parrow of Southwick, Mass., is a member of the class of 2020 majoring in civil engineering.

Jared DeMaio of Southwick, Mass., is a member of the class of 2020 majoring in aerospace engineering.

Katrina VanderVliet of Southwick, Mass., is a member of the class of 2020 majoring in biomedical engineering, and mechanical engineering.

Olivia Madamba of Westfield, Mass., is a member of the class of 2021 majoring in chemical engineering.

Mateo Frare of Westfield, Mass., is a member of the class of 2019 majoring in biomedical engineering.

Local Resident Graduates from Hamilton College

Erin M. Lewis, daughter of Michele and Thomas Lewis of Westfield, received a bachelor of arts degree from Hamilton College on Sunday, May 20, at the Commencement ceremony concluding the college's 206th year.

Hamilton awarded 477 diplomas in the ceremony. Ford Foundation President Darren Walker delivered the Commencement address. A chemistry major, Lewis graduated with departmental honors in chemistry and now joins an alumni body of more than 22,000, many of whom have made important contributions to business, the professions, government and the arts.

Northeastern University announces spring semester 2018 dean's list

Northeastern University is pleased to recognize those students who distinguish themselves academically during the course of the school year. Granville resident Emma Paul, a Northeastern University student majoring in Mathematics, was recently named to the University's dean's list for the spring semester, which ended in April 2018.

Local Residents Receive Bachelor's Degrees at 150th WPI Commencement

On Saturday, May 12, on the Worcester Polytechnic Institute (WPI) campus quadrangle, over 1,000 bachelor's degrees were awarded during the university's 150th commencement ceremony.

Eric Chang of Westfield, Mass., was awarded a bachelor of science degree in chemical engineering.

Michael Giancola of Southwick, Mass., was awarded a bachelor of science degree in computer science with high distinction.

Sylvester Halama of Westfield, Mass., was awarded a bachelor of science degree in aerospace engineering with distinction.

Rachel Huntley of Westfield, Mass., was awarded a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering with high distinction.

Christopher Mayforth of Westfield, Mass., was awarded a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering with distinction.

Brian Mitchell of Westfield, Mass., was awarded a bachelor of science degree in electrical and computer engineering with high distinction.

Kendall Rooney of Chester, Mass., was awarded a bachelor of science degree in chemical engineering with high distinction.

Raychel O'Meara Earns Degree from the University of Vermont

Raychel O'Meara of Tolland, MA, graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in

Mathematics during commencement ceremonies on May 20, 2018, at the University of Vermont.

The university conferred degrees this year on an estimated 3,055 graduates, including 2,443 bachelor's, 387 master's, 112 doctoral and 113 medical degree recipients. Among expected degree recipients are students from 43 states and 204 international students from 35 foreign countries. Approximately 1,021 graduates are from Vermont.

Area Students Named to Curry College Dean's List

Curry College is proud to announce that the following area students were named to the Dean's List for the Spring 2018 semester:

Chelsea Conroy and Carly Pioggia of Westfield.

Hannah Sitler of Southwick, MA, Named to Dean's List

Cedarville University student Hannah Sitler of Southwick, MA, achieved the Dean's List for the 2018 spring semester. Sitler maintained a 3.5 GPA while taking at least 12 credit hours from Cedarville University.

Cedarville University, located between Dayton and Columbus, Ohio is an accredited, Christ-centered, Baptist institution with an enrollment of 3,963 undergraduate, graduate, and online students in more than 150 areas of study.

Local Students Named to Assumption College Spring 2018 Dean's List

Assumption College has announced that 590 students have been named to the College's prestigious undergraduate Dean's List for the spring 2018 semester. Local students include:

William Armstrong of Granville, Class of 2020.

Sarah Bodzinski of Southwick, Class of 2019.

Jennifer Bourgoin, Class of 2021 and Dominick Ciejka, Class of 2018, of Westfield.

To earn a spot on the Dean's List, Assumption students must achieve a grade point average of 3.5 for a five-class, 15-credit semester. The Dean's List is announced twice per academic year, once at the completion of the fall semester, and again at the completion of the spring semester.

The National Society of Collegiate Scholars welcomes Dillon Sullivan as a new member

Dillon Sullivan of Westfield, MA has accepted membership in the National Society of Collegiate Scholars (NSCS).

NSCS is a member of the Association of College Honor Societies and is the nation's only interdisciplinary honors organization for first-year and second-year college students. Membership is by invitation only, based on grade point average, class standing, and after careful review by the NSCS Admissions Committee. NSCS has over one million lifetime members and 300 chapters in all 50 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico. Students must have a GPA of 3.4 or higher.

Students Named to Champlain College Dean's List for Spring 2018 Semester

The following students have been named to the Champlain College Dean's List for achieving a grade point average of 3.5 or higher in the spring 2018 semester.

James Keats of Westfield, MA.

Adam Lane of Southwick, MA.

American International College Awards Degrees

American International College awarded 600 undergraduate and graduate degrees to students representing 14 states and six countries at its 2018 Commencement ceremony.

Amy O'Meara of Southwick, received a Master of Education in Early Childhood Education.

Andrea Leger of Westfield, received a Master of Science in Nursing in Family Nurse Practitioner.

Mackenzie MacLeod of Westfield, received a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration in General Business.

Cyndee Shiveley of Southwick, received a Master of Arts in General Psychology.

Nicholas Pavlyuk of Westfield, received a Bachelor of Science in Health Science.

Montgomery Moses of Montgomery, received a Bachelor of Science in Health Science.

Sydney Thompson of Russell, received a Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies.

Shannon Mckenna of Westfield, received a Bachelor of Science in Nursing in Nursing.

Abigail Macutkiewicz of Huntington, received a Bachelor of Science in Nursing in Nursing.

Dragana Reljic of Westfield, received a Bachelor of Science in Nursing in Nursing.

Rosa Lezhnyak of Westfield, received a Bachelor of Science in Occupational Science in Occupational Science.

Samuel Clarke of Westfield, received a Doctor of Physical Therapy in Physical Therapy.

Brandon Learned of Southwick, received a Doctor of Physical Therapy in Physical Therapy.

SPORTS

State-ment game

By **CHRIS PUTZ**
Staff Writer

WESTFIELD – For quite some time now, the Westfield High School boys volleyball team has been leaps and bounds better than the competition.

The Westfield Bombers secured their fourth consecutive Western Massachusetts championship with a sweeping victory over the Agawam Brownies, 25-21, 25-20, 25-17 Wednesday night at Holyoke Community College.

“Hustle – that’s all we had,” said all-star setter Luis Castro, who jump-started his teammates’ kills with some 30 assists. “Hustle, hustle, hustle.”

