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## Investigation continues in Ruidoso plane wreck

Michael and Lise Wright, who
died in Friday's plane crash, have died in Friday's plane crash, have
an Alto home and had discussed retiring soon to this area.
by Toni K. Laxson
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER
A Dallas man had turned his twin-engine plane back to Sierra Blanca Regional Airport shortly before it slammed into a large juniper tree late last week, an
The plane, a Smith Aerostar, then started a 660foot path of disintegration through the scrub brush that resulted in the instant death of both Michael H. Wright, 58 , authorities said.
"It looked like he was on a course to get back to the airport for some reason," Tim Morris, airport manager, said. "He obviously had something hapThe Wrights whit.
The Wrights, who had a vacation home in Alto, had Blanca Regional Airport at about 10:30 a.m. Friday. Michael Wright, an experienced pilot, was flying himself and his wife to a wedding in About five

About five minutes after take-off, their plane disap
peared from the Roswell air port's radar. When the plane

## dropped below radar, the

 southeast of about 13 miles said."And then he ends up 2 to 3 miles from the airport," he When state police con firmed the Wrights had not reached Las Vegas, a search was initiated, including an initial air search by airport per
sonnel. On

On Saturday morning, about 24 hours after the plane
took off, members of the White Mountain Search and Rescue team found the plane's still burning wreckage within 30 minutes in Devil's Canyon largest remaining section of the mid-size private plane covered an area of less than 12 feet.

The six-seat plane had cut a path through the piñon and juniper trees scattering plane parts, papers from pilot's manuals and the couple's personal
belongings along the path as it belongings along the path as it
broke up. Ten feet from a twisted propeller, a woman's black pump hung from a juniper branch. A travel-size bottle of Plax mouth rinse lay along charred ground not far from a loafer and twisted, unidentifi-
able pieces of plane fuselage able pleces of plane fuselage.
Morris said there is evidence that Wright's plane
struck the tops of several trees for some distance before it


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- Plane crashes

The fatal plane crash is the fourth at Sierra Blanca Regional Airport since it was built in 1989, Tim was built in 1989, Tim said. The most recent fatality was in the mid-1990s when a father and daughter died after their plane flew into the side of a ravine shortly after takeravin off.


crashed into the juniper and started coming apart.

Trudy Alexander, one of the 15 search team members to find the crash scene, said it was the worst she had encountered while with the search organiza"A
"A couple of our members who were veterans said it looked liked a war zone," seen anything like it in my seen,"

James F. Struhsaker, an investigator with the National
Traffic Safety Bureau is invesTraffic Safety Bureau, is investigating the crash and expects eight months. A preliminary eport will be posted in the web site, he said


## Hotel proposal gathers endorsements at meeting

hy Ton K. Laxson

Short and supportive, the second of four public hearings on a proposed lease agreement between the village of
Ruidoso and a hotel developer ended Monday night after 35 minutes and lit the controversy.

Unlike the first public hearing, held last week, most of the comments Monday endorsed a proposal to lure a
$\$ 7.6$ million Hawthorn Suites Golf Resort to Ruidoso with an incentive package. A group of lodge owners have
questioned and criticized the incentives

## 'Outfitters' premieres


The theater was packed for the
7:30 premiere of 'The Outfitters' April 23 - and many of the audititers" April the movie, including co-star Del Zamora.

Zamora signed autographs before and after the Friday night showings of show, the movie stopped before the last scene and the co-star tock the spotlight
"Thank you for coming," Zamora told the crowd "T'm sorry I look different from the way I do in the movie. I
hope you enjoy it. If you do, tell your friends to come see it."
Zamora also had a large contingent Zamora also had a large contingent
of family from Roswell and California some who hadn't seen him since he was little. During the movie, the audience
laughed at references to Lincoln laughed at references to Lincoln
County sites - such as Smokey Bear
offered to the develop
L.L.C., by the village

Tom Dorgan, Tom Dorgan, co-owner of the onncredible restaurant, said he and seasonality of the market affects local
"I personally would like to see the (Ruidoso) Convention Center pulled together with a convention center Council Monday
Bruce Rimb
Ruidoso Downs Race Track and Casino also endorsed the hotel lease package. Rimbo, who has been in the race
track industry in both Kansas and
California before moving here last fall, California before moving here last fall said he has seen cities offer more gen-
erous incentives to businesses that erous incentives to businesses that
would bring economic development. He recalled a letter he received upon arriving at his new position. The letter, from a tour bus group, announced the tours were going to dis continue Ruidoso as one of its stops on the line, "and that was because there is o quality hotel."
a tourism economy a Ritical component the people on those tours spend 40 per cent more than the average tourist, he

A first-class convention center hotel is "vitally important" to the area's growth as a tourism destination, Rimbo said, and added that his organization will spend $\$ 500,000$ this year prom ing both its properties and the area. And I think it's very, very impor"Anat it happen," he said.
Mayor Robert Donaldson also read a letter of support from Bill McCarty, key figure in development of local sub
divisions. The hotel is needed, McCarty said in his letter, if Ruidoso wants to said in his letter, if Ruidoso wants
expand it opportunities and horizons.

Officer faces suspension for speeding
by Dianne Stalinges

A Ruidoso Downs police off cer accused of speeding in a vil-
lage vehicle and of contributing to problems that disrupted the operation of the department will have to wait another week or
more for a decision from a grievmore for a decision from a griev
ance board on his suspension. At a $4 \quad 1 / 2$ hour hearing Tuesday, Police Officer F. Grant Lipscomb admitted he drove from 80 mph up to 100 mph in short spurts on the highway from Clovis past Roswell, after attending a training session: His excess speeds were confirmed by village following Lipscomb in his own car.

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Officer faces

Area schools try to plan for the unthinkable

\section*{by Sandy Suggitt

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Ruidoso school officials say par ents are calling them to ask if children are safe in the wake of the
Littleton, Colo., tragedy last week They want to know if the shoot ing spree that killed a dozen stu dents and a teacher could happen in Lincoln County
"Of course, it could happen anywhere, anytime, said Diana schools for Capitan. "It was a tragic situation and something that no one could ever be prepared for. "I don't think any school is immune from something like that, of schools for Ruidoso. "When a national event like that happens, we get phone calls from parents asking if we're ready and equipped. There's no way they in "Colorad could have planned for it

Gladden said the Ruidose sis management plan that's been in place for five to six year.

The plan includes crisis man agement teams at each of the schools, said Paul Wirth, director of instructional support for
Municipal School District.
The Capitan Municipal School District just put a safety plan in

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lecal newspapers by Polly $\mathbf{E}$. White Oaks Eagle April 27, 1899
Lincoln Locals - Mrs. Dolan and Emil Fritz were
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Mrs. Z.A. Serrano, post mistress, is reported as being very ill. from Roswell Monday ing. $W$. have auch an abundance of water that the abundance of water that the
roads are turned into canals Probably the ditch boss thinks Probably the ditch boss thinks
he can raise cobble stones and building rock from gravel. Martin Chavez and $K$ Michaelis are on the road to
Socorro where they are called for jury duty.

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SCHOOL: Ruidoso's plan also looks at gangs, weapons and drug use
Continued from page 1A included in this. $\quad \cdots$ is
place last month. But the staff hasn't been trained in it and it doesn't include the case of vio'No one even thought about that in this community," Billingsley said. "Tb get that information we're going to have to find a professional to come in and help us with that one."
Wirth said safety is an issue everyday, so 80 percent of
Ruidoso's plan is prevention. Much of this involves working on character-building, providing school and mental health, bilingual programs, extracurricular activities and other programs to meet specific needs.
Playground safety, fin Prills, evacuation plang and parent-volunteers also are
OFFICER: Lipscomb contends the prop
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But Lipscomb said after the hearing that a 14 -day suspension without pay proposed by Ruidoso Down Police Chief David Hightower is too excessive. Coupled with loss of the privilege to drive his patrol vehi-
cle to and from home and being ceassigned to an older unit with more than 130,000 miles on its odometer, the punishment isn't appropriate, he contended. He pointed out that the fine for speeding would have been
$\$ 170$, but he will lose $\$ 1,200$ i the proposed suspension takes the prect.

Hearing officer John $R$. Hakanson, an attorney from Alamogordo, took the lead for the board composed of village finance officer Kuren Jones, village mechanic Dale Graham
and Oscar Hoffer, who retired and Oscar Hoffer, who retired from village employment in
1992 . He also guided Officer 1992. "He also guided Officer represent Lipsicomb against
Hightower and Sean Baker, an
tragedy as prevention and as butthay don't seem to need any
support for the students, and a additional counseling," Bilfew have talked to teachers and lingsiey said; adding that the counselors about their con-
The adininistration and staff have spent considerable the safety net. Much of that is dependent on character-building activities and on the stu dents telling school officials if they or their classmates have Berns, he said.
Billingsley said the high school and middle school pringoing into all the classrooms to talk with students. She said none of the students has asked for counselors as of Tuesday
"I think
talking to each other and to the teachers in the classroom
five parents who have called her with questions or concerrns say theyre talking about it at
home. The are prie principals in Capitan are going into the middle and cuss the situation with the students, see if they have quesand enlist their aid in inform and enlist their aid in informing them of students who need ing up. The bombing in Littleton - the kids knew what was happening," Billingsley
said. said. Gladden felt confident that students would let administraknow if they gee "something at achool that's not right...
attorney for the village.
While Lipscomb, with the
department two years, didn't contest the speeding offense, Condon presented a picture of
an officer accused of violations, but not given information needed to prepare a defense. An audio tape of a confrontation between Lipscomb and Officer Ken Arther, who also faces a possible discipline action, wasn't days before the hearing, Hightower acknowledged under oath.

We believe Ken Arther received special treatment and has in the past," Condon said. He questioned why the chief against Lipscomb instead of finding a neutral party as required in the village police policies, and why complaint forms were weren't filled out.
The chief contended that he ully investigated the accusaLipscomb, and didn't use the names of two firemen who told
Arther that Lipscomb criticized
his fellow officer fuspension


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his fellow officer for "sucking up" all of the overtime in the depart


 ment, because they "didn't want to come forward until absolutelyHowever, in the last fow minutes of the hearing Hakanson called one of the fire men, Jimmy Smith, to testify. Smith said no one, including Hightower, asked hirri about his conversation with Arther. He arks as general conversation "not a stab in the back"

He also said he never asked
to be left out of the discipline
$\qquad$ Smith and fireman Phillip Herrera's conversation with Arther sparked a confrontation on Feb. 10, that spilled over from a back room into the dispatch area.
The audiotape, part of the dispatch's taping setup, showed Arther becoming increasingly
agitated, abusive in his language and loud, while Lipscomb kept his voice down and apparently refused to discuss his

## remarks with Arther. Arther testified that Lipscomb was arrogant and

 Lipscomb was arrogant and angry when Lipscomb refused to discuiss the issue in a separate room and moved into the dispatch area. This wasn't his first run-in with Lapscomb, who, as a cookie, aitered Arther $s$ business card as a practical joke. He subto Arther. Hightower said the relationship between the two men deteriorated to the point where it is disruptive to the entire department. He prepared a reprimand letter stating Lipscomb used poor judgment when he aimed officers. However, the chief said the comments didn't rise to the level of criticism necessitating disciplinary action and dismissed that complaintIn his summary, Baker said that Lipscomb's speeding offense is the most serious of the discipline outlined by Hightower is appropriate.

MOVIE: The movie, a comedy, reveals the landscape of the locals
continucd from page IA thought the movie was "Cute as
Restaurant in Capitan and the White Oaks Saloon - and notable "characters" like Pappy
Hall who drives his tractor around Capitan

Artist Iinda Smith said she

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Bundick of Ruider said Sharon Bundick of Ruidoso. "It was everything we knew around here ...they said Carrizozo ... and we knew a lot of people in the

Many locals who were extras
in the movie stopped by the table outside the theater to chat with Zamora or get autographs. it," Zamora said, "because Now Mexico was a definite character in the movie."

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## Golf course-hotel deal 'a good one', says ex-mayor 10 years later

## BY DIANNE STAILINGS RUMOSO NEW STAFF WHUER

Ten years after sigraing a lease for a hotel and golf course to be built on abandoned village airport land, former deal for hoth siders. "I can't think han turning an old airport back into natural green," Davis said Thesday of The Links, the 18-hole course built by Allhub Investments Inc., headed by R.D. Fubbard. "Tim not a great fan of K.D.s, but I respect they he's put in there."

The village council in June 1989 with one dissenting vote, approved the lease of 160 acres for a package of a 200 -bed convention hotel and an 18 hole golf course. At that time, the golf course lease was with Jim Colbert Golf Inc. and the hotel with SWD Motel Inc., a South Dakota corporation, to Alliub.

While the golf course moved ahead to completion, Hubbard attempted to
timing to build the hotel. But after hree one-year extensions, Allhub was released from the leass on Jume 30, 1993 , after paying a $\$ 110,000$ penalty. Meanvthile, the golf course has yet to achieve the projected $\$ 1.5$ million gross revenue threshold that would percent in years one through 15 of the potentially 50 -year lease.

But Bruce Rimbo, now president of Hubbard Enterprises of New Mexico, points out that those projections were based on the golf course feeding ofir the luxury hotel that was to be built That never happened, although Mayor Robert Donaldson is trying to bring together another deal with a new hotel entity.

The golf course has exceeded all projections without a hotel every year bince it opened and has paid what has he said, noting last year's golf-related he said, noting last year's goli-related exceeding the $\$ 1.5$ million, if the hotel
an annual "token" fee to the village of about $\$ 1,000$, he said.
Hubbard hasm't received recognition for the money he pumped into clearing and then developing the old Part of the lease req
Part of the lease required Allhub to remove the runway and other infrastructure, which Rimbo said cost about. $\$ 700,000$. Allhub contribut ed $\$ 850,000$ toward the commgns area the parking lot, landscaping and entrance - and $\$ 102,000$ for the jogging trail around the golf course Hubb
on for the thlla, built a new, fire staRoad. According to the lease, Allhul wanted to use a fire station on the air port grounds as a maintenance shed and built the $\$ 120,000$ larger, updated Site nearby.
Site work for the golf course
out $\$ 2.8$ million. Rimbo said.
The positive impacts on the community continue each year, he said.
The golf course last year paid gross
recespts taxea on $\$ 1.6$ milion on pro she, including the snack bar and ment colculation), and the payroll was $\$ 550,000$
$\$ \$ 550,000$.
"I worked diligently to put the deal together (in 1989)," former Mayor Davis said. I expressed my position deal. This is a resort town and we need a convention hotel. I don't understand the feeling that we gave them the land when they've spent more than $\$ 5$ million. I don't play golf and I don't have a plane, but I felt the need for an airport do for a golf course.Those of us who live here permanently have to have the involvement (in property and gross receipts taxes) of out-of-towners or we couldn't afford to live here:"

The 160 acres under lease for the hotel and golf course were yalued at $\$ 2,550,000$ in 1989 . The village also
pledged the use of 200 acre feet of pledged the use of 200 acre feet of per year, worth waste water) rights

325,851 galpma of water But village Manager Alan Briley said Fubbard has bought more water rights to ensure adequate year-around urgation of the course. The water is pumped from the course's wells, "Sometimes we don't have an efluent Soetimes we don't have any chaserights as bo they had to pur
J. A. "Al" Junge, who cast the lone vofe against the ordinance' setting con ditions for the arrangement between he vilage and the hotel and gol when it was apred in $O$ tor 1089 He doem? recall what made him He doesn't recall what made him change his mind
We got a lot of pressure from Hub barc," Junge said. "Originally, they were talking a $400-r o o m$ hotel and among cabin owners, But we were so anxious to get live bodies on that land we left the lease terms up to the attor neys to figure out."


Crash investigators covered acres of land in Devil's Canyon where the slx-seat, twin-engine plane fell.
CRASH: Pilot was qualified and well experienced

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Wright was flying on instru ments rather than' visuals. Wright had the proper qualifiments and more than average experience as a pilot with $3,000-5,000$ hours of flight time, Morris said.

Wright apparently did not communicate any problems by radio before the crash, accord-
ing to a Federal Aviation

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## Free Y2K forum in Ruidoso slated May 3

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The forum will feature speakers from FEMA, Federal Emergency Management agement coordinator.
The forum is sponsored cooperatively by the Ruidoso and Lincoin County emergency management teams. It will include updates Agency, the National Guard and the state's people locally.

Airport mock emergency
drill scheduled today
Area fire and police agen cies will participate this afternoon in a mock emergency drill at the Sierra Blanca Regional Airport.

Ruidoso, Ruidoso Downs and Lincoln County fire departments along with the emergency crews at the aired plane crash complete with people playing the part of crash victims.

The simulation was sched uled before, the Fryday plane crash in which two people died.

## FLNERALS DEATHS

## Mary An $n$ Brown

The funeral for Mary Ann Brown, 67, of Ruidoso will be at 10:30 a.m. today at the Gateway Church of Christ, Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Cemetery.
Mrs. Brown died Saturdiay,
April 24, in Ruidoso She April 24, in Ruidoso. She was born Jan. 29, 1932, in Ft. Worth, Texas. She graduated from the University of Texas in and a mention, of Gateway and a memhery of Gateway
to cindow 28 years ago from

Ft. Worth, Texae.
She married Van Brown ept. 19, 195s, in Ausbtin. Survivors include her husband, of Ruidooso; a son, dann Brown or Austin, Texass, and Jeanne Coldewey of San Antonio, Texas; sisters Nona Hux of Fulton, Mo., and Mar garet Alexander of Victoria, Toxas; grandchildren Rachel
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Thirteen days from today, on Tuesday, May 11, the people of the Capitan school district will be asked, for the second time in about three months, to approve a bond issue for more school classrooms and for grounds improve nents to enhance safety

The proposed bonded debt amount will be considerably smaller than the last time around, and that might proporissue failed by only a handful of votes; and after-the last issue failed by only a handful of votes; and after-the-fact big a chew in one bite. Others thought the district had failed in its information program. must consider whether it failed in its mission to inform its readers adequately.

Maybe. Maybe not
Nevertheless, this newspaper in the past few weeks has stepped up its coverage of Lincoln County communities beyond the Ruidoso-Ruidoso Downs-Alto triangle We're trying, and will continue to try, to live up to our mission of giving our readers the information they need to render sound judgments about civic affairs. In ensuing issues of the paper, we will cover the whole election issue for the district, so that enough concerned voters will respond to make an informed difference.

Does that mean we support approval of the bond quesion now facing Capitan School District voters?

Yes. We support it because in this county- indeed, in his state, nution and world - there is no issue more important than the education of our children. We say this even as we recognize that our public education system it not perfact; that every school and every district has its good and had teachers, coaches and administrators. Bad apples are found in most barrels; you can smell them.

Thank all the deities mankind recognizes that not very school will become a Columbine High School, where human character was exhibited at its worst, and finally at ts best.
A Cupitan resident in a letter to the editor published ant Friday expressed a school's importance very well: "Wc need to improve schools for future generations, not legrade them...these children, whether yours or not, will be the ones you will employ, share the roads and live with, and someday they will pay taxes to benefit your children and grandchildren...

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Hut bad schools seldom do.

