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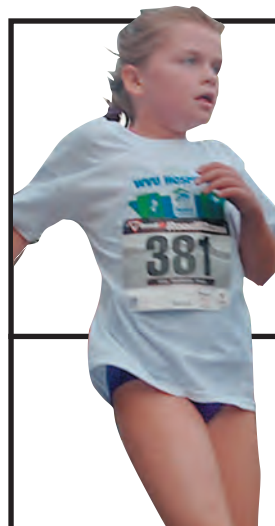
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City hotel-tax collections increase

BOPARC and visitors bureau to split \$668,000

BY JANET L. METZNER
The Dominion Post

It's been a year since Morgantown doubled its 3-percent hotel/motel tax to 6 percent, and it has paid off, said city Finance Director Denise White.

While the tax rate doubled, collections more than doubled, from about \$280,000 to \$668,000 — about a 137-percent increase, White said.

"A lot is attributable to additional hotels that have come in, and additional occupancy rates as well," she said.

City Manager Dan Boroff said the city collects the tax and splits the money equally between the Greater Morgantown Convention and Visitors Bureau and BOPARC.

"It's playing an important role in convention and tourism activities, and certainly the recreation programs and services offered by BOPARC," Boroff said.

Legislation passed last year allowing municipalities to increase their hotel/motel tax by up to 3 per-

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Pageant to showcase Morgantown history

Hotel/motel tax funds the BOPARC project

BY JANET L. METZNER
The Dominion Post

David and Zackquill Morgan are known as the first permanent settlers in Morgantown, but the Deckers were actually the first settlers, WVU Professor Emeritus Bill French said.

"The Deckers were a couple years earlier. We don't think of them because they were wiped out — they were assassinated by Native Americans who believed this part of the world belonged to them and that [Europeans] were invaders," he said.

The Deckers lived on land where the Wharf District parking garage is now — near the con-

fluence of Deckers Creek and the Monongahela River, he said. The creek is named after them, he said.

French is writing a musical pageant of scenes from Morgantown's history. One scene depicts the Deckers and American Indians, he said.

It's a new project funded from an increase in the city's

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Morgantown will get more housing



Ron Rittenhouse/The Dominion Post

An excavator dumps remnants of a home on Beechurst Avenue into a truck. It was making way for a new apartment building that is going up at the intersection of Fourth Street and Beechurst Avenue.

New apartments to go up on Beechurst

Five houses were demolished Friday

BY NATALIE NEYSA ALUND
The Dominion Post

Excavators razed five houses Friday morning on property along Beechurst Avenue to make way for a new apartment building.

Dump trucks rolled on and off the property next to Fourth Avenue, picking up wood and debris from the leveled homes.

Mattresses, couches, nightstands and other furniture filled a large trash bin beside the property.

Moser Investments LLC, is erecting the \$1.5 million apartment building across the street from Chico's Dairy near Ashebrooke

Liquor Outlet.

Morgantown Deputy Director of Planning and Zoning Lisa Mardis said that, according to Moser's construction plans, the 34-unit building will consist of 20 two-bedroom units and 14 one-bedroom units.

The building will also offer a 52-space parking lot adjacent to the building and University Avenue, Mardis said. Plans include planting trees around the building.

As of September 2005, Moser Investments owner Joe Moser estimated the project cost at about \$1.5 million, Mardis said.

Jeff Freeman, general supervisor of Laurita Excavating — the company handling the demolition — said

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Ron Rittenhouse/The Dominion Post

A home is cleared away at the intersection of Fourth Street and Beechurst Avenue.

U.N. chief: Europe to provide half of Lebanon peace force

Associated Press

BRUSSELS, Belgium — U.N. Secretary-General Kofi Annan said Friday that Europe had agreed to provide the "backbone" of a peacekeeping force for Lebanon, providing nearly half of a 15,000-member contingent.

European officials said it would take up to three months to get all the troops on the ground.

Speaking after an emergency meeting of European foreign ministers, Annan also said he has "firm commitments" from Malaysia, Indonesia and Bangladesh, and was consulting with Turkey about joining the

peacekeeping force.

Israel has said it would oppose the deployment of troops from Muslim nations with which it does not have diplomatic ties, saying their inclusion would make it impossible for Israel to share vital intelligence information with the U.N. force.

"Europe is providing the backbone of the force," Annan said. "We can now begin to put together a credible force."

By pledging 6,900 troops, European countries overcame initial concern about being caught in the middle between Israel and the militant group Hezbollah, which

agreed Aug. 14 to lay down arms under a U.N.-brokered cease-fire after 34 days of fighting that claimed hundreds of lives and caused significant damage, especially in Lebanon.

France, in particular, had held back from promising a large contribution and demanded a clearer definition of the mission and the rules of engagement.

Annan said he asked France — which dramatically increased its pledged contribution to 2,000 troops late Thursday — to lead the 15,000-member mission until February 2007.

French Foreign Minister

Philippe Douste-Blazy said Annan gave guarantees for the safety of European troops and on rules of engagement, and that France wanted an arms-free "exclusion zone" in south Lebanon.

"We think the best solution for disarming Hezbollah is to make an exclusion zone with the retreat of the Israeli army on one side and the deployment of the Lebanese army on the other, reinforced by the U.N. troops," he said.

"Our objective is clear, to disarm Hezbollah," Douste-Blazy said, but added that military force was not the answer. "The only solution is to have a political solution."

Labor group plans protest at agency

Immigration policies raise organization's ire

Associated Press

CHARLESTON — A Charleston labor organization protested Friday about what it considers poor enforcement by a federal immigration agency in West Virginia.

The Affiliated Construction Trades Foundation says the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement office in Charleston just isn't doing its job. The foundation, which represents union construction workers, was hoping to underscore its disappointment with a rally in front of the ICE office in Charleston.

It's the immigration office's job to police whether workers are legally in the country and, more importantly, whether companies are breaking the law by importing workers to take jobs in West Virginia, foundation Director Steve White said.

"We are not against immigration," White said. "What we're concerned about is companies that are importing workers, low-wage workers to take jobs in our communities."

But ICE spokeswoman Ernestine Fobbs said the agency is vigilant and is actively investigating immigration cases in the state daily. That said, ICE targets cases that involve national security first, Fobbs said.

"We are aware of the protest that's taking place there," Fobbs said. "We do our job. We are enforcing the immigration and customs laws in that area and across the nation."

Aussie army funds soldiers' plastic surgery

Associated Press

CANBERRA, Australia — Australian soldiers are indulging in expensive cosmetic surgery — including breast enlargements, nose jobs and face lifts — at taxpayers' expense, according to media reports Friday.

Official Australian Defense Force policy states that personnel can undergo plastic surgery at public expense for medical or psychological reasons that threaten their ability to work.

An army cook underwent a nose reduction operation Wednesday, while female service personnel have had breast enlargements after claiming that depression and poor confidence were hurting their work, News Ltd. newspapers reported.

Defense Minister Brendan Nelson said Friday he has ordered an investigation.

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as possible following publication.

Star City Police Chief Victor Propst filed charges against a Jeannette, Pa., man for embezzlement and fraud. Propst was misidentified as a Monongalia County Sheriff's Department deputy Friday.

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the apartments could be available by next year.

"It will be a parking lot until then," Freeman said.

Freeman did not know if the lot would be public or private.

Moser could not be reached for comment Friday, to say if the apartments are intended for students or what rental rates will be.

Freeman said Moser also owns properties including Ashebrooke Liquor Outlet on Beechurst Avenue and apartments on Green Bag Road.

Morgantown Planning Commission granted Moser permission Dec. 8, 2005, to build the apartment building, Mardis said.

Moser applied for a demolition permit March 8, she said. Code enforcement approved the permit Thursday and demolition began Friday.

Bob Graham, excavating supervisor, said demolition on the homes began at about 6:30 a.m. Friday and

ended at about 7:30 p.m. He expected to finish this portion of the project sometime today.

Morgantown Mayor Ron Justice said he is pleased an apartment is going up.

"It's very exciting, the investment they're making," Justice said. "I think this is really going to be an example of what can be done on Beechurst. It's going to be a nice complex and I'm very confident in the developer that will be working on this."

