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A mixed flock of "hand-raised" ducks attract photographers as they swim past Carrizozo Creek Lodge through the reflections of the sky, trees and mountainside, and then exit to sit, preening, on the grass.

A flock of ducks has one local family

All quacked up

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Busy with the renovation of Carrizo Canyon Lodge, Leanne Smith knew that her homebound mother enjoyed the wild ducks that visited Carrizozo Creek on their migration route.

Her mother watched as ducks arrived and mated, then waited eagerly for ducklings to appear. But she was disappointed when none of the young ones showed up and the flock continued on its way.

Smith and her husband, Ronny, who own the 52-unit lodge with partners Bruce and Kay Kernodle, decided to bring in their own ducks. They ordered 15 Blue Swedish and 15 mallards from Harvey's Feed. The babies arrived in a box when they were about a day old.

First, the ducklings were kept in the lodge office, but as they grew were moved into a shed and then to an outdoor pen. Five days ago, when they were about 10 weeks old, they were

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The Smiths' flock has been an attraction for locals and visitors

County clinic talks planned with 3 firms

Support strong for PHS despite ranking

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
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Lincoln County officials will negotiate with all three of the companies that submitted proposals to operate one or more of the rural health clinics in the county.

After listening to a series of comments from Carrizozo residents and clinic employees, county commissioners said Tuesday they would discuss in a closed executive session the details of all the proposals to come up with the best overall offer.

County attorney Alan Morel cautioned commissioners that they couldn't discuss any offers in public and that they could not reject all the offers without a specific reason. They must follow the state law by selecting a company or companies "likely to be selected for the award" for further negotiation.

The request for proposals was complex because the health clinic in Hondo operates independently and the school district, which owns the clinic building, could elect not to go with the commission's decision. District officials could continue under a separate contract with La Casa Family Health Center, one of the three companies responding to the request for proposals. However, that might force Hondo to forfeit money from a special annual property tax levy designated for county health clinics and the county hospital in Ruidoso, Morel said.

A representative of the Hondo area questioned how the money could be withdrawn when voters

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DeLaco: Insurance firm will give lot owners time

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

A home insurance company is not threatening an immediate cutoff of insurance if lot owners fail to comply with village standards for fuel management, says Rick DeLaco, Ruidoso Forestry Department director.

Unfortunately, wording in a letter to clients from Met-Life gave that impression and the village was bombarded with telephone calls. DeLaco finally recorded a message directing those not within the village to contact Lincoln County's administrative office or the state Forestry Division.

For those within the village, Met Life was contacted by Dave Parks with High Country Insurance and he confirmed that the company will accept village certification as evidence of proper management action, he said.

"One of the important things to stress is the timing," DeLaco said. "It could be a year or so before the company will require proof."

The village may need that much time to process all the requests for lot assessments and give owners time to complete the projects, he said.

"There are only so many contractors (to do the work)," he said, but added that although many are booked up, he's sure some are available.

DeLaco brimmed with enthusiasm describing the condition of a demonstration area off Ski Run Road to Monjeau Lookout.

"Twelve acres were treated," he said. "One hundred percent of the trees that were cut were removed and used. Some slash remains to be burned, but the forbs are back and that increases the diversity of the butterflies and bugs that do different things in the ecosystem."

During the tree-removal work, some temporary skid roads were created.

"My plan was to go back in and reseed," he said. "I had the contractor scarify, a kind of raking of the roads. When I went back out, they were reseeding themselves and the vegetation was coming back.

"I can't believe that heavy trucks were running over them every day. This is the first season and we see an increase in the flora and fauna."

Tuning in: Imus says he's glad to be out of the Texas heat

His brother's nationally syndicated, but this DJ enjoys an easier slice of life

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Already up since 5 a.m. to feed his four horses and German shepherd, Fred Imus enters the offices of a local radio station and heads straight for the coffee.

The on-air announcer calls him into the studio to say a few words about Johnny Cash, who died that morning.

"What's your take on Johnny Cash?" the announcer asks.

"Well — he's dead," Imus deadpans.

Ready or not, Ruidoso, here comes the unique and sometimes biting humor of Fred Imus.

Listeners can hear his take on classic country music and call in requests from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday on KNMB-FM (96.7) and KWMW-FM (105.1).

Imus was visiting El Paso and looking for something to do when friends suggested he call to see what might be open in Ruidoso. A deal was struck and he moved in his RV to a local park with his dog and four horses. His wife of four years, Lynn, a successful artist who shows in Scottsdale and Taos, will follow from Fort Worth. When asked when, Imus checks his watch and says, "I think about 2004 or 2005."

His wife pushed the move to Fort Worth, he said, "and being a person who tends to be led around by the nose, I said fine.

"I tried to tell her the summers were unbearable. I'm glad she's down there now with 100-degree temperatures and 80 percent humidity. Every time she calls me to complain, I'm so happy."

Their house sold in Fort Worth and he's not looking for one in Ruidoso.

"I've bought my last home. Mine has wheels now," he said. "When you're raising a family, you want one, but at this point now, I don't want a house. She has her own RV, three Siamese cats and a dog. When she comes, she'll be at one end of the trailer park and I'll be at the other. It'll work great."

The next time he moves, "I want to back up and hook up the house and go."

He boards his horses in a pasture "where I can look down and see them," Imus said. "Finding that situation, I thought I got really lucky.

"I've had horses for years. They're cutting horses. I don't know anybody who does any cutting up here, so I don't know what to do with them."

Born in Los Angeles, Imus spent most of his early years on his father's cattle ranches in California and Arizona, or traveling the Southwest with his parents and brother, Don

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Fred Imus takes a break outside Ruidoso's KNMB and KWMW FM radio stations.

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KIDZ AT PLAY

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Village of Ruidoso Parks and Recreation Department employees Toby Juarez, left, and Dave Tetrault were working last Friday with Rodney Griego, Rafael "Rifle" Salas and others at the Kidz Konnection playground on Hull Road, preparing the site of the "Liberty Garden" that was planted the following day. Juarez, Tetrault and Griego were placing a three-piece bronze statue that had once been located on the southwest corner of the park in a new spot on the northeast corner, where it will be visible — along with the new, volunteer-planted garden by motorists and pedestrians approaching the playground.

Property tax changes likely if other taxes get dropped

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

New Mexico state legislators may drop gross receipt taxes on food and prescription drugs, but the alternative could be painful for property owners.

Reporting to the Lincoln County Commission Tuesday, County Assessor Rick Silva warned that property tax limits may be boosted, exemptions that would hurt the county tax base might be approved and a charge of up to 1.5 percent on each land transaction may be imposed. Silva serves on the Blue Ribbon Tax Reform Commission and heads the state assessor affiliate under the Association of Counties.

Silva said he's surprised that more input on the suggested charge on land transactions hasn't been received from real estate representatives.

"When I talked to local real estate people, they were unaware the issue was being considered," he said.

The committee is looking at the possibility of asking voters to increase the property tax cap from 20 mills to 30 mills. The assessors' affiliate opposes that action, he said.

A vote would be needed because a constitutional change is required to raise the mill maximum. One mill equates to $1 for each $1,000 of taxable property value. New Mexico taxes on one-third of market value.

Increasing exemptions would erode the tax bases of counties, because it would take some property off the tax rolls, he said.

"They also may do away with yield control," which limits the amount of tax increase that can be imposed each year on property, Silva said. The 3 percent overall would stay in place, but the 5 percent on an individual owner's property might be lifted, he said. Officials in Angel Fire are pushing that change because that village annexed property and yield control prevented the municipality from getting more tax money, he said.

Doris Cherry, who heads the county's Democratic Party, said the idea of doing away with gross receipt taxes is not new. Several previous administrations tried. The latest effort was sparked by "Think New Mexico," a think tank group, she said.

Silva said the state's assessors aren't happy with some of the alternate revenue source suggested because they target property owners who pay taxes.

Commission Chairman Rex Wilson said the issue still must be hashed out by the full legislature during the special session in October.

In a summary of the Blue Ribbon Committee's work, four options are listed. They are:

• Upgrade the property tax system, which hasn't been significantly changed in 30 years. The property tax reportedly has the highest ratio of administrative cost to tax collections among the major taxes and an effort should be exerted to reduce that ratio.

• Property tax transfer, which is an excise tax on the sale or other transfer of real property, and could include a threshold of $50,000 to protect poorer households. Statewide, without that exemption, the tax could raise $30 million at half a percent. This would remove New Mexico's edge with other states for jobs attracted by low property taxes, a contrary notation stated.

• Changing the state constitution to allow an increase in property taxes from $20 per $1,000 net taxable valuation to $25 or $30. At the same time, lift the head-of-family exemption from $2,000 to $50,000 or $75,000, which also would require a constitutional amendment approved by voters.

• Tax government property, which would catch those used for commercial purposes in competition with privately owned land.

CLINICS: Bid criteria criticized

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approved it for the clinics in Hondo, Carrizozo and Corona, and Hondo property owner pay the tax.

The Carrizozo clinic is managed by Presbyterian Healthcare Services, the same firm that runs the county hospital in Ruidoso and the Corona clinic. However, the town of Corona owns its facility and also could operate independently, Morel said.

In an added twist, Presbyterian Medical Services, not currently managing any of the clinics, was the company rated the highest by an evaluation committee.

Responding to criticism that no representative from Carrizozo served on the committee, county manager Tom Stewart and Commission Chairman Rex Wilson explained someone was invited but failed to show up the day of the meeting. Officials from Hondo and Corona attended.

No one from the Carrizozo clinic was invited because Stewart said he wanted to keep the evaluation as impartial as possible.

Wilson also compared the three proposals in size, noting one was 29 pages, another 19 pages and the third just two pages.

The county's intent was to receive an offer to manage all three clinics for economy of scale, Morel said. Not all companies offered that alternative.

But impartiality and the financial bottom line didn't seem to matter as Susan Hightower, president of the Carrizozo Health Center board, handed in a petition with 953 signatures supporting the choice of PHS, which scored third out of three proposers. About 30 people in the audience, including the Carrizozo clinic staff, attended to support PHS continuing to manage their clinic.

The commission was criticized for the criteria it used in its RFP, for failing to have a Carrizozo representative on the review board, for failing to consider employee stability and for accepting an incomplete bid from La Casa, which apparently wants to run just the Hondo clinic.

"Emphasis should be on maintaining the jobs of the employees and maintaining the services," Hightower said. "Public input should matter. We elected you."

Voters in Carrizozo elected only one commissioner, Wilson. County commissioners are elected by district.

James Gibson, LCMC administrator, apologized, saying he contributed to the confusion because he did not place enough emphasis in his RFP on the transition plan and finances. Little transition would be needed if PHS received the award and county officials know the financial history, he said.

"It's very (obvious) what the community wants," Wilson said after a stream of Carrizozo residents talked about family members saved by the treatment received at the clinic, especially from physician's assistant Ernie Gonzalez.

Commissioner Maury St. John, a registered nurse, said the commission cares about the community's health care, but the board has to adhere to the law.

Morel said the process "can't be a sham," and the board can't get to the highest and best offer without negotiation.

A representative from PMS detailed that company's extensive history of medical and dental clinic management, something Gibson acknowledged, but then pointed to PHS's experience.

Wilson said, "at this point, the evaluation is irrelevant" and it's up to the commission what to do next."

Commissioner Leo Martinez said commissioners already seem to have made up their minds. He's looking for the best medical care and services for the people, he said. He asked for the negotiation to be conducted in public, but was told that state law limits such exposure. Once a choice is made, the proposals become public.

DUCKS: 'Hand-raised' birds should stay

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released to the creek and have stopped traffic ever since as drivers pull over to take photographs of the mixed flock, Smith said.

Some of the white ducks sport a fluffy crown of feathers that Smith thought would disappear as they grew up, but only became larger, making them stand out in the grouping.

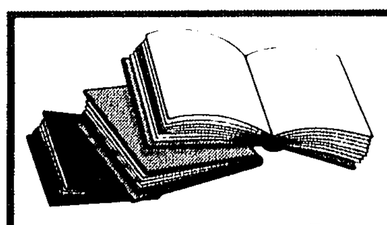
She's not worried that the home-grown flock will take off too.

"They say if you raise them, they stay near the hand that feeds them," Smith said. Most of the time, that hand is her step-father. He restocks the feeders twice a day.

This winter, a shelter will be built to offer the ducks a refuge on cold days and nights, Smith said.

"They're so entertaining to watch when they wake up in the morning," she said. "They get up and stretch one leg at a time and yawn. And they stay together. If one moves this way or that, they all follow. You never seen one duck alone."

The lodge, a historical property next to the boundary of the Mescalero Apache Reservation, offers nightly rentals and was purchased last June by the two couples.



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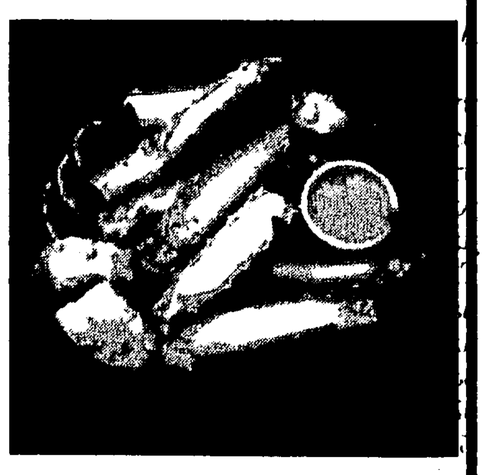
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Ruidoso Downs police receive new defense weapons

■ The department's new TASERs give off a brief burst of electricity to help slow criminals.

BY SANDY SUGGITT
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The Ruidoso Downs Police Department recently acquired 10 TASERs, high-tech non-lethal weapons to reduce injuries to officers when making arrests.

Tuesday, five Ruidoso Downs police officers received training and the other five will receive the training Thursday.

The M26 Advanced Tasers are weapons using propelled wires to conduct energy affecting the sensory and motor functions of the central nervous system, said Sgt. Dana Terlecky, who with Chief Robert Logan, are state and TASER International Inc. certified instructors.

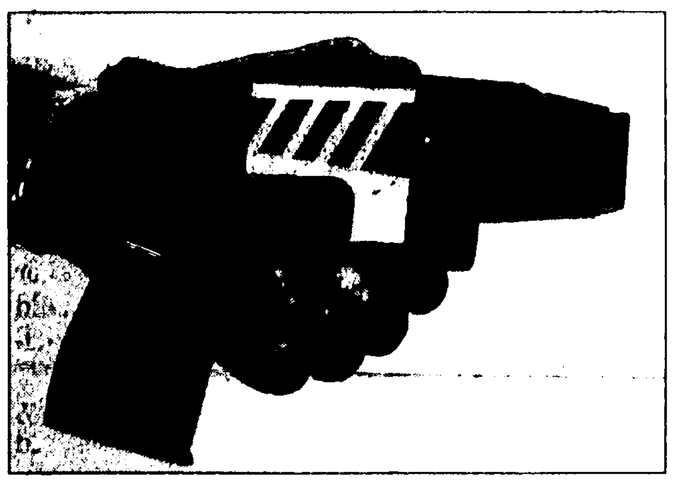
Probes with barbs the size of a No. 8 fishhook are shot out of the weapon, attached to 21-foot copper-coated plastic wires that transmit 50,000 volts of electricity: 26 watts or 0.162 amps.

Some of the effects noted by training video included yelling or shouting, immediately falling to the ground, involuntary muscle contractions, legs locking, a dazed feeling for several seconds or minutes, and critical stress amnesia.

At the end of the training, Logan required all his officers to experience the effects of the TASER, although only at half-second bursts rather than the standard five-second bursts.

All of the officers reacted strongly to the experiment, saying they never want to experience it again, not so much because of the pain but because of the shock. One officer said his vision went totally black; another said he felt totally incapacitated.

Logan said that no injuries to the nervous system or the body would be incurred by the TASER itself, but the muscles contract and a person may injure himself by falling abruptly to the ground. For this reason, he instructed his officers that any time the TASER is used, the individual affected must be taken to the emergency room immediately. He mandated that photographs be taken of the marks made by the TASER, which look like surface burns and that a separate report form be filled out for every use of the weapon, also.



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Ruidoso Downs Police Chief Robert Logan shows a TASER, after a three-hour training Tuesday for his officers

Identification cards inside the cartridge indicate the time and date of the incident, and each TASER has its own serial number, providing a computer record of who used it and when.

Even the sparking of the TASER and the laser light act as a deterrence, Logan said. When the cartridge containing the probe and wires is removed, the weapon can be used as a direct-contact stun gun, Logan said.

In the case of two people fighting whom officers are unable to separate, a blast from the TASER to one will affect the other.

The training video claimed that deputy injuries in Florida were reduced by 80 percent.

"Who's been injured while arresting someone?" Logan asked the officers. All raised their hands.

"There's less collateral damage, too," Logan said. "If you hit a bystander, you pull out the probe. That's better than spraying OC (Oleoresin capsicum, or pepper spray).

"Before we had this, a resistive subject knows I'm not going to shoot, so to take him into custody I have to get back-up, or I'm going to have to fight one on one, and one of us is going to get hurt."

The weapons were purchased with money from the Law Enforcement Protection Fund, available to municipal and county departments based on the number of officers, Logan said.

SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

Ruidoso Downs Assistant Police Chief David Hightower and Ruidoso police officer Rob McWilliams support Robert Denny after his half-second blast from the TASER. The response from a normal, five-second blast, is for the recipient to lose muscle control and fall.

The officers are all issued AR 15 patrol rifles, 12-gauge shotguns, pepperball gun and less-lethal bean bag shotguns.

"TASER" is an acronym for Tom Swift Electric Rifle, from a children's book written by Victor Appleton, Terlecky said.

Logan and Terlecky attended a two-day school for instructors in Albuquerque authorized by TASER International, a Scottsdale, Ariz., company, and by the New Mexico Law Enforcement Academy.

IMUS: Disc jockey likes his new job

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Imus, a syndicated radio personality.

The brothers developed an appreciation of the places they visited, such as Monument Valley, and in 1997 put together a New York Times best-selling book of their photographs and commentary published by Random House under the title, "Don Imus and Fred Imus, Two Guys Four Corners: Great Photographs, Great Times and a Million Laughs."

"I used to do lot of photography, but not so much any more," Imus said. "I went all over Arizona and New Mexico and Utah. They're unbelievably scenic. Monument Valley is my favorite. The lighting in the morning changes minute to minute."

He's visited Monument Valley 30 to 40 times, he said.

"There's something about it. I love it. I don't know what it is, but it's my favorite place on the planet. New Mexico and Arizona have good light too," he said. "You don't get that light anywhere else."

Imus attended high school in Arizona.

"I left after they told me in my sophomore year not to come back," he said. "In Arizona, you only had to go to the 8th grade, so if you don't get along, they just tell you not to come back. They told me don't come back. I had taken a gun to school. I like to think I was ahead of my time because now it wouldn't be any big deal. But this was in the 50s. It was a pretty big deal."

He spent three years and three months in the Army and took a variety of jobs when he was discharged. He worked for Standard Oil and as a brakeman for the Southern Pacific Railroad. He also spent years off and on in radio, starting in the 1960s.

With his first wife, he moved to Cleveland, Ohio, for eight years, much of the time on the air with his own all-night country music show. They had four boys. Two now live in Phoenix, one works for American Airlines and one works at the Imus ranch in northern New Mexico.

After Ohio, Imus moved to Cheyenne, Wyo., then El Paso for 10 years on radio and restoring cars, Santa Fe followed, Fort Worth was next and then Ruidoso.

"I'm a perfect example of a person who didn't plan for the future," he said. "I see no way I could ever retire, which I don't want to anyway. Why? What would I do?"

In El Paso, he owned Auto Body Express

"For some reason, which is not clear to me, I decided to move the business to Santa Fe," Imus said.

During his 10 years there, he spent time on the Imus Ranch northeast of Santa Fe, which offers children with cancer or serious blood diseases and their siblings a chance to experience life on a real working ranch.

"But no money was involved in that and when the mail business went into the toilet (after Sept. 11, 2002), I thought I might have to get a a job, as unpleasant as that thought was," Imus said.

He's been in the Ruidoso area for a couple of months and doesn't look forward to winter, "but that's just one of the things I have to live with," he said. This summer, he enjoyed watching the jockeys at Ruidoso Downs working out.

"Jockeys are probably the best athletes in the world," riding big horses at 40 mph, he said. "They're always amazing to me."

Time away from the radio station is concentrated on his animals.

"I have no time for anything else. That's fine with me," he said. "I have a few friends, I think, but I don't hear from them and I'm not looking to make any new ones."

He went up to the Imus Ranch a couple of months ago.

"But with a program, I just can't take off. I'm getting use to having a job and showing up, being on a schedule. It's laid back here, which I like. I notice most people here are from Texas. I know quite a few who come up here to get out of the heat."

When he's not responding to listeners' request, Imus said he enjoys playing his favorite classic country artists, especially Gary Gene Watson, who performed "Tempted" and "The Great Divide," and Vern Gosdin, who started in Blue Grass and is proficient on guitar, banjo and mandolin. He recorded "Hangin On" and "I Can Tell by the Way You Dance."

"A lot of people haven't heard of him (Gosdin)," Imus said. "But if I play a few of his records, I get lots of requests for more."

Imus' words of wisdom

Some observations from Fred Imus –

• On his time in Cheyenne, Wyo.: "If you haven't been there, there's no reason to go."

• On Santa Fe: "It's a beautiful city, but it's just got the worst people on the planet. The locals all hate each other and they hate the people who moved there from California and they hate the people who moved there from back East. It's the most unfriendly place I've ever lived."

• On Texas: "Texas on the other hand legitimately is the friendliest place you're ever going to be. You can go into a gas station and get gas and you can talk to the attendant for an hour about anything. When I first went to Texas, the people were so friendly I wondered, 'What do they want to do, borrow some money?' It's not that way. They are legitimately friendly people."

• On skiing: "I don't ski and I don't like anybody who does. I think they should take all the slopes and replant them with trees."

• On hiking: "If I can't drive to it, I'd just as soon not go."

• On the Super Bowl, his picks are Kansas City and Tampa Bay: "Going in, I liked St. Louis, but Kurt Warner was hurt and who knows what will happen."

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OUR OPINION

It's been a fine downhill run for Roy Parker

He's coming off the mountain after 39 years

When Roy Parker was hired by the Mescalero Apache Tribe to run the ski resort the tribe had just acquired from Roswell oil man Robert O. Anderson in 1964, he probably didn't envision that he'd still be there almost 40 years later.

But everybody in Ruidoso should be glad he stayed.

Effectively, Parker's management of the ski area now called Ski Apache was a major factor in turning Ruidoso into a two-season resort, not just a place for Texans to cool off during the long, hot summers back where they came from.

His record can be measured by the numbers — last winter's 200,000 lift tickets, compared with 32,000 sold in the winter of 1964-65.

And 27 consecutive years of turning a profit for the owners.

The only slip since a bad snow year in 1970-71 came three years ago, when the resort recorded the worst snow season ever. Most of those years, Parker was working for a very tough boss, Tribal President Wendell Chino.

We think Parker's own tough-minded management was good for the tribe — and absolutely wonderful for Ruidoso.

The gubernatorial word, according to the press guy

Gov. Bill Richardson does not, as this column alleged a few weeks ago, sit around all day eating Cheez-its. That was ugly, mean, and just plain wrong.

LOOKING AHEAD
NED CANTWELL

Governor Bill Richardson sits around all day eating potato chips. No, not really.

The governor doesn't sit around all day at all. He works like a dog, and I get that straight from Billy Sparks, the governor's press guy.

For two weeks running, I accused Sparks of refusing to answer my calls because he was too busy chatting up the folks at FOX and CNN. Not true, a cordial Billy said when I finally got his attention. The New Mexico press comes first before national media, he pledged. Well, umm, okay.

So, Billy, tell us about this $64,000 personal chef on Governor Bill's payroll. Did this guy come from France? What's his specialty? Billy says the governor will most often order up a big plate of enchiladas, but the press spokesman claims ignorance about the chef's resume.

So why the personal chef? Governor Richardson, explains his press rep, likes to have a couple of hundred people over for dinner in any given week and doesn't feel it would be appropriate to send out to Wendy's. "OK, head count, please. That's 173 WITH cheese?"

Here's the clincher: Sparks claims, one, the amount is something less than $64,000, and, two, the state is saving several thousand dollars because the personal chef replaces caterers who were much more expensive. So there.

Now, how about that $10,000 a month water bill at the governor's house, a rather startling figure when the rest of us are being asked to water our yards with an eye dropper? Hold on there, Sparks cautioned. It's not just the governor's house. It's the state mansion and should be compared to a hotel, not a private residence.

Relieved to hear that Richardson wasn't spending all his time in the shower, I moved on. How about the governor's pet project, educational Amendments 1 and 2? Does Richardson think they will pass when the voters tromp to the polls in a few days?

The governor thinks it will be a squeaker. I realized it was a dumb question the moment it escaped my lips. It's like asking the Oklahoma football coach if he can beat Rice. "Rice, are you kidding? We'd rather schedule the Cowboys. Have you seen the size of those boys? We just hope our kids don't get hurt."

A columnist spends a lot of time thinking about what he will ask when he finally talks to someone important. Like, when I finally get Up There, the first thing I am going to ask God is this: "OK, God, this thing with cats. Just what did you have in mind when you made cats? Was it an off day for you, or what's the deal?"

I couldn't think of much else to ask Billy Sparks, so I asked him what the governor likes to watch on television. News and sports, Billy says.

I'm not buying it.

I think it's "West Wing." And I think Governor Bill is taking notes.

Ned Cantwell – ncantwell @charter.net – is a retired newspaperman living in Ruidoso. He wonders what questions readers will have of God.

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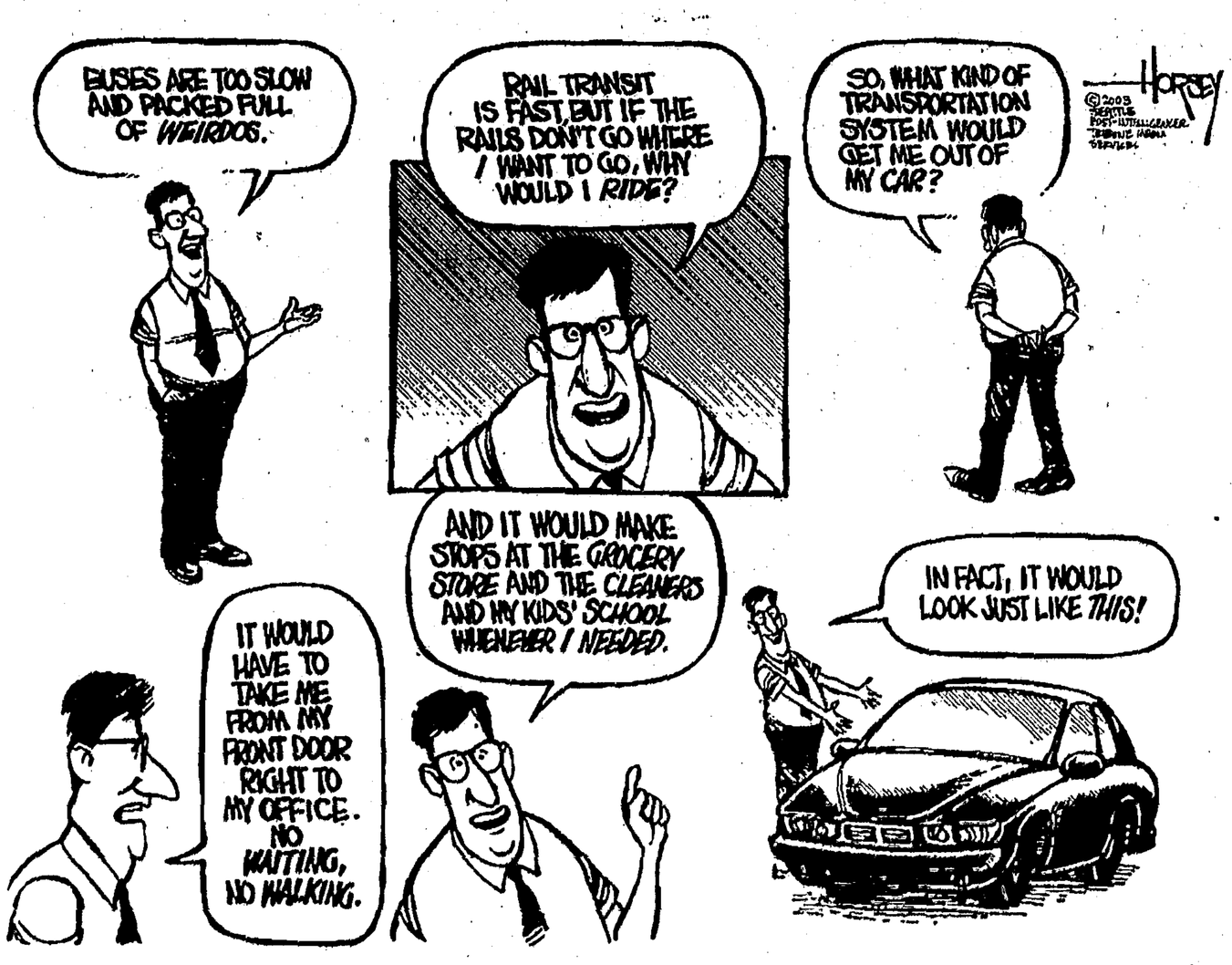

YOUR OPINION

An Alto man recalls a friend he called John R.

To the editor:

I lost an old friend last week.

John R. (as we called him) and I were in the same outfit in the early '50s. Stationed in Landsburg, Germany, we worked for the Air Force security service, monitoring Russian radio communications.

John R. had a "git-tar" and pretty soon he located a guy who had a fiddle and knew how to play it. They found out I could sing some of Hank Williams' stuff, so we formed a little band. I would sing, and John R. and Charlie would play backup. Before long, John R. announced that he sang with his family while growing up back in Dyess, Ark. We said, "Let's hear you sing, John R."

Well, with that gravelly voice, he launched in with "Your Cheatin' Heart." Charlie and I looked at each other, shook our heads, and told John R. he'd better stick with the git-tar and continue his "singin'" in the shower.

Two years later, I ran into John R. in Memphis, where he was selling washing machines for Ace Hardware.

He proudly told me he had cut a record with Sun Records entitled "Hey, Porter," and he did the singing (???).

"Well," I said, "I hope you sell some." Needless to say, and remembering the days back in Germany, I was a bit dubious.

This story reveals just how much I know about singing, for John R. went on to become "The Man in Black," sold millions of records, and is truly a legend in country music.

Now, John R. is singing with the angels, and I'm the one who is singing in the shower.

We'll miss you, old buddy.

John Haines
Alto

Two 'no' votes, please

To the editor:

Constitutional Amendments 1 and 2; vote NO on both.

Amendment 1: The current management of the New Mexico's education system is a mess, but establishing a cabinet level superintendent of schools is not the proper fix. As an appointee of the governor this individual could be anybody who was a major campaign contributor and have no educational experience at all.

Amendment 2: The permanent fund was established to provide a continuing source of revenue for New Mexico's school system. An increased withdrawal rate will deplete the fund over time, leaving future generations with a higher tax load to maintain our public schools.

We have already loaded them up with enough debt from our previous excesses. If indeed there is a current financial crisis there are other ways to solve the problem today. One of the easiest is to borrow the needed money from the fund and maintain its current integrity for our children.

Duane Williams
Capitan

Center doesn't add up

To the editor:

I have made a cursory review of the Draft/Business Plan for the proposed Lincoln County Community Center and have the following comments:

1. Doubling the population of Ruidoso to reflect the population of Lincoln County who would utilize the facility is a false assumption. How many people will drive more than a minimal distance is problematic at best. A population basis of 10,000 would be more reflective of the total population for the analysis.

2. Based on previous articles, there are 200 residents pushing for the facility. That means there are 9,800 or more people that are not interested, or at best, neutral.

3. The salary, including benefits, for the nine full time employees comes out to $51,000 per year per employee. I assume there will be some paid part-time employees, but this was not indicated in the plan.

4. Assuming 496 families of four, 496 senior and 496 couple memberships are subscribed, there will be 3,472 participants. That is a 35 percent participation rate using a population base of 10,000; 23 percent at 15,000 ; and 46 percent at 7,500. Any of the above percentages are totally unrealistic.

5. At a cost of $10,800,000 for construction, based on 3,472 participants (totally unrealistic), this amounts to $3,110 cost per participant.

Needless to say, I am against expenditure of taxpayer funds for the benefit of so few when there are so many more pressing infrastructure needs.

Serafino "Steve" Carri
Ruidoso

Wrong name for a 4-H club

To the editor:

Over the years, I have been highly critical of the glorification of Billy the Kid. I realize that the pageant, etc. will continue to honor the former serial killer.

In spite of the fact that the vast majority of our county's adults either glorify or silently condone the glorification of the Kid, hopefully, I have convinced some of our youth, especially those who don't have a strong, positive family base, that Billy the Kid was a scoundrel instead of a hero.

For years, I have donated to the 4-H; however, I can no longer donate to the organization, because it is sending the wrong message to our youth by naming the Ruidoso/Capitan club in honor of the former serial killer, Billy the Kid.

During my 22 years in the U.S. Army and National Guard, I worked and talked with numerous young service members from various backgrounds. I found that most of the problem soldiers rebelled against society primarily for the following reasons: First, when they were children, many felt that their parents, communities and in some instances, their youth program leaders weren't truly concerned about them. Second, many correctly believed that the vast majority of adults were hypocrites. Amen!

Why not name the Ruidoso/Capitan 4-H club "The Serial Killer 4-H Club"?

Franklin L. Boren
Tinnie

Keep LCMC as it is

To the editor:

We are writing this letter in full support of the open letter written by Gary C. Mitchell, chairman of the Lincoln County Medical Center Board of Trustees.

Over the past 14 years, someone from our family has been in and out of Lincoln County Medical Center for various reasons. On every occasion we have been extremely pleased with the care, professionalism and home-town atmosphere that we found at LCMC.

Recently, my husband was being seen by a doctor in Roswell for a condition that required surgery. Upon investigation with our insurance company, we were told that if the surgery was performed at the hospital in Roswell (a for-profit hospital) our current $2,500 deductible would double to $5,000.

However, if the surgery was performed in Ruidoso or Albuquerque the deductible would remain $2,500.

We applaud the LCMC board for establishing the mission of "providing the highest quality primary healthcare value to everyone in Lincoln County," and not passing on the additional cost to the patients. We thank those of you who work, support and volunteer at our LOCAL hospital. Let us all stand behind these fine people to keep LCMC just as it is!

Odell and Patty Spurlin
Ruidoso

Small garden, great idea

To the editor:

A big thank you is due to those who were responsible for creating the small garden plot at the corner of the playground complex behind White Mountain Elementary. And an ever larger thank you for the decision to move the three-piece sculpture group to the new garden plot from its former obscure location.

Now everyone passing by the playground on the access road behind the school can enjoy.

The addition of the American flag indicates that this is a memorial plot and I trust that all will respect it as such.

J.L. Schuller
Ruidoso

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Lawsuit claims trouble at LCMC

Ex-employee sues PHS for allegedly 'poisoning' his chances at another hospital job

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

A former physician's assistant is asking for punitive damages against Presbyterian Healthcare Services, as manager of the Lincoln County Medical Center, in a lawsuit filed last week in Lincoln County District Court.

In the suit, Vincent P. DiMarco accuses officials with the Albuquerque-based health care firm of ignoring complaints about physicians who he claims failed to provide backup in the hospital emergency room for him and other PAs, and of allowing a physician impaired by alcohol to continue to practice there.

After he resigned "in disgust," DiMarco claims in the suit that Presbyterian officials submitted to a potential new employer a review form that contained false information.

Their actions caused him to "sustain damages including lost wages and benefits, injury to reputation, mental and emotional distress and other damages" to be proven at trial, the suit states.

DiMarco is represented by Albuquerque attorney James P. Lyle.

Todd Sandman, in the public relations department of Presbyterian, said Tuesday that his firm disagrees with the allegations in the suit "and we are prepared to vigorously defend ourselves."

DiMarco's suit states that as a physician's assistant, he was allowed to evaluate, diagnose and treat patients in the emergency room at the county-owned hospital in Ruidoso under the guidance of physicians who were on call.

From 1988 through 1994, most of the physicians who provided medical care in ER were independent contractors and not employees of Presbyterian or LCMC, the suit states. The PAs who staffed ER were promised repeatedly that the LCMC administration would ensure that physicians responsible for backup would respond when a patient's medical condition required a doctor, according to the suit.

But by the mid-1990s, the PAs started to experience severe problems with a lack of physician backup, which negatively impacted patient care in ER, the suit states. In line with the formation of a Presbyterian HMO, many of the physicians became employees of company.

The firm's agents and employees "embarked upon a pattern and practice of retribution and retaliatory conduct against those physicians who did not join the HMO," the suit states. The physicians, in turn, failed or refused to come to the ER when requested by PAs, the suit states.

The suit claims that the failure of physician response resulted in the death of at least one patient.

Retaliation was practiced against community health care members who "attempted to thwart its business plans," the suit states. One physician ultimately won a large award in the settlement of a restraint of trade suit, according to the DiMarco suit. That physician also suffered retaliation and was not called when one of her patients came into ER for care, in violation of hospital policy, the suit claims.

People who raised concerns about an alcohol-impaired physician "were uniformly discouraged from making any disclosures to the proper authorities," the suit contends. In 1999, that physician was dropped from ER responsibilities, but continued with surgical and patient care, the suit states.

A new hospital administrator was hired in 2000 and became aware of the ER problem, but despite promises, no improvement occurred and DiMarco resigned in September 2000, the suit states.

After that, his reputation was attacked in retaliation to "punish him and deter others from daring to take action on behalf of LCMC patients," the suit claims.

DiMarco filed suit in October 2001 in the Seventh Judicial District in Socorro County in the hope Presbyterian would make some changes, the latest suit states. In the spring of 2003, DiMarco was hired for a new job in the ER of Gerald Champion Hospital in Alamogordo. The suit contends, after repeatedly not responding to inquires for confirmation of past employment, Presbyterian in mid-April sent paperwork, but falsely stated DiMarco was "terminated."

The suit claims Presbyterian "intentionally misrepresented" DiMarco's role in a settled lawsuit and his quality of medical care, along with offering other information that gave a "false impression" of his work and staff interaction.

The form from Presbyterian was meant to "poison" DiMarco's chances of finding a job, the suit states.

Because he could not amend his lawsuit in time for a scheduled trial on Sept. 15, DiMarco voluntarily dismissed the suit in Socorro "with prejudice," which means it cannot be resubmitted in the same form. A new suit was filed Sept. 9 in Lincoln County.

Downs vote on council expansion a step closer

BY MARTY RACINE
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

The clock is now ticking for the City of Ruidoso Downs to reconsider the size of its council.

Councilors unanimously passed an ordinance amendment Thursday that would allow for a citywide vote on whether to expand the council from four to six members. The amendment followed a public hearing in which no citizens participated.

A resolution formally declaring a Nov. 20 special election on the issue should be introduced at the next council meeting Sept. 25. Should voters choose expansion, the two new councilors would be elected in the March 2004 general election. Without such a prior special election, the mayor would appoint the new councilors.

The council also on Thursday determined, after light debate, that a special election would be held at City Hall. City clerk and treasurer Carol Virden had proposed a mail-in ballot that, she said, would encourage a greater turnout.

"The advantage to the mail-in ballot is you probably get more...qualified ballots back," she said.

Councilor Judy Miller disagreed. "There's a lot of names on that voters registration list that are no longer here," she said. "When I mail out letters — I've got two big plastic bags of letters at home that came back from 'registered voters.'"

Also, she argued, those receiving ballot packets might consider them junk mail. "They throw it in the garbage. I just feel like we will not get a big turnout (by mail). If people are interested in this they'll go vote. If they're not they won't. So (mail-in) is a big waste of money as far as I'm concerned."

Mail-in, at $1.75 per ballot packet, is more costly to the city than on-site voting. Either way, Virden said, "We have to make a budget adjustment because we did not budget for the costs of a special election."

State law allows a municipality to establish between four and 10 seats for its governing body.

If the voters approve expansion, the Downs council may consider creating representative wards, or districts.

In another council development, Lee Cargile, 107 River Lane, asked the city to consider erecting caution signs at least during school hours in the River Lane/North Central intersection. "(Drivers) do the hesitation waltz through the stop signs that are there," he said. Mayor Bob Miller called for a survey of the intersection.

More children enrolled in Ruidoso schools compared to 2002 numbers

BY SANDY SUGGITT
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Enrollment in the Ruidoso schools is up about 3.1 percent over last year's funded enrollment, with kindergarten so large the school had to open a new class.

"The line is inching upward instead of downward for a change," said Caron Snow, business manager for the district.

As of Sept. 9, 2,375 students had enrolled and shown up for classes, compared with last year's 2,294 students (an average of enrollment on the 40th, 80th and 120th days of school).

Teachers had been making home visits for students of Nob Hill Early Childhood Center, and the day before school started, a new class opened, Gail Wickstrom, superintendent of schools, said. Ava Clark, then a substitute teacher and a teacher who had retired, took over the new class. Nob Hill's enrollment stood at 173 students on Sept. 5, compared with an average of 143 students there last year — a 21 percent increase (not including 3- and 4-year-olds).

The enrollment curve for the district's schools shows a climbing curve from the 1995-96 school year until it reached a high of 2,558 students for the 1999-2000 school year. Then the curve descends steadily until dropping dramatically last year to 2,294 students.

Snow said about 30 more Native American students are enrolled this year than last year, when their number had dropped by more than 100.

"Over the years, we've maintained a healthy level of Native American enrollment," Snow said. "They like our services. It's a personal decision by the Native American families."

Snow said she has some early indices that the C and D Special Education enrollments are increasing, but that the 3- and 4-year-old developmentally disabled group is decreasing from last year's funded enrollment. Testing is still in progress so more may be identified by the time of the final count.

Enrollment district-wide is likely to fluctuate until the official 40th day of school, which is Oct. 8, and Snow said traditionally total enrollment builds until then.

As late as Sept. 2, enrollment was only three students over last year's funded, which was less than the 1 percent increase estimated and funded.

Local art gallery faces zoning problems

■ Parking, building location are concerns for Studio W on Mechem.

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Questions about parking spaces and discrepancies about where a building was placed sent an amended site development plan back to the Ruidoso Planning and Zoning Commission.

That planning board previously voted to approve the application by Wayne Usrey for his Studio W Gallery on Mechem Drive, but the action was appealed by neighbor M.D. Price. He based his appeal on the fact that the building was moved southeast, about 19 feet from the south property line, not where plans reflected it would be located.

He also contended that the number of parking spaces – 18 – falls short of the required 22 places as he calculated the square footage requirement, and that driver vision would be restricted if a proposed garage was constructed.

Village planner Darrell Bremner told village councilors last week the width of the travel lanes between parking spaces was the only variance required. He stood by his calculation of 18 spaces, noting that part of the property is a residence, which requires fewer spaces.

Charles Rennick, village planning director, said the staff missed that the building was not constructed where indicated on plans. Price caught the discrepancy, he said.

"Where it was approved first, four of the (required) parking spaces would have been legal," he said. "Where it was moved, there is not enough (room)."

The setback in front also was reduced from 60 feet to 20 feet, he said.

Usrey told councilors he was living in El Paso while the building went up and he swore he was unaware it moved "so far forward."

He wants the garage to keep two cars under cover, he said.

"It seems to me what you're asking for is forgiveness," said Councilor Ron Hardeman, who was sitting in as mayor because Leon Eggleston was out of town.

"The way the building exists on this property has never been fully approved," Councilor Ron Anderson said. "How can we act on a garage?"

Rennick said if the council approved the site plan, the action would cover the new location, the garage and the parking spaces.

"Either deny it or send it back to planning and zoning until the deficiencies are corrected," he said. "I'm recommending that four (nonconforming) spaces not be approved and that (Usrey) rework the spaces."

T.C. Collins, the agent on the project, said he prepared all of the drawings, the village building inspector approved the project and gave a certificate of occupancy.

"The only issue is the garage," he contended.

Jack Bremer, whose wife hangs her art work at Studio W, said the council shouldn't "get caught up in technicalities."

The gallery "is quite an engineering feat," he said. "People come just to see it. I've never heard a complaint about the parking and there's never been an accident."

He said the gallery draws "a lot of dollars" to the community.

"I don't understand why I can't cover my cars," Usrey said. "It's the same number of parking places (that I) was always told I must have from the start. The four spaces would be illegal with or without a garage."

But Hardeman said councilors are less qualified about getting into the details of a site plan, The planning commission is better equipped, he said.

Planning commission chairman Glen Barrow said he didn't think his board ever saw the entire picture and he recommended upholding the appeal and to have Usrey reapply.

Councilor Bob Sterchi preferred a simple referral back to the planning board. His motion passed 6-1 with Councilor L. Ray Nunley voting against it. Nunley said the council could handle the revisions and finish the item that night.

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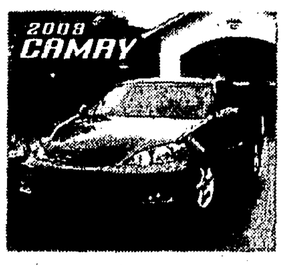

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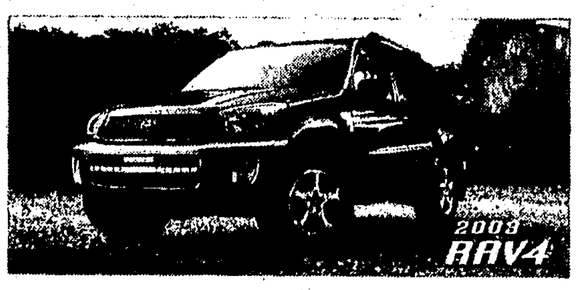

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Reading tutor class

The Literacy Council will sponsor a two-session Reading Tutor Training Workshop, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 20 and 27, at the Lincoln County Works Center, 707 Mechem Drive. There is no charge for the training or the materials.