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The old voucher is moot To the editor:

As a retired teacher who worked at the Legislature during the last four sessions, I am quite concerned about our chil-
dren and our state. Much information is being distributed mation is being distributed voucher system and the effect that it has on our schools. It is very important that everyone oe involved in the upcoming special session. It is our dut

It is true that the state cannot operate without a budget and if one isn't agreed upon by June 30, the government will lose. ...A few days before the session ended in March, Minority Whip Earlene Roberts of uing resolution that would help the schools so they wouldn't have to shut down if a budget was not passed and signed by June 30. The purpose...was to. allow the schools to continue with the same budget now in
place. ..The House Majority place. ..The House Majority resolution because it. was their way of having bargaining power over the governor. This resolution will again come before the House... The passage of this resolution could be done quickly and then the Legislaness of passing an acceptable budget. It is most imperative that you contact your legislators and urge them to vote for his resolution.


## YOUR OPINION

The voucher bill introduce during the regular session did not pass so is no longer a consideration... Something completely new and workable is going to be introduced during the study it carefully, especially to study it carefully, especially
those of you who are opposed to vouchers; you may be pleasant y surprised...
Please stay informed dur ing the special session. vote in faver your legislators to Charlette Bratche

## Governor's voucher plan

## Whe editor:

When it comes to our schools we don't want winners
and losers. I want nothing but winners. But when the gover winners. But when the goverParty's voucher bandwagon chat is exactly what he seeks to o, create losers.
It is just another attempt to avoid funding our schools at the vel our children deserve.

It is sometimes said that a problem can't be fixed by agree. If our schools enjoyed the same level of money thrown at it that the Pentagon has, believe that our public schools The goverrior and short order have never been willing to do that. Instead, throwing money at corporations that don't need it under the guise of "economic
development," or tax cuts for
tax brackets that don't need it. and schools deserve to win and this voucher serve to win, and accomplish that.

Our governor is currently throwing a tantrum currently vouchers, and it threatens to create a crisis that would result in only losers. At present, our
schools have no budget at all schools have no budget at all,
put in jeopardy the next school
year. Unfortunately, we have
three and a half more years of three and a half more years of this man's tantrums to endure. impeachment?

Gleinn Remington

## A view from Germany

## Tb the editor

I seem to always be on the side of the minority opinion here in the United States. Recently, I contacted (Rep. Joe Skeen's) offices to protest what our country was doing in Yugoslavia.

This morning I received a fax from my German client. My expresses what in feel may be a majority view of European peoples.
...President Clinton finds it he has no plage the military, yet he has no plan to finish the job properly or even to conduct it
with a win attitude. I support the idea to save the people. I do not support the approach that the end full military action to the end result that the perpe-
trators, Milosevic and his
cronies, are NOT tried and convicted of crimes against humanity. This should have been
accomplished during the Bosnia roubles.
One primary complaint that have is our "left wing" policy...to deny the U. S. people fo the refusal or obstructionds the the refusal or obstruction of tens arming of endangered citicountries.

Let them sort it out themselves. Empower their free choice. shall include...some excerpts from a letter faxed to
me...Tuesday, April 20 from Berlin, Germany:
"The Kosovo/Yugoslavia war/crisis worries us very much. It is a much more danthe point of view of Europe and particularly germany, than it is for the United States. military "All the NATO military staff should resign... How could could be won without ground troops, happen; for what do hey get paid?
Any hobo (would know) that it is just not possible to win
this war by air strikes alonel this war by air strikes alonel
...'Hopefully this war will not spread across Europe; it develops at the moment quicily into a nightmare. Why didn't we let these Balkan peoples sort their...problems themselves?"

Roy Propsner
Ruidoso

## The infectious disease that is violence in our schools

Fifteen dead.
Twelve students, a teacher and the two student perpetra-
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We've
ready learned from some area school officials that there can be no school district that. is immune" to this disea

Not when the infection The infection has certat made its presence known. And it hasn't been the first time.

On March 24, 1998, four students and a teacher at WestArk died in onoting on Ark., died in

Mitchell Johnson, 13, and Andrew Golden, 11, are accused of sounding the fire alarm, waiting for students to file out from
the
An. And who is to blame? The students? The parents? The school system? Television? The
media? Video games? Or the media? Video games? Or the
slow decline of character and morality?
And if it is the decline of character, where and when does this eroding start? And is it neeessarily up to teachers to bring about "character building' in the classroom? S
in the home?
We have come to a time when there seems to be so little respect by some students for teachers.

And those same teachers sometimes catch hell by the parents of their disrespectful chil-
dren when those teachers try to point out a problem.
Needless to say the incident has been mulled over in different directions

Assigning blame is easy. Taking a hard look at what happened, why it happened and another story. another story.
Spokane, Wash., took an inter esting approach in addreassing the ifsue.

It organized an Internet chat session" with teen agers
from across the nation to discuss what happened at Littleton. Some of the topics covered in
the session included who was to blame for the Littleton incident, how did they feel when they heard about the shooting, what and think about school cliques, and their suggestions to try to An Albuquerque student Jesse Vigil, said that the perpetrators, Eric Harris and Dylan Klebold, were "two random sick kids - you can't prevent some thing you can't predict.
events like these, the mare encourage future incidents. This is the 'Natural Born Killers' scenario - by devoting attention, time and even forums like these
to rehash it again and again, were leaving the door wide open, It's hard to imagine anything worse than what happened in Littleton. But two anyone asked sure that had intendent in that Colorado town f anything like what transpired was possible, the response So, where do No, not here." noculation for this disease?

We need to come together community and talk and listen
We mush other. surely we will lose the war.

## LETTERS POLICY

The Ruidoso News encourages letters to the editor, especially Ebout local toplos and issues. Each letter must be signed and must include the writer's day time telephore number and address. The phone number and street or mailing address will not be printed; however, the author's
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Avonue or mailed to P.O. Box 128, Ruidoso, NM 8845, attention vonue or m.
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## Aftermath of a DWI charge

## From a student leader

## Tb the editoi：

This is in regard to the article＂Rrinci－ pal arrested on DWI chargees＂． .2 in the April 14th paper．When I looked at the paper Wednesday moriing，I was shocked at the article that my eyes wert instantly one would not only write an entire some on someone receiving a DWI，but would also place a picture of the accused on the front page of the paper．
As student body president of Ruidoso High School，I spend many hours working with Mr．Hodges．Mr．Hodges has support－ ed my fellow executive board members and me throughout the year．Mr．Hodges dedi－
cates many hours with etudents and is heavily involved in the achool．
$\therefore$ I have the utmost respect for $\mathbf{M r}$ Hodges and was extremely displeased at the disrespectful and offensive article．Mr Hodges youngest daughter is a member of the student body here at R．H：S．Her mor－ sification about the article has caused her and embarrassment．Each day this young girl must listen to embarrassing and hurt． ful comments made by disrespectful stu－ dents and community members．I truly feel that this article was written in extreme distaste．Many DWIs are given everyday and I have never read about them on the sary to publicize this incident in this nature？Was it truly necessary to embar－ rass a highly respected man and his family in this way？The school has always worked With and appreciated the wonderful arti－ cles written about our school＇s activities． I feel that this front－page space should have been used to publicize a good event 12，our school had on the night of April honoring a hundred students．The paper never covered this event．I never saw the pictures of these students on the front page of the paper．
Your paper has always supported us， but I feel this article was a direct and hurtful blow．I hope that you understand the humiliation and shame this article

Erica B．Oxford

## From a RHS graduate

To the editor：
－am writing concerning the recent fir ing of Ruidoso High School Principal Ron Lodess．I believe that the school board and the edministration added to their long list of great mistakes that they have been malk ing over the past 15 years．I am totally dib appears to me that every time the Ruidoso school district hires an educator that is good for school，the town and most impor cantly the kids，they get fired or run of by our school board or cur superintendent for that may have taken place disagreement ＇This have takr＇s place．
Hodges，Gary Grahn and Sergio Castanon Here is a short list of names of people that our power－wheeling school board and superintendent have so carelessly let go of in the past：Cooper Henderson，Ron Gyer， ody Blanton，Mike Speck－and many When is it soing to stop？ good people and good educators that have been discarded．．．as if they were yesterday＇s newspapers．As an RHS graduate，I am jobs and tired of good people losing their jobs becausie some egotistical，self－right－ dept does not see eye to eye with the way they do their jobs．I am not condoning bad educators to keep their jobs，but of this short list．．．not a single one did a bad job Most of nos lenow of the interest of the kids． some of these individuals have made at their respective schools since leaving Rui－ doso．Are we going to let this cycle contin－ coso．
ue？

I have recently heard that our head football coach，les Carter，may pe leaving Ruidoso in search of a more stable school district．Mr．Carter，if this rumor is true I leave．I can say that I would hate to see you leave．You have done a great job of bringing the RHS football program back to ife．I think that it is time that our elected school board officials and superintendent start doing their job and quit acting as if they are without fault in their own lives，
and let our teachers teach！

Manny Guardiola

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（4） 1981 John Deere blade，670A minimum bid of $\$ 15,000$
（5）Highway Topeka sickle mower，4WD（year unknown） minimum bid of $\$ 600$
（6） $\mathbf{1 9 6 5}$ or＇ $\mathbf{6 6}$ Massey Ferguson tractor w／mower MF 65，diesel minimum bid of $\$ 4,000$

Each bid must be marked as＂seal bid＂for the specific item and delivered to the Village Clerk， 114 Lincoln Ave．，P．O．Box 246，Capitan，NM 88316．Bids will be accepted until 4：00 p．m． Friday，May 7th．The Village of Capitan has the right to accept or reject any or all bids．


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## GUEST COMMENTARY

## Violent，anti－social conduct

by John Tate
CARRIZOZO RESMDENT
The killing of children by children last week in Littleton，Colo．，provokes several ideas on vio－ ent，anti－social conduct
ummary：
1．Focus on motivation not means．
2．Early，energetic intervention often works． 3．Morals，civics and citizenship may be taught without religion．

1．Our focus should be on eliminating the desire to do evil．What is essential？Means？Or motivation？I suggest the latior，because virtu－ ally every instrument for good can be misused to evil ends given the motivation to do sod accessible than guns are trivial to employ．By （ocusing on gans we expend our energies fruit－ essly on distractions．
have found that with domestic inflence＂f （arrest the offender）works well to reduce future problemend．Domestic abusers seem to
respond to authority figures ${ }^{\prime}$ making clear statements（by actions）that this type of activi－ y＇will not，be tolerated，I quggest a similar lack of respense may be understood by them in the same way that it is by abused family mom－ bers，＂No one caress＂If we love our children，we need to show them we care enough not to allow them to meander into．meannesg，thence into evil．
3．For whatever mistaken reasons，the courts have decided to protect our children from religion - but because so much of reli－ gion is instruction on moral and pro－social con－ we also wiscare threw religion out of the schools ma that can be rectified by acknowledging that most＇roligions teach the same values regarding social conduct；therefore discipline，charity，tol－ arance，et al can be taught independent of reli－ gion．
The author is a retired Naval officer who has lived in Carrizozo since 1995.

## Does Y2K Have You Bugged？

THERE HAS BEEN＂A LOT OF PUBLIC ATTENTION LATELY CONCERNING THE IMPAC THAT THE YEAR 2000 DATE CHANGE COULD HAVE ON BUSINESS－ ES，UTILITIES，AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS THAT RELY ON COMPUTERIZED SYSTEMS TO HELP RUN THEIR OPERATIONS．

## RUIDOSO STATE BANK

in Capitan，Carrizozo \＆Ruidoso，
will be hosting a Y2K Seminar to help you with your questions about the Year 2000.
Capltan：Thursday • April 29 • 10：00 a．m．－Senior Citizens Center Carrizozo：Thursday－April 29 －3：00 p．m．－Otero County Electric Building Ruidoso：Frlday • Aprll $30 \cdot 10: 00$ a．m．• Ruldoso State Bank North Branch


Senate budget committee chairman sees bankruptcy, barring action

## Medicare a pain, says Domenici

WASHINGTON - Without future of the health care proMedicare regulations year in nation's nursing home industry faces possible bankruptcy because of reforms instituted in. 1997, says U.S. Sen. Pete Domenici.

The New Mexico Republican pressed his point at a Sen where Health and Human Services Secretary Donna Shalala presented a Medicare trustees report on the solvency and
future of the heaith care prozens. stability in Medicare spending patterns, Domenici warned that problems are mounting for health care providers who rely on Menicare reimburse ments fro ment. that are litany of problems ly for rural states particularMexico, are incredible," the


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senator said. "It's very difficult lation providers to live with regutations with reference to hospican't and nursing homes. We have to by and do nothing, We regulations and laws to alleviate the crisis or we won't have rural health care as we currently think of it, and spmiors won't get the care they expect." use challenged Shalala to ase her administrative and advise Congress on statutory changes that also are needed. Waiting another year to update the Adminisration is too late, he said. If we wait until next year to update the cost reimbursements for nursing lose a huge percentage of them to bankruptcy across this land,": Domenici said. The department has notified
situation, he said the loist 18 pointed out that for the lest 18 months, growith of reimbursement requests has slowed after decades at three
times the rate of inflation. She crecited the Balanced Budere Act of 1997 with that change. In 1998, Medicare spending grew by 1.5 percent and for the first five months of the 1999 fiscal year, the spending is running below 1998 levels, Betwreen 1979 ' to 1997, in contrast, it rew at an average annual rate in target
10 target the impact to home health care and skilled nursing facilities, the senator recently formed the Healfh Care Task Force to identify health care issues that most affect New tives from hospitals, home health care nursing homes and health insurance industries,

## by Toni K. Laxson

RUPDOSO NEWS STAFF WRGER
A state program to oversee DWI defendants in Lincoln County will continue next year, a local boordinator says. Barbar ram at about $\$ 114,000$ for the 1999-2000 fiscal year that begins July 1. The village of Ruidoso, which is administering the program for the county, "did pot hire Reyes until last month and so missed the funding application deadine by about two months. the LincolnmCounty Commission last fall

## Downs budget includes gyn

 by Toni K. Laxson AUDOSO NEWS STAFE WRATERRuidoso Downs trustees have proposed setting aside $\$ 462,600$ for the design and construction of a community gymnasium, Village Clerk Leann Weihbrecht said this week.
In discussions of the village's 1999-2000 fiscal budget, which starts July 1 trustees last weels put the largest chunk of money toward the gymnasium. Pro pased locations include a site adjacent to the All American Park off U.S. Highway 70 and nextion on 7 geres at the east end of the village.
A preliminary 1999-2000 budget is to be turned into the New Mexico Departinent of Finance and Administra tion by the end of Jume and a final budget by the end of

> Besides a community symnasium, Downs leaders village manager at a salary of up to $\$ 4 \overline{0}, 000$. Curiently the highest staff position is that of village clerk. New expenditures dis cyssed include the following Controi An, adiditiononis truck for anitial control officers at $\$ 17,000$
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> truck et $\$ 20,0000$
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> - A stady of the village water
> - Street paving at $\$ 50,000$

## Lincoln County DWI funding to continue next year

following reported problens with misinan. aged funds and accusetions of nepotism coordinators

Reyes, earlier this month made a spe al trip to Albuquerque for a conference with state officials to obtain funding through a special waiver application. She qubmitted a "line-by-line". budget to the New Mexico Department of Finance Adrininistration. In it, she outlined the four areas where the money will be spent: prevention programs, screening and assess of defendants, and planning coordination and evaluation of the progra coordination

The budget was approved and the program funded, she said.
year" So , we are safe and good for another year," Reyes said. "But Santa Fe made it crystal clear that I have to dot all my is and cross all my 't's." about $\$ 60,000$ through June $\mathbf{3 0}$. Reyes said she would add two additional staff -members tó help administer the program. The funding formula for the program is based on the amount of liquor sales in the Additional state funding for the program may be available through other grants, Reyes said.
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## Crime victim reparations due

The New Mexico Crime Victims Reparation Commisfion will receive $\$ 264,0$ of Justice to compensate victims of crime.
It's the second award to ruary, $\$ 1,6$ million was approved for annual funding. U.S. Sen. Pete Domenici said the new allocation will and survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, child abuse, drunk driving, homiThey are reimbursed for crime-related expenses, such as medical costs, mental health counseling, funeral and burial costs and lost wages or oss of support.

These funds will help nhance the state of New Mexgram, which helps citizens victimized by crime begin to put the pieces back together," the senator said. "This program is a fitting outcome, as fines paid by convicted federal offenders

The money comes from the Grime Victims Fund, estabished by the 1984 Victims of Crime Act in the form of fines, penalty assessments and bond forfeitures from conivicted offenders, not from taxpayers, Pomenici pointed out.


So what are you watiting for?

## DIRECTV

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crime victims reparation com-
mission was created in 1998 and will expire in Septembe 2002, unless it is renewed. A member of the Com merce, Justice, State and Judi ciary. Appropriations subcom mittee, which sets priority and Department; Domenici plans next week to introduce the Juvenile Crime and Communi ty Protection Act.

The legislation package aims at overhauling the feder al approach to helping commu nities deal with juvenile delinquents, using the bosis that evary bad action deserves corresponding punishment.


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regervations are needed. Call 378-7197, or sign up at That Place or at the Ruidoso High Information gleaned from the Youth Summit will be included in the Lincoin County Maternal Child Health Plan Update, said. Wanda tor of the Maternal Child Health Council.

This information also will be included in the Lincoln County Strategic Health Plan Update now being prepared, she said.

Survey results will be used to plan nctivities at That Place and will be available to other organizations interested, Figueroa said.

At the first Youth Summit, the Benson Asset Survey was ped by youth discussed a potential community center and asset-building activities.
"There has been an interesting path since then", said Gielow de Figueroa. "We had a

## Ruidoso Viliag

committee we had Rhidoso Downs intereated in a recrelist for a teen center to build next to the Senior Citizens Center; we had a privately wned teen center.
That Place became a nonprofit operation on March 22, said Juay Stone, director of the quicker to start up privately, but the plammers had always envisioned going to a non-profit status.
"It's opened a lot of doors for us- people (are) able to feel
comfortable about donating or helping out. It allows the community more involvement." Stone said.
"When That Place converted to non-profit," said Gielow
de Figueroa, "the Maternal Child Health Council began coordinating asset building activities there." The first of these was the April 9 "Celebrating Life" youth asset building and suicide prevention youth participated.


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## Free preschool screening, kindergartën registration at Nob Hill Center Friday

by Sandy Suggitt
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRTIER
Free developmental screening for preschoolers and kindergarten registration for next falrs term will be at Nob from 9 am . to 2 pm Friday
Teams will do the screenings for speech, language, and classroom-readiness as and classroom-readiness, as and information, said Dorsey Grover, coordinator of the ChildFind Program of Region IX Educational Cooperative, which is sponsoring
'The purpose is to identify children who may have a delay or disability. evaluate them help they need, if any, and to provide all parents with valuable information," Grover said. Besides various health and
developmental
information will be screenings, years old by Sept. 1, 1999 for parents on other programs 1999. Teachers, and health and med ical services for children. will Local dentists dren who may screenings, dental have a delay from the health ...evaluate...hook department will them up with the and do nutrition help they need." screening, and persbinnel from Lincoln County Medical Center will test for lead levels.
"The Ruidoso Noon Lions Club deserve a special pat on the back," she said. "They come with a special camera and do eye conditions."

Headstart representatives will also be there to take applications, and parents cane appli cations, and parents can regis-

Pa come and residence
verification, from the

> Dorsey Grover, past 30 days. $n$ IX educattonal . This is the

Cooperative
Parents need to bring immunization records, social securrity numbers
Medicaid cards:
Those wishing to apply for Medic. Mexikids need inents as Teachers, Head Start, Region IX staff, Nob Hill staff, Parent Council and community volunteers are cipating in it.
Ruidoso is the last of the, Region IX school districts to do the screening, Grover said. The Carrizozo, Hondo Capitan, Tularosa and Cloudcroft.

