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In wrestle for gun, woman shot in foot

By GREG FITZPATRICK
Correspondent

SOUTHWICK – A 19-year-old woman was transported to Baystate Medical Center Sunday night after she was shot in the foot during an attempt to secure a firearm from her 21-year-old boyfriend.

According to Southwick Chief of Police Kevin Bishop, police officers were dispatched to Congamond Road just before 6 p.m. on Sunday night for a distraught man with a gun. After the girlfriend was shot in the foot during the attempt to get the gun, the male subject left the scene. The female was treated at Baystate Medical Center and released.

After a warrant was issued for the boyfriend, he was brought into the Southwick Police station at approximately 10 a.m. Monday morning by his girlfriend.

The male, who's name is not being released, was arraigned in Westfield District Court on Monday and has been held on \$500 bail and was expected to be back in Westfield District Court on Thursday. The individual is facing charges of possession of a firearm without a license and discharging a firearm within 500 ft. of a dwelling. The Westfield District Court also informed the Westfield News that the male will have certain conditions to abide by but those haven't yet been specified.

Along with Southwick Police officers, assistance was received from Suffield Police and Massachusetts State Troopers.



First Night

Firelight and spotlights enlighten the darkness at Amelia Park during Monday's First Night celebration. See additional First Night photos on Pages 6, 7. (Photo by Marc St.onge)

CITY COUNCIL PREVIEW

Jan. 3, 2019 – Election of President for 2019

By AMY PORTER
Correspondent

WESTFIELD – On Thursday, the City Council will elect a new president for 2019 as the first item on the agenda. 2018 Council President John J. Beltrandi, III said he will not be putting in his name for the office. Beltrandi said typically presidents rotate, although there have been exceptions in recent years. He said the office involves a lot of extra meetings and a lot of extra time.

"I appreciated all the hard work councilors did, and the support that I received," Beltrandi said, adding that he felt that everybody contributed, and was, for the most part, respectful. "It was an interesting year," he said.

Beltrandi acknowledged all the extra work the councilors did around certain issues, in particular the water issues facing Westfield. He said everybody had input, and everybody put a lot of work into it. He also acknowledged the "incredible amount" of work done by members of the community in learning about the issues, mentioning Kristen Mello in particular.

"I appreciated their efforts," Beltrandi said. As president, he said he tried to be fair and give people the opportunity to be heard, although he admitted he didn't have patience for what he called campaign speeches.

Beltrandi said he does plan to run again as an At-large Councilor this fall. "If I'm fortunate to get elected again, I'll probably throw my hat in again for president," he said.

At least two councilors are interested in putting in their names on Thursday as president for 2019. Beltrandi said whoever is voted for by a simple majority of the councilors, will take the seat and run the rest of the meeting. The new president will also hand out new committee assignments at Thursday's meeting.

On the agenda from the Mayor's office are requests for action on two grants. The first, is a request to accept a grant of \$5,500 from the Executive Office of Elder Affairs to the Westfield Council on Aging's food program's partnership with the Horticulture Department at Westfield Technical Academy.

The second is for a resolution of the City Council authorizing a grant from the Executive Office of Housing and Economic Development in the amount of \$1,926,745 to the Engineering Dept. The grant has been awarded from the MassWorks Infrastructure Program for the Springfield Road Traffic Signal Project, for a new traffic signal at 99 Springfield Rd.

More grants will be brought forward from the Finance sub-committee for acceptance by the City Council; for Barnes Airport, and a Community Preservation Commission grant of \$75,000 for additional affordable housing units at Powdermill Village apartments, as a part of a planned renovation program. The Finance sub-committee will also bring a positive recommendation on a proposal from the Department of Public Works for an increase in stormwater fees for residential and commercial customers, to help pay for a 5-year \$14 million capital plan for needed



JOHN J. BELTRANDI, III

Kiwanis TV Auction a win-win for businesses, charities



George Delisle will once again serve as co-anchor for the Westfield Kiwanis TV Auction on March 3. (Submitted photo)

By LORI SZEPELAK
Correspondent

WESTFIELD — With a new year it is "full steam ahead" as Westfield Kiwanis members begin reaching out for donations for the annual TV Auction slated March 3.

Now in its 50th year, the auction has evolved over the years but its mission remains the same – raising funds to benefit a variety of local charities and programs.

"A solicitation letter will be sent to businesses in town during the first week of January," said George Delisle, a past president of Westfield Kiwanis as well as a past auction chairman. He has also served as an auction co-anchor

since 2006. "It is full steam ahead for our members who will be making phone calls and encouraging businesses to consider donating a product or service or being an auction sponsor."

The auction, conducted at the Westfield State University broadcast studio in the Ely Campus Center, will air from noon to 8 p.m. on Comcast Channel 15 in Westfield and Southwick, and will stream live at www.westfieldkiwanis.org.

"The auction was presented on radio – the old WDEW-AM – in the 70's and early 80's, and transitioned to television in the early 1990's," said Delisle, adding that

the auction is the "primary source of funds that the Kiwanis Club uses for support of our local charities."

A "large portion" of the auction funds raised benefits the Boys & Girls Club of Greater Westfield each year, according to Delisle, noting that Westfield Kiwanis founded the organization in the 1960's.

Organizations including Westfield Little League, Girl Scouts, Westfield on Weekends, the annual Strawberry Festival, Our Community Table soup kitchen, youth programs in the local schools, the Kiwanis Children's

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Grandmothers' Garden in crisis mode

By LORI SZEPELAK
Correspondent

WESTFIELD – While the plants, herbs and bushes lay dormant for the winter, a crisis is looming underfoot for the future of Grandmothers' Garden, according to volunteer coordinator John DeFeo.

"We were in desperate need in 2018 for volunteers and that need has increased greatly for this year," said DeFeo, adding that currently he only has two women who have been loyal volunteer gardeners throughout the years.

"We lost three volunteers in 2018 due to health issues so the garden looks neglected," said DeFeo. "Once we lost those volunteers we fell behind and the garden is now in rough shape."

The most significant feature of the Chauncey Allen Park along Smith Avenue is Grandmothers' Garden, a half-acre formal flower garden that was constructed in 1933.

DeFeo explained he would be elated if he could recruit a minimum

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Continued public hearing for solar project set for Monday

By GREG FITZPATRICK
Correspondent

GRANVILLE – The Planning Board will hold a continued public hearing at the Granville Town Hall on Monday at 7 p.m. for a proposed solar installation site.

Charles Sheets owns the 91-acre property at 1730 Main Rd. and is looking to utilize 4.96 acres of the property to install a large scale ground-mounted solar photovoltaic installation. According to Gale Head Development, solar developer for the project, access to the site will come from Sheets Road, which is off of Main Road.

Regarding the environmental aspect of the proposed site, there are wetlands around the 4.96 acres but they will not be disrupted as it will be out of the 100-foot buffer zone.

According to the submitted site plan, the array will be set back at least 40 feet from any property lines. Gale Head also mentions that there will be a shade management area consisting of 5.3 acres to the west, south, and

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Today, sunny to partly cloudy. Colder. High 36F. Winds light and variable. Tonight cloudy skies with late-night snow showers. Low 26F. Winds light and variable. Chance of snow 50%. Snow accumulations less than one inch. Thursday, cloudy skies early, then partly cloudy in the afternoon. A few flurries or snow showers possible. High 42F. Winds WNW at 10 to 20 mph. Thursday Night, a few clouds overnight. Low 27F. Winds WSW at 5 to 10 mph. Friday, except for a few afternoon clouds, mainly sunny. High around 45F.

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ODDS & ENDS

Polar plunge raises \$25K for man who inspired ALS fundraiser

GLoucester, Mass. (AP) — About 100 people took an icy plunge into the ocean over the weekend to raise about \$25,000 for the Massachusetts man who helped inspire the ice bucket challenge.

The Gloucester Daily Times reports that people gathered in costumes and bathing suits at Good Harbor Beach in Gloucester on Saturday for the seventh annual Plunge for Pete.

The proceeds help cover the medical costs for 34-year-old Pete Frates (FRAY'-tees), of Beverly, the former Boston College baseball player credited with helping popularize the ice bucket challenge that raises money for research on amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, or ALS, often called Lou Gehrig's disease.

Frates' father, John, says he was overwhelmed with the generosity from supporters.

ALS is a degenerative disease that destroys nerve cells, impairs physical functions and so far has no cure.

LOCAL LOTTERY

LAST NIGHT'S NUMBERS
MASSACHUSETTS

MassCash
05-07-08-18-34

Mega Millions
34-44-57-62-70, Mega Ball: 14, Megaplier: 4
Estimated jackpot: \$425 million

Numbers Evening 4-4-2-7

Numbers Midday 2-7-5-2

Powerball
Estimated jackpot: \$53 million



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Cash 5
01-15-20-23-31

Lotto
12-14-18-27-37-41
Estimated jackpot: \$9.65 million

Lucky Links Day
06-09-13-18-19-20-21-22

Lucky Links Night
01-03-05-12-15-17-19-21

Play3 Day 8-6-4

Play3 Night 1-1-5

Play4 Day 3-4-8-4

Play4 Night 8-0-5-4

TODAY IN HISTORY

TODAY IS WEDNESDAY, JAN. 2, THE SECOND DAY OF 2019. THERE ARE 363 DAYS LEFT IN THE YEAR.

On Jan. 2, 1900, U.S. Secretary of State John Hay announced the "Open Door Policy" to facilitate trade with China.

ON THIS DATE:

- In 1788, Georgia became the fourth state to ratify the U.S. Constitution.
- In 1792, the first classes began at Georgetown University in Washington, D.C.
- In 1929, the United States and Canada reached agreement on joint action to preserve Niagara Falls.
- In 1935, Bruno Hauptmann went on trial in Flemington, New Jersey, on charges of kidnapping and murdering the 20-month-old son of Charles and Anne Lindbergh. (Hauptmann was found guilty, and executed.)
- In 1942, the Philippine capital of Manila was captured by Japanese forces during World War II.
- In 1960, Sen. John F. Kennedy of Massachusetts launched his successful bid for the presidency.
- In 1967, Republican Ronald Reagan took the oath of office as the new governor of California in a ceremony that took place in Sacramento shortly just after midnight.
- In 1974, President Richard Nixon signed legislation requiring states to limit highway speeds to 55 miles an hour as a way of conserving gasoline in the face of an OPEC oil embargo. (The 55 mph limit was effectively phased out in 1987; federal speed limits were abolished in 1995.) "Singing cowboy" star Tex Ritter died in Nashville at age 68.

In 1983, the original Broadway production of the musical "Annie" closed after a run of 2,377 performances.

In 1986, former baseball owner Bill Veeck (vehk), remembered for his well-publicized stunts and promotional gimmicks, including an exploding scoreboard and a midget pinch-hitter, died in Chicago at age 71.

In 2000, Retired Admiral Elmo R. Zumwalt, Jr., known early in his career for modernizing the Navy and later for ordering the spraying of Agent Orange in Vietnam, died in Durham, N.C. at age 79.

In 2006, a methane gas explosion at the Sago (SAY'-goh) Mine in West Virginia claimed the lives of 12 miners, but one miner, Randal McCloy, Jr., was eventually rescued. The roof of a skating rink collapsed in the German town of Bad Reichenhall, killing 15 people.

TEN YEARS AGO:

President George W. Bush branded Hamas rocket attacks on Israel an "act of terror" and outlined his own condition for a cease-fire in Gaza. President-elect Barack Obama and his family arrived in Chicago after a holiday vacation in Hawaii. AirTran Airways apologized to nine Muslims kicked off a New Year's Day flight to Florida. Actor John Travolta's 16-year-old son, Jett, died at the family's vacation home in the Bahamas. Peyton Manning won a record-tying third Associated Press NFL Most Valuable Player award. No. 7 Utah finished a perfect season with a 31-17 upset of No. 4 Alabama in the Sugar Bowl.