Beyond graduation

Ruidoso High 11th and 12th graders and their parents or guardians are invited to a special workshop at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 30, at the Ruidoso High School cafeteria.

The workshop, "Planning for Graduation and Beyond," is to provide career information on employment opportunities, armed services, trade schools, two-year and four-year colleges and scholarships. Sponsors said the workshop is critical for planning careers after high school.

School board training

The New Mexico State Board of Education seeks public comment on a proposed amendment to SBE Rule 6.30.2 to require local board members to participate in five hours of annual training. HB 212, Public School Reform, signed into law in 2003, requires local board members to participate in mandatory training(s) and school districts to identify in their annual district accountability report any members who do not attend the training(s).

Under the proposed amendment, newly elected or appointed local school board members in office for less than a year would receive three of the five hours from attending a training course developed by the SDE and sponsored by the New Mexico School Board Association. The course would be offered no later than three months after a local school board election.

The training sessions would be scheduled in conjunction with regularly scheduled NMSBA conferences.

Prior to Sept. 1 of each year, the NMSBA would provide each local superintendent with a list of training hours earned annually by each local school board member.

Comments on the proposed amendment will be accepted through Friday, Oct. 3, to Ruth Williams, Public Outreach Office, State Department of Education, Education Building, 300 Don Gaspar, Santa Fe, NM 87501-2786. Comments may also be sent by e-mail to rwilliams@sde.state.nm.us or by fax to (505) 827-6588. A copy of the proposed rule change is available on the SDE's Web page at http://www.sde.state.nm.us/sbe.desktop/index.html.

The SBE will consider final action on the rule change at its Oct. 8-10 meeting in Santa Fe.

Clovis, ENMU join

A five-year, $2.6 million grant, called Strong Foundations, Smooth Transitions, will enable Eastern New Mexico University and Clovis Community College to collaborate in helping students succeed academically and to complete bachelor's degrees.

The presidents of the two institutions signed a dual admissions agreement that will provide students with special academic and career advising and will enable students to move easily from one campus to the other. The project will fund state-of-the-art technology to broadcast televised courses to several rural areas, including Ruidoso, Corona, Clayton, Des Moines, Fort Sumner, Logan, Roy, San Jon, Santa Rosa, Cimarron, Grady, Hobbs and House.

"We work with about 12 communities and we're looking forward to sharing with those communities access to upper division classes through ENMU," said David Caffey, of Clovis Community College.

Grants offered

The PNM energy company will offer 50 PNM Earth Study Grants this fall to New Mexico teachers who will incorporate environmental issues focusing on water in their curriculums. These $1,000 grants will give teachers additional resources.

NM ACT scores slip

While the percent of New Mexico's 2003 graduating high school seniors taking the American College Test decreased slightly from 63 to 62 percent, scores in English rose slightly, reading scores held steady, and math and science performance decreased, the New Mexico State Department announced Sept. 20.

Overall, 60 percent of New Mexico's test takers are ready for college English courses, as compared to 67 percent nationally.

FOR THE FUN OF IT

COURTESY HONDO SCHOOLS

John MacCallum, superintendent of Hondo Valley Public Schools, cut the blue ribbon to officially open the brand new elementary playground on Sept. 8. The playground was part of a remodeling project that included the new multipurpose field and campus access road. The sixth-grade class led the students in the Pledge of Allegiance and the singing of "America" and the Hondo School Alma Mater. Funding for the project was provided by a special legislative appropriation from the 2002 legislature secured by Rep. Dub Williams, R-Glencoe, Community Enhancement money through the New Mexico Department of Transportation and from the Deficiencies Correction Unit of the Public Schools Facilities Authority.

Gov. Bill Richardson visited Ruidoso High School Sept. 2, asking students to talk to their parents about HB 212 and constitutional amendments up for a vote in a special election Tuesday.

Caron Snow, business manager for the Ruidoso Municipal School District and president of the New Mexico Association of School Business Officials, said the association is in favor of both amendments.

PHOTOS BY SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

The Sept. 23 ballot questions

Constitutional Amendment No. 1 up for a vote Tuesday, Sept. 23, creates a secretary of education to replace the State Board of Education and the State Department of Education. (The ballot states that this amendment to Article 12, Section 6 would "transfer the State Department of Public Education to a cabinet department headed by a secretary of public education who shall serve in the executive cabinet and to create an elected Public Education Commission.)

Amendment No. 2 raises the percentage from the School Permanent Fund going to education from 4.7 percent to 5 percent, and then to 5.8 percent in July 2004 for the next eight years, dropping to 5.5 percent for four years, then returning to 5 percent. (On the ballot it's stated that the change would "provide for a limited additional distribution from the permanent funds to provide more money for the public schools to implement and maintain educational reforms and for other permanent fund recipients.")

For more information on the two amendments and arguments in favor and opposed to both, see "So what's on the ballot?" in the July 25 issue of the Ruidoso News, or see arguments prepared by the New Mexico League of Women Voters on the Internet at www.lwvnm.org

When & where

Early voting for the Sept. 23 election on two constitutional amendments can be done at the Ruidoso Senior Center next to School House Park on Sudderth Drive from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, and from noon to 8 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, or at the county clerk's office in Carrizozo.

On Sept. 23, voters can go to their regular polling places from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Voter registration cards received by most registered voters show the correct polling place for their precincts, or people may call the county clerk's office in Carrizozo at (505) 648-2394.

School issues face voters

BY SANDY SUGGITT
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Voters will be asked to decide at the special election Sept. 23 about two Constitutional amendments that would change the structure of state educational governance and financing of the schools in the state.

"This is a chance for New Mexicans to make decisions about how they want their schools to be governed and financed," said Gail Wickstrom, superintendent of schools in Ruidoso. "I'm not taking a position on the two amendments because I'm brand new and still working to understand the New Mexico school system's funding and organization. A year from now I'll have real opinions on the impact."

Wickstrom did say that the New Mexico Coalition of School Superintendents is in support, as is the National Education Association, the American Federation of Teachers and the New Mexico School Boards Association.

Caron Snow, business manager for the Ruidoso school district and third-time president of the New Mexico Association of School Business Officials, said that organization also supports both amendments.

The first amendment (see above) proposes to change the State Department of Education to a cabinet department headed by a secretary of public education, and to create an elected public education commission based on regions. Snow, speaking for ASBO, said inaccurate and confusing data at the state level have disrupted accounting, and these data have been presented to the legislature as a basis for its appropriations to school districts.

"Our position is that we can't tolerate this anymore," Snow said. "That's why we support the amendment, which will place qualified leadership at the state level and have direct oversight over educational leadership in key positions."

Snow said the data collection and dissemination problems are due to consistent turnovers at the State Department of Education; untrained staff are hired and vacancies are filled with temps.

"Salaries are incredibly low, and turnover has been so high they can't provide adequate services to school districts," she said. "It's like a domino effect: If they can't give us good service, we can't give good service.

"Quality leadership is an absolute necessity. We need the expertise of a chief financial professional. A secretary would address program and financial issues for the whole state and hopefully he would surround himself with experts that have the business and educational backgrounds to address all these issues."

One of the crucial issues for Snow and ASBO is the need to develop uniform and consistent testing mechanisms, rather than changing the rules every year and expecting school districts to account for their students according to the rules.

"It would be a huge change, but it's not working like it is," Snow said.

Snow and ASBO support the second amendment as well. It would allow a higher percentage of money from the state Land Permanent Fund to pay for higher salaries for teachers, putting more money into classrooms and increasing standards of accountability, as well as restructuring school governance.

Currently, 4.7 percent is drawn from the $6.97 billion in the permanent fund, Snow said. If approved by voters, 5 percent would be drawn out for 2005, and 5.8 percent for each of the next eight years.

Safeguards are built in so that in case of an economic downswing, the principle would not be touched, she said. If the amount in the fund dropped below $5.8 billion, the distributions from the fund would drop back to 4.7 percent.

Snow pointed out that HB 212, addressing school reforms to comply with the federal No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, cannot be implemented without these additional funds.

"We look at it as investing in the future and getting a return on our investment by educating kids and paying teachers higher salaries," she said.

Snow said the permanent fund was tapped in 1988, when 8.57 percent were distributed to the schools, and in 1989, when 8.4 percent were distributed to the schools from the fund.

Ruidoso School Board Vice President James Paxton said the school board has not taken an official position on the amendments, but his opinion from 11 years on the school board is that the governing structure at the state level "needs some improvement to it, whether or not the secretary of education is absolutely the answer." Some people are concerned that it might become a political position, with the educational philosophy changing every four years, he said.

About the second amendment, Paxton said the amount in the fund is huge, and it "doesn't seem to be used on a day-to-day basis for education, as it was intended. I think somewhere some of that money should be directed toward education. There are a lot of states that are broke today because they didn't plan ahead. It seems strange that we have one of the biggest reserves, yet economically in our school pay and systems, we're on the bottom of the scale. Just to let it sit out there doesn't make a lot of sense as long as you do it prudently," he said.

SCHOOL MENUS

Ruidoso
Elementary schools

Wednesday, Sept. 17 — Breakfast: Toast and peanut butter cup, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Barbecue pork sandwich, Tater Tots, salad, apple halves

Thursday, Sept. 18 — Breakfast: Egg and cheese biscuit, applesauce fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Chicken tender strips, mashed potatoes with cheddar and chives, gravy, corn, fruit

Friday, Sept. 19 — Breakfast: Cereal, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Warrior Burger, seasoned fries, salad, cookie, applesauce

Monday, Sept. 22 — Breakfast: Cereal, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Spaghetti, green beans, garlic roll, salad, fruit

Tuesday, Sept. 23 — Breakfast: Biscuit and sausage, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Campfire beans, corn bread, salad, cookie, Orange Smiles

Ruidoso Middle School

Wednesday, Sept. 17 — Breakfast: Scrambled eggs and toast, cheese quesadillas, donut, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Taco salad, beans, salsa, fruit, Jell-O

Thursday, Sept. 18 — Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, biscuit and gravy, manager's choice, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Frito pie, corn, salad, fruit

Friday, Sept. 19 — Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, cheese quesadillas, scrambled eggs with toast, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Warrior Burger, seasoned fries, salad, cookie, applesauce

Monday, Sept. 22 — Breakfast: Egg and cheese biscuits, French toast sticks, manager's choice, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Chili dog, potato puffs, pork and beans, apple halves

Tuesday, Sept. 23 — Breakfast: Biscuits and gravy, toast and peanut butter cup, French toast sticks, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Chef salad, crackers, fruit, Jell-O

Ruidoso High School

Wednesday, Sept. 17 — Breakfast: Scrambled eggs and toast, cheese quesadillas, donut, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Campfire beans, cornbread, tossed salad, fruit, Jell-O

Thursday, Sept. 18 — Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, biscuit and gravy, manager's choice, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Frito pie, corn, salad, fruit

Friday, Sept. 19 — Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, cheese quesadillas, scrambled eggs with toast, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: BLT chicken sandwich, seasoned fries, tossed salad, Jell-O, diced pears

Monday, Sept. 22 — Breakfast: Egg and cheese biscuits, French toast sticks, manager's choice, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Chili dog, potato puffs, pork and beans, apple halves

Tuesday, Sept. 23 — Breakfast: Biscuits and gravy, toast and peanut butter cup, French toast sticks, fruit or fruit juice and milk

Lunch: Chef salad, crackers, fruit, Jell-O

Capitan Schools

Middle School, High School and adults choose one of two items listed for lunches; elementary students will be served the first item listed.

Wednesday, Sept. 17 — Breakfast: Sausage, biscuits with gravy, cereal

Lunch: Chicken pot pie, chicken nuggets, pasta salad, carrot and celery with dressing, fruit

Thursday, Sept. 18 — Breakfast: Ham bar, muffin, cereal

Lunch: Sub sandwich, barbecue Chix sandwich, potato chips, salad, Jell-O with fruit

Friday, Sept. 19 — Breakfast: Cinnamon roll, cereal

Lunch: Corn dogs, Tator Tots, garnish fixings, fruit

Monday, Sept. 22 — Breakfast: French toast sticks with syrup, cereal

Lunch: Chix salad sandwich, pizza, corn, tossed salad, fruit

Tuesday, Sept. 23 — Breakfast: Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, cereal

Lunch: Baked ham with pineapple glaze, beef patty, rice with gravy, mixed vegetables, rolls, fruit

Carrizozo Schools

Wednesday, Sept. 17 — Breakfast: Waffles with syrup

Lunch: County fried steak, mashed potatoes, dinner rolls, green beans, peaches

Thursday, Sept. 18 — Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, wheat toast

Lunch: Chicken nuggets, fries, rolls, pineapple

Friday, Sept. 19 — Breakfast: Bagel with jelly

Lunch: Fried burrito, salad, celery stick, chilled fruit

Monday, Sept. 22 — Breakfast: Wheat toast with jelly

Lunch: Baked ham, scalloped potatoes, roll, peaches

Tuesday, Sept. 23 — Breakfast: Quesadilla

Lunch: Beef stew, cracker, carrot stick, applesauce

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Birds of a feather

Decorated flock earns awards in Carrizozo

BY JULIE CARTER
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

Twenty-two bejeweled, befeathered and begarbed plastic flamingoes were on parade Saturday for Carrizozo Joe's Fall Fashion Flamingo Contest.

While every entry received an award, the official awards voted on by Joe's patrons were bestowed as follows:

Best Personality: Madeleine Sabo's entry, Lulu Belle arrived on her broom to sweep up the award. With cap, cape and curly locks, she's also the cutest witch since Elizabeth Montgomery.

Most Unique: Gail Yates's strange looking flamingo-skunk took this award. Gail tells an incredible story of this flamingo-skunk union that can probably be best confirmed with the hatching of the skunk egg.

Silliest Bird: Gail MacFarlane and Sue Olsen's entry, Florence Flamingo, arrived at Joe's dressed in the sporty coordinated look of this year's ski bunny. Unfortunately, like the note on the display read, ski bunnies are often more coordinated in the lodge than on the slope.

SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

"Polymingo" flamingo by Gena Torricelli won best of show at the Fall Flamingo Fashion Show at Carrizozo Joe's Sept. 13. But, as Joe Organist, master of ceremonies put it, "Everyone's a winner."

Grooviest Bird: One of the hottest entries was submitted by Debbie Gumari. The sunbathing "dry heat" flamingo was a groovy hit.

Most Athletic: Jordan Grider's Grizzly Basketball Bird came to town with a pair of shoes and ready to travel. But not one to cry "fowl," the bird won an award.

Best Youth Entry: Cassie Larson's entry took the stage with a peacock strut. Elaborately decorated with beads and plumes, Cassie created a new standard for flamingos in blue.

Best Southwestern Look: This entry was by the Oro Grande Ghosttown Museum. Targeting this award with a clever idea, the flamingo was covered in yucca pods.

Most Out of this World: Pam Topper's flamingo creation appeared to have been created just for this award. The magnificent silver bird emerging from an egg shaped planet made this a literal category for the entry.

Most Elegant: New Horizons submitted four entries to the contest and this was an elegant winner. Complete with mask, beads, and Mardi Gras feathers, the entry set a new standard in flamingo elegance.

Best of the Show and Most Original Idea: Gena Torricelli's "Polymingo." This "genetically modified" bird defies description.

Karla and Joe Organist, the event organizers, thanked everyone who participated in the decorating and voting. Flamingo families are available for sale at Joe's for those interested in starting a flamingo collection.

SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

Spectators and competitors in the flamingo fashion show couldn't help but take this second annual fashion event seriously.

SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

Contest officials at Carrizozo Joe's Fall Flamingo Fashion Show, wearing flamingo-pink T-shirts, are shown in front of some of the entries. From left are Joe Organist, Karla Organist and Roma Hall.

Capitan chamber focuses on Smokey

■ A celebration for the bear's 60th anniversary is in the works.

BY JULIE CARTER
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

The Capitan Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a silent auction for a fundraiser. Peter Renich, Capitan artist, has donated a Smokey Bear Stampede commemorative print to be auctioned.

The print is only one of five made and is on display at the Capitan Museum Gift Shop. Bids will be taken until Dec. 13 in conjunction with the Capitan Merchants Open House and Christmas at the Park. The print had a $200 top bid on it at press time.

Peter has also been the master behind the Capitan Chamber's Web site. The site is getting about 22,000 hits a month. Next year's chamber dues will be a basic amount with an additional charge available to include a listing on a business sign and the Web site.

During their regular monthly meeting Sept. 8, the chamber members discussed plans for a Smokey Bear 60th anniversary celebration. Eddie Tudor, with the Smokey Bear Historical Park, said the park and the Sacramento Fire Prevention Group would like to see some sort of commemorative celebration that could possibly become an annual event. A volunteer committee was formed to meet and discuss further plans.

Mark Remington sang his new Smokey Bear song for the assembled chamber. The song was well received and is getting a lot of recognition.

The Merchant's Committee reported on the final flea market for this year, to be held Oct. 3 and 4 at the Lincoln County Fair Grounds. The chamber expects it to be the biggest one yet.

Possible work to be done at the chamber building was discussed. Plumbing repairs and better utilization of the building were two of the topics.

Reminders were given to everyone for the Cleanup Day on Sept. 20.

The next meeting will be Oct. 6 at 8:30 a.m. at the chamber building on Second Street.

Turn up your imagination, not your nose, to broccoli

The sharp taste of broccoli and other cruciferous vegetables means you're getting sulforaphane, a strong anti-cancer agent that can help prevent breast, colon and stomach cancers. If you are bothered by a bitter taste in cruciferous vegetables or their cooking odor, here are some tips to make these highly beneficial foods appealing.

Hints for the Home
BY MARSHA PALMER
LINCOLN COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT - HOME ECONOMICS

- Buy them during fall and winter. A frost sweetens them.
- Eat within three days of purchase.
- Combine with other vegetables, like carrots, sugar snap peas, snow peas, sweet onions, mushrooms, red or yellow bell peppers and tomatoes.
- Finely chop and add to soups and casseroles
- Steam briefly, then stir-fry in a bit of olive oil and garlic.
- Sprinkle with one of the following: Parmesan cheese, flavored vinegar, butter-flavored powder or teriyaki sauce.
- Microwave to produce less of a cooking smell.

Try these recipes to transform cruciferous vegetables into mouth-watering favorites.

Penne with Broccoli and Garlic

8 oz. penne pasta, preferably whole wheat
1 T. olive oil
2 cloves garlic, minced
4 cups chopped broccoli, washed
2 T. balsamic vinegar
2 T. grated Parmesan cheese
Salt and pepper to taste

In a large pot of rapidly boiling water, cook penne according to package directions. Drain and reserve half a cup of cooking liquid. In large skillet, heat oil over medium-high heat. Add garlic and cook 1 minute. Add broccoli and cook 5 minutes, just until tender, stirring frequently. Remove from heat and stir in vinegar. When pasta is cooked, add it and reserved cooking liquid to broccoli. Toss to combine. Spoon pasta mixture onto individual plates and top with Parmesan cheese.

Braised Cabbage with Apples

1 small head red or green cabbage quartered
1 T. canola oil
1 large onion, thinly sliced
1 cup fat-free reduced-sodium chicken broth
1 T. frozen apple juice concentrate, thawed
1 Granny Smith apple, peeled, cored and chopped
Salt and freshly ground pepper to taste
3 T. toasted walnuts, chopped

Cut each cabbage wedge crosswise into thin strips, stopping 2 inches above bottom to avoid tough ribs. Set aside. In deep skillet, heat oil over medium-high heat. Saute onion until soft, about 5 minutes. Stir in cabbage. Add broth, juice concentrate and 1 cup of water. Cover and simmer 30 minutes. Mix in apple. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Cover, and cook another 10-15 minutes. Sprinkle with toasted walnuts.

Adapted from American Institute of Cancer Research, Newsletter.

Corriente CowBelles name officers for 2003-04

COURTESY

Outgoing Corriente CowBelle president Inez Marrs welcomes new officers, left to right, Barbara George, treasurer; Velma Ward, secretary; Keli Cox, vice president; Jo Edwards, president on Sept. 10.

BY JULIE CARTER
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

On Sept. 10 the Corriente CowBelle group met at Rustic Roots for their September meeting and the installation of the 2003-2004 officers.

Outgoing President Inez Marrs facilitated the installation. The new officers for 2003-2004 are as follows:

President: Jo Edwards; Vice President: Keli Cox; Secretary: Velma Ward; Treasurer: Barbara George

Gifts were presented to Inez Marrs as outgoing president. Marrs and her husband, Bob, are relocating to Memphis, Texas.

The state fair work schedule was discussed by the members present. The club also decided to have an award display case built. The case will stand in the Lincoln County Fair building and give the group a place to house and display awards.

The next meeting will be Oct. 8 and will be hosted by Cherie, Hobbs and Velma Ward.

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Village OKs three-year rabies shot

■ The decision falls in line with a new state law that allows veterinarians to administer the 36-month vaccination

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

In line with a change in state law, the Ruidoso Village Council reduced the requirement for rabies vaccination for pets to once every three years instead of annually, if a 36-month vaccine is used.

Village licensing will be automatic when a local veterinarian administers the vaccination, explained Charles Rennick, village planning director. Previously, dog and cat licenses could be obtained only from the village clerk or from the animal shelter of the Humane Society of Lincoln County on Gavilan Canyon Road. Licenses will continue to be available through the shelter.

He emphasized that the new rule applies only to rabies immunization. Pets also need shots against other diseases annually such as leukemia, Parvo and distemper. A veterinarian could opt for an annual vaccination, he said.

Animals must be licensed to ensure there is an ownership record if they are lost or found running loose, Rennick said. Licenses only can be issued when an animal has a current vaccination.

A veterinarian can waive the license fee for neutered animals. Owners of unneutered animals must pay the $5 fee.

In other business, the council:

• Approved an ordinance in line with new state law increasing certain judicial fees in municipal court.

• Approved the preliminary and final plats fro the Maudie West Tract submitted by Grande Drilling. The property, which was split into two lots, one with an existing car wash, is owned by Johnny Durham. The buyer of the land wanted the tract split, but Durham said he has no immediate plans to build on the second lot. A variance to the required lot width at the front will be needed.

County gets ready for Trek for Trash

BY JULIE CARTER
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

Former Gov. Gary Johnson and the Trek for Trash organizers will be visiting Lincoln County communities Sept. 26 and 27.

Arriving in Capitan the 26th, the group will be treated to refreshments and music. The community is welcome to join in the rally. An awards ceremony will be held for the Trek for Trash winners named Sept. 20. Capitan's rally is from 2:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Leaving Capitan, the entourage will stop in Carrizozo for the night. They will be welcomed with a pot luck supper at the Woman's Club. Further details on the evening will be available after the committee meets to finalize plans.

On Sept. 27, the group will arrive in a Corona at 10 a.m. The Village of Corona will host a luncheon and with pot luck desserts at the Corona School Recreation Center at 11 a.m.

The latest count of traveling organizers was 65 people. The communities are encouraged to come take part in the events.

RUIDOSO POLICE

Stalking alleged

Ruidoso police arrested William M. Curtis, 57, of Ruidoso Downs Sept. 13, charging him with stalking and violation of the family Violence Protection Act. The Special Response Team of the Ruidoso Police Department served a "high-risk" search and arrest warrant, the report states.

Larceny arrest made

A call came into the Ruidoso Police Department about two men loading up supplies from Foxworth-Galbraith's lumber yard at 122 Highway 70 on Sunday Sept. 14, when the business was closed. The report states that two other men had witnessed the theft of storm windows and confronted the two men, who left the scene without the windows. Police stopped the vehicle at Dipaulo Drive and charged George Padilla Jr., 38, of Ruidoso Downs with larceny, a fourth-degree felony.

Youth drug arrest

Police arrested a 16-year-old Ruidoso male Monday, charging him with possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of less than one ounce of marijuana and being a minor in possession of alcohol. Officers were dispatched to investigate a domestic incident in the 100 block of Arapaho Trail and discovered the drug paraphernalia, marijuana and three cans of beer in the room of the youth.

Disorderly conduct

Johnny R. Starr, 22, of Mescalero, was arrested Sept. 13 and charged with disorderly conduct/public intoxication.

Wanted man found

During the high school football game at W.D. Horton Stadium Sept. 12, an officer patrolling the crowds saw Julian Ray Orosco, 18, of Mescalero, who had outstanding warrants. He was arrested and additionally charged with possession of less than an ounce of marijuana after telling officers he had in marijuana in his socks, although the drugs were not his, he told police.

Weapon arrest

Police arrested Darren T. Meyer, 20, of Belleville, Ill., Sept. 14, charging him with being a minor in possession of alcohol and unlawful possession of a switchblade.

Drugs, alcohol in car

Michael S. Keaton, 34, of Ruidoso, was arrested Sept. 11 and charged with possession of a controlled substance, possession of drug paraphernalia and having an open container of alcohol in his vehicle, and he was cited for having expired registration. Police stopped the vehicle because of a broken license plate.

Stolen truck located

Police arrested Bobby Gene Baker, 35, of Ruidoso, Sept. 11, on a warrant for stealing an Isuzu pickup truck from Artesia, after a tip that Baker went to Ruidoso Ready Labor every day and was in possession of a truck stolen from Artesia. Baker revealed where the vehicle was, and the owner was notified and took possession of the vehicle.

Vending vandalism

The dollar-receivers of two soda vending machines at Fun Trackers, 101 Carrizo Canyon Road, were damaged between 5:30 p.m. Sept. 10 and 8:30 a.m. Sept. 11, according to police reports. Someone apparently attempted to break open the money-receiving portions, but failed. The cost in damages was estimated at $700.

Theft, harassment

A cell phone was reported stolen from a vehicle parked across from Quarters bar, 2535 Sudderth Drive. The roof of the vehicle had been left open. The owner of the cell phone discovered it was stolen when the thief called his girlfriend, speaking obscenities, the report states. When the phone owner took the phone, the caller hung up, but he reportedly went down the phone list recorded on the phone and called each person on the list, speaking obscenities to them. The phone was a black and silver Audiovox, valued at $29.99.

Residence broken into

Between 7 and 8:30 p.m. Sept. 13, a vacant unit in the 400 block of Mechem Drive was broken into, with 10 1-foot-by-1-foot windows valued at $100 broken out, and rocks, dirt and BBs found inside. Two juveniles on skateboards with BB guns had been seen in the area by a neighbor earlier that afternoon, the report states.

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FUNERALS DEATHS

Emilia Padilla

A funeral Mass for Emilia Padilla, 79, of Ruidoso Downs, will be at 10 a.m. today at St. Eleanor's Catholic Church, with burial to follow at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Ruidoso, and the Rev. Alfred Galvan officiating.

Mrs. Padilla died Sunday, Sept. 14, 2003, in Albuquerque.

She was born Oct. 25, 1923, in High Rolls, and moved to Lincoln County in 1964.

She was a hostess at Holiday Inn Express and a member of St. Eleanor's Catholic Church.

Survivors include sons Frank Romero of Mission Viego, Calif., Steve Padilla of Hendersonville, Tenn., Henry Padilla of Ruidoso, J.R. Padilla of Ruidoso Downs and Alex Padilla of Arlington, Texas; daughters Eva Ramirez of Farmersville, Texas, Gloria Padilla of Abilene, Texas, Linda Padilla of Capitan, Lala Reynolds of Ruidoso, Rebecca Armstrong of Lovington, Veronica Padilla of Albuquerque and Mickie Guinouard of Chandler, Ariz.; sisters Louise Anderson of Tacoma, Wash., Efren Martinez and Beatrice Lucero both of Hagerman; 19 grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Raymond Padilla, in 1981; a son, Leonard Padilla; a grandson, Mark Ramirez; and a granddaughter, Erica Armstrong.

The family suggests memorials to the Building Fund at St. Eleanor's Catholic Church, P.O. Box 8300, Ruidoso, NM 88355.

Donald Gibbs

Services for Donald Ray Gibbs, 65, of Clovis, were Monday in Clovis.

Mr. Gibbs died Friday, Sept. 12, 2003, in Clovis.

He was born March 5, 1938, in Littlefield, Texas, to Alvis Craven and Ora Bell Estill Gibbs.

He married Jackie Shelton Nov. 15, 1957.

He retired from the New Mexico Livestock Board as a brand inspector after 28 years of service. He loved his family and the outdoors.

Survivors include his wife, Jackie Gibbs of Clovis; sons Randy Gibbs and his wife, Cheryl, of Salt Lake City, Utah, and Duke Gibbs and Jonathan Ingram, both of Clovis; daughters Donna Hogan and her husband, Phillip, and LaRonda Ciciarelli, all of Clovis; grandchildren Jared Gibbs and his wife, Trish, and Jory Gibbs of Salt Lake City, William Wanzor and Brian Wanzor, both of the United States Navy, and Koleby Hogan of Clovis; three great-grandchildren; brothers A. J. Gibbs of Corona, and Archie Gibbs of Clovis; and a sister, El Juena Jacquez of Clovis.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and a brother, Kirk Gibbs.

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Girl's short stature baffles parents

QUESTION: My wife and I are above average in height. I'm 6 foot 3 inches and she's 5 foot 9 inches. We both had rather tall parents, too. Nevertheless, our daughter is very tiny. She is 9 years old and is only at the third percentile for height. What could be causing this, and what do you think we should do?

Dr James Dobson
FOCUS ON THE FAMILY
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DR. DOBSON: There are many factors that influence a child's growth, including a deficiency of growth hormones, heredity, nutrition, and the status of the boy or girl's general health. There is only one way to know what is causing your daughter's failure to grow, and that is to take her to an endocrinologist or other physician who specializes in these problems. The right doctor can identify her condition and even predict with some accuracy how tall she will eventually become. In some cases, growth hormones may be administered, although I'll leave it to your physician to make that recommendation. Since your girl is 9 years old, you have no time to lose. Get her to the right medical authority quickly.

Let me ask, by the way, is your daughter an anxious child?

QUESTION: Yes, as a matter of fact, she is. Lannie is the most insecure of all our children. Why do you ask?

DR. DOBSON: Because some recent studies have showed that persistently anxious girls tend to be shorter than their peers. This was the finding of Dr. Daniel Pine and others at Columbia University College of Physicians in New York. They found that the most insecure girls tended to be about two inches shorter as adults, and twice as likely to be under 5 feet 2 inches tall, than girls who were less anxious. Two specific disorders in the formative years were most predictive of shorter height in adults: (1) separation anxiety – seen in girls who don't have the confidence to spend the night at a friend's house or go away to summer camp; and (2) overanxiousness – not just being uneasy about a threat or problem, but a generalized worry about many things over years of time.

One study showed that anxious girls had high blood levels of the stress hormone cortisol, which can stunt growth. Interestingly, anxious boys in the investigation were not found to have higher cortisol levels, and they did not tend to be shorter than their peers. This suggests that girls may respond to stress biologically differently than boys. For whatever reasons, anxiety is linked to lesser growth in females alone.

Once again, you need to have your daughter examined and evaluated medically. There may be a more obvious and treatable reason for her growth deficiency.

QUESTION: Did either of your children experience night terrors?

DR. DOBSON: No, but our daughter once had a very unusual nightmare. When she was 4 years old, she woke up screaming at about midnight. When I came to her bed she told me excitedly that the wall was about to collapse on her.

"It's falling. It's falling, Daddy! The wall is falling," she screamed.

She was obviously very frightened by the dream. I took her hand and said, "Danae, feel that wall. It has been there a long time. It isn't going to fall. You are OK. Now go back to sleep."

As she settled down in the covers, I went back to bed and was quickly asleep again. But six hours later, a powerful earthquake rattled Los Angeles and shook my wife and me right out of bed. I rushed to Danae's room to bundle her up and get her out of the way of that wall, which was jumping and shaking like crazy.

Did our 4-year-old have some kind of forewarning of the earthquake in the midnight hours? I don't know, but I'll tell you this: I made up my mind that day to believe her the next time she told me the wall was going to fall.

Send your questions to Dr. Dobson, c/o Focus on the Family, P.O. Box 444, Colorado Springs, CO 80903. These questions and answers are excerpted from books authored by Dr. James Dobson and published by Tyndale House Publishers.

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Don't let memories fade away so quickly

On Sept. 11, we remember the terrorist attacks against our nation. Unprovoked, unexpected and unjust, the Muslim extremists shattered the myth that the United States of America was above penetration and vulnerability by its enemies. In the attack on Pearl Harbor, Hawaii was not yet a state and very far away. However, the 9/11 attacks on the World Trade Center, the Pentagon and the aborted attack on the White House struck at the very heart of our homeland.

Clary-fications
BY CHARLES CLARY
RUIDOSO PASTOR

We were a people shocked and grieving. We were a people begging for mercies and miracles. We were a people turning to God in the face of a terrible tragedy. Our nation will never be the same again. We will live in the pain and anguish of this terrible atrocity and in the fear and guardedness of a possible repetition.

In the World Trade Center, innocent people from many nations died needlessly. Many firefighters and law enforcement personnel made the ultimate sacrifice to save the lives of others. Armed Forces personnel and Pentagon employees died with no warning. Brave airline passengers gave their lives to steer their plane away from the White House.

In their religious insanity, the perpetrators who killed the innocent and the unsuspecting thought themselves righteous in the giving of their lives to kill others. They did not know the truth of Jesus ... that it is a righteous act to give your life to SAVE others.

The spiritual fervor of the United States, post-9/11, has subsided. Church attendance is back to normal. How quickly we forget. The war on terrorism has been launched, but will never end. Many more lives and resources will be spent in this conflict.

The 2,792 persons who died in the terrorist attacks are remembered by their families, loved ones and friends. Let us not forget. In addition to the grief and sorrow over the death of their loved one, some have experienced familial and financial hardship. Some do not yet have closure. Let us pray for them and for our nation and remember that Jesus is our help for today and our hope for tomorrow.

Charles Clary gave this speech at a Sept. 11 memorial service last week.

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Seeking the path to forgiveness – and heaven

QUESTION: Many years ago, I stole some clothing from a store where I was working, and since then I've been afraid God will keep me out of Heaven because I did this. Am I wrong to feel this way? The store isn't even in existence now, or I'd pay them back. – Mrs. A.N.

Billy Graham
MY ANSWER
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ANSWER: Let me assure you that God doesn't want you to carry this burden of guilt any longer – and you don't need to. Instead, He wants to forgive you, and release you from your guilt and fear.

You see, only one thing will keep us out of Heaven, and that is our refusal to accept God's forgiveness. Yes, you have sinned (and not just by stealing something many years ago). Every day we sin against God, and the Bible says that "all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23).

But listen: God loves you, and He has provided the way for you to be forgiven. What is that way? It is Jesus Christ. He was the only person who ever lived who was without sin. But when He died on the cross, all our sins were placed on Him. Yes, we deserve to die for our sins, but every sin we ever committed was transferred to Him.

This is why you don't need to fear God's judgment any longer. By a simple prayer of faith commit your life to Christ and trust Him to forgive you. Then believe the Bible's promise: "as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us" (Psalm 103:12). And since you can't pay the store back, why not make a contribution of equal value to a homeless shelter or other organization that helps people in need?

Send your queries to "My Answer," c/o Billy Graham, P.O. Box 1270, Charlotte, N.C., 28201; call 1-(877) 2-GRAHAM, or visit the Web site for the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association: www.billygraham.org.

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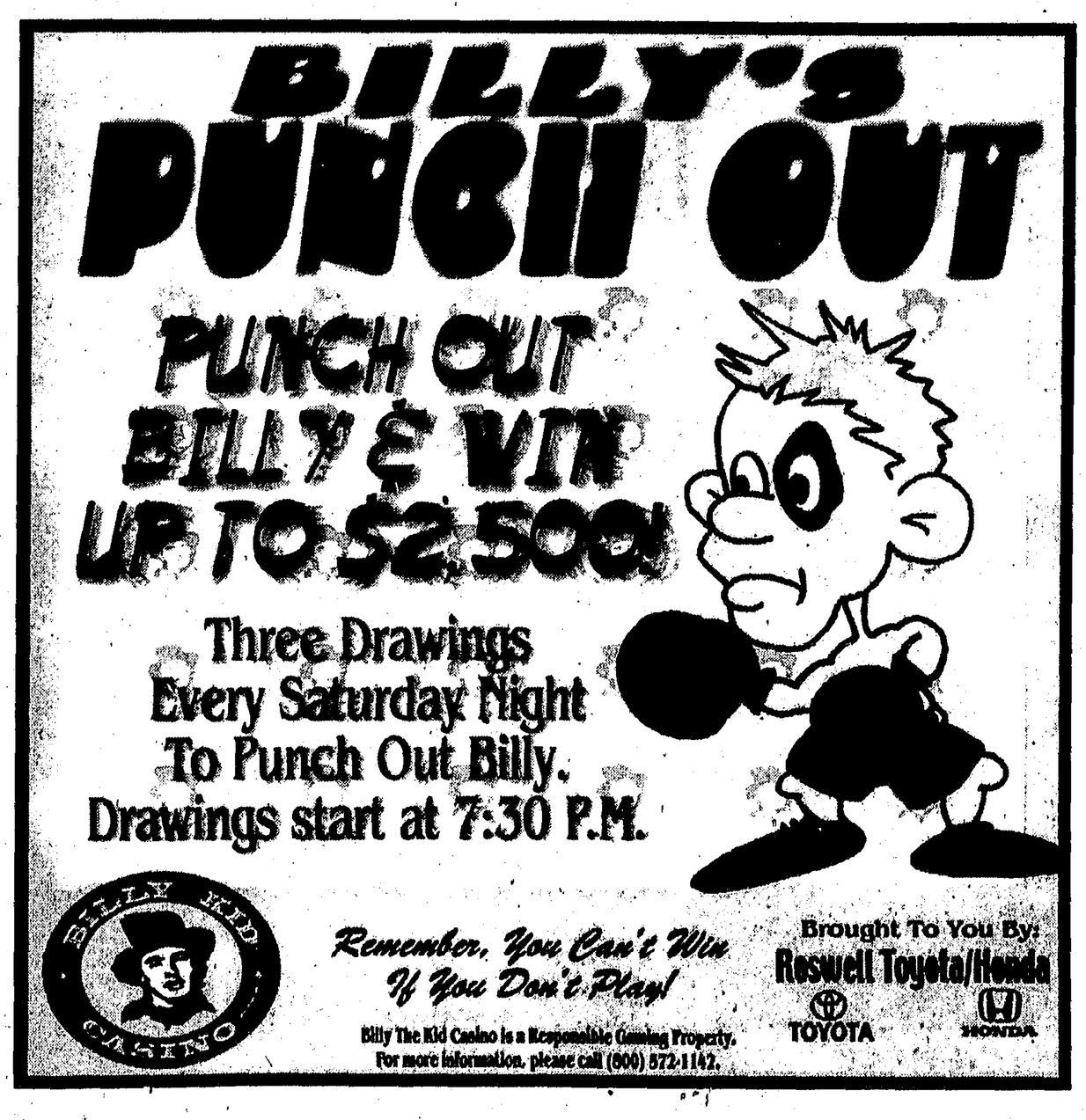

LINCOLN COUNTY: A Day *in the* Life

Be sure to wear a smile this Friday. If you're out and about in Lincoln County, you're likely to encounter a camera or two.

Be a part of this special event... A Day in the Life! A special section to be published Sept. 26, **A Day in the Life** will feature photos taken during a 24-hour period - Friday, Sept. 19, 2003. The section will chronicle a "typical" day in Lincoln County, with a few additional motorcyclists thrown in for good measure!

To participate, simply visit the *Ruidoso News* at 104 Park Avenue anytime, now through Thursday, and pick up a complimentary roll of film. Ask for an information sheet to record the names of people pictured in photographs you take in Lincoln County during the day Friday, Sept. 19, along with the time and location of each photograph.

Submit your information, along with your roll of film, to the *Ruidoso News* by 3 p.m. Monday (after-hours and weekend drop-off available through mail slot at front door) to be considered for publication. Photos should feature people, rather than simply scenic or still life photos, to be considered for publication.