## Volunteers sought at Coronado Monument

A popular day project near Albuquerque is planned for Outdoors (NMVFO) May 8 nvolving replastering of some kiva walls and learning how to make adobes to replace eroded ones. Project leader Donna Bare more said some trail work also State Monument al Coronado State Monument.
work at 8:30 a be read gloves, a hat with a brim, sunscreen, a lunch and lots of water, she said.
A barbecue for volunteers is set for 4 p.m. after $t$
If possible, bring
If possible, bring plastering To reach Coronado Monu-
ment, turn west on State High-. Friday night to Sunday lunch. way 44 at Bernalillo. After Camping is available in either crossing the Rio Grande River, Conestoga wagons (up to four to the monument. Notify Baremore by May 3 to participant. The project is limited to 25 people. Participants don't have to be members of the volunteer group. Baremore's
294-8167.
A trail building workshop is planned Saturday and Sunday, May 15-16, at Rancho del Chaparral Girl Scout camp, 22 miles southeast of Cuba. The workshop is cosponsored by
NMVFO and the Continental NMVFO and the Continental Divide Trail Alliance. bers and $\$ 25$ for non-members
The fee covers aill hod foin
canvas-sty
Participants should dress warmly and be ready to work outside, as classes will be taught both in the clasșroom

Tim Poblman.
eteran with the U.S. Fores Service and currently at Beaverhead Work Center in the Gila National Forest, will
train volunteers.
Register by May 10. For more information, to sign up by telephone or to ask about call (505) 884-1991 or toll-free call (505) 884-1991 or toll-fr
in New Mexico at $888-5553$.

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Inservice day
good news for kids
CAPITAN - Middle and high schools here will have in30. There will be no echool for these students, but there will be school for elementary wtuThents.

The elementary school will ave in-service Friday; May 7. Capitan Middle and High a regular schedule on May 10.

Schools to celebrate

## with Cinco de Mayo

CARRIZOZO - An end-of ear celebration for the munic ipal schools here will culmide Mayo' celebration on Tues day, May 4, in the old gym.
That event will begin at
6:30 p.m.
First grade dancers will perform in comjunction with a parents, visitation of classrooms and a number of other special events, according to the chool administration

Capitan to host

## free guitar concert

CAPITAN - A free guitar
concert is scheduled at the raylor Gym on Thiesday.
The concert will include The concert will include performances from students in the high school and middle The concert is sch
begin at 6:30 p.m. campaign

## Brochure available

The New Mexico Foundation for Educational Excellence (NMFEE) has launched its first formal statewide effort to provide New Mexicans with information on the hotly debat ed school choice issue
free informational brochure by calling 1:877-904-KIDS.

## A dilemma: How to spend $\$ \mathbf{2 0 , 0 0 0}$

by Dhanne Stiluings RUJDOSO NEWS STAFF WITIER

## LINGOLN - This unincor-

 porated community must spend $\$ 20,000$ by June of next year or the money will revert to the state. dilemma, may not sound like a has been the community unsucceseffiliy trying the money from the "The countnot Hovveyen, the building is not heated and doesit theet
safity codes. He would life the caunty to work with Americorps, a government-funded community self-help group, to
improve the steps, instal a ramp in compliance. with the Americans With Disabilities the money from the can't do i state 1996. The allocation originally was $\qquad$ intended to install new sidewalks in the historic community 30 miles northeast of ruidoss, but com-
missioners learned they first miseded an archaeological sur-
vey, The problem is there isn't enough money to accomplish the project for which it was
allocated - replacement of sidewalks. Lincoln County Commissioners decided last week to ask the state Departmenit. of
Finance and Administration to Finance and Administration to change that designated use. action," Commissioner William Schwettmann said; although the money was a special allocation from the state Legislature.
Commissioner L. Ray Nun. ley would like to see the money used to build public restroons at the east end of the settlement or for water system improvements.

Earlier in the last commisshairman of the Lincoln Historical Preservation Board, sug. gested the money be used to enhance a community meeting room at the Lincoln CommuniThe bu
irst school house in the 1870 s In 1936 when $a$ larger school was built, a Presbyterian organization took it over and since 1942, it has been used for public and

Ant and improve drainage:

Alpn Morel,
Cotme attorney
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even be a nibiple, but even be a niiphe but
it's a start," Hectrath said.
Aty altorney County Attorney Alan Morel quickpraject. county can't do it," he said. 'It was a specific legislative authorization for sidewalks. It would violate the anti-donation law, even. if it's a on-profit entity:"
McGrath said the sidea state highway department project.
district is Roswell (highway) district is starting to identify
work on U.S. 380 through Lin colli," he said. State officials have told him it may be three to five years before plans for the work are completed.
To replace or repair sidewalks that may have to be torn up later doesn't make sense, he ${ }^{\text {s said. }} \mathrm{W}$ sidewalk been discussing this four years," Morel said. "It's going to cost $\$ 200,000$. The $\$ 20,000$ probably won't cover the cost of the archaeological
survey."

But McGrath and Lincoln resident Ralph Düylap said an archaeological survey probably will not be necessary, because the easements already hiave been duig up to install utility cantly higher than it was during the historic Lincoln County War erda or during the early years of this century.

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## Investigation continues in Ruidoso plane wreck

Michael and Lise Wright, who
died in Friday's plane crash, have died in Friday's plane crash, have
an Alto home and had discussed retiring soon to this area.
by Toni K. Laxson
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER
A Dallas man had turned his twin-engine plane back to Sierra Blanca Regional Airport shortly before it slammed into a large juniper tree late last week, an
The plane, a Smith Aerostar, then started a 660foot path of disintegration through the scrub brush that resulted in the instant death of both Michael H. Wright, 58 , authorities said.
"It looked like he was on a course to get back to the airport for some reason," Tim Morris, airport manager, said. "He obviously had something hapThe Wrights whit.
The Wrights, who had a vacation home in Alto, had Blanca Regional Airport at about 10:30 a.m. Friday. Michael Wright, an experienced pilot, was flying himself and his wife to a wedding in About five

About five minutes after take-off, their plane disap
peared from the Roswell air port's radar. When the plane

## dropped below radar, the

 southeast of about 13 miles said."And then he ends up 2 to 3 miles from the airport," he When state police con firmed the Wrights had not reached Las Vegas, a search was initiated, including an initial air search by airport per
sonnel. On

On Saturday morning, about 24 hours after the plane
took off, members of the White Mountain Search and Rescue team found the plane's still burning wreckage within 30 minutes in Devil's Canyon largest remaining section of the mid-size private plane covered an area of less than 12 feet.

The six-seat plane had cut a path through the piñon and juniper trees scattering plane parts, papers from pilot's manuals and the couple's personal
belongings along the path as it belongings along the path as it
broke up. Ten feet from a twisted propeller, a woman's black pump hung from a juniper branch. A travel-size bottle of Plax mouth rinse lay along charred ground not far from a loafer and twisted, unidentifi-
able pieces of plane fuselage able pleces of plane fuselage.
Morris said there is evidence that Wright's plane
struck the tops of several trees for some distance before it


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- Plane crashes

The fatal plane crash is the fourth at Sierra Blanca Regional Airport since it was built in 1989, Tim was built in 1989, Tim said. The most recent fatality was in the mid-1990s when a father and daughter died after their plane flew into the side of a ravine shortly after takeravin off.


crashed into the juniper and started coming apart.

Trudy Alexander, one of the 15 search team members to find the crash scene, said it was the worst she had encountered while with the search organiza"A
"A couple of our members who were veterans said it looked liked a war zone," seen anything like it in my seen,"

James F. Struhsaker, an investigator with the National
Traffic Safety Bureau is invesTraffic Safety Bureau, is investigating the crash and expects eight months. A preliminary eport will be posted in the web site, he said


## Hotel proposal gathers endorsements at meeting

hy Ton K. Laxson

Short and supportive, the second of four public hearings on a proposed lease agreement between the village of
Ruidoso and a hotel developer ended Monday night after 35 minutes and lit the controversy.

Unlike the first public hearing, held last week, most of the comments Monday endorsed a proposal to lure a
$\$ 7.6$ million Hawthorn Suites Golf Resort to Ruidoso with an incentive package. A group of lodge owners have
questioned and criticized the incentives

## 'Outfitters' premieres


The theater was packed for the
7:30 premiere of 'The Outfitters' April 23 - and many of the audititers" April the movie, including co-star Del Zamora.

Zamora signed autographs before and after the Friday night showings of show, the movie stopped before the last scene and the co-star tock the spotlight
"Thank you for coming," Zamora told the crowd "T'm sorry I look different from the way I do in the movie. I
hope you enjoy it. If you do, tell your friends to come see it."
Zamora also had a large contingent Zamora also had a large contingent
of family from Roswell and California some who hadn't seen him since he was little. During the movie, the audience
laughed at references to Lincoln laughed at references to Lincoln
County sites - such as Smokey Bear
offered to the develop
L.L.C., by the village

Tom Dorgan, Tom Dorgan, co-owner of the onncredible restaurant, said he and seasonality of the market affects local
"I personally would like to see the (Ruidoso) Convention Center pulled together with a convention center Council Monday
Bruce Rimb
Ruidoso Downs Race Track and Casino also endorsed the hotel lease package. Rimbo, who has been in the race
track industry in both Kansas and
California before moving here last fall, California before moving here last fall said he has seen cities offer more gen-
erous incentives to businesses that erous incentives to businesses that
would bring economic development. He recalled a letter he received upon arriving at his new position. The letter, from a tour bus group, announced the tours were going to dis continue Ruidoso as one of its stops on the line, "and that was because there is o quality hotel."
a tourism economy a Ritical component the people on those tours spend 40 per cent more than the average tourist, he

A first-class convention center hotel is "vitally important" to the area's growth as a tourism destination, Rimbo said, and added that his organization will spend $\$ 500,000$ this year prom ing both its properties and the area. And I think it's very, very impor"Anat it happen," he said.
Mayor Robert Donaldson also read a letter of support from Bill McCarty, key figure in development of local sub
divisions. The hotel is needed, McCarty said in his letter, if Ruidoso wants to said in his letter, if Ruidoso wants
expand it opportunities and horizons.

Officer faces suspension for speeding
by Dianne Stalinges

A Ruidoso Downs police off cer accused of speeding in a vil-
lage vehicle and of contributing to problems that disrupted the operation of the department will have to wait another week or
more for a decision from a grievmore for a decision from a griev
ance board on his suspension. At a $4 \quad 1 / 2$ hour hearing Tuesday, Police Officer F. Grant Lipscomb admitted he drove from 80 mph up to 100 mph in short spurts on the highway from Clovis past Roswell, after attending a training session: His excess speeds were confirmed by village following Lipscomb in his own car.

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Officer faces

Area schools try to plan for the unthinkable

\section*{by Sandy Suggitt

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Ruidoso school officials say par ents are calling them to ask if children are safe in the wake of the
Littleton, Colo., tragedy last week They want to know if the shoot ing spree that killed a dozen stu dents and a teacher could happen in Lincoln County
"Of course, it could happen anywhere, anytime, said Diana schools for Capitan. "It was a tragic situation and something that no one could ever be prepared for. "I don't think any school is immune from something like that, of schools for Ruidoso. "When a national event like that happens, we get phone calls from parents asking if we're ready and equipped. There's no way they in "Colorad could have planned for it

Gladden said the Ruidose sis management plan that's been in place for five to six year.

The plan includes crisis man agement teams at each of the schools, said Paul Wirth, director of instructional support for
Municipal School District.
The Capitan Municipal School District just put a safety plan in

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lecal newspapers by Polly $\mathbf{E}$. White Oaks Eagle April 27, 1899
Lincoln Locals - Mrs. Dolan and Emil Fritz were
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Mrs. Z.A. Serrano, post mistress, is reported as being very ill. from Roswell Monday ing. $W$. have auch an abundance of water that the abundance of water that the
roads are turned into canals Probably the ditch boss thinks Probably the ditch boss thinks
he can raise cobble stones and building rock from gravel. Martin Chavez and $K$ Michaelis are on the road to
Socorro where they are called for jury duty.

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SCHOOL: Ruidoso's plan also looks at gangs, weapons and drug use
Continued from page 1A included in this. $\quad \cdots$ is
place last month. But the staff hasn't been trained in it and it doesn't include the case of vio'No one even thought about that in this community," Billingsley said. "Tb get that information we're going to have to find a professional to come in and help us with that one."
Wirth said safety is an issue everyday, so 80 percent of
Ruidoso's plan is prevention. Much of this involves working on character-building, providing school and mental health, bilingual programs, extracurricular activities and other programs to meet specific needs.
Playground safety, fin Prills, evacuation plang and parent-volunteers also are
OFFICER: Lipscomb contends the prop
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But Lipscomb said after the hearing that a 14 -day suspension without pay proposed by Ruidoso Down Police Chief David Hightower is too excessive. Coupled with loss of the privilege to drive his patrol vehi-
cle to and from home and being ceassigned to an older unit with more than 130,000 miles on its odometer, the punishment isn't appropriate, he contended. He pointed out that the fine for speeding would have been
$\$ 170$, but he will lose $\$ 1,200$ i the proposed suspension takes the prect.

Hearing officer John $R$. Hakanson, an attorney from Alamogordo, took the lead for the board composed of village finance officer Kuren Jones, village mechanic Dale Graham
and Oscar Hoffer, who retired and Oscar Hoffer, who retired from village employment in
1992 . He also guided Officer 1992. "He also guided Officer represent Lipsicomb against
Hightower and Sean Baker, an
tragedy as prevention and as butthay don't seem to need any
support for the students, and a additional counseling," Bilfew have talked to teachers and lingsiey said; adding that the counselors about their con-
The adininistration and staff have spent considerable the safety net. Much of that is dependent on character-building activities and on the stu dents telling school officials if they or their classmates have Berns, he said.
Billingsley said the high school and middle school pringoing into all the classrooms to talk with students. She said none of the students has asked for counselors as of Tuesday
"I think
talking to each other and to the teachers in the classroom
five parents who have called her with questions or concerrns say theyre talking about it at
home. The are prie principals in Capitan are going into the middle and cuss the situation with the students, see if they have quesand enlist their aid in inform and enlist their aid in informing them of students who need ing up. The bombing in Littleton - the kids knew what was happening," Billingsley
said. said. Gladden felt confident that students would let administraknow if they gee "something at achool that's not right...
attorney for the village.
While Lipscomb, with the
department two years, didn't contest the speeding offense, Condon presented a picture of
an officer accused of violations, but not given information needed to prepare a defense. An audio tape of a confrontation between Lipscomb and Officer Ken Arther, who also faces a possible discipline action, wasn't days before the hearing, Hightower acknowledged under oath.

We believe Ken Arther received special treatment and has in the past," Condon said. He questioned why the chief against Lipscomb instead of finding a neutral party as required in the village police policies, and why complaint forms were weren't filled out.
The chief contended that he ully investigated the accusaLipscomb, and didn't use the names of two firemen who told
Arther that Lipscomb criticized
his fellow officer fuspension


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his fellow officer for "sucking up" all of the overtime in the depart


 ment, because they "didn't want to come forward until absolutelyHowever, in the last fow minutes of the hearing Hakanson called one of the fire men, Jimmy Smith, to testify. Smith said no one, including Hightower, asked hirri about his conversation with Arther. He arks as general conversation "not a stab in the back"

He also said he never asked
to be left out of the discipline
$\qquad$ Smith and fireman Phillip Herrera's conversation with Arther sparked a confrontation on Feb. 10, that spilled over from a back room into the dispatch area.
The audiotape, part of the dispatch's taping setup, showed Arther becoming increasingly
agitated, abusive in his language and loud, while Lipscomb kept his voice down and apparently refused to discuss his

## remarks with Arther. Arther testified that Lipscomb was arrogant and

 Lipscomb was arrogant and angry when Lipscomb refused to discuiss the issue in a separate room and moved into the dispatch area. This wasn't his first run-in with Lapscomb, who, as a cookie, aitered Arther $s$ business card as a practical joke. He subto Arther. Hightower said the relationship between the two men deteriorated to the point where it is disruptive to the entire department. He prepared a reprimand letter stating Lipscomb used poor judgment when he aimed officers. However, the chief said the comments didn't rise to the level of criticism necessitating disciplinary action and dismissed that complaintIn his summary, Baker said that Lipscomb's speeding offense is the most serious of the discipline outlined by Hightower is appropriate.

MOVIE: The movie, a comedy, reveals the landscape of the locals
continucd from page IA thought the movie was "Cute as
Restaurant in Capitan and the White Oaks Saloon - and notable "characters" like Pappy
Hall who drives his tractor around Capitan

Artist Iinda Smith said she

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Bundick of Ruider said Sharon Bundick of Ruidoso. "It was everything we knew around here ...they said Carrizozo ... and we knew a lot of people in the

Many locals who were extras
in the movie stopped by the table outside the theater to chat with Zamora or get autographs. it," Zamora said, "because Now Mexico was a definite character in the movie."

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## Golf course-hotel deal 'a good one', says ex-mayor 10 years later

## BY DIANNE STAILINGS RUMOSO NEW STAFF WHUER

Ten years after sigraing a lease for a hotel and golf course to be built on abandoned village airport land, former deal for hoth siders. "I can't think han turning an old airport back into natural green," Davis said Thesday of The Links, the 18-hole course built by Allhub Investments Inc., headed by R.D. Fubbard. "Tim not a great fan of K.D.s, but I respect they he's put in there."

The village council in June 1989 with one dissenting vote, approved the lease of 160 acres for a package of a 200 -bed convention hotel and an 18 hole golf course. At that time, the golf course lease was with Jim Colbert Golf Inc. and the hotel with SWD Motel Inc., a South Dakota corporation, to Alliub.

While the golf course moved ahead to completion, Hubbard attempted to
timing to build the hotel. But after hree one-year extensions, Allhub was released from the leass on Jume 30, 1993 , after paying a $\$ 110,000$ penalty. Meanvthile, the golf course has yet to achieve the projected $\$ 1.5$ million gross revenue threshold that would percent in years one through 15 of the potentially 50 -year lease.

But Bruce Rimbo, now president of Hubbard Enterprises of New Mexico, points out that those projections were based on the golf course feeding ofir the luxury hotel that was to be built That never happened, although Mayor Robert Donaldson is trying to bring together another deal with a new hotel entity.