Westfield (21-1) out hustled and out muscled Agawam. The Bombers will have to do that and then some to defend their 2017 state championship title. That journey begins Monday against northern champ Chelmsford (19-5) at Concord-Carlisle High School. Game time is 5 p.m.

“We’re just thinking on to the next step,” Castro said. “We’re trying to just grow as a team, trying to make it to the state championships.”

Westfield will be hard-pressed in trying to play the underdog role this time around, at least for the state semifinals. Their upcoming challenger owns that moniker.

Chelmsford opened their 18-team field in the northern tournament bracket as the eighth seed. After sweeping ninth-seeded St. John’s 3-0, they stunned No. 1 Winchester 3-2, snuck past No. 4 Wayland 3-2, and toppled No. 3 Lawrence 3-0.

So on one hand, Westfield gets the north region’s lowly No. 8 seed. On the other, they have to face a team wearing the glass slipper and creating a tale that would make Cinderella proud.

Defeating the defending state champs would be another feather in Chelmsford’s hats.

“That’s an impressive run,” Westfield boys volleyball head coach Tyler Wingate said of his team’s upcoming opponent. “When I initially saw it, I thought to last year.”

Last season, Westfield faced 11th seeded Natick.

“Natick had a couple of five-set wins and people weren’t necessarily talking about them, but they were playing the best in that (Central) section,” Wingate said.

Westfield won that matchup 3-2.

“The eight seed (for Chelmsford) may not do them justice in the quality of team that they are,” Wingate said. “It’s important this time of the year to be playing best. This is a big test for us Monday night.”

Westfield won the last meeting between the two teams in five sets.

“We’re going to need some good balance,” Wingate said.

It all starts with Wingate, a former Bomber whose lack of championship titles as a player has fueled his hunger for titles as the head coach.



Westfield’s Ryan Murray smashes one against Natick during the 2017 state semifinals at Holyoke Community College. Murray and the Bombers are seeking a return trip to the state championship when they travel to Concord-Carlisle High School to take on northern champ Chelmsford Monday in the semifinals. (Staff file photo)



WEST D1 BOYS VOLLEYBALL
4x Champion Westfield Bombers

“That’s been motivation for me to get this program where it needs to be,” Wingate said. “The players have really bought in to what we are trying to do, our vision to play championship-level volleyball.”

Wingate credits much of his success to, not only his players, but also the other members of his coaching staff.

Matt Cribbin, who coaches American International College women’s volleyball in the fall, devotes the spring season to the Westfield boys’ team.

“He has really helped in my development as a coach and ultimately our player’s development,” said Wingate, noting Cribbin’s recent success with AIC, which made the Elite 8 in the Division 2 tournament two years ago.

Those two are joined by city middle school teacher Matt Wroth, who Wingate said brings a “passion for teaching.”

“He’s a people person and motivator,” Wingate explained. “He brings a nice dimension.”

Eric Shilyuk, who last played on the 2015 championship squad, and his older brother Roman complete the all-star cast.

“It’s a great tandem,” Wingate said. “The continuity between all of us is great. It is the underlying reason to our success – the good stuff we got going on the sidelines.”

HIGH SCHOOL TOURNAMENT SCHEDULES

Westfield High School
Mon 06/18
STATE D1 BOYS VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT
SEMIFINALS

Western Champ Westfield (21-1) vs. Northern Champ Chelmsford (19-5),
Concord-Carlisle, 5 p.m.

St. Mary High School
Sat 06/16
WEST D4 BASEBALL TOURNAMENT
CHAMPIONSHIP

No. 3 St. Mary (15-7) vs. No. 1 Hopkins Academy (16-4),
University of Massachusetts-Amherst, 10:30 a.m.

Scramble For Animals
Sunday
August 5th
To Benefit the
Westfield Homeless Cat Project
501(c) non-profit organization



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Shotgun Start 12:30pm
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2018 WORLD CUP

AT A GLANCE • GROUP STAGE

GROUP A

| | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
|--------------|---|---|---|----|----|-----|
| Russia | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 3 |
| Uruguay | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Egypt | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Saudi Arabia | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 0 |

Thursday, June 14

At Moscow
Russia 5, Saudi Arabia 0

Friday, June 15

At Ekaterinburg, Russia
Uruguay 1, Egypt 0

Tuesday, June 19

At Saint Petersburg, Russia
Russia vs. Egypt, 1800 GMT

Wednesday, June 20

At Rostov-on-Don, Russia
Uruguay vs. Saudi Arabia, 1500 GMT

Monday, June 25

At Samara, Russia
Uruguay vs. Russia, 1400 GMT

At Volgograd, Russia

Saudi Arabia vs. Egypt, 1400 GMT

GROUP B

| | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
|----------|---|---|---|----|----|-----|
| Iran | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Portugal | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| Spain | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| Morocco | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |

Friday, June 15

At Saint Petersburg, Russia
Iran 1, Morocco 0

At Sochi, Russia

Spain 3, Portugal 3, tie

Wednesday, June 20

At Moscow
Portugal vs. Morocco, 1200 GMT

At Kazan, Russia

Iran vs. Spain, 1800 GMT

Monday, June 25

At Saransk, Russia
Iran vs. Portugal, 1800 GMT

At Kaliningrad, Russia

Spain vs. Morocco, 1800 GMT

GROUP C

| | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
|-----------|---|---|---|----|----|-----|
| France | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Australia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Peru | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Denmark | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Saturday, June 16

At Kazan, Russia
France vs. Australia, 1000 GMT

At Saransk, Russia

Peru vs. Denmark, 1600 GMT

Thursday, June 21

At Samara, Russia
Denmark vs. Australia, 1200 GMT

At Ekaterinburg, Russia

France vs. Peru, 1500 GMT

Tuesday, June 26

At Moscow
Denmark vs. France, 1400 GMT

At Sochi, Russia

Australia vs. Peru, 1400 GMT

GROUP D

| | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
|-----------|---|---|---|----|----|-----|
| Argentina | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Iceland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Croatia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nigeria | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Saturday, June 16

At Moscow
Argentina vs. Iceland, 1300 GMT

At Kaliningrad, Russia

Croatia vs. Nigeria, 1900 GMT

Thursday, June 21

At Nizhny Novgorod, Russia
Argentina vs. Croatia, 1800 GMT

Friday, June 22

At Volgograd, Russia
Nigeria vs. Iceland, 1500 GMT

Tuesday, June 26

At Saint Petersburg, Russia
Nigeria vs. Argentina, 1800 GMT

At Rostov-on-Don, Russia

Iceland vs. Croatia, 1800 GMT

GROUP E

| | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
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| Brazil | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Switzerland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Costa Rica | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Serbia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Sunday, June 17