Justice said that Moser is working on another project in Sunny-side. He said Moser is also building apartments on property near the intersection of University Avenue and Stewart Street.

"It will be a complex with 236 new beds and will also have parking," he said. "They're just getting ready for site preparation there."

Justice did not have additional information about that development.

HOTEL-TAX

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cent, and Morgantown City Council approved the entire 3 percent increase.

Before the increase, hotels in the city charged 9 percent tax. That's 6 percent state sales tax and 3 percent local hotel/motel tax. It meant that a person who rented a \$100 room would pay \$109 with tax.

Now the total tax is 12 percent, and a customer now pays \$112 with tax for a \$100 room.

For this fiscal year, the city of Morgantown expected total hotel/motel tax revenues of \$281,839, White said.

That was before city council passed the rate increase, Boroff said.

So, for this 2006-07 fiscal year, BOPARC and the visitors bureau budgeted about \$140,000 each.

The BOPARC board of directors has said any extra money collected will go into next year's operations budgets for Hazel Ruby McQuain Park and the Metropolitan Theatre.

Tourism and recreation funded

BOPARC used its \$140,000 for a number of projects, including activities Sept. 22-24 at the Met Theatre, focusing on a historical topic, said Mayor Ron Justice.

The focus of the \$3,500 historical weekend will be the West Virginia Coal Mining Wars of the early 1900s, Justice said.

There will be an old mining equipment display; an actor portraying labor activist Mother Jones; a video documentary, "Thunder on the Mountain"; a book display; the mine wars play "Terror on the Tug"; and the movie "Matewan," Justice said.

"Our goal is to bring in the art forms — theater, written and museum exhibits — tying as many art forms together as we can," said Justice, who represents City Council on the BOPARC board of directors.

The city hopes to make the historical weekend an annual event, he said. For example, next year it could focus on the historical feud

between the Hatfields and the McCoys.

Wise listed other planned BOPARC projects:

- \$7,500 for the Museum Commission to use to pay rent for the space behind the Morgantown Arts Center.

- \$7,500 to write a historical play to be performed at the amphitheater or Met Theatre.

- \$25,000 to upgrade the electrical system at the amphitheater — adding another 400 amps to accommodate a river fountain project, and to use for amphitheater acts.

- \$32,000 to the Metropolitan Theatre for utilities.

- \$25,000 for Dorsey's Knob Park. It funded final work on the lodge, and the caretaker's house/Groscup Center — work completed before the park's July 1 grand opening.

- \$3,500 for historical weekend at the Met. It will include movies, theater and books about the West Virginia coal mine wars in the early 1900s, and is set for Sept. 22-24. This project was paid for with money left over from the Dorsey's Knob Park allocation, Mayor Ron Justice said.

- \$43,000 for general park operations, including improvements to Hazel Ruby McQuain Park. Projects already completed include sanding and sealing amphitheater beams, and a facelift on the wording on the amphitheater.

The visitors bureau received hotel/motel tax money from the city in previous years.

But with the increase, the visitors bureau has been able to expand its marketing campaign, said Pete Hornsby, vice president of the board of directors.

"It gave us more money to do a larger marketing program than we have ever been able to do before," he said.

The "Bring It Home" campaign urges people who live in the area to bring their organizations' events to Morgantown.

The print and television campaign targets north-central West Virginia, with some of the campaign in Charleston.

Former President Ford undergoes surgery

Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS — Former President Ford underwent his second heart procedure in a week at the Mayo Clinic when stents were placed into two of his coronary arteries to increase blood flow, his spokeswoman said Friday.

The angioplasty procedure on the 93-year-old Ford was successful and he was resting comfortably in his room at the hospital in Rochester, spokeswoman Penny Circle said in a statement.

On Monday, doctors at the clinic had fitted Ford with an implantable cardiac pacemaker to regulate his heartbeat.

Mayo Clinic spokesman John Murphy confirmed the procedure, but would not comment further. "No further releases or updates are anticipated for several days," he said.

About 600,000 angioplasties are done each year in the United States alone.

Through an artery in the leg, doctors snake a tube to blockages that are clogging vessels and preventing them from supplying enough blood to the heart. A balloon opens the vessel and a mesh stent is left behind to prop the artery open.

The spokeswoman's description of the procedure suggests "that a substantial part of the muscle of the heart is not receiving adequate blood flow," said Dr. Carl J. Pepine, a former president of the American College of Cardiology and chief of the division of cardiovascular medicine at the University of Florida in Gainesville.

"The stents can be deployed in elderly people very safely, with results that are generally as favorable as they are in younger people," Pepine said.

Ford was admitted to the clinic Aug. 15 for tests.

In January, he was hospitalized for 12 days in Rancho Mirage, Calif., for pneumonia. Then in July, Ford spent a few days in Colorado's Vail Valley Medical Center because of shortness of breath.

Ford became the nation's oldest living former president after the death of Ronald Reagan in 2004.

Ford was House minority leader when President Nixon chose him to replace Spiro Agnew, who resigned, as vice president in 1973. Ford became president on Aug. 9, 1974, when Nixon resigned amid the Watergate scandal.

Ford and his wife, Betty, live in Rancho Mirage.

Miners are allowed to help anonymously in Sago probe

Associated Press

CHARLESTON — A judge has ruled that federal regulators can withhold the names of miners who asked the United Mine Workers of America to represent them in the investigation of the Sago Mine explosion.

A subsidiary of Sago owner International Coal Group had asked a federal judge to force the federal Mine Safety and Health Administration to turn over the names. But U.S. District Judge

Robert Maxwell denied the request in a ruling dated Wednesday.

Ira Gamm, ICG's vice president for investor and public relations, said the company had no comment on the ruling.

MSHA and the union praised the ruling. "We're glad that the judge upheld the right of these workers to have representation and to do so without fear of being exposed and being intimidated by the company," UMW spokesman Phil Smith said.

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hotel/motel tax — an increase that's been in effect for the past year, said Mark Wise, director of BOPARC.

"We budgeted \$7,500 to begin to do some research on a play that would deal with the history of Morgantown," he said.

Once it's written and produced, the pageant could be performed at the Metropolitan Theatre or the Hazel Ruby McQuain Amphitheatre, Wise said.

Mayor Ron Justice said it could be performed as early as next summer.

French, a former English pro-

Justice said most of the money for this project is used for expenses from traveling and collecting oral histories.

fessor, is writing the script.

"What I am designing is not a history of Morgantown, or Monongalia County, but scenes selected from Morgantown history," he said. "This is a historical pageant, which suggests a drama about a particular location, and with a lot of music."

Each scene will feature music of the time, up to present day, he said. For example, it will start with Old English ballads. It will eventu-

ally move into the Big Band era, with the Mon River Band performing, he said.

Justice said most of the money for this project is used for expenses from traveling and collecting oral histories.

French is working with high school students to gather those histories, he said.

"We're real excited. We're a year away from when we hope to roll this out," Justice said.

FBI: Dynamite is found inside checked luggage

Associated Press

HOUSTON — A stick of dynamite was found in a college student's checked luggage on a Continental Airlines flight from Argentina, one of seven security incidents Friday that caused U.S. flights to be diverted, evacuated, searched or delayed.

Howard McFarland Fish, 21, was charged with carrying an explosive aboard an aircraft and was in the custody of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement. Federal authorities have determined that his actions were not acts of terrorism, ICE spokeswoman Luisa Deason said in a statement.

Houston Fire Department Assistant Chief Omero Longoria said Fish told authorities he works in mining and often handles explosives. Longoria said federal officials were investigating whether the

explanation was true.

Bill Waldock, aviation safety professor at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University in Arizona, said the incident could have been disastrous and raises questions about security in overseas airports. Dynamite can be unstable if it's old, he added.

"You're in a pressurized airplane, you get a detonation in the cargo hold, it could blow a hole in the airplane big enough to bring it down," he said.

The dynamite was found during a luggage search in a federal inspection station at Bush Intercontinental Airport shortly after Flight 52 landed at about 6 a.m.