The golf course has exceeded all projections without a hotel every year bince it opened and has paid what has he said, noting last year's golf-related he said, noting last year's goli-related exceeding the $\$ 1.5$ million, if the hotel
an annual "token" fee to the village of about $\$ 1,000$, he said.
Hubbard hasm't received recognition for the money he pumped into clearing and then developing the old Part of the lease req
Part of the lease required Allhub to remove the runway and other infrastructure, which Rimbo said cost about. $\$ 700,000$. Allhub contribut ed $\$ 850,000$ toward the commgns area the parking lot, landscaping and entrance - and $\$ 102,000$ for the jogging trail around the golf course Hubb
on for the thlla, built a new, fire staRoad. According to the lease, Allhul wanted to use a fire station on the air port grounds as a maintenance shed and built the $\$ 120,000$ larger, updated Site nearby.
Site work for the golf course
out $\$ 2.8$ million. Rimbo said.
The positive impacts on the community continue each year, he said.
The golf course last year paid gross
recespts taxea on $\$ 1.6$ milion on pro she, including the snack bar and ment colculation), and the payroll was $\$ 550,000$
$\$ \$ 550,000$.
"I worked diligently to put the deal together (in 1989)," former Mayor Davis said. I expressed my position deal. This is a resort town and we need a convention hotel. I don't understand the feeling that we gave them the land when they've spent more than $\$ 5$ million. I don't play golf and I don't have a plane, but I felt the need for an airport do for a golf course.Those of us who live here permanently have to have the involvement (in property and gross receipts taxes) of out-of-towners or we couldn't afford to live here:"

The 160 acres under lease for the hotel and golf course were yalued at $\$ 2,550,000$ in 1989 . The village also
pledged the use of 200 acre feet of pledged the use of 200 acre feet of per year, worth waste water) rights

325,851 galpma of water But village Manager Alan Briley said Fubbard has bought more water rights to ensure adequate year-around urgation of the course. The water is pumped from the course's wells, "Sometimes we don't have an efluent Soetimes we don't have any chaserights as bo they had to pur
J. A. "Al" Junge, who cast the lone vofe against the ordinance' setting con ditions for the arrangement between he vilage and the hotel and gol when it was apred in $O$ tor 1089 He doem? recall what made him He doesn't recall what made him change his mind
We got a lot of pressure from Hub barc," Junge said. "Originally, they were talking a $400-r o o m$ hotel and among cabin owners, But we were so anxious to get live bodies on that land we left the lease terms up to the attor neys to figure out."


Crash investigators covered acres of land in Devil's Canyon where the slx-seat, twin-engine plane fell.
CRASH: Pilot was qualified and well experienced

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Wright was flying on instru ments rather than' visuals. Wright had the proper qualifiments and more than average experience as a pilot with $3,000-5,000$ hours of flight time, Morris said.

Wright apparently did not communicate any problems by radio before the crash, accord-
ing to a Federal Aviation

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## Free Y2K forum in Ruidoso slated May 3

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The forum will feature speakers from FEMA, Federal Emergency Management agement coordinator.
The forum is sponsored cooperatively by the Ruidoso and Lincoin County emergency management teams. It will include updates Agency, the National Guard and the state's people locally.

Airport mock emergency
drill scheduled today
Area fire and police agen cies will participate this afternoon in a mock emergency drill at the Sierra Blanca Regional Airport.

Ruidoso, Ruidoso Downs and Lincoln County fire departments along with the emergency crews at the aired plane crash complete with people playing the part of crash victims.

The simulation was sched uled before, the Fryday plane crash in which two people died.

## FLNERALS DEATHS

## Mary An $n$ Brown

The funeral for Mary Ann Brown, 67, of Ruidoso will be at 10:30 a.m. today at the Gateway Church of Christ, Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Cemetery.
Mrs. Brown died Saturdiay,
April 24, in Ruidoso She April 24, in Ruidoso. She was born Jan. 29, 1932, in Ft. Worth, Texas. She graduated from the University of Texas in and a mention, of Gateway and a memhery of Gateway
to cindow 28 years ago from

Ft. Worth, Texae.
She married Van Brown ept. 19, 195s, in Ausbtin. Survivors include her husband, of Ruidooso; a son, dann Brown or Austin, Texass, and Jeanne Coldewey of San Antonio, Texas; sisters Nona Hux of Fulton, Mo., and Mar garet Alexander of Victoria, Toxas; grandchildren Rachel
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Thirteen days from today, on Tuesday, May 11, the people of the Capitan school district will be asked, for the second time in about three months, to approve a bond issue for more school classrooms and for grounds improve nents to enhance safety

The proposed bonded debt amount will be considerably smaller than the last time around, and that might proporissue failed by only a handful of votes; and after-the last issue failed by only a handful of votes; and after-the-fact big a chew in one bite. Others thought the district had failed in its information program. must consider whether it failed in its mission to inform its readers adequately.

Maybe. Maybe not
Nevertheless, this newspaper in the past few weeks has stepped up its coverage of Lincoln County communities beyond the Ruidoso-Ruidoso Downs-Alto triangle We're trying, and will continue to try, to live up to our mission of giving our readers the information they need to render sound judgments about civic affairs. In ensuing issues of the paper, we will cover the whole election issue for the district, so that enough concerned voters will respond to make an informed difference.

Does that mean we support approval of the bond quesion now facing Capitan School District voters?

Yes. We support it because in this county- indeed, in his state, nution and world - there is no issue more important than the education of our children. We say this even as we recognize that our public education system it not perfact; that every school and every district has its good and had teachers, coaches and administrators. Bad apples are found in most barrels; you can smell them.

Thank all the deities mankind recognizes that not very school will become a Columbine High School, where human character was exhibited at its worst, and finally at ts best.
A Cupitan resident in a letter to the editor published ant Friday expressed a school's importance very well: "Wc need to improve schools for future generations, not legrade them...these children, whether yours or not, will be the ones you will employ, share the roads and live with, and someday they will pay taxes to benefit your children and grandchildren...

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Hut bad schools seldom do.

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The old voucher is moot To the editor:

As a retired teacher who worked at the Legislature during the last four sessions, I am quite concerned about our chil-
dren and our state. Much information is being distributed mation is being distributed voucher system and the effect that it has on our schools. It is very important that everyone oe involved in the upcoming special session. It is our dut

It is true that the state cannot operate without a budget and if one isn't agreed upon by June 30, the government will lose. ...A few days before the session ended in March, Minority Whip Earlene Roberts of uing resolution that would help the schools so they wouldn't have to shut down if a budget was not passed and signed by June 30. The purpose...was to. allow the schools to continue with the same budget now in
place. ..The House Majority place. ..The House Majority resolution because it. was their way of having bargaining power over the governor. This resolution will again come before the House... The passage of this resolution could be done quickly and then the Legislaness of passing an acceptable budget. It is most imperative that you contact your legislators and urge them to vote for his resolution.


## YOUR OPINION

The voucher bill introduce during the regular session did not pass so is no longer a consideration... Something completely new and workable is going to be introduced during the study it carefully, especially to study it carefully, especially
those of you who are opposed to vouchers; you may be pleasant y surprised...
Please stay informed dur ing the special session. vote in faver your legislators to Charlette Bratche

## Governor's voucher plan

## Whe editor:

When it comes to our schools we don't want winners
and losers. I want nothing but winners. But when the gover winners. But when the goverParty's voucher bandwagon chat is exactly what he seeks to o, create losers.
It is just another attempt to avoid funding our schools at the vel our children deserve.

It is sometimes said that a problem can't be fixed by agree. If our schools enjoyed the same level of money thrown at it that the Pentagon has, believe that our public schools The goverrior and short order have never been willing to do that. Instead, throwing money at corporations that don't need it under the guise of "economic
development," or tax cuts for
tax brackets that don't need it. and schools deserve to win and this voucher serve to win, and accomplish that.

Our governor is currently throwing a tantrum currently vouchers, and it threatens to create a crisis that would result in only losers. At present, our
schools have no budget at all schools have no budget at all,
put in jeopardy the next school
year. Unfortunately, we have
three and a half more years of three and a half more years of this man's tantrums to endure. impeachment?

Gleinn Remington

## A view from Germany

## Tb the editor

I seem to always be on the side of the minority opinion here in the United States. Recently, I contacted (Rep. Joe Skeen's) offices to protest what our country was doing in Yugoslavia.

This morning I received a fax from my German client. My expresses what in feel may be a majority view of European peoples.
...President Clinton finds it he has no plage the military, yet he has no plan to finish the job properly or even to conduct it
with a win attitude. I support the idea to save the people. I do not support the approach that the end full military action to the end result that the perpe-
trators, Milosevic and his
cronies, are NOT tried and convicted of crimes against humanity. This should have been
accomplished during the Bosnia roubles.
One primary complaint that have is our "left wing" policy...to deny the U. S. people fo the refusal or obstructionds the the refusal or obstruction of tens arming of endangered citicountries.

Let them sort it out themselves. Empower their free choice. shall include...some excerpts from a letter faxed to
me...Tuesday, April 20 from Berlin, Germany:
"The Kosovo/Yugoslavia war/crisis worries us very much. It is a much more danthe point of view of Europe and particularly germany, than it is for the United States. military "All the NATO military staff should resign... How could could be won without ground troops, happen; for what do hey get paid?
Any hobo (would know) that it is just not possible to win
this war by air strikes alonel this war by air strikes alonel
...'Hopefully this war will not spread across Europe; it develops at the moment quicily into a nightmare. Why didn't we let these Balkan peoples sort their...problems themselves?"

Roy Propsner
Ruidoso

## The infectious disease that is violence in our schools

Fifteen dead.
Twelve students, a teacher and the two student perpetra-
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ready learned from some area school officials that there can be no school district that. is immune" to this disea

Not when the infection The infection has certat made its presence known. And it hasn't been the first time.

On March 24, 1998, four students and a teacher at WestArk died in onoting on Ark., died in

Mitchell Johnson, 13, and Andrew Golden, 11, are accused of sounding the fire alarm, waiting for students to file out from
the
An. And who is to blame? The students? The parents? The school system? Television? The
media? Video games? Or the media? Video games? Or the
slow decline of character and morality?
And if it is the decline of character, where and when does this eroding start? And is it neeessarily up to teachers to bring about "character building' in the classroom? S
in the home?
We have come to a time when there seems to be so little respect by some students for teachers.

And those same teachers sometimes catch hell by the parents of their disrespectful chil-
dren when those teachers try to point out a problem.
Needless to say the incident has been mulled over in different directions

Assigning blame is easy. Taking a hard look at what happened, why it happened and another story. another story.
Spokane, Wash., took an inter esting approach in addreassing the ifsue.

It organized an Internet chat session" with teen agers
from across the nation to discuss what happened at Littleton. Some of the topics covered in
the session included who was to blame for the Littleton incident, how did they feel when they heard about the shooting, what and think about school cliques, and their suggestions to try to An Albuquerque student Jesse Vigil, said that the perpetrators, Eric Harris and Dylan Klebold, were "two random sick kids - you can't prevent some thing you can't predict.
events like these, the mare encourage future incidents. This is the 'Natural Born Killers' scenario - by devoting attention, time and even forums like these
to rehash it again and again, were leaving the door wide open, It's hard to imagine anything worse than what happened in Littleton. But two anyone asked sure that had intendent in that Colorado town f anything like what transpired was possible, the response So, where do No, not here." noculation for this disease?

We need to come together community and talk and listen
We mush other. surely we will lose the war.

## LETTERS POLICY

The Ruidoso News encourages letters to the editor, especially Ebout local toplos and issues. Each letter must be signed and must include the writer's day time telephore number and address. The phone number and street or mailing address will not be printed; however, the author's
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Avonue or mailed to P.O. Box 128, Ruidoso, NM 8845, attention vonue or m.
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## Aftermath of a DWI charge

## From a student leader

## Tb the editoi：

This is in regard to the article＂Rrinci－ pal arrested on DWI chargees＂． .2 in the April 14th paper．When I looked at the paper Wednesday moriing，I was shocked at the article that my eyes wert instantly one would not only write an entire some on someone receiving a DWI，but would also place a picture of the accused on the front page of the paper．
As student body president of Ruidoso High School，I spend many hours working with Mr．Hodges．Mr．Hodges has support－ ed my fellow executive board members and me throughout the year．Mr．Hodges dedi－
cates many hours with etudents and is heavily involved in the achool．
$\therefore$ I have the utmost respect for $\mathbf{M r}$ Hodges and was extremely displeased at the disrespectful and offensive article．Mr Hodges youngest daughter is a member of the student body here at R．H：S．Her mor－ sification about the article has caused her and embarrassment．Each day this young girl must listen to embarrassing and hurt． ful comments made by disrespectful stu－ dents and community members．I truly feel that this article was written in extreme distaste．Many DWIs are given everyday and I have never read about them on the sary to publicize this incident in this nature？Was it truly necessary to embar－ rass a highly respected man and his family in this way？The school has always worked With and appreciated the wonderful arti－ cles written about our school＇s activities． I feel that this front－page space should have been used to publicize a good event 12，our school had on the night of April honoring a hundred students．The paper never covered this event．I never saw the pictures of these students on the front page of the paper．
Your paper has always supported us， but I feel this article was a direct and hurtful blow．I hope that you understand the humiliation and shame this article

Erica B．Oxford

## From a RHS graduate

To the editor：
－am writing concerning the recent fir ing of Ruidoso High School Principal Ron Lodess．I believe that the school board and the edministration added to their long list of great mistakes that they have been malk ing over the past 15 years．I am totally dib appears to me that every time the Ruidoso school district hires an educator that is good for school，the town and most impor cantly the kids，they get fired or run of by our school board or cur superintendent for that may have taken place disagreement ＇This have takr＇s place．
Hodges，Gary Grahn and Sergio Castanon Here is a short list of names of people that our power－wheeling school board and superintendent have so carelessly let go of in the past：Cooper Henderson，Ron Gyer， ody Blanton，Mike Speck－and many When is it soing to stop？ good people and good educators that have been discarded．．．as if they were yesterday＇s newspapers．As an RHS graduate，I am jobs and tired of good people losing their jobs becausie some egotistical，self－right－ dent does not see eye to eye with the way they do their jobs．I am not condoning bad educators to keep their jobs，but of this short list．．．not a single one did a bad job Most of nos lenow of the interest of the kids． some of these individuals have made at their respective schools since leaving Rui－ doso．Are we going to let this cycle contin－ coso．
ue？

I have recently heard that our head football coach，les Carter，may pe leaving Ruidoso in search of a more stable school district．Mr．Carter，if this rumor is true I leave．I can say that I would hate to see you leave．You have done a great job of bringing the RHS football program back to ife．I think that it is time that our elected school board officials and superintendent start doing their job and quit acting as if they are without fault in their own lives，
and let our teachers teach！

Manny Guardiola

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（4） 1981 John Deere blade，670A minimum bid of $\$ 15,000$
（5）Highway Topeka sickle mower，4WD（year unknown） minimum bid of $\$ 600$
（6） $\mathbf{1 9 6 5}$ or＇ $\mathbf{6 6}$ Massey Ferguson tractor w／mower MF 65，diesel minimum bid of $\$ 4,000$

Each bid must be marked as＂seal bid＂for the specific item and delivered to the Village Clerk， 114 Lincoln Ave．，P．O．Box 246，Capitan，NM 88316．Bids will be accepted until 4：00 p．m． Friday，May 7th．The Village of Capitan has the right to accept or reject any or all bids．


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## GUEST COMMENTARY

## Violent，anti－social conduct

by John Tate
CARRIZOZO RESMDENT
The killing of children by children last week in Littleton，Colo．，provokes several ideas on vio－ ent，anti－social conduct
ummary：
1．Focus on motivation not means．
2．Early，energetic intervention often works． 3．Morals，civics and citizenship may be taught without religion．

1．Our focus should be on eliminating the desire to do evil．What is essential？Means？Or motivation？I suggest the latior，because virtu－ ally every instrument for good can be misused to evil ends given the motivation to do sod accessible than guns are trivial to employ．By （ocusing on gans we expend our energies fruit－ essly on distractions．
have found that with domestic inflence＂f （arrest the offender）works well to reduce future problemend．Domestic abusers seem to
respond to authority figures ${ }^{\prime}$ making clear statements（by actions）that this type of activi－ y＇will not，be tolerated，I quggest a similar lack of respense may be understood by them in the same way that it is by abused family mom－ bers，＂No one caress＂If we love our children，we need to show them we care enough not to allow them to meander into．meannesg，thence into evil．
3．For whatever mistaken reasons，the courts have decided to protect our children from religion - but because so much of reli－ gion is instruction on moral and pro－social con－ we also wiscare threw religion out of the schools ma that can be rectified by acknowledging that most＇roligions teach the same values regarding social conduct；therefore discipline，charity，tol－ arance，et al can be taught independent of reli－ gion．
The author is a retired Naval officer who has lived in Carrizozo since 1995.

## Does Y2K Have You Bugged？

THERE HAS BEEN＂A LOT OF PUBLIC ATTENTION LATELY CONCERNING THE IMPAC THAT THE YEAR 2000 DATE CHANGE COULD HAVE ON BUSINESS－ ES，UTILITIES，AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS THAT RELY ON COMPUTERIZED SYSTEMS TO HELP RUN THEIR OPERATIONS．

## RUIDOSO STATE BANK

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will be hosting a Y2K Seminar to help you with your questions about the Year 2000.
Capltan：Thursday • April 29 • 10：00 a．m．－Senior Citizens Center Carrizozo：Thursday－April 29 －3：00 p．m．－Otero County Electric Building Ruidoso：Frlday • Aprll $30 \cdot 10: 00$ a．m．• Ruldoso State Bank North Branch


Senate budget committee chairman sees bankruptcy, barring action

## Medicare a pain, says Domenici

WASHINGTON - Without future of the health care proMedicare regulations year in nation's nursing home industry faces possible bankruptcy because of reforms instituted in. 1997, says U.S. Sen. Pete Domenici.

The New Mexico Republican pressed his point at a Sen where Health and Human Services Secretary Donna Shalala presented a Medicare trustees report on the solvency and
future of the heaith care prozens. stability in Medicare spending patterns, Domenici warned that problems are mounting for health care providers who rely on Menicare reimburse ments fro ment. that are litany of problems ly for rural states particularMexico, are incredible," the


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senator said. "It's very difficult lation providers to live with regutations with reference to hospican't and nursing homes. We have to by and do nothing, We regulations and laws to alleviate the crisis or we won't have rural health care as we currently think of it, and spmiors won't get the care they expect." use challenged Shalala to ase her administrative and advise Congress on statutory changes that also are needed. Waiting another year to update the Adminisration is too late, he said. If we wait until next year to update the cost reimbursements for nursing lose a huge percentage of them to bankruptcy across this land,": Domenici said. The department has notified
situation, he said the loist 18 pointed out that for the lest 18 months, growith of reimbursement requests has slowed after decades at three
times the rate of inflation. She crecited the Balanced Budere Act of 1997 with that change. In 1998, Medicare spending grew by 1.5 percent and for the first five months of the 1999 fiscal year, the spending is running below 1998 levels, Betwreen 1979 ' to 1997, in contrast, it rew at an average annual rate in target
10 target the impact to home health care and skilled nursing facilities, the senator recently formed the Healfh Care Task Force to identify health care issues that most affect New tives from hospitals, home health care nursing homes and health insurance industries,

## by Toni K. Laxson

RUPDOSO NEWS STAFF WRGER
A state program to oversee DWI defendants in Lincoln County will continue next year, a local boordinator says. Barbar ram at about $\$ 114,000$ for the 1999-2000 fiscal year that begins July 1. The village of Ruidoso, which is administering the program for the county, "did pot hire Reyes until last month and so missed the funding application deadine by about two months. the LincolnmCounty Commission last fall

## Downs budget includes gyn

 by Toni K. Laxson AUDOSO NEWS STAFE WRATERRuidoso Downs trustees have proposed setting aside $\$ 462,600$ for the design and construction of a community gymnasium, Village Clerk Leann Weihbrecht said this week.
In discussions of the village's 1999-2000 fiscal budget, which starts July 1 trustees last weels put the largest chunk of money toward the gymnasium. Pro pased locations include a site adjacent to the All American Park off U.S. Highway 70 and nextion on 7 geres at the east end of the village.
A preliminary 1999-2000 budget is to be turned into the New Mexico Departinent of Finance and Administra tion by the end of Jume and a final budget by the end of

> Besides a community symnasium, Downs leaders village manager at a salary of up to $\$ 4 \overline{0}, 000$. Curiently the highest staff position is that of village clerk. New expenditures dis cyssed include the following Controi An, adiditiononis truck for anitial control officers at $\$ 17,000$
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> truck et $\$ 20,0000$
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> - A stady of the village water
> - Street paving at $\$ 50,000$

## Lincoln County DWI funding to continue next year

following reported problens with misinan. aged funds and accusetions of nepotism coordinators

Reyes, earlier this month made a spe al trip to Albuquerque for a conference with state officials to obtain funding through a special waiver application. She qubmitted a "line-by-line". budget to the New Mexico Department of Finance Adrininistration. In it, she outlined the four areas where the money will be spent: prevention programs, screening and assess of defendants, and planning coordination and evaluation of the progra coordination

The budget was approved and the program funded, she said.
year" So , we are safe and good for another year," Reyes said. "But Santa Fe made it crystal clear that I have to dot all my is and cross all my 't's." about $\$ 60,000$ through June $\mathbf{3 0}$. Reyes said she would add two additional staff -members tó help administer the program. The funding formula for the program is based on the amount of liquor sales in the Additional state funding for the program may be available through other grants, Reyes said.
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## Crime victim reparations due

The New Mexico Crime Victims Reparation Commisfion will receive $\$ 264,0$ of Justice to compensate victims of crime.
It's the second award to ruary, $\$ 1,6$ million was approved for annual funding. U.S. Sen. Pete Domenici said the new allocation will and survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, child abuse, drunk driving, homiThey are reimbursed for crime-related expenses, such as medical costs, mental health counseling, funeral and burial costs and lost wages or oss of support.