At Samara, Russia
Costa Rica vs. Serbia, 1200 GMT

At Rostov-on-Don, Russia

Brazil vs. Switzerland, 1800 GMT

Friday, June 22

At Saint Petersburg, Russia
Brazil vs. Costa Rica, 1200 GMT

At Kaliningrad, Russia

Serbia vs. Switzerland, 1800 GMT

Wednesday, June 27

At Moscow
Serbia vs. Brazil, 1800 GMT

At Nizhny Novgorod, Russia

Switzerland vs. Costa Rica, 1800 GMT

GROUP F

| | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
|---------------|---|---|---|----|----|-----|
| Germany | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Mexico | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sweden | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rep. of Korea | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Sunday, June 17

At Moscow
Germany vs. Mexico, 1500 GMT

Monday, June 18

At Nizhny Novgorod, Russia
Sweden vs. Republic of Korea, 1200 GMT

Saturday, June 23

At Rostov-on-Don, Russia
Republic of Korea vs. Mexico, 1500 GMT

At Sochi, Russia

Germany vs. Sweden, 1800 GMT

Wednesday, June 27

At Kazan, Russia
Republic of Korea vs. Germany, 1400 GMT

At Ekaterinburg, Russia

Mexico vs. Sweden, 1400 GMT

GROUP G

| | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
|---------|---|---|---|----|----|-----|
| Belgium | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Panama | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tunisia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| England | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Monday, June 18

At Sochi, Russia
Belgium vs. Panama, 1500 GMT

At Volgograd, Russia

Tunisia vs. England, 1800 GMT

Saturday, June 23

At Moscow

Belgium vs. Tunisia, 1200 GMT

Sunday, June 24

At Nizhny Novgorod, Russia

England vs. Panama, 1200 GMT

Thursday, June 28

At Kaliningrad, Russia

England vs. Belgium, 1800 GMT

At Saransk, Russia

Panama vs. Tunisia, 1800 GMT

GROUP H

| | W | D | L | GF | GA | Pts |
|----------|---|---|---|----|----|-----|
| Poland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Senegal | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Colombia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Japan | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Tuesday, June 19

At Saransk, Russia

Colombia vs. Japan, 1200 GMT

At Moscow

Poland vs. Senegal, 1500 GMT

Sunday, June 24

At Ekaterinburg, Russia

Japan vs. Senegal, 1500 GMT

At Kazan, Russia

Poland vs. Colombia, 1800 GMT

Thursday, June 28

At Volgograd, Russia

Japan vs. Poland, 1400 GMT

At Samara, Russia

Senegal vs. Colombia, 1400 GMT

ROUND OF 16

Saturday, June 30

Game 50

At Kazan, Russia

Group C winner vs. Group D second place, 1400 GMT

Game 49

At Sochi, Russia

Group A winner vs. Group B second place, 1800 GMT

Sunday, July 1

Game 51

At Moscow

Group B winner vs. Group A second place, 1400 GMT

Game 52

At Nizhny Novgorod, Russia

Group D winner vs. Group C second place, 1800 GMT

Monday, July 2

Game 53

At Samara, Russia

Group E winner vs. Group F second place, 1400 GMT

Game 54

At Rostov-on-Don, Russia

Group G winner vs. Group H second place, 1800 GMT

Tuesday, July 3

Game 55

At Saint Petersburg, Russia

Group F winner vs. Group E second place, 1400 GMT

Game 56

At Moscow

Group H winner vs. Group G second place, 1800 GMT

QUARTERFINAL

Friday, July 6

Game 57

At Nizhny Novgorod, Russia

Game 49 winner vs. Game 50 winner, 1400 GMT

Game 58

At Kazan, Russia

Game 53 winner vs. Game 54 winner, 1800 GMT

Saturday, July 7

Game 60

At Samara, Russia

Game 55 winner vs. Game 56 winner, 1400 GMT

Game 59

At Sochi, Russia

Game 51 winner vs. Game 52 winner, 1800 GMT

SEMIFINAL

Tuesday, July 10

Game 61

At Moscow

Game 57 winner vs. Game 58 winner, 1800 GMT

Wednesday, July 11

Game 62

At Moscow

Game 59 winner vs. Game 60 winner, 1800 GMT

THIRD PLACE

Saturday, July 14

Game 63

At Saint Petersburg, Russia

Game 61 loser vs. Game 62 loser, 1400 GMT

FINAL

Sunday, July 15

Game 64

At Moscow

Game 61 winner vs. Game 62 winner, 1500 GMT

Ronaldo scores hat trick, Portugal draws 3-3 with Spain

SOCHI, Russia (AP) — Cristiano Ronaldo used the World Cup to show everyone he's the GOAT.

Ronaldo rubbed his chin after scoring minutes into Portugal's opener against Spain, implying he is the Greatest of All Time. Then he scored two more goals, including a perfectly placed 88th-minute free kick that gave his team a 3-3 draw Friday.

Spain, the 2010 World Cup champion, dominated much of the match but was unable to contain Ronaldo.

"When I play against a player like Ronaldo, these things can happen," newly appointed Spain coach Fernando Hierro said. "It's very fortunate for whatever team has Cristiano Ronaldo."

Ronaldo had twice given European champion Portugal the lead with first-half goals at Fisht Stadium, but Diego Costa equalized with a goal in each half. Nacho Fernandez then put the Spanish ahead with a one-timer from outside the area in the Group B match.

Ronaldo became the fourth player to score in four World Cups, joining Pele, Miroslav Klose and Uwe Seeler. He also became the first Portuguese player to appear in four World Cups, and at 33 became the oldest player to score a hat trick in tournament history.

He used his first goal to send a message to the world in an apparent reaction to Adidas' "GOAT" promotion with Lionel Messi, featuring the Argentine with a real goat. Ronaldo and Messi have split the last 10 player of the year awards.

"I've said it so many times, Cristiano is the best in the world," Portugal coach Fernando Santos said.

Ronaldo downplayed his sixth international hat trick.

"To me, the most important (thing) is to highlight what the team has done," Ronaldo said.

Spain looked to have successfully overcome its dramatic coaching change on the eve of the tournament but Ronaldo curled a late shot from about 25 meters (yards) over the wall. The ball went into the top corner as Spain goalkeeper David de Gea watched.

The Spanish federation fired coach Julen Lopetegui for accepting a job with Real Madrid without letting it know in advance. Hierro, a former player acting as Spain's sporting director, replaced Lopetegui and was on the bench despite no significant previous coaching experience.

"It wasn't an easy situation. When you have this staff and these young players, they make it much easier," Hierro said.

It was an exciting start to one of the group stage's most anticipated matches and it didn't take long before Ronaldo struck first.

