

Columbus Day Storm 1962



A series of buildings in Newberg was completely pushed off its foundation during the Columbus Day storm of 1962.

The storm's legacy **50 years later**

By Mark Floyd Oregon State University

CORVALLIS – Nearly half a century after it ripped through the Pacific Northwest, people still talk about the Columbus Day storm of 1962 — and with good reason.

With wind gusts measured at 145 miles per hour – and peak velocity that may have reached as high as 175 mph, the storm demolished trees homes and

Coast Range and the Cascades - right up the Willamette Valley.

"If the winds had come from the west, the pressure gradient would have changed and the damage would not have been nearly as severe," said Dello, who is in OSU's College of Earth, Ocean, and Atmos-

pheric Sciences.

Commenting on the storm

The World reached out to Facebook users and asked what memories they had of the 1962 storm. Below are a few of the responses:

Linda Gover said, "Actually the Columbus day storm started on my 10th Birthday party Oct. 11, I remem-

Charmaine Healey said, "I

was a student at Charleston

Elementary. We were glued to

the windows watching what

was happening outside. I

remember seeing a car-

port flipped upside-

it. They let us out early to

because of power lines across the

road. When I finally got home there

was no one there. I was home alone."

down on a tree behind

DeFazio fires back at super PAC

BY DANIEL SIMMONS-RITCHIE The World

Facing an onslaught of attack ads from a conservative group in Indiana, Congressman Peter DeFazio, D-Eugene, hit back Monday, branding their progenitor as a "right wing extremist" who is trying to deregulate the campaign finance system.

In the final month in the battle for Oregon's Fourth District, Republican Super Pac Inc. has purchased \$109,000 of commercials on three Eugene TV stations in support of DeFazio's republican challenger, Art Robinson.

The ads, set to scowling close-ups of DeFazio, say the 25-year incumbent has increased the national debt and voted against tax reductions for local businesses. "DeFazio believes only in big government," a woman narrator concludes, "why doesn't he believe in us?"

DeFazio mocked the commercials as a distortion of his record, but aimed the brunt of his criticism at the motives of Republic Super Pac Inc's chief executive officer, attorney James Bopp Jr.

"He doesn't know or care a darn thing about Southwestern Oregon," DeFazio said.

Bopp, based in Terre Haute, Ind., is an anti-abortion advocate and a specialist in campaign finance law. In 2010, he represented a conservative group in a U.S. Supreme Court case that

Correction

An article on Monday incorrectly stated that Republican Super PAC Inc had purchased nearly \$220,000 of radio and television

advertising in support of Robinson. Republican Super PAC Inc initially reported to the Federal Election Commission that it had purchased \$109,700 of radio advertising. It later amended its filing to say television advertising. The change left the appearance of two filings for \$109,700 in the FEC database.

campaign spending.

Bopp is often considered a key figure in the creation of "super PACs," independent groups that can raise and spend unlimited funds on behalf of candidates. In 2011 he founded his own, Republican Super PAC Inc.

DeFazio suspects that Bopp is targeting him because of his vocal opposition to super PACs. He says those entities allow wealthy America to evade traditional spending limits and therefore wield disproportionate influence over elections.

"He wants to totally deregulate elections so that wealthy individuals can secretly campaign and buy our country," he said.

Bopp says his super PAC is campaigning in Oregon's Fourth District because he was impressed by Robinson after meeting him at the Republican National Convention in August.

"I had heard about him and made a point to meet

As many as 46 deaths were attributed to the storm, and hundreds of Oregonians were injured, making it the second deadliest weather event in the state's history.

Some people have called it the perfect storm, but in truth, it was three separate storms, says Kathie Dello, deputy director of the Oregon Climate Service at Oregon State University.

"The Columbus Day storm has frequently been labeled as a typhoon, but that is somewhat erroneous," Dello said. "It was the remnant of a typhoon that became extratropical and hit the West Coast in three waves, but they get lumped together in people's minds as one event."

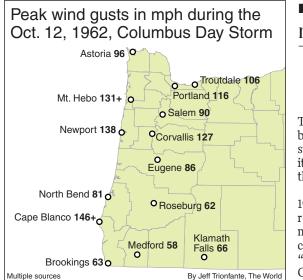
Dello said three key things happened to create the monstrous weather event that became known as the Columbus Day storm. Remnants of Typhoon Freda, which formed in early October, regained intensity after it moved into an area where cool air from the Gulf of Alaska met warm, moist tropical air. The newly energized system moved up the coast and a low pressure system developed intensively. Finally, the combination of the west-to-east pressure gradient with the northward path of the storm funneled the system between the

ber the garbage cans flying up and down the street which caused concern for everyone's Wreaks Havoc In SW Oregon; 1 Dear safety from what was to come next. So needless to say my party ended early and the kids had to be taken home." Marie Wheeler said, "I was born on 10/13/1962 in Gold Beach. My father wanted to name me Stormy.' The World's wait for the busses. Girls wore dressfront page es then and the tree needles driven "We have by the wind were doing a number on Oct. 13, 1962 extratropical our legs. I remember squatting on the storms visit us frequently. edge of a planter and pulling my skirt down over my legs. After my bus stop But the intensity of the low pressure, combined with the direction of the storm, and the bus had to go back to school

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A night to remember

our topography made this one historic."



Video preserves memories of storm

BY GAIL ELBER The World

A Thursday night event at The Mill Casino-Hotel won't be quite like the most powerful storm of the 20th century, but it might be the next scariest thing.

Those who remember the 1962 Columbus Day Storm can reminisce, and those who missed it can learn about the catastrophe, at a showing of "Cyclone! True Stories of the Columbus Day Storm," hosted

by the Coos County Historical Society at 7 p.m. in the Salmon Room at the Mill.

After the showing, audience members will have an opportunity to share their memories of the storm.

Local playwright Judith McDonald created "Cyclone!" 10 years ago for the storm's 40th anniversary.

At that time, she was the director of the Waterfront Players Repertory Company. A member of the group suggested creating a theater production around people's memories of the storm.

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By Alysha Beck, The World

Jody McCaffree protests against the Jordan Cove LNG Export Project outside The Mill Casino-Hotel on Tuesday evening. About 20 protesters stood along Highway 101 before an FERC scoping hearing.

Protesters persist at LNG meeting

By Jessie Higgins The World

NORTH BEND - Health and safety concerns were the recurring themes at a Tuesday night meeting on the proposed natural gas export terminal.

How much airborne pollution would such a facility generate?

How would the liquefied natural gas storage tanks and pipeline weather a massive earthquake and tsunami?

What would happen if a plane heading for the nearby Southwest Oregon Regional Airport crashed into an LNG tank or ship?

"How can Jordan Cove prevent the fiery, instantaneous deaths of all local residents" if a liquefied natural gas tank exploded? Janet Stoffel asked Federal Energy **Regulatory Commission staff**

How to submit a comment

The scoping period on Jordan Cove Energy Partners' pre-filing process with the Federal Energy **Regulatory Commission ends** Oct. 29.

To file formal comments, visit www.ferc.gov, click on the "Documents and Filing" tab, then either submit an eComment or an eFiling. You also can mail comments to Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First St. NE, Washington D.C. 20426.

There is still time to comment on the project after the formal scoping period ends.

at the meeting.

FERC isn't answering now, but all legitimate environmental issues raised at

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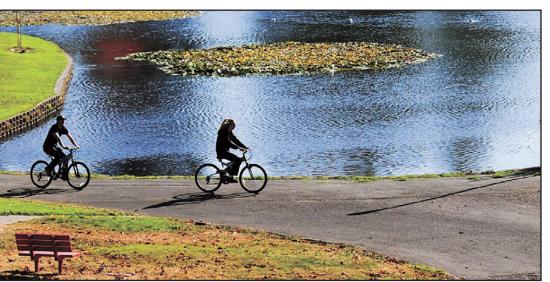


South Coast

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Summer holdouts

Bicyclists enjoy a sunny, fall day Saturday afternoon in Mingus Park. The temperature reached 63 degrees Saturday in Coos Bay, and many people were outside enjoying the weather.



By Alysha Beck The World

Changing health care system reveals flaws

■ CCOs venture into uncharted territory

By DANIEL SIMMONS-RITCHIE The World

COOS BAY - The patient laid down, entered the metal behemoth and waited for the results.

It came back negative.

The next morning. unconvinced by the hospital, the patient drove from Coquille to Coos Bay and requested a CT scan from Bay Area Hospital.

It came back negative. Phil Greenhill says that extra scan not only cost the state another \$3,000, it exposed the patient to unsafe levels of radiation. In the next few years in Oregon, he hopes, that type of

relic of a bygone era.

Greenhill is on the frontlines in Oregon's health care overhaul. On Tuesday, speaking at a special meeting at Bay Area Hospital, he described the promise and perils of those changes to state health officials.

Less than three months ago, Oregon created 13 regional networks of health providers to treat lowincome and disabled patients on the Oregon Health Plan. These networks are called coordinated care organizations (CCOs). Greenhill is the leader of one of those CCOs, Western Oregon Advanced Health, which covers Coos and northern Curry counties.

Greenhill said the network already is finding ways

testing duplication will be a to reduce costs through collaboration.

> "I think that's our biggest accomplishment to date," he said. "We now have the parts of that service delivery system talking to each other."

But he warned that big challenges lie ahead. The state wants to link funding for CCOs to the overall health of patients, creating incentives for better care. Greenhill said deciding upon a fair and simple way to measure those outcomes across regions will be "daunting."

Greenhill also said that it has become increasingly obvious the legislature's health care bill should have integrated county public health services with CCOs.

Creating a statewide health information technology system also could have saved the state money, he said. His group has been developing its own system, which could over a million dollars in cost when it's finished.

policy board for the Oregon Health Authority, said Greenhill's perspective was invaluable. With little precedent, he said, the state needs to know how CCOs are working in practice.

"I would say to the extent there are successes, we love to hear about them," he said. "To the extent there are challenges, we really need to hear about them."

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Soup, sandwiches and safety tips

DORA - The Dora-Sitkum Rural Fire Protection District open house is from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Oct. 13.

Kids get free fire hats and rides on a fire truck. Families can tour the fire hall and learn fire safety tips. Chimney brushes are available for check-out.

Also planned is the "Second Saturday Soup, Sandwich, Sale, and Safety" from 11 a.m to 3 p.m. at Dora Center, adjacent to the fire hall. The Dora Friendly Club will serve bowls of soup, \$3; sandwiches, \$5; or a soup and sandwich combo for \$7.

A garage and crafts sale will be held inside Dora Center from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with Friends of the Dora Library selling baked goods, soup mixes and used books.

For information call DSRFPD at 541-572-2182 or the Dora Center at 541-572-2728.

Thefts & Mischief

COOS BAY

Oct. 7, 10:46 a.m., criminal mischief, 900 block of Newmark Avenue.

Oct. 7, 1:05 p.m., arrest for theft, 91000 block of Shaw Lane.

Oct. 7, 5:07 p.m., dispute, South Broadway and Johnson Avenue.

Oct. 8, 3:52 a.m., arrest for probation violation, Eighth Street and Ingersoll Avenue.

Oct. 8, 9:12 a.m., dispute, 1000 block of Newmark Avenue.

Oct. 8, 11:40 a.m., dispute, 400 block of Jackson Avenue.

Oct. 8, 1:55 p.m., theft, Augustine Avenue and Margaretta Avenue.

Oct. 8, 3:18 p.m., dispute, 400 block of Hall Avenue.

Oct. 8, 6:04 p.m., criminal mischief, 900 block of North Central Avenue.

Oct. 8, 8:54 p.m., dispute, 1600 block of Birch Avenue.

NORTH BEND

Oct. 6, 2:55 a.m., assault, 15th Street and Marion Street.

Oct. 6, 7:07 a.m., criminal mischief, 1600 block of Union Avenue.

Oct. 6, 9:08 a.m., assault, 2300 block of Pacific Avenue.

Oct. 6, 11:55 a.m., dispute, 800 block of California Avenue.

Oct. 6, 4:35 p.m., dispute, 1900 block of Sherman Avenue.

Oct. 6, 11:30 p.m., unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, 1600 block of Virginia Avenue.

Oct. 6. 11:24 p.m., dispute, 3200 block of Tremont Avenue.

Oct. 6, 11:27 p.m., dispute, 700 block of Virginia Avenue.

Oct. 7, 1:42 a.m., criminal trespass, 1300 block of Virginia Avenue.

Oct. 7. 8:52 a.m., criminal mischief, 2000 block of Union Avenue.

Oct. 7, 2:53 p.m., criminal trespass, Colorado Avenue.

Oct. 7, 4:06 p.m., dispute, 2300 block of Marion Avenue.

Oct. 7, 4:24 p.m., theft, 1800 block of Johnson Street.

Oct. 7, 5:39 p.m., dispute, 2300 block of Marion Avenue.

Oct. 8, 2:00 p.m., burglary, 2100 block of McPherson Avenue.

Oct. 8, 3:56 p.m., theft, 3200 block of Fir Street.

Oct. 8, 6:41 p.m., disorderly conduct, Simpson Park.

Oct. 8, 8:48 p.m., theft, 1500 block of Sherman Avenue.

COQUILLE

Oct. 7, 6:34 p.m., arrest for interfering with police, Fairview Road and Milky Way.

Meetings

TODAY

Coos Bay Schools Facilities Task Force Committee - 5:15 p.m., Milner Crest Education Center. 1255 Hemlock Ave., Coos Bay; community visioning meeting.

Reedsport Community Charter School Board – 6 p.m., Reed-



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Eric Parsons, chair of the

sport Community Charter School, 2260 Longwood Drive; regular meeting.

Reedsport School Board - 6:30 p.m., Reedsport School District Office, 100 Ranch Road; regular meeting.

Bunker Hill Sanitary District -7:30 a.m., district office, 93685 E. Howard Lance, Coos Bay; regular meeting.

THURSDAY

Bandon Parks & Recreation Commission – 5:30 p.m., Bandon City Hall, 555 U.S. Highway 101; regular meeting

Umpqua Soil & Water Conservation District - 6:30 p.m., district office, 1877 Winchester Ave., Reedsport; monthly meeting.

Lakeside City Council – 7 p.m., Lakeside City Hall, 915 N. Lake Road; regular meeting.

MONDAY

Oregon Virtual Academy - 6 p.m., Suite 210, 400 Virginia Ave., North Bend; regular meeting.



BRAND SOURCE

Wine Walkers & Merchants!

369 wine walkers showed their support at the October 5th event supporting the United Way of Southwestern Oregon and Women's Safety & Resource Center. See you November 2nd!





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TODAY

Coos Bay Farmer's Market 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Central Avenue across from visitors center.