These funds will help nhance the state of New Mexgram, which helps citizens victimized by crime begin to put the pieces back together," the senator said. "This program is a fitting outcome, as fines paid by convicted federal offenders

The money comes from the Grime Victims Fund, estabished by the 1984 Victims of Crime Act in the form of fines, penalty assessments and bond forfeitures from conivicted offenders, not from taxpayers, Pomenici pointed out.


So what are you watiting for?

## DIRECTV

 whlage
crime victims reparation com-
mission was created in 1998 and will expire in Septembe 2002, unless it is renewed. A member of the Com merce, Justice, State and Judi ciary. Appropriations subcom mittee, which sets priority and Department; Domenici plans next week to introduce the Juvenile Crime and Communi ty Protection Act.

The legislation package aims at overhauling the feder al approach to helping commu nities deal with juvenile delinquents, using the bosis that evary bad action deserves corresponding punishment.


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regervations are needed. Call 378-7197, or sign up at That Place or at the Ruidoso High Information gleaned from the Youth Summit will be included in the Lincoin County Maternal Child Health Plan Update, said. Wanda tor of the Maternal Child Health Council.

This information also will be included in the Lincoln County Strategic Health Plan Update now being prepared, she said.

Survey results will be used to plan nctivities at That Place and will be available to other organizations interested, Figueroa said.

At the first Youth Summit, the Benson Asset Survey was ped by youth discussed a potential community center and asset-building activities.
"There has been an interesting path since then", said Gielow de Figueroa. "We had a

## Ruidoso Viliag

committee we had Rhidoso Downs intereated in a recrelist for a teen center to build next to the Senior Citizens Center; we had a privately wned teen center.
That Place became a nonprofit operation on March 22, said Juay Stone, director of the quicker to start up privately, but the plammers had always envisioned going to a non-profit status.
"It's opened a lot of doors for us- people (are) able to feel
comfortable about donating or helping out. It allows the community more involvement." Stone said.
"When That Place converted to non-profit," said Gielow
de Figueroa, "the Maternal Child Health Council began coordinating asset building activities there." The first of these was the April 9 "Celebrating Life" youth asset building and suicide prevention youth participated.


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## Free preschool screening, kindergartën registration at Nob Hill Center Friday

by Sandy Suggitt
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRTIER
Free developmental screening for preschoolers and kindergarten registration for next falrs term will be at Nob from 9 am . to 2 pm Friday
Teams will do the screenings for speech, language, and classroom-readiness as and classroom-readiness, as and information, said Dorsey Grover, coordinator of the ChildFind Program of Region IX Educational Cooperative, which is sponsoring
'The purpose is to identify children who may have a delay or disability. evaluate them help they need, if any, and to provide all parents with valuable information," Grover said. Besides various health and
developmental
information will be screenings, years old by Sept. 1, 1999 for parents on other programs 1999. Teachers, and health and med ical services for children. will Local dentists dren who may screenings, dental have a delay from the health ...evaluate...hook department will them up with the and do nutrition help they need." screening, and persbinnel from Lincoln County Medical Center will test for lead levels.
"The Ruidoso Noon Lions Club deserve a special pat on the back," she said. "They come with a special camera and do eye conditions."

Headstart representatives will also be there to take applications, and parents cane appli cations, and parents can regis-

Pa come and residence
verification, from the

> Dorsey Grover, past 30 days. $n$ IX educattonal . This is the

Cooperative
Parents need to bring immunization records, social securrity numbers
Medicaid cards:
Those wishing to apply for Medic. Mexikids need inents as Teachers, Head Start, Region IX staff, Nob Hill staff, Parent Council and community volunteers are cipating in it.
Ruidoso is the last of the, Region IX school districts to do the screening, Grover said. The Carrizozo, Hondo Capitan, Tularosa and Cloudcroft.

## Volunteers sought at Coronado Monument

A popular day project near Albuquerque is planned for Outdoors (NMVFO) May 8 nvolving replastering of some kiva walls and learning how to make adobes to replace eroded ones. Project leader Donna Bare more said some trail work also State Monument al Coronado State Monument.
work at 8:30 a be read gloves, a hat with a brim, sunscreen, a lunch and lots of water, she said.
A barbecue for volunteers is set for 4 p.m. after $t$
If possible, bring
If possible, bring plastering To reach Coronado Monu-
ment, turn west on State High-. Friday night to Sunday lunch. way 44 at Bernalillo. After Camping is available in either crossing the Rio Grande River, Conestoga wagons (up to four to the monument. Notify Baremore by May 3 to participant. The project is limited to 25 people. Participants don't have to be members of the volunteer group. Baremore's
294-8167.
A trail building workshop is planned Saturday and Sunday, May 15-16, at Rancho del Chaparral Girl Scout camp, 22 miles southeast of Cuba. The workshop is cosponsored by
NMVFO and the Continental NMVFO and the Continental Divide Trail Alliance. bers and $\$ 25$ for non-members
The fee covers aill hod foin
canvas-sty
Participants should dress warmly and be ready to work outside, as classes will be taught both in the clasșroom

Tim Poblman.
eteran with the U.S. Fores Service and currently at Beaverhead Work Center in the Gila National Forest, will
train volunteers.
Register by May 10. For more information, to sign up by telephone or to ask about call (505) 884-1991 or toll-free call (505) 884-1991 or toll-fr
in New Mexico at $888-5553$.

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Inservice day
good news for kids
CAPITAN - Middle and high schools here will have in30. There will be no echool for these students, but there will be school for elementary wtuThents.

The elementary school will ave in-service Friday; May 7. Capitan Middle and High a regular schedule on May 10.

Schools to celebrate

## with Cinco de Mayo

CARRIZOZO - An end-of ear celebration for the munic ipal schools here will culmide Mayo' celebration on Tues day, May 4, in the old gym.
That event will begin at
6:30 p.m.
First grade dancers will perform in comjunction with a parents, visitation of classrooms and a number of other special events, according to the chool administration

Capitan to host

## free guitar concert

CAPITAN - A free guitar
concert is scheduled at the raylor Gym on Thiesday.
The concert will include The concert will include performances from students in the high school and middle The concert is sch
begin at 6:30 p.m. campaign

## Brochure available

The New Mexico Foundation for Educational Excellence (NMFEE) has launched its first formal statewide effort to provide New Mexicans with information on the hotly debat ed school choice issue
free informational brochure by calling 1:877-904-KIDS.

## A dilemma: How to spend $\$ \mathbf{2 0 , 0 0 0}$

by Dhanne Stiluings RUJDOSO NEWS STAFF WITIER

## LINGOLN - This unincor-

 porated community must spend $\$ 20,000$ by June of next year or the money will revert to the state. dilemma, may not sound like a has been the community unsucceseffiliy trying the money from the "The countnot Hovveyen, the building is not heated and doesit theet
safity codes. He would life the caunty to work with Americorps, a government-funded community self-help group, to
improve the steps, instal a ramp in compliance. with the Americans With Disabilities the money from the can't do i state 1996. The allocation originally was $\qquad$ intended to install new sidewalks in the historic community 30 miles northeast of ruidoss, but com-
missioners learned they first miseded an archaeological sur-
vey, The problem is there isn't enough money to accomplish the project for which it was
allocated - replacement of sidewalks. Lincoln County Commissioners decided last week to ask the state Departmenit. of
Finance and Administration to Finance and Administration to change that designated use. action," Commissioner William Schwettmann said; although the money was a special allocation from the state Legislature.
Commissioner L. Ray Nun. ley would like to see the money used to build public restroons at the east end of the settlement or for water system improvements.

Earlier in the last commisshairman of the Lincoln Historical Preservation Board, sug. gested the money be used to enhance a community meeting room at the Lincoln CommuniThe bu
irst school house in the 1870 s In 1936 when $a$ larger school was built, a Presbyterian organization took it over and since 1942, it has been used for public and

Ant and improve drainage:

Alpn Morel,
Cotme attorney
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even be a nibiple, but even be a niiphe but
it's a start," Hectrath said.
Aty altorney County Attorney Alan Morel quickpraject. county can't do it," he said. 'It was a specific legislative authorization for sidewalks. It would violate the anti-donation law, even. if it's a on-profit entity:"
McGrath said the sidea state highway department project.
district is Roswell (highway) district is starting to identify
work on U.S. 380 through Lin colli," he said. State officials have told him it may be three to five years before plans for the work are completed.
To replace or repair sidewalks that may have to be torn up later doesn't make sense, he ${ }^{\text {s said. }} \mathrm{W}$ sidewalk been discussing this four years," Morel said. "It's going to cost $\$ 200,000$. The $\$ 20,000$ probably won't cover the cost of the archaeological
survey."

But McGrath and Lincoln resident Ralph Düylap said an archaeological survey probably will not be necessary, because the easements already hiave been duig up to install utility cantly higher than it was during the historic Lincoln County War erda or during the early years of this century.

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## Fishing report

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## Adult softball teams take to the diamonds Monday

- After an 18 month absence, Claudia Branum returns to Ruidoso Parks
Recreation as its sports coondinator:
by linita Ciymer
RGODSO NEWS STORTS EDMOR
Six women's teams and 11 men's teams begin adult softball recreation league play Monday and Tuesday,
respectively, at Eagle Creek Sports respectivel Complex.
Women's games are slated for Monday starting at 6:30 p.in., 7:45 p.m. and
9 p.m. Games have an hour the limit. Tueadiay the men take the field for he start of their league play at the same game times.
Women's team competing this sum-


## Netters secure No. 3 seeding in district play

by Laura Cixmer
gumposo newis sports corros
The Ruidoso Warrior: hoys tennis tean sewed up third place in the District 4AAA with a 9 on shut-out of Lovington Friday.
3 Dave Anderson's Warriors improved to 5 3 in district play with the win, and will most likely have a number of their players seeded No. 3 when the district tournament rolls
around May 8 . around May boys look good. They look strong," Anderson said. "Ill be working to get them good seedings and I have the ammo to do.so." ond district match win of the season against ond district match win of the season against Lovington. Ruidoso won 6-3, but all six wins
came by default. Still; the Warriors improved to 2-6 in the districts
With two weeks left in the regular season and the district tournament to prepare Warriors.
"We've been working so hard this season, we're just going to enjoy ourselves these next two weeks
girls to Saturday's Artesia Invitationa which begins at 8 a.m. Slated to compete from the boys' team are No. 1 Charles Flanary and No. 2 Jesse Anderson, and eighthgrader Paul Brown who beat out Bryant Phillips for the No. 3 spot. Phillips will play

Flamingos, Gooid Times, Lady Apache, chaningos, Good IT chants and Overilow. Bomberg Firg are: Apache Warriors boys, Los Amigos, Grizalies, Home Nads, Outlawgo, Riff Raff and 'Ruidoso Merchants.

Organizing this year's league will be a familiar face to many softbiall par the Parks and Recreation sports coordi nator Thursilay, April 22.
Branum served ns the village's five years coordinator previously and had five years experience with the depart ment. She left the department in the Alamos and then joined the Alamogondo Parks and Recreation Department in
early the summer of 1998.
village glad to be back with the village, misered the atmos phere," Brankum. said. changes in the adult softhal league bylaws.
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 another team victory at Friday's Slade Relay
Tiger Relays and meer results, see page 2B.

## Warriors can wrap a state bid this weekend


 Sophomore Cryital Cheer has hod the Warriors to a STh dilstrict mark, good enoughill second Whde with four games remaining in the regular season. The Ruldoso pliching aot has al

## by laura Clymer

A threogame sweop of the Cobre Indians has put the Ruidoso girls softball team on the verge of earning its first bid to the stata tournament.
loses to Warriors rebounded from two the Indians - one on Thursday at Cobre and two Saturday at All American Park in Ruidoso Downs

Ruidoso improved to 11-7 oyerall and, more important, 5-3 in District 3AAA play. If the Warriors remain in second place after their next four district games, they will earn a spot in the Class May 14 and 15 in Albuquerque. Now alone in second place, the Warriors travel to Truth or Consequences for a doubleheader with Hot Springs Thursday, then host Santa Teresa Saturday for a doubleheader at in a.m. and D p.m. at "Unless we go out there and just blow it, we've made it to the state tournament," said Ruidioso coach Brian Baca, who is in his third year as coach.
 pounded both Hot Springs, $13-1$ on April
13, and Santa Teresa, 19-9, on Aprit 6 . 13, and Santa Teresa, 199, on Aprí season and in no way do we want to take it preaching to the girls about staying focused and playing our game.
focus and do what cot us mare". focus and do what got us here."
the Warriors to the this point is the right arm of sophomore pitcher Crystal Gheer, who has pitched nearly every inning of varsity ball for the Warriors.
The Warrior
The Warrior hurler gives Ruidoso a weapon -a hard-throwing pitcher - it drant have prior to her arrivar Cheer the first two games againgt Cobre,
didn't sit them down herself, Gheer had plenty of support from teammates in the
"Our defense played great. We committed very few errors and they the Indians) committed some errors that hurt them," Baca said.

## Ruidoso II, Cobre 5

BAYARD - On Thursday, with the score tied 2-2, the Warriors open the
third inning with four runs. Cobre responded with a run of its own to cut the Ruidoso lead to 6.3 heading into the fourth. But the Warriors continued to mount threats and scored runs in the fourth, fifth and sixth innings, In the seventh inning, after three Warriors
reach on singles, Gheer smacked a tworun double to give Ruidoso an 11-5 lead and the win. Ruidoso's Cassie Bednorz finished four-for-five and Julie Miller went two-for-four at the plate.
Ruidoso 8, Cobre 3.
At All American Park in Ruidoso Downs, the Warriory took advantage of a perforated Cobre defense to score an 8-3 perforated Cobre derense to score an 8-8 Ruidoep continually put the ball into play, which cat

One Warrior put the ball out of play. Junior Sarah Fromlinecht beccame the first Ruidoso player to knock a homie run over. All American Park's 235-foot In the night
In the nightcap, Ruidoso never let the Indians in the game after. scoring gix
rüns in the second inning and seven in ita half of the third.
"When we have two big minings like
that, "t's really havd to come back on us," Baca esid.

Miller and Gheer both wrovit oncofor two with a tripe and double tively for the Warxiors Senior Mitany Brantley Was two-for-t

## Tigers race to gold and silver finishes

by Karen Boehler
SEECLAL TO THE NEYKS.
CAPITAN - The Capitan Tigers held its annual relays April 20, with the Tiggor boys finishing a solid first and the gir
coming in second, just behind Tularosa. "I just think they all did a great job", "It said Capitan boys' coach Ed Davis. "It step up and they all performed well." Capitan scored 194 points Tularosa's second-place 68. Dexter and Cloudcroft rounded out the top four.

Tiger Jarnes Robinson was the boys high-point finisher, tallying 22.5 points in relays. Capitan took the gold in all four relays, setting a new meet record in the 800 -meter relay with a time of 1 minute, 34 seconds.
"I'm just really proud of the boys," Davis said. Theyre the ones who need al
the credit, because they're the ones who did it.". Capitan's James Tacey took first in the $200-$ meter dash, qualifying for state with a time of 23.2, while teammate Fernand Saiz qualified for state in the discus with a Tiger Ryan Switzer
Tiger Kyan Switzer set a new mee It was numbers that left the Capitan giris in second.
"In small meets, the team with most depth is going to win," said Tiger coach and good quality sprinters and hurdlers." Tularosa took the gold with. 124, folowed by Capitan with 90 and Dexter 80. Dexter had the second most numbers so I'm glad we beat them," Masse added. ances," Massé said
Jessica Castaneda, won the 800 -meter run in a time of $2: 32.75$, qualifying for state.
"She did pretty good," Massé said. "She wasn't pushed. She can run better and will ater on."
The $1,600-$ meter medley relay team of and Castaneda took the gold while qualifying for state with a 4:46.25.

The 1,600 meter relay team finished econd, but Massé was pleased because that's the best weve ran all year. The 4:28.69 time qualined the team for state.

Lindsey Bush finished second in the discurs, qualifying for state with a toss of jump at 4-6 and the triple jump at $30-81 / 2$ Neither was state qualifying leaps, but

 Krin Autrey already had jump.
"Overall, I was real pleased with the effort," Masse said. "We're startshape."
He also mentioned the effort of the eighthgrade tracksters who added to the Tigers ${ }^{\prime}$ "They did anything we wanted them to do, he said. "They helped in the team totals. ond without them."

Coach Davis added, It was a great meet. clockwork. Those who worked forus, the'timers and pickers and workmade it go so smooth."


Capltan's Jessica Mitchell-Tully finished fourth in the 3200 special to the furdoroso News

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# RUIDOSO NEWS <br> HOMAKAMILY 



April 29, 1949
Milistrel, Louise Massey attracts filied g gm

Dre W. D. Horton, prestdent of the Ruidoso Lions Chub, announced this week thiat again the Lubbock Tions Club Minstrel and the lovely Lo crise Masiassey to the Ruidoso Grade School G'ym Saturdoy night, Aprill $28 .$.
April 24, 1959
Mescalero Church to observe Golden Anniversary Fifty years of service to the Mescalero area will be celebrated May 1 through 3, when the Mescalero Reformed Church observes its golden anniveirsary A three-day cele bration has been planned by Rev. Haryey M. Calsbeek and the church, and by members of the congregation.

Apxil 25, 1969

## Cub threatens boycott

Two members of the Ruidosi Lions Club this week approached both the local and the general manager of the firm in Artesia and equested that the market's ad in the Ruidoso News'. be The Lions Clubbers tore if it continued to adver tise in the Ruidosp News.
The membeirs urged H. \& J. to drop its ad because they had learned of the News' plans Mo run an editorial on the New Melt wais not in accordance with Lions Club policy.
The editorial appears on Page 4...
April 26, 1979
The Siver Lining
by Daniel Agnew Storm
"April Showers bring May flowers" - so goes the old saying. In our mountain land, hrough the years, our Apri rains have been very light, and monetimes ef April. skip the So it is that Mother Nature depends upon the winer snows to bring forth her beauteous green and flowery messengers of Spring. It is just as well that the very heavy rains do not fall too early in weather, the snow stays on the mountain longer. It is nice to ook up and see gnow on the Mountain through the late pring, and even a few patches in summer.
April 27, 1989

## Governor explains veto video gaming bill

Governor Garrey Car ruthers, in a telephone call to the News, explained his veto of
the video gambling bill, and the video gambling bill, and said he would not be visiting racation. Carruthers or vetoing a bill that was designed to allow video gaimling in three resort areas of he state in a veto message nivolved. of legal question.
"Quite frankly, about year or 80 ago, the Congress of the United Statas passed an Indian Gaming Act," aaid Carruthers, adding if a state
allows something to happen allows something to happen anywhere in that state, Indian can happen

## A clairvoyant for 20 years, Shaun Michael has predicted earthquakes, helped in missingperson cases and counseled thousands of people.