FIVE YEARS AGO:

Fifty-two passengers trapped for more than a week on an icebound Russian research ship in the Antarctic were rescued when a Chinese helicopter swooped in and plucked them from the ice a dozen at a time. In the Sugar

Bowl, No. 11 Oklahoma took down third-ranked Alabama 45-31.

ONE YEAR AGO:

Republican Sen. Orrin Hatch of Utah said he would not seek re-election after serving more than 40 years in the Senate; the announcement cleared the way for 2012 GOP presidential nominee Mitt Romney to successfully run for the seat. Sen. Al Franken formally resigned from the Senate a month after the Minnesota Democrat announced his plan to leave Congress amid a series of sexual misconduct allegations. NBC News announced that Hoda Kotb would be the co-anchor of the first two hours of the "Today" show, replacing Matt Lauer following his firing due to sexual misconduct allegations.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS:

Country musician Harold Bradley is 93. Former House Speaker Dennis Hastert is 77. TV host Jack Hanna is 72. Actress Wendy Phillips is 67. Actress Cynthia Sikes is 65. Actress Gabrielle Carteris is 58. Movie director Todd Haynes is 58. Retired MLB All-Star pitcher David Cone is 56. Actress Tia Carrere is 52. Actor Cuba Gooding Jr. is 51. Model Christy Turlington is 50. Actor Taye Diggs is 48. Actress Renee Elise Goldsberry is 48. Rock musician Scott Underwood is 48. Rock singer Doug Robb (Hoobastank) is 44. Actor Dax Shepard is 44. Actress Paz Vega is 43. Country musician Chris Hartman is 41. Ballroom dancer Karina Smirnoff (TV: "Dancing with the Stars") is 41. Rock musician Jerry DePizzo Jr. (O.A.R.) is 40. Rhythm-and-blues singer Kelton Kessee (IMX) is 38. Pop singer-musician Ryan Merchant (Capital Cities) is 38. Actress Kate Bosworth is 36. Actor Peter Gadiot is 34. Jazz singer-musician Trombone Shorty is 33. Singer-songwriter Mandy Harvey (TV: "America's Got Talent") is 31. Rhythm-and-blues singer-rapper Bryson Tiller is 26.



Mayor Brian Sullivan joins with Westfield children to press the button that lights up the Westfield 350th anniversary cake Tuesday afternoon.

Westfield 350 Cake Lighting Ceremony



A crowd gathers on the town green for the Westfield 350th anniversary cake lighting ceremony.



Harry Rock, at microphone, and Mayor Brian Sullivan, far right, honor Paul Asselin, Elm Electrical Sr. Project Manager, and Bruce Scheible, president of Westek Architectural Woodwork for their contributions to building the Westfield 350th cake.

Maggie and Arianna Deedy take a selfie in front of the newly lit Westfield 350th cake.

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Kiwanis Auction

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Fund, and the Kiwanis Foundation of New England are also among the many charities that benefit each year from auction funds.

Delisle noted that it is "good business" for local businesses to get involved in the auction process. All donated items must be received by Feb. 7 and have a minimum retail value of \$50. "Our participants get exposure in all our pre-auction newspaper and social media advertising, as well as on the air," said Delisle. "It's a chance to spotlight your business, product, or services, and demonstrate your commitment to the local community."

Clarissa Butler Simone, principal, Roger Butler Insurance Agency on Court Street, echoed those sentiments.

"Our agency started in Westfield in 1902 by our great-grandfather who believed in the importance of supporting the local community since the community was supporting us," said Butler Simone. "Our agency has been an auction sponsor for many years because we know Westfield Kiwanis has done good things for the city."

Butler Simone added that while the economy can be "tough on businesses," it is still important to "come together for good causes."

"Nonprofits are struggling and it is important to step up and support the many volunteers who are involved in these organizations," said Butler Simone.

Kellie Brown, president of Westfield Kiwanis and director of operations for the Boys and Girls Club of Greater Westfield, shared a similar sentiment.

"I joined Kiwanis for two reasons," said Brown. "The first is because they are our founding fathers and I feel I owe them so much and I felt one way to give back would be to become a part of the organization that funded the Boys and Girls Club and continue to do so today."

Brown said the second reason she joined Kiwanis was to be a part of "something bigger"

in the Greater Westfield area.

"Kiwanis is an organization that puts youth first," said Brown. "They are instrumental in helping the youth in the community in so many ways."

Brown also encourages businesses and organizations to consider making an auction donation or being a sponsor.

"Maybe they are not an organization or business that directly helps youth but has the resources to give so Kiwanis can continue to support the needs," said Brown. "It is also a great way to get free advertising about their company and people will support businesses that support youth."

Delisle concurred.

"Businesses anywhere are welcome to donate, and we have regular donations from a bed and breakfast in Aruba," said Delisle, adding that some donated items will be displayed in the window of Cassin Insurance on Elm Street prior to the auction.

"Many items will be featured on our website, and nearly all will be displayed on TV during the auction telecast," said Delisle.

Since its founding in 1922, Westfield Kiwanis has served Westfield, Southwick and the hill towns by raising funds to meet the ever-changing needs of children and youth in the local area.

"This is our 50th auction so that should speak volumes as to the success of the auction itself and the importance of the businesses that support us," said Brown.

For donation or sponsorship details, contact Brown via email at auctioninfo@westfield-tvauction.com or call her weekdays at the Boys and Girls Club, (413) 562-5301.

"It's a fun event to do," said Delisle. "We've been fortunate over the years that the auction has done very well. With our 50th year, we hope to showcase some old videotape footage to provide a retrospective of how the auction has changed over the years."

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FEBRUARY 13, 2019 • **Watershed Wanderings Through Time and Space: Westfield River Watershed Association, 65 Years of Service**
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FEBRUARY 27, 2019 • **Where the Two Worlds Meet: Native Americans of Western MA**
WSU: Scanlon Hall, Loughman Living Room • Presented By: **Gail White**

MARCH 6, 2019 • **History of the Westfield Normal School**
WSU: Arno Maris Gallery, Ely Hall 2nd Fl.
Presented By: **Dr. Beth Ann Rothermel, Dr. Mara Dodge, and Walter Fogg**

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Westfield Athenaeum • Presented By: **Walter Fogg**

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APRIL 17, 2019 • **Wayfinding through GPS: Planning Perspectives for the City of Westfield**
WSU: Scanlon Hall Banquet Room
Presented By: **Dr. Dristi Neog, Dr. Robert Bristow, and Billy Hyunh**

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Public Hearing

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east of the proposed solar site. The shade management area includes cutting trees near the 100-foot wetland buffer zone, which comes out to 1.73 acres.

Due to the proposed solar site being less than five acres, Gale Head doesn't have to go before the Zoning Board of Appeals for a variance. The continued public hearing with the Planning Board is for a special permit to go forward with the project.

Rich Pierce, Chairman of the Planning Board, has some optimism that the project could move forward.

"There's a reasonable chance we'll approve it (site plan) because they've (Gale Head) been responsive to our requirements, but it all depends on the engineer's opinion," said Pierce.

The Town of Granville has hired an engineer, Michael Petrin of VHB, to look over the solar project and give the town feedback on what Gale Head needs to do to have their site plan adequate and special permit approved.

On December 20, a special town meeting was held where the proposed 1730 Main Rd. project was approved by the voting residents to allow the Select Board to enter into negotiations with Gale Head. The negotiations would allow the two parties to have the possibility of moving forward with the project and entering into an agreement. Since residents voted in favor of the warrant article, the town can now benefit from the state's PILOT program (Payment in Lieu of Taxes). The PILOT program takes the place of personal property taxes.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor

There is currently a proposal in the Finance Committee of the City Council for this Thursday for a "Capital Plan" to increase the Stormwater fees for the residents and businesses of Westfield and create new positions to do the work. While I understand the need for maintenance and repair of the systems and the requirement by the Federal Government that this be done, an increase in this fee needs to be discussed further and accounting documentation needs to be provided for the current and past fees that were collected to see what projects have been done with these funds. One issue that I have with this is that the residential developments that were put in and the commercial developments that were done under the "Stormwater Management Program" required the installation of onsite retention / detention and treatment of all stormwater on these properties. This process is an extremely expensive undertaking by the property owner's, and in many cases reduces the size of these developments and useable area. If the developers / owners are required to install and maintain these areas, why should they also pay a separate fee? The argument has been made that you still need to pay the fee because you "use the roads". What is the "Excise" Tax for? Meals Tax? Rooms Tax? The proposal indicates that the fees would increase up to \$50.00 for residents by FY21 and as high as \$4,200 for some businesses. I would like to see more discussion on this, and maybe some public input as well.

John Beltrandi

Garbage, feces take toll on national parks amid shutdown

WASHINGTON (AP) — Human feces, overflowing garbage, illegal off-roading and other damaging behavior in fragile areas were beginning to overwhelm some of the West's iconic national parks, as a partial government shutdown left the areas open to visitors but with little staff on duty.

"It's a free-for-all," Dakota Snider, 24, who lives and works in Yosemite Valley, said by telephone Monday, as Yosemite National Park officials announced closings of some minimally supervised campgrounds and public areas within the park that are overwhelmed.

"It's so heartbreaking. There is more trash and human waste and disregard for the rules than I've seen in my four years living here," Snider said.

The partial federal government shutdown, now into its 11th day, has forced furloughs of hundreds of thousands of federal government employees. This has left many parks without most of the rangers and others who staff campgrounds and otherwise keep parks running.

Unlike shutdowns in some previous administrations, the Trump administration was leaving parks open to visitors despite the staff furloughs, said John Garder, senior budget director of the non-profit National Parks Conservation Association.

"We're afraid that we're going to start seeing significant damage to the natural resources in parks and potentially to historic and other cultural artifacts," Garder said. "We're concerned there'll be impacts to visitors' safety."

"It's really a nightmare scenario," Garder said.

Under the park service's shutdown plan, authorities have to close any area where garbage or other problems become threats to health and safety or to wildlife, spokesman Jeremy Barnum said in an email Monday.

"At the superintendent's discretion, parks may close grounds/ areas with sensitive natural, cultural, historic, or archaeological resources vulnerable to destruction, looting, or other damage that cannot be adequately protected by the accepted law enforcement staff that remain on duty," Barnum said.

In the southern Sierra Nevada in Central California, some areas of the Sequoia and Kings Canyon national parks were closed Monday evening. In Sequoia, home to immense and ancient giant sequoias, General Highway was closed because overflowing trash bins were spreading litter and posed a threat to wildlife and the icy, jammed roadway was seeing up to three-hour delays, according to the National Park Service.

Also closed was the Grant Tree Trail, a popular hiking spot, because the government shutdown halted maintenance and left the path dangerously slick from ice and snow, with at least one injury reported, the park service said.

Campers at Joshua Tree National Park in Southern California's deserts were reporting squabbles as different families laid claims to sites, with no rangers on hand to adjudicate, said Ethan Feltges, who operates the Coyote Corner gift shop outside Joshua Tree.

Feltges and other business owners around Joshua Tree had stepped into the gap as much as possible, hauling trailers into the park to empty overflowing trash bins and sweeping and stocking restrooms that were still open, Feltges said.

Feltges himself had set up a portable toilet at his store to help the visitors still streaming in and out of the park. He was spending his days standing outside his store, offering tips about the park in place of the rangers who normally would be present.

"The whole community has come together," Feltges said, also by phone. "Everyone loves the park. And there's a lot of businesses that actually need the park."

Some visitors have strung Christmas lights in the twisting Joshua trees, many of which are hundreds of years old, the Los Angeles Times reported.

Most visitors were being respectful of the desert wilderness and park facilities, Joshua Tree's superintendent, David Smith, said in a statement.

But some are seizing on the shortage of park staffers to off-road illegally and otherwise damage the park, as well as relieving themselves in the open, a park statement said. Joshua Tree said it would begin closing some campgrounds for all but day use.

At Yosemite, Snider, the local resident, said crowds of visitors were driving into the park to take advantage of free admission, with only a few park rangers working and a limited number of restrooms open.