Marlene McClinton, spokeswoman for the Houston Airport System, said ICE officials and the FBI shut down the customs area and began questioning Fish, one of 173 passengers on the flight.

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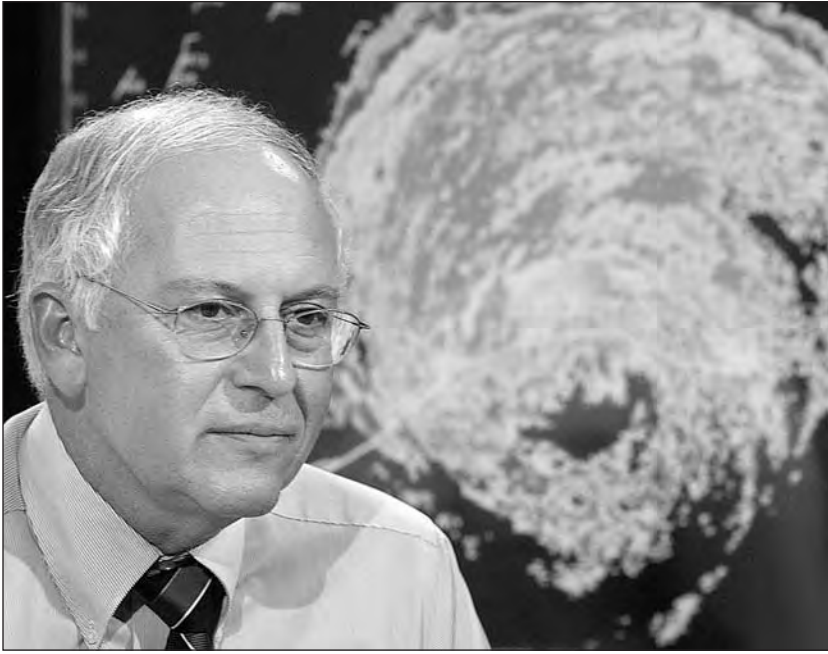


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Max Mayfield, director of the National Hurricane Center, in Miami, is shown at the center in this Sept. 24, 2005, photo. Mayfield said Friday he will retire in January, after overseeing the nation's tropical storm forecasters and guiding millions of Americans through the busiest, most destructive Atlantic hurricane season on record last year.

National Hurricane Center director Mayfield will retire

Associated Press

MIAMI — Max Mayfield said Friday he will retire as director of the National Hurricane Center in January, after overseeing the nation's tropical storm forecasters during the busiest, most destructive Atlantic hurricane season on record.

He told staffers at the center in Miami that "No one event has caused this. I've been here 34 years and as Forrest Gump said in the movie, 'I'm tired and I want to go home.'" *The Miami Herald* reported on its Web site. He planned a news conference later Friday.

Mayfield, 57, has led the hurricane center and its forecasters since May 2000 and will leave after the current season ends, Nov. 30. He told the *Herald* he wasn't sure what he would do after retiring: "I don't have anything lined up and I don't want to even think about it until I get some rest."

Mayfield is well known to residents in hurricane-prone areas in the U.S. from his countless hours of television interviews. He and his staff were praised for the dead-on forecasts of last year's Hurricane Katrina, the costliest natural disaster in U.S. history in a season that shattered many records.

Last year, a record 28 named storms and 15 hurricanes formed, well above the average of 11 storms and six hurricanes. Katrina caused several breaches in New Orleans' levees, submerging much of the city. It also flattened parts of the Mississippi coast. In 2004, Florida was walloped by four hurricanes.

With these frenzied hurricane seasons, Mayfield has been traveling nonstop, hurricane center spokesman Frank Lepore told *The Associated Press*. Besides moni-

toring the storms themselves, Mayfield also oversees hurricane awareness programs in nearly every coastal state. He tirelessly tells anyone who listens of the danger of hurricanes and how important it is to be prepared.

"He's called to support those so he's literally been on the road from January through May," Lepore said. Mayfield announced his retirement during a 1 p.m. staff briefing, but didn't dwell on it, Lepore said. Mayfield was monitoring two active storms in the Atlantic, two more in the Pacific and conducting interviews for a new job at the center.

He became well known after 1992's Hurricane Andrew, when as a hurricane specialist at the center he informed South Florida residents what to expect from the killer storm in his soothing voice with an Oklahoma accent.

Longtime friend and colleague Billy Wagner was at the hurricane center with Mayfield when they got the news that Andrew was rapidly intensifying and heading straight for South Florida.

"Max has always been very, very calm," said Wagner, who retired in July as senior emergency management director for Monroe County in the Florida Keys. "I've never seen panic, but he always was fully aware that it was his responsibility to convey the message if people weren't reacting sufficiently to [local] public officials, that he ultimately had the responsibility for their constituents."

A dedicated family man and deeply spiritual person, Mayfield "is making this decision based on the best that he feels he can do," Wagner said minutes after he hung up the phone with Mayfield.

One year later

New Orleans waiting for post-Katrina aid

LOOK IN Tuesday's *The Dominion Post* for a Katrina — One Year Later retrospective.

Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS — First came the floodwaters, then the paperwork.

Billions of promised federal dollars to fix New Orleans' crumbling infrastructure have gone largely untapped a year after Hurricane Katrina. City officials complain that a snarl of red tape, restrictions and unexpectedly high costs have kept hundreds of public buildings in disrepair, streets pocked with potholes and most parks too dirty for children to play.

"It's an incredible bureaucracy. It's unbelievable," Mayor Ray Nagin said in an interview with *The Associated Press* this week.

So far, the city has collected only \$117 million to start the repair work in what has been billed as the largest urban restoration in U.S. history.

For every repair project, city officials must follow a lengthy application process — and spend their own money — before getting a dime of federal aid to fix at least 833 projects such as police stations, courtrooms, baseball fields or auditoriums.

Residents don't care much what the cause is. They're just tired of crater-like potholes, sudden drops



AP Photo

New Orleans City Council members Oliver Thomas (left), Stacy Head, James Carter and Shelley Midura have a brief conference before the start of a meeting where a report on the state of New Orleans was released Friday morning. The paper, which takes a look at New Orleans nearly a year after Katrina hit, was presented to the mayor and city council members by Greg Rigamer, chief executive officer of GCR & Associates Inc.

in water pressure and debris-clogged storm drains.

"We're not asking for a lot. At this point, we're just looking for basic services: power, gas, water. Sewer that doesn't back up into your house would be nice too," said Jeb Bruneau, president of the neighborhood association in the Lakeview area. "Whatever the

snafu was, the result is Joe Blow Citizen isn't seeing the effect of that federal money."

Louisiana eventually expects to get at least \$25 billion in federal money for rebuilding projects, including everything from levee repairs to homeowner assistance. Of that money, \$6 billion to \$8 billion will be doled out statewide to

repair broken roads, schools, water pipes and countless other problems.

But to get the money, the city — and other agencies such as the Sewerage and Water Board, the Regional Transit Authority and Orleans Parish School Board — must fill out worksheets for every construction project.

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Iraqis ransack base after British troops pull out

Associated Press

AMARAH, Iraq — Some of the men were armed; others had their faces covered. They ransacked Camp Abu Naji in southern Iraq, even making off with stuff that was nailed down.

The scores of looters ripped corrugated metal from roofs, hauled off pipes, doors and window frames and loaded trucks with wooden planks.

A day after British troops vacated the base, the Iraqis stripped it Friday of virtually everything removable, an indication of possible future trouble for U.S.-led coalition forces hoping to hand over security gradually to the Iraqi government.

"The British forces left Abu Naji and the locals started looting everything," 1st Lt. Rifaat Taha Yaseen, of the Iraqi Army's 10th Division, told Associated Press Television News. "They took everything from the buildings."

The plundering was likely to embarrass the government of Prime Minister Nouri al-Maliki, who has said that Iraqi army and police plan to take over security for all of Iraq's provinces within the next 18 months.

America's overall strategy calls for the U.S.-led coalition forces to redeploy to larger bases and let Iraqis become responsible for their security in specific regions. The larger bases can act in a support or reserve role. A final stage would involve the drawdown of troops from Iraq.