Ronaldo made a nice stepover move to get past Fernandez, his Real Madrid teammate, and was fouled at the edge of the area. He then calmly sent his shot to the right corner as De Gea went the other way.

As Ronaldo returned to midfield for the restart, he and Fernandez appeared to exchange words, and the Portuguese star smiled.

"It's always great to have somebody wonderful playing like that," Portugal coach Fernando Santos said. "I'm glad he's Portuguese."

Portugal threatened on counterattacks as Spain struggled to get near Rui Patricio's goal, but a great long pass by Sergio Busquets allowed Costa to even the match. The striker collided with Pepe and used several neat moves to clear other defenders before firing a low shot into the corner from inside the area.

Portugal loudly complained Costa had fouled Pepe, and replays showed there was contact by the Spaniard's arm with Pepe's body. Referee Gianluca Rocchi allowed the play to continue.

Portugal wanted the play to be reviewed, and Rocchi at one point put a hand to his ear, apparently indicating the assistant referees didn't see a clear error.

Goal-line technology came into play a few moments later when a Francisco "Isco" Alarcon's shot struck the crossbar and dropped straight down on the



Dear Annie

By ANNIE LANE

Friend Socializes with the 'Other Woman'

Dear Annie: Not long ago, I got out of a relationship with an ex who was sometimes physically abusive to me. It was a nasty relationship with an even nastier breakup. And though I can now look back at it as a blessing in disguise, I can't deny the fact that it broke my heart and soul into a million pieces and has left a lot of emotional scar tissue. Anyway, a close friend of mine, "Pam," recently mentioned that she sees my ex and his girlfriend (the woman he was cheating on me with) fairly often and is on friendly terms with both of them. She even told me that she and this girl have had several one-on-one conversations about how they would like to be friends but can't because of me. It was bordering on accusatory; I felt as if I was supposed to thank her.

Annie, I would never put someone in a position to choose one friend over another. But Pam did not know either of these people before this. In fact, she helped pick up the pieces and put me back together after the relationship blowup. I just don't understand why she would actively grow friendlier and friendlier with my ex and his girlfriend. I told her that I was confused and hurt by this information, and she just didn't seem to get it at all and thought I was being overdramatic.

I don't expect my friends to punch my ex and the "other woman" in the face when they see them, but I also wouldn't expect them to actively initiate a friendship with them. Am I being selfish? Is there a proper way to handle this? -- Wish It Didn't Bother Me

Dear WIDBM: Though you can't make rules for your friends, you can make rules for you and your mental health. One of those rules might be to not spend time with people who actively associate with your abuser -- not to punish them but to protect yourself. You can explain as much to Pam by saying, "To be honest, this makes me very uncomfortable. I can't dictate whom you're friends with, and I won't stand in the way of this, but I also can't give it my blessing, if that's what you're looking for. I need to move forward and heal myself emotionally, and that means keeping a safe distance from the person who abused me."

Dear Annie: You asked for others to write in about options folks have chosen for senior living. My folks are in their 90s, and they considered a senior living facility. Ultimately, it would have been very expensive and impractical for them. So they chose another route: aging in place -- but not with us.

Aging in place is becoming very popular. Many seniors who find they need help with more and more tasks want to stay in a familiar environment. Caregivers can be hired -- from once a week to full time -- and may be similar in cost to a facility. In our situation, we were lucky enough to be able to purchase the house next door. We made a gate and pathway between the two houses. Now they have visits from family every day. They are secure knowing that they will live out their years among family but in their own home. Aging in place was the best choice for their situation. -- Delighted Daughter in CA

Dear Delighted Daughter: What a blessing, both for you and for them. Thanks for sharing your experience.

HINTS FROM HELOISE

A DAY FOR DADS

Dear Readers: Tomorrow is FATHER'S DAY, a special time to acknowledge dads and their influence on our lives. Take the time to thank your dad. You can give him a necktie, of course, but a heartfelt letter can convey your true feelings. -- Heloise



DECREASING YOUR VET BILL

Dear Readers: Let's look at some hints to save money at the veterinarian:

- * As soon as you've found your pet, find a vet.
- * Spaying or neutering is a must. If your pet is a rescue or a stray, the vet may offer a discount. Ask.
- * As with people, there may be generic options for pet meds (for flea, tick and heartworm prevention).
- * A second opinion for big procedures is a good idea.

A good relationship with your veterinarian and the office staff will benefit you and your pet, and save you money, too! -- Heloise

PET PAL

Dear Readers: Sue and Mike, via email, sent a picture of their orange short-haired cat, Sir Pounce-A-Lot, holding court with his assistant, Jimmy, a stuffed cat -- so cute!

To see Sir Pounce-A-Lot, Jimmy and our other Pet Pals, visit www.Heloise.com and click on "Pets." -- Heloise

LIZARD LOVER

Dear Heloise: I loved your recent comments related to a reader being inundated with lizards. When I was in the Air Force in Okinawa, Japan, two lizards found their way into our house.

I adopted them and let them run freely. We never had a problem with mosquitoes or any other bugs.

If I see a lizard in my garden today, I give it a nod and say, "Thank you for your service." -- Carl T. in Houston

Thank you for your service, too, Carl. -- Heloise

PICTURE PAGES

Dear Heloise: I take a picture of the grocery sale ads with my phone; no shopping list is required! -- Mary H., via email

TV Sports Listings

Schedule subject to change and/or blackouts
Saturday, June 16

AUTO RACING

- 9:30 a.m.
FS1 — NASCAR, Camping World Truck Series, M&M's 200, practice, at Newton, Iowa
- 11 a.m.
FS2 — NASCAR, Camping World Truck Series, M&M's 200, final practice, at Newton, Iowa
- 3 p.m.
FS2 — NASCAR, Xfinity Series, Iowa 250, practice, at Newton, Iowa
- 4:30 p.m.
FS2 — NASCAR, Camping World Truck Series, M&M's 200, qualifying, at Newton, Iowa
- 5:30 p.m.
FS1 — NASCAR, Xfinity Series, Iowa 250, final practice, at Newton, Iowa
- 7 p.m.
FS1 — NASCAR, Camping World Truck Series, M&M's 200, at Newton, Iowa

BOXING

- 9 p.m.
SHO — Errol Spence Jr. vs. Carlos Ocampo, for Spence's IBF welterweight title; Daniel Roman vs. Moises Flores, for Roman's WBA junior featherweight title, at Frisco, Texas

CFL FOOTBALL

- 7 p.m.
ESPN2 — Hamilton at Calgary
- 10 p.m.
ESPN2 — Montreal at British Columbia

COLLEGE BASEBALL

- 3 p.m.
ESPN — College World Series, Game 1, Oregon St. vs North Carolina, at Omaha, Neb.
- 8 p.m.
ESPN — College World Series, Game 2, Washington vs. Mississippi St., at Omaha, Neb.