## He's here

 because c he's PSYCH YTON K. LAXSON ReVDOSO NEWS STAFF WRTIERShaun Michael had a feeling he hould move to Ruidoso.

When your ary a professional clairvoy Michan learn to follow thiose impulses, say midtown.

I don't do anything on a whim. I was supposed to move here," he saild.

His most recent residence before Ruicoso was a small town in Fiorida calle but moved after premonitions about a big earthquake, Michael said. Shortly after wards, the 1989 earthquake struck. He did not foresee any similar disaster in Florid - he just felt the need to be here, Michael .

He doesn't use a crystal ball when divining the future, though he has a glass globe lowk like one (his mother gave it to him. The information just comes to him not through any eerie voices or mental pic tures, he says. He just suddenly will know mething, Midael said
Th sensitive, too sensitive, really," he in
In Ruidoso, Michael is doing something ferent as a clairvoyant than he has in the past - he's opened an office in Leclaire Gountain Village in midtown. In Florida, Michael conducted most of his business over he telephone as an independent contracto ffilisted with a total of 30 networks He is anked among the top 2 percent of psychics in the nation, he said. That ranking is determined by several factors including longevity in the business as well as clientele satisraction, he said

Though he still has his regular tele

with some people face-to-face. Michael says of his wigh

Floweve, it ant expect pepile to come beating the door down," he tacknowledged. People typically are either skeptical or After 20 years as a professional he said. Michael is not bothered by skeptics, but he does mind when people categorives him se someoned when people cate gorize him as anything in that vein.

I don't want to be known as a forture teller," Michael said, adding that he is just a normal person who loves people and feels guided to help them when he can.
raised a Southern Baptict And asas. I was raised a Southern Baptist. And as a child, Wanted to grow up to be a preacher, longer a Southern Baptist, he has a clase relationship with God.

Michael was 14 when he realized he was a psychic. It. was a very difficult time for him - the strgen of having premonitions and knowing what was going on in peoples ulcers.

It was overwhelming because 1 could see things. I could see inside people, what they were thinking. What they had inside didn't know how to turn off, then."
He was bombarded with secret knowledge about people's lives that he did not things, like what people's favorite colors were .. what their savorite foods were ... I knew one time when our dog was going to have puppies and my parents didn't even know, he said.

When he talked with his family about
what he was going through, Michael discov ced he was the furth generation of a pey mither hll ha thege piogite asemet. from a very meligious family tho pro from a very religious family, Eo they preThey all had this ability. I just had it stronger."
ant, enever intended to become a clairvoyant, especially not a professional one, "You know
oing this. It, 1 don't know how I ended up dways coming to me with their proble were, he said. "I think people sought me out as a

His clients now consist of both men and women, though the women represent a wanting to know about all areas of their ives, such as what is blocking their successes and how their personal relationships are going. The most frequent questions deal with romantic relationships, especially whether or not so soul mate, he said
$\$ 80$ for $\$ 40$ for a 30 -minute sebsion and $\$ 00$ ecepted. Thour, tax included; credit low compared to the national average. His telephone customers pay $\$ 3.99$ a minute, which comes to $\$ 240$ an hour, he said.
He's worked on missing person cases, tha a frequent guest host on a radio tall show, he said.
Michael sees his work as a way to better the world while helping people reach their spiritual best, he said.
Everybody has something inside them hat they want to know about, but they may

## Considerable wind damage keeps folks in Lincoln busy

There have been several buildings with roof damage with the hard winds

## LINCOLN

TRALLS

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puposo Nevs we have been having. The storage building Chuirch had the middie hal $f$ of the roof completely blown off;
roof of the La Placita roor of the ba Placita
porch blown off; part porch blown onf; part
of the new fence at the pageant : grounds; pageant
trees blown down or branches off; and other minor damage. What a surprise April 16. Lincoln also had $3 / 4$ inch of rain during the week.
Thanks to Debbie

Thomas for filling in as organist at the church Easter Sunday during the absence of our regular pianist. It was nice to visit with Mr. and Dick Marry Blake and Mr. and Mrs. ecent visitors in Lincoln.

The bell ringers of St. Andrews Episcopal Church, Las Cruces, pertion followed at the Bonito Inn

Kay Spina's home is looking great. She has added to the original house, put on a new roof, and other impiovements the past fow month.
Smokey Corriente Cowbelles met at the Smokey Bear Cafe last week to make final plans for the Ag Day to be at the lair building for the Capitan students. reports that Bill is doing better. Mother

Ward still is going strong at the young ge of 106.
Mandy Arrowsmith's iniury that she solffer
The Elubbard Museum of the American West hosted a reception for residents and friends of Lincoln recently. It was a chance for everyone to meet the the Visitors Center, and to visit with each other.

## The Legados opened for buainess

 this week.The Wortiey Hotel. is scheduled to open today, with the official grand openvent at noon. Sounds like fun. Jerry vent at noon. Sounds like fun. Jerry There was a special Lincoln town meeting at the Community Church on

April 13. The community had as $\$ 20,000$ appropriation for sidowalks, which is decided to to get started. The group monay to improve the church.
At the county commission meeting the group was informed that it wasm' easible, as it was a private organizae state
Franklin Harvey presented a slide gave a demonetration of digital photog raphy at the recent photography meet ing at Ruidoso High School The photo contest for the month was "water refiec ion abstract.

The Corriente Cowbelles held their the childrem learned a lot and enjoyed all the activities.

## A borrowed saddle and a bronct tums a cowboy into a saddlemaker

by Sheree Nelson-Manrioue RUPDOSO NEWS CORRESTONDENT

CAPITAN - A borrowed saddle, a bronc and a God given talent launched Dave Pope into a career, and as the owner of Key 3 Leather

When I was young, he says, I borrowed my Dad's sadflipped over onto the saddle and broke the tree. Dave say he was broke, so he stripped the saddle down to the tree and sent it off for duplication. He and enjoyed doing it.
and enjoyed doing it. he wore out his own saddle ano on a salary of $\$ 300$ a month he couldn't afford a new one, so he replaced the leather on it. When the cowboys he was working with saw what he did They became my best cus tomers." His career was tomers.

Eight years ago he married the former Brenda Rankin and continued to cowboy for 3 more years. During those 3 years their 7 year old son, and he

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

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Friday, April 30

## The Magke of Meditation \& Art

 Prame of Mind. 1204 cass at Gall's For more information, call 258-9071
## Playgroup in cantroxe

a.m. at Ms. Goad's Room. Spon Toachers. 257-3157
says, "I wasn't seeing him grow up, and I Iecided to into business for myself." He continued,
"T now put in more hours than before, but I see more of my ${ }^{\text {son." }}$
Dave'日 shop, which formerly was Stockman's Boot, is a de Aight to the senses and smell. leather delights the nose and there are many things to see and discover all over the inside. On one end of the shop are saddles mayy shapes and styles on saddle racks, many waiting to be repaired. Hang-
ing from beams are saddle ing from beams are saddle
trees in various stages of work, patterns, breastcollars, halters ropes, and other items needed to outfite a horse.
The other side of the shop is devoted to boot-making and repairing. And once again there are patterns lining the
walls. Custom boots made to the specifications of clients are displayed on the shelves and the urge is to order a pair right
away for oneself. On this side of the shop are the sewing machines, old Singer treadle models, that Pope says "are older old.

On this side also tis the took. ng table, where he häas createis is a sef art with the tools. He artist. He hos tooler and an pictures of the varlety of wastern riding gear he has bullt, Also in the book gre pictures of three of the trophy siaddles the has built in past yeare for the Snokey Beait Stampede. Just this week a gallery in Ruidoso contacted him, wanting him to nake a display saddio.

Pope says, 'I can make anymost unusual thin of. The most unusual thing he has fit the control stick grips of a private airplane with leather. I had to think about how I was going to fit the leather to the grips, but eventually I figured
it." He has the pictures to prove

The walls of the shop are ecorated with antlers and animal skins from hunts he's been on, photographs of favorite times, an oil painting or two he where.

Pope also is a farrier and a horse trainer, believing in the
training a horse - He aleo guides hunte through .his brother-in-law, Robert Runnel, who owns Bonito Stables. His Wife Branda has been a trail uide and hunting guide at the now in tuldidso. She also hes dont in rive loathor work- Rieht now she i I Involved in a charity now she in involved in a charits ride called "Sgadile Up" for St.
Juden Hospital, which will begin at Bonito Stables on Sat urday May 15. Ghe asked for $\theta$ little plug here, "because it's a cause I believe in." Th sign up for the ride, call her at 354 2616. There's no fee, but a donation will be appreciated.

Is his son interested in following in his footsteps in the business? Pope says Tanme uses the scraps he would other wise throw away.

When you go to the shop to visit or place an order, expect to stay awhile. After the prelimi naries are out of the way, Dave coffee and an interesting story or two.

## Paint To tscape <br> Oll Painting danss at Gail's Frame of <br> All week long at Gaii's Frame of Mind, 1204 Mechem Dr. For more

Apime viliage sanitation mistrict
$8: 00$ am at ENMU - Ruidoso office Agenda will include presentment of gurrert bills and comrnittee'reports. A question and answer seission is included in the meeting. Area residents are welcome to attend. For more in-

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Office. 200 Horton Circle. Public input is requested on use of public mput is requested on use of pubilic
funds for $1999-2000$ school year to better serve youngsters with disabili--
ties. For more information, call Paul Wirth at 257-4051.

## First Monday Repabilican Meeting 5:30 p.m. at K-Bob's, dimer at 6,00.

 Speaker: Colin Mc Millan. There willbe an auction for a chain saw bear

Tuesday, May 4
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Ongoing
Austin Hith School Clasis of 1909 is looking for alumnl for their 10 year class reunion to be held Friday Club, and Saturday, July 24 at the Marriott, El Paso. Alumni are asked to cail Taylor Reunlon Services at
(800) 677-7800 or (800) 677-7800 or e-mall reunions@taylor pubicom to update
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106 S. Lincoln Ave. Free registration - Open 10 am. -2 p.m. Wuesday
and Friday, 10 am, $7: 30$ p.m. and Friday, 10 am.-7:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m. Info and renew by phone (505) 354-3035.

- Lbrary Board of Trustees monthly meeting on 2 nid Thesday of each
month at 6:30 in the Ubrary. Public is welcome to attend.
Internet training with Rebecca Judd -The Third Anmual Plant and paper back Sale will be held on Mother p.m. Rille for Mother's Dayl Buy ickers to win a lovely hand! Buy quitt. $\$ 1.00$ wingle ticket, or 6 tidkets or $\$ 5.00$. Drawng will be at Plan Sale on Monday, May 8ith.
On display - two works in wood by These are "please look and touch pieces, and the public is invited to come and do just that!
Roadrunner Summer (June and uly) Reading Program plans are ungood at working with children, please contact Linda Fox 653-4619 or the li-
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Dave Pope, saddlemaker and then some.

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es beginning June 1 .
Onemonth and two nonth courses are available, as well as 25 upper-division and graduate classes delivered by instructional television. Center office or on the Cinter home paige:
withoruidoso.enmu.edu. Academic advisement financial aid are available. Ofice hours during regigtusehion are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, including during the lunch hour. For more information, 1-800-934-3668.

## ournalism sticdents

elected for worleshop
Jessica Ann Sanchez and Tashina Herrera, juniors at Hondo this achoo, were School to attend the righ at Northern Arizona University in Flagestaff.

Only 18 students from the outhwest were chosen to They will have the opportunity to explore all areas of joninalism through publication of heir own newspaper.

Instructors will include experienced journaliem educaors and working journalists.

Sanchez is the daughter of Preddie and Bertha Sanchez. Herrera is the daughter of Leo and Emma Herrera.
GED graduation May 6
 ersity (ENMU) announces that the first ever GED graduat 6.30 pm on Thureday May at 6.30 p.m. on Thursday, May Center.

An estimated 20 graduates are eligible. Families, friends ABE) Eup Basic Education local officials and employers are invited to attend. Several new awards and GED scholarships will be announced as part of the graduation ceremony.

The Altrusa Chub of Ruidoso and Zia Natural Gas Company are spon

For more information call Program Coordinator Sandy Program Coordinator Sandy
Kashmar at $257-2120$ or 630 8181.

ENMU-Roswell
preregistration starts
Preregistration for the ummer 1999 session at Eastern New Mexico UniversityRoswell started Monday, April 26 in Administration Center lobby on campus. The summer class session beg
and ends July 29 .
The computerized telephone registration system for students already admitted to the university is also open 24 hours a day through June 10. Instructions can be found in One summer class schedule. Open camplis Monday June 7 For campus Mond information. call 624-7143.

## RHS stadent honored

Joel Hixon is recognized among the top 25 freshmen students at Ruidoso High School with his grade point average of 3.857 . Hionors were Academic Awards Banquet.:

Hixon is a meimber of the class of 2002. After giraduation he plans to continue his education at a university yet to be determined. He is the gon of
Don Hixon and Susan Hixon Don Hison


Corriente Cowbelles team up with Capitan schools to show youngsters where all kinds of food comes from...

## No bull: Children learn about farm life

By Sandy Suggrit
CAPITAN : Capitan Elementary children learned that marshmallows, cosmetics and crayons come from cows at an axhibit called "Everything But the Moo" at Ag Day at the Lincoln County Fairgrounds last week.
is used," said Patty Townsend, the regional director of New Mexico regional director of New Mexico "All that's left is the moo."
 for answering questions abour New Mexican products.

Ag Day is becoming a spring tradition of the Corrientes Cowbelles,
who have hosted it for four years, who have hosted it for four ye
"So many of the children are not aware of agriculture and where their food comes from," Shannon said. "Many children have moved in, the subdivisions are growing and these children are getting mo
removed from the land."

The favorite of all the children was Buibba the Talking Hereford Bull, of the Department of Agriculture, who answered their questions about land, water and air and taking care of the land and animals. Bubbais "yoice, Benjamin Segovia,
 questions, underneath (to the water table)?" Bubba then explained about seep-
age. Many of the exhibits set up for the children were hands-on. David Lucero, also of the New Mexico Department of Agriculture had them spin the "Wheel of Fortune". and
where it stopped, they had a truewhere it stopped, they had a true-
false question to answer Correct false question to answer . Correct ets of seeds 'and other prizes.
"Ranches grow fruit," was one of the questions, buat it didun't fool the children.

The mast lively exhibit was the
touchable one outdoors: Eor the donkey, Archie the pony, Buttercup the goat, Panda the sheep. The animals burn, who answered questions and encquraged the children to pet them. Her husband, Tbim Brown, got them engaged in auctioneering and bidding on the animals.
the Game and Fish exhibit of sliked the Game and Fish exhibit of skins Tlerry Scarafiotti about learned from Wayne McGee and Bill Chance had an exchibit for Otero County Electric that taught children some of the do's and don'ts of electricity (such as "Don't climb up a tree next to a powerline') and gave them coloring
books to reinforce what they'd learned.

Ralph Dunlap, former Lincoln County livestock inspector, who owns a wool shop and gallery with his wife in Lincoln, sat spinning wool into yarn from fleece. An exhibit called Tools of the Trade" manned by Sue Maness had antique ranching equipment; and brand inspectors childiren why it's necessary to brand livestock - to prove ownership and because it's a state law - and explained the rules and regulations on branding.

The other three years, Shannion
said, demonstrators set up their exhibits on the Capitan campus. This was the first year to have Af the children liked having it the, a Capitan secretary Mozell Sparks said the students walked to the fair grounds, doubling up and practicing their evacuation drill at the same timeir destination if they muiding leave the school in an emergency,
the schoo in an emergency We were very pleased and the children liked having it down there," Shannon said. "The teachers were quite receptive and thought the demonstrations were to the point and tied in with some of theighession.

Besides organizing Ag Day, the Corrientes Cowben High So Hzancial culture Department and the Home Economics Department, Shannon said.
Next year the Cowbelles hope to have an all-day session and serve a chuckwagon lunch, with a miniwill rope and demonstrate branding a calf.

Shannon herself grew up in Dallas, married a rancher and "kept moving west," so she knows the value of learning about ranching and farming.

## Five state universities win

## national accreditation <br> for teacher training

Five public universities in New Mexico that prepare teachers received national Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education of (NCATE).

This is the first time that these five major teacher-producing public institutions have applied for and received NCATE accreditation: The University of New Mexico, New Mexico State University,
Western New Mexico UniverWestern New Mexico Univer-
sity, Now Mexico Highlands Sity, New Mexico Highlands Mexico University:

EAStablished in 1954, NCATE is a voluatary, national professional accrediting colleges and universities meet national standards in preparing teachers. It is authorized by the United States Department of Education and the
Council on Post-Secondary Council on Post-Secondary Accreditation as the profersional accrediting

Institutes that prepare teachers are evaluated on 20 dfathiardg developed by
NOATE that focus on the
design and delivery of curricu lum, the qualifications of stu dents and faculty, the gover nance and accountability o the program, and the resources devoted to prepar ing and developing teachers A 10- to 12-member team com Mrised of national and New Mexico educators apends pus taking stops to doterinin pus taking stepe to determine The quality of the program The team's findings are compled into a report and sent to ton, D.C. for a decision about accreditation. A second report is given to the New Mexico State Board of Education for state approval.

The College of Santa Fe and The College of the Southwest, private indtitutions, have not yet applied for have met the standard based have met the stancards based New Mexico Institute of Min New Mexico Institute of Min ing and Technology has not sought national accreditation
due to its small number of education students.

## SCHOOL MIENUS

Capitan Schoots
Wednesday, April 28 Breakfast: Biscuit, ham, juice Lunch: Green enchiladas pinto beans, retuce, tomatoes
Thursday, April 29 Breakfast: Tbast, cereal, jelly Break
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Lunch: Barbecue chicken, potato salad, rolls, fruit

Friday, April 30 - Breakfast Cinnamon Roll, cereal, juice lettuce, tomato picke tots, lettuce, tomato, picklea
Monday May 3 - Breakfast: Muffins, cereal, juice
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French fries, pickles, fruit
Theeday, May 4. Break fast: Cinnamon toast, cereal
Juice Lunch: Spaghetti, bread thick, salad froit

## White Mountain

Wednesday, April 28 crackerss, fruit

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Lunch: Corn dog or sliced
ham, tater tots, lettuce and Tuesday,
Tuesday, May 4-Breakast: Churro, fruit
Lunch: Chicken Nuggets, mashed potatoes
green beans, fruit

## Nob Hill and Slerra Vista

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Breakfast: Cereal, graham crackers, milk, fruit
Lunch: Hot dog on a bun with chili, baked beans lettuce and tomato fruit

## Friday April 30 - Break

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fast: Cereal, graham crackers milk, fruit cheese, green Macaroni and


By BETTY DEBNAM
The Play's the Thing
Shakespeare's Theater


To better understand this point in time think about this: Some of the first think about this: Some of the firs
colonists might have seen his plays in London before coming to America.
Jamestown, Va., the first permanen
English settlement, was founded in 1607. No women


The scripts
Because playwrights were plays and paper was so expensive not many copies were available. their lines.
The plays that we think of as classics today were kind of the "soap operas" of that day. They were popular, but not as respected as was poetry.