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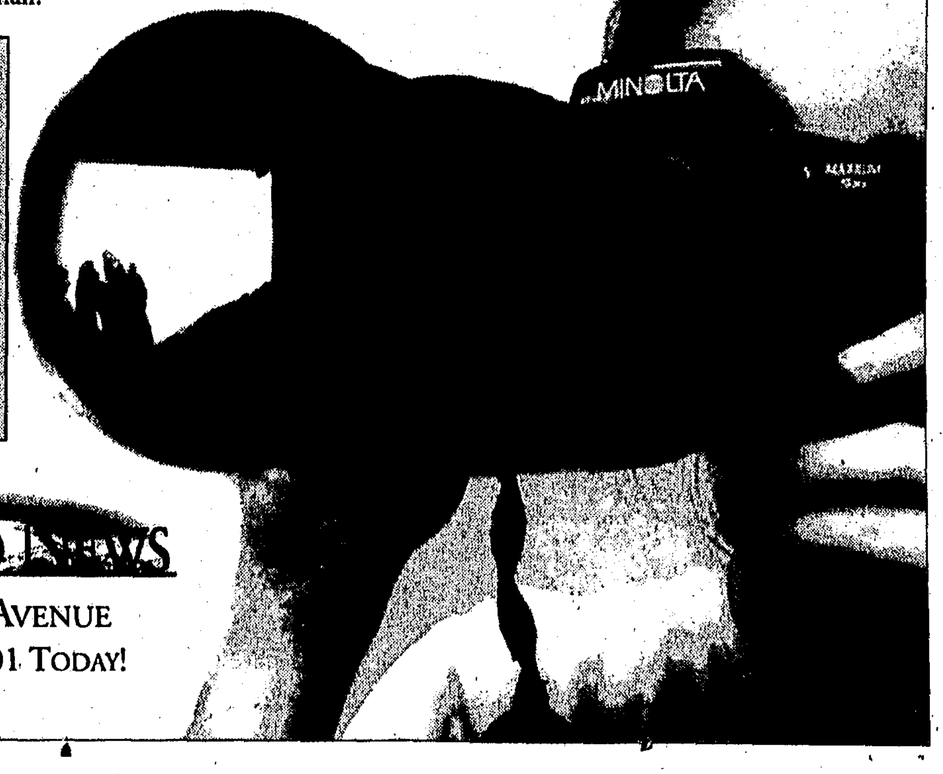

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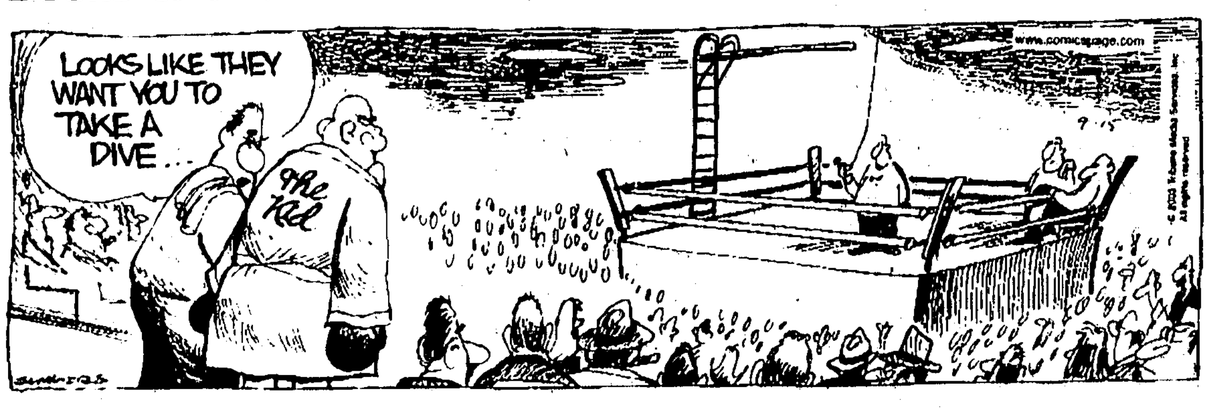

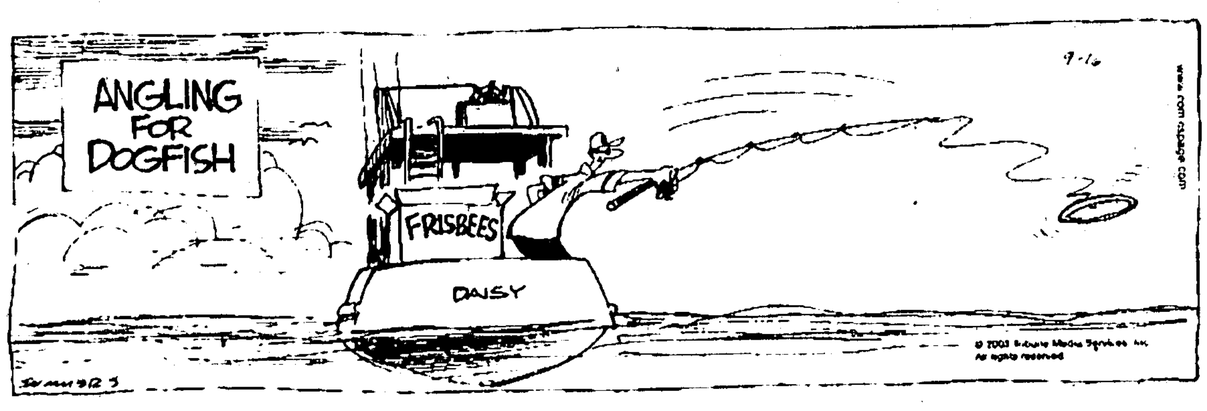

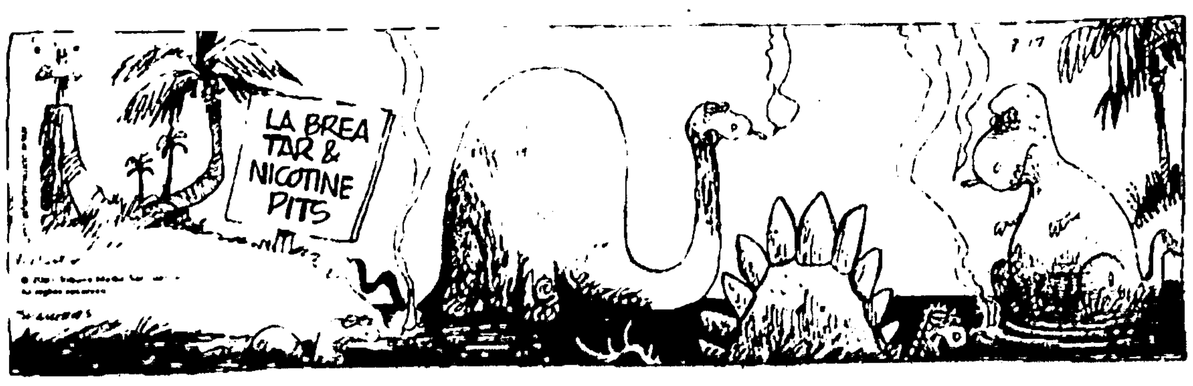

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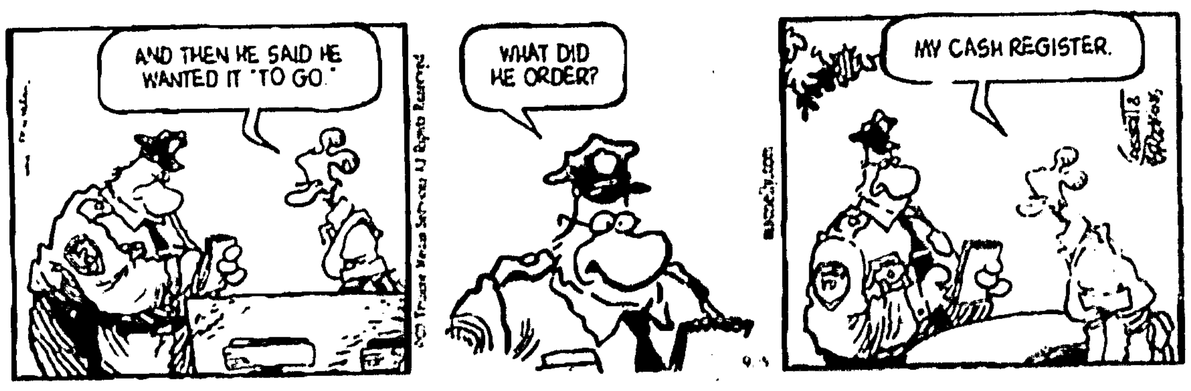

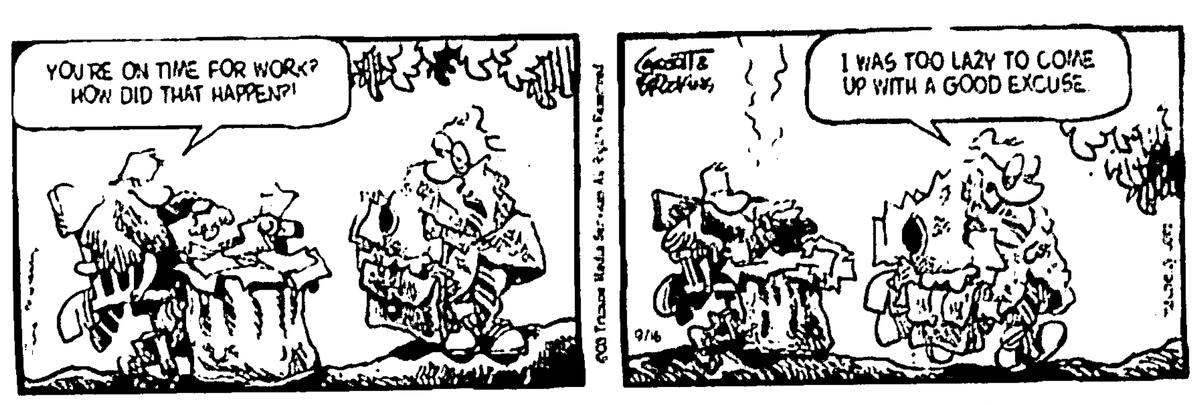

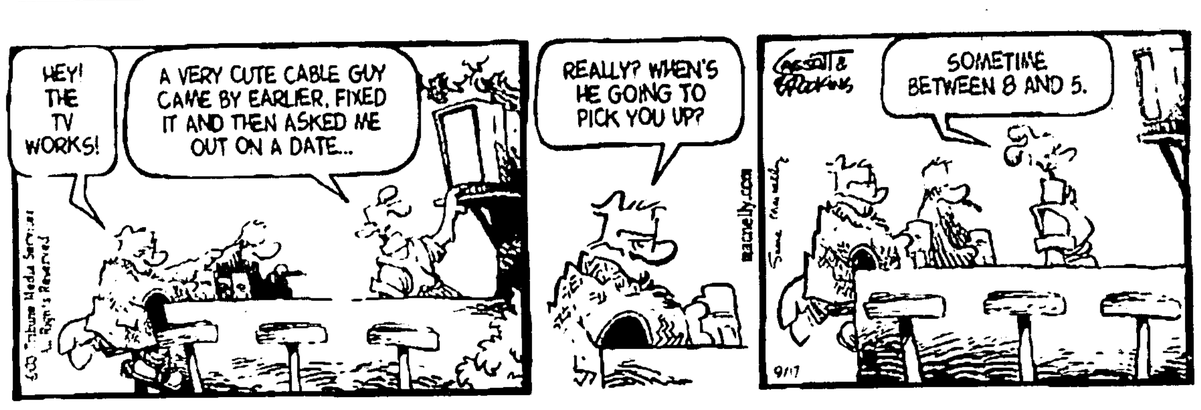

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FOUR RACK TOTAL _____
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ACROSS
1. Spicy Chinese cuisine
6. Linguist's concern
11. Big name in bowling alleys
14. "There __ atheists ..."
15. Pig language?
16. Batman portrayer Kilmer
17. Fair part of a golf course?
19. Notable time
20. Best or Ferber
21. "Ocean," to "canoe"
23. Knee-slapper
26. Pop or op follower
27. After the bell
28. "Without further __ ..."
29. Title for an atty.
31. Plunderer's take
33. Lost consciousness
37. Make __ of (bungle)
40. Wed on the run
41. Motorists' org.
42. Go __ for (support)
43. __ flask (inspiration for the Thermos)
44. Lying face down
46. Bow-toting god
48. It ("Who's there?" response)
50. Rock a perjury rap
52. __-locka, Fla.
54. Followed
57. Gridiron pitchout
59. Bring in
60. Work the aisles, informally
61. Fair place for rides?
66. USPS itinerary
67. MGM part
68. Like most Turks
69. According to
70. Button word
71. Printer's proof

DOWN
1. Radio hobbyist
2. Mentalist Geller
3. Sparks or Buntline
4. Lake Titicaca's range
5. German Expressionist Emil
6. Radius neighbor
7. Start to collapse
8. Fighting it out
9. Mel Ott's team
10. Irish New Ager
11. Fair baseball ump's call?
12. Corday's victim
13. Olympics symbol
18. How losses are shown
22. Compelling charm
23. Stared stupidly
24. Allan-__ (Robin Hood cohort)
25. Fair meteorologist's report?
26. Homes for fish
30. Motel freebie
32. Steam engine pioneer James
34. Not plentiful
35. Architect Saarinen
36. New Mexico art colony
38. Abstract composer Erik
39. Warrior's mount
45. Raga instrument
47. Super __ (huge squirt gun)
50. Drink noisily
51. Command after "cut" or "copy"
53. Yogi was behind it
55. Loud, like a crowd
56. John sign
58. Easy win
59. Freudian topics
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63. Just beat
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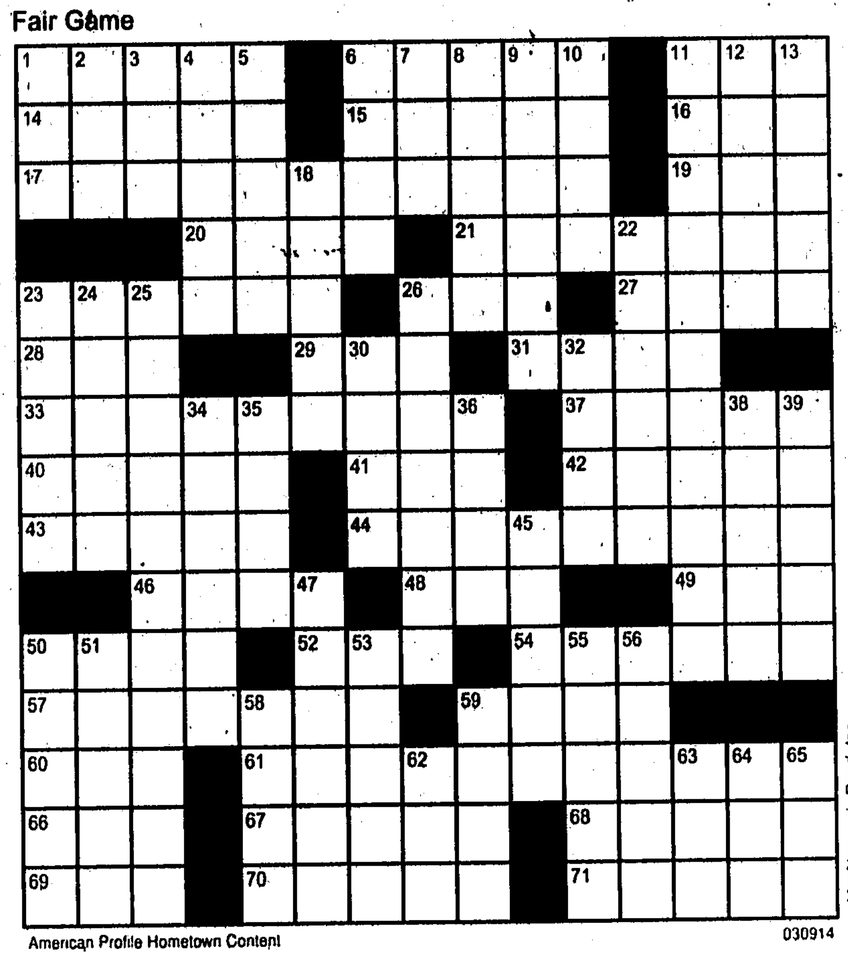
65. __-Cat (winter vehicle)



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by Henri Arnold and Mike Argirion

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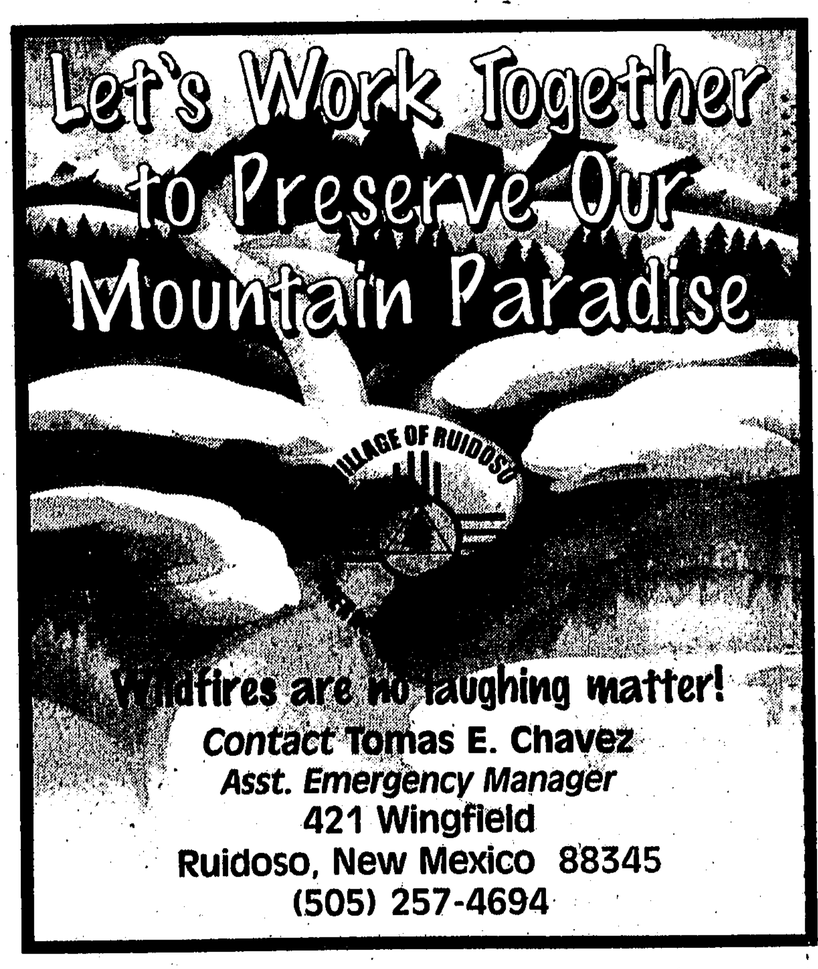

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State's newest jail opens just north of Texas border

BY MICHAEL SHINABERY
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

CHAPARRAL – "We didn't open a Wal-Mart this morning," is how New Mexico Corrections Secretary Joe Williams characterized the new Otero County Prison Facility, in Chaparral. "This is a prison. It's a tough business, but it's also a compassionate business."

And where, he said, inmates will be treated with "respect" and operators will run "a constitutionally sound corrections facility."

The new structure, along U.S. 54 six miles inside the New Mexico border, doesn't have inmates – yet – but it will as soon as a gas line is installed. On Friday, elected, government, law enforcement, and other officials cut the ribbon.

"I've never seen a crowd that wanted to get in jail before," former state lawmaker Maurice Hobson quipped, joining the large group that squeezed through the doors.

Three years have passed since former Otero County Commission Chairman Richard Zierlein began quiet talks with Chaparral real estate developer John Colquitt, to bring the facility to Otero County.

"Richard led the charge," Commissioner Doug Moore said.

Zierlein, on Friday, said his goal was always to bring "good quality jobs" to the county. Today, more than 150 Chaparral-area residents will have them, starting at $10 an hour. (About half of those already hired are bilingual, and Warden James Frawner said Spanish classes will be offered to employees.)

Of the $11.8 million annual budget, $5.2 million is payroll. When fully operational, 570 inmates – mostly illegal aliens through the U.S. Marshal's Service – will be housed. If needed, more construction can double the capacity.

The U.S. Border Patrol, as well as the Immigration and Naturalization Service, may "piggyback" onto the contract, Frawner said.

Williams likened the economic opportunity that Zierlein seeded, three years ago, to the city of Grants. In the early 1980s, Williams said, Grants' mines were shutting down and residents were locking their doors and walking away. But since three prisons have been erected in Grants, he said, the "economy's recovered."

Prison operators Management and Training Service showed Friday's guests through the facility. From the spartan control room's one computer, the entire facility can be run with touch-screen commands. On a bank of monitors, staff will view the entire jail; that includes two 20-bed female pods and eight 60-bed male pods. Additionally, there are solitary cells for the disruptive.

If power is lost, generators kick in. If a worst-case scenario occurs, old-fashioned keys will get the job done.

A medical area can treat everything from colds to a dental problem.

The law library is computerized, and a second computer lab will instruct English as a second language.

The prison will also teach life and other skills with the goal of inmates bettering themselves pending releases.

On Friday, the doors were open and guards welcomed questions. But this week, Frawner said, the doors will clang shut and guards will act as if there are inmates. Employees will dress as prisoners and staff will practice transport runs to Las Cruces.

A riot team will soon train, too.

From County Commission Chairman Michael Nivison's perspective, the success and opportunities celebrated Friday were in stark contrast to the previous day's 9/11 mourning.

"It shows the resilience of this county, and our plentiful abundant fruit that God gives us from above," Nivison said.

The Otero County Prison Facility was built as a cooperative enterprise between the county and investors.

"It's a new day and a new way to do business with government and private enterprise," Moore said.

While the kudos were many, several singled out County Administrator Ruth Hooser.

"(She) really worked hard on this project, and I think sometimes we about drove her crazy," said Toby Michaels, an attorney who packages projects such as the prison.

Michael Shinabery is a reporter for the Alamogordo Daily News, a sister paper of the Ruidoso News.

Jury finds all five guilty in Baby Brianna case

BY RENÉE RUELAS
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

ALBUQUERQUE – Five family members were found guilty Friday of all but one of the charges against them in the death of 5-month-old Brianna Lopez.

The jury of seven men and five women had deliberated about nine hours before coming back at 6:45 p.m. with a verdict.

Brianna Lopez died July 19, 2002, after her mother called 911 to say she had found the infant not breathing.

Doña Ana County Sheriff's investigators were called to Memorial Medical Hospital by staff who suspected child abuse.

Brianna had 15 bite marks, rib and skull fractures, numerous bruises in varied colors throughout her body and signs of sexual abuse.

The courtroom became emotional Friday as District Judge Stephen Bridgforth read the charges aloud with one "Guilty" after another.

Brianna's mother, Stephanie Lopez, 20, was convicted of child abuse resulting in death and negligent child abuse. She was found not guilty of intentional child abuse, jurors finding that she did not inflict abuse but allowed the abuse. It was the jury's only not-guilty verdict.

Brianna's father, Andy Walters, 22, was found guilty of child abuse resulting in death, conspiracy, criminal sexual penetration and two counts of child abuse.

Uncle Steven Lopez, 20, was found guilty of child abuse resulting in death, conspiracy and criminal sexual penetration.

Paternal grandmother, Patricia Walters, 43, and another uncle, Robert Walters, 23, were convicted of failure to report child abuse.

As the verdicts were read, Lopez and Walters family and friends wept aloud and held each other.

The defendants did not immediately react, except for Steven Lopez who put his head into his hands and began to cry. It was only after the jury was dismissed that defendants reacted and were consoled by their attorneys.

Stephanie and Steven Lopez, twin sister and brother, were allowed to embrace and weep in each other's arms before being taken from the room by deputies.

After the verdict, defense attorneys were already talking about an appeal.

"We want to get an appeal so Stephanie Lopez can be tried just by herself as she should have been," attorney Stephen Ryan said. "She will be acquitted."

Ryan said he was disappointed with the verdict, but was relieved that the jury did not find that Stephanie Lopez had harmed Brianna herself.

District Attorney Susana Martinez was overwhelmed after the verdict and had to take a moment to gather herself before speaking with reporters who filled the hallway.

"We're pleased for the sake of Brianna," Martinez said when she returned. "It's been a long and difficult case."

When Martinez was asked why she became so emotional she said that, as a prosecutor, she has had to hold in her emotions until it was all over.

Martinez said the 150 autopsy photos of Brianna's bruised, bitten and sexually assaulted body will always stay with her, especially the more graphic ones that the jury did not see. Only about 30 were shown to the jury.

Although Martinez said she has dealt with child deaths, this one was different.

"Every dead baby moves us," Martinez said. "This happened to be more brutal than the others."

Two of the three alternate jurors, who sat through the entire trial but did not deliberate, returned to the courtroom to hear the verdict for themselves.

They told prosecutors that they had been leaning toward guilty verdicts on all charges.

Renée Ruelas is a reporter for the Las Cruces Sun-News, a sister paper of the Ruidoso News.

Aztec inmate disappears after work release stint

BY LAURA BANISH
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

AZTEC – Local law enforcement is seeking a San Juan County Detention Center inmate who pulled a disappearing act and did not return from work release Tuesday, detention officials reported.

Herman Maestas, 47, who was incarcerated on three felony charges, did not return to the jail after working for Sanchez Construction Tuesday evening, said Adult Detention Center Manager Bobby Yates.

Maestas was in jail on felony charges of distribution of methamphetamines, possession of methamphetamines and receiving stolen firearms, San Juan Detective Sgt. Tyler Truby said. Maestas was booked into jail April 16, but had not yet been sentenced.

As a result of Maestas' failure to return to the jail, Director of Corrections Tom Havel said the runaway now faces a fourth felony charge: escape from jail. Although Maestas walked away from work release, he is still considered an escapee and once apprehended the fugitive could face an additional sentence of one to five years. Havel said on average, someone who hightails it out of jail in this manner gets an additional 18 months of incarceration time.

Yates said it is uncommon for inmates to escape jail from work furloughs.

"We don't have a whole lot of this, most do pretty good. The courts check them out before they're released, but you never know about some of them," he said.

Havel added that although the court authorizes work release, the jail does not allow people who are considered a threat to the public to participate in the work detail.

"We don't let them out if they are danger to society," he said. "Murderers, rapists, robbers, etc. are not qualified for the program."

Maestas is the second man to reportedly walk away from a work release assignment this year. Byron Pyle Laner, 29, was doing community service work for Aztec Parks and Maintenance when he left his duties without permission Jan. 22.

Yates said no one has directly escaped from the jail this year, although four prisoners made failed attempts to break out of the facility and one inmate fled from San Juan Regional Medical Center.

Havel said the jail will continue to run its work release program despite Maestas' abuse of the system.

Laura Banish is a reporter for the Farmington Daily Times, a sister paper of the Ruidoso News.

STATE BRIEFS

Woman convicted of lawn mower attack

CARLSBAD – A Carlsbad woman who said she did not intend to strike another woman while driving a lawn tractor was convicted of battery last week.

Diane Whetsel, 55, was found guilty of the single count of battery.

According to the complaint, Whetsel and the victim's sister had been involved in a dispute about a property line between their homes for years.

Several witnesses provided written statements saying they saw Whetsel intentionally approach two women from behind and try to drive her lawn tractor between them while they were walking along the driveway on May 26. The lawn tractor struck one of the women on the back of her right leg and caused an injury to her left foot where she recently had surgery, the complaint states.

Hot wing cookoff

ALAMOGORDO – The Toast Yer Tailfeathers Hot Wing Cookoff will set fire to the Tularosa Basin Saturday, Sept. 20, at Washington Park.

At least 10 teams are set to participate in the event which will benefit Big Brothers Big Sisters of Otero County.

The teams will prepare their best hot wings for judging in several areas including aroma, appearance and flavor. In addition, a separate contest will measure the wings with the most heat.

Teams will offer samples of their hot wings to the public for the low price of $3 for six wings.

Those looking for a little fun won't be disappointed. The U.S. Border Patrol will provide a canine unit display and dancers from Crystal's Dynamic Dance will do a dance demonstration.

Businessman facing fourth DWI charge

GALLUP – A prominent Farmington businessman entered a plea agreement to his fourth DWI and driving on a suspended license, Friday in a McKinley County district court.

Dana McGarrh, owner of Basin Well Logging and Perforating Services, pleaded guilty to the fourth-degree felony of driving while intoxicated, saying he was arrested Feb. 24 in San Juan County on the charge. The 41-year-old blew a 0.18 blood alcohol level, which is nearly twice the legal limit.

Defense Attorney Larry Thrower said his client had three prior DWIs and agreed with District Judge Grant Foutz that the man is facing 2 1/2 years in prison.

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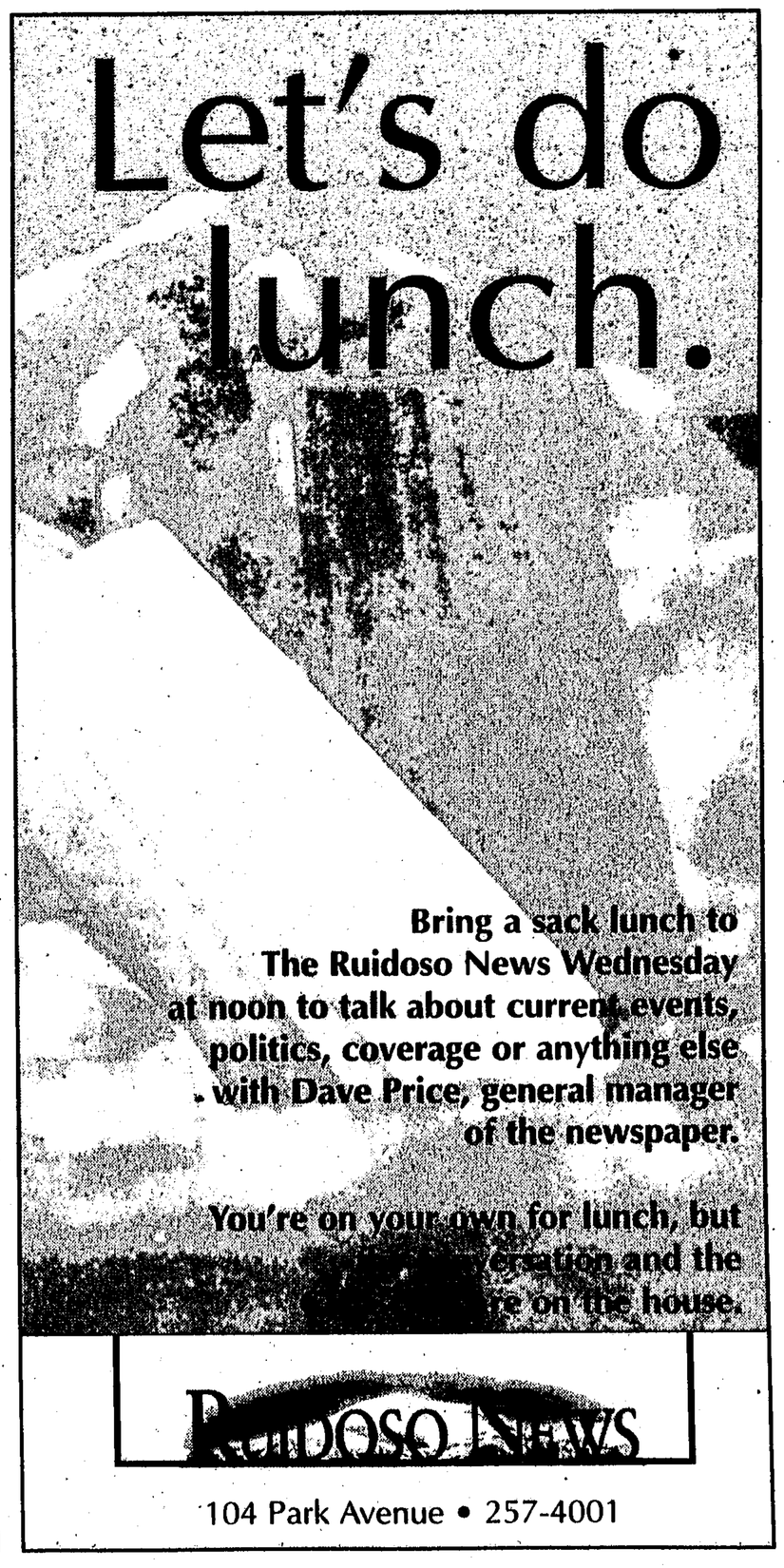

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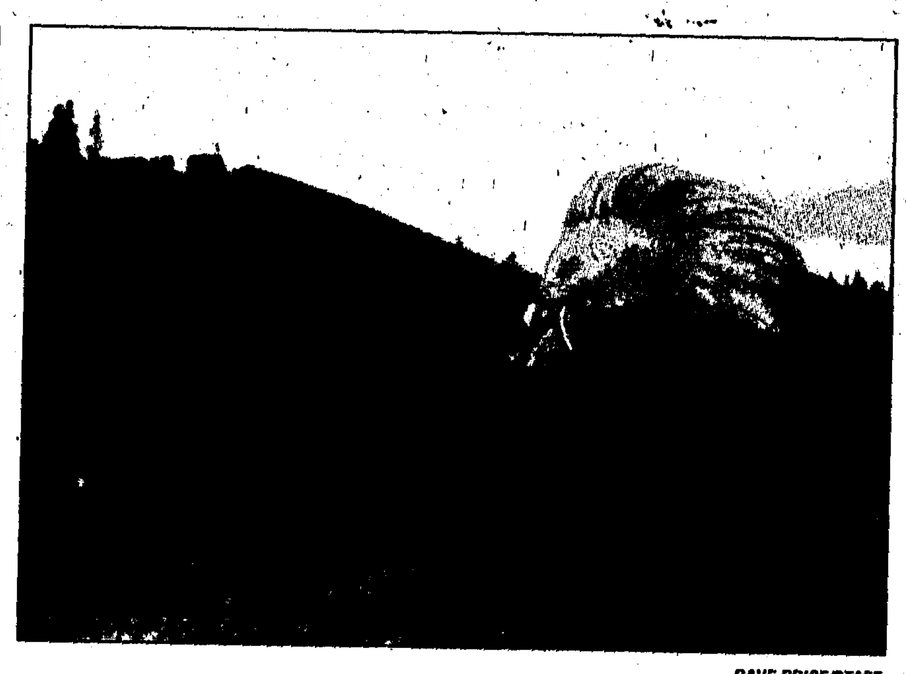
COURTESY SKI APACHE

Parker doing what he enjoys most, going downhill on well-packed powder.



DAVE PRICE/STAFF

Roy Parker was all smiles this week, as his retirement approached. He won't miss the headaches.

After 39 years on the mountain, Ski Apache's Roy Parker is ready to

STEP DOWN, BUT NOT OUT

At last, he'll be able to take Christmas off, and maybe even ski at other resorts

DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

After 39 years, Roy Parker still feels a thrill driving up to Ski Apache on a snowy winter morning.

But this season, he'll be traveling that road as a skier, not as general manager. Parker tentatively is set to retire Oct. 1, if a successor is chosen by that date.

"I'm retiring from managing the ski area, not from skiing," he said Wednesday from his office at the ski resort owned by the Mescalero Apache Tribe.

"I'm retiring from managing the ski area, not from skiing. I'll probably miss it to start with after all these years, but I won't miss the headaches."

Roy Parker
Ski Apache general manager since 1964

During his years at the helm, ticket sales soared to 200,000 a season from his first year's sales of 32,000. Even that was a 12,000 boost from the previous year – before he joined the operation – when the Tribe sold 20,000 tickets in its initial year at the ski area. Oil man Robert O. Anderson created the resort and headed it for three years before selling.

Parker was born in northern Illinois and learned to ski in neighboring Wisconsin as a child.

"We had a lot of winter in those days," he said. "I was a speed skater and graduated into skiing. It's a challenging sport and a lot of fun."

After high school, he moved to Aspen, Colo., where he joined the ski patrol and taught powder skiing. From there, he managed the Loveland Basin ski area in the late 1950s. Shortly after Vail opened as a ski resort, he was hired as assistant director of the ski school.

But he wanted back into management and heard the Mescalero were looking for a manager with experience.

"There weren't many in those days," he said. "The Tribe bought the ski area the year before and then had a very bad winter. It virtually closed in 1963-64. I was hired in June 1964 as general manager."

"We were well known to people in west Texas, but skiing wasn't that popular then and there weren't that many people here," Parker said. "It was called Sierra Blanca (Ski Resort) at the time. In 1985, the name was changed to Ski Apache."

The opening of the resort and its continuous growth changed nearby Ruidoso from a one-season wonder to a two-season tourist draw. The town and resort prospered as skiing grew in popularity across the country.

"By the mid-1970s, skiing had taken off and that includes here," Parker said.

The resort operated 10 runs then. The number is up to 55 today. When Parker arrived, four lifts and three T-bar conveyors ran. Today, all the T-bars are gone. Eight chair lifts and the original gondola move skiers wherever they want to go.

Parker initiated the first snowmaking crew in 1981.

"It helps in a bad year, but even in a good year improves and keeps the ground covered on the lower slopes and high traffic areas," he said. The machinery can't reach the upper mountain. To open those runs, the weather must cooperate.

"The snow we make is much more durable than natural snow," he said. "We control the moisture content. Natural snow may not pack as well and scrapes off easily."

During Parker's first few years, the resort operated with 50 to 60 employees in the winter. That figure now is up to more than 300 at the height of the season. That includes the ski patrol, while about 100 are ski instructors. Others run the snack bars, restaurants and lodge, the hamburger stands, the sports shop and the chair lifts.

The busiest time of the year is the Christmas holiday, with employees working 10 straight days, Parker said.

Using the snow machine on cold nights in early November, and with some weather luck, Parker always tried to open Thanksgiving weekend. The resort would stay busy through February with big crowds on weekends and three-day holidays. If possible, the ski area would remain open through Spring Break and then close.

Construction four years ago added a rental shop and enlarged the restaurant area. This year, the size of the snow board shop will be doubled.

Changes in ski wear and equipment also helped promote the sport, Parker said.

"We've gone from weather boots and wooden skis to plastic boots and composite skis of different shapes," he said. "It was quite difficult to ski and to learn using the old type, although we didn't think that at the time.

"Clothing has changed a lot too. In the early years, ski wear was not as warm unless you piled on the layers. Then down parkas were introduced, along with different pants. Skiers are more comfortable and that contributed to the popularity."

Grooming was another plus. A crew works from 3 a.m. to 8 a.m. every day on beginning and intermediate trails, as well as with some expert and advanced trails.

"Years ago, there was no grooming and some days it was really tough skiing," he said.

Perhaps the biggest advance in skiing was the introduction of release bindings, which come off in a bad fall. Other types of binding don't release and increase chances of legs being injured, he said.

"That doesn't mean skiing is without danger," Parker said. "Anything can be dangerous if you make it so."

In his decades of skiing. Parker said he suffered only one serious injury, an ankle break when he was very young. "Now the boots come up higher and injuries are more likely to occur to the knees," he said.

Snowboarding, introduced about 10 years ago, accounts for about one-fourth of the tickets sold at Ski Apache, Parker said.

The target markets for the resort remain southern New Mexico and western Texas, including El Paso, along with Dallas and Houston.

"We get people from all over the country, but that's our main market," he said.

Parker's relationship with the resort has been profitable for the Tribe. For 27 straight years, the resort operated in the black.

That run was interrupted three years ago when the Sacramento mountain range registered the least snowfall on record, beating out the 1970-71 season by one inch.

When he finally closes the door of his office, Parker said he intends to spend more time flying his Cessna 210, skiing at other resorts for a change, and being able to take Christmas off for the first time in 40 years.

"I'll probably miss it to start with after all these years, but I won't miss the headaches," he said.

He owns a home in Ruidoso and intends to stay here.

As for predictions about this year's snowfall, Parker said he's asked that annually. He always planned for a good year, he said — at least the normal inches. But timing is as important as the inches, he said. Last year, snow arrived early and created – with augmentation by snowmaking – a terrific course ready for skiers at Thanksgiving.

"But there's no way to really predict," Parker said. "I looked at several approaches and there really is no correlation that fits.

"The only one that works is to wait and see."

looking back

LINCOLN COUNTY SCRAPBOOK

SEPT. 18, 1953

Eagle Creek water sought

Possibility of water for Ruidoso from the watershed of Eagle Creek, water rights of which are now owned by the Southern Pacific Railway Co., and for Fort Stanton Medical Center, was discussed in a meeting of ... interested parties Tuesday afternoon at Fort Stanton.

Representing Ruidoso were Mayor Raymond Buckner, Kiel Bonnell and Dan Swearingin...

The meeting was called at the behest of the Ruidoso Water Users Association. ...

It was decided to ask the U.S. Interstate Streams Commission to study the possibility of a dam being constructed to impound water from Eagle Creek for use by the two ... interested communities.

SEPT. 20, 1963

Airport grosses $4,487.17

The gross receipts of the Ruidoso Municipal Airport for the period May 11 to Sept. 12 totaled $4.487.17, Lowell Morgan, airport manager, reported to the village board of trustees at a special meeting held Monday afternoon.

The manger reported that during the period there were 1,661 landings and he declared that approximately 25 percent of the landings were serviced by the Municipal Airport facilities.

SEPT. 21, 1973

Perteet steps up

Tommy Perteet was installed as state president of the Realtors Association of New Mexico at its convention held last weekend in Albuquerque.

Perteet has served the state association in various capacities over the past several years.

His election marks the first time that a Ruidoso Realtor has served as president of the state association.

SEPT. 22, 1983

The Silver Lining

BY DANIEL AGNEW STORM

This is written to you on mid-afternoon of Sept. 20, the eve of the first day of fall. And the ripening season did not lose any time in moving in, hardly giving summer a chance even to move out its furniture.

The morning awoke to a very cold light rain, with light wind straight off that early snow in Montana...

SEPT. 23, 1993

Fewer rally riders

Ruidoso taxpayers coughed up about $4,000 for extra village protection during the Golden Aspen Motorcycle Rally, according to police chief Dick Swenor.

The extra show of enforcement helped provide a second straight year without the type of violence that marred the 1991 rally.

A nip of fall weather is in the wind along the Rio Bonito

LINCOLN TRAILS

ROSALIE DUNLAP

Fall seems to have arrived. We have had chilly nights and pleasant daytime temperatures.

The leaves of the trees are starting to turn to their beautiful fall colors and the vegetation is seeding.

Pam and Mac McArthur are busy grandparents.

Besides having Misty and Kerry visiting them, they also had Kerry's granddaughter, 1-year-old Tatum.

The family helped Misty's son, Aaron, celebrate his 14th birthday over the weekend in Roswell.

Lincoln County is losing so many of its old-timers and some not so old. It is hard to keep up to date.

Our sympathies to the Bill Howard family, and to Melanie Dinwiddie with the loss of her mother, Mrs. Stroud.

Our prayers are with those who are in the ICU at Roswell, seriously ill.

Not much news this week. If you have any news, please contact me at 653-4047.

I hope to be home now except for Sept. 19 and Oct. 4.

Rosalie Dunlap, a Lincoln resident and a long-time observer of county events, also may be reached at rd@pvtnetworks.net

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BACK ON TRACK

After losing an upset to Socorro, the Warriors return to winning with a vengeance

BY TODD FUQUA
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

It's taken three games, but it seems the Ruidoso Warriors have finally found their offensive rhythm.

A week after losing a shocker to Socorro, and two weeks after needing a last-second touchdown for a victory, the Warriors dismantled Moriarty 35-14 in a show Friday of just how versatile they can be when they have control of the football.

"The offense worked out a lot better tonight," said Ruidoso coach Ridge Bowden. "The kids saw what kind of coverage they were giving us, and that's what we've been working on."

The Warriors (2-1) balanced their game between the run and the pass all night, and seem to have figured out how to use their two quarterbacks.

Troy Saenz and Marcus Williams had each taken turns as play callers in the past two contests, but this was the first time everything seemed to click.

"We went by quarters instead of every three series," Williams said. "That way, we could get more of a rhythm down. If it works this well, we might do it all year."

Ruidoso didn't get started off too well, having to punt the ball away on their first possession. But they held Moriarty (1-2) to just three yards rushing on the next series, then got the ball back on a punt.

Chance Hooper caught the 40-yard punt and returned it all the way to the Pinto 24-yard line. Two plays later, Casey Mirau scooted in from 13 yards out to put the Warriors on the board first.

Their 6-0 lead was very short-lived. Moriarty's Jonathan Gibbs took the ensuing kickoff from his own 17 yard line and broke free for an 83-yard touchdown return. With a good point after kick, the Pintos led 7-6.

But it was their only lead of the night.

From then on, Ruidoso did most of the talking offensively. Still, they did have their problems.

"There were a few little mistakes, but we'll get them corrected," Saenz said. "Just some mental mistakes and penalties to solve, but we'll get it done."

The Warrior offense continued to sputter after Moriarty's touchdown, as Ruidoso stalled at the Pinto 14 on the next drive, then saw a Williams attempted 31-yard field goal hit the cross bar and fall short.

It wasn't until the second quarter that Ruidoso found their offensive groove, as the Warriors marched from their own 16-yard line to score on a nine-yard run by Jess Shendo and reclaim the lead.

That play might not have been possible if not for a third-down, 70-yard pass from Williams to Hooper earlier in the drive.

TODD FUQUA/STAFF

Moriarty quarterback Adam Schaub, right, attempts to avoid Ruidoso defenders Julian Serna, center, and Casey Mirau Friday during the Warriors' 35-14 win over the Pintos. Ruidoso held Schaub and company to just 22 yards rushing in the game and brought Schaub down in the backfield enough times to hold him to minus-6 yards.

"Chance came down with a couple of big plays, and Jaime (Urban) got a couple of great catches over the middle," Bowden said. "Third down plays were big. You've got to hand it to the kids, they executed and came out with more intensity than they've had this year."

Pass plays came up big again near the end of the first half, as Williams connected twice with Urban on passes of 30 and 27 yards to get the Warriors to the Pinto six, allowing Shendo to run it in for a 21-7 Ruidoso lead.

See **WARRIORS**, page 3B

Warriors 35, Pintos 14

Moriarty	7	0	0	7	— 14
Ruidoso	6	15	8	6	— 35

Scoring Summary

First Quarter
R — Casey Mirau 13 run (pass fail), 7:10
M — Jonathan Gibbs 83 kickoff return (Jacob Rasbeck kick), 6:55

Second Quarter
R — Jess Shendo 9 run (Chance Hooper pass from Marcus Williams), 7:30
R — Shendo 6 run (Williams kick), 0:11

Third Quarter
R — Mirau 6 run (Hooper pass from Troy Saenz), 0:04

Fourth Quarter
R — Julian Serna 8 run (kick fail), 9:28
M — James Dorcey 13 pass from Adam Schaub (Rasbeck kick), 5:45

Game Statistics

	Mor	Rui
First Downs	7	19
Rushes-yards	23-22	43-254
Passing yards	110	172
Comp-Att-Int	11-22-0	8-13-0
Total Offense	132	426
Punts-avg.	8-52	2-38
Penalties-yards	5-36	12-128
Fumbles-lost	2-0	3-1

Individual Statistics

Rushing: Mor, Nate Dautenhahn 11-29, Eric Bryant 4-3, Jordan Allcorn 3-(minus-3), Adam Schaub 6-(minus-6). Rui, Casey Mirau 9-74, Jaime Urban 5-61, Jess Shendo 8-56, Julian Serna 5-40, Rene Villareal 3-16, Dayne Hall 3-9, Jared Storey 3-4, Marcus Williams 1-3, Troy Saenz 7-(minus-9).

Passing: Mor, Schaub 11-22-0, 110. Rui, Williams 4-5-0, 172; Saenz 4-8-0, 36.

Receiving: Mor, James Dorcey 5-71, Bryant 2-16, Kenny Leseberg 2-9, Allcorn 1-8, Lorenz Stefan 1-6. Rui, Chance Hooper 4-110, Urban 3-60, Daniel Austin 1-2.

Missed Field Goal: R – Williams, 31 in 1st (short)

All this for a stupid letter

ON THE DDOT .com

BY TODD FUQUA
SPORTS EDITOR

It's 8:30 a.m. on a Saturday morning, I've just trekked up the side of a very steep hill, I'm looking over Ruidoso and thinking one thought:

Why the heck did I want to do this?

Oh, sure, the view was spectacular, and I guess it was worth it to see just how that big "R" looks up close, but the dizziness and nausea were starting to take their toll.

Such was the scene this past Saturday, when I joined a group of *very* dedicated Ruidoso High School students and parents to hike to the top of the hill overlooking W.D. Horton Stadium.

You know the hill, the one with the "R" made of big stones way up above? That one. I — we — were up there trying to make that big letter stand out a bit more.

I was mainly there for the photos, maybe a few interviews, maybe even put a few rocks in place.

What I didn't count on was a queasy feeling, way up above the village.

Therefore, I give a big thanks to Suzanne Leland, RHS school nurse, who gave me plenty of water, a few animal crackers, and a bit of advice.

"Stay hydrated."

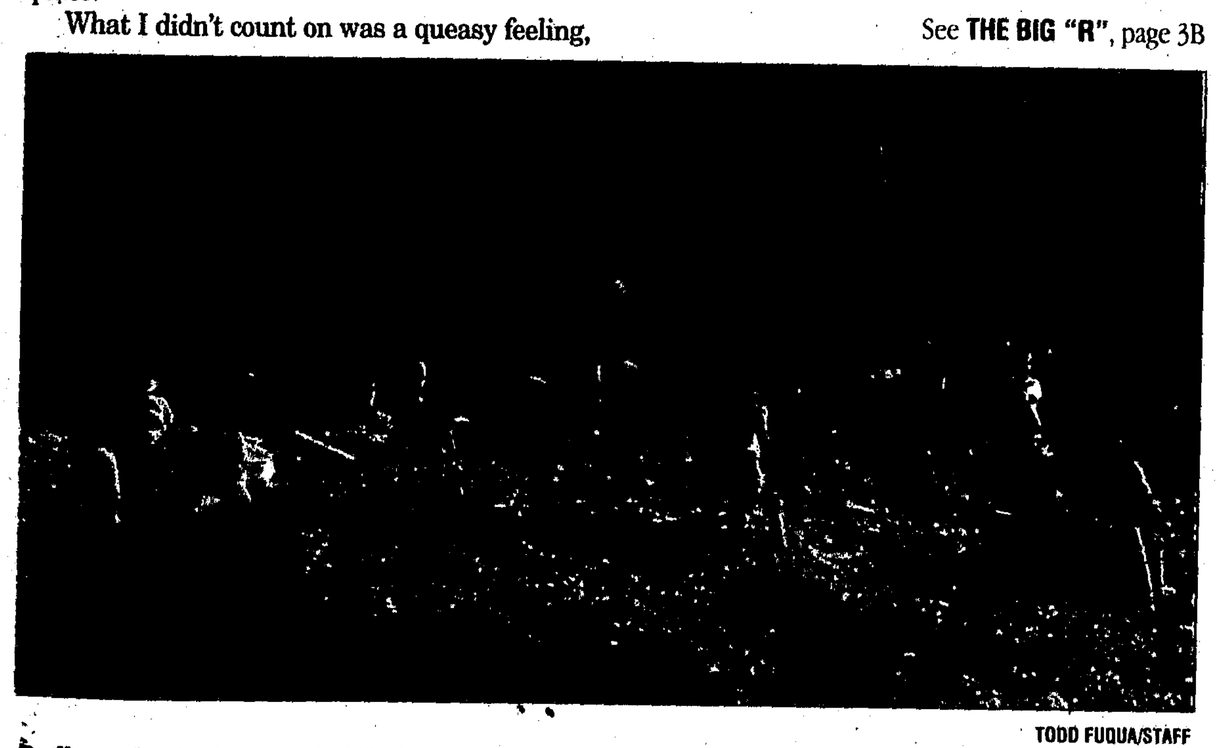
That's what RHS principal Paul Wirth told the assembled students at the top of that hill. I'm just glad I could give them a living example of what *not* to do.