Camp Abu Naji, 200 miles southeast of Baghdad, had come under almost daily attack when the Britons were in control, an indication of the hostility for foreign troops.

It was first invaded by a handful of Iraqis on Thursday, hours after 1,200 British troops pulled out to redeploy along the border with Iran to crack down on weapons smuggling.

Iraqi police dispersed looters by firing shots into the air, said Dhafar Jabbar, spokesman for the governor of the southern Maysan province, where Amarah is located. But scores of looters returned Friday when the camp was under a small contingent of Iraqi troops.

"There are only a few soldiers at Abu Naji camp. Some of the residents were carrying weapons so they [the soldiers] did not want

bloodshed and with such a big number, they could not stop them," Jabbar said on Friday.

On Thursday, Iraqi authorities complained the British withdrawal had caught them unaware.

"British forces evacuated the military headquarters without coordination with the Iraqi forces," Jabbar said Thursday.

But the British military rejected the assertion, with Maj. Charlie Burbridge saying the hand-over was coordinated with Amarah authorities 24 hours in advance.

"It was understood that the governor was likely to use the camp as a police training camp," he said in an e-mail Thursday, adding that Iraqi forces had secured the base after the British soldiers left.

In the midst of the looting, one man who refused to give his name, said: "This is war loot and we are allowed to take it."

Meanwhile, a prominent hard-line Sunni cleric said Friday he was willing to meet with top Shiite religious leaders to end sectarian violence and help move Iraq out of its internal crisis.

"We are ready to meet anybody



AP Photo

Iraqi looters carry metal pipes from a former British base in Amarah, 200 miles southeast of Baghdad, Iraq, on Friday. Iraqis looted the base in the southern province of Maysan, on Friday, taking everything from doors and window frames to corrugated roofing and metal pipes a day after troops handed the camp over to Iraqi forces, local authorities said.

who is sincere, and desires good things for Iraq and for Iraqis, in particular the supreme religious leadership in Iraq," Harith al-Dhari,

leader of the Association of Muslim Scholars, said on AL-Jazeera television. By supreme religious leader-

ship, al-Dhari was apparently referring to Grand Ayatollah Ali al-Sistani, Iraq's most prominent Shiite cleric.

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DNA IDs missing Austrian girl

Associated Press

VIENNA, Austria — Police said Friday that DNA tests prove a young woman who turned up in a small town outside Vienna this week is the same woman who vanished eight years ago as a 10-year-old while walking to school.

The announcement was made at a news conference called to give new details of the investigation into the disappearance of Natascha Kampusch and her discovery Wednesday in Strasshof, the small town where she said she was held by an abductor.

Relatives had already identified Kampusch, but police had been waiting for the results of DNA tests to remove any doubt.

Natascha's sister told Austrian TV on Thursday that her mother almost had a breakdown when police notified her of the discovery of the young woman. She said her mother always held onto the hope that Natascha would come back one day.

"She always said she was still alive," said the sister, identified as Sabina Sirny.

Kampusch vanished on her way to school March 2, 1998. The man who allegedly abducted her killed himself Wednesday, a few hours after she sought help at a home on the quiet, small-town street where she says she was held.

Police, who confirmed the identity of the alleged kidnapper as Wolfgang Priklopil, a 44-year-old communications technician, said he killed himself by throwing himself in front of a commuter train in Vienna.

Photos released by police of the hiding place in his house where the young woman said she was kept showed a small, cluttered room with narrow concrete stairs leading down to it from an entrance so small it would have to be crawled through. Another photo showed a metal hatch that sealed the windowless, underground room.

Police on Thursday said there

was a bed and a toilet in the cramped space. Images on TV showed a small television in the room, which also had a sink and was littered with piles of books. Police said the woman was occasionally allowed to watch videos.

Investigators released few details as they worked to piece the story together.

But state broadcaster ORF carried remarks Thursday from Erich Zwettler, of the Austrian federal police, saying the young woman escaped from her captor when the door to her hiding place was left open. He said she ran into a nearby garden where she told an elderly woman she had been kidnapped and identified herself as Natascha Kampusch.

Strasshof is a semi-rural community where tidy houses adorned with flower boxes are mostly set close together. Children play freely in the streets and doors are left open. Neighbors said they were shocked by the reports and had seen no signs of anything to raise suspicion.

BRIEFS

Wire reports

Tropical Storm Ernesto forms over southern Caribbean

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico — Tropical Storm Ernesto formed Friday over the Caribbean as it moved toward Jamaica and the Cayman Islands, the U.S. National Hurricane Center said.

Ernesto, which posed no immediate threat to land, could develop next week into the first hurricane of the 2006 Atlantic season, the center said.

The outer edges of the storm were expected to bring rain to Puerto Rico, the Dominican Republic, and Haiti over the next 24 hours.

Aer Lingus flight from New York evacuated

SHANNON, Ireland — An Aer Lingus flight from New York was evacuated during a stop Friday in Ireland following a threat against the aircraft, airport authorities said.

The 239 passengers aboard Aer Lingus flight 112 were evacuated during the scheduled stop at Shannon airport in western Ireland, said an airport official who declined to give her name. She had no details of the reported threat.

Venezuela pledges more oil for China

BEIJING — Hugo Chavez, the anti-U.S. leader of Venezuela, on Friday pledged a major increase in oil shipments to China and said China had agreed to back his country's bid for a seat on the

U.N. Security Council, something the Bush administration opposes.

China didn't publicly confirm its support for Venezuela's U.N. efforts, which will come to a vote in October, and there was skepticism that China had the refining capabilities to handle more heavy Venezuelan crude oil.

But Chavez's spirited assertion during a news conference here that his country intended to bolster China as a counterweight to the United States was in keeping with his consistently anti-American foreign policy pronouncements.

Pakistan refuses to reveal British terror suspects

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan — Two weeks after an alleged plot to blow up U.S.-bound airliners was thwarted in Britain, Pakistani authorities have screwed tight the faucet that had trickled intriguing details from their investigation.

Mystery surrounds the role played by "key suspect" Rashid Rauf, a Briton with dual Pakistani nationality who has family ties to a notorious Pakistani militant. Pakistani authorities allege Rauf communicated between an al-Qaida mastermind in Afghanistan and the plotters in Britain.

Britain has yet to confirm al-Qaida's involvement in the plans to bomb as many as 10 U.S.-bound aircraft. On Wednesday, it released Rauf's brother Tayib without charge. The Home Office in London refused to say Thursday whether it was still seeking Rashid Rauf's extradition.

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Intense storms hit the Plains

Associated Press

NICOLLET, Minn. — Deadly storms swept across the northern Plains, bringing tornadoes that ripped roofs off houses and hail that smashed car windshields.

In Missouri, most of the Jefferson City area lost power for about two hours as the storms continued Friday.

A day earlier, a man died after a tornado hit his home in Minnesota, while in Wisconsin, lightning apparently struck a woman as she left a supermarket. Hundreds of cows were killed or were on the loose.

Twisters, heavy rain and hail as big as grapefruit also struck the Dakotas, stripping trees of their leaves, and power was knocked out around the region.

Also Thursday, a flash flood in New Mexico killed a man and a boy driving on a tribal road in New Mexico.

In Nicollet County, Minn., a tornado ripped roofs, fronts or sides from farm homes along a 12-mile stretch of highway between Nicollet and St. Peter. Utility poles lay along the road, and some treetops were sheared off.

Mary Rahm, 22, saw the tornado dip down twice from the clouds before it hit the ground. That's when she grabbed her newborn baby and ducked under a desk.

"My 5-week-old son just made it through his first tornado," Rahm said. "This is wicked."

A tornado that hit a home in nearby Kasota killed a 90-year-old man, said Tom Douherty, chief deputy in the Le Sueur County Sheriff's Office.

"We have areas that you can't believe a house was there. Crops — you wouldn't even know there was a crop there. Cornfields —

there's nothing left," he said Friday.

Close to two dozen residents were treated at hospitals for broken bones and other non-life-threatening injuries, Le Sueur County spokeswoman Roxy Traxler.

Hundreds of dairy cattle were killed or running free, causing car accidents in the area.