1 sets. Actors said a fow li or big sets. Actors said a few lines to tel the audience about the setting. They used props as well theaters had plays only at night Shakespeare's theater, des and $\begin{aligned} & \text { the Globe, could hold an } \\ & \text { audience of 3,000! Tickets }\end{aligned}$ seats in balconies cost more. Seats right on the stage were the most expensive of all. in the "pit," where the audience stood on a dirt floor before the stage.




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## Life in Shakespeare's Time <br> Other entertainment



Queen Elizabeth had red hair and green
eyes. Like most people in her day, she enjoyed dressing in fancy clothes. She had
more than 2,000 dresses! She had to be more than 2,000 dresses! She had to be one of her heavy dresses, some of which weighed as
Queen Elizabeth
Shakespeare lived from 1564-1616. During much of this time, England was ruled by Queen Elizabeth. She was very popular, and ruled for nearly 50 years (1558-1603). She was such a strong ruler that this time period is called England's Golden Age.
Elizabeth never married. Rulers of
other countries hoped to increase their power by marrying her, but she never agreed. She was a very clever ruler,
and a great speaker as well as
diplomat. The building of England's strong navy and the founding of loyal overseas colonies began when she was
queen.
After Elizabeth died, James VI


Records show that Shakespeare and his acting company performed for the quee She enjoyed plays and music, and


Music and dancing
People sang a lot, and many also learned to play a musica
instrument such as the lute. instrument such as the lute
Dancing was also quite popular. Members of the queen's court learned fancy dance steps Poorer people danced the jig.

## Bathing



Most people

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { Most people } \\
& \text { bathed only once a year. } \\
& \text { Doctors of the day worried }
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 so they used lots of perfume, and scented waters to sweeten their breath.

## Schooling Youngsters

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learned their
"horn book."
These were made
of leathere made
with a sheet of printed
paper. They were sometimes
orn around the neck.
Most girls stayed home to learn housekeeping skills. Boys might go to grammar school from the age of 7 to
about 15. They studied Latin


Sanitation


They didn't realize that plagues or
epidemics - which
caused hundreds, caused hundreds, sometimes thousands, of deaths - were caused by fleas carried by rats and other rodents Most people thought diseases
were spread by bad were spread by ba smelis. Women lowers to sniff when bad smells came ${ }^{\prime}$ their way.

## The Folger Shakespeare

## Library

The Folger Shakespeare Library is in Washington, D.C. It has the world's largest collection of books and


A site to see: www.folger.edu The Mini Page thanks Janet Flield-Pickering, head of educiation, and Francle Owens, docent coordinator of family programs, The Folger Shiakespeare Library,
D.C., for holp with this issuo.
Next week get out the microwave and let's cook for Mom on Mother's Day.


## PET CORNER

These pets are currently up for adoption at Lincoin County Humane Soclety © 257-984] Adopters must méet eligibility criteria.


Sugarbear, a 5 -month-old female, blonde shepherdilubrador mix, is a typical puppy, but at a per fect age to begin training. She was found abandoned on the highway to Tucson, picked up and brought to the shelter for a second chance for a home.


8oomer is an 8-month-old male English pointer, who energetic, sweet natured and would be a wonderful family dog. He came to the shelter with his sister, who also is up for adopition. They are classically marked and are very happy dogs.

## HOURS

Monday - Saturday
I p.m. - 5 p.m.

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## POOP SCOOP

by Diainne Stalines
RUDDOSO NEWS STAFF WRTTER
As National Dog Bite Weak approaches, May 16-22, the Humane Society of the United States offers some advipe.

If you don't know how your dog will react to a new situation, be cautious, If your dog may panic in crowds, leave him home. If your dog overreacts to visitors or delivery or service personnel, keep him in another room.

Help your dog become accustomed to 4 variety of situations, but until you are confident of his behavior, avoid stressful settings.

The most important lessons for children to learn are not to chase or tease dogs they know and to avoid dogs they don't know.

If your dog bites someone, confine it immediately and check the victim's condition. Seek med. ical help, if necessary.

Provide the victim with important information, such as the date of your doges last rabies vaccination.

Cooperate with the animal control officer, who's charged with collecting information about your dog. The animal may hive to be quarantined for a certain time poriod. Ask if he can be confined within your home or at your veterinarian's hospital. Strictly follow the quarantine requirements.

Seek professional help to prevent your dog from biting again.

If your dog is dangerous and his behavior can't be controlled, don't give him to someone else without carefully evaluating that person's ability to protect him and prevent him from biting. You could be held liable for any damage he does in the future, because you know he is potentially dangerous.

Don't give your dog to someone who wants a dangerous or "mean" dog. Often the animals are forced to live miserable, isolated lives and become even more likely to attack someone in the future. Consult your veterinarian and local animal control agency or humane society about your options.

A few suggestion on how to avoid a dog attack:

- Never scream and run. Remain motionless, hands at your sides and avoid eye contact with the dog. Once he loses interest, back away slowly until he is out of eight.

If he attacks, use your jacket, purse, bicycle or anything you can put between yourself and the can

- If you fall or are knocked down, curl into a ball' with your hands over your'ears and reiniain motionless. Try not to scream or rqll around.


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## A Beauty of a cast reunites for Belle on Disney Channel

By John Crook
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Most of the original voice cast member's of the Oscar-winning animated feature Beauty and the Beast reunite for Belle's Magical World, airing Friday, May 7, on the Disney Channel.
The movie, part of a sneak peek at the new Toon Disney all-animated programming service, features the voice talents of Paige O'Hara (Belle), Robby Benson (Beast), Jerry Orbach (Lumiere), David Ogden Stiers
(Cogsworth) and Joanne Worley (Wardrobe).
While the big-screen film ended with the Beast and his servants restored to their human form by Belle's love. Belle's Magical World consists of three stories from before that transformation.
In "The Perfect Word," a petty misunderstanding between Belle and Beast escalates after Webster the dictionary masterminds a fake letter of apology.
"Fifi's Folly," the second story, finds

Lumiere going to Belle for advice on how to express his feelings for Fifi, the flirtatious feather duster, but Fifi misconstrues Lumiere's interest in Belle and thinks she's been jilted.
Both Beast and Cogsworth are stumped in "Broken Wing," the third story, in which the lord of the castle can't understand why an injured songbird refuses to sing, while the clock faces rebellion among his kitchen staff.
Belle's Magical World shows its di-rect-to-video roots (it has been available in stores since January) only in technical aspects of the animation, which is flatter and less impressive than the mind-blowing original.
That won't bother small fry in the least. Children will take to these thoughtful, quaint stories with delight, and the vivid performances by the voice cast make for a reunion with favorite old friends.
In fact, this flavorful company which obviously has bonded even further since the runaway success of the original film - also provides painless viewing for grown-ups, who will find themselves remembering how special Beauty and the Beast is.

## TRIVA

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The hourlong special airs Sunday, May 2, on NBC.
Margo tempts fate by trying to es cape from a locked coffin filled with more than 100 hungry wharf rats.
Also in the special is a heart pounding stunt performed by Dean Gunnarson, who will free himself from a straitjacket while hanging upside down over a pit of alligators.

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The popular talk radio host known to millions as Dr. Laira is profiled in Lifetime's Intimate Portrait: Dr. Laura Schlessinger, airing Sunday, May 2. Narrated by TV talk show host Kathie Lee Gifford, the one-hour profile tells the story of Schlessinger's painful childhood, her estrangement from her mother and her conversion to Orthodox Judaism.
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＂Corrina，Carrina＂$* * y$（1994，Comady－ Drama）Whoopi Golkberg，Ray Liotta．Time Approximate．A housekeeper brings joy to a ith：Tue．8：35 p．m
＂Countdown＂（1998，Suspense）Lorl Pethy， Yukid Amami，Two dval policawomen must worl legather to nab a bomber．（In Stereo）（1 hr．， 30

＂Crish Dive＂$\psi \neq$（1997，Adventure）Michael Dudilcoll，Frederic Forrest．Temorists seize con nol of a nuclear－amed subimarine．（In stereo）
 ＂Crmutime＂＊1／2（1996，Suspenso）Stephen

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＂Crocodile Dundee In＂$\omega+$ the（ 1988, Comedy） Paul Hogan，Linda Kozlowski．The edventurar filees to tha Cutback to evade a diug lord．（Im
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## EYESTRAIN

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＂The Dark Horso＂ $\boldsymbol{\text {＊（ }}$（1932，comedy）Warren Willam，Bette Davis．A savvy managerboosts a dumb candidatat＇s＇gubemalofial bid．（1 hr．， 30 min．）Cum Tue． 6 p．m．
＂Dayy of Thundor＂$\star * 1 / 2(1990$, Drama）Tom Cruise，Roben Duvali．A cocky challenger en－ ters the word of stock－car reat
 Hlicko，Steptitn Wectattle．A mothor and her visting son encounterra homicalial maniac．（2 hrs．）Trm Fri．12：30 $1 . . \mathrm{m}$
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＂Demon City Shapular＂thy（4993，Science Fiotion）AnImated．Evi Tosees reise OIp against Earth＇s people，（n Storeo）（2 hre））Sat． 1 a．m
 Isse，Missy Browninge Thuge Kidinap wơmen and min）Crix Sun． 11 pm
＂The Dovil and Misx Dovilin＂＊th（1981 Comedy）Elliott Gould，Bill Cosby．Satan＇s lefi－ handmanmakesa hot daaludithanaw arival．（ln Stareo）＇PG＇（xa）（1 hr， 38 min ．）$\rightarrow$ Mon． $11 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. ＂The Devils Own＂$k$ 蚗（1897，Drams）Harri－ son Ford Brad Pit．A Now York cop unknow－
 hr， 55 min．）Min．Thu．12：45a．m．
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＂The Disappearance of Garcia．Lorcie＂$\ddagger \pm 1 / 2$
（1997，Drama）Andy Garcia，Esal Morates．A Spantah joumallsi invesilgates an idolizec
 wouble， 5 pom．
（Doubib，Doubla，Toll and Trouble＂$\star \star$
（1993，Fantasy）Mary－Kale Olsen，Ashley Ol－
san．Twins and liends atumploto outymart an evil witch．（In Stereo）（2 hrs．）FRMM Sun． 7 pm. ＂Double Tasm＂$\star$＇／3（ 1997 ，Advenlura）Jaan－ Claude Van Damme，Dennis Rodman．A spy
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pran．
rimown
＂Down Will Coma Baby＂（1999，suspense） Marsodith Baxter，Evan Rachel Wood．Psemlere．

 ＂Drammanitor：The Erolle Invader＂$*$（1896． Adulit）Cassandra Leigh，Patrick Aheme．Grad－
 $40: 45 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$
＂Dusting city 7 （1996，Suspense）Nancy Allen，Lance Henriksen．A retired assassin＇s


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＂Earthly Possesalons＂$\# \# 1 / 2$（1999，Comady） Susan Sarandon，Stephen Doiff．A frustrated housewie becomes the target of a bank ＂Enemy Mins＂）$\star \star / 2$（ 1985, Science Fiction） Deninis Quaid，Louis Gossett Jr．A space pilo and his enemy unite to survive．（In Stereo）（2 hrs．）（t．p．Sal． 7 p．m． 11 p．m．
＂Eacape From Widdcat Canyon＂（1998，Ad－ vanture）Dennis Weaver，Michael Caloz，A boy and his grandlalher are stranded in the wilder－ 7：15 p．m．
＂Executive Target＂$* \star 1 / 2$（1997，Suspense） Execuitive Target $\star \star 1 / 2$（1997，Suspense）
Michael Madsen，Kellh David．A stunit car racer is lorced to belp a criminal mastemind．（In Stereo） $\operatorname{mos}(1 \mathrm{hr} .40 \mathrm{~min}$ ）．Mak $\times 2$ Sat． $12.40 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$.


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| The Gang That Couldn't Shoot Stralght' ** 1971, Comady) Jerry Orbach, Leigh Tayiorroung. laept Now York hoodlums dectare war in a mob chistain. (2 hirs.) ICMI Fri. 1:30 a.m. "Gathaca" *** (1997, Science Fiction) Ethan tawke, Uma Thurman. An cutsider poses as a jenatically superior citizen. (In Sterso) 'PG-13' R ( $1 \mathrm{hr}, 52 \mathrm{~min}$ ) [140-2 Sun. 7 p.m. <br>  - Aercedes Ruah. Based on the itse and fall of 1, permodel Gia Carangl. (In Stereo) 'R' ${ }^{[6 I}$ (2 is) [830.2 Wed. 12:35 a.m. <br> The Glenn Milier Story" *** (1954, Biograhyl James Stewart. June Alyson. Basedonthe If ol the beloved big-band leader. 'G' U0 (1 hr., is min) (ame Thu 9pm. <br> The Glifter Dome" **1/2 (1984, Drama) inmes Garner, John Lithgow, Two L.A. pollcenen probe the murder ol a movie mogul. (0) 1 , 35 min.) 23303 Sun. 7 p.m. <br> The Good, the Bad and the Ugly" $\boldsymbol{*} *$ ( 1967 , Nessem) Clint Eastwood, Lee Van Cleaf. Three , kelent. determined men vie for a $\$ 200,000$ tecsure (3 hss.) KASY Sat. $7 \mathrm{\rho m}$. <br> Coitt" ** $1 / 2$ (1996, Drame) Armand Assante. Niliam Forsythe Based on the career and -wntall of mobster John Golti. (in Stereo) ' A 'th - he 56 min. (mol. 3 Wed $8: 45$ p.m. <br> The Grave" $\ddagger 1 / 2$ (1996. Suspense) Craig Shatiuf C.ibrielle Anwar. Two escaped convicts dig w' 'r, uble while fortune hunting. 'in Stereo) 'R' " 11 if. 30 min.) (hBCO2 Sun. 12 a.m. "raroase" *** (1978. Musical) John Travolta, (, d. Newton-John Disparate summer lovers |

meet again as high-school senlors. (in Stareo)
 "Great Scout and Cathouse Thursday" ***
(1976. Comedy) Lee Marvin, Oliver Reed. Three (1976. Comedy) Lee Marvin, Oiver Reed. Three
men plot to kidnap a group of bordello girts. 'PG' men plot to kidnapa group of borde
(1 hr., 42 min.) Aktc.
Tue. 9 p.m.
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Wayne, David Janssen. A cynical ant-war Wayne, David Janssen. A cynical antl-war nawsman is assigned to a carear soldier
(2 hrs., 21 min.) Alsk Sat. $11: 30$ p.m. "Gymkata" $1 / 1 / 2$ (1985, Adventura) Kunt Tho
mas, Tetchie Agbsan An mas, Tetchie Agbayani. An ageni attempts io secure a miltary sis
cheres Thu. $5: 30$ p.m.

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"Hamburger H111" $\star \star 1 / 2$ (1987, Drama) An thony Barrito, Michael Patrick Boatman. An almborne division must secure a vital milltay
position. (In Stereo) ' $\mathrm{R}^{\prime}(1 \mathrm{hr}, 50$ min. ) MAX) Tue. position
6 p.m.
"T.me Hand That Rocke the Cradie"
"** (1991. Suspense) Annabella Sciorra, Rebacca
De Mornay. A woman vows to destroy a family she blames for her woos. (In Stereo) 'R' [me ( 1 hr . 50 min .) Ssllow Sat. 11 p.m.
"HangIn' With the Hameboys" $k \star 1 / 2$ (1991, Comedy) Daug E. Doug, Mario Joymer. Fou South Bronx teens head to Manhattan seaking
thrils. (In Stereo) 'R' [at (1 hr. 29 min.) Sliow thrilis. (In Stereo) '
"Happineas Ahead" ** (1934, Comedy) Dick takes a gid's father for a sugar daddy. $11 \mathrm{hr} ., 30$ min. /Tcss Sun. 8:30 p.m.
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p.m.
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"Harold and Maude" $\star \star \star 1 / 2$ (1971, Comedy) Ruth Gordon, Bud Cont. A 79 -year-old woman min.) (190] Wod. 10:45 p.m
"Hilddan in Sillence " (1988, Drama) Kellle Martin, Marion Ross. ACatholicterentides 13 Potish
Jews from the Nazis. (2 hrs.) MiciN Fri. 6 p.m.
"High Voltage" ( (1998, Drama) Antonlo Sabato
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against the Viatnamese mob, (In Steran) 'R' in against the Viatnamase mod. (in Sier
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"Hollywood Dramas" $\ddagger 1 / 2$ (1993, Conisdy) Kelly Cook, Danmy Smith. Two women will do

 Audray Hepphum, Pater O'Toolo. A rich girnolans
 Tue. 11 p.m.

. $k$ (1999, Westam) John Cusack, John Goodman. A horse Irader seeks justice agalnst a greedy landowner. 1010 (2 hrs.)

"Jaws $2^{\prime \prime} * * 1 / 2$ ( 1978 , Horror) Roy Scheidar,
Lorraine Gary. Another massive shark appars Lorraine Gary, Another massjve shark appsars 10:50 p.m.
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Staimaster, tuana Patlen. In 1773, a silversmilh Stalmastor, Luaana Patien. in 1773, a siveramilnh
sples for the Sons ol Liberty. ©ur (i hr., 20 min.) spies for the Sons ar
osts $7 \mathrm{Th} .11 \mathrm{pm} . \mathrm{m}$ "The Journey of Natty Gann" $\# \star / 2$ (1985, Drama) Maresith Salengesr, John Cusack. A gif beffiands a woll while searching for her father.
 "Julian Po"; ** (1897, Comody-Drama) Chis-
Uian Slater, Robln Tunney. Townspoopla treata tian Siater, Robln Tunney. Townspeople Steata
sulcide-minded man like a celebrity. (In Stereo)


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"Kame Sura A Drama) Sndira Varma, Sarta Choudhury. A 88 , vant gin seduces a princess's prospective hus-
bandi (in Stereo) p.m. Tha Karate kid Part l" $k *$ (1888, Drama) arts student defends his local titte. (In Stereo) 'PG' (i hr. 51 min.) S1iow Mon. 5 p.m.
"Kicked in the Haad" ** (1997, Comedy) Kavin Corigan, Linda Florantino. A chronic ne'er-do-well involves himsell with hoodiums.
(In Stereo) (i hr., 30 min.) (bick:
 Freeman, Ashloy Judd. An bscapped vicimanda hrs.) (usic 2 Fr, 12:10 a.m.
"La Bohams"** (1926, Drama) Lillian Gish, John Gilbert. Based on Puccini's opera of love p.m. "La Conildential" "tittot (1997, Mystary) Kevin Spacey, Russell Crowe. A young poilice
officer searches for juslice in 1050s LaA fin
 a.m.
"Larger Than Lilio" ** (1986, Comedy) Bill new ownerthaed for the West Coasis (In Stereo)
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$8 \rho . \mathrm{m} .12 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$.
"Legand" $t \star 1 / 2$ (1985, Fantasy) Tom Crise, Mia Sara. A youthbatl Darkness for hefale of a mystic land. ( 2 hrs .5 mln .) Rivis Sun. $11: 45$ p.m.
"LatMeCall You Sweotheart" (1997. Mystery) wants to reopen a decade-old murder case. (In Stereo) (2 hrs.) rath Wod. $10 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
"Lahbat Tendor" ${ }^{\star}$ ( 1997 , Adventure) Jelf Fahoy, Gary Busey. A cop racist to save Chicago's water supply from terrorists. (In Sterso) ' A in (1 hr., 28 min.) LsARs Tue. 10:50 p.m. "Lethal Weapon" $\star$ k ( 1987, Drama) Mal palrad with an eccentric partner. (In Stereo) ' H ' pairad with an eccenitic partner. (in hr., 48 mm .) neic Wed. $10: 50 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. "Thy Letter" $\# *+1 / 2$ (1940, Drama) Bet Davls, Herbert Marshall. Anaccusedmurderess is blacknailed. (2 hrs.) TLSB Mon. 6 p.m.
"Lis Down Whth Doga" ** (1995, ComedyDrama) Wally White, James Sexton, Agay New
Yorker hopes for tun in the sun in Massechu-
 setts. (In S
1:15 a.m.
"Loaded" *t (1994, Drama) Oliver Milbum, Nick Patrick. Friends meet at a country home to min.| (intw Tue. 12:15 a.m.
"Locse Cannons" \#* (1990, Comedy) Gene Hackman, Dan Aykroyd. A no-nonsense datec.
 Love Hurta" t** (1990, Comady-Drama) Jerf Daniels, juditivey. A diviorced philanderer
pursues his sister's bridesmaid. (2hrs.) Clre Fri. 7p.m.