Anyway, I got up there, and watched the volunteers get to work, refurbishing that big letter.

The "R" has been on that hill since 1952, two years after Ruidoso won their first state football championship and the same year of the Warriors' second state title.

The problem that faced the creators of the letter then faced our intrepid group now — the

See **THE BIG "R"**, page 3B



TODD FUQUA/STAFF

Dedicated volunteers scale difficult heights to work on the big "R" above W.D. Horton Stadium. The letter is a lot larger than it appears from below.

TODD FUQUA/STAFF

Jaime Luna dribbles the ball during Ruidoso's match against Santa Teresa Saturday at Horton Stadium. The Warriors fell 2-1 and play today at Alamogordo.

RHS boys, girls split

BY TODD FUQUA
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR .com

After the past weekend, both the boys and girls soccer teams at Ruidoso High have probably had their fill of Santa Teresa.

The Warriors ended up in a 4-all tie with the Santa Teresa junior varsity on Thursday, then fell to the big Desert Warrior team on Saturday, 2-1.

The Lady Warriors had a better time of it against the Santa Teresa varsity, winning 5-3 on Thursday.

The two teams hosted Artesia on Tuesday.

For boys coach Wally Murillo, Ruidoso's loss on Saturday was particularly frustrating, given that the Warriors (1-4-1) scored first when Matt Johnston got the ball in on an assist by Adrian Olvera.

"We scored that first goal, then we let up," Murillo said. "We played well in the second half, and that's the way we should play all the way through."

See **SOCCER**, page 3B

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Prep Results

Thursday, Sept. 11
Volleyball
Estancia d. Capitan, 3-0
Mescalero d. To'hajiilee in To'hajiilee Tournament, 3-1
Boys Soccer
Ruidoso 4, Santa Teresa JV 4
Girls Soccer
Ruidoso 5, Santa Teresa 3

Friday, Sept. 12
Football
Capitan 52, Faith Christian 12
Ruidoso 35, Moriarty 14
Magdalena 54, Wings 6
Zuni 30, Mescalero 14
Volleyball
Portales d. Ruidoso in Zia Classic at Roswell, 3-2

Saturday, Sept. 13
Football
Bethel Christian 71, Hondo 22
Carrizozo 19, Tularosa JV 15
Volleyball
Ruidoso d. Robertson in Zia Classic at Roswell, 3-2
Goddard d. Ruidoso in Zia Classic at Roswell, 3-0
Capitan d. Mountainair, 3-0
Boys Soccer
Santa Teresa 2, Ruidoso 1

Preps on Tap

Wednesday, Sept. 17
Boys Soccer
Ruidoso at Alamogordo, 5 p.m.
Girls Soccer
Ruidoso at Alamogordo JV, 3 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 18
Volleyball
Hondo at NMMI, 5:30 p.m.
Tularosa at Mescalero, 6 p.m.
Carrizozo, Capitan at Roadrunner Tournament, TBA

Friday, Sept. 19
Football
Ruidoso at Silver, 7 p.m.
Volleyball
Carrizozo at Mescalero, 5 p.m.
Corona in BVC Tournament at Mountainair, TBA
Hondo in Gateway Christian Tournament at Roswell, TBA
Cross Country
Ruidoso at Albuquerque Academy Invite, 3 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 20
Football
Wings at House, 1 p.m.
Evangelical Christian at Hondo, 1 p.m.
Carrizozo vs. Estancia JV, TBA
Volleyball
Corona in BVC Tournament at Mountainair, TBA
Hondo in Gateway Christian Tournament at Roswell, TBA
Carrizozo, Capitan at Roadrunner Tournament, TBA
Boys Soccer
Ruidoso at Santa Teresa, 1 p.m.
Girls Soccer
Ruidoso at Santa Teresa, 11 a.m.
Cross Country
Mescalero at Carlsbad Invite, 10 a.m.

On Deck

Volleyball, basketball to begin
All who are interested to take part in adult basketball or co-ed volleyball are invited to the Ruidoso Middle School for open gym time.
Co-ed volleyball gym time starts tonight from 6:30-9 p.m. and will be held every Wednesday. League games are to begin Oct. 13. Cost per team is $175.
Open gym for basketball begins Thursday, also from 6:30-9 p.m. Basketball open gym will be held every Tuesday and Thursday, and league games will begin Oct. 14. Cost per team is $200.
All gym time is open to athletes 18 years and older. For more information, contact the Ruidoso Parks and Recreation Department at 257-5030.

Golf Scramble for MAECP
A charity golf scramble to benefit the Mescalero Apache Early Childhood Program is scheduled to be played Sept. 21 at the Inn of the Mountain Gods, beginning with a 1 p.m. shotgun start.
Entry fee is $65 per person, and players will be assigned to four-man teams based on their handicaps. There is a $2,000 purse of prizes based on a field of 25 teams.
Deadline to enter is Sept. 19. For more information, contact Michelle Palmer at the IOMG pro shop at 1-800-446-2963 or 464-4100.

Soccer Spaghetti Dinner
A fundraising spaghetti dinner will be served at the Ruidoso Middle School cafeteria Sept. 26 4:30-7 p.m. before the RHS football homecoming game. Cost is $3 for children ages 3-12 and $5 for 13 and older. Proceeds will benefit the RHS girls soccer program.

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Tigers win homecoming game in style

BY MARTY RACINE
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

Capitan blasted into the win column with a vengeance Friday, thrashing Faith Christian Academy of El Paso, 52-12.

It was a sweet homecoming for the Tigers, 1-2, who lost by six last year to these Lions.

Every Tiger joined the party, as coach Ed Davis went to his bench in the second half. "Everybody on our sideline played, and quite a bit," Davis said.

The game didn't begin as a rout. Capitan's opening drive to Faith Christian's 25 ended on a bad fourth-down snap. On their next series, the Tigers went backwards, punting on fourth-and-23.

The Lions were worse, losing a fumble (Javier Trost recovering) and throwing an interception on their first possessions. Sheldon Moor returned the pick to the Lions' 24, and two plays later Weston Richardson hauled in a 17-yard touchdown pass.

Repeatedly, Faith Christian's multiple-look offense netted motion and procedure penalties. The Tigers took advantage, with Stephen Silva weaving 62 yards on a keeper to score as the first quarter expired.

An unsportsmanlike penalty on Capitan kept the next Lions' possession alive, but as this game had it, even that favored the Tigers. Two plays later Richardson recovered a fumble at the 20. On fourth down from the 17 the Tigers went for it, and Silva found Moor in the end zone.

On the Tigers' next drive, Silva floated a spiral that Moor ran under for a picturesque 40-yard touchdown.

Moor's contributions didn't include some of his better plays. On the ensuing possession his apparent 65-yard TD interception return was nullified by clipping.

No matter: Capitan kept the ball and Silva scored on a 33-yard keeper.

Seconds later, Moor had another TD, a 76-yard punt return, called back by a clip.

Again, no problem: On fourth-and-13, Moor found Richardson for 18 yards, the first of two punt-formation completions between the two.

"That's left up to Sheldon," Davis explained. "I give him the option to audible. We have certain reads that we look at. And if it's there he has the option to do what he did."

Silva was intercepted after that but again the Lions clawed themselves with penalties and a fumble that Richardson recovered in the end zone for another score.

The long homecoming halftime didn't ice the Tigers. On the first play of the third quarter Silva found Richardson for 27 yards to the Lions' 13. A few plays later, Richardson scored on a 14-yard pass.

Faith Christian found their offense when quarterback Bobby Rodriguez connected with Justin Delman and Sean Thompson, the latter on a nine-yard scoring pass.

But on the ensuing kickoff Capitan pulled a nifty reverse handoff to freshman Justin Smith, who raced to the Lions' 26. Smith stayed in the game at running back and freshman Tillman Freeman entered at quarterback as Davis called off his big cats.

Capitan 52, Faith Christian 12

Faith Christian	12	0	0	0	— 12
Capitan	14	29	7	0	— 52

Scoring Summary

First Quarter
C — Richardson 17 pass from A. Silva (kick blocked) 5:05
C — S. Silva 62 run (S. Silva to Moor) :00

Second Quarter
C — Moor 17 pass from S. Silva (Davis kick) 6:36
C — Moor 40 pass from S. Silva (kick failed) 5:32
C — S. Silva 33 run (run failed) 4:50
C — Richardson fumble recovery in end zone (kick failed) :04

Third Quarter
C — Richardson 14 pass from S. Silva (Davis kick) 8:05
FC — Thompson 9 pass from Rodriguez (kicked failed) 3:16

Fourth Quarter
FC — Lopez 7 run (kick failed) 7:58
C — S. Silva 30 run (kick failed) 1:05

Game Statistics

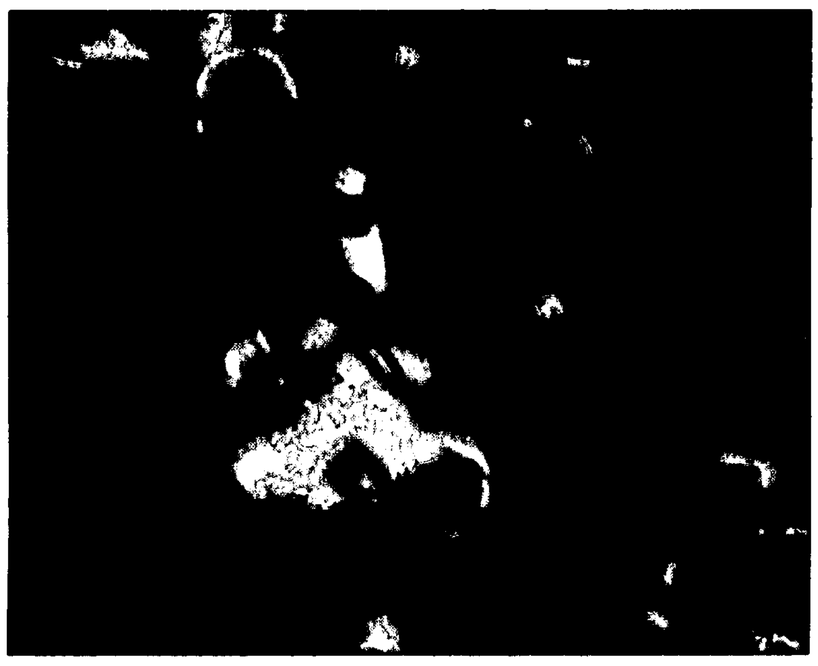
	FC	Cap
First Downs	9	14
Rushes-yards	17-31	37-324
Passing yards	108	245
Comp-Att-Int	9-22-2	14-22-2
Total offense	139	569
Punts Avg.	3-30.3	4-35.3
Penalties-yards	12-88	12-75
Fumbles-lost	6-2	4-1

Individual Statistics

Rushing: FC, Steven Lopez 14-23, Andy Munoz 1-0, Bobby Rodriguez 2-8. Cap, Stephen Silva 17-202, Justin Smith 5-85, Andrew Armendariz 2-21, Drew Haynes 4-11, Andrew Silva 5-7, Tillman Freeman 4-18.

Passing: FC, Rodriguez 9-22-1, 108; Cap, S. Silva 10-17-1, 189; A. Silva 1-1-0, 17, Sheldon Moor 2-2-0, 38, Freeman 1-2-1, 0.

Receiving: FC, Justin Delman 4-61, Lopez 3-13, Fernie Nasrollahzadeh 1-6, Sean Thompson 1-28. Cap, Moor 7-141, Weston Richardson 6-95, Matthew Davies 1-9.



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Capitan quarterback Stephen Silva, left, is brought down by Faith Temple's Justin Delman Friday during the Tigers' 52-12 victory.

Eagles lose, but gain experience

BY TODD FUQUA
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

For one half, anyway, Hondo was playing right with Bethel Temple, Texas on Saturday.

Then the El Paso-based school turned on the after-burners and put the game away in the second half.

"It was tough on us, they were huge," said Hondo coach Brandon Devine. "The wind was really blowing, and we couldn't do our passing game. They just got into their tight formation and ran the ball over us five yards at a time."

Hondo was only down 30-22 at the break, but Bethel Temple scored 41 points in the final two quarters for the 71-22 victory.

"We did learn a lot," Devine said. "We improved in our tackling. We had to with such big guys. It did go all they way into the fourth quarter, and we got a lot of playing time out of it."

Eddie Valenzuela was again the big gun for the Eagles (0-3), scoring two rushing touchdowns. Derek McTiegue also got into the act with a 20-yard reverse for a score, and two PAT kicks by Saul Acosta helped.

But the Hondo defense just couldn't stop Bethel Temple, which ran the ball at will throughout the game.

"Tackling is the main thing we walked away with," Devine said. "We learned how to set up with a team in a tight formation, and just had to run a whole new defense.

"The best experience for these boys is game time," he added. "This was the anniversary of their first game ever, and this year they've already played three games. They've adjusted well to this schedule."

Hondo faces Albuquerque school Evangel Christian next Saturday at 1 p.m., a team with no wins to their credit yet, having lost big to Faith Triumphant of Portales and Clovis Christian.

Competition, course take their toll on Ruidoso runners

BY TODD FUQUA
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

Ruidoso cross country coach Nick Nanz knew his team was in for a tough time of it at the Lobo Invitational over the weekend, but he still had hoped for a better showing than this.

The Warrior boys were 18th out of 19 teams at the college and high school meet Saturday at the UNM North Golf Course, while the Lady Warriors finished last out of 21.

"It was a tough meet, but I felt the kids were focused," Nanz said. "Mentally, that affected them.

"We've got to be better prepared for the Albuquerque Academy Invite, or it will be the same outcome."

Individually, Willie Comanche had the best time of any Ruidoso runner, stopping the clock at 17:23 and finishing 40th overall. That was 40th out of 160 runners, which should give an idea of the kind of mental obstacle the Warriors were facing.

"When they saw all the people and all the runners, they were a little overwhelmed," Nanz said. "They need to know to stay near the front, it's easier to stay up than catch up."

At a meet such as the Lobo, that strategy is even more important, as the course narrows rapidly after the start of the race. Such a confined area makes it difficult to get past other runners and gain any ground.

Following Comanche for the boys was Jhovanni Ruiz, who took 93rd overall with a time of 19:02, followed in quick succession by Samuel Klinkole, Chris Dunn, John Kaydahzinne and Thomas Rodriguez — all within 57 seconds of one another.

"They're running with each other pretty well, but they're still all about 50 seconds behind Willie," Nanz said.

Sarah Breecher was the fastest Lady Warrior on the day, running the 5K course in 23:16, good enough for 87th overall. Estree Valenzuela was 93rd at 23:30, with the rest of the team bunched in about a minute apart further back.

"Sarah has been running extremely well," Nanz said of Breecher's effort. "She put in a lot of work in the past week, and it paid off."

The Ruidoso runners head back to Albuquerque this Friday for the Albuquerque Academy Invite, a meet where they'll likely see more teams their size. They'll also be running on a more traditional cross-country course.

Defending state champions Academy and Pojoaque will be there, as will Bernalillo, Espanola, Menaul, Pecos and Round Valley, Ariz.

Nanz emphasized the mental work his team will need to put in this week to be prepared. He was also appreciative of the support given by the parents of his runners — many of whom made the trek to Albuquerque to watch their children run.

"I've been coaching track and cross country for six years, and the parents' involvement is phenomenal," Nanz said. "Their being there for the kids was amazing."

Lobo Invitational Results
Saturday, UNM North Golf Course
Boys Team — 1, Los Alamos 37; 2, Gallup 126; 3, Rio Rancho 141; 4, Pojoaque 149; 5, Eldorado 187; 6, La Cueva 206; 7, Cibola 243; 8, Wingate 252; 9, Albuquerque High 279; 10, St. Pius X 289; 11, Sandia High 289; 12, Tohatchi 325; 13, Highland 330; 14, Monzano 349; 15, Valley 349; 16, Santa Fe, 360; 17, Sandia Prep 446; **18, Ruidoso 471**; 19, Menaul 535.
Ruidoso Boys Individual — 40, Willie Comanche 17:23; 93, Jhovanni Ruiz 19:02; 105, Samuel Klinkole 19:26; 115, Chris Dunn 19:48; 118, John Kaydahzinne 19:55; 119, Thomas Rodriguez 19:59; 136, Braxton Forbes 22:25.
Girls Team — 1, Los Alamos 60; 2, Gallup 81; 3, Sandia High 99; 4, Rio Rancho 134; 5, La Cueva 174; 6, Pojoaque 256; 7, Eldorado 260; 8, St. Michael's 264; 9, St. Pius X 270; 10, Cibola 271; 11, Wingate 328; 12, Santa Fe High 331; 13, Mon=zano 348; 14, Navajo Prep 356; 15, Sandia Prep 391; 16, Albuquerque High 467; 17, Highland 473; 18, Valley 474; 19, Tohatchi 481; 20, Cuba 511; **21, Ruidoso 566.**
Ruidoso Girls Individual — 87, Sarah Breecher 23:16; 93, Estree Valenzuela 23:30; 123, Heather Johnson 25:14; 130, Samantha Bagley 26:31; 133, Eleanor Omales 26:43; 135, Melody LaBrecque 26:56.

Capitan rebounds with win in home opener

BY MARTY RACINE
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

CAPITAN — After a slow start, Capitan's reigning state volleyball champions finally found their game Saturday, beating Mountainair in three, 25-23, 25-18, 25-11, in their home opener.

Two days earlier, the Lady Tigers opened their season with a 3-0 loss at Estancia, falling short by scores of 25-18, 25-21 and 25-14.

"We didn't have good defense, and the chemistry wasn't working," said Capitan coach Sherry Gowen of the Estancia contest.

That defeat can partly be blamed on Capitan's late-starting season; their scheduled opener against Mescalero was postponed, while Estancia had already played several matches.

"You could tell," Gowen said of Estancia. "They were working together a lot better. They just had everything going for them.

"For our first game of the season, I kind of expected that. We were nervous and excited and just ready to get started, and we just beat ourselves. But we really improved and came around on Mountainair."

The Mountainair match revealed steady improvement in the Lady Tigers' play. After the first game that could have gone either way, Capitan pulled away late in the second game and dominated the third.

"If you're playing a team that's not up to your level, you should annihilate them," Gowen said. "They finally did that the third game. They really played their game and got after it. I was impressed. We just took control. That's what I was hoping to see."

Not that the Lady Tigers were sharp against the visitors. They had high passes and high sets and blew four serves. But they blocked well, even on the long hits. "That's hard to block a kid that's not right on the net hitting," Gowen said. "I was impressed with (Jennifer) Bartley and Candle (Turner) jumping up and blocking that girl hitting the ball at the 10-foot line."

Turner, Melissa Becker and Falon Sparks went the distance Saturday. "I don't sub out those girls," Gowen explained. "They have the ability to play all the way around. They have that foot speed on the back row and they're excellent passers."

That means the rotation is shaping up.

"I could take last year's state championship team and rearrange them a little bit and they would play (poorly), too," Gowen said. "It's when they find that cohesiveness and that chemistry among each other that they start clicking.

"It's my job to find out where they're clicking."

Next up is the Roadrunner tournament in Dexter and Hagerman, with pool play beginning Thursday. Last year the Lady Tigers finished last in the eight-team tourney, giving fresh meaning to Gowen's adage that it's not how you start the season but how you finish.

"It's a matter of peaking at the right time. I don't want these girls to be great right now. That'd be scary on my part.

"The improvement that I saw in the third game Saturday is where we need to be right now. We're heading in the right direction."

Lady Warriors fight hard at Zia

BY TODD FUQUA
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If Ruidoso's showing at the Zia Classic in Roswell is any indication, Lady Warrior volleyball fans could be in for a treat come District 4-3A play.

Ruidoso turned in an impressive performance at a difficult tournament, doing well enough in pool play to secure a spot in the championship bracket, then holding their own against some very tough competition, eventually finishing in sixth place overall.

"Just getting into that championship bracket was a big deal," said Ruidoso coach Maria Bennett. "The whole team has been making improvements from last year."

The fact that five of the eight teams in the championship bracket were from Class 3A should give an indication of how difficult state and regionals will be this season.

Ruidoso (5-5) faced Los Alamos, Silver and tournament host Goddard in pool play action, all Class 4A schools. They split with Silver and then swept Los Alamos.

They almost split with Goddard as well, finding themselves tied at 18-all in the first game before faltering on serves and serve receives.

Still, their pool record was good enough to get them into championship-bracket play.

The Lady Warriors opened up that bracket play with a match against district rival Portales, a team that's had Ruidoso's number for quite some time.

It looked as though the Rams would once again run roughshod over Ruidoso on Friday afternoon, winning the first two games of the match, 25-18 and 25-21.

But then the Lady Warriors found some determination and grit to win the next two 25-18 and 25-22. That determination ran out in the fifth game, and Ruidoso fell 15-3 in the final game.

"It could have gone either way," Bennett said.

Ruidoso faced Robertson in their next game, and again went to five games before prevailing 25-15, 21-25, 14-25, 27-25, 15-6.

"There were a lot of ups and downs, some mental lapses," Bennett said. "After we won the first game, we lost a little concentration, and it got worse in the third game."

Still, the Lady Warriors did move on to face Goddard once more. The Lady Rockets — a Class 4A powerhouse for several years — swept the Lady Warriors, 25-11, 25-20, 25-20.

Ruidoso played at Artesia on Tuesday, and have a full week to practice before playing at Socorro Sept. 25. Bennett said her team's performance at the Zia Classic should be a harbinger of things to come.

"This isn't as far as the girls can go," Bennett said. "We have a lot of work to do on defense and offense, and we need to bring a few games here for the district tournament.

"Almost beating Portales, that should give us some incentive."

Wings' loss not as bad as it looks

BY TODD FUQUA
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According to Corona-Vaughn Wings co-coach Tommy Mulkey, his team's 54-6 loss to Magdalena on Friday shouldn't be taken to literally.

"Just going by the score, we got our butts kicked," Mulkey said. "But we actually played pretty well."

The stats to this game support what Mulkey says. The score was only 16-6 at halftime, and the Wings coach felt pretty good about his team's chances in the second half.

But an obvious letdown in intensity allowed Magdalena (2-1) to pull away for the convincing win.

"If we had played the whole game, we could have beat them," Mulkey said. "We played a pretty decent first half."

The Wings (1-1) actually scored first, and the running duo of Chris Matson and Josh Diaz were putting together another fine game through the first half. But then Matson came out of the game with an ankle injury, which left a large hole in the Wings' offense.

Not that Mulkey is using that as the reason for their loss.

"There are no excuses, they beat us," Mulkey said. "But we were still hitting hard. That's something they didn't do at all last year."

After Matson's departure, Magdalena needed only a few scores to regain their confidence and eventually put the game out of reach.

The Wings were actually moving the ball well on offense, but every time they'd make headway down the field, they'd end up throwing the ball to a Magdalena defender to kill that momentum.

With five minutes left in the game and the score at 36-6, Mulkey and co-coach Leonard Velasquez made the decision to put in their younger players for the experience.

"We put in our smaller guys, and they did too," Mulkey said. "But their smaller guys were still a lot bigger than us."

The "smaller" Steers scored three touchdowns in quick succession to bring the game to a close on the 45-point mercy rule. Mulkey couldn't blame Magdalena for doing that, he was just glad some of the younger kids got to play.

The Wings head to House on Saturday for a 1 p.m. contest. House is considerably smaller than Corona/Vaughn in terms of numbers, meaning the Wings have a good shot at a victory this weekend.

Still, Mulkey is concentrating on a solid week of practice to prepare for the game.

"We'll be working on tackling everything in sight this week," Mulkey said. "We've got to teach them to wrap up good and make sure we get them on the ground.

"After beating Hondo and playing well against Magdalena, I'm not near as afraid of Floyd and Melrose," he added. "We'll give those teams a good game; there's nowhere to go but up for this team."

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WARRIORS: Return to form

FROM PAGE 1B

The Warriors tried to keep the momentum going in the second half after forcing Moriarty into another punt situation, but Ruidoso's ensuing drive was plagued by penalties.

The Warriors were flagged 12 times for 128 yards total in the game.

"We had some great looking plays, but there must have been something we did wrong on them," Bowden said. "We know we have to get those mistakes corrected so we don't have those setbacks."

On that first drive in the second half, four plays totaling 66 yards were called back, and the Warriors ended up giving the ball up on downs.

They got things going in the right direction on their next possession, as Mirau found the endzone on a six-yard run to cap a 59-yard drive and put the Warriors up 29-7 near the end of the third quarter.

"We saw when we didn't have those setbacks, we were able to punch it in," Bowden said.

Julian Serna later scored on a determined 8-yard run to make it 35-7 in the fourth quarter, and Bowden was able to put in the junior varsity players.

Moriarty was able to score a final touchdown with 5:45 left in the game when quarterback Adam Schaub hit James Dorcey for on a 13-yard score, but the final outcome had already been decided.

Ruidoso held the Pintos to just 132 yards total, all while amassing 426 yards themselves.

The yardage gained was pretty evenly distributed between the pass and run, and both quarterbacks were full of praise for their offensive linemen.

"They gave me plenty of time to throw," Williams said. "There were a couple of slip-ups, but they gave me enough time and that's all I can ask for."

"Brian Leadingham, Jake Tetrault, Jordan Torres, Greg Crow, all those guys did really well," Saenz said. "They pushed the ball hard and I'm glad they did."

Now the Warriors head to Silver City for another 4A opponent, and will spend another long week in preparation and practice.

"It was real exciting to see it all come together," Bowden said. "We've just got to get ready for the next one now."

Notes: Moriarty fullback Nate Dautenhahn entered the game leading his team in rushing, and did it again Friday, with just 29 yards on 11 carries...Mirau had 74 yards to lead the Warriors, but was joined by a host of teammates with high numbers, including Urban (61), Shendo (56) and Serna (40)...Hooper was again the star of the receiving corps, earning 110 yards on only four catches...The junior varsity Warriors lost a heartbreaker to Deming on Thursday. Leading 16-10 near the end of the game, Ruidoso had a punt blocked and the Wildcats got the ball on the Ruidoso 15-yard line. They later scored the winning touchdown. The JV Warriors next play Sept. 18 against Santa Teresa at 4 p.m. at Horton Stadium

TODD FUQUA/STAFF

Julian Serna, (48) leads Ruidoso back Rene Villafeal on a running play Friday against Moriarty. Villareal and Serna were two of five Warriors that gained good yardage on the ground.

THE BIG "R": Rough going above Horton

FROM PAGE 1B

only way to get there is to hike, almost a mile and a half, up a sheer mountain while carrying sledgehammers, paint buckets, rebar and wire mesh.

We're not just talking about putting a bunch of rocks together to form a letter, we're talking about shoring up the hillside, mixing paint with water to make it go farther, driving stakes in the ground and securing rocks with that mesh.

It's a lot of hard work, all while dangling precariously on the side of a mountain.

It turns out they ran out of paint, but they did move a few more rocks into place, so the "R" looks a bit more solid.

I suppose they'll go back up there sometime later with a bit more paint to really make it stand out. They're welcome to it. I'll just salute their effort from the lowlands.

On being a football "expert"

I admit I enjoy our paper's newest feature, the football contest. I'm not so sure I should be counted as a football "expert," however. Certainly not when it comes to the National Football League.

I suppose I haven't done all that bad. I've been right 58 percent so far — 11 correct picks each week. At least I'm consistent.

I'd have been two games better, though, if it hadn't been for the ridiculous NFL overtime rule.

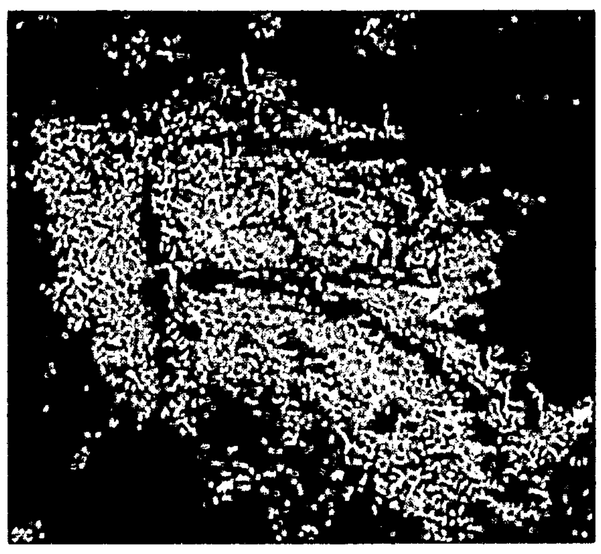
You know the one. Both teams tied at the end of regulation, a flip to see who gets the ball, and the team that wins the toss wins the game.

That's not really how it works out, but it might as well be. Come on, a sudden-death overtime? Whoever gets the ball first gets the win. Just drive to the opponent's 40-yard line, send in your kicker and come away with the victory.

It happened twice this weekend. St. Louis and Dallas were the benefactors. And I had chosen both of them to lose.

Why can't they do it like in college, high school, and just about every other civilized level of organized football? Give each team the ball at the 30-yard line (we're talking NFL here), and give each a shot at the end-zone. The coin flip won't matter near as much then.

That's about the only thing college football does right, by the way. But that's fodder for another column.



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RRRR Matey! They may look like ants, but those are volunteers from Ruidoso High, as seen from Horton Stadium, working on the "R" on the mountain

Grizzlies defeat Tularosa JV

BY TODD FUQUA
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So, three games into their first year as an 11-man team, and the Carrizozo Grizzlies are 2-1. Not too bad.

Coach Mel Holland still saw some areas to improve on following his team's 19-14 win over the Tularosa junior varsity on Friday, but is very happy to have his team where they are at this point in the season.

"The kids worked harder this week and were ready to improve," Holland said. "Tularosa was a good matchup for us. We're not a strong varsity team yet, and this was a good way to build confidence and get this thing going in the right direction."

Things didn't look good for the Grizzlies initially, as Tularosa scored on their first drive with little difficulty. But Josh Calvert later broke free on a long pass play to score Carrizozo's first touchdown to pull within two, 8-6.

"...This was a good way to build confidence and get this thing going in the right direction."

Mel Holland
Carrizozo football coach

Johnny Beltran later scored on another pass play, while Joe Samora scored on another run to make it 19-8 at halftime.

Then it was up to the Carrizozo defense, which held Tularosa to a single touchdown in the third quarter.

"We finally made somebody punt and played good defense," Holland said. "We played better and tackled better.

"We threw the ball a lot better and mixed it up," he added of the offense. "The biggest thing was the kids played harder."

The Grizzlies have the week off until Sept. 27, when they host the New Mexico Military Institute junior varsity in a 1 p.m. game.

SOCCER: Long week on tap for Warriors

FROM PAGE 1B

Santa Teresa scored two quick goals near the end of the first half, then the two teams battled fiercely in the second period. Each team had numerous chances at a score, but neither could get the ball into the net.

The Warriors almost had a goal in the last minute of the contest, when the Santa Teresa goalkeeper let the ball loose in front of the net, but no Ruidoso player was close enough to take advantage.

Lady Warriors

The Ruidoso girls have won three of their last four matches, and were looking to pull even in the win-loss column Tuesday against Artesia.

The Lady Warriors (3-4) won their match against Santa Teresa on Thursday thanks to some self confidence.

"Once they figured out they could beat them, they looked pretty good," said Lady Warrior coach Sigurd Schmitz. "It took them about 20 minutes to score, then it was a steady stream of goals after that."

Erika Olvera and Kara Sparks combined for all five goals the Lady Warriors put in on the night.

Ruidoso's stamina is being put to the test this week. Tuesday's game against Artesia marks the first of four games both the boys and girls teams will play in five days.

Both Warrior teams play in Alamogordo today — girls at 3 p.m. against the junior varsity and boys following against the Tiger varsity — then each host Carlsbad on Thursday. The girls match, again against a junior varsity squad, starts at 4 p.m., with the boys immediately following against the Caveman varsity.

The two teams then hit the road to face Santa Teresa one more time Sept. 20. The girls start things off with an 11 a.m. match, followed by the boys at 1 p.m.

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Ruidoso's Aaron Romero, left, battles with Santa Teresa's Griego Muños for the ball during the Warriors' 2-1 loss Saturday.

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Aggies' early lead doesn't hold against Oregon State

BY BROOK STOCKBERGER
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

CORVALLIS, Ore. — Momentum, that fickle mistress of athletics teams, played a cruel trick with the Aggies on Saturday.

She seduced New Mexico State's football team with an early, double-digit lead against Oregon State. She propped up the Aggies' egos with two big plays and gave them hope on a sunny September afternoon.

Then she coyly giggled and slammed the door on her suitor.

The Aggies led 13-0 after one quarter of play here against their Pac-10 hosts but then watched the Beavers score 28 unanswered points on their way to a 28-16 victory.

NMSU fell to 1-2 on the season while the Beavers improved to 2-1.

But before the Aggies turn misogynistic and blame Miss Momentum for all their ills, they must accept the fact that, often, she only gives back what she receives.

And NMSU gave her more than a few lumps of coal.

• The Aggies fumbled the ball four times and lost one.

• Despite the fact he nailed a career-long 53-yarder late in the game, NMSU placekicker Dario Aguiniga missed one extra-point attempt and also missed a 44-yard field goal attempt

• A pair of penalties on kickoff returns in the third quarter left the Aggie offense deep in Oregon State territory. Both times the Aggies took over possession on their own six-yard line.

• The Beavers sacked NMSU quarterbacks four times.

That all added up to a 12-point loss.

"We went up and then it started slipping away," linebacker Tim Patrick admitted, who said there was no one big play — like at Texas in the season opener — that broke the Aggie engine. "It was (happening) slowly. We made a few mistakes here and there and that cost us the game."

Added quarterback Paul Dombrowski: "We had momentum but we had missed opportunities. Their defense played well and they played hard (but) they were not quite as aggressive as I thought they would be."

Oregon State head coach Mike Riley, who watched his squad squander five turnovers and a lead the previous week at Fresno State, said he players responded differently against NMSU.

"That sort of stunned everybody," he said of NMSU's early score. "We were down, but I was really proud how we reacted. We came back."

The Aggies came out of the locker rooms with a plan to thump Oregon State quarterback Derek Anderson and force him into mistakes. Anderson was intercepted five times against Fresno State and had taken a lot of flak all week long from Beaver fans.

Against the Aggies, he started making mistakes on his own.

On the first possession of the game, Anderson dropped back to pass but the ball slipped from his hand and took an Aggie bounce off the AstroTurf. The pigskin jumped into the hands of NMSU defense end Greg Scaffidi who rambled 22 yards for the game's first touchdown. Placekicker Dario Aguiniga added the extra point to give NMSU a 7-0 advantage.

NMSU pushed its advantage to 13-0 when I-back Eric Higgins — who led NMSU in rushing on the day with 71 yards — broke through up the middle for a 47-yard touchdown run. Aguiniga missed the extra point when he booted the ball into the left upright, but the Aggies found themselves looking down from a double-digit loft.

"That's twice now that we've quieted the home crowd in the first quarter," linebacker Jimmy Cottrell said in reference to NMSU's 7-0 lead at Texas in the second quarter of that contest.

But, like against Texas, the good times did not last. The Beavers turned an NMSU mistake into a rallying point.

Aggie wide receiver Chris Duncan fumbled a pass reception to give the hosts the ball deep in NMSU territory. Anderson — who finished the game with 233 yards passing on 17 completions — threw a one-yard touchdown pass and the Beavers were on the board.

Oregon State was able to carry a 14-13 lead into the locker rooms at halftime thanks to a four-yard touchdown run by Steven Jackson. NMSU had a chance to put more points on the board in the second quarter, but could not convert a first down at the Oregon State 14-yard line into any points.

Scaffidi caused another turnover when he hit Anderson as he threw and caused a bad pass that linebacker Richard Glover intercepted and ran to the Oregon State 14. But a pair of bad pitches on option plays moved the Aggies back and Aguiniga misfired on the 44-yard field goal attempt.

And with that, the Beavers slowly started to put the Aggies away.

Jackson was a major source of consistency for the Oregon State offense. He rushed for 82 yards in the first half and 84 in the second to finish with 166 total.

"Is he the best back I've faced? Yeah, maybe," Patrick said of the 6-foot-3, 233-pound Jackson. "But he's just like every other back: if he gets his shoulder square to the line, he's going to find room. We didn't do a good job keeping his shoulder squad."

Jackson injured his knee with five minutes to go in the game and hobbled to the locker room with an ace bandage wrapped around the joint. Riley said he did not think the injury was serious.

By that time, NMSU was down 28-16 thanks to a 50-yard and an 83-yard scoring drive by Oregon State in the third quarter. The Aggies trying to hit a big play to construct a comeback. Pierce completed a pass to Dombrowski and NMSU attempted to convert a fourth down, but to no avail.

"We still have a lot of work to do," NMSU head coach Tony Samuel said as his squad heads into a bye week. "But I saw some (good) things. We've made improvements."

NMSU's next game is Sept. 27 at New Mexico.

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BYU defense outlasts Lobos

ALBUQUERQUE — Brigham Young didn't have to have too many plays to rack up the rushing yards in the first half of their game against New Mexico Saturday night.

Cougar quarterback Reynaldo Brathwaite found himself trapped in the first quarter on a busted play, reversed his field and uncorked an 89-yard run to set up BYU's first score, a 20-yard field goal by Matt Payne.

Brathwaite, who didn't actually score, did finish with 169 yards and the Cougars beat UNM 10-7.

After Payne's field goal, the Cougars (2-1, 1-0 Mountain West) never trailed.

Brathwaite later completed a 26-yard pass to Toby Christensen with 1:11 left in the game to give them a crucial first down. They then run out the clock to secure their win over the Lobos (1-2, 0-1 MWC).

All of BYU's scoring came in the first half. The Cougars followed up their field goal with a 29-yard touchdown pass from Matt Berry to Phillip Niu with six minutes left in the second quarter.

After that, their defense did most of the work, holding UNM to a single touchdown — a 3-yard run by DonTrell Moore with 4:38 left in the third quarter — for the rest of the night.

Hounds trounce NM Highlands

■ Eastern New Mexico University didn't wait around to finish off New Mexico Highlands.

BLACKWATER DRAW — Even after New Mexico Highlands had tied the score, Eastern New Mexico University left little doubt who would be the winner of this game.

ENMU quarterback Steven Hinson ran for three touchdowns and threw for another Saturday to lead the Greyhounds to a 45-14 win.

ENMU (2-0), had to battle a determined Cowboy team (0-2), which pulled to within ten points near the end of the first half.

But Eastern shut down any hopes of a Highlands comeback by holding their opponent to only 31 yards in the second half.

Hinson started the scoring with 7-yard run in the first quarter, following a 59-yard kickoff return by Corey White. After Highland's Nick Higgs hit Ikaika Neizman for a 48-yard touchdown near the end of the first quarter, Hound kicker Lee Price hid a 25-yard field goal to give his team a lead they would never relinquish.

Hinson later scored two more rushing touchdowns and threw a 31-yard TD pass to Derrick Hunter in the third quarter as the Hounds opened a 38-14 lead.

Jon Bell played most of the final 17 minutes at quarterback and led the Hounds to their final touchdown, which he scored on a 10-yard run with 6:02 left.

ENMU outgained the Cowboys 345-271 in total yardage, and was led by sophomore Dwayne Davis with nine carries for 58 yards. Six different Hounds were in double figures in rushing yards.

Highlands' only other score came with just nine seconds left in the first half, when Higgs connected with Jose Serate on a 12-yard touchdown pass.

Fishing report for Ruidoso area, Sept. 16, 2003

Rio Ruidoso: Slightly muddy from rains this week. Flies suggested are: pheasant tail, mosquito and parachute adams.

Bonito: Good reports on early morning and late afternoon-evening. Flies suggested are: parachute adams, mosquito, copper john, and the "Ruidoso Bubble" with a pistol pete.

Grindstone: Some action using the "Ruidoso Bubble" with a pistol pete. Also, good reports on getting further out in the lake using float tubes.

Eagle Lake: Low and mossy.

Upper Rio Ruidoso on the Reservation: Slightly muddy from rains this week. Flies suggested are: pheasant tail, mosquito and parachute adams.

Mulcock Ranch (Mayhill area): Call Fly's Etc. for a report and prices.