DRAG RACING

- 9 p.m.
FS1 — NHRA, Thunder Valley Nationals, qualifying, at Bristol, Tenn. (same-day tape)

GOLF

- 11 a.m.
FOX — USGA, U.S. Open, third round, at Southampton, N.Y.
- 1:30 p.m.
GOLF — LPGA Tour, Meijer Classic, third round, at Grand Rapid, Mich.

HORSE RACING

- 8:30 p.m.
NBCSN — Breeders' Cup Challenge Series: Stephen Foster Handicap and Fleur de Lis Handicap, at Louisville, Ky.

MLB BASEBALL

- 1 p.m.
MLB — Tampa Bay at N.Y. Yankees
- 4 p.m.
MLB — Regional coverage, Philadelphia at Milwaukee OR Washington at Toronto
- 7 p.m.
FOX — Regional coverage, Chicago Cubs at St. Louis, San Francisco at L.A. Dodgers or Boston at Seattle
- 11 p.m.
MLB — N.Y. Mets at Arizona (joined in progress)

MOTOR SPORTS

- 3 p.m.
NBC — AMA, Lucas Oil Pro Motocross Series, High Point National (450 Class Moto 2 races), at Mt. Morris, Pa.
- 4 p.m.
NBCSN — AMA, Lucas Oil Pro Motocross Series,

High Point National (250 Class Moto 2 races), at Mt. Morris, Pa.

SOCCER

- 6 a.m.
FS1 — FIFA World Cup, Group stage: Group C, France vs. Australia, at Kazan, Russia
- 9 a.m.
FOX — FIFA World Cup, Group stage: Group D, Argentina vs. Iceland, at Moscow
- Noon
FS1 — FIFA World Cup, Group stage: Group C, Peru vs. Denmark, at Saransk, Russia
- 3 p.m.
FS1 — FIFA World Cup, Group stage: Group D, Croatia vs. Nigeria, at Kaliningrad, Russia
- 8 p.m.
ESPNEWS — NWSL, Portland at Chicago
- WNBA BASKETBALL
8 p.m.
NBA — New York at Minnesota ---

Sunday, June 17

AUTO RACING

- 2:30 p.m.
FS2 — NASCAR, Xfinity Series, Iowa 250, qualifying, at Newton, Iowa
- 5 p.m.
FS1 — NASCAR, Xfinity Series, Iowa 250, at Newton, Iowa

COLLEGE BASEBALL

- 2 p.m.
ESPN — College World Series, Game 3, Arkansas vs. Texas, at Omaha, Neb.
- 7 p.m.
ESPN2 — College World Series, Game 4, Texas Tech vs. Florida, at Omaha, Neb.

DRAG RACING

- 7:30 p.m.
FS1 — NHRA, Thunder Valley Nationals, finals, at Bristol, Tenn. (same-day taped)

GOLF

- 10 a.m.
FOX — USGA, U.S. Open, final round, at Southampton, N.Y.
- 1:30 p.m.
GOLF — LPGA Tour, Meijer Classic, final round, at Grand Rapid, Mich.

MLB BASEBALL

- 2 p.m.
MLB — Regional coverage, Tampa Bay at N.Y. Yankees OR Houston at Kansas City
- 5 p.m.
MLB — Regional coverage, Boston at Seattle OR San Francisco at L.A. Dodgers (games joined in progress)
- 8 p.m.
ESPN — Chicago Cubs at St. Louis

SOCCER

- 8 a.m.
FOX — FIFA World Cup, Group stage: Group E, Costa Rica vs. Serbia, at Samara, Russia
- 11 a.m.
FS1 — FIFA World Cup, Group stage: Group F, Germany vs. Mexico, at Moscow
- 2 p.m.
FS1 — FIFA World Cup, Group stage: Group E, Brazil vs. Switzerland, at Rostov-on-Don, Russia
- NBCSN — FIFA World Cup, Group stage: Group E, Brazil vs. Switzerland (in Spanish), at Rostov-on-Don, Russia

WNBA BASKETBALL

- 6 p.m.
NBA — Los Angeles at Chicago
- 8 p.m.
NBA — Phoenix at Las Vegas

Apple announces multi-year content deal with Oprah

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Apple says it has reached a multiyear deal with Oprah Winfrey to create original programs for its streaming service.

Apple said Friday the programs will be released worldwide as part of a lineup of original content.

Apple has yet to launch its service, whose major competitors will include Amazon and Netflix.

Winfrey founded and heads the OWN channel as chair and CEO. She recently extended her contract with OWN through 2025.

An OWN spokeswoman said Winfrey has an exclusive on-camera deal with OWN but can appear elsewhere on a limited basis.

Winfrey's content for Apple will be solely for the streaming service, the representative said.



OPRAH WINFREY

UNIVERSAL Sudoku Puzzle

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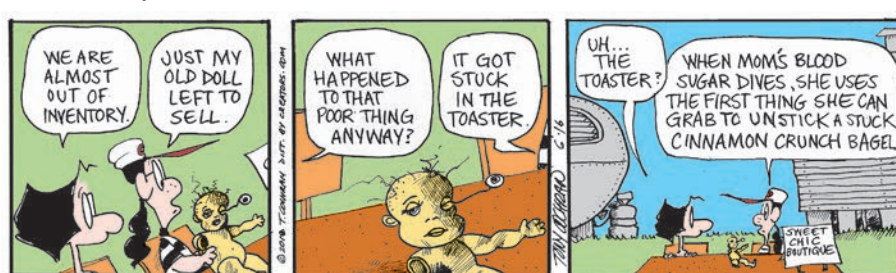
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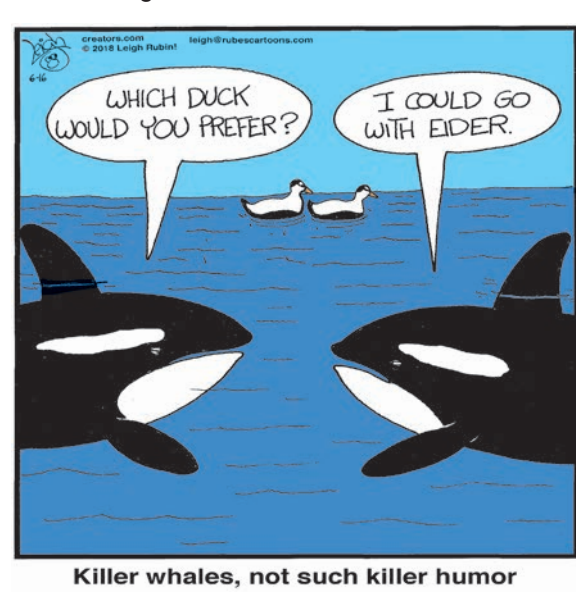
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RUBES Leigh Rubin