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Congress leaders invited to White House for border briefing

By ZEKE MILLER and LISA MASCARO

Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) —

President Donald Trump on Tuesday invited congressional leaders to a White House briefing on border security as the partial government shutdown dragged on over funding for a border wall, with Trump tweeting, "Let's make a deal?"

The briefing would happen Wednesday, the day before the Democrats take control of the House, but the exact agenda wasn't immediately clear, according to a person with knowledge of the briefing who was not authorized to speak publicly about the issue and spoke to The Associated Press on condition of anonymity.

Republican leaders will be attending. Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell, as well as the top incoming House Republicans, Kevin McCarthy of California and Steve Scalise of Louisiana, are planning to be at the briefing, according to aides. Retiring Speaker Paul Ryan will not.

Nancy Pelosi, who is expected to take over as House speaker, was also expected to attend, but she and top Senate Democrat Chuck Schumer were awaiting more details. Pelosi said Democrats would take action to "end the Trump Shutdown" by passing legislation Thursday to reopen government.

"We are giving the Republicans the opportunity to take yes for an answer," Pelosi wrote in a letter to colleagues late Tuesday. "Senate Republicans have already supported this legislation, and if they reject it now, they will be fully complicit in chaos and destruction of the President's third shutdown of his term."

The White House invitation comes after House Democrats released their plan to re-open the government without approving money for a border



The Capitol is seen as New Year's Day comes to a close with the partial government shutdown in its second week, in Washington, Tuesday, Jan. 1, 2019. The new House majority led by Democrat Nancy Pelosi gavel into session this week with legislation ready to end the government shutdown. (AP Photo/J. Scott Applewhite)

wall — unveiling two bills to fund shuttered government agencies and put hundreds of thousands of federal workers back on the job. They planned to pass them as soon as the new Congress convenes Thursday.

Trump spent the weekend saying Democrats should return to Washington to negotiate, firing off Twitter taunts. He then revised his aides' comments to state that he really still wants to build a border wall.

On Tuesday morning, after tweeting a New Year's message to "EVERYONE INCLUDING THE HATERS AND THE FAKE NEWS MEDIA," Trump tweeted: "The Democrats, much as I suspected, have allocated no money for a new Wall. So imaginative! The problem is, without a Wall there can be no real Border Security."

But he seemed to shift tactics later in the day, appealing to Pelosi. "Border Security and the Wall 'thing' and Shutdown is not where Nancy Pelosi wanted to start her tenure as Speaker! Let's make a deal?" he tweeted.

Whether the Republican-led Senate, under McConnell, would consider the Democratic bills — or if Trump would sign

either into law — was unclear. McConnell spokesman Donald Stewart said Senate Republicans would not take action without Trump's backing.

"It's simple: The Senate is not going to send something to the president that he won't sign," Stewart said.

Even if only symbolic, the passage of the bills in the House would put fresh pressure on the president. At the same time, administration officials said Trump was in no rush for a resolution to the impasse.

Trump believes he has public opinion on his side and, at very least, his base of supporters behind him, the officials said, speaking on the condition of anonymity because they were not authorized to speak publicly.

White House officials, including the departing chief of staff, had indicated that Trump's signature campaign pledge to build the wall would not be fulfilled as advertised. Chief of staff John Kelly told the Los Angeles Times in an interview published Sunday that Trump abandoned the notion of "a solid concrete wall early on in the administration."

The Democratic package to end the shutdown would include one bill to temporarily fund the Department of Homeland Security at current levels — with \$1.3 billion for border security, far less than the \$5 billion Trump has said he wants for the wall — through Feb. 8 as talks continued.

It would also include another measure to fund the departments of Agriculture, Interior, Housing and Urban Development and others closed by the partial shutdown. It would provide money through the remainder of the fiscal year, to Sept. 30.

Democrats under Pelosi were all but certain to swiftly approve the package in two

separate votes Thursday. They would take place after the election of a new House speaker, a contest Pelosi was expected to win as leader of the new House majority.

The White House did not respond to multiple requests for comment on the House proposal. Republican senators left for the holidays refusing to vote on any bills until all sides, including Trump, were in agreement. The lawmakers were frustrated that Trump had dismissed their earlier legislation.

The president has not said he would veto the Democratic legislation, if the bills were to land on his desk. But a prolonged crisis could hobble House Democrats' ability to proceed with their agenda, which includes investigations of the president and oversight of his administration, including Russian interference in the 2016 election.

At least one Republican, South Carolina Sen. Lindsey Graham, encouraged Trump to use the budget impasse as an opportunity to address issues beyond the border wall. But a previous attempt to reach a compromise that addressed the status of "Dreamers" — young immigrants brought to the U.S. as children — broke down last year as a result of escalating White House demands. Graham said Trump was "open minded" about his proposal.

The partial government shutdown began Dec. 22 after Trump bowed to conservative demands that he fight to make good on his vow and secure funding for the wall before Republicans lose control of the House on Wednesday. Democrats have remained committed to blocking any funding for the wall.

With neither side engaging in substantive negotiation, the effect of the partial shutdown was set to spread and to extend into the new year.

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Peter D. Orlandi

MIDDLEBURG, FL – Peter D. Orlandi, 73, of Middleburg, Florida passed away on December 29, 2018. He succumbed to cancer after a long battle. Born in Westfield, MA, he was one of five children of the late Attilio and Virginia Orlandi.

Peter graduated in 1963 from St. Mary's High School. He was employed by Columbia Bicycle for 28 years.

Peter joined the Marines in 1965 and was selected to play the trumpet in the U.S.M.C. band. His family and many friends were quite proud of his accomplishments.

Pete was a loving husband, father and grandfather who leaves his wife Doris, son Peter and wife, Justine and several grandchildren. He is also survived by his siblings Ronald (Elizabeth), Bruce (Deborah), Anne Marie and Sherri Zalewa (Alan).

Pete was an avid pool player for over 50 years and joined with many Floridians in rooting for the Red Sox.



Bruce R. Parmiter

WESTFIELD – Bruce Rex Parmiter, 61, passed away Thursday at Baystate Medical Center, with his family by his side. Bruce was born May 7, 1957 in Lancaster, PA to the late Harvey and Marcia (Hay) Parmiter. Bruce enjoyed, football, lacrosse, hockey and loved to coach the kids. He took great pleasure in refereeing lacrosse and football. In his free time he loved to travel throughout New England and to Cape Cod, which was one of his favorite places to spend his time. His favorite movies to watch were old westerns. He enjoyed spending time with his son and loved to drive his Mazda Miata and motorcycle. He was a caring father and loved his son very much.

Bruce is survived by his cherished son Cameron Parmiter and his girlfriend Nicole Pozzuto, his former wife Dawna Parmiter all of Westfield, his sister Tracy Parmiter-Molloy of Winston Salem, NC, his brother Mark Lovett Parmiter and his niece Chandra Parmiter of Naples, FL. Per the request of the family, all services for Bruce will be private. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in Bruce's memory to the Westfield Youth Football, PO BOX 163, Westfield, MA 01086. Please visit www.westfieldfuneralhome.com for Bruce's memorial page.



Christine Brown leads a workshop at Grandmothers' Garden in Westfield – one of the popular events hosted at the Smith Avenue site. (Submitted photo)

Volunteers

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of six volunteers this year to help with a variety of tasks on a rotating basis, from weeding and planting flowers and bulbs to trimming trees and bushes.

"People are aging out so we are struggling to keep up at Grandmothers' Garden," said DeFeo. "We are looking for volunteers to donate two to three hours of time when they can and schedules can be very flexible."

DeFeo expects that by the end of April or early May, volunteers would be able to start getting their hands dirty in the approximately 36 beds of various sizes that now "need a lot of work."

"We also encourage groups to 'adopt-a-bed' which we will designate with signage," said DeFeo.

Popular features each year at Grandmothers' Garden include the free workshops offered by DeFeo and other gardeners, ranging from topics on cooking with herbs to composting.

"I do want to expand on the workshops this year because we had more than 20 people attend each session," said DeFeo, adding he was hoping that some attendees might have taken an interest in getting involved as a volunteer at the garden.

DeFeo said that volunteers each receive a brief orientation to the garden which includes learning the mission of Grandmothers' Garden.

"There is no set time limit to volunteering after your orientation to the garden," said DeFeo, adding that orientation is typically 60 to 90 minutes.

"Since I first started volunteering at Grandmothers' Garden, it has become a labor of love," said

DeFeo. "Last year was not our best garden year due to weather conditions and lack of volunteers."

Patricia Steele-Perkins, a Grandmothers' Garden board member and lead master gardener, echoed those sentiments.

"When my family moved to Westfield in 1969 we lived near Chauncey Allen Park and spent a lot of time enjoying all it offered including the pool, floating boats on the pond, flying model airplanes, and tobogganing and skating in the winter," said Steele-Perkins, who has been volunteering for more than 20 years. "Gardening is my hobby; I like the physical work, being outdoors, the people involved, and satisfaction of seeing our work blooming."

Steele-Perkins noted that the adopt-a-bed program can be done at any time and no expense is involved.

"Beds range from very small to quite large and the work is just weeding, dead-heading, really just grooming," said Steele-Perkins.

Board member Joy Bunnell, who will begin her 20th year of volunteering this spring, shared a similar sentiment.

"I started in 1998, the year the garden was renovated," said Bunnell. "It has been wonderful to see it mature and change. I have learned so much about plants by gardening with knowledgeable people and there are a few master gardeners that help out and they are willing to share advice. I have made some wonderful friends and it is a good exercise."

For more information on volunteering, visit www.grandmothersgarden.org.

COURT LOGS

Westfield District Court Tuesday, Dec. 25, 2018

The court was closed for the Christmas holiday.

Wednesday, Dec. 26, 2018

Brooke A. Miselis, 26, of 55 Trumbull St., Apt. 702, Hartford, Conn., was released upon payment of \$100 cash bail pending a March 6 hearing after she was arraigned on charges of failure to stop or yield, unlicensed operation of a motor vehicle, negligent operation of a motor vehicle, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor and a marked lanes violation brought by Southwick police.

Kelly J. Gancarz-Siperoglu, 44, of 7 Day Ave., Westfield, was released on her personal recognizance, pending a Feb. 12 hearing after she was arraigned on a charge of making a false 911 call brought by Westfield police.

POLICE LOGS

WESTFIELD Major crime and incident report Tuesday, Dec. 25, 2018

8:33 a.m.: breaking and entering, Main Street, a patrol officer reports that he was flagged down by a person who reported that the front door of a dry cleaning business had been smashed in, the officer reports that the glass door had been shattered and several hundred dollars had been stolen from the cash register, the officer determined that the crime occurred about 4 a.m.;

3:30 p.m.: accident, North Elm Street, a caller reports a two-car crash, the responding officer reports a passenger in one of the two involved vehicles was pregnant and was transported to Baystate Medical Center.

Wednesday, Dec. 26, 2018

12:59 a.m.: breaking and entering, Main Street, a patrol officer reports that she found the window in the front door of a nail salon had been smashed, the officer reports no entry appeared to have been gained;

11:50 a.m.: accident, Servistar Industrial Way at Campanelli Drive, a caller reports a car left the road and struck a tree, the responding officer reports a large patch of ice may have contributed to the accident, the DPW was notified, the operator was transported to Baystate Noble Hospital;

1:58 p.m.: larceny, Devon Terrace, a resident came to the station to report a larceny, the responding officer reports the complainant said that two gift cards valued at \$200 were found to be missing after a high school aged party at the home;

2:17 p.m.: animal complaint, East Mountain Road, a deceased adult orange tabby cat was removed from the roadway;

3:13 p.m.: animal complaint, Union Street, a resident came to the station to surrender a domestic short haired kitten found near her Union Street home;

3:48 p.m.: animal complaint, Daylilly Lane, an animal control officer reports he took custody of an injured hawk and transported it to the municipal animal shelter.