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LITTLE LEAGUE FOOTBALL

Lincoln County Little League Football Standings

Minors

	W	L	Pct.
Buccaneers	1	0	1.000
Cloudcroft	1	0	1.000
Steelers	1	0	1.000
Capitan	0	1	.000
Titans	0	1	.000
Mescalero	0	1	.000

Saturday, Sept. 13
Cloudcroft 31, Titans 24
Steelers 23, Capitan 0
Buccaneers 26, Mescalero 0

Saturday, Sept. 20
Buccaneers vs. Capitan, 10 a.m.
Titans vs. Steelers, 10:30 a.m.
Cloudcroft vs. Mescalero, Noon

Majors

	W	L	Pct.
Cloudcroft	1	0	1.000
Mescalero	1	0	1.000
Steelers	1	0	1.000
Buccaneers	0	1	.000
Capitan	0	1	.000
Jaguars	0	1	.000

Saturday, Sept. 13
Cloudcroft 19, Jaguars 0
Steelers 28, Capitan 7
Mescalero 41, Buccaneers 0

Saturday, Sept. 20
Steelers vs. Jaguars, 8:30 a.m.
Cloudcroft vs. Mescalero, 10 a.m.
Buccaneers vs. Capitan, Noon

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Area youth got the chance to show off their horsemanship skills Saturday at a charity show for Hoofbeats, Inc., a non-profit therapeutic riding program, at the Equibest Equestrian Center east of Ruidoso.
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TV GUIDE

WEEKDAY MORNING

	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00
2 KASA	Paid Program	Divorce Court	Judge Hatchett	Judge Hatchett	Good Day Live		John Walsh Show		Home Improvement	Crossing Over	Family Feud
3 KENW	Mister Rogers	Between the Lions	Barney & Friends	Teletubbies	Instructional	Varied Programs			Sit and Be Fit	Varied Programs	
4 KOBR	(7:00) Today				Living It Up! With Ali & Jack		Martha Stewart Living		News		Days of Our Lives
6 CNN	CNN Live Today				News From CNN		Live From...				Live From...
7 KOAT	(7:00) Good Morning America		Live With Regis and Kelly		The View		All My Children		News		One Life to Live
8 E!	Style Court		Varied Programs		E! News		Varied Programs				
9 USA	(6:00) Movie	Movie	Varied Programs				JAG	Varied Programs	Texas Ranger	Varied Programs	Movie
10 KBIM	(7:00) Early Show		Ellen DeGeneres Show		As the World Turns		Price Is Right		News	Bold, Beautiful	Young-Restless
12 KASY	Eliminidate	Paid Program	Texas Justice	Paid Program	Texas Justice	Paid Program	Jerry Springer		Jerry Springer		Ricki Lake
13 DSC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Guthy-Renker	Paid Program	Assignment Discovery		Home Matters		Home Matters		Surprise by Design
14 TNN	Miami Vice		The A-Team		Real TV	Real TV	7 Days		Star Trek: The Next Generation		Star Trek Gen.
15 FAM	Digimon-Digital	Beyblade	Power Rangers	Power Rangers	Hang Time	Living the Life	700 Club		Movie		
17 HBO	(6:00) Movie	Varied Programs			Movie	Varied Programs			Movie		Varied Programs
20 SHOW	(6:55) Movie	Varied Programs				Movie	Varied Programs			(:25) Movie	
21 MAX	(6:20) Movie	Varied Programs								Movie	Varied Programs
23 TNT	ER		ER		Law & Order		Law & Order		NYPD Blue		NYPD Blue
24 AMC	(:15) Movie	Varied Programs									
25 KRPV	Varied Programs		Believer's Voice	Duane Sheriff	Varied Programs	John Hagee Today	Update/Israel	Make Your Day Count	Varied Programs		Light-Southwst
27 COM	Paid Program	Paid Program	Movie				Daily Show	Varied Programs	Com.-Presents	Com.-Presents	Late Night
28 TLC	Wedding Story	Wedding Story	Dating Story	Dating Story	Makeover Story	Makeover Story	Second Chance	Perfect Proposal	Wedding Story	Wedding Story	Baby Story
29 TCM	Movie	Varied Programs			Movie	Varied Programs			Movie	Varied Programs	
32 UNI	Marta Susana		Mujer... Casos de la Vida Real		Todo Sobre Camila		Engañada		Rebeca		Clase 406
33 DISN	Rolie Polie Olie	PB&J Otter	Out of the Box	Bear in House	Wiggles	Wiggles	Stanley	Rolie Polie Olie	Winnie-Pooh	House of Mouse	Sabrina Series
36 ANPL	Pet Story	Pet Story	That's My Baby	That's My Baby	Emergency	Emergency	Pet Psychic		Pet Story	Pet Story	That's My Baby
38 ESPN	SportsCenter		SportsCenter		Varied Programs		NFL Live	Varied Programs			
39 NICK	Hey Arnold!	Rocket Power	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Rubbadubbers	Max & Ruby	Dora the Explorer	Blue's Clues	Dora the Explorer	Tweenies	Oswald
40 SciFi	Varied Programs										
41 FX	Buffy the Vampire Slayer		Buffy the Vampire Slayer		Beverly Hills, 90210		Ally McBeal		Practice		Movie
42 H&G	You're Home	Treasure Makers	Sensible Chic	Decorating Cents	Country Style	This Small Space	Across America	Simply Quilts	Carol Duvall	Room by Room	Designing-Sex
43 CNN-FN	(7:00) Market Call		Flipside			Biz	Money Gang				Street Sweep
44 WTBS	Dawson's Creek		Dawson's Creek		Saved by the Bell	Saved by the Bell	Cosby Show	Futurama	Family Guy	Movie	Varied Programs
45 WGN	Matlock		In the Heat of the Night		Rockford Files		News		In the Heat of the Night		Street Smarts
46 LIFE	Golden Girls	Nanny	Mad About You	Mad About You	Golden Girls	Nanny	Unsolved Mysteries		Movie		
48 FSSW	Best-Sports	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Varied Programs						
49 ESPN2	Varied Programs						SportsCenter		Varied Programs		
50 OUTD	(7:30) Cycling		RV Today	Paid Program	Varied Programs		High Five	High Five	Varied Programs		Cycling
51 HIST	Varied Programs						Modern Marvels		Varied Programs		
52 A&E	Murder, She Wrote		Murder, She Wrote		City Confidential		American Justice		Movie		
53 GOLF	(9:00) Paid Program	Paid Program	PGA Golf		Varied Programs						
54 CNBC	Morning Call				Power Lunch				CNBC's Open Exchange		Closing Bell
58 TRAV	Varied Programs		Famous Homes	Famous Homes	Great Hotels	Great Hotels	Epicurious	Great Chefs	Two for Las Vegas	Exotic Islands	Famous Homes

WEEKDAY AFTERNOON

	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30
2 KASA	Pyramid	Hollywood Squares	Be a Millionaire	Extra	Inside Edition	The Sharon Osbourne Show		Simpsons	Becker	Friends	Friends
3 KENW	Sagwa-the Cat	Arthur	Reading Rainbow	Varied Programs	Zoboomafoo	Liberty's Kids	Zoom	Headline News	Business Rpt.	NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	
4 KOBR	Days of Our Lives	Passions		Montel Williams		People's Court		News	NBC News	News	Access Hollywood
6 CNN	(:00) Live From...	Inside Politics	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzer Reports		Lou Dobbs Tonight		Anderson Cooper 360		Paula Zahn Now	
7 KOAT	One Life to Live	General Hospital		Maury		Oprah Winfrey		News	ABC Wld News	News	Ent. Tonight
8 E!	Varied Programs	Saturday Night Live		Varied Programs				E! News		Varied Programs	
9 USA	(12:30) Movie			Walker, Texas Ranger		Walker, Texas Ranger		JAG		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	
10 KBIM	Young-Restless	Guiding Light		Dr. Phil		News	News	CBS Evening News	News	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune
12 KASY	(:00) Ricki Lake	Extreme Dating	Extreme Dating	Judge Joe Brown	Judge Joe Brown	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	King of Queens	King of Queens	Every-Raymond	Every-Raymond
13 DSC	Surprise by Design	Surprise by Design		It's Christopher Lowell!		Christopher Lowell		Storm Warning!		Varied Programs	
14 TNN	Star Trek Gen.	Highlander		Real TV	Real TV	Real TV	Real TV	Blind Date	Blind Date	Star Trek: The Next Generation	
15 FAM	(12:00) Movie	Growing Pains	Growing Pains	Step by Step	Step by Step	So Little Time	7th Heaven		Switched!	Hang Time	B. Leonard
17 HBO	Movie	Movie		Varied Programs							
20 SHOW	(12:25) Movie	Varied Programs	Movie			Movie	Varied Programs		(:35) Movie	Varied Programs	
21 MAX	(12:30) Movie	Varied Programs				(:15) Movie	Varied Programs			Movie	Varied Programs
23 TNT	NYPD Blue	Judging Amy		Judging Amy		Charmed		Law & Order		Varied Programs	
24 AMC	(11:55) Movie	Varied Programs			(:35) Movie	Varied Programs				Movie	
25 KRPV	(:00) Light of the Southwest			Varied Programs		God Pleaser Program		Varied Programs	John Hagee Today	Update/Israel	Varied Programs
27 COM	(:00) Late Night	Saturday Night Live		Saturday Night Live		Movie				Saturday Night Live	
28 TLC	Baby Story	Trading Spaces		While You Were Out		Clean Sweep		Varied Programs			
29 TCM	(12:00) Movie	Movie				Movie				Movie	
32 UNI	(:00) Clase 406	El Gordo y la Flaca		Primer Impacto		Viviana	Noticiero Univisión	El Manantial		Velo de Novia	
33 DISN	Recess	Recess	Recess	Kim Possible	Proud Family	Sister, Sister	Even Stevens	Sister, Sister	Lizzie McGuire	Movie	
36 ANPL	That's My Baby	Emergency	Emergency	Animal Videos	Animal Videos	Crocodile Hunter Diaries		Funniest Animals	Funniest Animals	Varied Programs	
38 ESPN	Varied Programs			Around the Horn	Interruption	SportsCenter		Varied Programs			
39 NICK	Little Bill	Maggie-Beast	Bob the Builder	Tiny Toon Adv.	CatDog	Thornberrys	Rugrats	Rocket Power	As Told by Ginger	U-Pick	SpongeBob
40 SciFi	Varied Programs	X-Files		Knight Rider		Incredible Hulk		Varied Programs			
41 FX	(:00) Movie			Cops	Cops	Married... With	Married... With	Buffy the Vampire Slayer		Buffy the Vampire Slayer	
42 H&G	Designers' Challenge	Decorating Cents	Bed & Bath	Kitchen Design	If Walls Could	This Old House	Landscapers	Extreme Homes	House Hunters	Varied Programs	
43 CNN-FN	Street Sweep	Money & Markets		Your Money		Lou Dobbs Tonight		Your Money		Flipside	
44 WTBS	Movie	Varied Programs	Drew Carey	Drew Carey	Home Improvement	Home Improvement	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Friends	Movie	Varied Programs
45 WGN	Eliminidate	5th Wheel	Cosby Show	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Home Improvement	Will & Grace	Becker	Home Improvement	Movie	
46 LIFE	(12:00) Movie	Movie				Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Nanny	Nanny	Unsolved Mysteries	
48 FSSW	Varied Programs		54321	Varied Programs		54321	You Gotta See This!	Totally NASCAR	Varied Programs		
49 ESPN2	Varied Programs	X Games Highlights	Varied Programs								
50 OUTD	(:00) Cycling		Best of Bill Dance	Roland Martin	Expeditions	Varied Programs					
51 HIST	Varied Programs							Modern Marvels		Varied Programs	
52 A&E	(12:00) Movie	Murder, She Wrote		Murder, She Wrote		City Confidential		American Justice		Biography	
53 GOLF	Varied Programs	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Varied Programs			Golf Central	Varied Programs	
54 CNBC	(:00) Closing Bell	Closing Bell		Business Center			CheckPoint	News With Brian Williams		Kudlow & Cramer	Varied Programs
58 TRAV	Great Hotels	Varied Programs								World's Best	

THURSDAY EVENING — SEPTEMBER 18, 2003

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2 KASA	Stupid Behavior	Stupid Behavior	Temptation Island (iTV) (N) ∩ [HD]		News [HD]		Simpsons ∩ [HD]	Cheers ∩ [HD]	Dharma & Greg [HD]	Drew Carey [HD]	Blind Date ∩ [HD]
3 KENW	Soundstage Featuring Chicago [HD]				Sportslook	Chieftains: Down the Old Plank Road ∩ [HD]			Andre Rieu Live From Dublin ∩ [HD]		
4 KOBR	Friends "The One in Barbados" ∩ [HD]		(:10) Will & Grace "24" ∩ [HD]		(8:58) ER "Kisangani" ∩ [HD]		News [HD]	(:35) Tonight Show (N) ∩ [HD]		(:37) Just Shoot Me	(12:07) Late Night
6 CNN	Larry King Live [HD]		NewsNight With Aaron Brown [HD]		Lou Dobbs Tonight		Larry King Live		NewsNight With Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight
7 KOAT	Threat Matrix "Pilot" (N) [HD]		Extreme Makeover (N) [HD]		Primetime Thursday (N) [HD]		News [HD]	(:35) Will & Grace	Ent. Tonight	(:35) Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel
8 E!	Nikki Taylor: The El True Hollywood Story		Sarah Jessica Parker		Howard Stern (N)	Howard Stern	Wild On... "Wild on the Amazon"		Rank The 25 best-looking men.		Howard Stern
9 USA	★ "Anaconda" (1997) Jennifer Lopez. A huge snake stalks a film crew in the Brazilian jungle.				Law & Order: Special Victims Unit ∩ [HD]		Nash Bridges "Danger Zone" ∩ [HD]		Martin ∩ [HD]	Living Single [HD]	"Out of Annie's"
10 KBIM	Survivor: Pearl Islands "Beg, Barter, Steal" (N) [HD]			CSI: Crime Scene Investigation "Lady Heather's Box" [HD] (DVS)			News [HD]	(:35) Late Show ∩ [HD]		(:37) Late Late Show Carl Reiner; the Cure.	
12 KASY	WWE SmackDown! (N) ∩ [HD]				M*A*S*H [HD]	Cops ∩ [HD]	Married... With	Eliminidate (N) [HD]	Eliminidate	Cops ∩ [HD]	Street Smarts ∩
13 DSC	War Dogs		New Detectives: Forensic Science		Critical Rescue A winery terrace collapses.		Nature's Invisible Killer (N)		Earthquake Storms [HD]		Critical Rescue
14 TNN	Elimination	Elimination	Elimination	Elimination	Stripperella ∩	Ren & Stimpy ∩	Blind Date ∩ [HD]	Blind Date ∩ [HD]	Highlander "Black Tower" ∩ [HD]		7 Days ∩ [HD]
15 FAM	Home Videos	Home Videos	7th Heaven "Lost" ∩ [HD]		★★★ "Forever Young" (1992, Fantasy) Mel Gibson, Jamie Lee Curtis, Elijah Wood.				Whose Line?	Whose Line?	700 Club (N) [HD]
17 HBO	★★★ "And Starring Pancho Villa as Himself" (2003) Antonio Banderas, Eion Bailey. ∩ [HD]				Porn 101: XXXtra Credit		Inside the NFL ∩ [HD]		★★★ "Crimson Tide" (1995) Denzel Washington. ∩ 'R' [HD]		
20 SHOW	(:15) ★★½ "Josh and S.A.M." (1993, Drama) Jacob Tierney, Noah Fleiss. ITV. ∩ 'PG-13'				★½ "Hardball" (2001, Drama) Keanu Reeves, Diane Lane. ITV. ∩ 'PG-13' [HD]				Freshman Diaries	Freshman Diaries	(12:05) Boxing
21 MAX	(6:00) ★★½ "Batman Forever" (1995) [HD]		★★★ "Secretary" (2002, Comedy-Drama) James Spader. Premiere. ∩ 'R' [HD]				★½ "Collateral Damage" (2002, Action) Arnold Schwarzenegger. ∩ 'R' [HD]				Peep Show
23 TNT	★★ "Blade" (1998, Action) Wesley Snipes. A vampire hunter does battle with a vicious bloodsucker. [HD] (DVS)					Law & Order "Born Bad" (DVS)		X-Files "Underneath" ∩ [HD]		X-Files "Improbable" ∩ [HD]	
24 AMC	(6:00) ★★½ "Midway" (1976, Drama) Charlton Heston, Henry Fonda, James Coburn. [HD]					(8:50) ★★½ "Castle Keep" (1969) Burt Lancaster, Peter Falk.		(:45) ★★½ "Midway" (1976, Drama) Charlton Heston, Henry Fonda, James Coburn. [HD]			
25 KRPV	Light of the Southwest (Live)				Hour of Healing		Rev. J. Hansen	Jesse Lee Peterson	Update/Israel	Derek Prince	Light-Southwst
27 COM	Late Night (N) ∩ [HD]		Daily Show [HD]	Tough Crowd	Comic Remix [HD]	Trigger Happy TV	Insomniac [HD]	South Park [HD]	Insomniac [HD]	Insomniac "Dublin"	Daily Show [HD]
28 TLC	Crime Scenes Uncovered (N)		Crime Scenes Uncovered "Fool's Paradise"		Secrets of Forensic Science [HD]		Crime Scenes Uncovered		Crime Scenes Uncovered "Fool's Paradise"		FBI: Incident
29 TCM	(6:00) ★★★ "Battle of Britain" (1969, Adventure) Laurence Olivier.			★★★ "Operation Crossbow" (1965, Suspense) Sophia Loren, George Peppard. [HD]			★★ "Reunion in France" (1942, Drama) Joan Crawford, John Wayne, Philip Dorn.				
32 UNI	Niña... Amada Mía		Aquí y Ahora		Primer Impacto	Noticiero Univisión	Hasta en las Mejores Familias		Camila		Vivo por Elena
33 DISN	(6:00) "Hounded" (2001) Tahj Mowry.		Sister, Sister [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]	Kim Possible [HD]	Proud Family	Even Stevens [HD]	Sister, Sister [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]	Recess ∩ [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]
36 ANPL	Planet's Funniest Animals [HD]		Animal Cops: Detroit Abused animal dies.		Planet's Funniest Animals		Planet's Funniest Animals [HD]		Animal Cops: Detroit Abused animal dies.		Funniest Animals
38 ESPN	(5:30) College Football Texas A&M at Virginia Tech. (Live) [HD]				SportsCenter (Live) [HD]		Outside-Lines	Baseball Tonight	SportsCenter (Live) [HD]		SportsCenter
39 NICK	U-Pick ∩	Hey Arnold! [HD]	Rugrats ∩ [HD]	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Amanda ∩	Cosby Show [HD]	Cosby Show [HD]	Cheers ∩	Cheers ∩	Three's Company
40 SciFi	★★½ "Vampires" (1998, Horror) (PA) James Woods, Daniel Baldwin, Sheryl Lee. ∩ [HD]				Scare Tactics ∩	Scare Tactics ∩	Outer Limits "Caught in the Act" ∩ [HD]		Crossing Over	Crossing Over	X-Files "Patience"
41 FX	Married... With	Married... With	Cops ∩ [HD]	Cops ∩ [HD]	★★½ "French Kiss" (1995) Meg Ryan. An American woman crosses paths with a smarmy French thief.					Cops ∩ [HD]	Orlando Jones
42 H&G	Designing-Sex	Designers' Challenge	House Hunters	House Hunters	Weekend Warriors	Landscapers	Designing-Sex	Designers' Challenge	House Hunters	House Hunters	Extreme Homes
43 CNN-FN	(6:00) Flipside	Biz	Lou Dobbs Tonight [HD]		Your Money		Biznews				
44 WTBS	(6:00) ★★ "Tango & Cash" (1989) (PA)		(:15) ★★½ "The Quick and the Dead" (1995) (PA) Sharon Stone, Gene Hackman. [HD]				(:15) ★★ "Tango & Cash" (1989, Drama) (PA) Sylvester Stallone, Kurt Russell, Jack Palance.				"Quick-Dead"
45 WGN	(6:00) ★★★ "First Blood" (1982, Drama)			News ∩ [HD]		Becker ∩ [HD]	Will & Grace ∩	The Sharon Osbourne Show Jack Osbourne.		Eliminidate	Street Smarts ∩	Rockford Files
46 LIFE	★★★ "Men Don't Leave" (1990) Jessica Lange. A mother of two is devastated by her husband's death. [HD]					Golden Girls [HD]	Golden Girls [HD]	Nanny [HD]	Nanny [HD]	Any Day Now "Rebel With a Cause" [HD]	
48 FSSW	(5:30) College Football Northern Iowa at Stephen F. Austin State. (Live)				SW Sports Rpt.	Southwest Out	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live) [HD]				SW Sports Rpt.
49 ESPN2	MLS Soccer	Strongest Man	Baseball Tonight (Live) [HD]		Notre Dame: The Season Weekly [HD]		Baseball Tonight	X Games Highlights From Los Angeles.		NFL Live [HD]	Playmakers (N)
50 OUTD	Summer Sportszone		Auto Racing: Pro Truck Series		Defining Moments		Summer Sportszone		Auto Racing: Pro Truck Series		Yachting: Moet
51 HIST	★★½ "Heartbreak Ridge" (1986) Clint Eastwood. A Marine tries to whip a platoon of recruits into shape. [HD]					Tales of the Gun	Mavericks, Miracles & Medicine "The Brain"		★★½ "Heartbreak Ridge" (1986, Drama) Clint Eastwood. [HD]		
52 A&E	Paul McCartney in Red Square The ex-Beatle visits Russia in 2003. (N) [HD]				Third Watch "Ladies' Day" ∩ [HD]		Biography: George Carlin: 7 Words		Paul McCartney in Red Square [HD]		
53 GOLF	World of Golf	PGA Champ.	Quest for the Card	Golf Central	Golf Academy	PGA Golf Nationwide Tour -- Boise Open -- First Round.				Golf Central	Quest for the Card
54 CNBC	Capital Report		News With Brian Williams		Kudlow & Cramer		Capital Report		News With Brian Williams		Paid Program
58 TRAV	Bigfootville [HD]		America's Most Haunted		World's Best [HD]		Bigfootville [HD]		America's Most Haunted		Haunted Town [HD]

FRIDAY EVENING — SEPTEMBER 19, 2003

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2 KASA	Wanda at Large (N)	Luis "Pilot" (N)	Boston Public "Chapter Sixty-Seven" (N)		News [HD]		Simpsons ∩ [HD]	Cheers ∩ [HD]	Dharma & Greg [HD]	Drew Carey [HD]	Blind Date ∩ [HD]
3 KENW	Market to Market	Nature scene	Washington Week	Wall-Fortune	Riverdance: Live From Geneva			(:45) Beach Boys – Good Timin'			News-Lehrer
4 KOBR	Dateline Dartmouth College professors are stabbed to death (N) ∩ [HD]				Boomtown "Lost Child" ∩ [HD]		News [HD]	(:45) Tonight Show Seann William Scott. Kate Bosworth, the Bangles.			Just Shoot Me [HD]
6 CNN	Larry King Live [HD]		NewsNight With Aaron Brown [HD]		Lou Dobbs Tonight		Larry King Live		NewsNight With Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight
7 KOAT	America's Funniest Home Videos Mother's Day tribute. finalists vie for $100,000. ∩ [HD]				20/20 (N) [HD]		News [HD]	(:35) Will & Grace	Ent. Tonight	(:35) Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel
8 E!	Celebrities Uncensored		Celebrities Uncensored		Howard Stern (N)	Howard Stern	Wild On... From Aruba to the Bahamas		Star Dates (N)	Michael Essany	Howard Stern
9 USA	(6:00) "Exiled: A Law & Order Movie" (1998)		Monk "Mr. Monk Goes to the Circus" [HD]		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Graansha" ∩		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Stalked"		★★★½ "The Road Warrior" (1981, Adventure) Mel Gibson. [HD]		
10 KBIM	Big Brother 4 (iTV) (N) ∩ [HD]		JAG "A Tangled Web" ∩ [HD] (DVS)		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation [HD] (DVS)		News	(:35) Late Show ∩ [HD]		(:37) Late Late Show Robert Duvall, Seal. ∩	
12 KASY	★★ "Dumb & Dumber" (1994, Comedy) Jim Carrey, Jeff Daniels, Lauren Holly. ∩ [HD]				M*A*S*H [HD]	Cops ∩ [HD]	Married... With	Eliminidate (N) [HD]	Eliminidate	Cops ∩ [HD]	Street Smarts ∩
13 DSC	Canine Conspiracy		Now See This! [HD]		Wright Brothers: First in Flight (N)				777 -- The 21st Century Airliner		Wright Bros.
14 TNN	Star Trek: The Next Generation ∩ [HD]		Star Trek: The Next Generation "Masks"		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation ∩ [HD]		Gary the Rat ∩	Blind Date ∩ [HD]	Highlander "Unusual Suspects" ∩ [HD]		7 Days ∩ [HD]
15 FAM	Perfect Match: New York "Joe S." [HD]		7th Heaven "Consideration" ∩ [HD]		Janet Live in Hawaii				Whose Line?	Whose Line?	700 Club (N) [HD]
17 HBO	"Juwanna Mann" ∩		Carnivale "Milfay" ∩ [HD]	K Street ∩ [HD]	Real Time (Live) ∩ [HD]		Def Poets	Showgirls: Glitz & Angst ∩ [HD]			Inside the NFL [HD]
20 SHOW	(:15) ★★ "Impostor" (2001, Science Fiction) Gary Sinise. ITV. ∩ 'PG-13' [HD]				Soul Food "Attracting Opposites" [HD]		Street Time (iTV) ∩ [HD]		Dead Like Me "Vacation" (iTV) (N) ∩ [HD]		Chris Isaak [HD]
21 MAX	(6:00) ★★★ "Ocean's Eleven" (2001) 'PG-13'		★½ "FeardotCom" (2002, Horror) Stephen Dorff. ∩ 'R' [HD]			(:45) ★½ "Dangerous Desires" (2001) Richard Grieco. ∩ 'R' [HD]			(:15) Pleasure Zone	(:45) ★★½ "From Hell" (2001) 'R' [HD]	
23 TNT	(6:00) ★★★ "Analyze This" (1999) [HD]		★★½ "King Ralph" (1991, Comedy) John Goodman, Peter O'Toole. Premiere. [HD]				★★½ "The Cable Guy" (1996, Comedy) Jim Carrey, Matthew Broderick. Premiere. [HD]				★★½ "Fletch"
24 AMC	(6:00) ★★ "Earthquake" (1974, Drama) Charlton Heston, Ava Gardner, George Kennedy.				Fang vs. Fiction: Vampires and Werewolves		(9:55) ★★ "A Name for Evil" (1972, Horror) Robert Culp. [HD]			Tales-Crypt	Crypt Tales
25 KRPV	Light of the Southwest				Hour of Healing		Rev. J. Hansen	Camie Davis	Update/Israel	Decker-LaGrone	Light-Southwst
27 COM	Late Night (N) ∩ [HD]		Daily Show [HD]	Tough Crowd	Tracy Morgan: One Mic [HD]		Com.-Presents	Premium Blend [HD]	Com.-Presents	Com.-Presents	Book of David
28 TLC	While You Were Out (N)		What Not to Wear "Mary"		While You Were Out "Atlanta: Main Street"		While You Were Out		What Not to Wear "Mary"		Trading Spaces
29 TCM	"Cheap Detective"	(:45) ★★★ "Murder by Death" (1976, Comedy) Peter Falk, Peter Sellers. [HD]				★★★ "What's Up, Tiger Lily?" (1966, Comedy) Woody Allen.			★★★½ "Sleeper" (1973) Woody Allen, Diane Keaton. [HD]		
32 UNI	Niña... Amada Mía		Casos de la Vida Real: Edición Especial		Primer Impacto	Noticiero Univisión	Derbez en Cuando		Camila		Vivo por Elena
33 DISN	(6:00) ★★½ "Cadet Kelly" (2002) [HD]		Sister, Sister [HD]	That's So Raven	Kim Possible [HD]	Proud Family	Even Stevens [HD]	Smart Guy ∩ [HD]	Proud Family	Recess ∩ [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]
36 ANPL	Animal Kidding (N)		Animal Cops: Detroit "Backyard Battle"		Pet Star		Animal Kidding		Animal Cops: Detroit "Backyard Battle"		Funniest Animals
38 ESPN	(6:00) MLB Baseball Teams to Be Announced. (Subject to Blackout) (Live) [HD]				SportsCenter (Live) [HD]		Outside-Lines	Baseball Tonight	SportsCenter (Live) [HD]		SportsCenter
39 NICK	U-Pick ∩	Hey Arnold! [HD]	Rugrats ∩ [HD]	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Teenage Robot	Jimmy Neutron	ChalkZone ∩ [HD]	Cosby Show [HD]	Cosby Show [HD]	Three's Company
40 SciFi	Stargate SG-1 "Fragile Balance" ∩ [HD]		Scare Tactics (N)	Scare Tactics ∩	Stargate SG-1 "Fragile Balance" ∩ [HD]		Tremors: The Series "Flora or Fauna" [HD]		Scare Tactics ∩	Scare Tactics ∩	X-Files ∩ [HD]
41 FX	Married... With	Married... With	Cops ∩ [HD]	Cops ∩ [HD]	★★ "Porky's" (1981) Dan Monahan. Lusty high-school boys try to crash the local brothel.				Trash to Cash	Champions	Drive Shaft
42 H&G	Decorating Cents	Decorating Cents	Curb Appeal	Curb Appeal	Flea Market	Collector Inspector	Decorating Cents	Decorating Cents	Curb Appeal	Curb Appeal	Extreme Homes
43 CNN-FN	(6:00) Flipside	Biz	Lou Dobbs Tonight [HD]		Your Money		World News	World Report [HD]	World News	World Business	World News
44 WTBS	(6:00) ★★ "The Specialist" (1994) (PA)		★★½ "Murder at 1600" (1997, Suspense) (PA) Wesley Snipes, Diane Lane. [HD]				(:15) ★★★½ "Heat" (1995) (PA) Al Pacino. A homicide detective matches wits with a cunning adversary. [HD]				
45 WGN	(6:00) ★★ "Rambo: First Blood Part II" ∩		News ∩ [HD]		Becker ∩ [HD]	Will & Grace ∩	The Sharon Osbourne Show (N) ∩ [HD]		Eliminidate	Street Smarts ∩	Rockford Files
46 LIFE	"Sex and the Single Mom" (2003, Drama) Gail O'Grady, Grant Show. [HD]				Wild Card "Dead Again"		★★½ "Funny Valentines" (1999, Drama) Alfre Woodard, Loretta Devine. Premiere. [HD]				Mad About You
48 FSSW	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live) [HD]				SW Sports Rpt.	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live) [HD]			High School Scoreboard		SW Sports Rpt.
49 ESPN2	College Football Hawaii at Nevada-Las Vegas. (Live) [HD]						Baseball Tonight	X Games Highlights From Los Angeles.		NFL Live (N) [HD]	Outside-Lines
50 OUTD	Outdoor World	Ducks Unlimited TV	Great Outdoors	American Shooter	Elk Country Journal	American Shooter	Outdoor World	Ducks Unlimited TV	Great Outdoors	American Shooter	Yachting: Moet
51 HIST	Dead Men's Secrets (N) [HD]		Modern Marvels "Bombs" [HD]		This Week in History "Gangsters" (N) [HD]		Mavericks, Miracles & Medicine [HD]		Dead Men's Secrets [HD]		Modern Marvels
52 A&E	Biography: Women That Rock!		Meet the Royals "Charles & Camilla"		Third Watch "Falling" ∩ [HD]		Biography: Janis Joplin		Biography: Women That Rock!		Meet the Royals
53 GOLF	PGA Golf Champions Tour -- SAS Championship -- First Round.			Golf Central	Playing Lessons	PGA Golf Nationwide Tour -- Boise Open -- Second Round.				Golf Central	Golf With Style
54 CNBC	Capital Report		News With Brian Williams		Kudlow & Cramer	Louis Rukeyser	Capital Report		News With Brian Williams		Paid Program
58 TRAV	Travel Tech Types of bridges.		Maritime Magic (N)		World's Best "Cruise Ships" [HD]		Travel Tech Types of bridges.		Maritime Magic		Best Beaches

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SATURDAY MORNING — SEPTEMBER 20, 2003

		8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00
2	KASA	Kirby: Right	Sonic X (N)	Shaman King (N)	Mutant Turtles	Cramp Twins (N)	Funky Cops (N)	Under-Helmet	Pet Shop-Marc	Movie		
3	KENW	(7:30) America's Home Cooking: Cookies Home cooks share assorted family cookie recipes.					Victory Garden (N)	School of Fine Art	Joy of Painting	Wonderful World of	Quilt in a Day	Quilt Central
4	KOBR	Eyewitness News Weekend Edition		Croc Files (DVS)	Corwin Unishd	Trading Spaces	Endurance (N)	Strange Days	Scout's Safari (N)	Nu-Zymes Version 4	College Football	
6	CNN	On the Story		People in the News "Friends" (N)		CNN Live Saturday		In the Money		CNN Live Saturday		Next at CNN
7	KOAT	(6:00) News	Home Show	Lilo & Stitch (N)	That's So Raven	Wild Moments	Wild Moments	Paid Program	Mercury Media	The 2003 Hispanic Heritage Awards Gala		Show 2003W
8	E!	It's Good to Be	It's Good to Be	Paula Abdul: The E! True Hollywood Story		Love Chain	Love Chain	Celebrities Uncensored		Rank The 25 best-looking men.		Lisa Marie:THS
9	USA	★★½ "The Shadow" (1994, Adventure) Alec Baldwin, John Lone, Penelope Ann Miller.				★★★½ "The Road Warrior" (1981, Adventure) Mel Gibson, Bruce Spence.				★★★½ "Superman II" (1980, Fantasy) Christopher Reeve.		
10	KBIM	Thornberrys	Hey Arnold! (N)	ChalkZone	Little Bill	Dora the Explorer	Blue's Clues	College Football Tennessee at Florida. (Joined in Progress) (Live)				
12	KASY	Paid Program	Paid Program	Guthy-Renker	Paid Program	Frost Mortgage	Guthy-Renker	Full House	Urban Latino TV	BeastMaster "End Game"		Once a Thief
13	DSC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Wild Dog's Story		War Dogs		Canine Conspiracy		Living-Tigers
14	TNN	Realtree Outdoors	Buckmasters	Hot Rodding	Ride-Funkmastr	Super2NR TV	Car and Driver	Horsepower TV	Trucks!	Real TV	Real TV	Joe Schmo
15	FAM	Digimon	Beyblade	Power Rangers	Power Rangers	Beyblade	Dalgunder	Digimon	Medabots	Spider-Man	Spider-Man	So Little Time
17	HBO	(7:30) ★★½ "Scooby-Doo" (2002)		Inside the NFL		★★ "Behind Enemy Lines" (2001, Action) Owen Wilson, Gene Hackman. 'PG-13'				Reverb Bjork and Sigur Ros.		"Before and After"
20	SHOW	"Domestic Dstrb"	★½ "My Mom's a Werewolf" (1988) Susan Blakely. iTV. 'PG'			★★★ "Dominick and Eugene" (1988, Drama) Tom Hulce, Ray Liotta. iTV. 'PG-13'				★★ "Morgan Stewart's Coming Home" (1987) Jon Cryer. 'PG-13'		
21	MAX	"Power Play"	(:45) ★ "The Adventures of Pluto Nash" (2002, Comedy) Eddie Murphy. 'PG-13'			★★½ "Beautiful Girls" (1996, Comedy-Drama) Timothy Hutton. Premiere. 'R'				★★★ "Working Girl" (1988) Melanie Griffith.		
23	TNT	★★½ "The Cable Guy" (1996, Comedy) Jim Carrey, Matthew Broderick, Leslie Mann.				NASCAR Racing: Happy Hour		NASCAR Racing Busch Series -- Stacker 200. From Dover International Speedway in Dover, Del. (Live)				
24	AMC	(6:55) ★★★ "Gunfight at the O.K. Corral" (1957) Burt Lancaster.				(:20) ★★★ "Rio Conchos" (1964, Western) Richard Boone, Stuart Whitman.			★★ "Rooster Cogburn" (1975, Western) John Wayne, Katharine Hepburn, Richard Jordan.			
25	KRPV	Kingsley's Meadow	Faithville (EI)	Youth of Praise (EI)	Gospel Bill (EI)	ATF TV (EI)	Creation (EI)	La Luz de Suroeste (In Spanish)				En Contacto
27	COM	Beat the Geeks	Primetime Glick	★★★ "Biloxi Blues" (1988, Comedy-Drama) Matthew Broderick, Christopher Walken.				Ben Stiller	Ben Stiller	Ben Stiller	Ben Stiller	Saturday Night Live
28	TLC	Home Again	Home Again	Home Again	Home Again	Trading Spaces "Seattle 56th Place"		While You Were Out		What Not to Wear		Clean Sweep
29	TCM	★★★ "The Enforcer" (1951) Humphrey Bogart, Zero Mostel.			MGM Parade	★★½ "Virginia City" (1940, Western) Errol Flynn, Miriam Hopkins, Humphrey Bogart.				★★★ "Captains of the Clouds" (1942, Drama) James Cagney.		
32	UNI	Furcio	Locos y Sueltos	La Güereja y Algo Más		Qué Locura		Control		Caliente		"Asesino del Metro"
33	DISN	Stanley	House of Mouse	Even Stevens	Recess	Smart Guy	Even Stevens	Proud Family	Kim Possible	"Right on Track" (2003, Drama) Beverley Mitchell, Brie Larson.		
36	ANPL	K-9 to 5	K-9 to 5	Funniest Animals	Funniest Animals	Amazing Animal Videos		Growing Up... Three lion cubs		Kingdom of the Lion		Blue Ribbon
38	ESPN	SportsCenter	College Gameday (Live)			College Football North Carolina at Wisconsin (Live)						College Gmday
39	NICK	Rocket Power	Rocket Power	Rugrats	Rugrats	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Oddparents	Jimmy Neutron	Jimmy Neutron	Teenage Robot
40	SciFi	(7:00) Mystery Science Theater 3000		★★ "Exorcist II: The Heretic" (1977, Horror) Linda Blair, Richard Burton.				★★½ "The Exorcist III: Legion" (1990, Horror) George C. Scott, Jason Miller.				"Prophecy II"
41	FX	Beverly Hills, 90210 "Tainted Love"		Beverly Hills, 90210		Beverly Hills, 90210 "Fertile Ground"		Ally McBeal "The Pursuit of Unhappiness"		Ally McBeal "The Obstacle Course"		"Truth Abt Cats"
42	H&G	Ground Breakers	Landscape Sol.	Landscape Sm.	Garden-Yard	This Old Hse.	Renovations	Dream Builders	Modern Masters	Croppin' USA 2003		Amer. Gardens
43	CNN-FN	World News	World Sport	World News	Design 360	World News	Inside Africa	World News	World Business	World News	Music Room	World News
44	WTBS	Dawson's Creek "Hopeless"		★★ "The Crush" (1993, Suspense) Cary Elwes, Alicia Silverstone, Jennifer Rubin.				(:15) ★★ "The Specialist" (1994, Drama) (PA) Sylvester Stallone, Sharon Stone.				"Murder at 1600"
45	WGN	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Soul Train Tama		Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	★★★★ "Rocky" (1976) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.		
46	LIFE	Paid Program	Paid Program	Nanny	Women's Health	Nanny	Head 2 Toe (N)	★★ "The Art of Murder" (1999, Drama) Michael Moriarty, Joanna Pacula. (DVS)				"Murder in My Mind"
48	FSSW	High School Scoreboard		Paid Program	Paid Program	Big 12 Showcase	College Football Marshall at Kansas State (Taped)					
49	ESPN2	Great Outdoors	K9 Nation	N. Amer. Hunter	Sporting Dog	College Football Texas Tech at North Carolina State (Live)						College Gmday
50	OUTD	Pull	Sports Afield	Outdoor World	American Safari	Roland Martin	Csonka Outdoors	In-Fisherman	Best of Bill Dance	RV Today (N)	Yachting: Moet	Cycling: Espana
51	HIST	Magellan's Lost Fleet				Heavy Metal "M1 Abrams Supertank"		Scrapyard Scavenger "The Crossbow"		Deep Sea Detectives		Modern Marvels
52	A&E	Biography All the Presidents Kids" Lyndon Johnson, Steve Ford				Incurable Collector	House Beautiful	Seasond Travlr	All Year Round	Sell This House	Makeover Mamas	Closed Doors
53	GOLF	(7:00) European PGA Golf German Masters Third Round. From Cologne, Germany				Plugged In	Paid Program	Paid Program	PGA Golf Champions Tour -- SAS Championship -- Second Round. (Live)			
54	CNBC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Guthy-Renker	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program
58	TRAV	Passport to Design	Passport to Design	World's Best "Cruise Ships"		World's Best		World's Best Bathrooms		World Poker Tour "Reno"		

SATURDAY AFTERNOON — SEPTEMBER 20, 2003

		1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30
2	KASA	(12:00) Movie	Andromeda Rommie's old lover.		Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Stargate SG-1 "Revelations"		Maximum Exposure	
3	KENW	Kaye-Quilting	Creative Living	Needle Arts Featuring Shay Pendray		This Old House	Ask This Old House	To My Studio	Sewing-Nancy	Weekend Explorer	From Santa Fe	Country Music
4	KOBR	(12:30) College Football Michigan State at Notre Dame. (Live)					ER "The Dance We Do"		Hispanics Today	NBC News	News	Just Shoot Me
6	CNN	(:00) Next at CNN	CNN Live Saturday	Dollar Signs	People in the News "Friends"		CNN Live Saturday		Capital Gang		CNN Presents "America Remembers"	
7	KOAT	College Football UCLA at Oklahoma. (Live)							News	News	News	Ebert & Roeper (N)
8	E!	(:00) Lisa Marie: The E! True Hollywood Story			Sarah Jessica Parker		E! News Weekend		Rank The 25 best-looking men.		Celebrities Uncensored	
9	USA	(12:00) ★★★½ "Superman II" (1980)		★★★ "Total Recall" (1990) Arnold Schwarzenegger. Strange dreams lead an earthling to intergalactic intrigue.					Law & Order: Special Victims Unit		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	
10	KBIM	College Football Georgia at Louisiana State. (Live)							Postgame	College Football New Mexico at Washington State.		
12	KASY	(:00) Once a Thief	Adventure Inc. "Point of No Return"		Paid Program	Paid Program	★★ "Return to Macon County" (1975, Drama) Nick Nolte, Don Johnson.				Enterprise "Anomaly"	
13	DSC	(:00) Living With Tigers			Critical Rescue A winery terrace collapses.		Mysterious Hanging Coffins of China		Surprise by Design "Love at First Sight"		Surprise by Design "Emotional Healing"	
14	TNN	(:00) Joe Schmo	★★★ "Star Trek III: The Search for Spock" (1984, Science Fiction) William Shatner, Leonard Nimoy.					Real TV	Ride-Funkmastr	Ride-Funkmastr	Elliminatio n	Elliminatio n
15	FAM	Raising Dad	Growing Pains	Growing Pains	Step by Step	Step by Step	"Two of Hearts" (1999, Romance) Gail O'Grady, Rob Stewart, Maria Maples.				"Time Share" (2000) Nastassja Kinski.	
17	HBO	(:00) ★★ "Before and After" (1996) 'PG-13'		(:45) ★★★ "My Big Fat Greek Wedding" (2002, Comedy) Nia Vardalos. 'PG'			★★½ "Scooby-Doo" (2002) Freddie Prinze Jr. 'PG'				★½ "The Tuxedo" (2002) Jackie Chan.	
20	SHOW	(:35) ★½ "Crossroads" (2002) Britney Spears. 'PG-13'			(:15) ★★ "Lara Croft: Tomb Raider" (2001, Adventure) Angelina Jolie. iTV. 'PG-13'				★½ "Domestic Disturbance" (2001) John Travolta. 'PG-13'			"DC 9/11: Crisis"
21	MAX	(12:30) ★★★ "Working Girl" (1988) 'R'		★½ "Sniper 2" (2002, Action) Tom Berenger. 'R'			★★ "Fools Rush In" (1997, Comedy) Matthew Perry, Salma Hayek. 'PG-13'				★★ "From Dusk Till Dawn" (1996) 'R'	
23	TNT	Police Chases	★★½ "King Ralph" (1991, Comedy) John Goodman, Peter O'Toole, John Hurt.				★★★ "Analyze This" (1999, Comedy) Robert De Niro, Billy Crystal, Lisa Kudrow.				★★★½ "Lethal Weapon 2" (1989)	
24	AMC	(:40) ★★★★ "Shane" (1953, Western) Alan Ladd. A reformed gunman defends homesteaders from a cattle baron.					(:05) ★★★★ "Rio Grande" (1950, Western) John Wayne, Maureen O'Hara.				★★★½ "The Shootist" (1976, Western)	
25	KRPV	Derek Prince	Jesse Lee Peterson	Nathan McBride	Richard Booker	Joseph Good	Sam Peak	Biblical Israel	Chaim Richman	Jimmy Snow	Tommie-Corner	Joe McGee
27	COM	Saturday Night Live	Saturday Night Live		Saturday Night Live		Saturday Night Live		Saturday Night Live		Saturday Night Live	
28	TLC	Clean Sweep	Resident Life "Am I Awake?"		Wild Weddings "Love Conquers All"		Trading Spaces: Family		While You Were Out		Trading Spaces Dining room and family room.	
29	TCM	"Captains-Cloud"	★★★ "The Story of G.I. Joe" (1945, Drama) Burgess Meredith, Robert Mitchum.				★★★ "Battleground" (1949) Van Johnson. An account of World War II's Battle of the Bulge.				★★★½ "Coal Miner's Daughter" (1980)	
32	UNI	(:00) "Asesino del Metro" (1991) Jorge Luke, Jorge Reynoso.			Primer Impacto: Fin de Semana		Lente Loco	Noticiero Univisión	¡Suéltalo! Noticias sobre la farándula.		Sábado Gigante	
33	DISN	"Right on Track"	Recess	Recess	Kim Possible	Proud Family	Sister, Sister	Even Stevens	That's So Raven	Lizzie McGuire	"Right on Track" (2003, Drama)	
36	ANPL	Blue Ribbon	O'Shea's Big Adventure		Crocodile Hunter Diaries "Pressure Point"		Jeff Corwin Experience		Most Extreme "Predators"		Jungle Orphans (N)	
38	ESPN	College Gmday	PGA Golf Classic of Pennsylvania -- Third Round. (Live)				SportsCenter (Live)		College Gmday	(:45) College Football Miami at Boston College. (Live)		
39	NICK	ChalkZone	Hey Arnold!	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rocket Power	Rocket Power	Oddparents	Oddparents	SpongeBob	SpongeBob
40	SciFi	(:00) ★★½ "The Prophecy II" (1998) (PA) Christopher Walken.			★★ "Prophecy III" (2000, Horror) Christopher Walken, Vincent Spano.				"Dragon Fighter" (2002) Dean Cain. A genetically engineered dragon goes on a rampage.			
41	FX	(:00) ★★★ "The Truth About Cats & Dogs" (1996, Comedy)			Married... With	Married... With	Married... With	Married... With	Drive Shaft		Trash to Cash	Cops
42	H&G	Gardener's Diary	Secret Gardens	Curb Appeal	Top 10 Most Amazing Homes		Appraisal Fair	Collectible Treasures	Flea Market	Bargain Hunt	Decorating Cents	Divine Design
43	CNN-FN	Intl. Correspondents	World News	Intl. Correspondents	World News	World Sport	World News	World Report	World News	Design 360	World News	Business Traveler
44	WTBS	(:15) ★★½ "Murder at 1600" (1997, Suspense) (PA) Wesley Snipes, Diane Lane.				Home Improvement	Home Improvement	Friends	★★★ "Cliffhanger" (1993, Adventure) (PA) Sylvester Stallone, John Lithgow.			
45	WGN	(12:00) "Rocky"	Mutant X Prominent physicist		Andromeda Croatoan colony.		Home Improvement	Cosby Show	MLB Baseball Chicago Cubs at Pittsburgh Pirates. From PNC Park in Pittsburgh.			
46	LIFE	(:00) "Murder in My Mind" (1997, Drama) Nicollette Sheridan.			"Murder at My Door" (1996, Suspense) Judith Light, Johnny Galecki, Grace Zabriskie.				★½ "Murder at 75 Birch" (1999, Mystery) Melissa Gilbert, Gregory Harrison.			
48	FSSW	College Football	Big 12 Postgame	You Gotta See This!	Beyond the Glory (Taped)		SW Football Saturday (Live)		College Football Teams to Be Announced. (Live)			
49	ESPN2	NHRA Drag Racing Mid-South Nationals Qualifying (Same-day Tape)				NFL Live (Live)	College Football Arizona State at Iowa. (Live)					
50	OUTD	(:00) Cycling Vuelta a Espana -- Stage 14		Boat Improvement	Summer Sportszone		Rodeo PRCA Lawton Wranglers Rodeo.		Fishing FLW Tour (Taped)		Bull Riding PBR Series. From Reno, Nev	
51	HIST	Modern Marvels	Tactical to Practical		Hands on History (N)	Hands on History	Guts & Bolts	Shifting Gears (N)	Conquest	Mail Call	History Undercover "The Too Perfect Spy"	
52	A&E	Closed Doors	Detective Beat Murder of a teen		Investigative Reports		Parole Board "Southern New Jersey"		City Confidential		American Justice: Black Widow of Vegas	
53	GOLF	PGA Golf	Golf Academy	Paid Program	PGA Golf Nationwide Tour -- Boise Open -- Third Round. From Hillcrest Country Club in Boise, Idaho. (Live)					Golf Central	PGA Golf: Champions Tour	
54	CNBC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Outside the Box		Suze Orman	
58	TRAV	Poker Tour	Travel Tech Types of bridges.		Secrets The Italian capital		Secrets Monster trucks		Secrets Steak-eating contest		Outrageous Millionaire Services	