An earlier line of thunderstorms dropped hail as large as softballs in several communities, smashing the windshield of a New Prague fire truck. In Northfield, hail damage to 11 police squad cars forced officers to borrow vehicles from the sheriff's office.

At least a half-dozen tornadoes raked across central South Dakota, destroying farm homes and damaging power lines.

Jeff Miller said the storm looked like a blanket as he watched from his mother's home near Wolsey.

"I was worried about whether I was going to be here today," Miller said Friday, surveying the debris.

"That used to be a barn," he said.

Neighbor Bill Timm lost nine buildings, including two houses.

"They're not flattened, they're gone," said Kristi Brakke, Timm's sister.

North Dakota had heavy rain, funnel clouds, and grapefruit-sized hail.

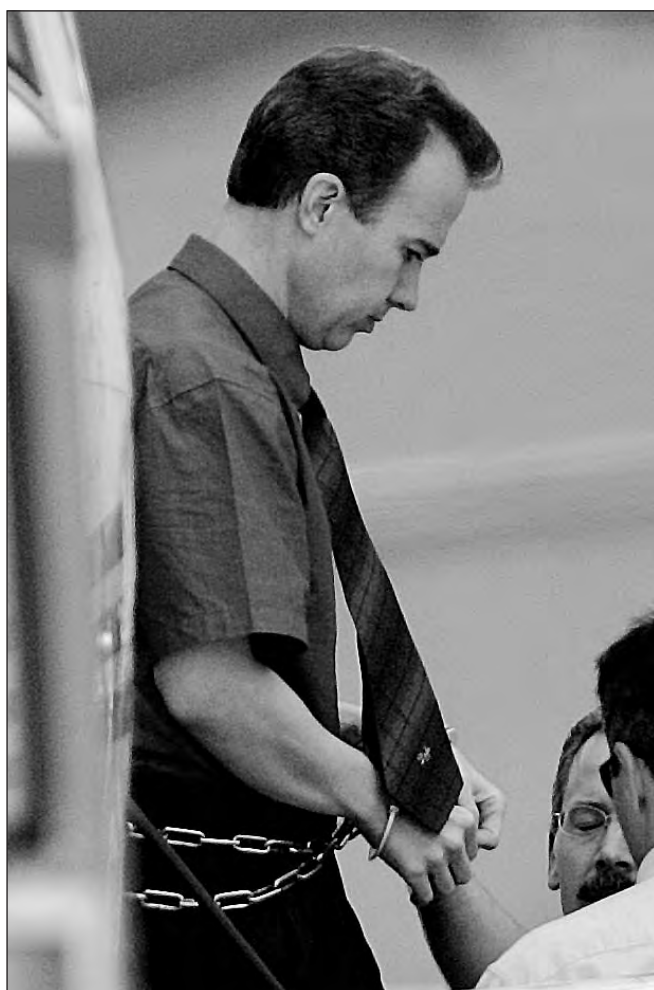
"It didn't really hail all that much, but what it did hail was big," Stanton City Auditor Rick Honeyman said.

In Wisconsin, a 43-year-old woman was knocked to the ground while carrying an umbrella and groceries through a parking lot in Waukesha County.

"I don't remember hearing thunder or seeing lightning or anything," Kelly Owen told WISN-TV in Milwaukee. "It's the weirdest sensation."

Karr scheduled to appear in Colo. court

John Mark Karr is escorted from a plane in Broomfield, Colo., on Thursday. Karr was a school teacher who cryptically claimed to have been present when JonBenet Ramsey was killed in 1996.



AP Photo

JonBenet Ramsey case takes first step

Associated Press

BOULDER, Colo. — A judge set John Mark Karr's first Colorado court appearance in the JonBenet Ramsey case for Monday, and a defense attorney took the unusual step of asking that Karr's handwritten application for a publicly funded lawyer be sealed.

Some commentators have suggested that Karr's handwriting in a school yearbook resembles the writing on a ransom note found in the Ramsey home.

Without referring specifically to this speculation, deputy public defender Seth Temin told the court in a filing Friday that he "is without sufficient knowledge about all the facts of the case to be able to evaluate the prejudice that may be associated with the release of any of the defendant's handwriting."

Formal charges against Karr, 41, were pending. District Judge Roxanne Bailin set his initial court appearance for Monday.

Also Friday, John Mark Karr's brother insisted that Karr did not kill JonBenet. "Absolutely not.

Emphatically. Without a doubt," Nate Karr told ABC's "Good Morning America."

Karr said he was certain his brother spent Christmas 1996, when JonBenet was slain, with his family.

"Well I can say almost without question that from the time that John had children he has never missed a Christmas with his family, and that's any Christmas," said Karr, who appeared on the show with his father, Wexford Karr.

"If he was away from his family during Christmas it would have been a family scandal," Nate Karr said.

The brother said he was uncertain where the family spent the holiday when the 6-year-old child beauty queen was slain in her Boulder home.

"To the best of our recollection, he was either with us in Atlanta or with (his ex-wife) Lara," Nate Karr said. "It's not as easy as you might think to remember 10 years ago."

Addressing his brother, Nate Karr said: "We love you and we support you 100 percent. ... Help's on the way."

Karr spent his first night in an 8-by-10-foot jail cell in Colorado, away from other inmates for his own safety. He was to undergo physical and mental evaluations.

Judge stops flight attendants' strike

Associated Press

NEW YORK — A federal judge blocked Northwest Airlines flight attendants from going on strike Friday, handing a victory to the airline just hours before a planned walk-out that could have devastated the cash-strapped company.

U.S. District Judge Victor Marrero said he will issue an injunction to allow time for him to examine the case.

He said Northwest made a "persuasive case" that a delay in any strike was necessary so that the legal issues could be resolved.

He said that while the injury to flight attendants would be to delay their ability to strike, "far greater injuries exist to Northwest and the public by permitting the strike to commence at this point."

Northwest Airlines Corp., already operating under bankruptcy protection, has said a strike could kill it.

Northwest has about 7,300 active flight attendants.

The workers are angry that the company imposed pay cuts and work rules that the rank-and-file had rejected.

The case is complicated, involving obscure labor law provisions. A key question, however, is: Can airline employees walk off the job after management unilaterally cut their pay and changed their work rules?

The flight attendants had set 10 p.m. Friday as the deadline to begin walkouts.

In preparation, the Association of Flight Attendants said it has held classes to train its members on its "CHAOS" strike strategy, for "create havoc around our system."

The union has said firing those who strike would be illegal.

Northwest has said it has backup plans in case of a walkout, but officials have not said if they have lined up replacement workers.

Judge blocks law banning sale of violent games

Associated Press

BATON ROUGE, La. — A state law that would ban sales of violent video games to minors violates free speech rights and cannot be enforced, a judge ruled.

U.S. District Judge James Brady said the state had no right to bar distribution of materials simply because they show violent behavior. Brady issued an injunction, calling the law an "invasion of First Amendment rights" of producers, retailers and the minors who play the games.

"Depictions of violence are entitled to full constitutional protection," Brady wrote Thursday.

Louisiana is the latest in a string of states, including Minnesota, Illinois, California and Michigan, to have had similar bans blocked in the courts.

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W.Va. records first '06 human West Nile case

Associated Press

CHARLESTON — West Virginia has reported its first human case of the West Nile virus in three years, the Kanawha-Charleston Health Department announced Friday.

The victim is a Kanawha County man over age 50, state Department of Health and Human Resources spokesman John Law said.

Initial investigations of the patient's neighborhood revealed conditions favorable for breeding mosquitoes, the county health department said.

Mosquitoes can catch the virus by feeding on infected birds and then transmit it to people through bites.

Although most people infected with West Nile don't become ill, some may develop a serious infection of the brain or spinal cord tissue.

Symptoms include unexplained fever, headache and seizures. The disease is fatal in up to 10 percent of cases and the death rate is higher for older patients.

Moore says he did his best, has no regrets

He was West Virginia's only three-term governor

Associated Press

WHEELING — Former Gov. Arch Moore says he did his best and has no regrets.

"I wouldn't have changed the direction of my life for public service, even if today some might pause for a second thought. I looked forward to every day," Moore told *The Intelligencer* of Wheeling on Thursday.