Business Connection Luncheon 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., The Mill Casino-Hotel, Salmon Room, 3201 Tremont St., North Bend. No host buffet \$12. State Representative and Senator forum. 541-266-0868

Bingo 6:30 p.m., Bay Area Senior Activity Center, 886 S. 4th St., Coos Bay. Cost: Early bird, 25 cents; regular, \$5 pack and \$1 specials. 541-269-2626

Cape Arago Audubon Society 7 p.m., Myrtlewood Room, Coos Bay Library, 525 W. Anderson Ave. Monthly meeting, Russ Namitz presents "Duck Daze – Identifying Female Species."

THURSDAY

Community Meeting on Oregon's Long Term Care Plan 1:30-3:30 p.m., Baycrest Village Banquet Hall, 3959 Sheridan Ave., North Bend. DHS is seeking public input. 503-385-7168, 503-947-2321

Columbus Day Storm 50th Anniversary Presentation 3 p.m., Umpqua Discovery Center, 409 Riverfront Way, Reedsport. CAN-CELLED. 541-271-4816

Bingo 6 p.m., Green Acres Grange, 93393 Green Acres Lane. Doors open at 5 p.m. Proceeds from food sales and bingo benefit the community. 541-267-5875

Fire prevention open house 6-8 p.m., Coquille Fire Station #1, 89 W. Third St. Event for all ages. 541-396-2232

"Flash! New Nails!" 6:30 p.m., Frazier's Banquet Room, 23 E. First St., Coquille. Shellac manicure demonstration, time management lecture and dessert. Cost is \$6.50. **RSVP** with JoAnne Jensen at 541-572-1976.

Judith McDonald's "Cyclone! True Stories of the Columbus Day Storm,"

7 p.m., The Mill Casino, East Salmon Room, 3201 Tremont, North Bend. Ticket: advance through Coos Historical & Maritime Museum, \$8; or \$10 at the door. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Proceeds benefit CHMM. 541-756-6320

Oregon Coast Culinary Institute, representing the ERFURT, Germany – The United States, won the hot International Culinary entree competition Tuesday, Olympics Youth Team USA then took silver in the cold took silver with their cold display competition food display and gold with Wednesday.

"Their cold display was The youth team from the fantastic," said Chef Woojay

Poynter, an OCCI chef who also won an Olympic gold metal Monday. "Out of the countries I see, our youth team had the best cold display."

The youth cold display competition is not eaten, but

Williams, Maddie Cutts, and Edalyn Garcia during service. Members of the team not shown include Alfonso Mendoza, team alternate Krista Nakamura, coach Alex Darvishi and

CCI Youth Team serves up victory

feel of the food.

The judges do taste the hot entries.

Youth Team USA started their hot foods with a cold appetizer of beets.

"It was a study in beets," Poynter said. "Beet terrine, judged based on the look and beet cucumber salad, beet butter sauce, Poynter said.

macaroon with goat cheese, and a fennel, orange salad."

The hot entree included poached halibut loin filled with salmon mousse, seared salmon, liquid lobster bisque filled with croquette braised kale, butternut squash and

Forest health project targets Shore Acres

CHARLESTON - The Oregon Parks and Recreation Department will remove brush and dead and down trees from an 8-acre area overlooking the ocean around Shore Acres State Park starting later this fall. The park will remain open during the work. Shore Acres is 13 miles southwest of Coos Bay on the Cape Arago Highway.

OCCI chef Randy Torres.

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their hot entree this year.

Port Orford cedars in this area have died recently due to a soil-borne cedar root disease (Phytophthora lateralis). Combined with debris from wind-damaged pine, fir and spruce trees, the area needs to be cleaned to protect it from fire and prepare for replanting of the cedar trees. The Coos Forest Patrol will remove debris and tagged trees up to 10 inches in diameter and pile it all for burning. The debris removal project will begin when a Coos Forest Patrol crew is available. The clean-up budget, less than \$5,000, comes from a dedicated Oregon Parks and Recreation Department natural resource fund. Visitors may see and hear the work as it takes place, but the project isn't expected to interrupt access to the park. After the area is cleared of debris, park staff will eventually replant with diseaseresistant cedar tree saplings. Port Orford cedar is an ecologically-valuable tree, shading streams and improving fish habitat, among other benefits. The disease-resistant trees are being grown at a plant nursery in Cave Junction.



scenarios provided by the directors of the Coos Soil and Water Conservation District.

1. How does water conservation and farm use techniques in Oregon or Coos County affect water quantity and quality?

2. What can loggers and farmers do to benefit fish and wildlife habitat?

3. What conservation techniques can be used by the landowners in Coos County to decrease soil erosion?

4. Provide a historical perspective on farming and/or ranching conservation technique from then to now.

Essays should describe and explore the chosen conservation topic, including the writer's personal analysis and opinions and should be no more than 1000 words in

Public to shape school district future

CB holds meeting tonight

THE WORLD

The Coos Bay School District wants the community help determining the district's future direction.

The district is building a 20-year plan that includes future building constructions, technology acquisitions and general teaching philosophies.

The district will hold a community

meeting tonight from 5:15 to 6:45 at the Milner Crest Education Center, 1255 Hemlock Ave.

From that meeting, the district will form a Community Task Force to work with the community over the upcoming year, according to the district.

"The first phase will be to understand what the community wants, followed by workshops to create solutions and then get public input from the community on the solutions," a district press release stated.





FRIDAY

Coos Bay Lions Volleyball Tournament 5-9 p.m. Marshfield High School gymnasium, Coos Bay. Bracket play for four levels. Middle schools from Oregon and Southern California. Gate fee: adult, \$4; student, \$2. 541-297-3949

South Coast Invitational **Forensics Tournament**

8:30 a.m. to 7:15 p.m., Marshfield High School, 10th and Ingersoll, Coos Bay. ellenh@bandon.k12.or.us

Leadership for Bay Area **Youth Garage Sale Benefit**

9 a.m. to 3 p.m., 1554 Sherman Ave., North Bend.

Mahaffy Ranch Pumpkin

Patch 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., 10362 Coos River Highway 241, Coos Bay. Food vendors onsite. https://www.facebook.com /mahaffyranch/events

The Egyptian Theatre Capital Campaign Kick-off noon, Pedway, 200 block of South Broadway, Coos Bay. Current and past mayors, city council and urban renewal will be onsite. 541-269-8924

Flu Shot Clinic 1-4 p.m., Lakeside Lions Club, 890 Bowron Road, Lakeside. Cost is \$20. Insurance billing available with cards for: Medicare; OHP; Blue Cross-Blue Shield; Pacific Source.

"Hospitalite" international film showing 7 p.m., Coos Bay Library, 525 W. Anderson Ave. Cost is free. 541-269-1101

Gonzalo Bergara Quartet 7:30 p.m., Sprague Community Theater, 1202 11th St. SW, Bandon. General admission, \$25. 541-347-SHOW.

What's Up features one-time events and limited engagements in The World's coverage area. To submit an event, email events@theworldlink.com.

2012 Guerin Memorial **Essay Contest begins**

The Guerin Memorial Essay Contest is open to all Coos County youth grades 7-12. The topics for the contest will be a choice of these four "Resource Conservation"

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length. Every essay should have this heading on the top of the paper: student's name, essav title, school name (home schooled is acceptable), age, grade, and phone number. Please type essay if at all possible, but black or blue ink will be accepted.

Cash prizes will be awarded: first place will receive \$150, second place \$125, and third place \$100. The first place winner will also have his/her name engraved on a traveling plaque that stays in the school attended by the winner until September of the next school year..

Submit four copies of your essay to: Coos Soil and Water Conservation District, 371 N. Adams Street, Coquille, OR 97423.

The deadline for the essay contest is by 4:30 p.m. on Nov. 8.

Contact Dawn Weekly at Coos SWCD 541-396-6879 with any questions.

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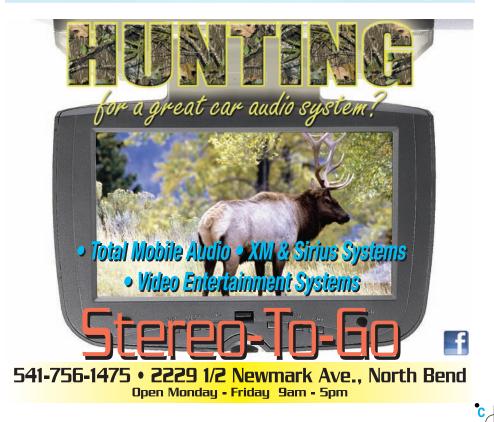
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Opinion

Three winners for Coos Bay

Coos Bay voters have an abundance of good candidates (seven, to be exact) for three city council seats. In a nonpartisan race without sharp philosophical divisions, the choices boil down to the candidates' personal qualities.

Do voters prefer youth or maturity? Formal education or hardknocks experience? A knowledgeable incumbent or an ambitious outsider? The long memory of a lifelong resident, or the fresh perspective of a recent transplant?

The idea is city council would combine all of those attributes and more. Here are our recommendations for the three seats, with no disrespect intended to the other four candidates:

Gene Melton

Does anyone in Coos Bay not know Gene Melton? His long his-

2012 General Election

The World's Editorial Board provides its election recommendations as a service to our readers. We welcome other viewpoints.

tory of civic service dates back to the pre-consolidation Eastside City Council. He has been a volunteer firefighter and a reserve police officer. He lists his age at "73 years young," and his goals for the city reflect an unflagging passion for his hometown.

Melton is a central figure in downtown redevelopment, and he wants see to some unfinished projects to their conclusion. Key quote: "We can't be shut-

ting everything down and making a playground out of Coos Bay."

Howard Forte

Always a bridesmaid, Howard Forte is doggedly waging his third campaign for a council seat. He has paid his dues with long service on the city's budget committee, where he has learned about city government from the inside. His managerial experience at Coos Bay Tµoyota, a business undergoing a massive renovation, gives him an outsider's critical perspective on the regulatory complications encumbering development.

Key quote: "We've got a lot of potential here that we seem to have had forever."

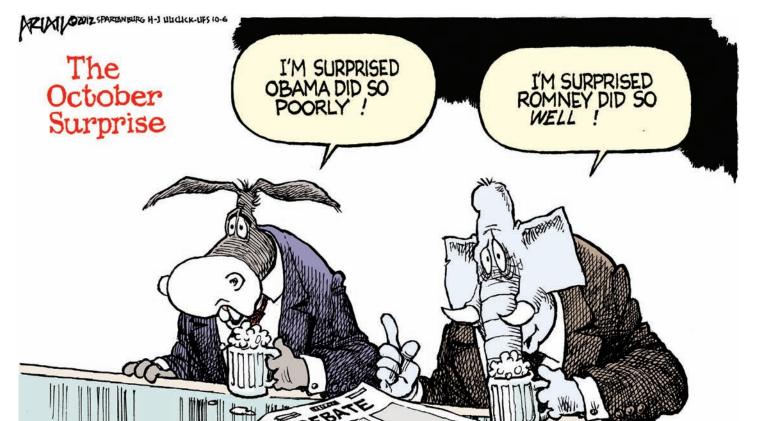
Dax Davidson

At 34, Dax Davidson is the youngest council candidate, and he brings a unique background to the campaign. After growing up in Washington, D.C., he aspired to a military career, but a blown knee sent him on a different path. With a bachelor's degree in political science, he worked in manufacturing before becoming operations manager at Knutson Towboat Co.

Though not yet a polished candidate, he has the intellect and energy to make a fine contribution. Electing a relative unknown can be a gamble, but Davidson looks like a gamble worth taking.

Key quote: "I'm tired of looking at old pictures with a bustling waterfront and – for that matter – a bustling downtown."

Public Forum





Caddy McKeown represents us

Thank you, Coos Bay, for providing the citizens of House District 9 such an excellent candidate to succeed state Rep. Arnie Roblan.

I support candidates who are empathetic people, who recognize that social responsibility is as important as individual responsibility, who believe that a family, a community, a state, and a nation are measured best by how those of us least fortunate are encouraged. I look for candidates who are both empathetic and practical-minded. I want public officials who are willing to listen to divergent points of view. I want representing me a person who is governed not by expediency and not by moneyed interests that benefit the few. I want that person guided by fairness and conscience.

Having listened to and conversed with her on six or seven occasions, recognizing her qualities of character, knowing her impressive background of public service, admiring her grit (she has knocked on approximately 2,000 doors from Coos Bay to Yachats), venerating her huge commitment to serve, I want Caddy McKeown representing us in Salem in 2013.

> Harold Titus Florence

All bureaucrats resist change

As time passes, the great American sage H.L. Mencken said once, every government agency gets worse: "... that is, more satisfactory to those who constitute it and less satisfactory to those who support it."

For evidence, consider the fondness of our public library to close for long weekends. Not too customer-friendly, but very satisfactory to the selective sorority that runs it.

Take our city hall's policy of closing up between noon and 1 p.m. Not too convenient for working people who only have time to transact business during their lunch hour, but no doubt restful for the municipal staff.

The county courthouse has made the same arrangement. Speaking of which, the courthouse's location in Coquille must have been very helpful to county government insiders who like to stay below the public's radar. This is why we owe a debt to certain insistent ladies who made it their business to question the Coos County commissioners' slapdash, imperious management.

Imagine, citizens who come to the commissioners' meetings only to be limited to three minutes while being repeatedly interrupted. Imagine, citizens unable to find out when a county ordinance was passed and by whom, because nobody bothered to record it.

Imagine, commissioners who think they can go out and hire a county administrator to do their work for them. Imagine, commissioners approving every expansion of enterprise zones and urban renewal districts in the county, without understanding the tax revenues lost. Imagine, a county-owned garbage incinerator worth tens of millions that decayed from pure neglect and then was sold as scrap for a pittance, so we're stuck with forever having our garbage hauled to Medford.

While this is not all, these problems alone justify the passage of measure 6-143, the county home-rule charter. It addresses each one, while putting longoverdue limits on what our commissioners can do without our approval. Is it a perfect document? Perfection does not exist in politics, but this charter will be a vast improvement. If in due course some clause proves impractical, the commissioners can always place a measure on the next ballot, for the voters to amend it.

Local government worshippers are loudly condemning Measure 6-143 as "unworkable." We should remember what one former president had to say about them: "Any change is resisted because bureaucrats have a vested interest in the chaos in which they exist."

> Wim de Vriend Coos Bay

Waiting at home for their people

In response to Linda Hoover's Oct. 8 letter, I'm sorry but I disagree. Little dogs should not be let into stores.

Believe me, I'm a dog lover and share my life with three dogs, but can see the potential for pain, suffering and lawsuits. No one wants to have to watch out for small critters wandering around in the stores. Besides, it's a health hazard in stores that stock food.

The answer is obvious. Leave your dogs at home.

My heart breaks every time I go shopping at Walmart or any of the stores in the Coos Bay area and pass car after car with dogs howling, crying, barking and unhappy in hot cars with the windows barely cracked. Yes, even in the winter, it gets hot in there. Don't believe me? Put on a heavy fur coat and go sit in your car for an hour, and you'll get an idea of what your poor dog is going though.

Do you really think your dogs enjoy sitting in a hot, stuffy car without water for an hour or more while you shop? No, of course they don't. They'd much rather be in familiar surroundings, waiting for their people to return home.