SATURDAY EVENING — SEPTEMBER 20, 2003

		7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2	KASA	Cops (N)	Cops (PA)	America's Most Wanted-Fights Back		News		Mad TV (N)		★★★ "Planes, Trains and Automobiles" (1987) Steve Martin.		
3	KENW	Dutton's Live at the Iowa State Fair			All-Star Bluegrass Celebration II Vince Gill hosts the second bluegrass celebration.				Soundstage Featuring Chicago			
4	KOBR	Outrageous Game Show Moments		Law & Order "Tragedy on Rye"		Law & Order "Seer"		News	Saturday Night Live Christopher Walken, the Foo Fighters.		Caleb Crump	
6	CNN	Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night		Next at CNN
7	KOAT	Miss America Women from all 50 states and Washington, D.C., vie for the crown. From Boardwalk Hall, Atlantic City (Taped)						News	(:35) Will & Grace	(:05) Practice "Killing Time"		(12:05) She Spies
8	E!	It's Good to Be	Love Chain	Saturday Night Live		Wild On... "Tropical Pleasures"		Howard Stern	Howard Stern	Anna Nicole	Anna Nicole	Anna Nicole
9	USA	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Closure"		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit		Law & Order: Criminal Intent		"Exiled: A Law & Order Movie" (1998, Drama) Chris Noth.		
10	KBIM	(5:30) College Football New Mexico at Washington State			Postgame	District "Into the Sunset"		News	Powerball-Gme.	(:05) Billy Graham	(:35) 48 Hours Investigates	
12	KASY	Buffy the Vampire Slayer "Flooded"		Buffy the Vampire Slayer		WWE Bottom Line		WWE After Burn		Jerry Springer Explosive affairs.		Paid Program
13	DSC	C.I.A. Sexpionage		CIA: Hollywood Spytech		American Chopper "Black Widow 2"		Monster Garage		Monster House "70s Disco House"		American Chopper
14	TNN	SlamBall		WWE Velocity (N)		WWE Confidential (N)		Eliminatio n	Eliminatio n	American Gladiators Round 1 finals.		Fantasy Football
15	FAM	(6:00) "Time Share" (2000) Timothy Dalton		7th Heaven "Sin" (Part 1 of 2)		★½ "Picture Perfect" (1997, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Jay Mohr, Kevin Bacon.				"Lucky 7" (2003) Kimberly Williams-Paisley, Gail O'Grady.		
17	HBO	★½ "The Tuxedo"	(:45) Boxing Chris Byrd vs. Fres Oquendo. (Live)					Sex and the City	(:35) Carnivale "Milfay"		(:35) ★★½ "Murder by Numbers" (2002)	
20	SHOW	(6:30) "DC 9/11: Time of Crisis" (2003) Timothy Bottoms. iTV.			Movie News	★★½ "Zoolander" (2001) Ben Stiller. iTV. 'PG-13'			★★ "Vanilla Sky" (2001, Fantasy) Tom Cruise, Penelope Cruz, Cameron Diaz. iTV. 'R'			
21	MAX	(6:00) ★★ "From Dusk Till Dawn" 'R'		★★½ "Star Wars: Episode II – Attack of the Clones" (2002) Ewan McGregor. Premiere. 'PG'						"Sex, Secrets and Betrayals" (2001) Nikki Fritz. 'NR'		Passion Cove
23	TNT	(6:00) ★★★½ "Lethal Weapon 2" (1989) Mel Gibson. Premiere.				★★★ "Ghostbusters" (1984, Comedy) Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd, Harold Ramis.				(:45) ★★½ "The Goonies" (1985, Adventure) Sean Astin, Josh Brolin, Jeff Cohen.		
24	AMC	(6:00) ★★★½ "The Shootist" (1976)		(7:55) ★★★ "The Comancheros" (1961, Western) John Wayne, Stuart Whitman, Lee Marvin.				(9:50) ★★★½ "The Shootist" (1976) John Wayne, Lauren Bacall.			(:45) ★★★ "The Comancheros" (1961)	
25	KRPV	Light of the Southwest				Cornerstone		Drawing Men to Christ		Tommie-Corner	Jimmy Snow	Light-Southwst
27	COM	Com.-Presents	Com.-Presents	Late Night With Conan O'Brien: 10th Anniversary Special (N)			Crank Yankers	Reno 911!	Reno 911!	South Park	Man Show	Man Show
28	TLC	Trading Spaces "Ohio: Shelby Avenue"		Date Patrol "Ken" (N)		Trading Spaces Dining room and family room.		Trading Spaces "Ohio: Shelby Avenue"		Date Patrol "Ken"		While You Were Out
29	TCM	(6:00) ★★★½ "Coal Miner's Daughter" (1980) Sissy Spacek.				★★★½ "Bound for Glory" (1976) David Carradine. Oscar-winning portrait of singer-songwriter Woody Guthrie.				★★★ "The Buddy Holly Story" (1978) Gary Busey.		
32	UNI	(6:00) Sábado Gigante				Primer Impacto	Noticiero Univisión	Otro Rollo				Picardía Mexicana
33	DISN	(6:00) "Right on Track" (2003, Drama)		Sister, Sister	That's So Raven	Kim Possible	Proud Family	Even Stevens	Smart Guy	Proud Family	Recess	Boy Meets World
36	ANPL	Zoo Babies		Dogs of Peace (N)		Jungle Orphans		Zoo Babies		Dogs of Peace		Most Extreme
38	ESPN	(5:45) College Football Miami at Boston College. (Live)			(:45) SportsCenter (Live)			College Gameday Final (Live)		SportsCenter (Live)		SportsCenter
39	NICK	As Told by Ginger	ChalkZone	Jimmy Neutron	Oddparents	All That	Romeo! (N)	Amanda	Cousin Skeeter	Cosby Show	Cosby Show	Three's Company
40	SciFi	"Deadly Swarm" (2003) Shane Brolly. A plane crash releases a shipment of deadly wasps.				★★ "Screamers" (1995, Science Fiction) Peter Weller, Jennifer Rubin, Andy Lauer.				"Deadly Swarm" (2003) Shane Brolly, Kaarina Aufranc.		
41	FX	★★ "Porky's" (1981) Dan Monahan. Lusty high-school boys try to crash the local brothel.				★★ "American Pie" (1999, Comedy) Jason Biggs. Four teens attempt to lose their virginity by prom night.					Orlando Jones	Orlando Jones
42	H&G	Designing-Sex	Mission: Orgnz	Designers' Challenge	Design on a Dime	Decorating Cents	Divine Design	Designing-Sex	Mission: Orgnz	Designers' Challenge	Design on a Dime	Flea Market
43	CNN-FN	Intl. Correspondents	World Sport	World Business	People in the News	World News	Inside Africa	World News	World Report	World News	Intl. Correspondents	World News
44	WTBS	★★½ "Point Break" (1991, Drama) (PA) Patrick Swayze. An FBI agent infiltrates California's surfing subculture.					★★★½ "Basic Instinct" (1992, Suspense) (PA) Michael Douglas, Sharon Stone.				(:45) ★★★ "Cliffhanger" (1993) (PA)	
45	WGN	MLB Baseball: Cubs at Pirates		News		Special Report	★★★ "Rocky II" (1979, Drama) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire, Burgess Meredith.				Rockford Files	
46	LIFE	Wild Card "Con Artistry"		1-800-Missing "This is Your Life" (N)		What Should You Do? (N)		Nanny	Nanny	Nanny	Designing Women	Paid Program
48	FSSW	(5:00) College Football Teams to Be Announced. (Live)			Hardcore Football (Live)		Best Damn Sports Show Period		Fant. Football	Beyond-Glory	Hardcore Football	
49	ESPN2	(:15) College Football Teams to Be Announced. (Live)						(:15) Baseball Tonight (Live)		NFL Live	Tennis: Davis Cup -- Slovakia vs. U.S.	
50	OUTD	BullRiding: PBR	PBR Total Bull (N)	Shotgun Journal	Shotgun Journal	Bull Riding PBR Series. From Reno, Nev.			PBR Total Bull	Shotgun Journal	Shotgun Journal	Fishing FLW Tour.
51	HIST	Come Home Alive (N)		Dead Reckoning "DNA's Debut" (N)		Vanishings! (N)	Vanishings! (N)	History Undercover "The Too Perfect Spy"		Come Home Alive		Dead Reckoning
52	A&E	Cold Case Files A Minnesota serial-killer.		Crossing Jordan "Ockham's Razor"		MI-5 "Hackers"		American Justice: Black Widow of Vegas		Cold Case Files A Minnesota serial-killer.		Crossing Jordan
53	GOLF	PGA Golf Champions Tour -- SAS Championship -- Second Round.			Golf Central	Plugged In	PGA Golf Nationwide Tour -- Boise Open -- Third Round.				Golf Central	Golf Academy
54	CNBC	Kudlow and Cramer Weekend		Tim Russert		Suze Orman		Kudlow and Cramer Weekend		Tim Russert		Paid Program
58	TRAV	World's Richest Penthouses		More Billionaire Toys		Outrageous Millionaire Services		World's Richest Penthouses		More Billionaire Toys		World's Best

POOP SCOOP

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Another reader sent me a great article about the ability of pets to understand human communication.

Apparently, a columnist who is a veterinarian and writes in an Illinois newspaper offered the opinion that animals can't understand human conversation.

He changed his mind after Joe Holland, a Michigan resident, wrote about his family's interaction with their dog, Mitsi.

A gift to his son as a companion to keep th boy company when he was alone in the evening, Mitsi received no real training until she was about a year old. One day, Holland's son show his father that Mitsi would retrieve his mother's slippers from the bedroom on verbal command.

Here's part of the rest of the text by Holland:

"Another time my wife asked Mitsi to get her tennis shoes. She didn't come down right away and my wife wondered why it was taking her so long. We could hear her rummaging around in the bedroom. Then my wife called to her, 'Oh, Mitsi, they're in the bathroom.' We could hear her run to the bathroom and down she came with the shoes.

Once I couldn't find one of my bedroom slippers and accused my son of misplacing it. He said he had not seen it and asked Mitsi where it was. She got up, went behind our sofa and came out with it. Evidently, she had taken it there.

Our daughter played the organ and practiced at the church near our home, but she needed the keys to the church to get in. She called me from the church and I gave the keys to Mitsi and told her to take then to Ruth at the church a half block away. Of course, she obeyed quickly and then came back home.

Mitsi was very nervous when we were preparing our trailer for a camping trip and I'm sure she was concerned whether she wold get to go along. I said, 'Mitsi, do you want to go camping with us?' She began spinning in circles and yipping. I said, 'OK, then go get your dish and put it in the car.' She immediately ran down in the basement, picked up her dish and dropped it on the floorboard of our car, then came out wagging her tail. She knew she was going camping with us.

All of our commands to Mitsi were verbal only; there were no other signs or instructions. I could give you many other stories about her, but I've given too many already. But our dog Mitsi DID understand English."

Pet Corner

These pets are currently up for adoption at Lincoln County Humane Society

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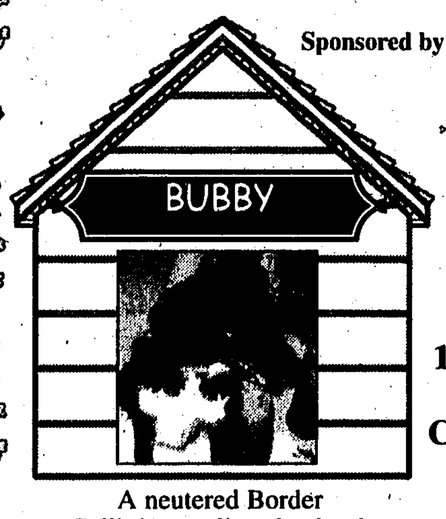

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This bunch of 8-week-old Rottweiler/Chow Chow mix puppies are adorable to watch and should become wonderful, protective companions.

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SUNDAY MORNING — SEPTEMBER 21, 2003

		8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00
2	KASA	Fox News Sunday ∩		Vaughan Home	Homebuilder	Fox NFL Sunday (Live) ∩		NFL Football Tampa Bay Buccaneers at Atlanta Falcons. From the Georgia Dome in Atlanta. (Live) ∩				
3	KENW	Bookworm Bunch ∩ (EI)				Kid Concoctions ∩			Great Parents, Great Kids			When Your
4	KOBR	Hoffmantown	Chris Matthews	Meet the Press		Eye on New Mex	Ctdwn-Green	NASCAR Racing Winston Cup Series -- MBNA America 400. From Dover International Speedway in Dover, Del.				
6	CNN	CNN Live Sunday			Reliable Sources	Late Edition Primetime				People in the News "Friends"		In the Money
7	KOAT	(6:00) News	Catholic Mass	Recess (N)	Fillmore (N)	Proud Family (N)	Lizzie McGuire	Women's Soccer World Cup -- Sweden vs United States. (Joined in Progress) (Live)				IRL Racing
8	E!	Paula Abdul: The E! True Hollywood Story		E! News Weekend		Countdown to the Red Carpet: The 2003 Emmy Awards Awaiting Hollywood stars for the 2003 Emmys. (Live)						
9	USA	Peacemakers "Perfect Crime"		PGA Tour Sunday (Live)		JAG "To Russia, With Love" ∩		"A Dangerous Affair" (1995, Suspense) Connie Sellecca, Gregory Harrison.				"Murder Green."
10	KBIM	(7:30) CBS News Sunday Morning ∩		Face the Nation ∩	Paid Program	NFL Today (Live)		NFL Football Kansas City Chiefs at Houston Texans. From Reliant Stadium in Houston. (Live)				
12	KASY	All Dogs Go	All Dogs Go	All Dogs Go	Berenstain Bears (EI)	To Be Announced	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	BeastMaster "End Game" ∩		"Mean Streets"
13	DSC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Survive VIII		Survive IX		Wright Brothers: First In Flight		
14	TNN	Buckmasters	Realtree Outdoors	Ride-Funkmastr	NOPI Tu-nervision	Super2NR TV	Car and Driver	Horsepower TV	Trucks! ∩	Blind Date ∩	Blind Date ∩	Blind Date ∩
15	FAM	Digimon	Beyblade ∩	Power Rangers	Power Rangers	Beyblade ∩	Dalgunder	Digimon	Medabots ∩	Power Rangers	Power Rangers	Two of a Kind
17	HBO	"The Time Machine"	Once-Mexico	Tracey Takes	★★★ "Mrs. Doubtfire" (1993, Comedy) Robin Williams, Sally Field. ∩ 'PG-13'				(:45) ★★★ "Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone" (2001) Daniel Radcliffe. ∩ 'PG'			
20	SHOW	"Blue Moon"	★½ "Son-in-Law" (1993) Pauly Shore. ITV. ∩ 'PG-13'			(:05) ★½ "Once Bitten" (1985) Lauren Hutton. ITV. 'PG-13'			(:45) ★★★ "10,000 Black Men Named George" (2002) 'R'			"The Day-trippers"
21	MAX	(7:30) ★★½ "Shallow Hal" (2001) Gwyneth Paltrow. 'PG-13'				★★ "Freejack" (1992) Emilio Estevez. A mishap hurls a race-car driver into the future. 'R'			"Beavis and Butt-head Do America" ∩	Underworld		"Hot Shts-Deux"
23	TNT	(7:00) ★★★ "Beetlejuice" (1988)			★★★ "Ghostbusters" (1984, Comedy) Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd, Harold Ramis.				(:15) ★★½ "K-9" (1989) James Belushi, Mel Harris. A narcotics agent and a unique police dog join forces.			
24	AMC	(:05) ★★★★ "High Noon" (1952, Western) Gary Cooper, Grace Kelly, Otto Kruger.				(9:50) ★★★ "The Rare Breed" (1966) James Stewart.			(:45) ★★★★ "The Searchers" (1956, Western) John Wayne, Jeffrey Hunter.			
25	KRPV	Ministerio Nueva Vida Jesús Cisneros.		Coral Ridge Hour		First Baptist Church of Midland		Tommie-Corner	Liberty Counsel	Drawing Men to Christ		La Luz de Suroeste
27	COM	Beat the Geeks	Sports Night	★★½ "The Out-of-Towners" (1999, Comedy) Steve Martin, Goldie Hawn.				★★½ "Robin Hood: Men in Tights" (1993, Comedy) Cary Elwes, Richard Lewis.				Reno 911!
28	TLC	Home Again	Home Again	Trading Spaces: Family		Trading Spaces "Ohio: Shelby Avenue"		While You Were Out		Junkyard Mega-Wars Combines to cut oats.		Destination
29	TCM	★★★½ "Cabaret" (1972) Liza Minnelli. An American woman in Berlin is caught in the tide of Nazism.					★★★ "Since You Went Away" (1944) Claudette Colbert, Joseph Cotten. A family faces life on the home front during World War II.					
32	UNI	Gran Musical		República Deportiva				Fútbol de la Liga Mexicana Toluca vs. Guadalajara. (En Vivo)				Nuestra Belleza
33	DISN	Stanley	House of Mouse ∩	★★★ "The Emperor's New Groove" (2000, Comedy) Voices of David Spade. 'G'				Proud Family	Kim Possible	That's So Raven	Lizzie McGuire	Boy Meets World
36	ANPL	K-9 to 5	K-9 to 5	Funniest Animals	Funniest Animals	Amazing Animal Videos Baby animals.		Duma the Cheetah		Crater: Africa's Predator Paradise		Surviving the Wild
38	ESPN	Sports Reporters (N)	SportsCenter	Sunday NFL Countdown (Live)				NHRA Drag Racing Mid-South Nationals. From Memphis Motorsports Park in Millington, Tenn.				PGA Golf
39	NICK	Rocket Power ∩	Rocket Power ∩	Rugrats ∩	ChalkZone ∩	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Oddparents	Jimmy Neutron	Jimmy Neutron	Hey Arnold!
40	SciFi	Twilight Zone		★★ "No Escape" (1994) Ray Liotta, Stuart Wilson. A Marine convict is sentenced to a deadly island prison. ∩				★★½ "Waterworld" (1995) Kevin Costner. A lone seafarer must protect a child from vicious pirates. ∩				
41	FX	Beverly Hills, 90210 "The Final Proof"		Beverly Hills, 90210 "Doc Martin" ∩		Beverly Hills, 90210 "Eddie Walikus"		Ally McBeal ∩		Ally McBeal ∩		"On Deadly"
42	H&G	Ground Breakers	Landscape Sol.	Landscape Sm.	Garden-Yard	This Old House ∩	Restore America	Dream Builders	Landscapers	Treasure Makers	Decorating Cents	Sensible Chic
43	CNN-FN	World News	World Sport	World News	World Report	Late Edition				World News	Design 360	World News
44	WTBS	(7:30) ★★ "Baby Snatcher" (1992, Drama) Veronica Hamel.			Police Chases	World's Scariest Police Chases 3 ∩		MLB Baseball Florida Marlins at Atlanta Braves. From Turner Field in Atlanta. (Live)				
45	WGN	Cosby Show	Cosby Show	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	BeastMaster "End Game" ∩		Push-Playoffs	MLB Baseball Chicago Cubs at Pittsburgh Pirates. From PNC Park in Pittsburgh			
46	LIFE	I Do Diaries: Instant Wedding		"Summer of Fear" (1996, Suspense) Gregory Harrison, Corin Nemec, Glynnis O'Connor.				"Liar, Liar: Between Father and Daughter" (1993) Art Hindle, Rosemary Dunsmore.				"I Know What"
48	FSSW	Beyond-Glory	Fant. Football	NASCAR This Morning (Live)		H.S. Spotlight		Paid Program	You Gotta See This!	Halls of Fame	Mesquite Rodeo	HS Baseball
49	ESPN2	Sporting Dog	Hunting Count.	NHRA 2day	RPM 2Day (Live)	Indy Racing 2Day	Baseball Tonight	MLB Baseball Teams to Be Announced. (Subject to Blackout) (Live)				
50	OUTD	Shotgun Journal	Water Dogs	Ducks Unlimited TV	Addictive Fishing	Sport Fishing	Trout Unlimited	Fishing FLW Tour		RV Today ∩	Yachting: Moet	Cycling: Espana
51	HIST	This Week in History "Gangsters"		Tactical to Practical		Mavericks, Miracles & Medicine "The Heart"		Mavericks, Miracles & Medicine		Mavericks, Miracles & Medicine "The Brain"		Medicine
52	A&E	★★★ "Beverly Hills Cop II" (1987, Comedy) Eddie Murphy, Ronny Cox. Premiere.				America's Castles "The Great Frontier"		Behind Closed Doors		Take This Job... Used-car dealer		Incurable Collector
53	GOLF	(7:00) European PGA Golf German Masters -- Final Round. From Cologne, Germany.				Play Lessons	Paid Program	Paid Program	PGA Golf Champions Tour -- SAS Championship -- Final Round. (Live)			
54	CNBC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Guthy-Renker	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program
58	TRAV	Exotic Islands	Vacation Home	Great Hotels	Great Hotels	Sydney's Sizzling Harbor		World's Best Places to Strike It Rich		Voyager: Beyond the Cruise		Maritime Magic

SUNDAY AFTERNOON — SEPTEMBER 21, 2003

		1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30
2	KASA	NFL Football	NFL Post-game (N)	Dharma & Greg	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Guthy-Renker	Cheers ∩	Cheers ∩	Countdown to the Emmys (N) ∩	
3	KENW	(:00) When Your Body Gets the Blues		Sacred Stone: Temple on the Mississippi ∩				All-Star Bluegrass Celebration II Vince Gill hosts the second bluegrass celebration.				Soundtrack
4	KOBR	NASCAR Racing: MBNA America 400		Gravity Games From Cleveland. (Taped) ∩			Providence "Saved by the Bell" ∩		News	NBC News	Dateline ∩	
6	CNN	(:00) In the Money	CNN Live Sunday		Next at CNN		CNN Live Sunday		People in the News "Friends"		CNN Presents "Wasted"	
7	KOAT	(:00) IRL Racing Toyota Indy 400. From California Speedway in Fontana, Calif. (Live)					This Week-George Stephanopoulos		News	ABC Wld News	America's Funniest Home Videos ∩	
8	E!	(10:00) Countdown to the Red Carpet: The 2003 Emmy Awards Awaiting Hollywood stars for the 2003 Emmys.					Live From the Red Carpet: 2003 Emmy Awards (Live)				Celebrities Uncensored	
9	USA	(:00) ★★ "Murder in Greenwich" (2002) Christopher Meloni.			"Exiled: A Law & Order Movie" (1998, Drama) Chris Noth, Jerry Orbach, Benjamin Bratt.				Law & Order: Special Victims Unit ∩		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Entitled"	
10	KBIM	NFL Football	NFL Football Cleveland Browns at San Francisco 49ers. From San Francisco Stadium at Candlestick Point in San Francisco. (Live)						CBS Evening News	News	60 Minutes ∩	
12	KASY	(:00) ★★★ "Mean Streets" (1973) Robert De Niro, Harvey Keitel.			Walker, Texas Ranger ∩ (Part 1 of 2)		Once a Thief "Li Ann's Choice" ∩		Adventure Inc. "The Price of the Oracle"		Every-Raymond	Paid Program
13	DSC	Wright Bros.	777 -- The 21st Century Airliner		American Chopper "Black Widow 2"		Monster House "'70s Disco House"		Monster Garage		Living With Tigers	
14	TNN	Blind Date ∩	Blind Date ∩	Blind Date ∩	Blind Date ∩	Blind Date ∩	Blind Date ∩	Blind Date ∩	WWE Sunday Night Heat (N) ∩		Joe Schmo ∩	
15	FAM	Raising Dad	Growing Pains	Growing Pains	Step by Step	Step by Step	★★½ "Joe Versus the Volcano" (1990, Comedy) Tom Hanks, Meg Ryan, Lloyd Bridges.				★★½ "Out to Sea" (1997) Jack Lemmon.	
17	HBO	"Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone" ∩		★★ "Black Knight" (2001) Martin Lawrence. ∩ 'PG-13'			(:15) ★★½ "The Time Machine" (2002, Science Fiction) Guy Pearce. ∩ 'PG-13'				Sopranos "Amour Fou" ∩	
20	SHOW	(:15) ★★½ "The Daytrippers" (1996)		(:45) ★★ "Sidewalks of New York" (2001) Edward Burns, Rosario Dawson. ITV. ∩ 'R'				(:45) ★ "Bio-Dome" (1996) Pauly Shore. Slack-brained buddies crash a scientific experiment.				Freshman Diaries
21	MAX	(:00) ★★★ "Hot Shots! Part Deux" ∩		★★ "Evolution" (2001, Comedy) David Duchovny. ∩ 'PG-13'			(:15) ★★ "Formula 51" (2001) Samuel L. Jackson. ∩ 'R'			On Set: Ya-Ya	★★½ "The Juror" (1996) Demi Moore. 'R'	
23	TNT	★★★½ "Lethal Weapon 2" (1989, Drama) Mel Gibson. Riggs and Murtaugh battle drug-smuggling diplomats.					Charmed "That '70s Episode" ∩		Charmed "Morality Bites" ∩		Charmed "Pardon My Past" ∩	
24	AMC	"Searchers"	(:10) ★★★½ "The Shootist" (1976, Western) John Wayne, Lauren Bacall, Ron Howard.				(:05) ★★★ "The Comancheros" (1961, Western) John Wayne, Stuart Whitman, Lee Marvin.				★★★ "Joe Kidd" (1972) Clint Eastwood.	
25	KRPV	(:00) La Luz de Suroeste (In Spanish) (Live)			Joe McGee	How Can I Live?	Richard Booker	Nathan McBride	Tommie-Corner	Sam Peak	Update/Israel	Decker-LaGrone
27	COM	Reno 911!	Saturday Night Live ∩		Saturday Night Live ∩		Saturday Night Live ∩		Saturday Night Live ∩		Saturday Night Live ∩	
28	TLC	Destination	Trading Spaces: Family		David Blaine: Street Magic		Wright Stuff		Trading Spaces: Family		Very Best of the World's Worst Drivers	
29	TCM	★★★★ "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington" (1939, Drama) James Stewart, Jean Arthur, Edward Arnold.					★★★★ "Notorious" (1946, Suspense) Cary Grant, Ingrid Bergman, Claude Rains.				★★★½ "The Lady From Shanghai"	
32	UNI	(:00) Nuestra Belleza de México 2003			Primer Impacto: Fin de Semana		Lente Loco	Noticiero Univisión	Y Sigue la Furia Dando 2003		Cero en Conducta	La Casa de la Risa
33	DISN	Even Stevens	Recess ∩	Recess ∩	Kim Possible	Proud Family	Sister, Sister	Even Stevens	That's So Raven	Lizzie McGuire	★★★ "The Emperor's New Groove" (2000)	
36	ANPL	Surviving the Wild	Brotherhood		Animal Cops: Detroit "Heat Wave"		Animal Precinct		Pet Star (N)		Most Extreme "Stinkers" (N)	
38	ESPN	(:00) PGA Golf John Deere Classic -- Final Round. From the Tournament Players Club at Deere Run in Silvis, Ill.					NHRA Drag Racing: Mid-South Final		SportsCenter	NFL Primetime (Live)	NFL Football	
39	NICK	Hey Arnold!	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	CatDog ∩	Real Monsters	Angry Beavers	Rocko's Life	Oddparents	SpongeBob	Adven.-Jimmy	ChalkZone ∩
40	SciFi	(11:00) ★★½ "Waterworld" (1995) Kevin Costner. ∩			"Dragon Fighter" (2002) Dean Cain. A genetically engineered dragon goes on a rampage.				★★½ "Dragonheart: A New Beginning" (2000, Fantasy) Chris Masterson. ∩			
41	FX	(:00) ★★ "On Deadly Ground" (1994, Adventure) Steven Seagal.			Married... With	Married... With	Married... With	Married... With	Drive Shaft		★★ "American Pie" (1999) Jason Biggs.	
42	H&G	Designers' Challenge	Ground Rules!	Curb Appeal	Historic Homes of Charleston (N)		Across America	If Walls Could	Extreme Homes	House Hunters	Before & After	Building Character
43	CNN-FN	World Business	Talk Asia	Music Room	World News	World Sport	Global Challng.	Newsbiz Today	Newsbiz Today	Newsbiz Today	Newsbiz Today	Newsbiz Today
44	WTBS	MLB Baseball	★½ "Universal Soldier: The Return" (1999) (PA)			★★½ "Point Break" (1991, Drama) (PA) Patrick Swayze. An FBI agent infiltrates California's surfing subculture.					★★★ "The Wedding Singer" (1998)	
45	WGN	MLB Baseball	(:15) Tenth Inning ∩	Fresh Prince	★★★ "Mean Streets" (1973, Drama) Robert De Niro, Harvey Keitel, David Proval.				Mutant X Murderous creature.		Andromeda Hommie's old lover. ∩	
46	LIFE	(:00) "I Know What You Did" (1998) Rosanna Arquette.			"Sex and the Single Mom" (2003, Drama) Gail O'Grady, Grant Show.				"Mother Knows Best" (1997, Drama) Joanna Kerns, Christine Elise, Grant Show.			
48	FSSW	(:00) High School Baseball All-American Classic. From Fort Myers, Fla. (Taped)					AVP Volleyball					
49	ESPN2	MLB Baseball	MLB Baseball Teams to Be Announced. (Subject to Blackout) (Live)						Baseball Tonight	MLB Baseball Anaheim Angels at Texas Rangers. (Live)		
50	OUTD	(:00) Cycling Vuelta a Espana -- Stage 15		Pleasure Boater	Equestrian American Gold Cup. (Taped)		Motorcycle Racing: Arenacross Series		Rodeo PRCA Pikes Peak or Bust. (Taped)		Bull Riding PBR Series. From Reno, Nev.	
51	HIST	Medicine	Modern Marvels "Tunnels of Vietnam"		★★★★ "Platoon" (1986, Drama) Tom Berenger, Willem Dafoe, Charlie Sheen.				Dead Reckoning "DNA's Debut"		Sink the Bismarck!	
52	A&E	House Beautiful	Seasond Travlr	All Year Round	Sell This House	Makeover Mamas	★★ "Columbo: Murder, A Self Portrait" (1989, Mystery) Peter Falk, Patrick Bauchau.				Biography: Gambinos: First Family of Crime	
53	GOLF	PGA Golf	Golf Academy	Paid Program	PGA Golf Nationwide Tour -- Boise Open -- Final Round. From Hillcrest Country Club in Boise, Idaho. (Live)					Golf Central (Live)	Post Game (Live)	
54	CNBC	Paid Program	Guthy-Renker	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Tim Russert		Suze Orman	
58	TRAV	Maritime Magic	Bigfootville		America's Most Haunted		World's Best Mega Structures			World's Best Atchison, Kan.	Flight Fantastic "Milestones of Aviation" (N)	

SUNDAY EVENING — SEPTEMBER 21, 2003

		7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2	KASA	55th Annual Primetime Emmy Awards (Live) ∩						News		Hollywood Squares	Pyramid ∩	Extra (N) ∩
3	KENW	American Soundtrack: This Land		Great Performances "Duetto: The Concert at the Roman Colosseum"			Concert for World Children's Day ∩			Sacred Stone: Temple on the Mississippi ∩		
4	KOBR	American Dreams "City on Fire" ∩		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Zoonotic"		Law & Order: Criminal Intent		News	(:35) Access Hollywood (N)		(:35) Just Shoot Me	(12:05) ER ∩
6	CNN	Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night		CNN Presents "Wasted"		Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night		Next at CNN
7	KOAT	Threat Matrix "Pilot" ∩		★★★ "Lethal Weapon" (1987, Drama) (PA) Mel Gibson, Danny Glover. ∩				News	(:35) Will & Grace	(:05) Entertainment Tonight ∩		There's an A
8	E!	Rank The 25 best-looking men.		It's Good to Be	Love Chain	Live 2003 Emmy Awards Post-Show Interviews with Emmy winners and recaps. (Live)				Live 2003 Emmy Awards Post-Show		
9	USA	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit ∩		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit ∩		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit ∩		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit ∩		★★ "Murder in Greenwich" (2002) Christopher Meloni.		
10	KBIM	King of Queens	★★★ "Mission: Impossible 2" (2000) Tom Cruise. Ethan Hunt must retrieve a deadly virus from enemy hands. ∩					(:07) News	Sandia Casino's	Powerspots Ex	Marketwatch	Sneak Peek
12	KASY	★★★ "The Breakfast Club" (1985, Comedy-Drama) Emilio Estevez, Molly Ringwald.				Elimidate (N)	Elimidate	King of Queens	King of Queens	Walker, Texas Ranger "Borderline" ∩		Paid Program
13	DSC	(6:00) Living With Tigers		Killer Whale: Killer Culture		Greatest Military Clashes (N)		Greatest Military Clashes (N)		Greatest Military Clashes (N)		Military Clash
14	TNN	Gary the Rat ∩	Gary the Rat ∩	Gary the Rat ∩	Gary the Rat ∩	Ride-Funkmastr	Blind Date ∩	SlamBall ∩		Joe Schmo ∩		American Gladiators
15	FAM	(6:00) ★★½ "Out to Sea" (1997, Comedy)		7th Heaven "...And Expiation"		Perfect Match: New York "Ariel" (N)		★★ "Down Periscope" (1996, Comedy) Kelsey Grammer, Lauren Holly, Bruce Dern.				Whose Line?
17	HBO	Carnivale "After the Ball Is Over" (N)		K Street (N)	★★★ "City by the Sea" (2002, Drama) Robert De Niro, Frances McDormand. ∩ 'R'				(:25) Real Time ∩		(:20) "The Ghost and the Darkness" (1996)	
20	SHOW	★½ "Son-in-Law" (1993) Pauly Shore. ITV. ∩ 'PG-13'			Filmmaker Showcase	"The Original Latin Kings of Comedy" (2002, Comedy) ITV. 'R'			Movie News	Dead Like Me "Vacation" (ITV)		Freshman Diaries (N)
21	MAX	(6:00) ★★½ "The Juror" (1996) ∩ 'R'		★★ "Divine Secrets of the Ya-Ya Sisterhood" (2002) Sandra Bullock. ∩ 'PG-13'				"Close Enough to Touch" (2000) Monique Parent. ∩ 'NR'			"Pretty When You Cry" (2001) 'R'	
23	TNT	Charmed "All Halliwell's Eve" ∩		Charmed "Coyote Piper" ∩		Charmed "Paige From My Past" ∩		★ "Lost Souls" (2000, Horror) Winona Ryder, Ben Chaplin, Sarah Wynter.				"The Shining"
24	AMC	(6:00) ★★★ "Joe Kidd" (1972, Western)		(7:55) ★★★ "High Plains Drifter" (1973, Western) Clint Eastwood, Verna Bloom.				(9:50) ★★★ "Joe Kidd" (1972) Clint Eastwood, Robert Duvall.			(:45) ★★★ "High Plains Drifter" (1973)	
25	KRPV	Light of the Southwest (Live)				Jesse Lee Peterson	Impe Presents	Biblical Israel	Faye Hardin	Update/Israel	Sam Peak	Light-Southwst
27	COM	Saturday Night Live ∩		Saturday Night Live Jennifer Aniston, Sting.		Saturday Night Live ∩		Chappelle's	Man Show	Man Show	Reno 911!	South Park
28	TLC	Sports Disasters		Sports Disasters II		Trading Spaces: Family		Very Best of the World's Worst Drivers		Sports Disasters		Sports Disast
29	TCM	"Lady-Shanghai"	Rita		★★½ "Dracula" (1931, Horror) Bela Lugosi, Helen Chandler.			★★ "The Circus" (1928, Comedy) Charlie Chaplin, Merna Kennedy			★★★ "Son of Frankenstein" (1939)	
32	UNI	La Hora Pico	La Jaula	La Pesera del Amor		Primer Impacto	Noticiero Univisión	Tras la Verdad		Los Archivos de Cristina		Aquí y Ahora
33	DISN	(6:00) ★★★ "The Emperor's New Groove"		Sister, Sister	That's So Raven	Kim Possible	Proud Family	Even Stevens	Smart Guy ∩	Proud Family	Recess ∩	Boy Meets World
36	ANPL	Jeff Corwin Experience		Crocodile Hunter Australia's west coast.		Most Extreme "Stinkers"		Jeff Corwin Experience		Crocodile Hunter Australia's west coast.		Pet Star
38	ESPN	(6:30) NFL Football Buffalo Bills at Miami Dolphins. From Pro Player Stadium in Miami. (Live)				SportsCenter (Live)				NFL Primetime		SportsCenter
39	NICK	Kenan & Kel ∩	As Told by Ginger	Teenage Robot	Romeo! ∩	Brothers Garcia (N)	Clueless ∩	Roseanne ∩	Roseanne ∩	Roseanne ∩	Roseanne ∩	Roseanne ∩
40	SciFi	★★½ "Dragonheart" (1996) Dennis Quaid, Voice of Sean Connery. Premiere. ∩				Scare Tactics ∩	Scare Tactics ∩	Farscape "A Perfect Murder" ∩		Now and Again "Over Easy" ∩		Crusade ∩
41	FX	(6:00) ★★ "American Pie" (1999) Jason Biggs, Shannon Elizabeth.			★★★ "Maverick" (1994) Mel Gibson, Jodie Foster. A conniving cardsharp heads for a high-stakes poker game.					Nip/Tuck		Orlando Jones
42	H&G	2003 Endless Yard Sale (N)		Extreme Homes	How Work	Before & After	Building Character	2003 Endless Yard Sale		Extreme Homes	How Work	Extreme Homes
43	CNN-FN	Newsbiz Today	World Sport	World News	Talk Asia	World News	Music Room	Biznews				
44	WTBS	(6:00) ★★★ "The Wedding Singer"		★★½ "Little Nicky" (2000) Adam Sandler, Patricia Arquette.				★★ "Major League: Back to the Minors" (1998, Comedy) Scott Bakula, Corbin Bernsen.			★★ "Gossip" (2000) James Marsden.	
45	WGN	Adventure Inc. "Point of No Return" ∩		News ∩	Instant Replay ∩	Rockford Files "Beamer's Last Case"		In the Heat of the Night ∩		Celebrity Justice (N)		Lost World
46	LIFE	Division "Radioactive Spiders"		Strong Medicine		1-800-Missing "This is Your Life"		Any Day Now "It's Not About the Butter"		Designing Women	Designing Women	Paid Program
48	FSSW	Boxing: Vassiliy Jirov vs. Ernest Mateen		Beyond the Glory (N)		Sports on Sunday	You Gotta See This!	Best Damn Sports Show Period		Beyond the Glory		Sports on Sunday
49	ESPN2	(5:30) MLB Baseball Anaheim Angels at Texas Rangers. (Live)			To Be Announced	Women's Soccer World Cup -- China vs. Ghana. (Live)				RPM 2Night	Tennis: Davis Cup -- Slovakia vs. U.S.	
50	OUTD	BullRiding: PBR	Beach Ambush	Rodeo PRCA Pikes Peak or Bust.		Bull Riding PBR Series. From Reno, Nev.			Beach Ambush	Rodeo PRCA Pikes Peak or Bust.		Motorcycle Racing
51	HIST	(6:00) Sink the Bismarck!		Mail Call	Conquest. (N)	Guts & Bolts	Shifting Gears	Sink the Bismarck!				Mail Call
52	A&E	Biography: Gambinos: First Family of Crime		Meet the Royals "Princess Margaret" (N)		Crossing Jordan ∩		Biography "The Gambinos: First Family of Crime"				Meet the Royals
53	GOLF	PGA Golf Champions Tour -- SAS Championship -- Final Round.				Golf Central	PGA Golf Nationwide Tour -- Boise Open -- Final Round.				Golf Central	Yoga for Golf
54	CNBC	Kudlow and Cramer Weekend		Meet the Press		Suze Orman		Kudlow and Cramer Weekend		Meet the Press		Paid Program
58	TRAV	Flight Fantastic "Supersonic" (N)		Flight Fantastic "The Future" (N)		Flight Fantastic "Milestones of Aviation"		Flight Fantastic "Supersonic"		Flight Fantastic "The Future"		Vacation Video

PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS

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Week of Sept. 17 - 23

VIRGO: (Aug 23 - Sep 22)
This could be a new and exciting time for you when it comes to your work and if you're really lucky Love! Reach for the stars and grab one.

LIBRA: (Sept 23 - Oct 22)
Think first and then act. You'll have other people's lives in your hand. One wrong move, and you could help or hurt someone. Act with love.

SCORPIO: (Oct 23 - Nov 21)
You will be able to make the move you have been wanting to do for some time. Don't get afraid, you'll just lose good energy. Plan ahead.

SAGITTARIUS: (Nov 22 - Dec 21)
Be prepared for a change. This could be great, if you are ready for it. Throw out useless things and people. Take only what you really need for life.

CAPRICORN: (Dec 22 - Jan 19)
Your world as you know it, will change. It can be bitter-sweet. Your heart and mind will fight about what is wrong and right. Don't fight the change.

AQUARIUS: (Jan 20 - Feb 18)
Get up. Get out. Get jiggy. This is a great time to rock and roll. Don't let the door hit you on the way out. You can shine on, like never before.

PISCES: (Feb 19 - Mar 20)
What is up? Don't let that happen to you! You are in control of your life, so don't whine when something doesn't go your way. Take control.

ARIES: (Mar 21 - Apr 19)
Money, money, money. It's time to sell and get rid of useless things you don't need. Your life is changing, this is good. You'll get more money.

TAURUS: (Apr 20 - May 20)
Don't waste your good energy trying to explain what you need to do in your life. Do what you know you should be doing, just do it right. Now.

GEMINI: (May 21 - Jun 20)
Oh, yeah! You'll be leaving the past behind, so your bright future can come in and sweep you off your feet. Happy, happy. Look for the good.

CANCER: (Jun 21 - Jul 22)
They can say what they want. You can do what you think is best for you. What's the problem? You can only change you, not them. Go for it.

LEO: (Jul 23 - Aug 22)
Now and then, once in a life time, something or someone comes along to change your life as you know it. This is that time. Don't blow it.