"I've never been ... I'm not going to use the word sorry," Moore said. "But there's never been a day I didn't enjoy public service."

The 83-year-old Republican was in Wheeling to sign copies of his biography, "Arch: The Life of Gov. Arch A. Moore Jr.," and to speak at a private breakfast to benefit the West Virginia Republican Party.

"I never ever walked out of the governor's office without holding my head high because I was representing West Virginians and Republicans," Moore told the newspaper.

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He lost his bid for a fourth term to Democrat Gaston Caperton in the 1988 election.

The Glen Dale native, a veteran of World War II, also served as congressman and a member of the House of Delegates in the 1950s. His daughter is Rep. Shelley Moore Capito, R-W.Va.

Moore also is the first sitting governor to be charged with a crime.

He was indicted on extortion charges in 1975 during his second term but was later found not guilty.

However, Moore was indicted again after his third term had ended.

He pleaded guilty in 1990 to felony charges of mail fraud, extortion, tax evasion and obstruction of justice, and served three years of a five-year, 10-month sentence at a federal prison camp.

Moore's guilty plea cost him his law license and he waged an unsuccessful battle to regain it.

He said public service has changed since he was in politics, with costly campaigns and divisive politics now the norm.

"There is so much hatred there," he said about today's Congress. "It is brutal and affects participation in debate. It tears the legislative process apart."

BRIEFS

Associated Press

Ruling: Hungry judge denied doctor due process

BECKLEY — A Beckley osteopath disqualified from participating in workers' compensation will get a new hearing because his defense was cut short by a push to take a dinner break.

Raleigh County Circuit Judge H.L. Kirkpatrick ruled Thursday that administrative law judge Jack McClung denied Dr. Michael Kostenko his right to present a full defense during an April 2005 hearing.

The Workers' Compensation Commission had challenged Kostenko's participation in the benefits program on grounds that he billed the state after a patient died, allowed uncertified workers to administer injections and routinely performed exams unrelated to the work injuries, among other things.

Kostenko denies the charges, and on the day of his hearing, wasn't allowed to call his lone witness, Dr. Grace Ziem of Harvard University.

"It's almost six o'clock," McClung said, according to a transcript of the proceeding. "People haven't eaten. I don't think we can stay here all night."

FBI closes bottle probe after negative test

CHARLESTON — The FBI has closed its investigation of suspicious bottles that prompted the evacuation of an airport terminal after additional tests confirmed they contained only water and a soap product, FBI spokesman Jeff Killeen said.

The terminal at Tri-State Airport in Ceredo was shut down for more than nine hours Aug. 17 after two bottles of liquid found in Rima Qayyum's carry-on luggage initially tested and retested positive for explosives residue.

The 28-year-old resident of Barboursville, who was born in Pakistan, was traveling to Michigan to see her parents. She had purchased a one-way ticket on US Airways for travel to Detroit by way of Charlotte, N.C. She later drove to her parents' home in Jackson, Mich., after she was questioned by authorities.

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FanFest rally Friday kicks off football season

WVU football fans will get geared up for the 2006 season at the annual FanFest pep rally at 5 p.m. Friday, on the Mountainlair Plaza.

FanFest will kick off the season for the nationally ranked Mountaineers as they get ready to take on intrastate rival Marshall University at 3:30 p.m. Sept. 2, at Milan Puskar Stadium.

This year's FanFest will include an appearance by the team and brief remarks from WVU coach Rich Rodriguez as well as some of the players. The Pride of West Virginia, the Mountaineers Marching Band, Mountaineer Mascot Brady Campbell and the WVU cheerleaders will also be there.

Representatives of the National Capital Area Chapter of the WVU Alumni Association will present Campbell with a new rifle, hand-crafted by Morgantown resident Marvin Wotring. The chapter has helped to pay for the rifles used by Mountaineer mascots for the past 20 years.

FanFest participants will be treated to free refreshments, including hot dogs, snow cones, popcorn and Coca-Cola products, and be able to participate in giveaways courtesy of the Mountaineer Maniacs.

FanFest is sponsored by Coca-Cola, WVU's Office of University Advancement and Marketing, Mountaineer Maniacs and the WVU Student Government Association.

Businesses warned: Pay property taxes

Monongalia County Sheriff Joseph Bartolo is issuing a warning to businesses: They could be shut down if they do not pay personal property taxes.

Businesses that fail to pay property taxes face suspension or revocation of their business registration certificate by the state Tax Department, Bartolo said.

A law approved by the Legislature this year requires the Sheriff's Tax Office to notify businesses with delinquent personal property taxes via certified letter by Sept. 15. If taxes have not been paid by Oct. 15, the names of those delinquent will be given to the tax commissioner for further action.

"The goal of this new responsibility for the sheriff's office and the State Tax Department is fair and equitable payment of personal property county taxes, not putting people out of business," Bartolo said.

The sheriff will notify the tax commissioner each week about taxes that have been paid or are no longer delinquent. Business registrations can be suspended or revoked until the taxes are paid. A \$50 charge from the state Tax Department will be necessary to reinstate a suspended or revoked business registration certificate.

The new collection system goes into effect Sept. 1.

3 generations of Snowdons at Sabraton Baptist Church

This Sunday at the Sabraton Baptist Church, pastor Barney Snowdon has the privilege of having his grandson Jonathan Snowdon preaching at the 10:45 a.m. worship service. Jonathan is a missions candidate with the C&MA church, to Senegal. He will spend a year in France doing language study.

Barney Snowdon's son, the Rev. David Snowdon, will also be visiting with his family. He is a chaplain at Friendship Village in Dayton, Ohio, and is a commander in the Navy Reserves. All are welcome to the morning and evening services.

DOH awards contracts for guardrail, bridge work

Contracts for guardrail work and bridge replacement in Monongalia County have been awarded by the state Division of Highways.

Mountaineer Contractors Inc., of Kingwood, was awarded two contracts for guardrail work along I-68. A \$707,000 contract calls for replacement of guardrail from the intersection of I-79 and I-68 to the Sabraton Road exit along I-68. A \$737,000 contract is for cable guardrail from the Cheat Lake interchange to Coopers Rock, also along I-68.

SMH Construction Co. Inc., of Beckley, was awarded a \$135,083.15 contract to replace the single-span concrete Bloody Run Bridge on County 77/1, west of Ridgedale off Grafton Road.



Submitted Photo

Nancy Walker (left), 2007 campaign chair; David Raese, board president; Don Robinson, of Huntington Banks; John Forester, Leadership Giving Association chair; Lary Haines Jr., of Huntington Banks; and

David Lynch, of Pro Performance, were among those attending the United Way of Monongalia and Preston Counties' Leadership Giving Association reception.

Reception honors United Way LGA

The Dominion Post

Members of the United Way of Monongalia and Preston Counties' Leadership Giving Association were recognized at a reception sponsored by Huntington Banks on Thursday, at the newly built Pro Performance Complex at Mylan Park.

Attendees were treated to refreshments and enjoyed entertainment by Bobby Nicholas. Huntington

Banks has sponsored this recognition reception since 1990.

The Leadership Giving Association is an honorary society that recognizes donors supporting the local United Way campaign with an annual personal gift of \$500 or greater. There are 600 current members, giving a total of \$546,000.

During the reception, special donors were inducted into Unit-

ed Way's Colonel's Leadership Council.

This council recognizes donors making a minimum \$1,000 annual gift who have reached a cumulative total of \$10,000.

This year's inductees are Ed and Eleanor Doyle, Bill and Judy Frame, Bob and Beverly Haden, Larry Haines Jr., David Graf and Patricia Harrison, Stephen and Lynn

LaCagnin, James and Beverly Laurita, and John and Jennifer Myers.

United Way kicked off its annual giving campaign Aug. 5, with the Greatest Garage Sale on Earth. This year's campaign goal is \$1,365,000 and the campaign chair is Nancy Walker, of Heiskell, King, Burns and Tallman Surgical Associates and the Monongalia County Board of Education.

Stolen laptop may have drivers' personal data

Associated Press

BALTIMORE — A laptop that might contain personally identifiable information on 193 people who have commercial driver's licenses was stolen in Baltimore this week, transportation officials said Friday.