Carlene Rae Dater Coos Bay

Give Republican candidates a shot

I read a lot of letters in the Public Forum relating to individuals running for various local, state, and federal elected positions. Most laud the individual candidate's characters, abilities to get along and other positive personal attributes. I suppose the authors consider these attributes reason enough to vote for these individuals.

I for one believe that no candidate, regardless of what a nice guy or gal they are, can overcome the pressures of belonging to a party whose ideology is far removed from the values and ideals of many of us living on the coast of Oregon. The fact is, the most radical, liberal, factions found anywhere in these United States rule over us because of their numbers in the city of Portland. Even old-school Democrats from this area must "dance with the devil" as they caucus in Salem, considering more ways to part us from any form of prosperity.

Driving down Highway 101, or walking through the Pony Village Mall, you see their signs and names next to those of Obama, and it is easy to see where their loyalties and ideologies lie. The party that long ago forgot about the working man, and replaced him with a tax-dollar-created "paid constituency," now has a stranglehold on our coast and in our country. With their hands firmly around the neck of the golden goose that is our businesses both large and small, jobs are disappearing and families are paying the price.

They have killed one industry after another and replaced them with empty promises like "timber welfare" and "non-fishing tourism, all of which leave us as slaves, begging for handouts. They will blame it on anybody but themselves, but they have been in power for many years as the South Coast of Oregon has languished in abject poverty, without jobs, opportunities, or hope.

When we vote now, we are voting for ideologies far removed from one another. My hope is that when you get your ballot in the mail this month that you will chose jobs, security, and prosperity and not vote for the "nice guy or gal" who offers only more of the same for our coast. Give Mitt Romney, Art Robinson, Scott Roberts and Nancy Brouhard a shot at doing what the Democrats have already failed to do.

Rodney L. Schilling Lakeside

Why I'll vote for home rule charter

What I like about the home rule charter, Voices of the Voters, Measure 6-143:

1. The vote of the people on whether or not we have a county administrator: Page 11 section 3.24. Limitation of delegation of authority. The ordinance to change board of commissioners and create county administrator is also on the ballot. Did you know an ordinance can be changed at any time?

2. The vote of the people on urban renewal decisions: page 27, section 12.

3. The vote of the people on transfer of major county assets (like the O&C Wagon road logging being managed by the Indian tribes): page 15, section 7.2.

4. Preventive maintenance so we don't waste our tax dollars. (Example: solid waste plant.)

5. Predator control fund to protect our farms and property. There are 47% of the people in Coos County who live outside the city limits. Animals cohabitate with humans, not the other way around: page 35, section 20.1.

6. Health care is in the hands of the people. It's their choice, not the government's: page 35, section 21.

7. No grant of \$5,000 or more shall be accepted by the board without the board first disclosing to the public a full accounting of all requirements and guidelines attached to the grants at a regular board meeting. No grants whatsoever shall be accepted from foreign nations, foreign companies, or foreign political organizations: page 14, section 6.4

For more information please go to http://cooscountycharter.com/. **Tressa Johnson** Myrtle Point

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Teenage sons' group showers are puzzling to their dad

DEAR ABBY: I am the single dad of two teenage boys (17 and 18) who are both in high school. I am wondering about something they do with their friends. The boys take showers in large groups. When they come in from running or sports, or if a group is spending the night, they shower in

DEAR

ABBY

JEANNE

PHILLIPS

groups of two, three or four. It's not like we have huge а shower it's normal size T

know there's nothing sexual going on because I hear can them talking and joking

around. When I asked the boys about this, they looked at me like I had two heads. They said it was just a social thing and the same as showering together after football in the school gym.

They also "air dry" after showers by walking around in towels, sometimes watching TV or goofing off for hours while in their towels. When going out, they get naked in the bathroom, fixing their hair, shaving, brushing their teeth, etc. It's like a big "nude fest" with them and their friends.

While I'm glad they are comfortable with their bodies and who they are, it still bothers me somewhat. Am I being a prude in thinking this is unusual or inappropriate? -STUMPED IN KENTUCKY

DEAR STUMPED: I see nothing inappropriate about what your sons and their friends are doing. Nor do I want to label you a prude. You are just not as comfortable in your skin as your sons and their "jock" friends are. Is it possible that they take after their mother?

DEAR ABBY: My best friend and I do everything together and I love her, so when she showed up at the gym in "booty shorts," I didn't say a word, even though they don't flatter her one bit. Heck, there's a mirror on every wall, so she must have liked what



The Associated Press

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Monday's meeting the dis-

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ment and it's deadlocked in

contract negotiations with

Miniature horse owner

faces neglect charges

GRANTS PASS (AP) -

The owner of a miniature

Oregon faces animal neglect

and other charges since

authorities seized some 140

The Grants Pass Daily

Courier reports that 61-

year-old Kandi Lucile Crow

of Cave Junction has been

charged with 23 counts of

animal neglect, 17 counts of

counts of prohibited posses-

sion of a domestic animal.

She is to appear in court for

arraignment on the misde-

victed of animal abuse in

meanors Oct. 31.

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classified staff.

Board members said at

tor of human resources.

A Eugene firefighter carries a pet snake away from the scene of a fatal house fire on River Road in Eugene, . Tuesday. Officials did not release the name of the victim pending notification of next of kin.

State: No drugs linked to outbreak sent to Oregon

PORTLAND (AP) - The Oregon Health Authority says none of the steroids linked to an outbreak of fungal meningitis were shipped to the state, and there have been no reported cases of the disease in Oregon.

Health officials said Tuesday that they've urged 11 Oregon clinics that received other products from the New England Compounding Center to immediately remove them from their shelves as a precaution. The Massachusetts specialty pharmacy has recalled all of its products following the outbreak that has sickened 119 people and killed 11.

1 person dead after Eugene, house fire

EUGENE (AP) - Lane County sheriff's officers say one person was found dead after a fire at a Eugene, area home.

Sheriff's Sgt. Carrie Carver says a medical examiner will determine the cause and manner of death. The victim was not immediately identified. Sheriff's detectives are investigating.

Man found dead on coastal beach is ID'd



iner says a man found dead on an Oregon coastal beach north of Florence died of coronary artery disease.

The Register-Guard reports the man has been identified as 57-year-old Allyn Ernest Bradford of Lowell.

Oregon State police said Tuesday the autopsy found no evidence that Bradford was the victim of any crime.

People walking on the beach near Washburn State Park found the body last Thursday.

Investigators determined the man had been camping alone at the state park.

Medford school bosses get pay raise

MEDFORD (AP) - Some Medford school board members are upset they have no control over recent pay raises for administrators.

Superintendent Phil Long announced a 6.5 percent pay raise in August for 35 of the district's highest-paid administrators.

The Mail Tribune reports Gil Gilbertson says he was

Woman who killed husband released from Wilsonville prison with substance abuse, and

PORTLAND (AP) -Twelve years after killing her husband in a northeastern Oregon campground, Liysa Northon has left the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility in Wilsonville.

Now 50 years old, Northon pleaded guilty in 2001 in Enterprise to manslaughter in the shooting death of Chris Northon, a Hawaiian Airlines pilot with a home in Bend.

She said she was a victim of domestic violence who defended herself. Prosecutors said she aimed to gain life insurance and other widow's benefits and property.

The story was the sub-ject of true-crime writer Ann Rule's 2003 book, "Heart Full of Lies," a book Northon and her new husband argue is riddled with errors.

The Oregonian reports Northon married freelance writer Rick Swart while in prison, and after her release Tuesday she has a new home waiting in the Eagle Creek community in Clackamas County.

Her release comes 12 years to the day after her husband's slaying.

Swart was also the author of a 2011 story in a weekly Seattle newspaper about Northon's case and Rule's book. Swart did not disclose in the story that he horse ranch in Southern was romantically involved with Northon.

Northon said that her then-husband was an alcoanimals from her last month. holic and drug addict before the shooting, and she feared for her life and those of her children.

"Chris had beaten the crap out of me," she said. "I defended my child and animal abuse and four myself, and because of my action, my children got to grow up."

Chris Northon's family denies he had a problem

The owner of Magical Multi-vehicle crash Josephine County Sheriff Sends 5 to hospital

KLAMATH FALLS, (AP) -

killed her husband to claim \$300,000 in life insurance and control of the couple's property valued at \$1 million, plus get airline widow's benefits that would allow her to fly free. "He was so loved by

contends Livsa Northon



SO many people; he was a wonderful person," said Chris mother, Jeanne Northon,

Liysa Northon

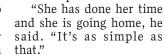
82, speaking from a home on Wallowa Lake near Joseph. "I hate the idea that Liysa can come to Wallowa County and that she would come to our front door someday."

The FBI produced a computer Northon had reported stolen during the trial that included material on the hard drive that proved she was researching forensics, ballistics and poisons. It also contained an email to a relative indicating that she needed a silencer for a gun and had plans to make a death look like an accident.

Northon said she never got to testify about the abuse she said she suffered at her husband's hands: chokings, beatings and being nearly drowned the day she shot him.

Prosecutors planned to contend during trial, however, that she may have drugged him with a possibly fatal overdose of horse tranquilizer and tried to drown him in the Lostine River before shooting him.

Swart, Northon's new husband, said questions about the past are irrelevant.



she saw, and it's none of my business.

school sporting event, my husband accused me of being a "bad friend" for not telling her that her rear view was getting the wrong kind of attention. Some of the other parents in the bleachers were snickering.

I guess if the situation were reversed, I'd want my best friend to give me a hint, but I'm not exactly sure how to do it. Am I wrong to just keep my mouth shut and mind my own business? - ANONYMOUS IN A SMALL TOWN

DEAR ANONYMOUS: Allow me to provide a couple of hints. First, tell your friend when you are alone and can't be overheard, which will spare her unnecessary embarrassment. Second, ask, "When you bought those shorts, did you get a look at yourself from the back?" If she says no, provide her with a mirror so she can look over her shoulder at herself. Then explain that at the school event, some of the other parents were staring, and not too kindly.

You will be doing her a favor to speak up. That is what friendship is all about. And if she's smart, she'll thank you.

DEAR ABBY: I met this beautiful and awesome lady last Saturday and slept with her that night. Sunday, we spent most of the day texting back and forth. I asked her to dinner on Monday and she accepted. We did more texting on Tuesday night, which I initiated.

So, my question is, how much texting and pursuing is too much in trying to hang out with this woman? I'm really interested in her. -PRETTY COOL DUDE IN Dellwood transportation **MINNESOTA**

DEAR PRETTY COOL **DUDE:** How about giving her 24 hours to catch her breath? Because she keeps saying yes, the signs are good so far. Just be careful that in your enthusiasm your ardor doesn't come across as overwhelming. If you do all the chasing, you'll deprive her of the pleasure of chasing you back.

When she wore them to a Lane County medical exam-

Robert Lewis Lehman April 29, 1930 - Oct. 6, 2012

A celebration of life will be held for Robert "Bob" Lehman, 82, of Sublimity at 10 a.m. Friday, Oct. 12, in the Maurices Bistro Room at Marian Estates in Sublimity. Bob was born April 29,

1930, in Mt. Penn, Pa., to Ruth and Ray Lehman. Bob passed away Oct. 6, 2012, in his home in Sublimity, in the presence of his wife and family from lung cancer.

Bob graduated from Wyomissing High School in Pennsylvania in 1948. After graduation, like his two older brothers, he enlisted in the U.S. Air Force. After basic training he was sent to Portland, Ore.

In Portland he met Hazel Graham and they were married in the Portland Air Base Chapel on July 12, 1952. Soon after the wedding Bob was shipped to Laon, France and Hazel moved to her parent's home in Coos Bay and a son was born in his absence.

After a brief stint living in Reading, Pa., they returned to Coos Bay where Bob took a job with Weyerhaeuser Co. in the logging operations as a "whistle punk." He got the job through his father-inlaw, a lifetime logger, who predicted the "kid from the east coast" would never make it in logging. Thirtyfive years later Bob retired from Weyerhaeuser as foreman.

Bob will be forever remembered for the relationship he had with his grandchildren. He was at once the loving grandfather, the playful partner, the wise advice giver and most importantly, on occasion, the "stern lecturer."

He is survived by seven grandsons, Ryan and Andrea

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Obituary

Jones, Daniel and Ashley Jones, Matt, Bradley, Craig and Brett Lehman. They all shared his great sense of humor, argued with him on occasion and shared a rum and Coke often. Later in life he became "grandpa" to eight granddaughters, Ramona, Alexa and Allyce Lehman, Vanessa and Dylan Wilson, Jennifer Scott, Christa and Kelsey Jackson and Jamie Foster. Bob did not miss a beat and developed a relationship with all of them. In the last year he welcomed three great-grandchildren, Maggie, Jack and Khloe.

Bob and Hazel traveled extensively after their retirement in a RV as well as taking several cruises. They spent several winters in Parker, Ariz., making new friends. Bob was the driving force to start an annual family trip to Sunriver on Memorial Day weekend. Even in his declining health he was busy organizing next year's trip.

Bob was known for his self-taught woodworking skills. He built by himself, with assistance from family and friends, the family home in Coos Bay over a period of eight years, taking great pride in the fact he never had a mortgage on the property. In retirement he took up serious woodworking. In the early years the family story was Bob could make anything out of plywood so be careful what you asked for. Later he became a true craftsman, making jewelry boxes and cabinets out of fine woods. He built each grandson a foot locker and each granddaughter a jewelry box. Each had a "secret compartment" for which he took great pride in making the grandchild find. Bob left a wide array of wood products around the family, most

Jones, Andy and Crystal with a notation of "gpa" with a date.

> Hazel was the Sublimity community they became a part of. They sold their home in Coos Bay in 1992 and looked for a new adventure. They picked Sublimity and built a home. They felt welcomed from the start and soon developed a whole new "family."

> Bob leaves behind his wife of 60 years, Hazel; sons, Michael and wife, Deb Larsen, Ross and significant other, Amy Nakano and Randy and wife, Gloria; daughter, Connie Jones and husband, Ed; a very special nephew, Terry Smith, who lived with the family after high school and became the official "fifth child"; and brothers, Raymond and Richard, both of Kerville, Texas.

He was preceded in death by his parents, sisters, Evelyn and Louise; and brother, Ronald.

The family asks that in lieu of flowers, contributions may be sent to the Salem Hospital Foundation, P.O. Box 14001, Salem, OR 97309; www. salemhealth.org/foundation; 503-561-5576.

Arrangements by Weddle Funeral Services, 503-769-2423.

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people were sent to a hospital after a three-vehicle crash on U.S. 97 near Klamath Falls in southern Oregon.

The Oregonian reports that police say a Chevrolet Trailblazer drifted from the northbound lanes to the southbound lanes Tuesday and sideswiped a commercial truck, then continued southbound until it collided head-on with a pickup truck.

The injured were taken to a Klamath Falls hospital.