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MONDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 22, 2003

		7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2	KASA	Performing As... (N) ∩ [HD]		Paradise Hotel (ITV) (N) ∩ [HD]		News [HD]		Simpsons ∩ [HD]	Cheers ∩ [HD]	Dharma & Greg [HD]	Drew Carey [HD]	Blind Date ∩ [HD]
3	KENW	Antiques Roadshow "Cleveland, Ohio" [HD]		Antiques Roadshow "Cleveland, Ohio" (N)		Growing Up Hispanic		Tracks Ahead ∩	Photography	Antiques Roadshow "Cleveland, Ohio" [HD]		News-Lehrer
4	KOBR	Fear Factor (Season Premiere) Contestants vie for a $1 million payout. (N) ∩ [HD]				Las Vegas "Pilot" (N) [HD]		News [HD]	(:35) Tonight Show (N) ∩ [HD]		(:37) Just Shoot Me	(12:07) Late Night
6	CNN	Larry King Live [HD]		NewsNight With Aaron Brown [HD]		Lou Dobbs Tonight		Larry King Live		NewsNight With Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight
7	KOAT	NFL Football Oakland Raiders at Denver Broncos. From INVESCO Field at Mile High in Denver. (Live) ∩ [HD]						News [HD]	(:35) Will & Grace	Ent. Tonight	(:35) Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel
8	E!	Sarah Jessica Parker		Fashion Police: The 2003 Emmy Awards		Howard Stern (N)	Howard Stern	Wild On... Wild and exotic places in Florida.		Celebrities Uncensored		Howard Stern
9	USA	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit ∩ [HD]		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit ∩ [HD]		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Contact"		Peacemakers "Perfect Crime" [HD]		Martin ∩ [HD]	Living Single [HD]	Paid Program
10	KBIM	Yes, Dear (N) [HD]	Still Standing	Every-Raymond	Two and a Half Men	CSI: Miami "Blood Brothers" (N) [HD]		News [HD]	(:35) Late Show (N) ∩ [HD]		(:37) Late Late Show Seann William Scott.	
12	KASY	Parkers (N) [HD]	Eve (N) ∩ [HD]	Girlfriends (N) [HD]	Half and Half (N)	M*A*S*H [HD]	Cops ∩ [HD]	Married... With	Elimidate (N) [HD]	Elimidate	Cops ∩ [HD]	Street Smarts ∩
13	DSC	Wild Lives of Cats [HD]		American Hotrod		Monster House "Retro Future House" (N)		Monster Garage "Ford Bronco/Rock Crawler"		American Chopper [HD]		Monster House
14	TNN	WWE Raw (Live) ∩ [HD]				(:05) SlamBall (N) ∩ [HD]		Ride-Funkmastr	Blind Date ∩ [HD]	Blind Date ∩ [HD]	Real TV ∩	7 Days "Raven"
15	FAM	America's Funniest Home Videos ∩ [HD]		7th Heaven ∩ [HD]		★★ "The 'Burbs" (1989, Comedy) Tom Hanks, Bruce Dern, Carrie Fisher.				Whose Line?	Whose Line?	700 Club (N) [HD]
17	HBO	★★★ "My Big Fat Greek Wedding" (2002) Nia Vardalos. ∩ 'PG'				(:45) ★★★ "And Starring Pancho Villa as Himself" (2003) Antonio Banderas. ∩ [HD]			(:40) ★★½ "Insomnia" (2002, Suspense) Al Pacino, Robin Williams. ∩ 'R' [HD]			
20	SHOW	(6:30) ★★½ "Awakenings" (1990) Robin Williams. 'PG-13' [HD]			Filmmaker Showcase	★★ "Windtalkers" (2002) Nicolas Cage. ITV. A troubled Marine must protect a Navajo code talker. ∩ 'R' [HD]					★★★ "Diamond Men" (2000) 'R' [HD]	
21	MAX	(6:00) ★★½ "Star Wars: Episode II - Attack of the Clones" (2002)				★★ "Thirteen Ghosts" (2001) Tony Shalhoub. ∩ 'R' [HD]		Marilyn Chambers' All Nude Peep Show		Passion Cove [HD]	★★ "The Dentist" (1996) Corbin Bernsen.	
23	TNT	Law & Order "Mother's Day" [HD] (DVS)		Law & Order "Tragedy on Rye" [HD] (DVS)		Law & Order "Severance" ∩ [HD] (DVS)		X-Files "Scary Monsters" ∩ [HD]		X-Files "Jump the Shark" ∩ [HD]		X-Files "William"
24	AMC	(6:00) ★★★ "The Long, Hot Summer" (1958, Drama) Paul Newman.				(:25) ★★★½ "Sabrina" (1954, Comedy) Humphrey Bogart, Audrey Hepburn. [HD]			(:45) ★★★ "The Long, Hot Summer" (1958, Drama) Paul Newman, Joanne Woodward.			
25	KRPV	Light of the Southwest (Live)						Hour of Healing	Rev. J. Hansen	Tommie-Corner	Update/Israel	Nathan McBride	Light-Southwst
27	COM	Late Night (N) ∩ [HD]		Daily Show [HD]	Tough Crowd	★★★ "High Fidelity" (2000, Comedy-Drama) John Cusack, Iben Hjejle, Todd Louiso. [HD]				Reno 911! [HD]	Reno 911! [HD]	Daily Show [HD]
28	TLC	Resident Life "How Much Longer Now?		Maternity Ward "Close Calls" Preeclampsia		Trauma: Life in the ER "Life Support" [HD]		Resident Life "How Much Longer Now?"		Maternity Ward "Close Calls" Preeclampsia.		Medical Detectives
29	TCM	(6:00) ★★★½ "Little Women" (1933)		★★ "Vogues of 1938" (1937) Joan Bennett. A socialite decides to work as a fashion model.				★★½ "Moby Dick" (1930) John Barrymore, Joan Bennett.			★★★ "Disraeli" (1929) George Arliss.	
32	UNI	Niña... Amada Mía		Cristina		Primer Impacto	Noticiero Univisión	Hasta en las Mejores Familias		Camila		Vivo por Elena
33	DISN	(6:00) ★★½ "Johnny Tsunami" (1999) [HD]		Sister, Sister [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]	Kim Possible [HD]	Proud Family	Even Stevens [HD]	Sister, Sister [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]	Recess ∩ [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]
36	ANPL	Big Cats With Nigel Marven		Animal Cops: Houston (N)		Crocodile Hunter [HD]		Big Cats With Nigel Marven		Animal Cops: Houston		Funniest Animals
38	ESPN	Wild Rules	Wild Rules (N)	New American Sportsman (N)		Totally Hooked	Offshore Adv.	SportsCenter (Live) [HD]		Outside-Lines	SportsCenter (Live) [HD]	
39	NICK	U-Pick ∩	Hey Arnold! [HD]	Rugrats ∩ [HD]	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Amanda ∩	Roseanne ∩ [HD]	Roseanne ∩ [HD]	Roseanne [HD]	Roseanne [HD]	Roseanne ∩ [HD]
40	SciFi	Stargate SG-1 "Fail Safe" ∩ [HD]		Stargate SG-1 "The Warrior" ∩ [HD]		"Alien Hunter" (2003) James Spader. Agents find evidence of extraterrestrial life. ∩ [HD]				Crossing Over	Twilight Zone [HD]	X-Files ∩ [HD]
41	FX	Married... With	Married... With	Cops "Las Vegas" ∩	Cops "Las Vegas" ∩	★½ "Under Siege 2: Dark Territory" (1995, Suspense) Steven Seagal, Eric Bogosian.				World's Wildest Police Videos ∩ [HD]		Orlando Jones
42	H&G	Curb Appeal	Designers' Challenge	Design on a Dime	Weekend Warriors	Mission: Organ	Divine Design	Curb Appeal	Designers' Challenge	Design on a Dime	Weekend Warriors	Extreme Homes
43	CNN-FN	(6:00) Flipside	Biz	Lou Dobbs Tonight [HD]		Your Money		Biznews				
44	WTBS	(6:00) ★★ "A Perfect Murder" (1998) (PA)		(:15) ★★★ "The Hand That Rocks the Cradle" (1991) (PA) Annabella Sciorra, Rebecca De Mornay. [HD]					★★ "A Perfect Murder" (1998) (PA) Michael Douglas, Gwyneth Paltrow. [HD] (DVS)			
45	WGN	(6:00) ★★ "Navigating the Heart" (2000)		News ∩ [HD]		Becker ∩ [HD]	Will & Grace ∩	The Sharon Osbourne Show (N) ∩ [HD]		Elimidate	Street Smarts ∩	Rockford Files
46	LIFE	"A Murder on Shadow Mountain" (1999, Mystery) Michele Lee, Peter Coyote [HD] (DVS)				Golden Girls "We're Outta Here" ∩ [HD]		Nanny [HD]	Nanny [HD]	Mad About You	Any Day Now "Stay of Execution" [HD]	
48	FSSW	Best-Sports	Rangers Pregame	MLB Baseball Texas Rangers at Oakland Athletics From the Network Associates Coliseum in Oakland, Calif. (Subject to Blackout) (Live)						SW Sports Rpt.	Best Damn Sports Show Period [HD]	
49	ESPN2	PWBA Bowling	Billiards WPBA Tour Final	Classic Taped	Bull Riding PRCA Xtreme Tour (Taped)		Interruption	Around the Horn	X Games Highlights From Los Angeles		Playmakers "The Choice Part II"	
50	OUTD	Killer Instinct "Marsupial Carnivores"		PBR Highlights – Nampa, Fla.		Bull Riding PBR Highlights		Killer Instinct "Marsupial Carnivores"		PBR Highlights – Nampa, Fla.		Power Hour
51	HIST	SS "The Power Struggle" (N) [HD]		SS "Hammer's Mania" (N) [HD]		SS Reinhard Heydrich (N) [HD]		Mail Call [HD]	Guts & Bolts [HD]	SS "The Power Struggle" [HD]		SS [HD]
52	A&E	Cold Case Files [HD]		City Confidential "Sebring, Florida" (N)		Third Watch "Crime and Punishment" [HD]		Biography Shirley Temple's films [HD]		Cold Case Files [HD]		City Confidential
53	GOLF	Playing Lessons	Golf Academy Live	Peter Jacobsen	Golf Central	What's In the Bag?	Playing Lessons	Golf Talk Gary Player		Peter Jacobsen	Golf Central	Celebrity Golf
54	CNBC	Special Report With Maria Bartiromo		News With Brian Williams		Kudlow & Cramer		Special Report With Maria Bartiromo		News With Brian Williams		Guthy-Renker
58	TRAV	Secrets [HD]		Secrets McDonald's fast food outlets (N)		World's Best "Top Ten Spooky Places"		Secrets [HD]		Secrets McDonald's fast food outlets		Must See Egypt [HD]

TUESDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 23, 2003

		7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2	KASA	That '70s Show ∩	That '70s Show [HD]	Paradise Hotel (ITV) (N) ∩ [HD]		News [HD]		Simpsons ∩ [HD]	Cheers ∩ [HD]	Dharma & Greg [HD]	Drew Carey [HD]	Blind Date ∩ [HD]
3	KENW	Nova "Neanderthals on Trial" [HD] (DVS)		Flashpoints U.S.A. (N) ∩ [HD]		Matters of Race Power and identity in small-town America; the polarities of race in America.				Charlie Rose (N) ∩ [HD]		News-Lehrer
4	KOBR	Whoop! (N) [HD]	Happy Family (N)	Frasier (N) [HD]	Frasier (N) ∩ [HD]	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N) [HD]		News [HD]	(:35) Tonight Show (N) ∩ [HD]		(:37) Just Shoot Me	(12:07) Late Night
6	CNN	Larry King Live [HD]		NewsNight With Aaron Brown [HD]		Lou Dobbs Tonight		Larry King Live		NewsNight With Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight
7	KOAT	8 Simple Rules	I'm With Her "Pilot"	According to Jim (N)	Less Than Perfect (N)	NYPD Blue "Frickin' Fraker" (N) [HD]			News [HD]	(:35) Will & Grace	Ent. Tonight	(:35) Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel
8	E!	Christina Aguilera				Howard Stern (N)	Howard Stern	Wild On... "Wild on Resorts"		High Price of Fame: Busted		Howard Stern
9	USA	★★★ "Twins" (1988, Comedy) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Danny DeVito, Kelly Preston. [HD]				Law & Order: Special Victims Unit ∩ [HD]		Dead Zone "Precipitate" [HD]		Martin [HD]	Living Single [HD]	"Shadow-Doubt"
10	KBIM	Navy NCIS "Yankee White" (N) [HD]		Guardian "The Carnival" [HD]		Judging Amy "Motion Sickness" (N) [HD]		News [HD]	(:35) Late Show Ben Stiller; Elvis Costello.		(:37) Late Late Show Mary Steenburgen. (N)	
12	KASY	One on One (N)	All of Us (N) [HD]	Rock Me Baby (N)	Mullets (N) ∩ [HD]	M*A*S*H [HD]	Cops ∩ [HD]	Married... With	Elimidate (N) [HD]	Elimidate	Cops ∩ [HD]	Street Smarts ∩
13	DSC	Tiger's Tale		FBI Files "Murdering Cowboy" [HD]		New Detectives: Forensic Science		New Detectives: Forensic Science		MythBusters "Exploding Toilet" (N)		New Detectives
14	TNN	Joe Schmo (N) ∩		Joe Schmo ∩		Joe Schmo ∩		Blind Date ∩ [HD]	Blind Date ∩ [HD]	Highlander "Deadly Exposure" ∩ [HD]		7 Days ∩ [HD]
15	FAM	Home Videos	ABC Fall Preview	7th Heaven ∩ [HD]		★★★½ "Four Weddings and a Funeral" (1994, Comedy) Hugh Grant, Andie MacDowell.				Whose Line?	Whose Line?	700 Club [HD]
17	HBO	(6:30) ★★½ "The Tuxedo" (2002) 'PG-13'		Real Sports (N) ∩ [HD]		Carnivale "After the Ball Is Over" ∩ [HD]		K Street ∩ [HD]	Real Time ∩ [HD]		Porn 101: XXXtra Credit	
20	SHOW	(6:15) ★★ "The Favor" (1994) ITV. ∩ 'R'		★½ "Hardball" (2001, Drama) Keanu Reeves, Diane Lane. ITV. ∩ 'PG-13' [HD]				★★★ "Bull Durham" (1988, Comedy-Drama) Kevin Costner, Tim Robbins. ITV. ∩ 'R' [HD]				Dead Like Me (iTV)
21	MAX	(6:15) ★★★ "One Hour Photo" (2002) 'R'		★★ "Sniper 2" (2002, Action) Tom Berenger. ∩ 'R' [HD]			"The Big Hustle" (2000, Adult) Stephen Pannesco. ∩ 'R' [HD]			★★★ "Secretary" (2002, Comedy-Drama) James Spader. ∩ 'R' [HD]		
23	TNT	Law & Order "Paranoia" ∩ [HD] (DVS)		Charmed "Oh My Goddess" [HD]		Law & Order "Asterisk" ∩ [HD] (DVS)		X-Files "Release" ∩ [HD]		X-Files "Sunshine Days" ∩ [HD]		X-Files Trial. [HD]
24	AMC	(6:00) ★★½ "Airport 1975" (1974) [HD]		(7:55) ★★½ "Airport '77" (1977, Drama) Jack Lemmon. Skyjackers bring down a 747 in the Bermuda Triangle. [HD]					(:20) ★★½ "Airport 1975" (1974, Drama) Charlton Heston, Karen Black. [HD]			
25	KRPV	Light of the Southwest (Live)				Hour of Healing		Rev. J. Hansen	Chaim Richman	Update/Israel	Richard Booker	Light-Southwst
27	COM	Late Night Colin Farrell; Michael Palin. [HD]		Daily Show [HD]	Tough Crowd	Comic Remix [HD]	Trigger Happy TV	Insomniac "Chicago"	South Park [HD]	Crank Yankers	Crank Yankers	Daily Show [HD]
28	TLC	Mostly True Stories: Urban Legends		Crop Circles: In Search of a Sign [HD]		What Were You Thinking?		Mostly True Stories: Urban Legends		Crop Circles: In Search of a Sign [HD]		Medical Detectives
29	TCM	(6:30) ★★★ "The Outriders" (1950)		★★★ "The Virginian" (1946) Joel McCrea, Brian Donlevy. [HD]		★★★ "Colorado Territory" (1949, Western) Joel McCrea, Virginia Mayo. [HD]					★★★½ "Ride the High Country" (1962)	
32	UNI	Niña... Amada Mía		Casos de la Vida Real: Edición Especial		Primer Impacto	Noticiero Univisión	Hasta en las Mejores Familias		Camila		Vivo por Elena
33	DISN	(6:00) ★ "Reclaiming" (1997, Comedy) 'PG'		Sister, Sister [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]	Kim Possible [HD]	Proud Family	Even Stevens [HD]	Sister, Sister [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]	Recess ∩ [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]
36	ANPL	That's My Baby (N)		Animal Cops: Houston "Dirty Work"		Beverly Hills Vet		That's My Baby		Animal Cops: Houston "Dirty Work"		Funniest Animals
38	ESPN	Playmakers "Halftime" (N)		Playmakers "Halftime"		SportsCenter (Live) [HD]		Playmakers "Halftime"		SportsCenter (Live) [HD]		SportsCenter
39	NICK	U-Pick ∩	Hey Arnold! [HD]	Rugrats ∩ [HD]	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Amanda ∩	Roseanne [HD]	Roseanne [HD]	Roseanne ∩ [HD]	Roseanne ∩ [HD]	Roseanne ∩ [HD]
40	SciFi	Extraordinary Strange true-life tales. ∩		Avrocar: Saucer Secrets from the Past		"Shadow Realm" (2002, Horror) Malcolm McDowell, Thora Birch, Henry Rollins. ∩ [HD]				Crossing Over	Twilight Zone [HD]	X-Files "Within"
41	FX	Married... With	Married... With	★½ "Armageddon" (1998, Action) Bruce Willis, Billy Bob Thornton, Liv Tyler. Melt oil drillers must destroy an earthbound asteroid.						Nip/Tuck "Sofia Lopez, Part II" (N)		Orlando Jones
42	H&G	Room by Room (N)	Decorating Cents	House Hunters	Curb Appeal	Ground Rules!	Landscapers	Room by Room	Decorating Cents	House Hunters	Curb Appeal	Extreme Homes
43	CNN-FN	(6:00) Flipside	Biz	Lou Dobbs Tonight [HD]		Your Money		Biznews				
44	WTBS	(6:30) ★★½ "Crocodile Dundee II" (1986)		(:15) ★★ "High School High" (1996, Comedy) Jon Lovitz, Tia Carrere, Louise Fletcher. [HD]				(:15) ★★ "Police Academy" (1984, Comedy) Steve Guttenberg, Kim Cattrall. [HD]				"High School"
45	WGN	(6:30) ★★★ "Surviving Picasso" (1996)		News ∩ [HD]		Becker ∩ [HD]	Will & Grace ∩	The Sharon Osbourne Show (N) ∩ [HD]		Elimidate	Street Smarts ∩	Rockford Files
46	LIFE	★★½ "Women Undone" (1998, Drama) Mary McDonnell, Randy Quaid, Sam Elliott. [HD]				Golden Girls [HD]	Golden Girls [HD]	Nanny ∩ [HD]	Nanny ∩ [HD]	Mad About You	Any Day Now "Still My Little Soldier" [HD]	
48	FSSW	Best-Sports	Rangers Pregame	MLB Baseball Texas Rangers at Oakland Athletics. From the Network Associates Coliseum in Oakland, Calif. (Subject to Blackout) (Live)						SW Sports Rpt.	Best Damn Sports Show Period [HD]	
49	ESPN2	2003 World Series of Poker – Final Round		Baseball Tonight (Live) [HD]		Streetball [HD]	Interruption	Outside-Lines	Baseball Tonight	X Games Highlights From Los Angeles.		Rome Is Burning
50	OUTD	Combat Sniper Challenge		Sports Illustrated Swimsuit Show		PBR Total Bull	PBR Total Bull	Combat Sniper Challenge		Sports Illustrated Swimsuit Show		Rodeo: PRCA
51	HIST	Tactical to Practical (N) [HD]		Modern Marvels "Torture Devices" [HD]		Infamous Murders	Infamous Murders	Deep Sea Detectives [HD]		Tactical to Practical [HD]		Modern Marvels
52	A&E	MI-5 "Blood & Money" (N) [HD]		Cold Case Files [HD]		Third Watch "Crime and Punishment" [HD]		Biography "Natalie Wood" [HD]		MI-5 "Blood & Money" [HD]		Cold Case Files [HD]
53	GOLF	U.S. Open Golf Highlights		Inside the PGA Tour	Golf Central	19th Hole	Golf With Style	Golf Academy Live		Inside the PGA Tour	Golf Central	19th Hole
54	CNBC	Capital Report		News With Brian Williams		Kudlow & Cramer		Capital Report		News With Brian Williams		Paid Program
58	TRAV	World Poker Tour A preview of the championship with its $1 million prize.				World's Best Las Vegas: Get Lucky [HD]		World Poker Tour A preview of the championship with its $1 million prize				Beach Resorts

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		7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2	KASA	Performing As... Ordinary people transformed into musical icons compete for $200 000 (N)				News [HD]		Simpsons ∩ [HD]	Cheers ∩ [HD]	Dharma & Greg [HD]	Drew Carey [HD]	Blind Date ∩ [HD]
3	KENW	Sacred Balance "The Fire of Creation" [HD]		Sacred Balance "Coming Home" (N)		Matters of Race "We're Still Here?. Tomorrow's America" (N) ∩ [HD]				Charlie Rose (N) ∩ [HD]		News-Lehrer
4	KOBR	Ed (Season Premiere) (N) ∩ [HD]		West Wing 7A WF 83429" (N) [HD]		Law & Order "Bodies" (N) [HD]		News [HD]	(:35) Tonight Show (N) ∩ [HD]		(:37) Just Shoot Me	(12:07) Late Night
6	CNN	Larry King Live [HD]		NewsNight With Aaron Brown [HD]		Lou Dobbs Tonight		Larry King Live		NewsNight With Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight
7	KOAT	My Wife and Kids (N) [HD]		Bachelor (Season Premiere) (N) ∩ [HD]				News [HD]	(:35) Will & Grace	Ent. Tonight	(:35) Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel
8	E!	Fashion Police: The 2003 Emmy Awards		Celebrities Uncensored (N)		Howard Stern (N)	Howard Stern	Wild Off: Las Vegas		Celebrities Uncensored		Howard Stern
9	USA	(6:00) ★★ "Raw Deal" (1986, Drama)		Peacemakers "The Witness" (N) [HD]		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Slaves"		Nash Bridges "Touchdown" ∩ [HD]		Martin [HD]	Living Single [HD]	"Hide and Seek"
10	KBIM	60 Minutes II (Season Premiere) (N) ∩ [HD]		Big Brother 4 The winner is revealed [HD]		Brotherhood of Poland, N.H. "Pilot" (N)		News [HD]	(:35) Late Show The Rock; Lynne Cheney.		(:37) Late Late Show Marg Helgenberger.	
12	KASY	Enterprise "Extinction" (N) ∩ [HD]		Jake 2.0 "Cater Waiter" (N) ∩ [HD]		To Be Announced	Cops ∩ [HD]	Married... With	Elimidate (N) [HD]	Elimidate	Cops ∩ [HD]	Street Smarts ∩
13	DSC	Lion Battlefield		Now See This! [HD]		Unsolved History "The Alamo" [HD]		Moments in Time "Curse of the Rat"		MythBusters "Jet Assisted Chevy" [HD]		Unsolved History
14	TNN	★★★ "Risky Business" (1983, Comedy) Tom Cruise, Rebecca De Mornay. Premiere. ∩				Elimination	Elimination	Blind Date ∩ [HD]	Blind Date ∩ [HD]	Highlander "Two of Hearts" ∩ [HD]		7 Days ∩ [HD]
15	FAM	America's Funniest Home Videos ∩ [HD]		7th Heaven ∩ [HD]		★★ "The Object of My Affection" (1998) Jennifer Aniston, Paul Rudd, Alan Alda. [HD]				Whose Line?	Whose Line?	700 Club (N) [HD]
17	HBO	Carnivale "After the Ball Is Over" ∩ [HD]		Inside the NFL (N) ∩ [HD]		Real Time ∩ [HD]		(9:55) ★★★ "City by the Sea" (2002, Drama) Robert De Niro, James Franco. ∩ 'R' [HD]				(11:50) "Phoenix"
20	SHOW	"American Rhap"	Movie News	★½ "Domestic Disturbance" (2001) John Travolta. 'PG-13' [HD]			★★½ "Zoolander" (2001) Ben Stiller. ITV. ∩ 'PG-13' [HD]			Street Time (N)	Movie News	"Conviction" 'R'
21	MAX	(6:30) "Ace Ventura: When Nature Calls"		(:05) ★★½ "Star Wars: Episode II – Attack of the Clones" (2002) Ewan McGregor. ∩ 'PG' [HD]					Pleasure Zone [HD]	"The Passion Network" (2001) Stephanie Beaton. ∩ 'NR' [HD]		
23	TNT	★★★½ "Lethal Weapon 2" (1989, Drama) Mel Gibson. Riggs and Murtaugh battle drug-smuggling diplomats. [HD]					★★★½ "Lethal Weapon 2" (1989, Drama) Mel Gibson. Riggs and Murtaugh battle drug-smuggling diplomats. [HD]					"One Night"
24	AMC	(6:00) ★★★ "Toral Toral Toral" (1970, Drama) Jason Robards, Joseph Cotten.				(8:55) ★★★ "Wing and a Prayer" (1944, Drama) Don Ameche, Dana Andrews. [HD]				(10:50) ★★★ "Toral Toral Toral" (1970, Drama) Jason Robards.		
25	KRPV	Light of the Southwest (Live)				Hour of Healing		Rev. J. Hansen	Joseph Good	Update/Israel	Joe McGee	Light-Southwst
27	COM	Late Night Kevin James, Ken Burns (N)		Daily Show [HD]	Tough Crowd	Comic Remix [HD]	Trigger Happy TV	Insomniac New York.	South Park [HD]	South Park [HD]	Reno 911! [HD]	Daily Show [HD]
28	TLC	Junkyard Mega-Wars "Cliff Hangers" (N)		Building the Biggest "Supership" [HD]		Mega Machines "Liebherr Dumptruck"		Junkyard Mega-Wars "Cliff Hangers"		Building the Biggest "Supership" [HD]		Supermax Prisons
29	TCM	(6:00) ★★★★ "A Star Is Born" (1954, Musical) Judy Garland, James Mason.				★★★★ "Julius Caesar" (1953, Drama) Marlon Brando, James Mason, John Gielgud. [HD]				(:15) ★★ "Forever Darling" (1956) Lucille Ball, Desi Arnaz. [HD]		
32	UNI	Niña... Amada Mía		Don Francisco Presenta		Primer Impacto	Noticiero Univisión	Hasta en las Mejores Familias		Camila		Vivo por Elena
33	DISN	(6:00) "Up, Up and Away" (2000) [HD]		Sister, Sister [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]	Kim Possible [HD]	Proud Family	Even Stevens [HD]	Sister, Sister [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]	Recess ∩ [HD]	Boy Meets World [HD]
36	ANPL	Crocodile Hunter Diaries "Teamwork" [HD]		Animal Cops: Houston "Hungry for Justice"		Jeff Corwin Experience [HD]		Crocodile Hunter Diaries "Teamwork" [HD]		Animal Cops: Houston "Hungry for Justice"		Funniest Animals
38	ESPN	MLB Baseball Teams to Be Announced [HD]		MLB Baseball Teams to Be Announced. (Subject to Blackout) (Live) [HD]						SportsCenter (Live) [HD]		SportsCenter
39	NICK	U-Pick ∩	Hey Arnold! [HD]	Rugrats ∩ [HD]	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Amanda ∩	Roseanne ∩ [HD]	Roseanne ∩ [HD]	Roseanne ∩ [HD]	Roseanne ∩ [HD]	Roseanne ∩ [HD]
40	SciFi	★ "Battlefield Earth" (2000, Science Fiction) John Travolta, Barry Pepper. ∩ [HD]				★★★ "Mad Max Beyond Thunderdome" (1985, Adventure) Mel Gibson, Tina Turner. ∩ [HD]					Crossing Over	X-Files "Without"
41	FX	(6:00) ★½ "Armageddon" (1998, Action) Bruce Willis, Billy Bob Thornton, Liv Tyler.				★½ "Me, Myself & Irene" (2000, Comedy) Jim Carrey, Renee Zellweger. A mild-mannered police officer has a vile alter ego.						Orlando Jones
42	H&G	Modern Masters	Country Style	Kitchen Design	Extreme Homes	Restore America	If Walls Could	Modern Masters	Country Style	Kitchen Design	Extreme Homes	Extreme Homes
43	CNN-FN	(6:00) Flipside	Biz	Lou Dobbs Tonight [HD]		Your Money		Biznews				
44	WTBS	Ripley's Believe It or Not!		★★★½ "The Shawshank Redemption" (1994) (PA) Tim Robbins, Morgan Freeman. A mild-mannered banker is sent to prison for murder.						Ripley's Believe It or Not!		"Shawshank R."
45	WGN	(6:00) ★★★½ "Poltergeist" (1982) ∩		News ∩ [HD]		Becker ∩ [HD]	Will & Grace ∩	The Sharon Osbourne Show (N) ∩ [HD]		Elimidate	Street Smarts ∩	Rockford Files
46	LIFE	★★ "I Can Make You Love Me: The Stalking of Laura Black" (1993) Richard Thomas. [HD]				Golden Girls [HD]	Golden Girls [HD]	Nanny ∩ [HD]	Nanny ∩ [HD]	Mad About You	Any Day Now "It's Not Karma, It's Life" [HD]	
48	FSSW	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live) [HD]				SW Sports Rpt.	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live) [HD]				SW Sports Rpt.	You Gotta See This!
49	ESPN2	MLB Baseball Teams to Be Announced. [HD]		MLB Baseball Teams to Be Announced. (Subject to Blackout) (Live) [HD]						NFL Live (Live) [HD]	EXPN 2Day X Games Review.	
50	OUTD	Killer Instinct "Australia Pythons"		Killer Instinct Climbing Mt. Bartle Frere.		Shotgun Journal	PBR Total Bull	Killer Instinct "Australia Pythons"		Killer Instinct Climbing Mt. Bartle Frere.		America's Horse
51	HIST	Modern Marvels "The Colosseum" [HD]		Modern Marvels "Machu Picchu" (N) [HD]		Dead Reckoning "DNA's Debut" [HD]		Modern Marvels "The Great Wall of China"		Modern Marvels "The Colosseum" [HD]		Modern Marvels
52	A&E	American Justice		Take This Job... "Vital Signs" (N) [HD]		Third Watch "Second Chances" ∩ [HD]		Biography "Hayley Mills: Seeing Double"		American Justice		Take This Job... [HD]
53	GOLF	Texas Open Highlights (N)		Golf With Style (N)	Golf Central	PreGame		Texas Open Highlights		Golf With Style	Golf Central	European Tour
54	CNBC	Capital Report		News With Brian Williams		Kudlow & Cramer		Capital Report		News With Brian Williams		Paid Program
58	TRAV	World Poker Tour "WPT Championship"				World Poker Tour "Poker Primer"		World Poker Tour "WPT Championship"				Inside-Poker

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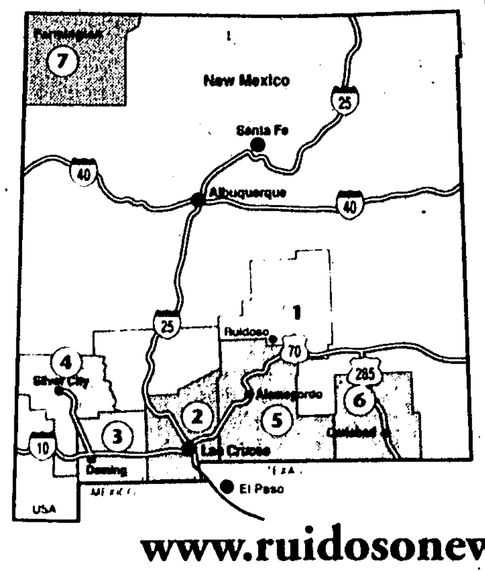

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101 HOUSES FOR SALE

2 BDRM/ 1 3/4 Bath. Totally remodeled. $122,500. Please call 257-0514 or 430-3378

ALTO HOME under construction incredible view of mountain, 3/2, study, FP, 2 car garage with space for golf cart. Brooks Mountain Resort 257-0075

~ CARRIZOZO, NM ~ FOR SALE: Newly remodeled 3 bedroom / 2 bath home on 1.5 acres. Great views, quiet location, windmill w/ 3 acre feet/annum water right, city water / sewer, horse barn and corral. For sale $70,000; Rent or lease $475.00. Possible owner finance. 505-420-3522 or 505-648-2810.

DISTRESS SALE- 104 Snowbird Court, White Mountain Estates. $150,000 lot next door also available. 820-2434

LARGE, COMFORTABLE 4 bedroom, 3 bath home. Great cul-de-sac location. Asking $252,500- only $75 a square ft. Make an offer. Marge @ Re/Max of Ruidoso. 1-888-556-1288

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2-BEDROOM-2-BATH-2-CARPORT, FIREPLACE, swimming pool, great views, 1500 sqft +, four condos starting from $69,900. Champions Run. Next to track. 257-4800 or 257-6340

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FSBO- 3/3, APPRAISAL value $100,000 +, make reasonable offer 806-285-2118 or 505-808-0357

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1993 CHAMPION double wide 1450 sq. ft. nice home. Furnished or unfurnished. Please call 653-4714 after 6:00 p.m. or 257-4001 during the day ask for Linda

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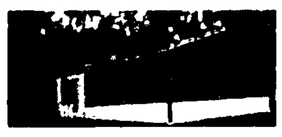

1999 OAKWOOD, 16X80 3 Bd/ 2 Ba. FIREPLACE! Super clean. Set up in park or can be moved. $19,700 257-8629

105 HOUSES FOR RENT

1 BEDROOM Duplex, Midtown, $500. month. Brooks Mountain Resort 257-0075

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2 BDR / 2 1/2 bath condo close by the Links Golf Course. Furnished or unfurnished - Available August 1, $800. plus utilities-Call Donna - Casas de Ruidoso 257-7577

3 BD/ 2 Ba, unfurnished, on Cree Meadow golf course. Please call 989-685-8262.

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THREE BEDROOM, two bath condo. Furnished $900.00. Unfurnished $750.00 Easy Access. Utilities not included. Call daytime: 257-1323 or night 258-1995.

107 APARTMENTS FOR RENT

1 & 2 BD apartments in Capitan. $350.mo/ & $450. plus deposit. No pets. 354-0627 or 354-2711

1 BD./ 1 Ba. duplex by the Links walking course, $450. per month plus utilities. 1 year lease. Available now. Call Donna at Casas De Ruidoso 257-7577

2BD./1BA. APARTMENT, $525., water/heat paid, carport, fireplace, appliances, centrally located by Cree Meadows, deposit /lease/ references required. No Pets. 623-3360

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2BDRM UNFURNISHED Apt., appliances included, no pets, water paid.$400. mo $250. deposit 378-4106

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CUTE KNOTTY pine/interior cabin, well located with Sierra Blanca view. $325. a month, matching deposit, renter pays utilities. New carpet, new gas "fireplace", shower only, some furniture available. 1 bedroom. Perfect for a single. Call 505-257-9836 after 6:30pm or on weekends.

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FOR LEASE: Prime Office space. Executive suites with conference room. Also, larger multi-office suites. Interior or Golf Course/ Mountain views. Abundant parking. 258-5824

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3 OPENINGS / Millennium T-Shirts. #1, Saturday & Sunday, 10am to 5:30pm. #2, Wednesday-Saturday 10am to 5:30pm, #3, Sunday-Wednesday 10am-5:30pm. Call 257-6517 or 378-4213

CHALLENGING OPPORTUNITY for legals/ executive secretary to work with busy real estate law firm, must have exceptional organizational abilities, ability to multi task and work under pressure, be highly motivated, and have the willingness to do what ever required for small office. Word & word perfect, some light bookkeeping. Minimum 5 years experience required. References required, fax resume and cover letter to David M. Stevens at 505-257-0707

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NOTICE OF VACANCY

Date: September 10, 2003

Position: Office Clerk- Ruidoso School Food Service Program

Qualifications: Experience with various aspects of School Nutrition preferred; Must have experience with computer data entry and ten key entry; Strong written, verbal and interpersonal skills.

Responsibilities: Ability to assist in day to day office operations: ability to preform data entry for financial applications and other program applications; Flexibility to preform multiple other tasks as assigned at short notice.

Work Schedule: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Start Date: As soon as possible

Salary: Per ARAMARK hourly pay schedule.

Application Process: For application and information contact: Angie Lane, Food Service Director (505) 258-3534

Application Deadline: Until filled

Selection Process: Selected applicants will be interviewed following initial screening of application materials submitted.

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Complete job description and applications at the Village of Ruidoso, 313 Cree Meadows Dr., Ruidoso, NM 88345.
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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS FOREWORD

At a September 23, 2003 special election, two proposed constitutional amendments will appear on the ballot as the result of the passage of joint resolutions by the legislature in its 2003 session.

LAWS	SUBJECT
CA 1 (2003)	Cabinet-level public education department
CA 2 (2003)	Increased distributions from the land grant permanent fund

For adoption, constitutional amendments require ratification by a majority of the electors voting on the question. Proposed constitutional amendments become effective upon approval by the voters unless an effective date is provided within the text of the proposed amendment.

This publication contains the full text of the joint resolutions proposing the constitutional amendments. Each joint resolution states whether the proposed amendment amends an existing section, adds a new section or repeals an existing section. When an existing section is being amended, new material is shown by underscoring and language to be deleted is shown within brackets.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 1

A JOINT RESOLUTION

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 12, SECTION 6 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF NEW MEXICO TO TRANSFER THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION TO A CABINET DEPARTMENT HEADED BY A SECRETARY OF PUBLIC EDUCATION WHO SHALL SERVE IN THE EXECUTIVE CABINET AND TO CREATE AN ELECTED PUBLIC EDUCATION COMMISSION

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

Section 1. It is proposed to amend Article 12, Section 6 of the constitution of New Mexico to read

"A. There is hereby created a "[~~state department of~~] public education department" and a [~~"state board of education". The state board of education shall determine public school policy and vocational educational policy and shall have control, management and direction, including financial direction, distribution of school funds and financial accounting for all public schools, pursuant to authority and powers provided by law. The board shall appoint a qualified, experienced educational administrator to be known as the superintendent of public instruction, who shall, subject to the policies established by the board, direct the operation of the state department of~~] "public education commission" that shall have such powers and duties as provided by law. The department shall be a cabinet department headed by a secretary of public education who is a qualified, experienced educator who shall be appointed by the governor and confirmed by the senate.

B. Ten members of the [~~state board of~~] public education [~~who~~] commission shall be [~~state officers shall be~~] elected for staggered terms of four years as provided by law. [~~Board~~] Commission members shall be residents of the [~~board of~~] public education commission district from which they are elected. Change of residence of a [~~board~~] commission member to a place outside the district from which he was elected shall automatically terminate the term of that member.

[~~C. Five members of the state board of education who shall be state officers shall be nominated and by and with the consent of the senate appointed by the governor from five districts substantially equal in population for staggered four-year terms as provided by law. Those appointed by the governor shall be qualified electors of the state of New Mexico, no more than one-half of a simple majority of whom at the time of their appointment shall be members of the same political party. After 1990, the number of appointed members may be changed by law not to exceed five members.~~

~~D.~~] C. The governor shall fill vacancies on the [~~board~~] commission by appointment of a resident from the district in which the vacancy occurs until the next regular election for membership on the [~~board~~] commission.

[~~E. Upon adoption of this amendment~~] D. The secretary of public education shall have administrative and regulatory powers and duties, including all functions relating to the distribution of school funds and financial accounting for the public schools, [~~shall be transferred to the state department of public education~~] to be performed as provided by law.

E. The elected members of the 2003 state board of education shall constitute the public education commission. If this amendment is approved, until their terms expire and the districts from which the state board of education were elected shall constitute the state public education commission districts until changed by law."

Section 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at the next general election or at any special election prior to that date that may be called for that purpose.

Constitutional Amendment 1 — Brief Analysis Constitutional Amendment 1 proposes to amend Article 12, Section 6 of the constitution of New Mexico to create a public education department headed by a cabinet level secretary of public education. The secretary would be appointed by the governor and confirmed by the senate. The amendment gives the secretary administrative and regulatory powers and duties, including all functions relating to the distribution of school funds. The amendment also proposes to create a public education commission that would have powers and duties to be defined by law enacted by the legislature. The amendment provides that the existing elected members of the 2003 state board of education shall constitute the membership of the public education commission until their terms expire. Thereafter, the commission would consist of 10 elected members, each serving staggered terms of four years.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 2

A JOINT RESOLUTION

PROPOSING TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION OF NEW MEXICO TO PROVIDE FOR A LIMITED ADDITIONAL DISTRIBUTION FROM THE PERMANENT FUNDS TO PROVIDE MORE MONEY FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO IMPLEMENT AND MAINTAIN EDUCATIONAL REFORMS AND FOR OTHER PERMANENT FUND RECIPIENTS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

Section 1. It is proposed to amend Article 12, Section 7 of the constitution of New Mexico to read

"A. As used in this section, "fund" means the permanent school fund described in Section 2 of this article and all other permanent funds derived from lands granted or confirmed to the state by the act of congress of June 20, 1910, entitled "An act to enable the people of New Mexico to form a constitution and state government and be admitted into the union on an equal footing with the original states."

B. The fund shall be invested by the state investment officer in accordance with policy regulations promulgated by the state investment council.

C. In making investments, the state investment officer, under the supervision of the state investment council, shall exercise the judgment and care under the circumstances then prevailing that businessmen of ordinary prudence, discretion and intelligence exercise in the management of their own affairs not in regard to speculation but in regard to the permanent disposition of their funds, considering the probable income as well as the probable safety of their capital.

D. The legislature may establish criteria for investing the fund if the criteria are enacted by a three-fourths vote of the members elected to each house, but investment of the fund is subject to the following restrictions:

(1) not more than sixty-five percent of the book value of the fund shall be invested at any given time in corporate stocks;

(2) not more than ten percent of the voting stock of a corporation shall be held;

(3) stocks eligible for purchase shall be restricted to those stocks of businesses listed upon a national stock exchange or included in a nationally recognized list of stocks; and

(4) not more than fifteen percent of the book value of the fund may be invested in international securities at any single time.

E. All additions to the fund and all earnings, including interest, dividends and capital gains from investment of the fund shall be credited to the fund.

F. Except as provided in Subsection G of this section, the annual distributions from the fund shall be [~~one hundred two~~] five percent of the [~~amount distributed in the immediately preceding fiscal year until the annual distributions equal four and seven-tenths percent of the~~] average of the year-end market values of the fund for the immediately preceding five calendar years. [~~Thereafter, the amount of the annual distributions shall be four and seven-tenths percent of the average of the year-end market values of the fund for the immediately preceding five calendar years.~~]

G. In addition to the annual distribution made pursuant to Subsection F of this section, unless suspended pursuant to Subsection H of this section, an additional annual distribution shall be made pursuant to the following schedule; provided that no distribution shall be made pursuant to the provisions of this subsection in any fiscal year if the average of the year-end market values of the fund for the immediately preceding five calendar years is less than five billion eight hundred million dollars ($5,800,000,000):

(1) in fiscal years 2005 through 2012, an amount equal to eight-tenths percent of the average of the year-end market values of the fund for the immediately preceding five calendar years; provided that any additional distribution from the permanent school fund pursuant to this paragraph shall be used to implement and maintain educational reforms as provided by law; and

(2) in fiscal years 2013 through 2016, an amount equal to one-half percent of the average of the year-end market values of the fund for the immediately preceding five calendar years; provided that any additional distribution from the permanent school fund pursuant to this paragraph shall be used to implement and maintain educational reforms as provided by law.

H. The legislature, by a three-fifths' vote of the members elected to each house, may suspend any additional distribution provided for in Subsection G of this section."

Section 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at the next general election or at any special election prior to that date that may be called for that purpose.

The Permanent Funds: An Explanation

In order to understand Constitutional Amendment 2, some background on the permanent funds is helpful. There are two types of permanent funds provided for the constitution of New Mexico: the land grant permanent fund and the severance tax permanent fund. Constitutional Amendment 2 pertains only to the land grant permanent fund.

The land grant permanent fund is an aggregation of several funds, including the permanent school fund, but is managed and invested as one fund and is commonly referred to in the singular as the land grant permanent fund. The current balance in the fund is approximately $6.7 billion.

Under the Ferguson Act of 1898 and the Enabling Act for New Mexico, which was passed by congress in 1910, New Mexico was given more than nine million surface acres of land and more than 13 million subsurface acres of mineral interests.

These public lands were granted to New Mexico specifically to be held in trust for the purpose of providing funding for public education and other essential public services. There are 21 named beneficiaries of the land grant permanent fund, with the public schools being the largest. The 20 other trust beneficiaries include all of the four-year higher education institutions and other state institutions, such as the school for the visually handicapped, school for the deaf, penitentiaries and state hospital.

The commissioner of public lands manages New Mexico's trust lands, leasing them for mineral exploration, development and production, grazing and other commercial purposes, as well as selling property as the commissioner deems beneficial and appropriate. Revenues from the nonrenewable use of the trust lands, such as royalties from oil and natural gas production and proceeds of land sales, are deposited into the land grant permanent fund. The amount of revenue varies from year to year — over the last 10 years, it has ranged from a low of $97 million to a high of $288 million.

The state investment officer invests the land grant permanent fund on behalf of the beneficiaries. Each beneficiary receives an annual distribution from the fund based on its share of the fund. The distribution amount is provided for in the constitution and is the subject of the proposed constitutional amendment. The current distribution amount is 4.7 percent of the five-year average balance of the fund. This amount was set by a constitutional amendment approved by the voters in 1996. The amount of the distribution is intended to allow the fund to grow at least in line with inflation, while providing the beneficiaries with a portion of the annual return to the fund from interest, dividends and capital gains. In fiscal year 2002, distributions from the land grant permanent fund totaled $312 million, of which $256 million went to the public schools.

Constitutional Amendment 2 — Brief Analysis Constitutional Amendment 2 proposes to amend Article 12, Section 7 of the constitution of New Mexico to permanently increase the annual distribution to all beneficiaries from the land grant permanent fund from 4.7 percent to five percent of the average of the year-end market values of the fund for the immediately preceding five calendar years. The amendment also provides for an additional distribution of .8 percent for fiscal years 2005 through 2012 and then reduces that additional distribution to .5 percent for fiscal years 2013 through 2016. The portions of the additional distributions applicable to the permanent school fund can only be used to implement and maintain education reforms passed by the state legislature. The amendment requires that the temporary additional distributions will be suspended if the five-year average fund balance falls below $5.8 billion. Additionally, the amendment provides that the legislature, by a three-fifths' vote, may suspend the payment of the additional distributions.

ENMIENDA DE LA CONSTITUCIONALES
INTRODUCCIÓN

En la elección extraordinaria el [illegible] de septiembre 2003, dos enmiendas a la constitución que se proponen estarán en la boleta como resultado de resoluciones conjuntas apropadas por la legislatura en la sesión legislativa del año 2003.

LEYES	TEMA
CA 1 (2003) del gabinete	Departamento de educación pública a nivel
CA 2 (2003)	Distribuciones de mayor cantidad de dinero del fondo permanente producto de las tierras concedidas del estado

Para que se adopten las enmiendas, [illegible] no requieren que sean ratificadas por mayoría de los electores [illegible] respecto a la cuestión. Las enmiendas a la constitución [illegible] vigencia cuando las aprueben los votantes, [illegible] se disponga dentro del texto de la enmienda que se propone.

Esta publicación contiene el texto completo de las resoluciones conjuntas que proponen las enmiendas a la constitución. La redacción de las resoluciones conjuntas expresa si la enmienda que se propone modifica un apartado que ya existe, agrega nuevo apartado o derroga un apartado que ya existe. Cuando un apartado que ya existe se enmienda, se expone subrayando el nuevo material y el texto que se va a borrar se indica entre paréntesis.

ENMIENDA DE LA CONSTITUCIÓN 1
RESOLUCIÓ CONJUNTA

PROPONE UNA ENMIENDA AL APARTADO 6 DEL ARTÍCULO 12 DE LA CONSTITUCIÓN DE NUEVO MEXICO CON EL FIN DE CONVERTIR EL DEPARTAMENTO DE EDUCACION PUBLICA A UN DEPARTAMENTO DEL GABINETE ENCABEZADO POR UN SECRETARIO DE EDUCACIÓN PÚBLICA QUE DESEMPEÑARÁ SUS FUNCIONES EN EL GABINETE EJECUTIVO Y EL OTRO FIN DE LA ENMIENDA ES CREAR UNA COMISIÓN DE EDUCACIÓN PÚBLICA.

RESUÉLVASE POR LA LEGISLATURA DEL ESTADO DE NUEVO MÉXICO:

Apartado 1. Se propone enmendar el Apartado 6 del Artículo 12 de la constitución de Nuevo México cuyo texto será:

A. Por la presente se establece un "departamento de educación pública ~~de estado+~~ y una "~~consejo de educacion del estado +. El consejo de educación determinará la politica de las escuelas publicas y de las escuelas de educación vocacional y tendrá el control, manejo y dirección, inclusive la dirección financiera, distribución de fondos escolares, de la contabilidad de las finanzas para todas las escuelas publicas, conforme a la autorización y poderes que la ley otorga. El consejo nombrará un administrador que tenga los requisitos necesarios y la experiencia en administración de escuelas. Su titulo será superintendente de instruccion publica, quien, con arreglo a la politica establecida por el consejo dirigirá el funcionamiento del departamento de educación pública del estado.~~ comisión de educación publica que tendrá las facultades y deberes segun disponga la ley. El departamento en el gabinete encabezado por un secretario de educación pública que tenga las calificaciones y sera educador con experiencia quien será nombrado por el gobernador y confirmado por el senado.