The Federal Motor Carrier Safe-

ty Administration, part of the Department of Transportation, said the laptop was stolen Tuesday from a government-owned vehicle. The theft was reported to Baltimore police.

FMCSA said the computer might contain names, dates of birth and commercial driver's license num-

bers of 193 people from 40 motor carrier companies. It does not contain financial or medical information, the agency said.

The motor carriers have been notified of the potential security breach the FMCSA said.

The states that issued the commercial driver's licenses are Alaba-

ma, California, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Kentucky, Maryland, North Carolina, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Texas and Virginia and Washington, D.C.

FMCSA urged drivers to contact their employers for more information, or call the agency's hot line: 1-800-832-5660.

DAILY REPORT

Morgantown Police Department

Arrests

JACKSON, Robin L., 34, of Morgantown, driving on a suspended or revoked license, possession of marijuana, possession of cocaine, High Street, Aug. 23; Officer McBee.

RICHARDSON, Zachary H., 21, of Marlinton, warrant for destruction of property, location of arrest unavailable, Aug. 23; Officer Knight.

BELLMAN, Aaron J., 18, of Youngwood, Pa., underage consumption of alcohol, possession of false identification, Prospect Street, Aug. 25; Officer Schmdle.

SHEALEY, William K., 23, of Morgantown, domestic battery, Walnut Street, Aug. 25; Officer Gordey.

JENKINS, John W., 43, of Morgantown, public intoxication, domestic battery, battery, South High Street, Aug. 24; Officer Hasley.

DUI

FEDDE, Mitchell L., 19, of Forest Hill, Md., DUI, High Street, Aug. 25; Officer Dull.

Incidents

GAS DRIVE-OFF, a business on Van Voorhis Road; Aug. 23.

BATTERY, a person was battered on High Street; Aug. 22.

LARCENY, an all-terrain vehicle

was taken from the yard of a Wade Street residence; Aug. 23.

LOST PROPERTY, a wallet was lost at a business on Green Bag Road; Aug. 23.

LARCENY, items were taken from a vehicle on Park Street; Aug. 23.

PETTY LARCENY, a picnic table was taken from the porch of a Morgan Street residence; Aug. 23.

Monongalia County Sheriff's Department

DUI

CONNELLY, James P., 52, of Dellslow, DUI, Prairie Street, Aug. 23; Deputy McRobie.

MADDENS, Jason D., 25, of Sterling, Va., DUI, Interstate 68, Aug. 25; Deputy Burks.

Arrest

FURMAN, Melissa J., 36, of Morgantown, warrant for assault, peace bond, two counts of worthless checks, location of arrest unavailable; Aug. 24; Deputy Burks.

Star City Police Department

DUI

BUCKNER, John P., 35, of Millbury, Ohio, DUI, location of arrest unavailable, Aug. 23; Officer Teets.

West Virginia State Police

Arrests

CHAMBERS, Rebecca A., 29, of Morgantown, domestic battery, Harley Road, Aug. 23; Trooper Carpenter.

LIPPENCOTT, Guy A., 21, of Fairmont, possession of less than 15 grams of a controlled substance, location of arrest unavailable, Aug. 24; Trooper Garrison.

Granville Police Department

Arrest

HUNT, James A., 28, of Granville, driving on a suspended or revoked license, location of arrest unavailable, Aug. 24; Officer Fike.

Monongalia County Magistrate Court

Dispositions

SIMPSON, Randall W., pleaded guilty to DUI, May 6, court fines and costs; \$340.50.

PHILLIPS, Theodore J., charge of petty larceny dismissed; Jan. 18.

WALKER, Corina M., charge of domestic battery dismissed; June 1.

MCDONALD, Robert B., pleaded guilty to battery, May 21, court fines and costs; \$166.50.

BOGGESS, Roy L., pleaded guilty to destruction of property, Aug. 24, 2005, court fines and costs; \$353.50.

GARRISON, Jeremy L., pleaded

no contest to driving on a suspended or revoked license, July 1, court fines and costs;

\$265.50 and six months in jail. **BONGIORNO**, Linda S., pleaded no contest to DUI, Sept. 16, 2005, court fines and costs; \$340.50.

DEUSENBERRY, Joseph G., pleaded guilty to breaking and entering other than a dwelling, Oct. 30, 2005, court fines and costs; \$265.50, \$200 in restitution and six months of unsupervised probation.

HARMON, William N. III, pleaded no contest to domestic battery, June 6, court fines and costs; \$165.50 and unsupervised probation for one year.

MORRIS, Bradley R., pleaded no contest to DUI, May 21, court fines and costs; \$401.91.

GOOD, Evan W. IV, pleaded no contest to domestic battery, May 28, court fines and costs; \$326.91 and six months of unsupervised probation.

Morgantown Fire Department

Incidents

REFUSE/TRASH FIRE, 336 Beverly Ave., trash-bin fire, fire destroyed fence surrounding the trash bin, Aug. 24.

MALICIOUS FALSE ALARM, 571 N. Spruce St., someone pulled the alarm, no fire, Aug. 24.

REFUSE/TRASH FIRE, 109 Wilson Ave., MHS, cardboard burning in parking lot, Aug. 25.

TODAY

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS: 7 p.m., St. John's University Catholic Parish (Potters Cellar), 1481 University Ave., Morgantown; 7 p.m., Manchin Health Care Center, Education Center, 401 Guffey St., Fairmont.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: 10 a.m., meeting, O, D, M, 8 p.m. 715, O, S, and 10 p.m., New Vision Group, O, D, 17 Club, 502 White Ave., Morgantown; noon, New Way of Life Women's Group, C, D, W, NS, wheelchair accessible, Potters Cellar, Newman Hall, 1481 University Ave., Morgantown; 6

p.m., Go To Any Lengths, C, D, Westover Park log cabin; 6:30 p.m., Green Street, C, D, NS, Jones Methodist Church, 333 Green St., Morgantown. Info: 291-7918 or aawv.org.

RCA (RECOVERING COUPLES ANONYMOUS): 12-step fellowship for partners in a primary relationship committed to restoring intimacy in their coupleship through more effective communication and healthier conflict-resolution. Info: The Connecting Link: 296-3300, or http://recovering-couples.org/

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

CHAMBERS, Jason Rodney, and Kelly Christine MUSICK, Granville, Aug. 16.

DEAN, Ronald Jason, and Mison Pak BEONDY, Morgantown, Aug. 16.

KING, Richard K., and Katrina S. ADAMS, Morgantown, Aug. 17.

JEFFERIES, Bradley A., and Miranda L. EL-GHARIB, Morgantown, Aug. 17.

EDDY, Jason P., and Daphne L. Mitchell, Mount Morris, Pa., Aug. 17.

MURRAY, Rodney Keith, Laplata, Md., and Erica Michelle McELROY, Waldorf, Md., Aug. 18.

DANKO, Brian Keith, Morgantown, and Erin Mikel SHIEL, Star City, Aug. 18.

WHITEHAIR, Jarrod Dale, and Malissa May TATE, Fairview, Aug. 21.

FIKE, Kenneth Lloyd, and April Lin McDONALD, Morgantown, Aug. 21.

HOOVER, Keith Ryan, and Holly Jeanine TEMPLIN, Morgantown, Aug. 22.

SALOSKY, Jeffrey John, and Beth Ann TUTTLE, Dilliner, Aug. 22.

SANDERS, James Robert, and Jennifer Nicole GROVES, Morgantown, Aug. 23.

BRIEFS

The Dominion Post

United Way seeks volunteers to help upgrade houses

The United Way of Monongalia and Preston Counties is gearing up to be a part of Make a Difference Day, a national celebration of neighbors helping neighbors held the fourth Saturday of every October — Oct. 28 this year.

The United Way Volunteer Action Center and the WVU Center for Civic Engagement are teaming with member agencies Rock Forge Neighborhood House, Scott's Run Settlement House and Christian Help to select 15 local homeowners whose houses need winter weatherization.