City Council

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stormwater work in the city. The City Council is expected to discuss and possibly vote on the plan at Thursday's meeting. Reports and recommendations will also come from the City Properties, Public Health and Safety, and the Ad Hoc Charter and Review committees.

A second and final vote is expected to take place on an order terminating easement rights to a piece of property off of Turnpike Industrial Road and discontinuing a portion of Turnpike Industrial Road as a city way, both of which passed the first reading unanimously at the Dec. 20 City Council meeting. The easement and discontinuing a portion of the road, which is already blocked off, will help pave the way for the James Hardie Building Supply Company to move into the Old Colony Envelope building at 70 Industrial Park Road. The Company, which makes fiber cement siding, anticipates using a rail spur, and transporting unfinished boards from the south for finishing at the Westfield site.

A second reading and final vote will also be taken for a zone

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- ArtsBeat with Mark Auerbach (9-10am)
- 4th Wed** Rock on Westfield with Harry Rock (8-9am)
- Boys and Girls Club Hour with Bill Parks (9-10am)
- **THURSDAYS**
- 6-8 am:** The Westfield News Radio Show, with host Patrick Berry
- 8-9 am:** In The Flow with Rob & Joe: Westfield Tech. Academy's Rob Ollari & Joe Langone
- 9-10am:** Superintendents' Spotlight with Stefan Czaprowski
- **FRIDAYS**
- 6-8 am:** JP's Talk about Town, with Jay Pagluica
- 8-9 am:** Owls Sports Weekly with Devin Bates '18 and Anthony Swenson '18
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Harry Rock briefs the First Night volunteers before the event.



Joe Almeida, right, of "Sculpture In Ice, uses a chainsaw to carve a clock tower in ice, assisted by Tom Roy.



Kids grab free noisemakers before taking part in the First Night parade.



Hot chocolate brings a smile to Avalena Allard and mom Taryn Colo.



Peggy Puza and Catelyn Puza watch as daughter Sydney Cabrera gets into the parade spirit.



Ben and Emily Larsen share a selfie with Scarlett, 2, and Sophia, 9.



Rain doesn't dampen the spirits of the crowd watching fireworks during Monday night's First Night celebration.



Bob Plasse and the Westfield Witches at the head of the parade.



To the chants of the crowd, the Westfield 350 sign lights up over Westfield Middle School.



Face painting draws a crowd.



Caden Matte and Emily Gallant get some balloon animals, at the Westfield Children's Museum.



The Westfield High Marching Band tunes up prior to the parade.

Westfield 350 First Night Celebration



Trevor the Games Man is a high point of the parade.



Mayor Sullivan leads the parade into Amelia Park.



Joanna Sexton and son Levi get ready to toast some marshmallows at the First Night celebration.



Gaebria Donovan is surrounded by dancing monkey puppets in front of the Amelia Park Ice Arena.



Toasting marshmallows on an open fire was a big hit for all.



A s'mores toasted over a fire tastes pretty good to Lily Masse of Westfield.



Julia Bonfitto climbs into a bounce bubble assisted by a Westfield State University Owl.



Brandon Houle, 12, gets an assist from dad Joe Houle.



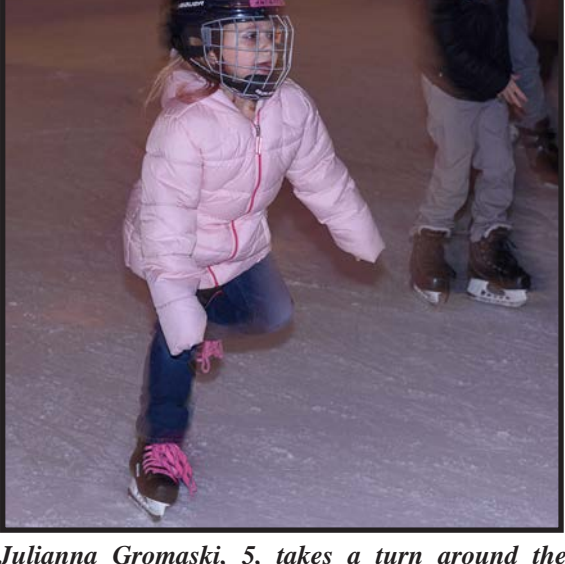
Audrey McDonnell helps niece Adrianna, 7, during the free skate in the Amelia Park Ice Rink.



Mike Rondeau, of Rondeau Ice, shows spectators how he carves a bicycle from ice.



Cindy Gaylord and Carly Bannish of the Westfield 350 committee show they're ready for the New Year.



Julianna Gromaski, 5, takes a turn around the Amelia Park ice rink.



Kids wait in line (somewhat) patiently to play in a bounce house at the Westfield Boys and Girls Club.



Catherine Giroux and Haley Murray, both 10, enjoy some hot dogs at the Boys and Girls Club.



Danny Doyle and Rob Griffin enjoy a game of ping pong.



Molly and Chase St. Peter watch as Owen, 3, and Mckenzie, 6, make snowman faces.



Bob Peck of Zestworks entertains the crowd waiting to get into the ice rink.



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Mandy Pappas

Senior Family Partner for BHN's Mobile Crisis Intervention Team

Mandy Pappas is a Senior Family Partner for BHN's Mobile Crisis Intervention Team (MCI), which serves children and youth under the age of 21 who are going through a mental health or substance use crisis. Mandy is no stranger to family crises herself. In fact, the turbulent relationship she's endured with her son is what led her to join BHN.

Soon after the birth of her son, Mandy noticed that his behavior was different from that of his peers. "He had behavioral issues at school and at home; he was constantly hyperactive, and he had very repetitive behaviors," she recalls. By age three, he was diagnosed with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD), and cycled through 14 different medications before settling on something that worked for him. This process alone frustrated Mandy; "I felt so out of the loop, so confused about the [healthcare] system. I wanted to advocate for my son and find the right treatment for him, but I learned that the healthcare providers weren't going to advocate as much as a mother would."

As her son's behavioral health issues and treatment options became more complex, Mandy made the difficult decision to quit her job at the time in order to tend to her son full-time. The first step she took, in her words, was "learning what this is all about. I started researching, reading information on websites, and participating in online forums for parents of children with behavioral issues. I interacted with other parents to learn as much as I could." At age 20, her son fell victim to substance use, though she only found out shortly after her son's wisdom teeth surgery. "After surgery, he was coming off the anesthetics — they call it truth serum — and he told me he was using crack cocaine." Now that her son has entered adulthood, both he and Mandy face a new set of obstacles, since the system for adults is different from that for children.

The silver lining of this story begins in 2011, when Mandy joined BHN as a family partner. Having utilized the BHN Crisis Team several times regarding incidents with her son, Mandy felt as though joining the team would be a meaningful way to give back to those who helped her son and those who are going through what she's been through as a mother. According to Mandy, "I loved it from the moment I walked through these doors. This is an amazing environment." In her words, "Working at BHN Crisis, I'm able to support families who are going through similar situations so they don't feel so alone in their journey. If I can be there to empathize with the family, support them through their crisis and connect them to services that can be helpful or

relieve some of their anxiety, that can be so valuable. I'm always looking to educate the community about mental health and being a voice for others who can't find theirs."



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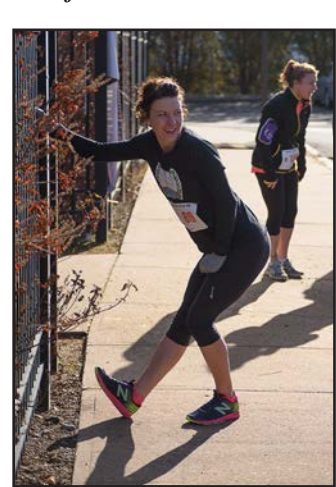
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Mike Dorunda and son Michael check in and get their numbers for the race.

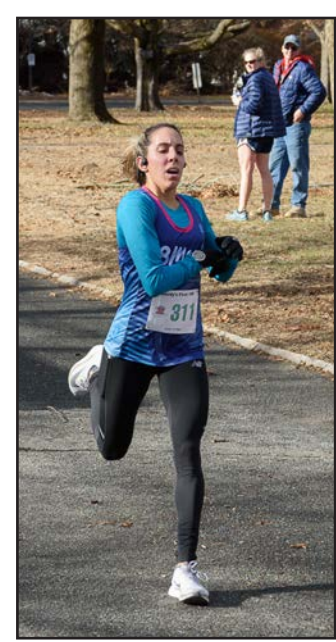


The community group "Run Your Health" poses for a group picture before Gordy's First Race Tuesday.



Teresa Czepiel, with the Red Bridge Running Club, gets in a quick stretch.

Gordy's First Race



Kat Morrissey gets to the 10K finish line.



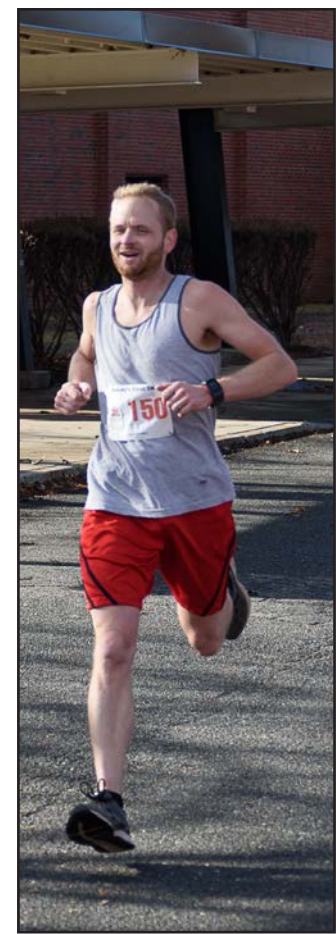
Race walker Karen Bodwell gets ready to start the new year.



Jack Averill, 5, knows how to dress warm.



And they're off! Runners at the start of the Gordy's First Race New Year's Day.



5K race men's winner James Jyllka, of Granville, makes it to the finish line.



Runners head down West Silver Street at the start of Gordy's First Race Tuesday morning.



5K runners head for the finish line at Westfield Intermediate School.



Runner's gather at the Boys and Girls Club for Gordy's First Run Tuesday morning.

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WESTFIELD — The City will be providing residents drop off locations for their Christmas Trees this year due to how successful it was received last holiday season. The City will again monitor the sites so that we are able to get an accurate count on how many trees are collected, to ensure that there is space for further drop offs. All trees will be chipped, and repurposed; therefore we ask that the trees are free of lights, ornaments, and any debris. Drop off areas at each location will be clearly marked. Residents will be able to dispose of their trees at these locations from **December 26, 2018—January 18, 2019**.

Drop off locations and hours are as follows: City Hall, 59 Court Street, back parking lot, 7 days, 24 hours; Hampton Ponds Playground, 121 Old Stage Road, 7 days, 24 hours; Highway Garage, DPW, 12 Ponders Hollow Road, 7:00 am—2:30 pm, Monday—Friday; Little River Fire Station, 366 Little River Road, back parking area, 7 days, 24 hours; Twiss Street Transfer Station, 37 Twiss Street, no sticker needed, can drop off tree only, Monday—Friday, 7:00 am—2:30pm Saturday, 7:00 am—2:30pm.

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18 SPORTS YEAR-IN-REVIEW

New ADs, a Red Sox title, and a HoF run

By CHRIS PUTZ
Staff Writer

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The fall season began with new faces in old places – Westfield and Westfield Technical Academy high schools welcomed former Hampden Charter School of Science athletic director Dan Trudeau as its new AD – as well as old faces in somewhat new places.

Former athletic director Matt Collins returned to St. Mary's as, not only the school's AD but as principal too, a challenge this Saint continues to meet head-on on a daily basis.

Gateway Regional girls soccer coach Steve Estelle recorded his 300th victory for a Gators team that he not only coached for a good part of three decades, but also one that he, along with his father, Bud launched in the late 1980s.

High school sports teams from the Whip City honored long-term Westfield school committee member Kevin Sullivan, a long-time supporter of local sports, who died of a sudden heart attack, with various displays of support.