B. ~~Se elegirán~~ Diez miembros ~~del consejo~~ de la comisión de educación pública quienes serán ~~funcionarios del estado~~ elegidos por plazos escalonados de cuatro años conforme lo disponga la ley. Los miembros ~~del consejo~~ de la comisión serán residentes del distrito ~~del consejo~~ de la comisión de educación pública del cual fueren elegidos. Si el miembro del consejo se trasladare a un lugar fuera del distrito del cual fue elegido, vencerá su plazo automáticamente.

C. El gobernador, con el consentimiento del senado, nombrará cinco miembros del consejo de educación de cinco distritos que esencialmente tengan poblaciones iguales, por plazos escalonados de cuatro años y dichos miembros serán funcionarios del estado según disponga la ley. Las personas nombradas por el gobernador serán votantes calificados del estado de Nuevo México y no más de la mitad o una mayoría sencilla de dichas personas cuando fueren nombradas, pertenecerán al mismo partido político. Después del 1990, por ley, el número de nombramientos se podrá cambiar, siempre que no exceda de cinco.

~~D.~~C. El gobernador llenará las plazas vacantes en ~~el consejo~~ la comisión mediante ~~con el~~ nombramiento de un residente del distrito donde ocurriere la plaza vacante hasta la próxima elección ordinaria de miembros de la comisión.

~~[E. Al adoptarse esta enmienda]~~ D.El secretario de educación pública tendrá facultades y deberes administrativos incluso todas las funciones relacionadas con la distribución de fondos escolares y la contabilidad financiera de las escuelas públicas ~~se transferirán al departamento de educación pública~~ del estado y dichas funciones se desempeñarán según lo dispone la ley.

E. Si esta enmienda es aprobada, los miembros de educación del año 2003 van a constituir la comisión de educación hasta que sus plazos venzan y los distritos de los cuales los miembros del consejo de educación fueron elegidos van a constituir los distritos de la comision de educación pública hasta que sean cambiados por ley@.

Apartado 2. La enmienda propuesta por esta resolución se someterá al pueblo para que la aprueben o la rechacen en la próxima elección general o en cualquiera elección extraordinaria ántes de esa fecha que sea convocada con ese propósito.

Enmienda a la Constitución 1 CAnálisis Breve

La Enmienda a la Constitución 1 propone enmendar el Apartado 6 del Artículo 12 de la constitución de Nuevo México con el fin de crear un departamento de educación pública encabezada por un secretario a nivel del gabinete. El gobernador nombrará al secretario y este será confirmado por el senado. La enmienda le otorga al secretario facultades y deberes administrativos y reglamentarios incluso todas las funciones relacionadas con la distribución de fondos escolares. Además, la enmienda propone crear una comisión de educación pública que tendrá las facultades y deberes que quedarán definidos por ley que la legislatura apruebe. La enmienda dispone que los miembros existentes del consejo de educación elegidos en el 2003 van a constituir los integrantes de la comisión de educación pública has que sus plazos venzan. A partir de las fechas cuando sus plazos venzan, la comisión estará integrada por 10 miembros elegidos, cada uno de ellos por plazos escalonados de cuatro años.

ENMIENDA DE LA CONSTITUCIÓN 2
RESOLUCIÓN CONJUNTA

PROPONE ENMENDAR LA CONSTITUCIÓN DE NUEVO MÉXICO PARA QUE DISPONGA UNA DISTRIBUCIÓN LIMITADA ADICIONAL DE LOS FONDOS PERMANENTES PARA PROPORCIONAR MÁS DINERO A LAS ESCUELAS PÚBLICAS CON EL FIN DE PONER EN PRÁCTICA Y MANTENER REFORMAS EDUCATIVAS Y PARA PROPORCIONAR DINERO A OTRAS ENTIDADES QUE RECIBEN FONDOS.

RESUÉLVASE POR LA LEGISLATURA DEL ESTADO DE NUEVO MÉXICO:

Apartado 1. Se propone enmendar el Apartado 7 del Artículo 12 de la Constitución de Nuevo México cuyo texto sera:

A A. Según consta en este apartado Afondo@ significa el fondo permanente escolar que consta en el apartado 2 de este artículo y todos los otros fondos permanentes derivados de tierras concedidas o confirmadas a favor del Estado por Ley del Congreso del 20 de junio 1910, cuyo título es.: AUna ley para habilitar al pueblo de Nuevo México con el fin de que forme una constitución y gobierno estatal y con el fin de que el estado forme parte de la unión federativa en base igual que los estados originales.@

B. El funcionario a cargo de inversiones del estado invertirá el fondo de acuerdo a las pautas del reglamento promulgado por el concilio de inversiones del Estado.

C. Al invertir el fondo, el funcionario a cargo de inversiones del Estado, supervisado por el concilio de inversiones del Estado, aplicará la lógica y cuidado bajo las circunstancias que entonces prevalezcan que comerciantes de prudencia, discreción e inteligencia ordinaria, aplican en el manejo de sus propios asuntos no con motivo de especulación más bien como invierten sus propios fondos personales considerando el probable ingreso tanto como la seguridad probable de su propio capital.

D. La asamblea legislativa podrá establecer el criterio que se debe usar para la inversión del fondo si el criterio es aprobado por tres cuartas partes del voto de los legisladores elegidos a cada cámara de dicha asamblea, sin embargo, el fondo queda sujeto a las siguientes restricciones.

(1) únicamente el sesenta y cinco por ciento del valor del fondo según dicho valor conste en los libros será invertido en determinado momento en acciones de sociedades anónimas.

(2) dos por ciento o menos de acciones con derecho a voto formarán parte del fondo,

(3) las acciones que se compren serán únicamente acciones de empresas que constan en la lista de la bolsa nacional de títulos de valor o de empresas que constan en listas de acciones reconocidas al nivel nacional; y

(4)quince por ciento o menos del valor del fondo en los libros podrá invertirse en títulos de valor internacionales en una sola inversión.

E. Todas las sumas agregadas al fondo y todas las ganancias, incluyendo los intereses, dividendos y ganancias capitales derivados de la inversión del fondo serán acreditados al fondo.

F. Salvo lo que dispone el Sub apartado G de este apartado, las distribuciones anuales del fondo serán [~~cuatro dos~~] cinco por ciento de la [~~suma distribuida en el año fiscal anterior hasta que la distribución anual iguale cuatro y siete décimos de por ciento del~~] promedio de los valores del fondo del mercado en el fondo a fin de año durante los cinco años calendario anteriores. [~~De allí en adelante la suma anual de las distribuciones será cuatro y siete décimos de por ciento del promedio de los valores en el mercado a fin de año de los cinco años anteriores.~~]

G. Además de la distribución anual que se realice conforme al Sub Apartado F de este apartado, salvo que sea suspendida conforme al Sub Apartado H de este apartado, se realizará una distribución anual adicional de conformidad con el plan a continuación; siempre que no se realice distribución ninguna de conformidad con las disposiciones en este sub apartado en ningún año fiscal si el promedio de los valores en el mercado del fondo a fin de año durante los últimos cinco años calendario sea menos de cinco billones, ocho mil millones de dólares ($5,800,000,000):

(1) en los años fiscales 2005 a 2012 inclusive, una suma igual a ocho décimos del porcentaje del promedio de los valores del fondo en el mercado al fin de año en los cinco años calendarios anteriores; siempre que cualquiera distribución adicional del fondo escolar permanente de conformidad con este párrafo se use con el fin de poner en práctica y mantener reformas educativas según dispone la ley; y

(2) en los años fiscales 2013 a 2016 inclusive, una suma igual a medio por ciento del promedio de los valores en el mercado en el fondo a fin de año en los cinco años calendario anteriores; siempre que cualquiera distribución adicional del fondo escolar permanente de conformidad con este párrafo se use con el fin de poner en práctica y mantener reformas educativas según dispone la ley.

H. La asamblea legislativa, mediante el voto de tres quintos de los votos los miembros elegidos a cada cámara podrá suspender cualquiera distribución adicional conforme dispone el Sub Apartado G de este apartado @

Apartado 2. La enmienda que esta resolución propone será sometida al pueblo para que la aprueben o la rechacen en la próxima elección general o en cualquiera elección extraordinaria antes de la fecha en que se convoque con ese fin.

Los Fondos Permanentes: Una Explicación

Para entender la Enmienda 2 a la Constitución, algunos antecedentes de los fondos permanentes pueden ayudar. La Constitución de Nuevo México dispone que haya dos tipos de fondos permanentes: el fondo permanente de las concesiones de tierras y el fondo permanente, producto del impuesto por la extracción de recursos naturales. El saldo actual en el fondo es aproximadamente $6.7 billones.

Conforme a la Ley Ferguson de 1898 y conforme a la Ley que autorizó la formación del Estado de Nuevo México que fué adoptada por el congreso en1910, más de nueve millones de acres de superficie y más de trece millones de acres de depósitos minerales subterráneos le concedió el congreso a Nuevo México.

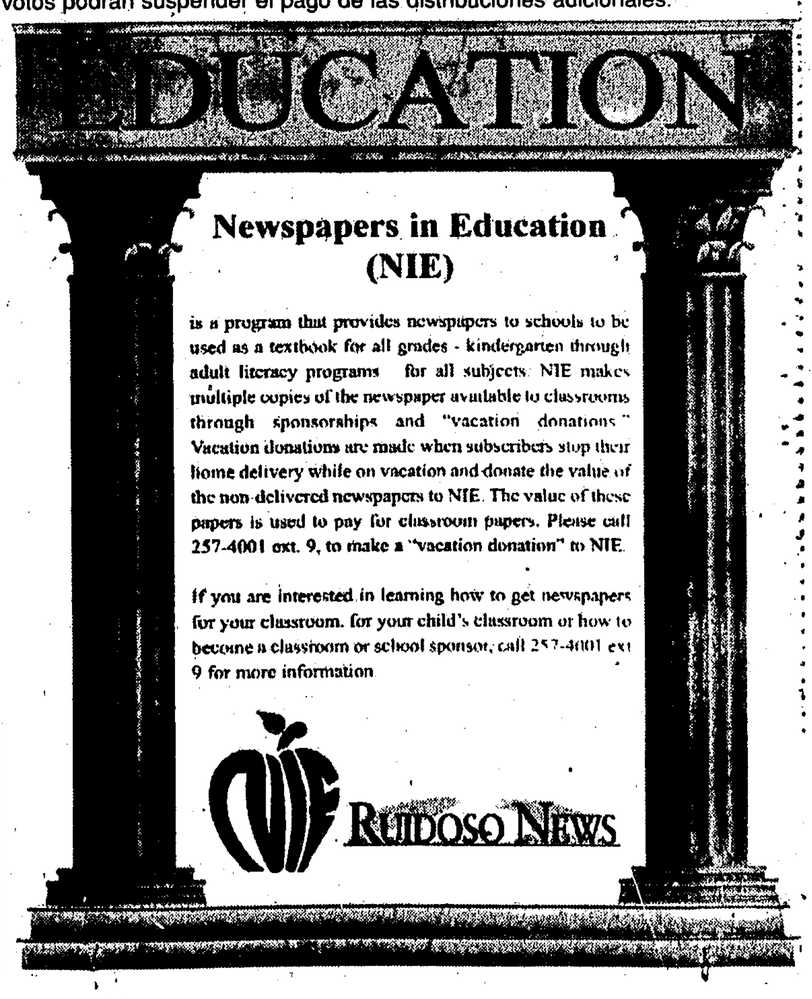
Dichas tierras públicas fueron concedidas a Nuevo México especificamente que se mantendrían en fideicomiso con el fin de proporcionar fondos para la educación pública y otros servicios públicos esenciales. Hay veintiun beneficiarios específicos del fondo permanente de concesión de tierras, y las escuelas públicas son beneficiarias que reciben la cantidad más grande de los fondos. Las otras veinte beneficiarias engloban a las instituciones docentes al nivel universitario y otras instituciones del estado tales como la escuela para los discapacitados de la vista, la escuelas de los sordos, las penitenciarias y el hospital del estado.

El comisionado de tierras públicas administra las tierras de Nuevo México que están bajo fideicomiso, las arrienda para exploración minera, desarrollo y producción, pasteo y otros fines comerciales, y asimismo vende propiedades según el comisionado considere sea de beneficio y propicio. Los ingresos producto del uso de tierras no renovables, tales como regalías de la producción de petroleo y gas y el producto de la venta de tierras se depositan en el fondo permanente de tierras concedidas a Nuevo México. La suma de los ingresos cambia de un año a otroCdurante los últimos diez años, la suma del nivel más bajo es $97 millones al nivel más alto de $288 millones.

El funcionario del estado a cargo de inversiones invierte el fondo permanente de la concesión de tierras de parte de los beneficiarios. Cada uno de los beneficiarios recibe una aportación anual que proviene del fondo con base en su parte del fondo. La suma de dinero que se reparte está establecida en la constitución y es el tema de la enmienda a la constitución que se propone. La suma que actualmente se reparte es 4.7 por ciento del saldo promedio en cinco años del fondo. Esta suma fue establecida por enmienda a la constitución aprobada por los votantes en 1996. La suma de dinero que se distribuye tiene la intención de permitir que el fondo crezca al mismo nivel que crece la inflación a medida que le aporta a los beneficiarios una parte del ingreso anual que se reparte al fondo proveniente de los intereses, dividendos y utilidades de capital. En el año fiscal 2002, las distribuciones provenientes del fondo permanente de la concesión de tierras sumó un total de $312 millones de los cuales $256 millones se aportaron a las escuelas públicas.

Enmienda de la Constitución 2 - Análisis Breve

La Enmienda de la Constitución 2 propone enmendar el Apartado 7 del Artículo 12 de la constitución de Nuevo México con el fin de aumentar permanentemente la distribución anual a todos los beneficiarios del fondo permanente de la concesión de tierras de 4.7 porciento a cinco porciento del promedio de los valores en el mercado a fin de año durante los cinco años calendario anteriores. La enmienda, además dispone que se realice un distribución adicional del .8 por ciento durante los años 2005 a 2012 inclusive y luego reduce esa distribución adicional a .5% durante los años fiscales 2013 a 2016 inclusive. Las porciones de las distribuciones adicionales que aplican al fondo escolar permanente se pueden usar para poner en práctica y mantener reformas en la educación aprobadas por la legislatura del estado. La enmienda requiere que las distribuciones provisionales adicionales serán suspendidas si el saldo promedio de cinco años baja a menos de $5.8 billones. Adicionalmente, la enmienda dispone que la legislatura mediante el voto de tres quintos de los votos podrán suspender el pago de las distribuciones adicionales.



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655 FOUR WHEEL

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Ford Explorer XLT, 4x4, 1999, $10,200, all power, 66,000 miles. 378-5662

657 TRUCKS FOR SALE

1981 TOYOTA utility pickup, runs great, needs head gasket, $395. OBO. Call 354-4265

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CLASSIC 65' Chevy, step side pickup, good condition, 4 speed, new 350/headers, almost an antique/ $4995. 630-1806

FOR SALE- 98' Ford F150, super cab, XLT, 4X4, new tires, great condition. 258-4082

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673 VANS

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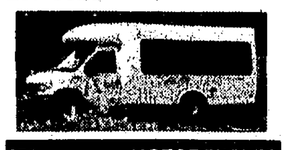

676 MOTORCYCLES

1998 HARLEY Davidson Fat Boy, extra chrome, factory service, $14,000. OBO. Call 505-259-0265

81' GS 1000, looks & runs great, very dependable. $1,000 OBO. + have parts to GS 1000 82' model. Call 257-3102

678 RECREATIONAL VEHICLES

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#5753 4T (9)10,12,17,19

LEGAL NOTICE

The following storage units at AA Mini Storage are past due. If payment is not received within 30 days of first publish of this notice storage items will be sold at auction.

Units: B-21, B-31, B-9, C-4, D-7, D-20, F-C, F-4, F-10, F-E, F-12/23, D-19, F-S, D-24, C-32.

#5761 1T (9)17

LEGAL NOTICE

INVITATION FOR BIDS

NOTICE is hereby given that the Village of Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico calls for sealed bids on Bid No. 03-004

The Village of Ruidoso is Accepting Bids For an Annual Contract For Uniforms and Linen Service.

Interested bidders may secure a copy of specifications from the Purchasing Department at the Village of Ruidoso Centralized Purchasing Warehouse, 421 Wingfield St. in Ruidoso. 505-257-2721 (mailing address: 313 Cree Meadows Dr, Ruidoso, NM 88345).

Sealed bids must be received by the Purchasing Office, if hand delivered to the Ruidoso Purchasing Warehouse at 421 Wingfield St., in Ruidoso or if mailed, to Purchasing Department, 313 Cree Meadow Dr, Ruidoso, NM 88345. Bids will be received until Monday, September 29, 2003 at 3:00pm local time, then publicly read aloud at the Village of Ruidoso Annex Building, 421 Wingfield, Ruidoso, New Mexico. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.

The Village of Ruidoso reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids and to waive all informalities as allowed by the State of New Mexico Procurement Code.

By Order of the Governing Body

/s/Fermin Herrera
Purchasing Agent
Village of Ruidoso

#5765 1T (9)17

LEGAL NOTICE

VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Governing Body, Village of Ruidoso conducted a public hearing on September 9, 2003 at 6:00 p.m. in a regular meeting and adopted the following ordinance:

ORDINANCE 2003-07: "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO MUNICIPAL CODE OF ORDINANCES CHAPTER 14, SECTIONS 14-3 AND 14-4, RELATING TO VACCINATIONS AND LICENSING OF DOGS AND CATS."

Copies of Ordinance 2003-07 are on file in the office of the Village Clerk and are available for public review Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Village of Ruidoso this 17th day of September, 2003.

(SEAL)

/S/ Irma Nava,
Village Clerk

#5762 1T (9)17

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF RUIDOSO DOWNS

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

Notice is hereby given that the Governing Body of the City of Ruidoso Downs conducted a Public Hearing during their regular scheduled meeting held on Thursday, September 11, 2003 at 5:30 p.m. at City Hall Hubbard Room, 122 Downs Drive, Ruidoso Downs and adopted the following Ordinance.

ORDINANCE 2003-05

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1, ARTICLE 3, SECTION 1 TITLED

"LEGISLATIVE BRANCH – BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF RUIDOSO DOWNS, CODE OF ORDINANCES.

Article 3 Legislative Branch – THE CITY COUNCIL

Copies of Ordinance 2003-05 are on file in the office of the City Clerk and are available for public review Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Witness my hand and the seal of the City of Ruidoso Downs this 12th day of September 2003

/s/ Carol Virden, CMC
City Clerk

#5763 4T (9)17,24(10)1,8

LEGAL NOTICE

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

KEN HURLEY and EDNA HURLEY, husband and wife,

Plaintiffs,

vs. CV-02-68
Div.III

VAN D. SUMRULD, III and VIRGIL J. DREW,

Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER FORECLOSURE JUDGMENT

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of Judgment of Foreclosure entered by the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on September 8, 2003, in civil cause number CV-02-68, in the case of KEN HURLEY and EDNA HURLEY, vs. VAN D. SUMRULD, III and VIRGIL J. DREW, the under-signed will offer for public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the front entrance of the Ruidoso Municipal Building, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico on the 10th day of November, 2003 at 9:30 a.m., all rights of the defendants to the following described real property located in Lincoln County, New Mexico; Lots 7 and 8, Block 23, PONDEROSA HEIGHTS Subdivision, Unit III, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Exofficio Recorder of Lincoln County on September 13,1956

(hereinafter referred to as "the Property").

Notice is further given that the court directed foreclosure of the mortgage on the Property and that the amounts to be realized at said sale from the Property, with interest calculated to date of sale, are as follows:

Amount of Plaintiff's judgment.....$8,997.53

Interest to date of sale.....$787.28

Costs.....$107.00

In addition thereto there will be costs of publication of this Notice, and the Special Master's Fee fixed by the Court in the amount of $200.00.

The terms of this sale are that the purchaser must pay cash at the time the Property is struck off to him, except that the Plaintiffs may bid all or any part of its judgment, plus interest without paying cash.

Witness my hand this 10th day of September, 2003.

Peggo Smothers,
Special Master

#5764 2T (9)17,24

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT LINCOLN COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BILLIE JEAN MONROE DECEASED.

No. 1980

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two (2) months after the date of publication of this notice, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at the address listed below, or filed with the Probate Court of Lincoln, County, New Mexico, located at the following address: PO Box 338, Carrizozo, NM, 88301

Dated: 9-12-03

S.M. Monroe
418 George P. White
Ruidoso, NM 88345
505-258-5768

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LEGAL NOTICE

VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Governing Body, Village of Ruidoso conducted a public hearing on September 9, 2003 at 6:00 p.m. in a regular meeting and adopted the following ordinance:

ORDINANCE 2003-05: "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO MUNICIPAL CODE OF ORDINANCES CHAPTER 1, SECTION 1-6, RELATING TO CORRECTIONS FEES AND JUDICIAL EDUCATION FEES."

Copies of Ordinance 2003-05 are on file in the office of the Village Clerk and are available for public review Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Village of Ruidoso this 17th day of September, 2003.

(SEAL)

/S/ Irma Nava,
Village Clerk

#5772 1T (9)17

LEGAL NOTICE

Pursuant to the General Election Laws of the State of New Mexico, as amended, I, Tammie J. Maddox, County Clerk of the County of Lincoln, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby issue the following proclamation

Conforme a las leyes de Elecciónes General del Estado de Nuevo Mexico, yo, Tammie J. Maddox, Escribana del Condado de Lincoln, en virtud de la autoridad conferida a mi, por la presente emito la siguiente proclamación:

That a Special Election be, and the same is hereby called, to be held throughout the County of Lincoln and in each Precinct thereof, on the 23rd day of September 2003;

Que una Elección General sea, y por la presente es llamada a ser llevada a cabo por todo el Condado de Lincoln y en cada unos de sus recintos, el 23rd de Septembre, 2003;

It is further proclaimed and notice is hereby given that the election shall be held between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on said date in the following precincts and that the election workers be as follows:

Ademas se preclama, y noticia sez of recida que la elección tendra lugar entre las 7:00 de la mañana a las 7:00 de la tarde en dicha fecha y en los siguientes recintos y que los trabajadores para la elección seran:

CORONA - PRECINCT #1/RECINTO #1
POLLING PLACE – CORONA SENIOR CITIZENS BUILDING
LUGAR PARA VOTACION – MAYOR CIUDANDO CENTRO
Presiding Judge/Juez Mayor: Nelva June Tyree
Judge/Juez: Loretta E. Sanchez
Judge/Juez: Sandra J. Alford
Clerk/Escribana: Irene Mayhill

CARRIZOZO - PRECINCT #2A/RECINTO #2A
POLLING PLACE - LINCOLN COUNTY COURTHOUSE
LUGAR PARA VOTACION-CASA CORTE DE CONDADO
Presiding Judge/Juez Mayor: Carol Wilson
Judge/Juez: Ruth Birdsong
Judge/Juez: Susan H. Dickerson
Clerk/Escriana: Barbara Culler
Clerk/Escribana: Cheryl R. Smith

NOGAL - PRECINCT #2B/RECINTO #2B
POLLING PLACE - NOGAL FIRE STATION
LUGAR PARA VOTACION-NOGAL PARQUE DE BOMBEROS
Presiding Judge/Juez Mayor: Caroline McCoy
Judge/Juez: Francine Murtaugh
Judge/Juez: Elliot Topper
Clerk/Escribana; Bama Crouse

CAPITAN - PRECINCT #3A/RECINTO #3A
POLLING PLACE - LINCOLN COUNTY FAIR BUILDING
LUGAR PARA VOTACION-EDIFICIO FERIA DEL CONDADO
Presiding Judge/Juez Mayor: Ellen Fay Womack
Judge/Juez: Duane Williams
Judge/Juez: Mary Eshom
Clerk/Escribana: Kathy Chapman
Clerk/Escribana: Robert Hellman

CAPITAN - PRECINCT #3B/RECINTO #3B
POLLING PLACE – LINCOLN COUNTY FAIR BUILDING
LUGAR PARA VOTACION-EDIFICIO FERIA DEL CONDADO
Presiding Judge/Juez: Edith Dobbins
Judge/Juez: Steven Shearer
Judge/Juez: Janice Cox
Clerk/Escribana: Louis Padilla

ANGUS - PRECINCT #4/RECINTO #4
POLLING PLACE – ANGUS CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
LUGAR PARA VOTACION-IGLESIA DE NAZERENO
Presiding Judge/Juez: Darrel Stierwalt
Judge/Juez Mary Samuels
Judge/Juez: Mary Rivas

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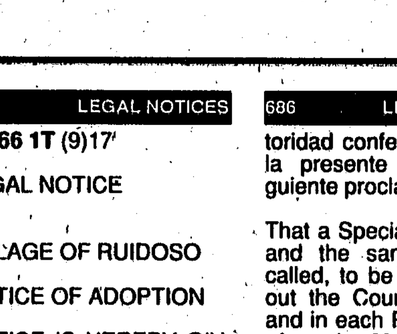

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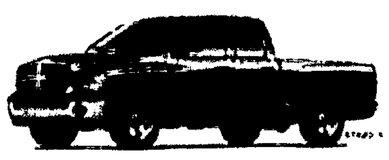

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ALTO - PRECINCT #5/RECINTO #5
POLLING PLACE – BONITO VOLUNTEER FIRE STATION
LUGAR PARA VOTACION-BONITO PARQUE DE BOMBERA
Presiding Judge/Juez: Jorice Kay Steele
Judge/Juez: June Hobbs
Judge/Juez: Emma Smith
Clerk/Escribana: Joyce A. Hansen
Clerk/Escribana: Carol Singletary
RUIDOSO - PRECINCT #6/RECINCTO #6
POLLING PLACE – RUIDOSO CONVENTION CENTER
LUGAR PARA VOTACION-RUIDOSO CENTRO DE CONVENCION
Presiding Judge/Juez: Judy Shaw
Judge/Juez: Sandra B. McGlothlin
Judge/Juez: Daryl Snyder
Clerk/Escribana: Alvin S. Harcrow, Jr.
Clerk/Escribana: Alice P. Payne
Clerk/Escribana: Darrell L. Bode
RUIDOSO - PRECINCT #7A/RECINCTO #7A
POLLING PLACE – RUIDOSO CONVENTION CENTER
LUGAR PARA VOTACION-RUIDOSO CENTRO DE CONVENCION
Presiding Judge/Juez: Albert T. Radtke
Judge/Juez: Calvin C. Cowden
Judge/Juez: Fran Cummins
Clerk/Escribana Kathleen Kennedy
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RUIDOSO - PRECINCT #7B/RECINCTO #7B
POLLING PLACE – RUIDOSO CONVENTION CENTER
LUGAR PARA VOTACION-RUIDOSO CENTRO DE CONVENCION
Presiding Judge/Juez Catherine Frankie Jarrell
Judge/Juez Martha LaNell Thomas
Judge/Juez Frances V Berry
Clerk/Escribana Max Roberson
RUIDOSO - PRECINCT #8A/RECINCTO #8A
POLLING PLACE – RUIDOSO CONVENTION CENTER
LUGAR PARA VOTACION-RUIDOSO CENTRO DE CONVENCION
Presiding Judge/Juez Mary Gomez
Judge/Juez Henry King
Judge/Juez Jean Summers
Clerk/Escribana Dorthy J King
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LUGAR PARA VOTACION-RUIDOSO CENTRO DE CONVENCION
Presiding Judge/Juez Jackie Branum
Judge/Juez Betty Seiler
Judge/Juez Darla C Lathan
Clerk/Escribana Carol Marsh
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LUGAR PARA VOTACION-RUIDOSO CENTRO DE CONVENCION
Presiding Judge/Juez Sunny B. Hirschfeld
Judge/Juez: Carla Grover
Judge/Juez: Laura Seeley
Clerk/Escribana: Edward J. Cavanaugh
Clerk/Escribana: Marilyn Roberson
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POLLING PLACE – RUIDOSO DOWNS SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER
LUGAR PARA VOTACION-RUIDOSO DOWNS CENTRO DE CIUDADANOS MAYORES
Presiding Judge/Juez: Wilma Webb
Judge/Juez: Lupita Rue
Judge/Juez: Barbara Green
Clerk/Escribana: Gilbert Carpenter
RUIDOSO DOWNS - PRECINCT #11/RECINCTO #11
POLLING PLACE – RUIDOSO DOWNS SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER
LUGAR PAR VOTACION-RUIDOSO DOWNS CENTRO DE CIUDADANOS MAYORES
Presiding Judge/Juez: Diane Carpenter
Judge/Juez:Virginia Burrow
Judge/Juez: Janet Harcrow
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Clerk/Escribana: Benny Roller
SAN PATRICIO - PRECINCT #12A/RECINCTO #12A
POLLING PLACE – SAN PATRICIO SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER
LUGAR PAR VOTACTION-SAN PATRICIO CENTRO DE CIUDADANOS MAYORES
Presiding Judge/Juez: Juan S. Montoya
Judge/Juez: Elizabeth Montes
Judge/Juez: Raquel Montoya
Clerk/Escribana: Enedina Ortega
TINNIE – PRECINCT #12B/RECINCTO #12B
POLLING PLACE – TINNIE VOLUNTEER FIRE STATION
LUGAR PAR VOTACITON-TINNIE PARQUE DE BOMBERO
Presiding Judge/Juez: Billy L. Jones
Judge/Juez: Beverly Hammond

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Judge/Juez: Modesto Chaves
Clerk/Escribana: Juanita Salas
LINCOLN AREA – PRECINCT #12C/RECINCTO #12C
POLLING PLACE – CAPITAN VOLUNTEER FIRE STATION
LUGAR PAR VOTACTION-CAPITAN PARQUE DE BOMBERO
Presiding Judge/Juez: Phoebe M. Taylor
Judge/Juez: Alice Phelps
Judge/Juez: Edward W. Allen
Clerk/Escribana: Barbara E. Beckley
CARRIZOZO – PRECINCT #13/RECINCTO #13
POLLING PLACE – CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS
LUGAR PAR VOTACTION-ESQUELA DE CARRIZOZO
Presiding Judge/Juez: Carol L. Zumwalt
Judge/Juez: Margaret Baca
Judge/Juez: Susan Hightower
Clerk/Escribana: Anthony L. Sanchez
CARRIZOZO - ABSENTEE/EARLY ABSENTEE /RECINCTO
POLLING PLACE - COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE
LUGAR PAR VOTACTION-OFFICINA ESCRIBANO DE CONDADO
Presiding Judge/Juez: Leann Weihbrecht

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Judge/Juez: Raymond Wilson
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Judge/Juez: Carrie Spencer
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Clerk/Escribana: Sylvia Barela
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LUGAR PAR VOTACTION-TACTIO RUIDOSO CENTRO
DE CIMAYOES
Presiding Judge/Juez: Edith Dobbins
Judge/Juez: Frances Cummins
Judge/Juez: Janice Cox
Clerk/Escribana: Janet E. Harcrow
Clerk/Escribana: Ellen Fay Womack

In witness whereof, I have subscribed my name and seal of the County of Lincoln, on this 17th day of September, 2003.

Como testigo de todo esto, he sascrito mi nombre, y la estampa oficicial del condado de Lincoln, ho el dia 17 de Septembre, 2003.

/S/Tammie J. Maddox
County Clerk/
Escribana de Condado

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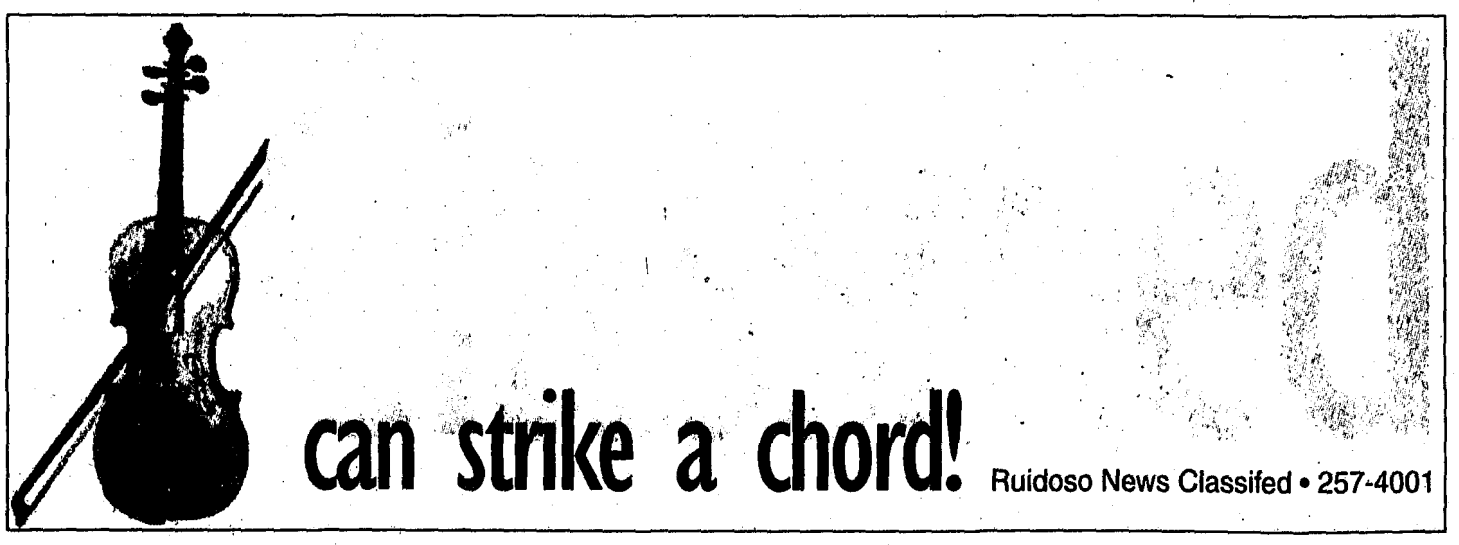

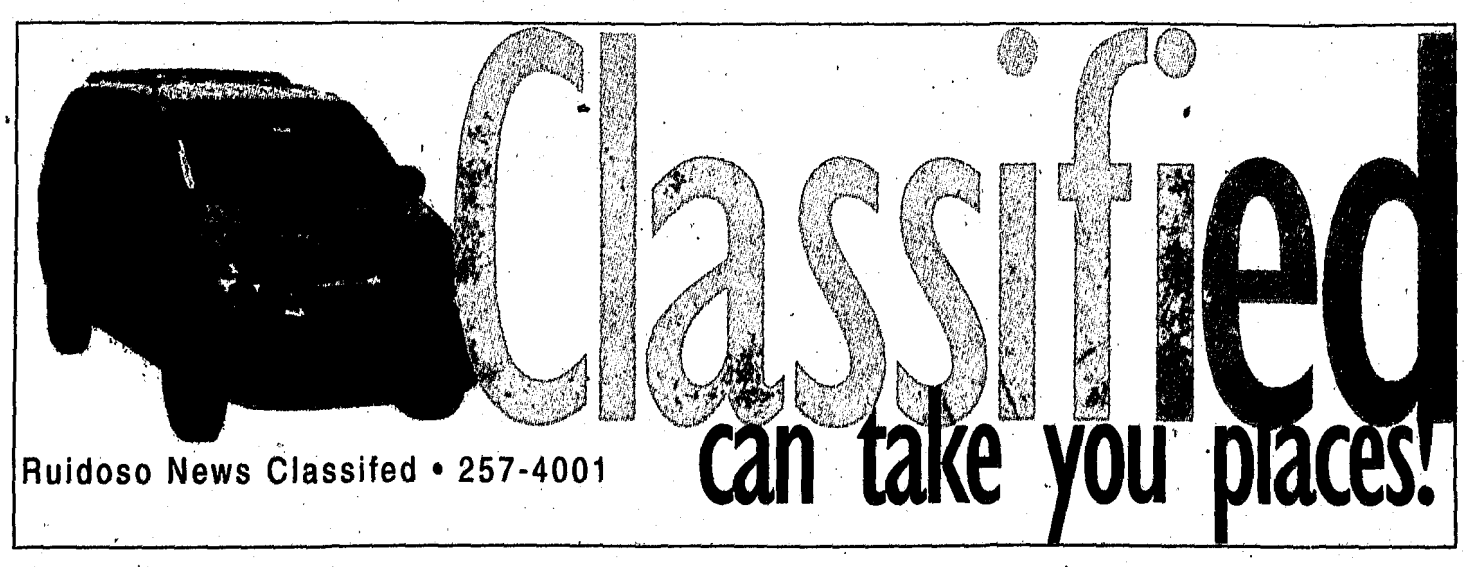

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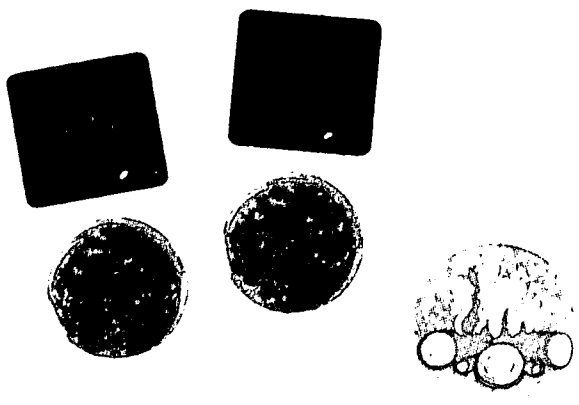
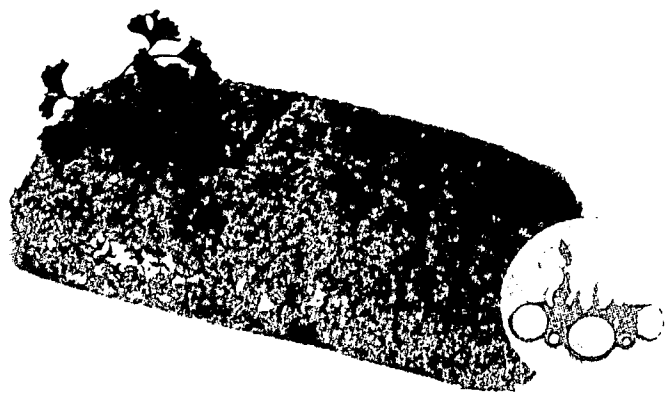
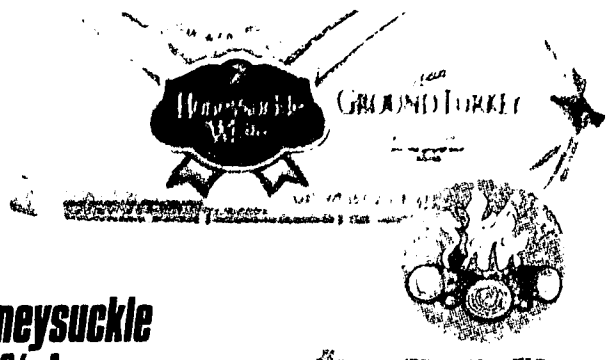


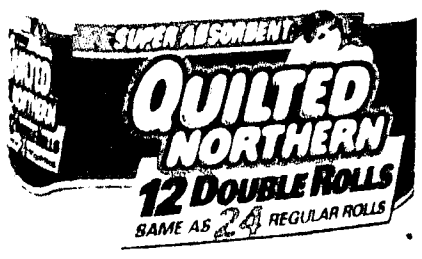
Chef's Choice Bacon Wrapped Fillet
5 oz.
2/$5



Family Pack 81 % Lean Ground Beef
$1.49 lb.



Honeysuckle 90% Lean Ground Turkey
16 oz.
$1.19 lb.



Northern Bath Tissue
12 - 24 Roll
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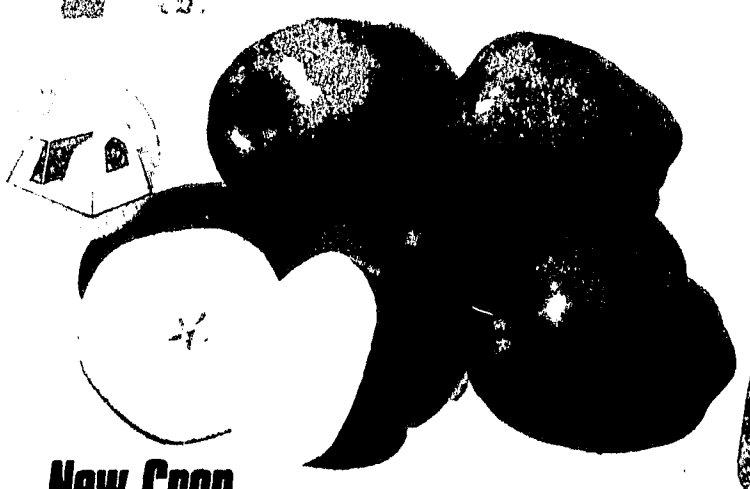
10/$1



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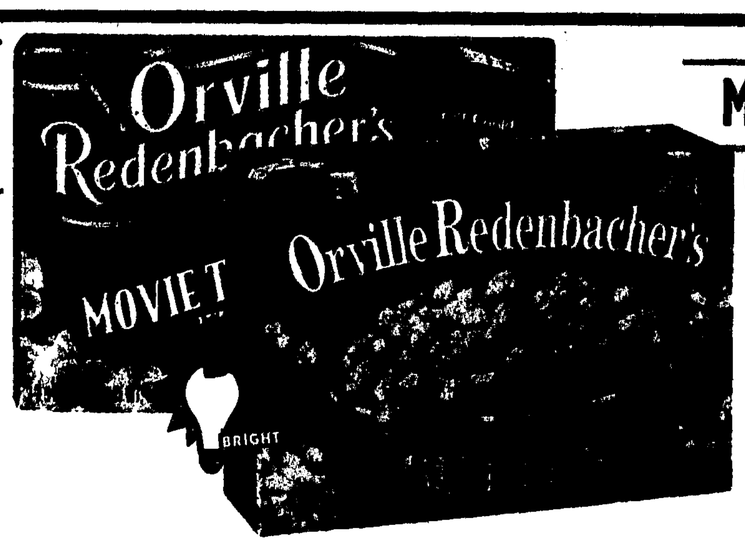

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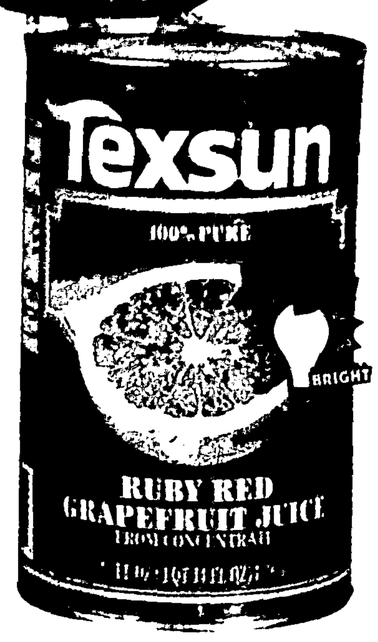
Doritos® Tortilla Chips
select varieties
reg. $3.29
2 FOR $4

Texsun Grapefruit Juice
ruby red
46 oz.
89¢



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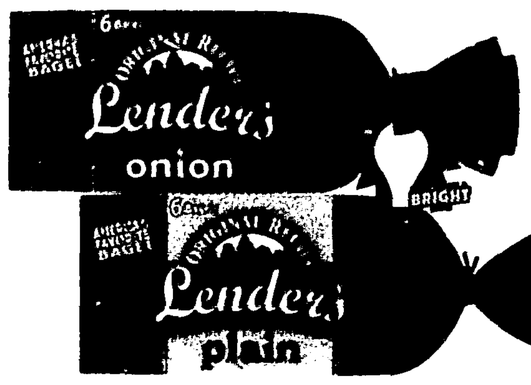
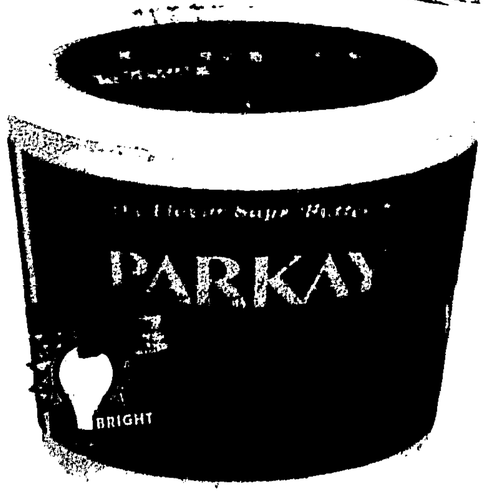


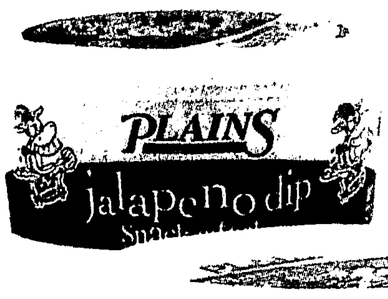
Lender's Bagels
select varieties
5-6 ct.
99¢



Parkay Spread
48 oz. tub
2 FOR $3

Budget Gourmet Entrees
select varieties
8-8.5 oz.
89¢

Plains Orange Juice
gallon
2.00



Plains Dip
french onion, jalapeño
or green chili
12 oz.
99¢

Aunt Jemima Waffles
original or blueberry
12.5 oz.
1.29

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Sirloin Cut Pork Chops

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2.10 LB.

Sirloin Tip Roast

preferred trim boneless beef

1.00 LB.

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4.00 LB.

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