They included the Trailblazer driver, 63-year-

old Eunice Bell 01 Wenatchee, Wash., who had minor injuries. Passenger 32year-old Katrina Lynch of Malaga, Wash., had serious injuries and a 5-year-old boy in the SUV had minor injuries.

The pickup driver, 79vear-old James Herndon of Bullhead City, Ariz., had minor injuries and his passenger, 70-year-old Mary Herndon, had serious injuries.

The truck driver was unhurt.

The crash is under investigation.





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SMART seeks volunteers in Coos Bay area

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seeking volunteers to read with local children for one hour per week during the 2012-2013 school year. They are currently looking for readers for Southcoast Head Start in Coos Bay, and Lighthouse School and North Bay Elementary in North Bend. SMART Readers are essential to helping the organization create an Oregon where every child can read and is empowered to succeed.

Start Making A Reader Today is Elementary and Southcoast Head Start in Coos Bay, and Hillcrest Elementary in North Bend. Because of the leadership of site coordinators, children and volunteers throughout the state of Oregon can participate in SMART. Under the site coordinator's guidance, SMART is able to provide individual reading attention and books to thousands of children, helping them discover the love of reading.

To learn more about how you SMART also is looking for site can make a difference in your coordinators for Blossom Gulch community, call 541-266-7476 or

LNG Supporters seek local job growth Continued from Page A1

the meeting should be addressed in Jordan Cove's final application to build the terminal on Coos Bay's North Spit, the two organizations said. The permit application will include the 230-mile Pacific Connector Pipeline that would connect Jordan Cove's facility with an existing pipe in Malin.

About 50 people attended Tuesday's meeting, but only 19 spoke. Of the speakers, 15 were against the project.

Dr. Joseph Morgan, a Coos Bay physician since 1966, wanted FERC to include data on how much air pollution the facility would generate, especially considering the terminal would be built directly upwind of North Bend's Pony Village Mall.

"If this facility is built, avoidable chronic illness will plague" the area, Morgan told FERC representatives. "I do not exaggerate when I say there are those here at this meeting who will be affected."

larly during a natural The other permits disaster? In addition to the Federal Energy "In a tsunami, most of the Regulatory Commission's permit to routes will not be passable," build a liquefied natural gas export McCaffree said. "What is the plan to get the valves shut

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dollars and hundreds of jobs

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development would bring to

fast right now because all I'm

hearing at this meeting is, 'I

got mine,'" said Laura

families that need to work?

What about giving them jobs

so they can have hope for the

future? Ninety-five percent

of the people in this room are

ed FERC's first LNG export

scoping meeting, held Aug.

27. That is a far cry from the

nearly 500 who came to

speak about Jordan Cove's

About 100 people attend-

retired, you've got yours."

"What about the young

Robins, a longshoreman.

"My heart is beating so

The four speakers who

Other speakers talked

facility and pipeline, Jordan Cove Energy Partners also must receive permits from: ■ the U.S. Department of Energy to export the resource. the Oregon Department of Energy to build a natural gas power plant to power the facility. the Bureau of Land Management to place a natural gas pipeline on public land.

the U.S. Forest Service to place a natural gas pipeline on public land.

Multiple commenters were concerned about what would happen when a Cascadia subduction earthquake and tsunami strikes the South Coast.

The facility would be built on sand, Stoffel said. How would it be secured to survive the violent shaking and possible ground liquefaction?

Jody McCaffree, the leader of a local anti-LNG group, focused her comments on the pipeline. How quickly would emergency responders be able to be on scene if something goes **Bay Area group needs** citizens to 'Stand Up!' COOS BAY – Stand Up! For The

Bay is a community event designed to bring the bay and waterways into the focus of community members. The event will take place in downtown Coos Bay, at the pubSaturday.

Those in attendance will meet in the morning on the boardwalk. The group will either stand up paddle, canoe or kayak, in the bay along a route that is designed for ease of travel, with consideration of tide and wind direction. The route will be moderate in length and will take one to two hours. A boat and two lifeguards will be on watch for safety purposes. Lifejackets are required. The group will congregate again after the Broadway Ave., Coos Bay.

lic dock/boardwalk at 9 a.m. paddle on the boardwalk, or in the Broadway Theater (depending on weather), for a luau and informative meeting. We will discuss the formation of our Surfrider Foundation Coos Bay chapter, and the potential projects and benefits to our community. Live music from Six Ton Satellite also will be a part of the festivities, as well as a paddle board Jousting event.

Pre-register online at the Coos Bay Surfrider Facebook page or at Waxer's Surfshop, 240 S.

import facility in 2007.

Jordan Cove a permit to build Cove then announced market conditions had changed and the company wanted to build a facility to export natural gas instead.

FERC vacated the original import permit, but still will use portions of the original Environmental Impact Statement.

Right now, the company and FERC still are gathering data to inform the application. This process is called pre-filing, and includes a formal scoping period.

After the scoping period closes Oct. 29, the company back to health. has 60 days to file its formal application. FERC then will use that application, which includes environmental healing of his feet and surgery assessments and studies, to write an Environmental Impact Statement for the 80 to 90 percent of the way to project. FERC commission- being ready to go home with ers will use that statement to the Hollowells. decide whether to grant or deny Jordan Cove's application to build.

be reached at 541-269-1222, ext. 240, or jhiggins@theinitial application for an worldlink.com.

Election 2012

FERC previously granted 8 lives left: Cat makes a natural gas import terminal an the North Spit Jordan amaZing recovery

after the house fire that nearly killed him, Kasper the cat is "movin' and groovin," in the words of veterinarian Dr. Chad Moles.

Kasper was burned over roughly 30 percent of his body in the Sept. 10 fire that destroyed the Deschutes River Woods home where he lived with Beau and Diann Hollowell. Since then, the cat has been living at the Animal Emergency Center in Bend, where Moles and other veterinarians have been nursing him

After undergoing multiple plasma transfusions, laser treatment to accelerate the to clip off the heavily burned tips of his ears, Kasper is now

The incubator where he spent his first few weeks hooked up to IVs and a feeding Reporter Jessie Higgins can tube inserted into his neck is now in the past, and Kasper has the run of his own small room. He has a few pieces of

BEND (AP) - One month furniture to sit on, blankets on the floor to protect his still scabbed-over feet and enough energy to make a run for it should any unsuspecting clinic staff open the door.

To keep everyone aware of the patient inside, a yellow sticky note is stuck to the door - "Kasper is in the House."

In late September, Kasper pulled out his feeding tube, Moles said. Clinic staff took it as a sign he was ready to start eating on his own again. While his weight is less than it should be, he's been eagerly dining on pureed chicken baby food.

Moles said clinic staff have become fond of Kasper, and he's reciprocated, nuzzling with anyone who visits him in his new home and purring loudly.

"He's definitely shown a lot more spirit, and who he is," Moles said.

The Hollowells lost nearly all of their belongings in the fire, and have been living in a travel trailer with their 5year-old son, Tristan, while they look for a new place to live.

Question: Why do you want to be a

A: I want to help the city get a new library and attract more jobs to Coos

Question: What are the most important problems or opportunities facing your city?

A: Jobs, jobs, jobs; We need to update

Myrtle Point City Council

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Myrtle Point City Council

Question: Why do you want to be a city councilor?

A: I believe that our region, state and country as a whole is not headed in the right direction, and it is important for younger people to get involved in politics and get an understanding for how the system works. I also believe having more staunch conservatives in local government, like myself, is what is needed. Question: What are the most important problems or opportunities facing your city? A: Our tax base is getting smaller due to a lack of good jobs, which leads us to shrinking school enrollments, more drug and welfare use, and less revenue in which to provide simple city and county services.



vying for city offices in the Bay Area, as well as those contesting seats in the state Legislature for districts 1, 5 and 9. Today's edition features five candidates competing for the four seats on Myrtle Point's city council. Over the coming weeks, The World will publish the responses of candidates in other races.

Myrtle Point City Council candidates

The World recently inter-

viewed all of the candidates

our library because we have totally outgrown the building.

Question: If elected, how will you address those issues?

A: We need to attract more family wage companies to the Myrtle Point area so families don't have to move away because of a lack of work. We need to bring back our young people who go to college and get a degree and then have no opportunity for employment here. This is a beautiful place to live and we need to increase the opportunity for jobs through tourism, etc. I feel community service is very important and would like to see more people involved.

Doug Veysey Age: 54 Education: Masters in education, B.A., A.A. Occupation and relevant experience: Member of the Myrtle Point City Council, **Budget Committee**

Myrtle Point City Council

Ouestion: Why do you want to be a city councilor?

A: I grew up here and I love it. I would like to see our community strive once again.

Question: What are the most important problems or opportunities facing your city?

A: The city must attract new jobs and the council must find revenue without raising taxes or fees. Crime and drug use in the area is rampant. We have one of the county's prize jewels – the fair grounds – yet, the city doesn't use it.

Question: If elected, how will you address those issues?

A: Marketing is key to bringing in new business and in turn jobs for our citizens. If we bring in more jobs more families will stay and/or move here, and in turn the city will have a better tax base to provide services. I will work with our City Manager, Chamber of Commerce, and other city councilors and the community at large. I will work with the Police Department on a Community Watch group in our city to bring down crime and drug use, and will work with other



Jamie Myers Age: 35 Education: High school, some college Occupation and relevant experience: Part time at Myrtle Point Care Center, Stay at home Mom, and Marketing

Police departments to find the best model that will fit our town. I will listen to the citizens of Myrtle Point's ideas as well; after all I am running to represent them and no one else. Also, I'll work to bring a variety of events to our city and at the Coos County Fair Grounds. This could be a way for the city and the Fair Board to bring in much needed funds, and I will work with the Fair Board and the city to accomplish this goal.

Question: If elected, how will you address those issues?

A: I do not believe the League of Oregon Cities represents rural cities fairly and I would love to see more cooperation and lobbying in Salem on rural counties and cities' **Beau Allen** Age: 31 Education: High school, some college Occupation and relevant experience: Self-employed rancher and bus driver for Myrtle Point School District; Current Myrtle Point City Councilor; Chairman of the USDA Farm Service Agency **County Committee**

behalf. If elected, I would like to start that dialogue with other interested cities and county boards who share the same common rural values that I think are still prevalent here today.

Myrtle Point City Council

Question: Why do you want to be a city councilor?

A: To continue the good work started by the council.

Question: What are the most important problems or opportunities facing your city?

A: Funding for the city; Waste Water the Treatment Facility; business

Question: If elected, how will you address those issues?

A: Work on finding and cultivating sustainable funding for continued critical city functions. Seek compliance with Oregon DEQ relating to the City's Waste Water Treatment Facility. Help create a more family and business friendly city so that our citizens can continue to thrive.



Barbara Carter Age: 71 Education: High school, real estate agent training Occupation and relevant experience: Current member of Myrtle Point City Council; previous service on Planning and Zoning Commission; Myrtle Point Library and the Library Foundation

Myrtle Point City Council

Question: Why do you want to be a city councilor?

A: Volunteerism has played a major role in my life. I have the time, energy and enthusiasm to devote to this position. I want to help improve the health and well-being of this community, seeing it grow and prosper into the future, but still maintain its local, "hometown" heritage.

Question: What are the most important problems or opportunities facing my city?

A: City staffing shortages, lack of citizen participation in local government and opportunity for the creation of a Farmer's Market.

Question: If elected, how will I address these issues?

A: I support a coordinated effort between the city council, chamber of commerce, local fraternal/civic organizations and media to attract, encourage and influence new businesses and new residents to become part of our community. New revenue sources must be given serious consideration to avoid the loss of our financial reserves and to achieve financial stability. I would like to This is a great idea to



Phyllis A. Wilson Age: 70 Education: High school; fire science and criminal justice classes at SWOCC Occupation and relevant experience: 42 years with Grange; local housing authorities; Myrtle Point Chamber of Commerce

"plant a seed to grow a spirit of volunteerism" and would explore the possibility of having agendas prepared in time to be published in the Myrtle Point Herald the week preceding the meeting. The city's web page currently under development – could have a link to the council meetings and agendas. A farmers' market has been proposed for the city to possibly begin next year.

National / World



The Associated Press

In a file photo, airport police monitor the entrance of Los Angeles International Airport in Los Angeles.

Feds: Man at LA X had weapons, smoke grenade

LOS ANGELES (AP) - A an open investigation Tuesday. man arrested at Los Angeles International Airport wearing a bulletproof vest and flame-resistant pants is not cooperating with federal officials working to discover why he was headed to Boston with a suitcase full of weapons, authorities say.

Yongda Huang Harris, 28, was taken into custody recently during a stopover on a trip from Japan when U.S. Customs and Border Protection officers reported noticing he was wearing the protective gear under his trench coat, triggering a Homeland Security investigation.

A search of Harris' checked luggage uncovered numerous suspicious items, including a smoke grenade, knives, body bags, a hatchet, a collapsible baton, a biohazard suit, a gas mask, billy clubs, handcuffs, leg irons and a device to repel dogs, authorities said.

Harris has not cooperated with authorities attempting to interview him, according to a U.S. official who spoke on condition of anonymity to discuss recently sparked violence in is checked.

The official said Harris,

who was taken into custody Friday, is not believed to be linked to a terrorist organization. His motive, however, has not been determined, the official said.

Harris has been charged with one count of transporting hazardous materials, an offense that carries a maximum penalty of five years in prison. He made a brief court appearance Tuesday, but his arraignment was delayed until Friday and he was ordered held until then.

Harris is a U.S. citizen whose permanent residence is in Boston, though he recently started living and working in Japan, officials said. Attempts to reach Harris' family in Boston and his associates were unsuccessful.

His attorney, Steven Seiden, was unavailable to comment, said Chris Williams, a spokesman for Seiden, who also represents Mark Basseley Youssef, the man behind the anti-Islam video that

the Middle East.

It's unclear what Harris had on his body and what he had checked in baggage, which will be crucial information to the defense, said Williams, who declined to comment on why Harris was carrying any of the weapons.

"It raises a lot of questions, and those questions will need to be answered. Right now, the case is very early," Williams said.

The smoke grenade was X-rayed by police bomb squad officers, who said the device fell into a category that is prohibited on board passenger aircraft.

Such a grenade "could potentially fill the cabin of a commercial airplane with smoke or cause a fire," federal officials said in a news release.

Many of the other items authorities say they found in Harris' luggage – including the hatchet and knives wouldn't violate Transportation Security Administration guidelines for what is permissible in luggage that

SpaceX Dragon capsule arrives at space station

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) – A private company successfully delivered a halfton of supplies to the International Space Station early this morning, the first official shipment under a billion-dollar contract with NASA.

The SpaceX cargo ship, called Dragon, eased up to the orbiting lab, and station astronauts reached out with a robot arm and snared it. Then they firmly latched it down.

"Looks like we've tamed the Dragon," reported space station commander Sunita Williams. "We're happy she's on board with us."

and NASA for the delivery, especially the chocolatevanilla swirl ice cream stashed in a freezer.