Three local high school golfers, Southwick's Matthew Garrity, Westfield's Jack Hogan, and St. Mary's Luke Willenborg each advanced to the state championships in their respective divisions.

The Westfield Technical Academy Tigers won their first Massachusetts Vocational Athletic Directors Association boys soccer tournament championship since 2015, and third in six years with a 2-1 win over the Franklin County Tech Tigers.

Westfield Tech followed that up with a thrilling 1-0 win over Holyoke on penalty kicks in the West Division 4 semifinals. The Tigers eventually fell to top-seeded Lenox 1-0 in the finals.

The Westfield High School football team ran through all of Western Massachusetts, losing only to Central (twice) and Longmeadow. The Bombers fell to the eventual state champion Golden Eagles 22-0 in the West Division 3 championship.

The Westfield High School girls volleyball team suffered a heartbreaking finish in the Western Mass championship, losing a hard-fought battle to



Westfield and Westfield Technical Academy high schools athletic director Dan Trudeau.



St. Mary's High School principal-athletic director Matt Collins.



DAVE SANSCHAGRIN Southwick HS Athletic Director



Westfield players converge to bring down a Central ball carrier as the rain pours down on the West Division 3 football finals at Holyoke High's Roberts Field. (File Photo by Marc St. Onge)

top-seeded Minnechaug, 25-17, 25-15, 19-25, 26-24.

The Westfield High School gymnastics team also suffered a narrow defeat to Minnechaug by less than three-tenths of a point in the sectional championship. Still, the Bombers produced the top all-around gymnast (Kylie Liptak), the Senior Gymnast of the Year (Miranda Wozniak), and captured the team sportsmanship award.

The fall season wrapped up with the Westfield Youth Football Junior Bombers capturing the Pro Football Hall of Fame Northeast Regional title, and earning a trip to the Pro Football Hall of Fame World Youth Championship Dec. 14-17 in Canton, Ohio.

Holiday cheer came early in Southwick with the unveiling of the high school's new varsity boys ice hockey team, and new AD, Dave Sanschagrin a

former assistant AD at Granby.

"It's a fun time to be in Southwick right now," Southwick boys ice hockey coach Chris D'Angelo said.

Oh, and let's not forget the Boston Red Sox winning a World Championship.

Can the Red Sox repeat? Will the Patriots forge another Super Bowl run? Where will the Bruins and Celtics finish? What records will be broken along the way?

Those questions and more will be answered in 2019.



Southwick's young golfer Matthew Garrity created a buzz by attacking the local links with a vengeance this season. Garrity took Western Massachusetts - and the state - by storm. (File photo by Chris Putz)



The Westfield High School boys soccer team donned all black and dedicated its season to long-term Westfield school committee member Kevin Sullivan, a long-time supporter of local sports, who died of a sudden heart attack this past fall. (Submitted photo)



Westfield girls volleyball coach Tyler Wingate raises his fists in celebration as the Bombers storm the court to celebrate a long-awaited semifinal victory, following a 3-1 win over Central at Chicopee Comprehensive High School. (File Photo by Bill Deren)



Gateway High School girls soccer coach Steve Estelle receives congratulatory hugs, high fives, and "thanks" from his players after recording his 300th victory with a 2-0 win over Hopkins Academy early on during the 2018 fall season. (File Photo by Chris Putz)



Westfield High School's Kylie Liptak starts her tumbling pass during the West Gymnastics Sectionals. Liptak finished as the top all-around gymnast. (File Photo by Bill Deren)



Your 2018 MVADA boys soccer champions – Westfield Technical Academy Tigers! (Staff file photo)

H.S. WINTER SPORTS RESULTS/STANDINGS

BOYS ICE HOCKEY

Westfield 4-2
Southwick 0-2*

Southwick 4-2

Gateway 3-2

Gateway 0-4

WRESTLING

Westfield 4-1

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Westfield 4-3
Westfield Technical Academy 0-4
St. Mary 0-0*

BOYS BASKETBALL

Westfield 0-6
Westfield Technical Academy 1-2
St. Mary 1-4
Southwick 4-2

GIRLS SWIMMING

Westfield 4-0

BOYS SWIMMING

Westfield 4-0

Longmeadow-Westfield 1-1

*Missing reports



WINTER SPORTS SCHEDULES

WESTFIELD
HIGH SCHOOL

Wed., Jan. 2

BOYS ICE HOCKEY vs. Minnechaug,
Amelia Park Ice Arena, 7 p.m.

Thurs., Jan. 3

JV BOYS HOOPS @ Amherst,
5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS @ Amherst, 7 p.m.
WRESTLING vs. East Longmeadow,
7 p.m.

Fri., Jan. 4

BOYS/GIRLS INDOOR TRACK vs.
Chicopee Comp, Smith College
(Northampton), 3:45 p.m.BOYS/GIRLS SWIMMING @
Agawam, Agawam Junior High School,
4 p.m.JV GIRLS HOOPS vs. Holyoke,
5:30 p.m.

GIRLS HOOPS vs. Holyoke, 7 p.m.

Sat., Jan. 5

No Sports Scheduled

Sun., Jan. 6

JV BOYS ICE HOCKEY @
Southwick, 10:45 a.m.

Mon., Jan. 7

JV BOYS HOOPS vs. Northampton,
5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS vs. Northampton,
7 p.m.

Tues., Jan. 8

JV GIRLS HOOPS vs. Palmer,
5:30 p.m.

GIRLS HOOPS vs. Palmer, 7 p.m.

BOYS ICE HOCKEY @

Longmeadow, Olympia (West
Springfield), 8:30 p.m.

Wed., Jan. 9

WRESTLING @ Northampton, 6 p.m.
Thurs., Jan. 10JV BOYS HOOPS @ Pope Francis,
5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS @ Pope Francis,
7 p.m.BOYS ICE HOCKEY @ East
Longmeadow, Olympia (West
Springfield), 8:30 p.m.BOYS/GIRLS SKIING – PVIAC Race
#1, Berkshire East, 5 p.m.WESTFIELD
TECHNICAL ACADEMY

Wed., Jan. 2

No Sports Scheduled

Thurs., Jan. 3

JV BOYS HOOPS @ Gateway, 5 p.m.
BOYS HOOPS @ Gateway, 6:30 p.m.

Fri., Jan. 4

GIRLS HOOPS @ St. Mary, Westfield
Intermediate School (Southampton
Road), 5:30 p.m.

Sat., Jan. 5

No Sports Scheduled

Mon., Jan. 7

JV BOYS HOOPS vs. St. Mary,
5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS vs. St. Mary, 7 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 8GIRLS HOOPS vs. Hampden Charter
School of Science, 6 p.m.

Wed., Jan. 9

No Sports Scheduled

Thurs., Jan. 10

JV BOYS HOOPS vs. McCann Tech,
5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS vs. McCann Tech,
7 p.m.

Fri., Jan. 11

JV BOYS HOOPS @ John J. Duggan
Academy, 5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS @ John J. Duggan
Academy, 7 p.m.GIRLS HOOPS @ Smith Vocational,
6:30 p.m.

Sat., Jan. 12

No Sports Scheduled

Mon., Jan. 14

No Sports Scheduled

Tues., Jan. 15

GIRLS HOOPS @ Franklin Tech, 7
p.m.

Wed., Jan. 16

No Sports Scheduled

Thurs., Jan. 17

JV BOYS HOOPS vs. Smith Voke,
5:30 p.m.

BOYS HOOPS vs. Smith Voke, 7 p.m.

Fri., Jan. 18

GIRLS HOOPS vs. Commerce, 6 p.m.

Mon., Jan. 21

No Sports Scheduled

Tues., Jan. 22

JV BOYS HOOPS vs. Pathfinder,
5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS vs. Pathfinder, 7 p.m.
GIRLS HOOPS @ Gateway, 6:30 p.m.

Wed., Jan. 23

No Sports Scheduled

ST. MARY'S
HIGH SCHOOL

Wed., Jan. 2

GIRLS HOOPS @ Pioneer
Valley Regional School, 6 p.m.

Thurs., Jan. 3

No Sports Scheduled

Fri., Jan. 4

GIRLS HOOPS vs. Westfield
Technical Academy, Westfield
Intermediate School
(Southampton Road), 5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS @ Pioneer
Valley Christian Academy,
6:30 p.m.

Sat., Jan. 5

No Sports Scheduled

Mon., Jan. 7

JV BOYS HOOPS @
Westfield Technical Academy,
5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS @ Westfield
Technical Academy, 7 p.m.

Tues., Jan. 8

GIRLS HOOPS @ Smith
Vocational and Agricultural,
6:30 p.m.

Wed., Jan. 9

No Sports Scheduled

Thurs., Jan. 10

SKIING @ PVIAC Race #1,
Berkshire East, 5 p.m.JV BOYS HOOPS vs. Pioneer
Valley Christian Academy,
Westfield Intermediate School
(Southampton Road), 5 p.m.BOYS HOOPS vs. Pioneer
Valley Christian Academy,
Westfield Intermediate School
(Southampton Road), 6:30 p.m.

Fri., Jan. 11

GIRLS HOOPS vs.
Commerce, Westfield
Intermediate School
(Southampton Road), 4 p.m.JV BOYS HOOPS vs. Mount
Everett, Westfield Intermediate
School (Southampton Road),
5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS vs. Mount
Everett, Westfield Intermediate
School (Southampton Road),
7 p.m.

Sat., Jan. 12

No Sports Scheduled

Mon., Jan. 14

JV BOYS HOOPS @
Pathfinder, 5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS @ Pathfinder,
7 p.m.SOUTHWICK
-TOLLAND
-GRANVILLE

Wed., Jan. 2

BOYS ICE HOCKEY @
Easthampton, Lossone Rink-
Williston Academy, 7 p.m.

Thurs., Jan. 3

JV BOYS HOOPS @ Ware,
5:30 p.m.

BOYS HOOPS @ Ware, 7 p.m.

Fri., Jan. 4

JV GIRLS HOOPS @ Ware,
5:30 p.m.

GIRLS HOOPS @ Ware, 7 p.m.

Sat., Jan. 5

WRESTLING @ Mt. Anthony
Senior HS, 8:30 a.m.

Sun., Jan. 6

JV BOYS ICE HOCKEY vs.
Westfield, Fitzpatrick Arena,
10:45 a.m.BOYS ICE HOCKEY vs.
Belchertown, Amelia Park Ice
Arena, 3 p.m.

Mon., Jan. 7

No Sports Scheduled

Tues., Jan. 8

JV BOYS HOOPS @
Greenfield, 5:30 p.m.JV GIRLS HOOPS vs.
Putnam, 5:30 p.m.BOYS HOOPS @ Greenfield,
7 p.m.GIRLS HOOPS vs. Putnam,
7 p.m.

Wed., Jan. 9

BOYS ICE HOCKEY vs. South
Hadley, Amelia Park Ice Arena,
7 p.m.WRESTLING @ South Hadley,
7 p.m.

Thurs., Jan. 10

JV BOYS HOOPS vs. Monson,
5:30 p.m.SKIING @ PVIAC Race #1,
Berkshire East, 5 p.m.BOYS HOOPS vs. Monson,
7 p.m.

Fri., Jan. 11

BOYS/GIRLS INDOOR TRACK
vs. Ludlow, Athol @ Smith College
(Northampton), 6:45 p.m.

Sat., Jan. 12

WRESTLING @ The Gilbert
School, 9 a.m.JV BOYS ICE HOCKEY @
Greenfield, Collins-Moylan Arena,
6:30 p.m.GATEWAY
HIGH SCHOOL

Wed., Jan. 2

WRESTLING @ Sabis, 7 p.m.

Thurs., Jan. 3

JV BOYS HOOPS vs. Westfield
Technical Academy, 5 p.m.BOYS HOOPS vs. Westfield
Technical Academy, 6:30 p.m.

Fri., Jan. 4

JV GIRLS HOOPS vs. Smith
Vocational and Agricultural, 5 p.m.GIRLS HOOPS vs. Smith Vocational
and Agricultural, 6:30 p.m.