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 May? Mon. 5 p.m."The wan Who playod God" *** (1932, Drama) George Arliss, Bettre Davil. A troublad musialaninims Eolaconaloyalstudent. ( $1 \mathrm{hr}, 30$ $\mathrm{min})$ (2.m Tue 1:30 a.m.
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Davis, Humphray Bogan A (1937, Drama) Bette Davis, Humphray Bogat, A prostitute joins an
attomey to lmprison a gangster. (2 hrs.) T:S Wed. 8:30 p.mh
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Paul Michael Robinson, Landon Hall Escaped terrorists altack a pison housing alailedicop in Stereo) ' R ' ( $1 \mathrm{ht} ., 30 \mathrm{~min}$ ) (Bilc ? Mon . 0.30 Sterso
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"BhcLintockl"*** (1863, Wastem) John Wayne, Maureen OHare. A cattle baron mests his match in a strong-willed woman. (2 hrs., 45 min.) TMis Thu, 6 p.m.
"Heat Wally Sparks" $\star$ ²/ (1997, Comady) Rodney Dangeriald, Dobl Mazar. A TV calebrity
 "A Midaummor Night's Draam" $* * * *$ ( 1935 , Fantasy) James Cagnay, Olhia do Havilland. A mischlevous falry named Puck creates chaos in
the forest (0. (2 hrs., 30 min.) (r.s.
Sun. 6 p.m.
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"Milto" * (1998, Horror) Paula Cale, Jennifer Jostyn. Awomanistenorized bya demmonicchild
in a malincoat: (InStereo) $R^{\prime}(1$ hr., 31 min.) Hax Mr. Murder"
phen Buldvin (1989, Horron) (Part 2 of 2) Stomifere. A mystery witer' must prove he has murderous double. (In Stereo) ( ${ }^{(1)}$ (2 hrs.) (kciat Thu, 8 p.m.
"Modesty Blalia" $\star \star$ (1/2 (1986, Advanture) Monica Vist, Disk Bogarde. Modasty helps devar priceliass jum. 8 p.m., 12 a.m

Moon-Spinners"
 Iura) Haylay Milt, Irena Papas, An Englishtaen hr., 58 mln .) (bid Fr. $11 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
Mothar's Day on Walton's Mountaln" ** (1982, Drama) Michael Leamed, Raiph Walle. aisia netums to help her ofispring cope with crises. (In Steveo) (2 hrs.) Fixd Mon. 6 p.m. (1982, Drama) Michael Leamed, Rapth Wallo Olivia, ratums to help her offispring cope with Civia ralums to halp her ofispring cope with "A Mother's Gift" (1985, Westem) Nancy McKoon, Adrian Pasdar. A wile gives up her dreams lo go west with her husband. (2 hrs.) FABS Mon. 10 p.m.
Murder at 1600" $\star \star$ /2 (1997, Suspense) Wesley Snipes, Diane Lane. The president son is impilicated in a secratary's daath. (in

Murder in Naw Hampshire: The Pamala mart Story" ** (1991, Drama) Helen Hunt Chad Allen. Asmitten teen-ageragrees tokill his oacher's husband. (2 hrs.) Lire Sun. 6 p.m. "Murder In the Firs!" *** (1985, Drama) Christian Slater, Kavin Bacon. An attomey re
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"The Nawton Boys" ** (1998, Drama) Mat hew McConaughey, Skeat Ulrich. Fourbrothers | band together to become lamous bank robbers. |
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 The Night Fller" $\star \star 1 / 2$ ( 1897 , Horror) Mrgual -errer, Julie Entwisto. Two reporiers rack a hr. 40 min.) B 1 X3 3 Sat 9 p.m.
"Night of the Lepus" $*$ (1972, Science Fiction) Stuarl Whitman, Janet Leigh. Time Approxinate. Innocent rabbits are lumed Into camivo rous superbunnies. (2 hrs., 5 min.) (eirics Sat. 1
a.m.
"Night Vision" $\star \star$ (1998, Drama) Fred Wirhamson, Cynthla Rothrock. A detective hunts min.) apied Wed. 1:15 a.m.
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"Niphthawhu" itw (188i, Suspense) Syvesler Stalliong, Billy Das Willams, Tlime Approx
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Nightmare in columbia County" $\star \star 1 / 2$ 1991, Suspense) William Devane, Jar Lymn
Ayan.Asmalhtown killer. (2 hrs.) cris. Thu. 7 p.m.
"199y" $\star \star$ Kh (1978, Comedy) John Ealushi, Dan Aykroyd. Rumbors of impending Japenese 7 attackpan
7 p.m. Liotta, Lance Henikiksap. A Marine convict is

"Noab'm Ark" (1989, Drama) (Pait 1 of a) Jon Volght, Mary Staenburgen. Premlere. Based on hebblical tale oil Noahand the Great Flood. fln
 Noash's Ark" (1999, Drama) (Part 2 ol 2 ) Jon: Voight, Mary Steenbuigen. Premlere. Noah ana his lamily face blomy Halora arior he hood. (I Slareo) (3I) (2 hrs.) Kcpla Mon. 8 p,m
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lan Hart, John Lynch. War eripls in a Bellast community following an IRA bombling. (In
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a.m.

## The Object of My Affection" $* *$ (1998, Co-medy-Drama) deniller Anlston, Paul Fudd. alo fribnd, (in Steree) 'R' ( thax Thu, $7: 55$ p.m. <br> "Tha Odd Couplo II" $\star 1 /(1898$, Comady $)$ Jack he road for their childran'o wedding. (In Storeo)  "Old Yallor" *** (dia57, Dramin) Dorothy a ranch and provas ita worth. "c' os (1 hr, 23 min.) (1, The. 11 p.m. <br>  Fossalind Chaso, Chis Coopar. A 1 Oth - cenntury   Ralph Fionnes, CalaBlanchotil Two milalitisom  "Outbreake **th (1905, Eurpense) Ointin   <br>   tragedy In 1960s Okdahoma. (2 hra, 5 min.) "Overtords of the UFO" $* 1 /$ (1877, Documencary) Reviewing the investigation of unidentified flying objects. (2 hrs.) TNi Sal. Xi:45 a.m.  ern) Henry Fonda, Dana Andraws. A iynch mos (1 hr., 16 min ) susi Sat. 10:15 pm.

"Palmutto" ** (1998, Suspanse) Woody Har. raison, Ellsawe in a bizarra kidnapping plot. (In Stereo) 'R' hr., 54 min.) Cution Sun. 11 p.m.
 Betto Davis, Douplas Faltbanks Js. Two Worlo hr., 30 min.) :B Tue. 7:30 pm.
 marn, Jleanne Woodward. Amerman Puisiclan living InParis romance two tourlsts. (2hrs.). Th, Thut $9 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
"Phanomanon" $\star \star \%$ ( 1898 , Drama) Jokn Travolta, Kyra Sudgwick. A small-town me chanic is gifted with amazing mental powers. (I)
Stereo) tion (3 frs.)


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The Frontier Photographers
A Visual Story of the West
They dove head-long into an unknown world of myth and legend. They were on the cutting edge of a nation freed from war, a country desperately seeking its future, They went where few had dared venture before. And When they returned, they changed forever the way the nation viewed itself. A new 90 -minute special, The Frontier Photographers takes a ground-breaking look at the men who first photographed the American West.

The program looks at the pivotal 25 -year period in which the West was transformed from an unexplored and untamed wilderness into a cauldron of development and change. It profiles three photographers William Henry Jackson, Timothy O'Sullivan, and Jack Hillers, who had little in conlmon except their love of photography. Each brought a different style and experience to the locations in which they worked. These photographers crisscrossied the region and chronicled the coming of setllement - mining booms, growth in cities, changes affecting natural Jandmarks, the coming of the railroads, and the Native American cultures that were pushed out of the way by the white setters.

The Frontier Photographers airs Tuesday, April 27th at 10:00 p.m.

## Searching for the Great Hopewell Road

Explores Link Between the Hopewell, the ancient Maya, , and the Anasazi of New Mexico

About 2,000 years ago, Native Americans whom archaeologists call the Ohio Hopewell constructed thousands of monumental earth-works throughout the Ohio Valley. These ancient architects created enormous conical mounds, earthen effigies, and some of the largest geometric enclosures known in the world.

Searching for the Great Hopewell Road takes viewers on a fascinating journey through historical survey maps, aerial photographs, ancient astronomy, and the oral traditions of Native Americans.

The program follows the investigations of Dr, Bradley Lepper of the Ohio Historical Society. Dr. Lepper's search for the Great Hopewell Road began with the re-discovery of an old unpublished map of the Newark Earthworks, a Hopewell earthwork complex that once covered four square miles. The map shows wide, straight parallel walls extending over six miles from the Newark Earthworks toward another Hopewell earthwork complex located 60 miles to the southwest.

Dr. Lepper began to hypothesize that the Hopewell may have constructed long, straight roads similar to the "ceremonial" roads of the ancient Maya in the Yucatan Peninsula and the Anasazi in the Chaco Canyon area of New Mexico.

Searching for the Great Hopewell Road airs Monday, April 26th at 9:00p.m.

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## Messina among top country music award contenders

By John Crook
OTVData Features Syndicate
A formidable list of performers and nominees has been assembled for the 34th annual Academy of Country Music Awards, airing on CBS Wednesday, May 5. And in a story worthy of a country ballad, many viewers will be watching nominee Jo Dee Messina with special interest during the ceremonies.
Messina has survived what looked ke a career catastrophe and come back stronger than ever with I'm Alright, an album that earned her ACM nominations as top new female vocalist and overall best female vocalist, as well as album of the year
"My first album (Jo Dee Messina) was released in January 1996, and we got a couple of hit singles off it," the Boston-bred singer explains. "But the third single stumbled, so we decided to wait for the second album for our next single."
Unfortunately, that second album, I'm Alright, was a long time in coming - 18 months, to be exact - and that delay, coupled with a popular but expensive lour, backed the young singer up against a financial wall.
It's not surprising that I'm Alright has determined I-will-survive attitude about it - one that resonates with old

## new fans alike

"My fans are the best, and they come up and say, 'I wint to give a copy of "Lesson in Leavin" "to my boyfriend. If you only knew ... ' and I say, 'I know! I know! Believe me! "
In fact, Messina says, during her live performances, she asks her audiences how many have been dumped. "And I raise my hand as high as I can," she explains. "I really relate to my fans, and I try to spend as much time as possible with them."
Messina says her parents split when she was 4 , but she remains close to both and probably gets her stubbomness in equal measure from the two of them.
"I think that's who I am. If I see something I want - say a quarter across the yard, but there's an electric fence I will keep trying to find a way to get there," she says. "And I don't even mean in terms of my carcer; I mean with life in general. It's never a question of 'Can I have it?' It's 'How can I have it?' "
Messina's competition for album of the year includes releases by such country giants as Garth Brooks, Faith Hill, Dixie Chicks and George Strait, and she admits she'd love to win.
"I probably will be stressed," she says, laughing, "but what I am really looking forward to is performing. I per-


Shania Twain
formed at the (Country Music Awards) last year and I was so scared I don' even remember my performance. I remember my chest hurting so much 1 thought I was having a heart attack.
While Messina says she has done het fair share of big concerts, she hadn't had to perform in front of Brooks and Shania Twain before.
"I mean, come on! All I remember cearly is thinking, 'Oh, my God, Iam going to die on national television!' I hope I've gotten up enough nerve this time to just do it, and I look forward to it," she says.
Messina says the past year with its overwhelming public enthusiasm has been like a dream - topped by a surreal encounter with one of her country muic idols.
At home in bed with the flu, she answered the phone. "Hi, Jo Dee! 1 just
loonoove 'Bye Bye,' " Messina says, affecting singer Reba McEntire's dis tinctive drawl. "I'm thiaking, This is sick joke.' but I finally realized it really was her. I mean, who else talls like that7"


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## TV CROSSWORD



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TV PIPELINE

## By Taylor Michaels

orvoata Faatures Syndicate
Q：I recentiy heard a rumor that Biue＇s Clues host Steve Burns died of a heroin overdose．Please tell me it＇s not true！－C．R．in New Hamp－ shire．
A：l．am happy to report that Bums is alive and well，but this insidious Inter－ net rumor has become so widely circu－ lated that the 25 －year－old actor－host has had to make several public appear－ ances to allay the fears of his young viewers．
Can someone please explain to me what kind of sick person dreams up stuff like this to scare little kids？
Q：Do you have any idea what Gary Burghoff of $M^{*} A^{*} S^{*} H$ is doing these days？－Allan K．in Mont－ gomery，Ala．
A：Yes．Burghoff，a devoted animal lover，is host of Pets：Part of the Fam－ ily，a 13 －part series airing in syndica－ tion starting in mid－May．It may air later on，or not at all，in your particular market．
Since bidding goodbye to his TV character Waiter＂Radar＂O＇Reilly， Burghoff，now 55，has worked in films and theater，but also has become a wildife artist of growing stature．

O：What was the name of the Bil Coshy situation comedy in which he played a high－school gym teacher？ My mom says all of his sitcoms have had＂Coshy＂in the title ope way or another．－Brenda vin e－mall
A：Your mom is right，as far as his live－action sitcom titles are concemed． You＇re thinking of－prepare for a shock，now－The Bill Cosby Show，a 1969－71 NBC sitcom in which he played Los Angeles physical education teacher and coach Chet Kincaid．
For those keeping score，the sitcoms following this one have been called，in order，The New Bill Cosby Show，Cos， The Cosby Show and Cosby．
Q：When was Hot L Baltimore on TV？I recall it was based on a play． －Marge via e－mall．
A：Norman Lear produced this un－ successful 1975 ABC adaptation of Lanford Wilson＇s hit stage comedy set in a seedy hotel．The titie alliudes to the fact that an E on the hotel sign was burned out．
The ensemble cast included Concha－ ta Feriell（Hearts Afire），James Crom－ well（Babe），Richand Masur（One Day at a Time）and Charlotte Rae（The Facts of Life），among several others．
Q：Why was Encore！Encore！tak－ en off the air？Will they show re－ runs？－A Michigan reader．

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Stove Burns and Blue
A：Probably not．Encore！was one of the biggest artistic failures in recent years，despite a gifted cast and the Frasier creative team．Christopher Lloyd，one of the executive producers． says they knew early on that the show was in trouble．Nathan Lane＇s charac－ ter，a pompous opera singer，never clicked with most viewers or critics．

Send questions of qeneral interest to TVData Features Syadicate 333 Glen St． Glens Falls，NY 12801，or e－mail to tvpipelineêtrdatacom．Only questions selected for thits column will be answered． Personal replies cannot be seant．

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The elusive and graceful chamois is among the many species of willilte presented in Wild Europe, alring Sundey on PBS (check local listings).


Tuesdays on ABC, the show must go on for the producer (Fellcity Huffman) and anchors (Poter Krause, left, and Josh Charles) of a cable sports show in Sports Night.
epote show in Sporto Migh.


Dr. Becker (Ted Danson, bottom right) Is visited by characters from other CBS Monday shows (Blll Cosby, Kovin James, Ray Romanc, clockwise from bottom lefi) in Becher, alring Monday on CBS.

## WEDNESDAY



Wednesday on NBC, Briccoe and Curtle (Jerry Orbach, left, and BenJamin Bratt) Inveatigata the fatal drug overdose of a corporate mogul In.

SOAP TALK
Daytime casts keep on changing

## ByCandace Havens

CNData Featires Syndicato
After several years away from daytime TV, John Loprieno (ex-Cord, One Life to Live) is back. This time around, he takes on the role of Brad Snyder on As the World Turns.
The role was valcated in February by Nick Kokotakis, who decided to move back to the West Coast te spend more time with his daughter.
Also on ATWT, actor Anthony Herrera (James Stenbeck) is batting a recurrense of mantle cell lymphoma, the same cancer he fought á few' years ago.
Herrera has stopped taping but is expected to return at a later date.
In other news: In an effort to continue its focus on the core families, The Bold and the Beautiful has dumped two, more fan favorites from its roster. Tricey E. Bregman (Lauren) and Paul Satterfield (Pierce) were let go. Bregman's last episode is set to air May 11, but Saterfield's finale is still up in the air.
Dear Candace: I was curious'about the actress who plays the new doctor on All My Children. Has she been on another soap? -Emily in Missouri.
Dear Reader: Colleen Dion plays Dr. Hayward. She also portrayed Bret on Anotster World and Felicia on B\&B.
Dear Candace: Please tell me what happened to the other Ashicy (Shari Shattuck) on The Young and the Restless. I know she left to have a baby, but no explanation was given as to why she was replaced by the former Ashley (Eileen Davidson). -B:E. via the Internet.
Dear Reader: Shattuck wanted to stay home with her children, and $Y \& R$ executives wanted Davidson back.
Dear Candace: Years ago a little girl grew up playing Amy on the old soap opera. Secret Storm. Was she ever on any other shows? - -Jen'E. via the Internel.
Dear Reader: Jada Rowland played Amy off and on from 1954-1974. She also portrayed Carolee on The Dectors in 1963, and Dr. Susan Burke Stewar on As the World Turns in 1967.

Send questions of general Interest to Candace Havens, Soap Talk, TVDate Features Syadicate, 333 Glen St., Glens Falls, NY 12801, or c-mall to soaptalic@tudatacosp. Only questions selected for this collumn viil be miswered. Persoand replites cannol be sent.


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1 egg , beaten
$1 / 2$ tsp. salt $1 / 4$ tsp. pepper $1 / 2$ tsp. granulated garlic non-stick cooking spray 1 cup bran flakes, ground

1. Preheat oven to $350^{\circ}$
2. Combine sirloin with 1 cup sauce.
3. Mix in remaining ingredients
4. Spread meatioaf evenly in $9 \times 9$ inch casserole dish sprayed with cooking spray. Spread remaining sauce evenly on top.
5. Bake at $\mathbf{3 5 0}$ for $\mathbf{2}$ hours. Makes six $\mathbf{6 . 5} \mathbf{~ o z . ~ s e r v i n g s . ~}$

Chile Chicken Primavera

1 lb. chicken breasts, cut into 6 pieces 2 medium potatoes, cut into small wedges

3 carrots, cut into thin wedges.
1 16oz. jar Bueno Greeen Chile Sauce

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