The linkup occurred 250 miles above the Pacific, just west of Baja California, 2 1/2 days after the Dragon's launch from Cape Canaveral, Fla.

"Nice flying," radioed NASA's Mission Control.

It's the first delivery by the California-based SpaceX company under a \$1.6 billion contract with NASA. The contract calls for 12 such shipments.

This newest Dragon holds 1,000 pounds of groceries,

Williams thanked SpaceX clothes, science experiments and other gear. Williams and her crew won't get access to all that until Thursday, when the hatch is opened.

The vessel will remain at the space station for nearly three weeks before departing with almost twice that much cargo at the end of the month. Dragon is the only cargo ship capable of bringing back research and other items, filling a void left by NASA's retired shuttles.

SpaceX - owned by PayPal's billionaire creator Elon Musk - launched Dragon aboard a Falcon 9 rocket Sunday night.

Panetta urges NATO allies to help train Afghans

BRUSSELS (AP) - Defense Secretary Leon Panetta said today the NATO coalition has turned an important corner in Afghanistan, and has come too far and spilled too much blood to let insider attacks or anything else undermine the mission there.

While he and other ministers refused to provide details of the expected withdrawal of troops in the coming two years, he said that from mid-2013 onward the U.S. and its allies will operate from fewer bases and the flow of military supplies and material out of Afghanistan will begin to grow.

Panetta also used his time during the closed session of the NATO conference here Wednesday to urge the other defense minis-

ters to help fill the shortfall of military training teams in Afghanistan. The teams, he said, are critical to building the capabilities of the Afghan forces so they can take control of their country's security by the end of 2014.

Panetta asked that NATO allies provide the roughly 60 teams that are needed which would bring the total to 465 - and give those commitments by later next month. It has been a persistent plea from the U.S. for the last three years, as NATO worked to increase the Afghan security forces to about 352,000.

"The U.S. has filled a disproportionate number of these teams in recent years, and I ask for your help to fill the gap," Panetta said, calling this a "critical moment" in the war.



Man behind anti-Muslim film to appear in court

FEATURED

LOS ANGELES (AP) – A California man Middle East is expected to be asked by a judge risk by a magistrate judge.

Youssef has been in a federal detention with many aliases who was behind an anti- center since Sept. 28 after he was arrested for Muslim film that sparked violence in the the probation violations and deemed a flight

Wednesday whether he violated his probation for a 2010 bank fraud conviction.

Federal prosecutors said Mark Basseley Youssef, 55, had eight probation violations, including lying to his probation officer and using aliases. If Youssef denies those allegations, a judge will then likely schedule an evidentiary hearing.

Investigations in journalist kidnapping

LONDON (AP) – British police are investigating today whether a British man and woman arrested on suspicion of supporting terrorism offenses in Syria were part of a group that held two veteran war journalists hostage in Syria in July.

The abduction of photographers John Cantlie and Jeroen Oerlemans highlighted concerns that British Muslims might be slipping into Syria to join extremists. Both said after their week-long ordeal that some of their captors spoke with British accents.

Police seeking clues in the case searched two east Lon-



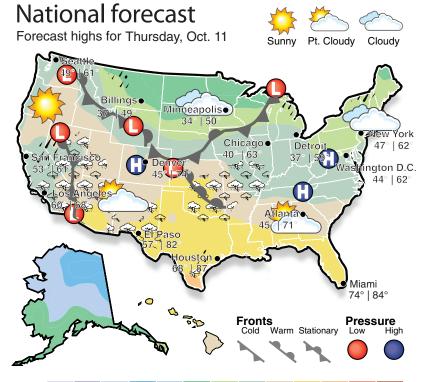
He went into hiding after a trailer for the movie "Innocence of Muslims" was posted on YouTube. Angry protests stoked by the film broke out in Egypt and Libya and violence related to the film has spread, killing dozens. Enraged Muslims demanded punishment for Youssef, and a Pakistani cabinet minister has offered a \$100,000 bounty to anyone who kills him.



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South Coast

Tonight: Patchy fog. Otherwise, mostly cloudy, with a low around 45. North northwest wind 5 to 9 mph. Thursday: Patchy fog. Otherwise, partly sunny, with a high near 61. Calm wind. Thursday Night: Patchy fog. Otherwise, mostly cloudy

with a low around 48. Light and variable wind Friday: A 50 percent chance of rain. Patchy fog Otherwise. mostly cloudy, with a high near 62.

Curry County Coast

Tonight: Patchy fog. Otherwise, partly cloudy, with a low around 45. Northwest wind 5 to 8 mph. Thursday: Patchy fog. Otherwise, partly sunny, with a high near 60. Calm wind. Thursday Night: Patchy fog. Otherwise, mostly cloudy

with a low around 49. Light and variable wind. Friday: A 40 percent chance of rain. Patchy fog. Otherwise, mostly cloudy, with a high near 58

Rogue Valley

Tonight: Mostly clear, with a low around 38. Northwest wind around 6 mph. Thursday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 77. Calm wind.

Thursday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 38 West northwest wind around 5 mph. Friday: A 30 percent chance of rain. Mostly sunny,

with a high near 71. Light and variable wind

Willamette Valley

Tonight: Increasing clouds, with a low around 42. Northwest wind 5 to 8 mph becoming calm. Thursday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 71. Calm wind becoming southwest 5 to 9 mph. Thursday Night: Increasing clouds, with a low around 44. Southwest wind 6 to 8 mph. Friday: A 30 percent chance of rain. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 65. South southwest wind to 10 mph

Portland area

Tonight: Increasing clouds, with a low around 47. North northwest wind 5 to 7 mph. Thursday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 69. Light and variable wind

Thursday Night: Increasing clouds, with a low around 50. South southwest wind 6 to 10 mph

Friday: A 40 percent chance of rain. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 61. South wind 7 to 11 mph

Tonight: Mostly cloudy, with a low around 47. Thursday: Mostly cloudy, with a high near 55. Light south wind becoming southwest 5 to 10 mph. **Thursday Night:** Mostly cloudy, with a low around 48. South wind 13 to 15 mph, with gusts to 20 mph. Friday: Rain likely. Cloudy, with a high near 53. South wind 15 to 18 mph. Chance of precipitation is 70%.

9 mph becoming light and variable in the evening. Thursday: Sunny, with a high near 70. Light and variable wind becoming southeast around 5 mph. Thursday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 41. North wind around 5 mph. Friday: A 20 percent chance of rain. Mostly sunny,

with a high near 66. West wind 5 to 9 mph

Oregon weather

Oregon Temps

Temperature extremes and precipitation for the 24 hours ending at 5 a.m. today.

Astoria

Brookings

Corvallis

Eugene

Klamath Falls

La Grande

Medford

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THURSDAY

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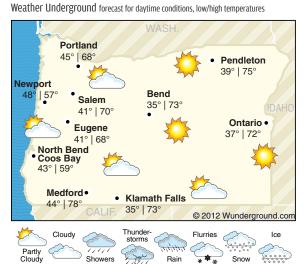
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SUNDAY

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Thursday, Oct. 11



Weather Underground• AF

Local high, low, rainfall Tuesday: High 63, low 46

Rain: none Total rainfall to date: 28.80 inches Rainfall to date last year: 29.76 inches Average rainfall to date: 39.66 inches

The Tide Tables

To find the tide prediction for your area, add or subtract minutes as indicated. To find your esti-mated tidal height, multiply the listed height by the high or low ratio for your area.

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STORM Highest gust was 145 mph **Continued from Page A1**

What also made the Columbus Day storm unusual, Dello said, was that it took place in October well before the winter storm season.

"It is the only major windstorm on record in the Pacific Northwest for October," she said.

During the storm, the pressure level dropped to at least 960 millibars, Dello said, which is equivalent to a Category 3 hurricane. The contrast with the high pressure system to the north intensified the storm, which swept up the Willamette Valley leaving a swath of destruction. The manually operated wind gauge in Corvallis recorded a gust of 127 mph, before the operator fled, leaving a note behind that merely stated, "abandoned station." Sustained winds, of a minute or longer in duration, reached as high as 69 mph. Cape Blanco, regarded as the windiest spot along the coast, recorded the highest official gust - 145 mph. But the entire western portion of the state was battered, Dello said, by amazingly strong gusts and sustained periods of high winds. Portland recorded a gust of 116 mph near the Morrison Street Bridge. Mount Hebo Air Force Station recorded a gust of 130 mph. The storm reached into Washington, as well, before dissipating, battering Olympia (78 mph); McChord Air Force Base (88 mph); Ren-



Collusion?

Does it level the

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Bopp says DeFazio, and

other democrats, despise

leveled the playing field

between the two major par-

ties. He says the groups that

influence elections – unions,

companies, advocacy groups

and the "mainstream media"

with democrats.

- all disproportionately side

"Super PACs are the only

ones that republicans are

doing better than democrats

are," he said. "Super PACs

have leveled the playing field

and, as a result, the democrats

At this point, it's unclear who has supplied funding to

Bopp's super PAC or how

much remains in its warch-

want to shoot them down."

Under federal law, super PACs can raise and spend unlimited sums of money on behalf of candidates, as long as they don't coordinate with the candidates.

Peter DeFazio, D-Eugene, says Robinson's campaign and the Republican Super Pac Inc. has acted "suspiciously."

He says public files show that Robinson's campaign had purchased airtime in the first two weeks of October. In late September, the campaign moved those dates forward. A week later, the Republican Super PAC Inc purchased airtime in that newly created gap.

Robinson declined to discuss DeFazio's inference and said he was frustrated by the number of unfounded charges that DeFazio lobbed at him.

"I'm not going to get into this," he said. "I'm just not, I have conducted myself in the proper manner."

Robinson said DeFazio and the Democratic Party filed three complaints with Oregon's Secretary of State this year and a complaint with the Federal Election Commission in 2010. All complaints were dismissed.

North Coast

Central Oregon Tonight: Clear, with a low around 40. North wind 5 to

National Weather Service Photo

er analysts still debate playing field?

events to create the Columbus super PACs because they have

often is asked if such a storm him," he said.

Columbus Day storm, weath-

whether this is a once a centu-

ry event, or something even

more unusual. Dello says she

"It took a combination of

Day storm," Dello said, "and the

cumulative effect of those

events was enormous. But none

of the individual factors was all

that unusual, so yes, it could

very well happen again. And if it

does, the damage could be even

more devastating because there

are so many more people and

more vulnerable to the dam-

age because epic storms hap-

pen so rarely," Dello pointed

out. "It's hard to prepare for a

once-in-a century storm."

"In Oregon, we are perhaps

houses than in 1962.

could happen again.

This car narrowly averted disaster on Ferry Street in Salem, where winds blew to 90 mph and uprooted trees **DEFAZIO** and damaged buildings.

ton, (100 mph); and Bellingham (98 mph).

As the storm began, it dumped heavy rain on California, forcing the postponement of a World Series game between the San Francisco Giants and the New York Yankees. As it moved into Oregon, the rain lessened but the winds intensified with the pressure change.

Some reports say the storm damaged as many trees in Oregon and Washington as the combined annual timber harvest of both states. Power was not only knocked out throughout western Oregon, but entire distribution systems were destroyed and some communities went weeks without electricity. The economic impact just in Oregon was an estimated \$200 million at the

time, which is equal to somewhere in the vicinity of \$1.4 billion in today's dollars, according to OSU political scientist Robert Sahr, who studies inflation conversion.

Many homes were destroyed and it was considered the worst natural disaster in the country in 1962. The only weather-related event in Oregon history that was worse, Dello said, was the Heppner Flood in 1903, which resulted in 247 fatalities.

"The Heppner Flood was different in that it was a flash flood from intense thunderstorms that in a period of minutes overwhelmed Willow Creek and its tributaries," Dello said. "It is one of the state's few weather disasters east of the Cascades."

Fifty years after the

inserting footage from the

original interviews with sur-

cast members cut the lights

and created a "soundscape" of

shrieking wind, rattling debris

"We scared the living beje-

sus out of them during the

storm scene," McDonald said.

"When people came out of

that, they said, 'That's the

most scared I've been since

That experience didn't

and cries of distress.

the storm?"

At one point in the play,

vivors.

VIDEO

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McDonald and her group got a \$9,500 grant from Trust Management Services LLC. They invited people all over Washington, Oregon and northern California to send in their reminiscences. About 120 people responded, filling out a form about where they were and what happened.

McDonald and her assistants selected 45 of the respondents' stories to feature in the play, then conducted live interviews with 18 of them. From that information, McDonald wrote a plot about a young man who sets out to make a documentary about the storm and encounters the survivors, who tell their stories.

The drama has three casts: the filmmaker and his friends, a group of people living in 1962 who create the atmosphere of the period and a third cast who tell the stories that McDonald collected.

The play was originally produced in the Waterfront Players' theater at Pony Village Mall. A display in the mall provided information about how to prepare for a windstorm.

translate well to video, but part A video of the play was shot with a single camera. For of it will remain in Thursday's Thursday's showing, the origshowing, McDonald said. inal video has been edited,

only chance to see the video around here - it's not available on YouTube. But the Oregon State Historical Society is using it in an exhibit about the Peace Corps worker and forstorm at its museum at 1200 mer Oregon environmental S.W. Park Ave. in Portland.

Admission to Thursday's event is \$10 in the door, or \$8 in advance, which benefits the historical society. To order advance tickets, stop by the Coos County Historical & Maritime Museum at 1220 Sherman Ave. in North Bend or call 541-756-6320.

"If he has a complaint, let him file it," he said. "He has filed endless complaints against me."

-Daniel Simmons-Ritchie

est. Those details will be disclosed on Oct. 15.

Asked to characterize the group's donors, Bopp declined.

"No, I don't do that," he said. "You're welcome to take a look at our reports and characterize it as you wish."

Robinson says he doesn't like the state of campaign finance law. However, he believes super PACs give challengers a fighting chance against incumbents. He says that congressmen, like DeFazio, are usually able to raise more money during elections because of their established ties with lobbyists.

He said DeFazio has no right to complain.

"The man has all this money, all these advantages, and someone comes in and helps me a little, and he's whining."

Reporter Daniel Simmons-Ritchie can be reached at 541-269-1222, ext. 249, or at dritchie@theworldlink.com.

Thursday's showing is the Peace Corps worker will lead Oregon land agency

SALEM (AP) - A U.S. quality administrator has been selected to lead the Department of State Lands.

The State Land Board selected Mary Abrams for the job on Tuesday. She replaces Louise Solliday, who is retiring after six years as director.

Abrams grew up in Morrow County and has been a country director for the Peace Corps in Africa since 2006. She was previously a division administrator and water-quality specialist at the state Department of Environmental Quality.

The State Lands Department manages Oregon's waterways, wetlands and state-owned ranching and forest lands to generate money for schools.

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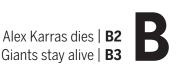
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No national winner.

Next Jackpot: \$53 million







WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2012

Oakland's Seth Smith celebrates his solo home run in the fifth inning against the Detroit Tigers on Tuesday. The Athletics won 2-0 to extend their playoff series.