Sat., Jan. 5

WRESTLING @ Jamie Mormiel
Invitational, RCS High School, 10 a.m.

Mon., Jan. 7

JV BOYS HOOPS @ Pathfinder,
5 p.m.

BOYS HOOPS @ Pathfinder, 7 p.m.

Tues., Jan. 8

JV GIRLS HOOPS @ Baystate
Academy Charter Public School, 5 p.m.GIRLS HOOPS @ Commerce,
6 p.m.

Wed., Jan. 9

WRESTLING vs. John J. Duggan
Academy, 6 p.m.

Thurs., Jan. 10

JV BOYS HOOPS vs. Baystate
Academy Charter Public School, 5 p.m.SKIING @ PVIAC Race #1,
Berkshire East, 5 p.m.BOYS HOOPS vs. Baystate
Academy Charter Public School,
6:30 p.m.

Fri., Jan. 11

GIRLS HOOPS vs. Hampden
Charter School of Science, 6:30 p.m.

Sat., Jan. 12

WRESTLING @ Joe McCabe
Invitational, Maple Hill High School,
10 a.m.

Mon., Jan. 14

JV BOYS HOOPS vs. Smith Voke,
5 p.m.BOYS HOOPS vs. Smith Voke,
6:30 p.m.

Tues., Jan. 15

SKIING @ PVIAC Race #2,
Berkshire East, 5 p.m.JV GIRLS HOOPS @ Duggan
Academy, 5:30 p.m.GIRLS HOOPS @ Duggan
Academy, 7 p.m.

WESTFIELD STATE UNIVERSITY SCHEDULE

Women's Basketball

Thur Jan. 3 at

Plymouth State 5:30

Ice Hockey

Thur Jan. 3 BECKER 1:00

Ice Hockey Sat Jan. 5

SALEM STATE 5:35

Men's Basketball

Sat Jan. 5

MCLA 12:00

Women's Basketball

Sat Jan. 5

MCLA 2:00

Ice Hockey Tue Jan. 8 at

Franklin Pierce 7:30

Women's Basketball

Tues Jan. 8

MIDDLEBURY 5:30

Indoor Track

Thur.-Fri. Jan. 10-11

Harvard Multi Meet Harvard University-
Cambridge, Mass.

Ice Hockey

Sat Jan. 12 at

Framingham State 7:40

Men's Basketball

Sat Jan. 12 at

Bridgewater State 1:00

Women's Basketball

Sat Jan. 12 at

Bridgewater State 3:00

Men's Basketball

Wed Jan. 16 at

Framingham State 6:00

Women's Basketball

Wed Jan. 16 at

Framingham State 8:00

Ice Hockey

Thur Jan. 17 at UMass

Dartmouth 7:30

Swimming

Fri Jan. 18

SAINT JOSEPH, CT 6:00

Indoor Track

Saturday Jan. 19

Pioneer Invitational

Smith College-

Northampton, Mass.

Men's Basketball

Sat Jan. 19 SALEM

STATE 12:00

Women's Basketball

Sat Jan. 19

SALEM STATE 2:00

Ice Hockey Sat Jan. 19 at Worcester

State 5:40

Men's Basketball

Tue Jan. 22

FITCHBURG STATE 5:30

Women's Basketball

Tues Jan. 22

FITCHBURG STATE 7:30

Men's Basketball

Thur Jan. 24 at

Worcester State 5:30

Women's Basketball

Thur Jan. 24 at

Worcester State 7:30

Ice Hockey

Thur Jan. 24 FITCHBURG

STATE 7:35

Swimming

Sat Jan. 26 RHODE

ISLAND COLLEGE 1:00

Ice Hockey

Sat Jan. 26 at Plymouth

State 6:00

Men's Basketball

Sat Jan. 26 at

MCLA 12:00

Women's Basketball

Sat Jan. 26 at

MCLA 2:00

Indoor Track

Saturday Jan. 26

Massasoit Classic

Springfield College-

Springfield, Mass.

Ice Hockey

Thur Jan. 31 at Salem

State 7:00

Indoor Track Fri.-Sat. Feb 1-2

NEICAAA Championship Reggie Lewis
Center- Boston, Mass.

Indoor Track

Saturday Feb. 2

Wesleyan University Invitational

Wesleyan University- Middletown, Conn.

Swimming

Sat Feb. 2 at Western

Connecticut 12:00

Men's Basketball

Sat Feb. 2

BRIDGEWATER STATE 12:00

Women's Basketball

Sat Feb. 2

BRIDGEWATER STATE 2:00

Men's Basketball Wed Feb. 6

FRAMINGHAM STATE 5:30

Women's Basketball

Wed Feb. 6

FRAMINGHAM STATE 7:30

Ice Hockey

Thur Feb. 7

FRAMINGHAM STATE 7:35

Swimming

Sat Feb. 9 LEC

Championships 12:00

Men's Basketball

Sat Feb. 9 at Salem

State 1:00

Women's Basketball

Sat Feb. 9 at

Salem State 3:00

Ice Hockey

Sat Feb. 9 UMASS

DARTMOUTH 5:35

Indoor Track

Saturday Feb. 9 Dave

Hemery Invitational

Boston University-

Boston, Mass.

Men's Basketball

Wed Feb. 13 at

Bruins beat Blackhawks in Winter Classic

By The Associated Press

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — David Pastrnak had a goal and an assist, Tuukka Rask made 36 saves and the Boston Bruins beat the Chicago Blackhawks 4-2 on Tuesday in the Winter Classic at Notre Dame.

Patrice Bergeron, Sean Kuraly and Brad Marchand also scored as Boston won for the second time in three appearances in the NHL's annual outdoor game on New Year's Day. The Bruins went 2 for 5 with the man advantage and killed off each of the Blackhawks' four power plays.

Backed by most of the sellout crowd of 76,126 in perfect conditions for outdoor hockey — the game-time temperature was 35.5 degrees, and a gray, overcast sky took the sun out of the equation — Chicago pushed hard for the tying score in the closing minutes, but came up empty.

Brendan Perlini and Dominik Kahun scored for the Blackhawks (15-21-6), and Cam Ward made 32 stops.

Chicago had won five of six, but it remained winless in an NHL-high fourth appearance in the Winter Classic. It also dropped to 1-5 in six outdoor games — also tops in the league.

PREDATORS 4, FLYERS 0

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Viktor Arvidsson scored twice, Juuse Saros made 32 saves and the Nashville Predators defeated the Philadelphia Flyers 4-0 Tuesday.

Craig Smith and Rocco Grimaldi also scored for Nashville, which has won two straight.

Michal Neuvirth made 26 saves for the Flyers, who have lost four in a row.

The shutout was Saros' second of the season and the sixth of his career.

Making his first start since Dec. 15, Saros was busy early, stopping 13 shots in the first period. He made 12 saves in the second and seven in the third period.

GOLDEN KNIGHTS 2, KINGS 0

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Marc-Andre Fleury stopped 17 shots for his league-leading sixth shutout and Vegas blanked Los Angeles.

Brandon Pirri continued his amazing scoring run for the Golden Knights in the third period. He jumped on a loose puck at the right faceoff dot and sniped his sixth goal and eighth point in seven games this season. Pirri has nine goals in nine games since joining Vegas last season.

Fleury, who improved to 7-0-3 in his last 10 appearances dating to Dec. 9, got his 23rd win in his 37th start — both league-bests.

Alex Tuch added an empty-netter in the final minute.

The Golden Knights, who are 8-1-3 in their last 12 games, beat the Kings for the second time in four days after winning in Los Angeles on Saturday.

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Another playoff berth, another bye for Brady and Patriots

By JIMMY GOLEN
AP Sports Writer

FOXBOROUGH, Mass. (AP) — New England Patriots center David Andrews has gone to the playoffs every year he's been in the NFL, reaching the AFC title game in his first three tries and making the Super Bowl twice.

Something he's never done: played on wild-card weekend.

"I don't know what it's like doing it any other way," Andrews said after the Patriots clinched their ninth straight first-round bye. "I've been very fortunate to be a part of this organization and these great locker rooms. We're very fortunate and just got to make the most of this week, get some rest, focus, take a step back to look at yourself and what you can do better."

After early-season struggles that once again raised doubts whether the New England dynasty was coming to an end, the Patriots are back in their usual spot after a 38-3 victory over the New York Jets on Sunday. They will have the week off before finding out which of the wild-card winners — it could be the Texans, Ravens or Chargers — will be their opponent in Foxborough on Jan. 13.

Coach Bill Belichick said on a conference call with reporters Monday that the Patriots will occupy their time with a combination of rest, film work, practice, fundamentals, scheme plays, and situational practice.

"The bye is huge," said tight end Rob Gronkowski, who had two catches for 24

yards against the Jets, but also had a big gain wiped out by a penalty. "That was basically a playoff win right there. ... It basically won us a game for next week. So we got a bye, rest up, get the mental part and physical part."

The Patriots (11-5) earned their 10th straight AFC East title and their 15th in 16 seasons; the only exception was the 2008 season Tom Brady missed with a torn ACL. They have not played in the wild-card weekend since 2009, when they lost to the Baltimore Ravens in Foxborough.

The victories in the last two games also guaranteed the Patriots of at least one home playoff game — and the chance for two if something should happen to the Kansas City Chiefs. That's important, because New England has not won a road playoff game since 2006 (although, because of their regular-season prowess, they've only played three since beating the Chargers in San Diego in the divisional round that year).

New England also went undefeated at home in the regular season and just 3-5 on the road. They were the only team in the league with a perfect home record but the only one in the AFC that was under .500 on the road.

"It's tough to win in this league regardless of where you are," said receiver Chris Hogan, who caught six passes for 64 yards on Sunday. "But obviously any time you get a chance to play at home — using the crowd and the familiarity; you get to keep your same schedule and same routine. I think that helps a lot."

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

	East			Pct	PF	PA
	W	L	T			
y-New England	11	5	0	.688	436	325
Miami	7	9	0	.438	319	433
Buffalo	6	10	0	.375	269	374
N.Y. Jets	4	12	0	.250	333	441
South						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
y-Houston	11	5	0	.688	402	316
x-Indianapolis	10	6	0	.625	433	344
Tennessee	9	7	0	.563	310	303
Jacksonville	5	11	0	.313	245	316
North						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
y-Baltimore	10	6	0	.625	389	287
Pittsburgh	9	6	1	.594	428	360
Cleveland	7	8	1	.469	359	392
Cincinnati	6	10	0	.375	368	455
West						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
y-Kansas City	12	4	0	.750	565	421
x-L.A. Chargers	12	4	0	.750	428	329
Denver	6	10	0	.375	329	349
Oakland	4	12	0	.250	290	467

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

	East			Pct	PF	PA
	W	L	T			
y-Dallas	10	6	0	.625	339	324
x-Philadelphia	9	7	0	.563	367	348
Washington	7	9	0	.438	281	359
N.Y. Giants	5	11	0	.313	369	412
South						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
y-New Orleans	13	3	0	.813	504	353
Atlanta	7	9	0	.438	414	423
Carolina	7	9	0	.438	376	382
Tampa Bay	5	11	0	.313	396	464
North						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
y-Chicago	12	4	0	.750	421	283
Minnesota	8	7	1	.531	360	341
Green Bay	6	9	1	.406	376	400
Detroit	6	10	0	.375	324	360
West						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
y-L.A. Rams	13	3	0	.813	527	384
x-Seattle	10	6	0	.625	428	347
San Francisco	4	12	0	.250	342	435
Arizona	3	13	0	.188	225	425

x-clinched playoff spot — y-clinched division

Sunday's Games

Detroit 31, Green Bay 0
Houston 20, Jacksonville 3
New England 38, N.Y. Jets 3
Carolina 33, New Orleans 14
Buffalo 42, Miami 17
Atlanta 34, Tampa Bay 32
Dallas 36, N.Y. Giants 35
Kansas City 35, Oakland 3