Killer whales, not such killer humor

DADDY'S HOME Tony Rubino and Gary Markstein



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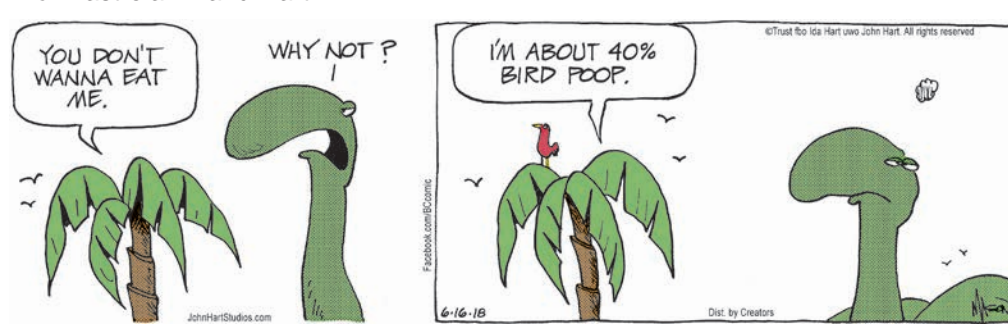
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ANDY CAPP Mahoney, Goldsmith and Garnett



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YOUR HOROSCOPE

By Jaqueline Bigar

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Saturday, June 16, 2018:
This year your imagination soars to an unprecedented level. Combining your creativity with the ability to think clearly makes you a winner. Do not underestimate the role of your personality in coming out ahead. If you are single, you draw others toward you. Enjoy dating, and don't pressure yourself. If you are attached, the two of you evolve to a new level of compassion. Respect each other's differences. LEO likes your high energy.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-Soso; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★★ You could be under a lot of stress. Your upbeat personality emerges, which allows you to be less uptight about a problem that rears its ugly head. You will seek solutions and brainstorm with others. Eventually, you will look at the situation differently. Tonight: Accept an offer.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★★ Stay centered. Others are starting to see you as unpredictable, but don't worry, as your caring side will emerge and calm them down. Get ready for some spontaneous fun! Do not be surprised by someone else's tantrum. Just walk away for now. Tonight: Your passion runs high.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★★ Make an effort to reach out to a relative or neighbor. You might have been avoiding this person for a while. Most likely, a big smile will greet you when you finally meet up. Honor a fast change that seems to occur out of the blue. Tonight: Hang out with friends at a favorite spot.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★★ You might not be ready for all the extremes and overindulgences that are coming down the pike. You will feel a lot better if you relax and go with the flow. Let yourself be wild and free right now. Be more open to the possibilities that surround you. Tonight: Make it your treat.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★★ Zero in on your desires. The Moon in your sign announces that today is the right day to embrace your playfulness. Do what you want and/or what you feel is important. There could be a problem involving a loved one, but that too shall pass. Tonight: Beam in what you want.

VRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★★ You could feel less than energetic today. Know when to take a day off from your routine and pursue your desires. You tend to be of service to others, but now you can be of service to yourself. You are likely to discover a fun hobby in your free time. Tonight: Play it easy.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★★★ One-on-one relating makes you feel great. A loved one makes you feel adored. Others observe your interactions with a hint of jealousy, as they would like to have a similar sense of intimacy. Be more sensitive to others' feelings. Tonight: Do what makes you smile.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★★ You could feel uncomfortable with others deferring to you to make plans for the weekend. In any case, do not allow someone else to dominate the day. Avoid getting involved in a power play, and refuse to let others manipulate you. Tonight: Choose a favorite stress-buster.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★ You might be more willing to try someone else's suggestion than you have been in the past. Usually you are not keen on trying a new experience. Your adventurous personality emerges and surprises someone who does not know you well. Tonight: Say "yes" to living.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★ Defer to someone else. Remain sensitive to a loved one who wants more of your time. If you decide to change course, be open about what you are feeling. Lighten up the moment, and be more direct when dealing with someone who inevitably irritates you. Tonight: Be a duo.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ Express your willingness to go along with someone else's agenda. You like when a partner or loved one makes decisions that affect you and your day-to-day life in a positive way. You might feel as if a family member is trying to create uproar. Tonight: Just go with the flow.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★★ You accomplish a lot more by being receptive and nonjudgmental. You sense of humor and intuition combine to push you into the limelight. Say "no" to a pushy friend, and refuse to get into a power play. Make a push to complete a project. Tonight: Invite a friend over.

BORN TODAY
Actress *Laurie Metcalf* (1955), journalist, author *Joyce Carol Oates* (1938), boxer *Roberto Duran* (1951)

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CONTRACT BRIDGE

Assembling the necessary clues

East dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 9 5 3
♥ K 9 8
♦ K Q 4 3
♣ K 10 2

WEST
♠ J 10 7 4 2
♥ J 3
♦ J 9 7 5
♣ 6 4

EAST
♠ K 6
♥ Q 7 6 5 4 2
♦ A
♣ J 8 7 3

SOUTH
♠ A Q 8
♥ A 10
♦ 10 8 6 2
♣ A Q 9 5

The bidding:
East 1 NT West 3 NT North Pass
Opening lead — four of spades.

DECLARER should always begin the play of a hand by forming a tentative plan of what he intends to do. In making this plan, he usually starts by counting his winners in a notrump contract, and counting his losers in a suit contract.

Thus, in this deal, after a spade has been led, South can count seven immediate winners — two spades, two hearts and three clubs. Since his goal is to make nine tricks, declarer must formulate a plan to develop two additional tricks.

For starters, he notes that he can definitely gain a diamond trick simply by leading toward the K-Q, and that two diamond tricks are certain if

West was dealt the ace.
South also notes that an extra club trick can be made if the suit is divided 3-3; if either opponent was dealt the singleton or doubleton jack; or if he chooses to finesse against the jack.

Since there is no need to test the clubs immediately, South takes East's king of spades with the ace and leads a diamond to the queen. East wins with the ace and returns a spade, on which declarer plays the eight. He does this for two reasons — he wants to exhaust East of spades, and he would like to learn how many spades West started with.

West wins and returns another spade to South's queen as East discards a heart. Declarer leads a diamond to the king, hoping the jack will fall, but East shows out, discarding another heart.

South now has only one hope left — to score four club tricks. But before tackling the suit, he cashes the A-K of hearts. When both defenders follow suit, the contract becomes a certainty.