Oakland avoids playoff elimination

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) - Coco Crisp saved a likely home run, and Oakland's season for at least one more game.

If the center fielder had any lingering frustration about that two-run error that dearly cost Oakland in Game 2, this might have erased it.

Crisp made a spectacular leaping catch at the top of the centerfield wall to rob Prince Fielder, and that was just one in a handful of defensive gems by the Athletics to back Brett Anderson in a 2-0 victory over the Detroit Tigers on Tuesday night.

The A's cut their deficit in the best-of-five AL division series to 2-1.

Anderson outdueled fellow postseason first-timer Anibal Sanchez and the upstart A's showed off stellar defense all over the diamond to avoid another playoff sweep by Detroit.

"Robbed home runs are good," Anderson posted on Twitter late Tuesday.

"You see him hit it and you just kind of put your head down a little bit because you think you just gave up a homer," Anderson said. "Then you see him plow through there and catch the ball and it kind of kick starts you to go out there and make pitches."

Yoenis Cespedes hit an RBI single in the first inning and Seth Smith homered in the fifth. That was plenty on a night Triple Crown winner Miguel Cabrera, Fielder and the Tigers' highpriced offense were shut down by the low-budget A's.

Tigers 16-game winner Max Scherzer will try to close out the series in Game 4 tonight against A's rookie A.J. Griffin. Detroit swept the A's in the 2006 AL championship series.

Fielder was the biggest victim

of Oakland's spot-on defense, robbed three times. First by Crisp, Oakland's most experienced player whose blunder on Cabrera's fly allowed two runs to score in a 5-4 loss Sunday in Detroit.

"Not to be all over-confident or anything, I think I'm going to catch everything out there," Crisp said. "Obviously it doesn't happen that way - duh Detroit, right?"

Crisp let out a big "Whoo!" after raising his arm to signal he'd made the grab.

"I thought I had a hit," Fielder offered afterward.

"Coco's catch, the ball was out of the ballpark and it came back," Tigers manager Jim Leyland said. "The key to that play was he was playing deep and that enabled him to get into a spot to get up and make the catch. And it was a great catch, no doubt about it."

A's shortstop Stephen Drew made a tough play running to his left to stop Fielder's grounder in the fourth and then threw to first while still off balance and in motion.

The Associated Press

Then, in the seventh, Cespedes cut over to make a diving catch on Fielder's liner to left field.

That delighted the yellow towel-waving sellout crowd of 37,090 in this blue-collar city.

"It's frustrating. But it's a good team you're playing," Fielder said. "They're going to make those plays, that's why they're here."

After Cabrera singled with one out in the ninth, Fielder grounded into a game-ending double play. Fielder is now batting .172 (11 for 64) in his postseason career -.083 (1 for 12) this year.

The A's own the lowest payroll in baseball at \$59.5 million. Fielder is getting big money in Motown: \$214 million over nine years.

SEE OAKLAND | B3

Braves remain perfect

THE WORLD

Reedsport continued its march toward the Sunset Conference volleyball title by sweeping host Coquille on Thursday.

The Braves beat the Red Devils 25-15, 25-17, 25-17.

Lara Zetzsche had nine kills, Taylor Lewis had 17

assists and Kayla Doane had four blocks for the Braves, who still are perfect in league play.

Local Recap

Reedsport will compete against several larger schools in the sixteam North Bend Invitational on Saturday.

Wildcats edge Bobcats: Glide topped host Myrtle Point, 14-25, 26-24, 20-25, 25-22, 16-14 on Tuesday.

The Wildcats rallied from the 2-1 deficit to capture the victory and improve to 5-2 in the league standings, good for second place. Myrtle Point fell to 3-4.

No statistics were available for either team.

Panthers beat Bandon: Gold Beach edged visiting Bandon in three close games Tuesday, winning 26-24, 25-21, 25-23.

Raelyn Freitag had 10 digs, 10 kills and two aces for the Tigers. Cheyenne Young had 17 assists and two aces and Emily Ramos had 29 digs and three aces.

But Bandon also missed multiple opportunities, coach Courtney Freitag said.

"They didn't beat us," she said. "We beat us. It's disappointing."

Skyline League

Elks top Cruisers: Elkton beat visiting Powers 25-13, 25-22, 25-12 on Tuesday.

Rebecca Standley had nine digs and three blocks for the Cruisers. Jessie Hunter had nine digs, five kills and five blocks and Riley Baldwin had nine digs.

Homecoming

OSU backup Vaz says he's ready for BYU

By Anne M. Peterson The Associated Press

After two years spent mostly watching from the sidelines, quarterback Cody Vaz gets the start for No. 10 Oregon State this Saturday when the Beavers travel to BYU.

It will be a challenging task for Vaz, who takes over after starter Sean Mannion injured his left knee against Washington State last weekend. Mannion had helped lead the Beavers to a 4-0 start and their highest ranking since the 2001 Fiesta Bowl season.

Vaz has appeared in only five games in his career, completing six of 17 passes for 48 yards. The 6foot-1, 198-pound junior has not played in a game since the 2010 season.

He hasn't started since high school.

"I'm not really nervous, more so excited," Vaz said. "It's a great opportunity for our team. We're going into a tough place to play, a really good football team, a really



Cody Vaz will start for the Beavers this week as quarterback Sean Mannion recovers from meniscus surgery.

good defensive team. It will be a great opportunity for us."

OK, really, no nerves?

"I can't wait," he said smiling. "I can't wait 'til Saturday."

The question is whether Vaz can lead a team that has experienced a striking turnaround since finishing last season 3-9. Coach Mike Riley said he has complete confidence in Vaz, but does have one regret.

"The only unfortunate part is that I haven't played him enough," he said Tuesday.

Oregon State visits Provo to face an independent BYU team that is 4-2 but facing quarterback issues of its own. Cougars coach Bronco Mendenhall announced Monday that freshman quarterback Taysom Hill is out for the season after injuring his left knee

in BYU's 6-3 victory over Utah State last Friday night.

Hill was standing in for senior quarterback Riley Nelson, who missed two games with what he described as "back fractures."

Nelson, who has thrown for 754 yards and five touchdowns with five interceptions, is expected to play against the Beavers on Saturday at LaVell Edwards Stadium.

Mendenhall learned of Oregon State's quarterback situation just before the start of practice on Monday.

"Who knows what the fallout is. You have a good offensive system in place that's very consistent from year to year. How that will be tailored all of a sudden to a new quarterback, I'm not certain," he said. "We'll prepare for what we know and then adjust to what we don't know or what we see on game day. That's really the best we can do."

SEE OSU | B2

Running backs are committing more penalties

By Mark Stephens

SWOFOA official

As we pass the mid-point of the high school football season, there are some situations that have occurred repeatedly on the field that need clarification for our beloved South Coast football fans.

In a recent game, a local team was driving the ball downfield. On a play from the 3-yard line, the quarterback took the snap, and following the running back into the line, put the ball into the running back's hands without releasing the ball himself. They crossed the goal line with both players holding the ball, and as they went to the ground in the end zone the running back pulled the ball free from the quarterback's hands.

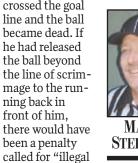
The ruling? From the National Federation of State High Schools (NFHS) Football Rules book, a player is in possession of the ball

"when it is held or controlled by the player after it is handed or snapped to him." In this case, the quarterback

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forward handing," which carries a 5-yard penalty and a loss of down. By rule, a ball can only be handed backwards beyond the line of scrimmage.

This season, we have called a number of penalties on the runner in possession of the ball that are a bit unusual.

We have witnessed a number of runners who lower their head just before being tackled, thereby initiating contact with the defensive player using the top of their helmet. This is defined as "spearing" in the NFHS rules book, and is very dangerous to both players. The action is considered "illegal helmet contact" and carries a 15yard penalty.

Also, we have seen runners who attempt to "straight arm" a defender and grab onto the defender's facemask in the process. Grabbing the facemask by any player, offense or defensive, is a 5-yard penalty, and if there is pulling or twisting involved, it becomes a 15-yard personal foul. Again, this is a very dangerous action that must be consistently enforced.

The last action we have seen multiple times is a field goal attempt that falls short, but crosses the goal line.

Professional rules specify that the ball be returned to the spot the kick was attempted, as is the case in most college field goal attempts. In high school rules however, once a kick crosses the goal line, whether it is a kick-off, punt, or field goal attempt, the ball immediately becomes dead and is ruled a "touchback." The ball goes to the 20-yard line, where the opponents of the kicking team take possession.

A field goal that falls short, but does not cross the goal line can be picked up and returned by the defensive team.

Just a quick FYI on kicked extra point attempts-once the ball is kicked the whistle is sounded by one of the officials under the goal posts. The ball is dead no matter what happens, so a blocked extra point attempt cannot be recovered and returned for a score. It's the rule!

Until next time!

celebrations continue at area schools

THE WORLD

It's homecoming season on the South Coast. A few schools already held their homecoming games, while two more hold theirs Friday and another two next week.

This week it's Bandon and Coquille that will hold their annual fall festivities.

The Tigers host Reedsport for their homecoming game and have been holding activities all week in the spirit competition among the various classes.

The dance will be Thursday night, since there is no school on Friday. The game is Friday night, and during halftime, the queen will be crowned.

This year's court includes seniors Sara Wybitulova (an exchange student) and Ben Quinn-Werbeck; juniors Taylor Formby and Lucas Miller; sophomores Paige Oman and Braden Fugate; and freshmen Cheyanne Chapman and Trae Dyer.

Coquille hosts rival Myrtle Point for its homecoming game on Friday night and also has been holding spirit week activities.

The Red Devils will crown their king and queen during halftime Friday. The court includes senior princesses Taylor GeDeros, Emily Lack and Brittney Wilson and princes Larry Bowen, Cody Hagen and Sye Yates. The juniors are Sierra Yarnell and Austin Ross; the sophomores are Kali Kerr and Ismael Chavez; and freshmen Makala Edgar and Zach Breitkreutz.

Coquille's homecoming dance will be Saturday.

Last Friday, Marshfield held its homecoming, when Peyton Babb was crowned queen.

Myrtle Point's homecoming was in September. The queen was Morgan McNeely and the king was Thailand exchange student Boss Sowphitakwattana.

Next week, both Powers and North Bend hold their homecoming events and North Bend's also will include its annual Hall of Fame inductions.



Sports



Former Detroit lineman and actor Alex Karras, here shown in 1971, died today.

Lineman, actor Karras dies

DETROIT (AP) – Alex brain for study, as other fam-Karras was one of the NFL's most feared defensive tackles throughout the 1960s, a player who hounded quarterbacks and bulled past opposing linemen.

And yet, to many people he will always be the lovable dad from the 1980s sitcom "Webster" or the big cowboy who famously punched out a horse in "Blazing Saddles."

The rugged player, who anchored the Detroit Lions' defense and then made a successful transition to an acting career, with a stint along the way as a commentator on "Monday Night Football," died today. He was 77.

Karras had recently suffered kidney failure and been diagnosed with dementia. The Lions also said he had suffered from heart disease and, for the last two years, stomach cancer. He died at home in Los Angeles surrounded by family members, said Craig Mitnick, Karras' attorney.

"Perhaps no player in Lions history attained as much success and notoriety for what he did after his playing days as did Alex," Lions president Tom Lewand said.

His death also will be tied to the NFL's conflict with former players over concussions. Karras in April joined the more than 3,500 football veterans suing the league for

ilies have done.

starred for four years at Iowa. Detroit drafted Karras with the 10th overall pick in 1958 and he was a four-time All-Pro defensive tackle over 12 seasons with the franchise.

He was the heart of the Lions' famed "Fearsome sheriff in the comedy Foursome," terrorizing quarterbacks for years. The Lions handed the powerful 1962 Green Bay Packers their only defeat that season, a 26-14 upset on Thanksgiving during which they harassed quarterback Bart Starr constantly.

Kramer wrote in his diary of the 1967 season about his trepidation over having to play Karras.

"I'm thinking about him every minute," Kramer wrote.

For all his prowess on the field, Karras may have gained more fame when he turned to acting in the movies and on television.

Playing a not-so-bright bruiser in Mel Brooks' "Blazing Saddles," he not only slugged a horse but also delivered the classic line: "Mongo only pawn in game of life."

Several years before that, Karras had already become a bit of a celebrity through George Plimpton's behindthe-scenes book about what not protecting them better it was like to be an NFL playately becoming one of the Lion: Confessions of a making the game of football its investigation of the cyclist, pension and erase his seven that led to the sanction.

adaption - Karras and Plimpton remained friends Born in Gary, Ind., Karras for life and one of Karras' sons is named after Plimpton and it opened doors for Karras to be an analyst alongside Howard Cosell and Frank Gifford on "Monday Night Football."

In the 1980s, he played a "Porky's" and became a hit on the small screen as Emmanuel Lewis' adoptive father, George Papadapolis, in the sitcom "Webster."

He also had roles in "Against All Odds" and "Victor/Victoria." He portrayed George Zaharias in Packers guard Jerry CBS's "Babe," in which he starred with Susan Clark, who later became his wife. The two formed their own production company and it was Clark who played the role of his wife on "Webster."

Recently, his wife said Karras' quality of life has deteriorated because of head injuries sustained during his playing career.

Susan Clark said her husband couldn't drive after loving to get behind the wheel and couldn't remember recipes for some of the favorite Italian and Greek dishes he used to cook.

"This physical beating that he took as a football player has impacted his life, and therefore it has impacted his family life," Clark told The Associated Press earlier this best-known names in the Second-string Quarterback." safer and hoping that other revealing "the most sophisti-legal fight. Mitnick said the That led to Karras playing families of retired players will cated, professionalized and

Former walk-on earns time in Oregon rotation

■ Receiver had four receptions in win over Washington

BY JESSE SOWA Albany Democrat-Herald

EUGENE - Will Murphy has steadily climbed the ladder in the Oregon football program.

What began as a journey just to make the team as a walk-on four years ago has led to so much more with now being a receiver that determination and a desire to get better.

grad's role has steadily grown since he first joined the team in 2008.

Saturday, he led the second-ranked Ducks in receptions with four to go with his 30 yards in a 52-21 win against Washington at Autzen Stadium. A week earlier, he made his first-ever start and had a team-high 38 receiving yards on two catches in a win versus Washington State in Seattle.

OSU Mannion listed as week-to-week From Page B1

Mannion's injury was a surprise, even to Riley. The 6-foot-5, 212-pound sophomore showed no sign of it 339.5 yards passing a game, during the Beavers' 19-6 victory over Washington State, when he was injured on a thrown for 1,358 yards with handoff but did not leave the game. He finished with 270 yards passing and a touchdown.

At 9:45 a.m. on Monday was about to go into a meeting, the news hit.

Armstrong case: 11 teammates testified

CEO Travis Tygart listed 11 of clean up the sport.