Philadelphia 24, Washington 0
Chicago 24, Minnesota 10
Pittsburgh 16, Cincinnati 13
Seattle 27, Arizona 24
L.A. Chargers 23, Denver 9
L.A. Rams 48, San Francisco 32
Baltimore 26, Cleveland 24
Indianapolis 33, Tennessee 17

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

NHL CONFERENCE GLANCE

EASTERN CONFERENCE

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Tampa Bay	40	31	7	2	64	168	117
Toronto	39	26	11	2	54	144	109
Washington	38	24	11	3	51	138	112
Columbus	39	23	13	3	49	129	119
Pittsburgh	39	21	12	6	48	133	115
Boston	40	22	14	4	48	114	105
Buffalo	40	21	13	6	48	115	115
Montreal	40	21	14	5	47	128	128
N.Y. Islanders	38	21	13	4	46	114	102
N.Y. Rangers	38	17	14	7	41	111	123
Florida	38	17	15	6	40	124	134
Carolina	38	16	17	5	37	94	109
New Jersey	38	15	16	7	37	113	127
Detroit	41	15	19	7	37	115	140
Philadelphia	39	15	19	5	35	111	140
Ottawa	40	15	21	4	34	126	159

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Winnipeg	39	25	12	2	52	134	111
Calgary	40	24	12	4	52	141	112
Vegas	43	24	15	4	52	130	115
Nashville	41	24	15	2	50	124	104
San Jose	41	21	13	7	49	140	129
Colorado	40	19	13	8	46	134	123
Anaheim	41	19	15	7	45	102	120
Dallas	40	20	16	4	44	108	106
Vancouver	42	19	19	4	42	124	133
Minnesota	38	18	17	3	39	110	108
Edmonton	39	18	18	3	39	111	126
Arizona	39	17	20	2	36	100	112
Chicago	42	15	21	6	36	121	153
Los Angeles	41	16	22	3	35	92	121
St. Louis	37	15	18	4	34	102	123

* Two points for a win, one point for overtime loss. Top three teams in each division and two wild cards per conference advance to playoffs.

Monday's Games

Nashville 6, Washington 3
New Jersey 4, Vancouver 0
Carolina 3, Philadelphia 1
Pittsburgh 3, Minnesota 2
N.Y. Islanders 3, Buffalo 1
N.Y. Rangers 2, St. Louis 1
Columbus 6, Ottawa 3
Florida 4, Detroit 3, SO
Tampa Bay 2, Anaheim 1, OT
Los Angeles 3, Colorado 2, OT
Montreal 3, Dallas 2, OT

Calgary 8, San Jose 5
Winnipeg 4, Edmonton 3

Tuesday's Games

Boston 4, Chicago 2
Nashville 4, Philadelphia 0
Vegas 2, Los Angeles 0

Wednesday's Games

Pittsburgh at N.Y. Rangers, 7 p.m.
Calgary at Detroit, 7 p.m.
Vancouver at Ottawa, 7 p.m.

New Jersey at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.
Edmonton at Arizona, 9:30 p.m.
San Jose at Colorado, 9:30 p.m.

Thursday's Games

Minnesota at Toronto, 2 p.m.
Carolina at Philadelphia, 7 p.m.
Florida at Buffalo, 7 p.m.
Calgary at Boston, 7 p.m.
Chicago vs. N.Y. Islanders at Nassau Veterans Memorial Coliseum, 7:30 p.m.
Vancouver at Montreal, 7:30 p.m.

Washington at St. Louis, 8 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Los Angeles, 10:30 p.m.

Friday's Games

Winnipeg at Pittsburgh, 7 p.m.
Nashville at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.
Columbus at Carolina, 7:30 p.m.
Washington at Dallas, 8 p.m.
New Jersey at Arizona, 9 p.m.
N.Y. Rangers at Colorado, 9 p.m.
Vegas at Anaheim, 10 p.m.



Dear Annie

By ANNIE LANE

Dogs Everywhere

Dear Annie: I love most dogs and have had pets all my life, but there are times and places in which pets should not accompany their owners. Of course, trained service dogs are the exception.

I am seeing so many dogs being exposed to crowded stores and outdoor festivals and sales. They are generally on leashes, but some breeds are so protective of their owners that they can become hard to control when another dog is present. I recently saw a woman who had her medium-sized dog riding in her grocery cart -- a cart that others would eventually be using for food.

I think that most dogs are more comfortable in their home environment and should not be exposed to crowded areas. It will probably elicit some angry responses, but please give your thoughts on leaving the pets at home. -- Don't Bring Fido

Dear Don't Bring Fido: If one's dog is well-behaved, it is a nice treat for the owner, the dog and the people around them -- the ones who like dogs, anyway -- for the dog to go on adult excursions once in a while. However, I totally understand your concern, and I agree that dogs should not be put into food carts.

There are benefits to being around friendly dogs. Petting them is a known stress soother. It feels good and can lower your blood pressure. Studies have shown that petting a dog or cat helps your body release a relaxation hormone and cuts down on levels of a stress hormone. So why not wag more and bark less? I say that because having a dog at a social event gives people the chance to pet the dog when maybe they can't afford a dog or live in an apartment that does not allow dogs. Dogs are domestic and social animals that love to be with their owners.

Dear Annie: I love your column, whether or not I agree with your responses. I've never felt compelled to write before, but this time I'm compelled.

Your response to "Gramps With a Kid's Mind" was totally off base! Thank goodness we still have some grandparents (whose ranks I recently joined) who are filled with wonder, humor, kindness and love for life and haven't become grumpy old men and the kind of grandparents whom kids not only can't relate to but don't want to spend time with. I think most of us baby boomers remember the "pull my finger" gag our grandpas did to us with fondness.

It's easy enough to teach your children what's appropriate for school and what's not. If this gramp's grandkids are really getting into trouble with their teachers for silly jokes, that's a sad commentary on our society. Parents today are so hung up on what people on social media tell them is right and wrong that they've lost touch with their own instincts on raising children. Cheers to the fun-loving, happy grandpa! -- Grateful for Gramps

Dear Grateful: You are right -- and I was wrong. I was worried about propriety when I should have appreciated the close bond that "Gramps With a Kid's Mind" is building with his grandchildren. I'd like to thank you and several other readers who set me straight on what is really important here.

HINTS FROM HELOISE

CHINESE BEETS

Dear Heloise: You have a recipe for Chinese Beets that I dearly love! I've moved several times over the past two years and lost my copy, so could you reprint it for me and others who love beets with a tangy taste? -- Angie R., Lincoln, Neb.



My mother's (1919-1977) recipe for Chinese Beets has always been very popular, and personally, it is one of my all-time favorites. You'll need:

- 6 cups cooked, sliced beets, or 3 (16-ounce) cans of sliced beets
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 cup vinegar
- 2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 24 whole cloves (this makes it strong, so maybe start with only 12 cloves)
- 3 tablespoons ketchup
- 3 tablespoons cooking oil (optional)
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- Dash of salt

Drain the beets, reserving 1 1/2 cups of the beet liquid. Place the beets in a medium saucepan with the reserved liquid and the remainder of the ingredients. Mix well and cook for 3 minutes over medium heat or until the mixture thickens. Let it cool, then store it in the refrigerator. This recipe and others are found in my pamphlet All-Time Favorite Recipes. To get a copy of these mouthwatering treats, just send a stamped (71 cents), self-addressed, long envelope, along with \$5, to: Heloise/Recipes, P.O. Box 795001, San Antonio, TX 78279-5001. Or you can order it online at www.Heloise.com. You and your family will have the recipes for some of my tastiest dishes, which includes my Shrimp Spread, Coleslaw and Apricot Preserves. FYI: Use a binder-style photo album with magnetic pages and dividers to organize your favorite recipes. -- Heloise

UNIVERSAL Sudoku Puzzle

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

Complete the grid so every row, column and 3 x 3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9 inclusively.

Previous puzzle solution

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

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TV Sports Listings

Wednesday, Jan. 2

COLLEGE BASKETBALL (MEN'S)

6:30 p.m.

BTN — Nebraska at Maryland
 CBSSN — Tulane at Cincinnati
 FS1 — Seton Hall at Xavier

7 p.m.

ESPN2 — Harvard at North Carolina
 ESPNEWS — Temple at Central Florida
 ESPNU — Texas Tech at West Virginia

8:30 p.m.

BTN — Northwestern at Michigan State
 CBSSN — UConn at South Florida
 FS1 — DePaul at Villanova

9 p.m.

ESPN2 — Oklahoma at Kansas
 ESPNEWS — Iowa State at Oklahoma State
 ESPNU — Texas at Kansas State

10:30 p.m.

CBSSN — Colorado State at UNLV
 11 p.m.

ESPNU — Utah State at Nevada

NBA BASKETBALL

8 p.m.

ESPN — Minnesota at Boston

10:30 p.m.

ESPN — Oklahoma City at LA Lakers

NHL HOCKEY

7 p.m.

NBCSN — Pittsburgh at NY Rangers

9:30 p.m.

NBCSN — San Jose at Colorado

SOCCER

2:40 p.m.

NBCSN — Premier League: Chelsea vs. Southampton

On The Tube



The Western Asset Management Company float wins the Fantasy Award at the 130th Rose Parade in Pasadena, Calif., Tuesday, Jan. 1, 2019. (AP Photo/Michael Owen Baker)

130th Rose Parade boasts floral floats, singer Chaka Khan

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — Floral floats and marching bands took to the streets under a sunny California sky as the 130th Rose Parade drew hundreds of thousands of spectators on New Year's Day and millions more watched on TV.

Among the fanciful floats was an award-winning entry from the UPS Store that featured a book-reading, ballet-practicing ostrich named Olive decked out with more than 30,000 pale pink carnations.

The annual extravaganza in Pasadena kicked off with a performance by singer Chaka Khan, the grand marshal of the parade, and featured 40 floats decorated with countless flowers and waving celebrities. The theme was "The Melody of Life."

There was plenty of sunshine and calm breezes, with temperatures reaching about 60 degrees (16 degrees Celsius) after a chilly and windy night. Dozens of people staked out prime viewing spots on Monday and slept bundled up along the route, where overnight temperatures dipped into the 30s

(about 3 degrees Celsius).

The parade was briefly interrupted when a float celebrating U.S. railroad heritage broke down and erupted in smoke. Marching bands were able to move around the Chinese American Heritage Foundation's "Harmony Through Union" entry, but other floats couldn't, causing a brief backup.

"We've had a bit of a malfunction," Leeza Gibbons told KTLA-TV viewers. "They're scrambling right now."

The disabled float was eventually towed from the route, and the parade resumed. The interruption caused long gaps, and some people began leaving until a monitor came along yelling, "The parade's not over!"

Spectators shouted, "Thank you," to U.S. Forest Service firefighters marching behind a float with Smoky Bear and traded "alohas" with horseback riders from Hawaii.

California Polytechnic State Universities' entry, "Far Out Frequencies," was awarded for its use of static, marigolds and strawflowers

grown on the San Luis Obispo campus. It featured a pair of astronauts playing music to communicate with aliens they encountered on a distant planet.

Along with the many floats, the parade featured 18 equestrian groups and 21 marching bands. Among them are bands from Ohio State University and the University of Washington, whose teams will compete in Tuesday's Rose Bowl.

Local high school senior Louise Deser Siskel was crowned the 101st Rose Queen. She wrote in an op-ed in the Los Angeles Times about how she would use the platform to advocate for science education, the importance of science informing public policy and the value of inclusion.

"Personally, I am happy to be the first Rose Queen to wear glasses on the float (even though they clash with the crown), and the first Rose Queen to talk about being Jewish. I feel an additional responsibility to myself and to this tradition, to share that I am bisexual," she wrote.

Louis C.K. mocks Parkland students in audio of stand-up set

NEW YORK (AP) — Audio has emerged of Louis C.K. apparently mocking the students-turned-activists from the Parkland, Florida, school shooting.