West has so far shown up with five spades, four diamonds and two hearts, and therefore cannot have more than two clubs. Accordingly, South leads the ten of clubs to the ace, a low club to the king and returns a low club from dummy. When East plays the eight, South finesses the nine with absolute assurance that the nine will win and yield the game-going trick.

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CROSSWORDS

ACROSS

- 1 Dutch bloom
- 6 Blows one's top
- 12 Hereditary
- 13 Pooch's play area in a park
- 14 Puzzle
- 15 Droid's rival
- 16 "The Martian" actor Damon
- 17 Biblical pronoun
- 19 West of Hollywood
- 20 Toledo's state
- 22 NASCAR sponsor
- 24 PC program
- 27 "E Pluribus"
- 29 Sicilian peak
- 32 "Rose is a rose is a rose" poet
- 35 Level

36 Calf-length Fey

37 24 hours

38 Melancholy

40 1492 vessel

42 Tours season

44 Rocker Clapton

46 Charades player

50 "Raging Bull" star

52 Accusations

54 Fitzgerald title

55 Margarita option

56 Op-ed pieces

57 Occurrence

18 Famed escape artist

21 "Ben-"

23 Hanoi holiday

24 Literary rep

25 Architect I.M. —

26 Santa's bagful

28 Pharmacy purchase

30 Actress Vardalos

31 Whatever amount

33 La-la lead-in

34 Do-wrong

39 Browler

41 Tickle

42 Firm

43 Herbal drinks

45 Rogers and Orbison

47 Persia, today

48 Thaw

49 Superlative suffix

51 "This — test"

53 Calendar abbr.

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CRYPTOQUIP

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Yesterday's Cryptoquip: VERY WELL-KNOWN ROCK-AND-ROLL ARTIST WHO LOOKED LIKE A CUTE LITTLE SPRITE: ELVISH PRESLEY.
Today's Cryptoquip Clue: K equals L

NASCAR THIS WEEK

SPEED FREAKS

A few questions we had to ask ourselves

Any chance Clint Bowyer will be a championship threat in the fall?

GODSPEAK: It would be like finding a cooler of iced beer at the end of the rainbow. Great if it happens, but highly unlikely.

KEN'S CALL: Outside chance at best. But I do think he'll win one or two more races between now and November.

Which Stewart-Haas driver is next to win?

GODSPEAK: It's a coin flip between the No. 41 and No. 10 cars. But don't forget, Aric Almirola was only a mile from winning the Daytona 500.

KEN'S CALL: Well, you have to say Kurt Busch, but pull for Aric Almirola. It'll drive Kurt nuts.

FEUD OF THE WEEK

DAVID RAGAN VS. BUBBA WALLACE

On Lap 36, Wallace's No. 43 Chevy tagged Ragan's No. 38 Ford and took Ragan out of the race. He finished 38th. Wallace went on to a 19th-place run.

GODWIN KELLY'S TAKE:

These teams can't afford to tear up equipment, so no payback. "He just kind of ran in over his head and wrecked us," Ragan said. "You will have that sometimes."

GODWIN'S PICKS FOR SONOMA

WINNER: Kurt Busch
REST OF TOP 5: Kyle Busch, Clint Bowyer, Jimmie Johnson, Denny Hamlin
FIRST ONE OUT: Bubba Wallace
DARK HORSE: Kasey Kahne
DON'T BE SURPRISED IF: The early money rides on Kurt Busch, who needs a win to make the playoffs. He won Sonoma in 2011.

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MICHIGAN

THREE THINGS WE LEARNED

1. Yes, Ford fast

Toyota's Kyle Busch, who has four Cup wins this season, said Fords were fast across the board at Michigan, not just the Stewart-Haas Racing cars. "They go down the straightaway really, really fast," said Busch, who was fourth. "We have a hard time keeping up with them there."

2. One, two, three

It is rare when a race team sweeps the top three positions in a Cup Series race, but Stewart-Haas Racing did it Sunday with Clint Bowyer, Kevin Harvick and Kurt Busch. "It's just awesome," said SHR team manager Greg Zipadelli. "It's big momentum for our group."

3. Chevy, yikes

Chevrolet's woes continued in a big way at Michigan. Chevy had two drivers lead a total of 12 laps. The best in class was Chase Elliott,



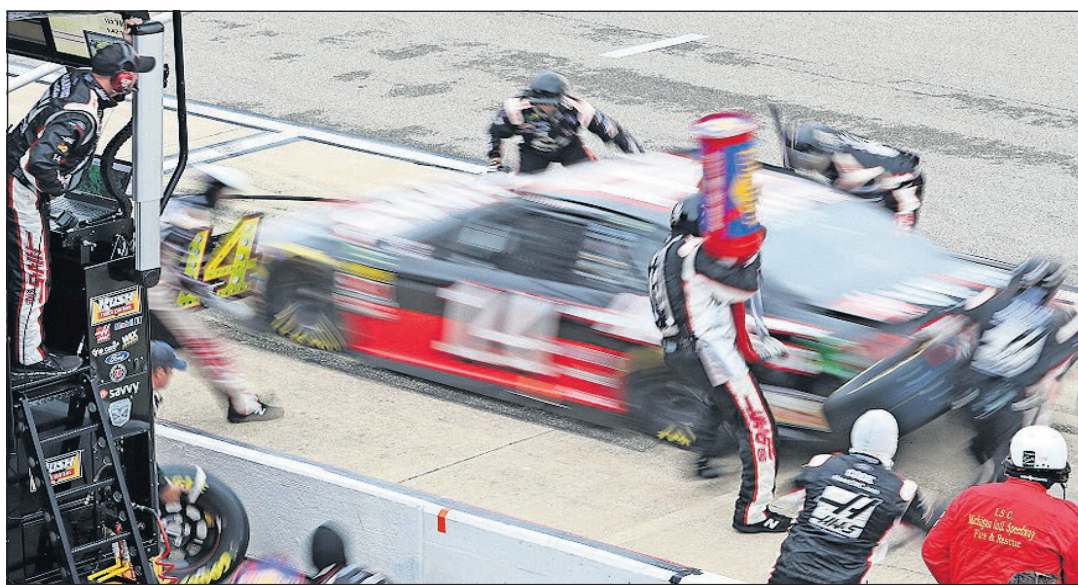
Kyle Busch, who drives a Toyota, has no fun talking about how fast Fords were at Michigan. [AP/CARLOS OSORIO]

who finished ninth. Jamie McMurray pitched in with a 10th-place showing. "I feel like every week we keep getting a little bit better,"

McMurray said.