COLORADO SPRINGS. Colo. (AP) – The U.S. Anti- reasoned decision against Doping Agency says 11 of Lance Armstrong later today, a revealing "the most sophisti- Tour de France titles.

"It's just fun being out that, and we'll continue to there and helping the team, point that out to our guys." whether it's blocking down the field for De'Anthony receivers challenge each (Thomas) or Kenjon (Barner) other in practice and games or catching balls. It's all good to see who can run their stuff," said Murphy, now a routes the fastest and who senior and team leader. can block the hardest. He says it makes them all better.

He's also now an example Oregon coaches use for other players on how to get on the field.

In the past four years, Murphy has worked his way from the scout team to seeing action on special teams to starting quarterback Marcus Mariota looks for when The West Albany High Murphy is on the field.

"Will Murphy is practicing at an extremely high level (and) he's playing at a really high level," coach Chip Kelly said.

What jumps out to Kellv about Murphy, the coach says, is the receiver's effort and attitude.

"The great thing about this game is you get out of it exactly what you put into it. You can't fake it," Kelly said. night bring his 2012 totals to "Will is a great example of

the trainer came running down the hall. So I knew it wasn't good."

Mannion is expected to have surgery to repair meniscus damage in his left knee as early as today. He will be for the Beavers. Katz has week-to-week following the procedure.

Mannion was averaging second in the Pac-12 and sixth in the nation. He has seven touchdowns and four interceptions this season. He is sixth on Oregon State's career list with 4,686 yards.

A classic drop-back passmorning, just as the team er with a calm demeanor and a good grasp of the fundamentals, Mannion is the son opened a season 5-0 since "It was a total shock," of a high school football 1939.

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> Tygart called for the In a news release preview- International Cycling Union

Riley said. "The doctor and coach. He is one of four team captains for Oregon State this year.

Murphy and his fellow

Oregon's receivers don't

get on the field if they can't

block. Former Ducks Jeff

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eight catches for 81 yards.

Murphy has taken the

His numbers Saturday

contribute," he said.

Murphy followed that lead.

"We want to be tough on

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team players.

returns.

Last season as a redshirt freshman, Mannion unseated junior starter Ryan Katz, who had started the 2010 season since transferred to San Diego State.

Vaz grew up in Lodi, Calif., and played at St. Mary's High School, where he was 24-5 in two seasons as the starter. He was the Stockton Record's player of the year his senior season.

Vaz's backup going forward will be redshirt freshman quarterback Richie Harrington, a walk-on.

Oregon State has not

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6. Cottage Grove

8 North Valley

9. North Bend

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Saturday, Oct. 6

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4. Jesuit

2. Lake Oswego (3)

6. Central Catholic

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Scoreboard

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Monday, Oct. 15 Denver at San Diego, 5:30 p.m

Pro Basketball

NBA Preseason Tuesday's Games Milwaukee 97. Cleveland 80 Chicago 92, Memphis 88 New Orleans 97, Charlotte 82

Today's Games Toronto at Detroit, 7:30 p.m. Oklahoma City vs. Houston at Hidalgo, TX, 5 p.m. Indiana vs. Minnesota at Fargo, ND, 5 p.m. Atlanta at San Antonio, 5:30 p.m. Phoenix at Sacramento, 7 p.m. Portland vs. L.A. Lakers at Ontario, CA, 7 p.m. Thursday's Games

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Chicago at New England, 4:30 p.m Philadelphia at Houston, 4:30 p.m. Columbus at D.C. United, 4:30 p.m. Colorado at Chivas USA, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 21 Los Angeles at San Jose, 4 p.m. Portland at Vancouver, 4 p.m.

Transactions

BASEBALL American League

KANSAS CITY ROYALS–Assigned RHP J.C. Sulbaran to Surprise (Arizona Fall).

NEW YORK YANKEES-Reinstated RHP Dellin Betances from the 60-day DL and assigned him to Scottsdale (Arizona Fall). Designated RHP Corv Wade for assignment.

TORONTO BLUE JAYS-Reinstated RHP Robert Coello from the 60-day DL and assigned him outright off the 40-man roster.

National League MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Agreed to terms with RHP Darren Byrd and C Dayton Buller on minorleague contracts.

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS-Placed LHP Jaime Garcia on the 15-day DL. Activated RHP Shelby Miller.

BOXING

NEVADA STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION-Suspended fighter Julio Cesar Chavez Jr. after he tested positive for marijuana use last month. FOOTBALL

National Football League

NFL-Reduced the eight-game suspension of free agent DL Anthony Hargrove to seven games and three-game suspension of Cleveland LB Scott Fujita to one game.

ARIZONA CARDINALS-Placed RB Rvan Williams on injured reserve. Re-signed CB Crezdon Butler. BUFFALO BILLS-Signed OL Reggie Wells.

Placed OL Colin Brown on injured reserve.

CAROLINA PANTHERS-Released CB Ron Parker. CHICAGO BEARS-Released RB Harvey Unga

from the practice squad. Signed WR Kamar Aiken to the practice squad. INDIANAPOLIS COLTS-Released TE

Dominique Jones. Signed WR Kris Adams to the practice squad.

MIAMI DOLPHINS—Signed S Anderson Russell to the practice squad. NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS-Announced the

retirement of RB Kevin Faulk.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS-Released LB Barrett Ruud. Signed CB Elbert Mack.

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES-Released LB Adrian Moten. Signed LB Jason Williams.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS-Released LB Eric Bakhtiari.

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS-Signed LB Jacob Cutrera from the practice squad. Signed DE Aaron Morgan and CB LeQuan Lewis to the practice squad. WASHINGTON REDSKINS-Released PK Billy

Cundiff. Signed PK Kai Forbath.

COLLEGE

NCAA-Banned Texas Southern men's basketball team from postseason play for the 2012-13 season and football team for 2013 and 2014. WESTERN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE-

Announced it is adding Cal State Bakersfield and Utah Valley next year.

FLORIDA-Announced junior men's basketball G Billy Donovan is transferring from Catholic University.

On The Air

Today

High School Volleyball Marshfield at Willamette, 6:45 p.m., KMHS (1420 AM). Major League Baseball – Playoffs, St. Louis at

Washington, 10 a.m., MLB Network; San Francisco at Cincinnati, 1 p.m., TBS: Baltimore at New York Yankees, 4:30 p.m., TBS; Detroit at Oakland, 6:30

p.m., TNT WNBA Basketball — Western Conference Final, 6 p.m., ESPN2.

Thursday, Oct. 11

High School Football - Siuslaw at Douglas, 7

p.m., KCST (106.9 FM). NFL Football – Pittsburgh at Tennessee, 5:20

p.m., NFL Network College Football – Arizona State at Colorado, 6

p.m., ESPN. Major League Baseball - Playoffs, San Francisco at Cincinnati (if necessary), 10 a.m. or 11 a.m., TBS; St. Louis at Washington, 1 p.m. or 2 p.m., TBS; Baltimore at New York Yankees, 4:30 p.m. or 5:30 p.m., TBS; Detroit at Oakland (if necessary), 6:30 p.m., TNT.

Golf – PGA Tour Frys.Com Open, 1 p.m., Golf Channel; LPGA Malaysia, 6:30 p.m., Golf Channel; European Tour Portugal Masters, 6 a.m., Golf Channel: Web.Com Miccosukke Championship, 4:30 p.m., Golf Channel.

WNBA Basketball - Eastern Conference Final, 5:30 p.m., ESPN2.

Auto Racing – NASCAR Nationwide Series Dollar General 300 practice, 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., ESPN2; NASCAR Sprint Cup Bank of America 500, practice at 12:30 p.m. and qualifying at 4 p.m., ESPN2: Formula One Korean Grand Prix practice, 10 p.m., Speed Channel.

Friday, Oct. 12

High School Football – Marshfield at Ashland, 7 p.m., KMHS (91.3 FM); North Bend at Brookings-Harbor, 7 p.m., K-Light (98.7 FM) and KURY (95.3 FM); Myrtle Point at Coquille, 7 p.m. KTEE (94.9 FM and 95.7 FM); Glide at Gold Beach, 7 p.m., KGBR (92.7 FM).

Major League Baseball – Playoffs, TBA, TBS. Auto Racing – NASCAR Nationwide Series Dollar General 300, quailfying at 1 p.m., ESPN2, and race at 4:30 p.m., ESPN; NASCAR Sprint Cup Bank of America 500 practice, 2:30 p.m., ESPN2: Formula One Korean Grand Prix qualifying, 10 p.m., Speed Channel

College Football - Navy at Central Michigan, 5 p.m., ESPN2.

College Hockey - Icebreaker tournament: Maine vs. Notre Dame, 4 p.m., NBC Sports Network; Army vs. Nebraska-Omaha, 10 p.m. (delayed), NBC Sports Network.

World Cup Soccer Qualifier - Russia vs. Portugal, 8:55 a.m., ESPN2.

Golf - PGA Tour Frys.Com Open, 1 p.m., Golf Channel: LPGA Malavsia, 6:30 p.m., Golf Channel: European Tour Portugal Masters, 6 a.m., Golf Channel: Champions Tour Greater Hickory Classic 10:30 a.m., Golf Channel; Web.Com Miccosukke Championship, 4:30 p.m., Golf Channel.

Local Schedule

Today

High School Volleyball - Midwestern Leagues Marshfield at Willamette, 6:45 p.m. Far West League: Brookings-Harbor at North Bend, 6 ; Siuslaw at Douglas, 6 p.m.

High School Boys Soccer - Far West League: North Bend at Sutherlin, 3 p.m.; South Umpqua at Coquille, 4:30 p.m.; Douglas at Brookings-

Brookings-Harbor at North Bend, 4:30 p.m.; Coquille at Douglas, 4:30 p.m. Women's College Soccer - SWOCC at Clark, 2

High School Girls Soccer – Far West League:

Harbor, 4:30 p.m

Men's College Soccer – SWOCC at Clark, 4 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 11

High School Football – Far West League: Siuslaw at Douglas, 7 p.m.

High School Volleyball - Sunset Conference: Reedsport at Gold Beach, 6 p.m.; Myrtle Pont at Bandon, 6 p.m.; Glide at Coquille, 6:30 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 12 High School Football – Midwestern League: Marshfield at Ashland, 7 p.m. Far West League: North Bend at Brookings-Harbor, 7 p.m. Sunset Conference: Glide at Gold Beach, 7 p.m.; Reedsport at Bandon, 7 p.m.: Myrtle Point at Coquille, 7 p.m. Skyline League: Butte Falls at

Powers 3 n m High School Volleyball - Skyline League: Pacific

t New Hope, 6 p.m.; UVC at Powers, 6 p.m. **College Volleyball** – SWOCC crossover at Coos Bay: SWOCC vs. Big Bend, 9 a.m.; Edmonds vs. Highline, 9 a.m.; Umpqua vs. Wenatchee, 10:30 a.m.; Whatcom vs. Green River, 10:30 a.m.; SWOCC vs. Edmonds, noon; Big Bend vs. Highline, noon; Umpgua vs. Whatcom, 1:30 p.m.: Wenatchee vs. Green River, 1:30 p.m.; SWOCC vs. Highline, 3 p.m.; Big Bend vs. Edmonds, 3 p.m.; Wenatchee vs. Whatcom, 4:30 p.m.; Umpqua vs. Green River, 4:30

College Cross Country – SWOCC at Mike Hodges nal, Oregon City, TBA.

High School Results

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Tuesday's Scores:

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High School Polls

FOOTBALL

PORTLAND (AP) – Here are the results of the Oregon state high school football media poll for Tuesday, Oct. 9, 2012, with first-place votes in parentheses, followed by total points. A team receives 10 points for each first-place vote, nine for second, eight for third, etc.

(5-1) Others receiving votes: 11. Sweet Home 7. 12. Ontario 2. 12, Klamath 2. 12, Madras 2. 15, Pro Baseball **Baseball Playoffs** DIVISION SERIES (Best-of-5: x-if necessary) Detroit 3, Oakland 1 Cincinnati 5. San Francisco 2 Detroit 5, Oakland 4 Washington 3, St. Louis 2 New York 7, Baltimore 2 Cincinnati 9. San Francisco 0 St. Louis 12, Washington 4. series tied 1-1 Baltimore 3, New York 2, series tied 1-1 San Francisco 2, Cincinnati 1, 10 innings, Cincinnati leads series 2-1

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Thursday, Oct. 11

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Sports



The Associated Press San Francisco's Joaquin Arias, right, high-fives Brandon Belt after the Giants defeated the Cincinnati Reds 2-1 in 10 innings during Game 3 of the National League division series Tuesday in Cincinnati. The Giants cut their playoff deficit to 2-1.

Giants stay alive with 10-inning win

CINCINNATI (AP) – Joaquin Arias hit the ball, put his head down and ran. depended upon how fast he made it to first.

"That's the fastest I've ever run to first," the infielder said.

He won the playoff dash, taking advantage of third baseman Scott Rolen's momentary bobble to beat the far. throw. Arias' foot hit the bag, and the Giants suddenly had a little hope.

After managing only one hit through the first nine innings, the Giants took advantage of a passed ball and Rolen's error in the 10th inning for a 2-1 victory that cut the Cincinnati Reds' lead in the division series to 2-1.

A team that's struggled just to get hits is suddenly feeling like it has a chance against long odds. The Giants are trying to become the first team to overcome a 2-0 deficit in a best-of-five series by winning three straight on the road.

"I think we have to be really happy that we came away with a win tonight because we didn't swing the bats very well at all," said Buster Posey, who singled as part of the winning rally.

The Giants have struggled the last two games against Bronson Arroyo and Homer Bailey, managing a total of three hits in the starters' 14 innings combined. They're not sure who's up next for the Reds, who haven't won a home playoff game in 17 years and now have a tough decision. Left-hander Barry Zito will pitch Game 4 today for San Francisco, which has won the last 11 times he started. The Reds had to decide whether to try ace Johnny Cueto, forced out of the opener in San Francisco on Saturday with spasms in his back and side.

Manager Dusty Baker said after the only one single. game that they hadn't decided whether All he knew was that the Giants' season to go with Cueto, bring back Mat Latos finally got it going against Jonathan on short rest again, or replace Cueto with Mike Leake, who wasn't on the division series roster.

Switching out Cueto would leave the Reds ace ineligible to pitch in the championship series should the Reds get that

It's very difficult, but it all depends on if your ace can't go or whatever it is," Baker said. "That's part of the conversation - us going without him. We realize what's at stake."

They were hoping to avoid having to make that choice. One grounder forced the issue.

The Giants managed only three hits against Bailey and the bullpen, but got two of them in the 10th - along with a passed ball by Ryan Hanigan – to pull it out. San Francisco won despite striking out 16 times.

Rolen, an eight-time Gold Glove winner, couldn't cleanly field Arias' grounder, which put him in a tough position.

"I've gone through the play many times in my mind between then and now, and I think I would play it the same way," Rolen said. "It hit my glove. I just couldn't get it to stick."

they reached the NL championship series. They scored a run in the first, tracting. then managed only one more hit the rest of the way, wasting another dominating performance by their pitching staff.