The sound-only recording was posted Sunday in a since-removed YouTube video that said it was from a Dec. 16 stand-up set at a Levittown, New York, comedy club. Several media outlets captured and posted clips and transcripts of the set.

"You're not interesting because you went to a high school where kids got shot," C.K. can be heard saying on the recording. "Why does that mean I have to listen to you? Why does that make you interesting? You didn't get shot, you pushed some fat kid in the way, and now I gotta listen to you talking?"

Parkland parent Fred Guttenberg replied to the C.K. material on Twitter.

"My daughter was killed in the

Parkland shooting," Guttenberg said. "My son ran from the bullets. My wife and I deal with loss every day. Why don't you come to my house and try out your new pathetic jokes?"

The most prominent of the student-activists from Parkland have not offered comment. A message seeking comment left at C.K.'s website wasn't immediately returned.

A gunman killed 17 students and staff members at the school on Feb. 14.

C.K., 51, temporarily disappeared from public life after acknowledging and apologizing for sexual misconduct in November of 2017. He lost a production deal with FX networks and a movie release was canceled.

But since August he has been making unannounced appearances, performing new material at East Coast comedy clubs.



LOUIS C.K.

Leonard scores career best 45, Raptors beat Jazz

By The Associated Press
LOS ANGELES (AP) — Kawhi Leonard scored a career-high 45 points, Pascal Siakam had a career-best 28 points with 10 rebounds, and the Toronto Raptors beat the Utah Jazz 122-116 on Tuesday night.

Norman Powell scored a season-high 14 points, and the Raptors won their fourth straight at home.

Jae Crowder scored a career-high 30 points, Derrick Favors had 21 and Donovan Mitchell scored 19 as the Jazz dropped to 10-12 on the road and 18-20 overall.

Utah's Rudy Gobert scored 16 points, and Ricky Rubio had 14.

Leonard made all seven of his field-goal attempts in the third quarter and added five foul shots. His 19 points were the second most in any quarter by a Raptors player this season. Serge Ibaka scored 20 points in the first quarter of a Nov. 4 road win against the Los Angeles Lakers.

Leonard shot 16 for 22 overall, missing all three attempts from 3-point range. He went 13 for 17 at the free-throw line.

BUCKS 121, PISTONS 98

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Brook Lopez had 25 points, Giannis Antetokounmpo threw down a spectacular one-handed dunk and Milwaukee cruised past Detroit.

Khris Middleton had 22 points and Eric Bledsoe had 18 for Milwaukee. Antetokounmpo had just 15 points, but his slam over Jon Leuer was the highlight of the night. Antetokounmpo blew past Andre Drummond, jumped and reached his right arm over a leaping Leuer for

the slam during the first quarter.

Milwaukee has won four straight and eight of nine. The Bucks are an NBA-best 26-10.

Blake Griffin had 29 points and nine rebounds, and Reggie Jackson scored 19 points for Detroit, which fell to 16-19.

NUGGETS 115, KNICKS 108

DENVER (AP) — Nikola Jokic had 19 points, 14 rebounds and 15 assists, including a late no-look pass to wrap things up, as Denver picked up its ninth straight home victory.

Reserve Malik Beasley added a career-high 23 points for the Western Conference-leading Nuggets, who have now knocked off the Knicks 11 straight times at the Pepsi Center. It was far from easy, though, with the Nuggets needing a big 3-pointer from Jokic with 2:55 remaining to finally gain some separation. The struggling Knicks have lost eight in a row.

Luke Kornet led the Knicks with 19 points, while reserve Enes Kanter scored 17 points and grabbed 12 points. Kanter's recently voiced his displeasure about his role with the Knicks.

TRAIL BLAZERS 113, KINGS 108, OT

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Damian Lillard shook off a sluggish night shooting to score five of his 25 points in overtime, and Portland rallied after blowing a 14-point halftime lead.

Jusuf Nurkic had 24 points and a career-high 23 rebounds to help Portland to its fourth straight win over Sacramento. CJ McCollum added 16 points, and Maurice Harkless had 11 points and nine rebounds.

Buddy Hield scored 27



Toronto Raptors forward Kawhi Leonard (2) is fouled going to the net by Utah Jazz forward Jae Crowder (99) as forward Royce O'Neale (23) watches during the first half of an NBA basketball game Tuesday, Jan. 1, 2019, in Toronto. (Frank Gunn/The Canadian Press via AP)

points for Sacramento. Nemanja Bjelica added 14 points and 16 rebounds, and Bogdan Bogdanovic had 19 points.

76ERS 119, CLIPPERS 113

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Joel Embiid notched his NBA-leading 32nd double-double of the season in his return and Philadelphia withstood a furious fourth-quarter

rally by Los Angeles.

Embiid was a game-time decision after missing one game because of a sore left knee. He didn't appear hindered while recording 28 points and 19 rebounds. He scored 15 points in the first quarter, including 10 of the Sixers' final 16.

Former Clipper JJ Redick added 18 points and Jimmy Butler scored 16 before being ejected to help Philadelphia improve to 8-11 on the road. Ben Simmons just missed a triple-double with 14 points, nine rebounds and eight assists.

Lou Williams led the Clippers with 22 points off the bench. Tobias Harris and Danilo Gallinari finished with 21 points each and Montrezl Harrell had 20 points and 10 rebounds.

More AP NBA:
<https://apnews.com/NBA> and https://twitter.com/AP_Sports

LEGAL NOTICES

January 2, 2108
 Commonwealth of Massachusetts
 The Trial Court
 Probate and Family Court
 Hampden Probate and Family Court
 50 State Street
 Springfield, MA 01103

Docket No. HD15P1842EA
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Estate of:
 Constance Ann Chicketti
Date of Death:
 11/18/2014

To all interested persons:

A Petition has been filed by:
Michael F. Albro of Southwick, MA

requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order that

Michael F. Albro of Southwick, MA

be appointed as Successor Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on 01/14/2019.

This is not a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objectin followed by an Affidavit of Objections within thirty (30) days of the return date, action may be taken without further notice to you.

The estate is being administered under formal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but recipients are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS,
 Hon. Barbara M Hyland
 First Justice of this Court.

Date: December 14, 2018

Suzanne T. Seguin
 Register of Probate

LEGAL NOTICES

January 2, 2019
 COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
 LAND COURT
 DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT
 18 SM 007173

ORDER OF NOTICE

TO: Lori J. Andras

and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act, 50 U.S.C. App. § 3901 et seq.:

U.S. Bank Trust, N.A., as Trustee for LSF9 Master Participation Trust

claiming to have an interest in a mortgage covering real property in Westfield, numbered 67 Woodside Terrace, given by Lori J. Andras and Edward F. Andras, Jr. to Ameriquest Mortgage Company, dated May 25, 2005, and recorded at Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book 15069, Page 560, and now held by Plaintiff by assignment, has filed with this court a complaint for determination of Defendants' Servicemembers status.

If you now are, or recently have been, in the active military service of the United States of America, then you may be entitled to the benefits of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. If you object to a foreclosure of the above-mentioned property on that basis, then you or your attorney must file a written appearance and answer in this court at Three Pemberton Square, Boston, MA 02108 on or before Jan 28, 2019 or you will be forever barred from claiming that you are entitled to the benefits of said Act.

Witness, Gordon H. Piper,
 Chief Justice of said Court on Dec 17, 2018

Attest: Deborah J. Patterson

Recorder 1/2/2019

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

EASTERN CONFERENCE									
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Conf
Toronto	28	11	.718	—	6-4	W-2	15-4	13-7	17-7
Milwaukee	26	10	.722	½	8-2	W-4	17-3	9-7	18-5
Indiana	25	12	.676	2	8-2	W-5	14-5	11-7	19-5
Philadelphia	24	14	.632	3½	5-5	L-1	16-3	8-11	17-11
Boston	21	15	.583	5½	5-5	L-1	11-5	10-10	15-7
Charlotte	18	18	.500	8½	5-5	W-1	14-7	4-11	17-12
Miami	17	18	.486	9	6-4	L-1	8-11	9-7	8-13
Detroit	16	19	.457	10	3-7	L-3	11-8	5-11	12-16
Brooklyn	17	21	.447	10½	7-3	L-2	9-11	8-10	13-10
Orlando	16	20	.444	10½	4-6	L-1	10-11	6-9	11-10
Washington	14	23	.378	13	3-7	W-1	10-7	4-16	8-14
Atlanta	11	25	.306	15½	5-5	L-1	6-10	5-15	8-16
Chicago	10	27	.270	17	4-6	L-1	5-13	5-14	7-15
New York	9	29	.237	18½	1-9	L-8	4-12	5-17	6-22
Cleveland	8	29	.216	19	2-8	L-6	5-13	3-16	7-20

WESTERN CONFERENCE									
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Conf
Denver	24	11	.686	—	7-3	W-3	15-3	9-8	15-6
Golden State	25	13	.658	½	6-4	W-2	15-5	10-8	15-9
Oklahoma City	23	13	.639	1½	6-4	W-1	13-4	10-9	13-11
Houston	21	15	.583	3½	9-1	W-5	13-5	8-10	13-11
Portland	22	16	.579	3½	7-3	W-2	14-6	8-10	13-13
L.A. Clippers	21	16	.568	4	4-6	L-2	12-6	9-10	16-11
L.A. Lakers	21	16	.568	4	4-6	W-1	13-6	8-10	15-11
San Antonio	21	17	.553	4½	7-3	W-2	15-5	6-12	16-12
Sacramento	19	18	.514	6	4-6	L-2	10-8	9-10	12-15
Memphis	18	18	.500	6½	3-7	L-2	10-7	8-11	12-12
Utah	18	20	.474	7½	5-5	L-1	8-8	10-12	12-12
Dallas	17	19	.472	7½	2-8	L-1	15-3	2-16	10-16
Minnesota	17	20	.459	8	4-6	L-1	12-6	5-14	8-15
New Orleans	17	21	.447	8½	3-7	W-1	13-6	4-15	10-13
Phoenix	9	29	.237	16½	5-5	L-3	5-14	4-15	5-18

Monday's Games
 Indiana 116, Atlanta 108
 Charlotte 125, Orlando 100
 Houston 113, Memphis 101
 San Antonio 120, Boston 111
 New Orleans 123, Minnesota 114
 Oklahoma City 122, Dallas 102
 Golden State 132, Phoenix 109

Tuesday's Games
 Toronto 122, Utah 116
 Milwaukee 121, Detroit 98
 Denver 115, New York 108
 Portland 113, Sacramento 108, OT
 Philadelphia 119, L.A. Clippers 113

Wednesday's Games
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 Dallas at Charlotte, 7 p.m.
 Miami at Cleveland, 7 p.m.
 New Orleans at Brooklyn, 7:30 p.m.
 Detroit at Memphis, 8 p.m.

Minnesota at Boston, 8 p.m.
 Orlando at Chicago, 8 p.m.
 Philadelphia at Phoenix, 9 p.m.
 Oklahoma City at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m.

Thursday's Games
 Toronto at San Antonio, 8 p.m.
 Denver at Sacramento, 10 p.m.
 Houston at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.

Friday's Games
 Utah at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.
 Brooklyn at Memphis, 8 p.m.
 Dallas at Boston, 8 p.m.
 Indiana at Chicago, 8 p.m.
 Orlando at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
 Washington at Miami, 8 p.m.
 Atlanta at Milwaukee, 8:30 p.m.
 L.A. Clippers at Phoenix, 9 p.m.
 New York at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m.
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January 2 and 9, 2019
 CITY OF WESTFIELD
 CITY COUNCIL

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Westfield City Council has scheduled a Public Hearing for Thursday, January 17, 2019 at 7:00 P.M. in the City Council Chamber, Municipal Building, 59 Court Street, Westfield on an application for a Special Permit pursuant to Section 3-130.3(5) to allow motor vehicle sales for a wholesale car dealership at 66F South Broad Street (Assessor's Map 19, Parcel 16) submitted by Farzaan Mufeed, 25 Margerie Street, Apt. 1, Westfield, MA

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