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THREE THINGS TO WATCH



Clint Bowyer's win at Michigan has created a couple of blurry racing trends. [AP/CARLOS OSORIO]

1. Stranger things

If you are looking for odd trends this season, look no further than Clint Bowyer's two Cup Series victories. In both cases, his wins (Martinsville, snow-delayed; Michigan, rain-shortened) were affected by weather, and preceded an off weekend. Bowyer's crew chief, Mike Bugarewicz, made note of it Sunday. "I'm pretty pumped about winning (before) off weekends, because the next one is Indy, the (last) one is Homestead," he said.

2. Now we get it

The NASCAR Cup Series schedule has never gone out of its way to skip over a Father's Day Sunday. While a Cup race has not been scheduled on Mother's Day since 1986, dads have enjoyed racing on their special day since, well, forever. NASCAR Cup drivers can send their thank-you notes to the USGA because Fox is going all-in — even sending racing analyst Jeff Gordon — on the U.S. Open. Fore!

3. One more time

Fox Sports has one more Cup Series race on June 24 at Sonoma Raceway in California before handing the cameras and microphones over to NBC Sports, which will finish out the season with 20 consecutive races. The boys at NBC have had three "mock broadcasts" with the new guy on the block, Dale Earnhardt Jr. The mics go live on July 1 at Chicagoland Speedway.

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QUESTIONS & ATTITUDE

Compelling questions ... and maybe a few actual answers

Shouldn't a team trifecta get more hoopla?

Probably, considering it had been 10 years since a NASCAR team swept the top three finishing positions in a Cup race. The Clint Bowyer-Kevin Harvick-Kurt Busch sweep at Michigan was a feat to recognize and something that will likely be memorialized in the Stewart-Haas team shop (though a photo of the three rain-soaked cars sitting behind a red flag isn't exactly dramatic). It's also testament to how much things can change in 10 years.

Where are they now?

The last team sweep came courtesy of Roush Racing, at Dover in the fall of 2008: Winner Greg Biffle (now retired), runner-up Matt Kenseth (semi-retired) and third-place Carl Edwards (retired and seemingly off the grid somewhere). Of those in the rest of the top 10 that day, only Harvick, Bowyer and Jimmie Johnson are still in Cup racing, while just seven of that day's top 20 are still full-timers. Yes, take plenty of photos, because you never know when sunset on the horizon beckons.

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CUP STANDINGS

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|-------------------------|-----|
| 1. Kyle Busch | 664 |
| 2. Kevin Harvick | 589 |
| 3. Joey Logano | 566 |
| 4. Brad Keselowski | 514 |
| 5. Clint Bowyer | 510 |
| 6. Martin Truex Jr. | 506 |
| 7. Kurt Busch | 493 |
| 8. Denny Hamlin | 468 |
| 9. Ryan Blaney | 457 |
| 10. Kyle Larson | 443 |
| 11. Aric Almirola | 433 |
| 12. Jimmie Johnson | 377 |
| 13. Chase Elliott | 362 |
| 14. Erik Jones | 346 |
| 15. Alex Bowman | 331 |
| 16. Ricky Stenhouse Jr. | 327 |
| 16. Paul Menard | 327 |
| 18. Austin Dillon | 292 |
| 19. Jamie McMurray | 283 |
| 20. William Byron | 277 |

WHAT'S ON TAP

XFINITY: Iowa 250 presented by Enogen
SITE: Iowa Speedway (.875-mile oval)
TV SCHEDULE: Saturday, practice (Fox Sports 2, 3 p.m.), practice (Fox Sports 1, 5:30 p.m.). Sunday, qualifying (Fox Sports 2, 2:30 p.m.), race (Fox Sports 1, 5 p.m.)

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SITE: Iowa Speedway
TV SCHEDULE: Saturday, practice (Fox Sports 1, 9:30 a.m.), practice (Fox Sports 2, 11 a.m.), qualifying (Fox Sports 2, 4:30 p.m.), race (Fox Sports 1, 7 p.m.)

2018 SCHEDULE AND WINNERS

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

April 29: Geico 500 at Talladega (Joey Logano)
May 6: AAA 400 at Dover (Kevin Harvick)
May 12: Go Bowling 400 at Kansas (Kevin Harvick)
May 19: All-Star Race at Charlotte (Kevin Harvick)
May 27: Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte (Kyle Busch)
June 3: Pocono 400 (Martin Truex Jr.)
June 10: FireKeepers Casino 400 at Michigan (Clint Bowyer)
June 24: Toyota/Save Mart 350 at Sonoma
July 1: Chicago 400 at Chicagoland
July 7: Coke Zero 400 at Daytona
July 14: Quaker State 400 at Kentucky
July 22: New Hampshire 301
July 29: Pennsylvania 400 at Pocono
Aug. 5: 355 at the Glen, at Watkins Glen

Aug. 12: Pure Michigan 400
Aug. 18: Night Race at Bristol
Sept. 2: Southern 500 at Darlington
Sept. 9: Brickyard 400 at Indianapolis
Sept. 16: Las Vegas 400
Sept. 22: Federated Auto Parts 400 at Richmond
Sept. 30: Bank of America 500(k) at Charlotte road course
Oct. 7: Delaware 400 at Dover
Oct. 14: Alabama 500 at Talladega
Oct. 21: Hollywood Casino 400 at Kansas
Oct. 28: First Data 500 at Martinsville
Nov. 4: Texas 500
Nov. 11: Can-Am 500(k) at Phoenix
Nov. 18: Ford EcoBoost 400 at Homestead

KEN WILLIS' TOP 10 NASCAR DRIVER RANKINGS

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| KEVIN HARVICK Turns attention to U.S. Open this week | KYLE BUSCH Searching for horsepower on off week | MARTIN TRUEX JR. Shares hometown (Trenton, N.J.) with Charlie Weis | CLINT BOWYER Another two-week afterglow for Clint | JOEY LOGANO Will be first Father's Day as a dad | BRAD KESELOWSKI Dad Bob won 24 times in ARCA Series | KURT BUSCH Outside the Victory Club at Stewart-Haas | KYLE LARSON Running well, but not well enough | RYAN BLANEY Dad Dave had 473 Cup Series starts | JIMMIE JOHNSON Showing signs, then a bobble at Michigan |
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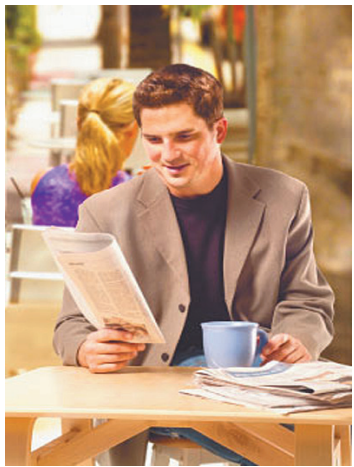
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