San Francisco's one-hit wonders Broxton, who gave up leadoff singles by Posey - the NL batting champion and Hunter Pence, who pulled his left calf on a wild swing before getting his hit.

With two outs, Hanigan couldn't come up with a pitch, letting the runners advance. Moments later, Cincinnati's chance for a sweep was over when Rolen bobbled the ball.

A Reds team that lost a lot - closer Ryan Madson in spring training, top hitter Joey Votto for six weeks at midseason, Baker for the NL Central clincher, Cueto in the first inning of the first playoff game – ended up with another playoff loss at home.

Baker was back in the home dugout at Great American for the first time in nearly a month, recovered from an fying matches because of an irregular heartbeat and a mini-stroke. injured left knee. After a pregame ovation, he settled in his red folding chair with a toothpick on his lips.

The 63-year-old manager watched his pitching staff dominate again, but fail to get that breakthrough win.

The second-largest crowd in Great American history was still getting the hang of playoff rooting. A video board The Reds haven't won a home message instructed the 44,501 fans not playoff game since 1995, the last time to wave white rally towels while the against Guatemala. Reds were in the field could be dis

Texans lose Cushing for rest of the season

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

HOUSTON- Linebacker Brian Cushing is out for the season with a torn left knee ligament, leaving the unbeaten Houston Texans without their top tackler and one of their emotional leaders.

Cushing was hurt in the second quarter of the Texans'

23-17 win over the **Sports** New York Jets on a **Shorts** low block guard by

Matt Slauson. Cushing walked off the field on his own, but didn't return.

The Texans (5-0) play Green Bay (2-3) in Houston on Sunday night. The loss of Cushing is worrisome for Houston, which ran into a rash of injuries to some of its top players in 2011, including Andre Johnson (hamstring), Matt Schaub (Lisfranc fracture) and outside linebacker Mario Williams (torn chest muscle).

Jets still going with Sanchez as starting QB

NEW YORK – Mark Sanchez is staying put as the New York Jets' starting quarterback.

Despite struggling again in a 23-17 loss to the Houston Texans, Sanchez is still Rex Ryan's guy – despite many fans and media suggesting a switch to Tim Tebow could help the Jets (2-3).

"Yeah, no question," the Jets coach said without hesitation when asked if Sanchez remains the team's starter.

SOCCER

Donovan will sit out two **World Cup qualifiers**

MIAMI — Landon Donovan will not play for the U.S. national team in a pair of upcoming World Cup quali-

U.S. Soccer said that Donovan – who has more goals, assists and starts than any player in program history - will likely not be replaced on what was a 24-man roster for the upcoming qualifiers, first on Friday on the road against Antigua and Barbuda, then in Kansas City on Oct. 16

BASKETBALL

Former Pistons coach Donnie Butcher dies

DETROIT - Donnie Butcher, who played five seasons in the NBA and later coached the Detroit Pistons, died. He was 76.

The Pistons confirmed Butcher's death through a family member.

Butcher averaged 6.1 points in 279 games with the Pistons and New York Knicks. He became Detroit's coach late in the 1966-67 season, replacing playercoach Dave DeBusschere.

Butcher went 52-60 at the helm. His only full season as coach was 1967-68, and he lead Detroit to the postseason – the team's only playoff appearance in a 10-season span.

Coach Donovan's son transfers to Florida

GAINESVILLE, Fla. -Florida coach Billy Donovan will have his oldest son on the bench this season - and maybe on the floor the following year.

Donovan's son, also named Billy Donovan, has transferred to Florida from Catholic University. The walk-on junior guard must sit out this season under NCAA transfer rules and will be eligible to compete for the Gators next fall.

Don't expect the vounger Donovan to be like his dad, though. Donovan averaged 4.0 points and 1.7 rebounds in two years at Catholic. He averaged 5.9 points and had 49 assists as a sophomore last season.

The elder Donovan says it's "going to be great to have Billy here, both for our team and for our family." The coach adds that he hopes "this will be a great experience for him."

BOXING

Former champ Chavez suspended for failed test

LAS VEGAS - The Nevada State Athletic Commission has temporarily suspended Julio Cesar Chavez Jr. after the former middleweight champion failed a drug test.

The commission made the standard procedural move Fuesday. Chavez tested posi tive for marijuana use last month. Commission executive Keith Kizer said Chavez will have a disciplinary hearing within the next two months. Chavez could receive a lengthy suspension or a significant fine on his \$3 million purse. Chavez's failed test was Coach Gary Patterson revealed shortly after his dramatic loss to Sergio Martinez on Sept. 15. Chavez already was fined \$20,000 and suspended indefinitely by the WBC, whose belt he lost to Martinez.

The Reds set a season high with 16 strikeouts. Bailey matched his career franchise playoff record. He allowed hit to right.

Didn't take long to get those towels twirling. Brandon Phillips led off with a single, but was thrown out at third when he tried to advance on a ball that got away from Posey. It was costly - the Suspended TCU quarterback Reds went on to score on a walk and a high by fanning 10 in seven innings, a pair of singles, including Jay Bruce's RBI

Goodell sticks with suspensions for bounty

Commissioner upholds penalties on Vilma and Smith

NEW ORLEANS (AP) -NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell upheld the suspensions of Jonathan Vilma and Will Smith on Tuesday for their role in the New Orleans Saints bounty scandal and reduced penalties for Scott Fujita and Anthony Hargrove.

Though an appeal panel created by the NFL's labor agreement vacated the original suspensions on technical grounds, Goodell ruled he was sticking with his decision to suspend Vilma for the season and Smith for four games.

Hargrove, a free agent defensive lineman, will face a two-game suspension once he signs with a team. He originally was hit with eight games, but that was reduced to seven with five games already served. Fujita, who plays for Cleveland, will now miss only one game instead of three.

The responses of Vilma, Smith and the NFL Players Association left little doubt that the seven-month-old bounty saga is far from over.

Vilma said on Twitter that the new ruling "this is not news to me pride won't let him admit he's wrong." Smith issued a statement saying he will continue to explore his appeal options.

Vilma's attorney, Peter Ginsberg, said in a statement that Goodell's new ruling "continues his previous grossly misplaced interpreta-



The Associated Press

"The quality, specificity

and scope of the evidence

supporting the findings of

conduct detrimental (to the

game) are far greater and

more extensive than ordinar-

ily available in such cases,"

Goodell said in a memoran-

comes about a month after an

appeal panel vacated the

original suspensions on

technical grounds during

Week 1 of the regular season.

The panel did not address the

merits of the league's inves-

tigation. It merely asked

Goodell to clarify to extent to

which his ruling involved

conduct detrimental to the

league, which he has the sole

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which would have to be ruled

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Goodell's new ruling

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NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell, center, upheld two suspensions from the bounty scandal, and reduced two of them.

tion of the 'evidence' What the Commissioner did today is not justice, nor just. The suspension has the fingerprints of lawyers trying to fit a square peg into a round hole."

The players were implicated in what the NFL said was a bounty pool run by former Saints defensive coordinator Gregg Williams and paid improper cash bonuses for hits that injured opponents. The players have acknowledged a pool but denied they intended to injure anyone.

The players can delay their suspensions by appealing again through their labor contract, which they have three days to do. They could also ask a federal judge in authority to handle, and New Orleans to revisit their earlier request for an injunction blocking the suspensions.

Goodell, meanwhile, stood by the substance of the investigation began when with the players and their allegations were first brought to the league's attention three seasons ago.

their side of the story." Goodell wrote. "In those meetings, the players confirmed many of the key facts disclosed in our investigation, most particularly that the program offered cash rewards for 'cart-offs,' that players were encouraged to 'crank up the John Deere tractor' and have their opponents carted off the field, and that for plays that resulted in opposing players having to leave the field of play."

Only Smith and Fujita have played this season. Vilma has been recovering from offseason knee surgery and hopes to return in two weeks when the Saints play at Tampa Bay. The Saints linebacker is on the physically unable to perform list for the first six weeks of the season and Goodell's new ruling said that Vilma can be paid for that period.

The NFLPA remained critical of Goodell's decision to punish the players and the process by which he reached his decisions.

"For more than six months, the NFL has ignored the facts, abused the process outlined in our collective bargaining agreement and failed to produce evidence reach a second straight AL that the players intended to injure anyone, ever," the said in a written statement. "The only evidence that exists is the League's gross violation of fair due process, transparency and impartiality during this process. Truth and fairness have been the casualties of the league's refusal to admit that it might have made a mistake."

COLLEGE FOOTBALL **TCU quarterback will** enter rehab facility

FORT WORTH, Texas -Casey Pachall is leaving school for the rest of the semester and entering an inpatient rehabilitation facility.

made the announcement five days after the junior starter was arrested on suspicion of drunken driving in his second brush with the law in the past eight months.

OAKLAND From Page B1

Anderson, back on the rewards were offered and paid mound for the first time since straining a muscle in his right side Sept. 19 at Detroit, worked quickly and showed no signs of a layoff or jitters in his first postseason start.

> That's just not the way the A's have operated this year.

Last week, Oakland entered its final three-game series of the regular season needing to sweep the twotime reigning AL champion Rangers to capture the AL West – and the A's did it, sending a stunned Texas team to the one-game wild card, which it lost to Baltimore.

A club with a majors-best 14 walkoff wins and countless whipped cream pie celebrations snapped the longest postseason skid in franchise history at six games, all losses to Detroit.

The Tigers are trying to championship series after losing last year's ALCS in six games to the Rangers.

Detroit captured the AL Central in Oakland last year and is hoping for another clinching party as soon as possible.

Anderson did his job to delay it.

He insisted he was healthy and ready to go - and man - 10 to go.

ager Bob Melvin took his pitcher at his word and gave him a shot in his biggest start yet. Anderson had shown plenty when he returned in August following a 14-month absence recovering from elbow-ligament replacement surgery and made six impressive starts.

Not feeling quite 100 percent, he allowed two hits, struck out six and walked two in six innings. He was on a pitch count of 80 and was done at exactly that, though was never told about it beforehand.

"I don't know how you could expect more than we got out of him tonight," Melvin said.

Next, the reliable bullpen took over.

Ryan Cook pitched the seventh, Sean Doolittle struck out the side in order in the eighth and closer Grant Balfour finished the four-hitter for a save. The A's staff pitched the 11th postseason shutout by the franchise, while the Tigers were blanked for the 13th time in the postseason.

The A's had lost five straight while facing elimination in the postseason, one shy of the longest active streak by the Twins.

Oakland became the first team in major league history to win the division or pennant after trailing by five or more games with fewer than



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your mind focused on saving

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example. What a great idea!

PIGGY BANKS IN BULK. I have seven grandchildren to shop for each Christmas. In May, I bought seven piggy banks at the dollar store. I decorated them with stamps and permanent markers, and lined them up on my dresser. I've been dropping my change in each one. When it's time to wrap, I'll make sure each bank holds exactly the same amount. - *Esther*. Oregon

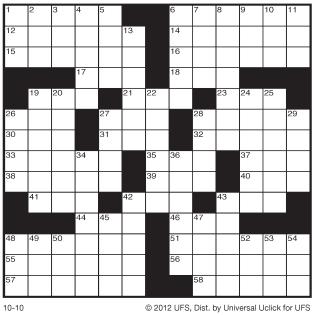
PAPER TOWEL BASKET. I can't count how many times I've reached for a paper towel off the roll to dry my hands and only manage to tear off a piece of the towel. This seems to happen **THE FAMILY CIRCUS** at the most inopportune times. Instead of ditching paper towels, I keep a stash folded up in a basket on my counter. Now when my hands are wet or messy, I just take one out of the basket. – Annie, Nebraska

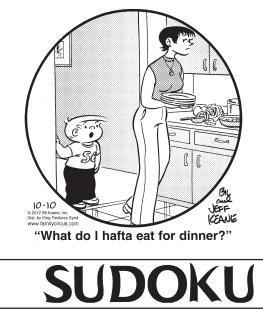
DAMPEN THE SMOKE. When broiling meat, I pour a cup or so of water into the bottom of the broiler pan. The dripping fat hits the water and won't burn in the pan, cutting down on the smoke. I started doing this after hearing my neighbor's smoke alarm going off while she was using her broiler. -Ann, California

CLEANING WINDOWS ON THE CHEAP. I ran out of window cleaner while cleaning my glass doors. Wanting to finish the project, I knew I had windshield washer fluid in the garage. It was a great substitute for the window cleaner, and cheaper, too. – Virginia, Arkansas GARAGE - SALE CHRISTMAS SHOPPING. I agree with Mary about Christmas shopping in July. But I start even earlier. When garage-sale season kicks into high gear during spring in the Midwest, I start looking for specific items to buy. I store everything in a box in the attic marked "Christmas." When December rolls around, I look through what I have and then update my shopping list. Garage-sale shopping in the spring and summer is also great for Halloween. I save a bundle on odds and ends for costumes. Marlon, Minnesota MAKE YOUR OWN SLIVERED ALMONDS. I buy the 3-pound bag of Costco almonds with the skins on. I boil them, slide off the skins, slice them into at least three strips and then toast them in the oven, turning a couple of times with a spatula. Once cooled, I bag them up. I use my supply of slivered, toasted almonds on my morning cereal and in evening salads. At a cost of \$2.50 for four ounces in the supermarket, I'm saving a fortune while eating something healthy. -Marty, email Would you like to send a tip to Mary? You can email her at mary@everydaycheapskate.com, or write to Everyday Cheapskate, P.O. Box 2099, Cypress, CA 90630. Include your first and last name and state. Mary Hunt is the founder of www.DebtProofLiving.com and author of 22 books, including her just released, "Debt-Proof Your Christmas: Celebrating the Holidays without Breaking the Bank." To find out more about Mary and read her past columns, please visit the Creators Syndicate Web page at www.creators.com.

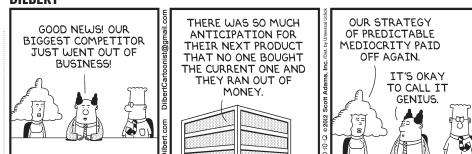
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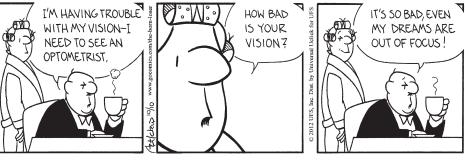
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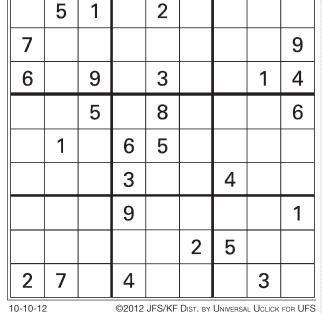


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GRIZZWELLS





MODERATELY CONFUSED



KIT 'N' CARLYLE



HERMAN



"I'd say his chances are about 50/50 of making it to the hospital."