Volunteers are needed to be team leaders that day. So is anyone interested in helping with the project. Team leaders will be asked to attend project training Oct. 18 at either 10 a.m. or 7 p.m., at Lowe's in the Glenmark Center.

Info, or to volunteer: Diane Kisinger, 296-7525.

Taylor WIC office plans open house

The Taylor County Women, Infants and Children (WIC) office, in celebration of World Breastfeeding Month, is hosting an open house from 2-4 p.m. Monday, at 101 Beech St., Grafton.

Food will be provided and prizes awarded through business donations. All breastfeeding mothers and their children participating in WIC are invited.

The Monongalia County Health Department manages the WIC Program in Monongalia, Marion, Harrison, Preston, Taylor, and Doddridge counties.

WIC was established in 1972 as a supplemental nutrition program for pregnant, breastfeeding and postpartum women, infants and children in low- to moderate-income families. The goal of WIC is to improve the health of participants by providing nutrition education and counseling, breastfeeding education, nutritious foods and referrals to other health and social service agencies.

WIC encourages breastfeeding, provides food vouchers and offers nutrition education and counseling as well as referrals to other health and social service agencies. Children participating in the Monongalia County Health Department WIC Program are also eligible to receive free immunizations at the WIC clinics through a special immunization program called WIC-ICE (Women, Infants and Children Immunization Coordination Effort). Info: monchd.org or contact Shelley C. Martin, Monongalia County Health Department, 598-5100.

Gamblers Anonymous open meeting today

Gamblers Anonymous will hold a special open meeting at 6 p.m. today, at Scott's Run Settlement House, 41 Ladybug Drive, Osage. Info: 599-5020.

Slide repair to close U.S. 50/11 in Preston

The West Virginia Division of Highways will close U.S. 50/11 in Preston County from 7:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday through Sept. 8 at Red Rock Road to correct a slide. The closure will be 0.9 miles south of U.S. 50.

Alternate routes include W.Va. 72/3, W.Va. 72, and U.S. 50.

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ALBRIGHT BAPTIST CHURCH. Wall Street, Albright, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday service and 7 p.m. youth; the fifth Sunday is Sunday school only; the Rev. Joe Lamm, 329-0461, 329-1935, abchurchwv.tripod.com.

ALBRIGHT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. Albright, W.Va., 26519 Route 7/12; 9:30 a.m., Sunday school; 8:30 a.m., the first and third Sunday, worship service; pastor Judith Stump, 329-2408.

ALLEGHENY WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH. W.Va. 2, Box 313, Albright, Woolen Mill Road, off W.Va. 26 North, Albright, 10 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. worship, 6 p.m. evening worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday Bible study and prayer; the Rev. Winfield S. Mayle, 379-4672.

AMBASSADORS FOR CHRIST FELLOWSHIP. W.Va. 26, Tunnelton, Denver community, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship, 7 p.m. Sunday school; 6 p.m. every Sunday, Kidz For Christ; 7 p.m. Wednesday, Bible study; pastor Doug Rosier, 568-2444.

APOSTOLIC GOSPEL CHURCH. 51 Birch Hollow Road, Cheat Lake, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday services; 7 p.m. Wednesday; the Rev. Wheeler A. Estep, 594-0540.

ARNETTSTOWN CHURCH OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. Mon Valley District. Arnettstown, worship, 11 a.m. first and third Sundays, 10 a.m. Sunday school; Laurel Point, worship, weekly, 9:30 a.m. first and third Sundays, the Rev. Sandra Firth, 9:30 a.m. second and fourth Sundays, lay speaker, Sunday school 10:30 a.m., men's Bible study 7 p.m. Tuesday; Lynch Chapel, worship, 10 a.m. second and fourth Sundays, Sunday school 9:15 a.m., children and youth Sunday, 5 p.m.; Snider Temple, worship 11:15 a.m. second and fourth Sundays; Sunday school 10:15 a.m. weekly.

ASSUMPTION GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH. 447 Spruce St., Morgantown; Sunday Morning Services summer hours: 9 a.m. Orthros; 10 a.m., Divine Liturgy; catechism school follows Divine Liturgy; 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Bible study; 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Orthodoxy 101 class; Father Emmanuel Lillios, 292-9048.

AURORA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. U.S. 50, Aurora, Preston County, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school and 11 a.m. worship service; Info: 735-3402.

AVERY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. 1014 Cheat Road, Morgantown, 8:30 and 11 a.m. morning worship; 9:45 a.m. Sunday school; 7 p.m. Tuesday, Bible study; 6 p.m. second and fourth Sunday; nursery is available; wheelchair accessible; the Rev. Richard Work, 594-3486.

BAHA'I FAITH. Morgantown, info on Morgantown devotional meetings, informal fireside discussions and children's classes. Info: 292-4950 or bci.org/morgantownbahai.

BEREAN SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH. 16 Marvin Gardens Complex, Green Bag Road, Morgantown; 9:30 a.m. Sunday

school for all ages, 11 a.m. Sunday worship; 6 p.m. Tuesday youth night; 7 p.m. Thursday, Bible study; the Rev. G. Lindell Smith, 291-5062.

BETH HAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH. Monongalia County 857 South to Tyrone Road, then left on Lower Rockley Road, church is 1/10 mile on left; 9:30 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship, 7 p.m. Sunday; 6 p.m. Wednesday prayer meeting; 6:45 p.m. Bible study. Info: 594-0789 or bethhaven.truepath.com.

BETHLEHEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. Dogtown Road (between W.Va. 92 at Brown's Mill and W.Va. 7 at Manown; 9:45 a.m. Sunday worship service; 11 a.m. Sunday school; 6:15 p.m. Thursdays, choir; 6:30 p.m. youth; 7 p.m. Bible study (except for the first Thursday, which is the board meeting); the Rev. Joyce Dye, 864-3058.

BEULAH FREE METHODIST CHURCH. 688 Beulah Road, Morgantown, WV 26508; 9:30 a.m. Sunday school; 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship; 5:30 p.m. worship; 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Bible study; Info: pastor Candace Sturgill, parsonage, 296-3331 or cell, 680-3137.

BIRDS CREEK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. 10 a.m. Sunday worship; 11 a.m., Sunday school; 7 p.m. evening service, the first Sunday of the month; 6 p.m. Wednesday, Bible study and youth group. pastor Bruce Miller.

BLACKSVILLE CHARGE UNITED METHODIST. 11 a.m. worship, Olive Church, worship 9:45 a.m.; Blacksville, second and fourth Sundays; 11 a.m. worship; Miracle Run, 9:45 a.m. worship; Wana, first and third Sundays; 9:45 a.m. Sunday school at Olive Church every Sunday; the Rev. Dave Lancaster, 879-5992.

BLACKSVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH. 10 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday, Bible study.

BOOTH-UNION UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. 9 a.m. Sunday worship; 10 a.m. Sunday school, eight miles from Westover Bridge on River Road; the Rev. Larry Peters.

BROOKHAVEN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. 219 Brookhaven Road, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school, 10:45 a.m. worship service; 7 p.m. Monday, Boy Scouts (Troop 48); 7 p.m. Tuesday, adult Bible study; 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, weight loss Bible study; 7 p.m. Thursday, prayer shawl knitting ministry; pastor Lois Sandy, 296-7639.

BRUCETON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. 9:45 a.m. Sunday school with classes for all ages; 11 a.m. Worship, with the Rev. Vicki Sheppard.

BURNS CHAPEL UMC CHURCH. Summers School Road, 10 a.m. Sunday worship; 11 a.m. Sunday school; 7 p.m. Sunday night service; the Rev. Rick Stackpole.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH. Southern Baptist, 519 Burroughs St., Morgantown, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. Sunday worship and children's church; 6 p.m. Sunday; 7 p.m. Wednesday.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH. W.Va. 7, Reedsville, W.Va., 10 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. Sunday worship, 6 p.m. evening worship and 7 p.m. Wednesday prayer and Bible study, Calvary Crusaders (youth program for children 3 years-sixth grade) and Teen-Time, 6 p.m. Sundays; pastor Terry K. Hagedorn, 864-

3870, t.k.hagedorn@frontiernet.net and cbccwv.us.

CALVARY CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP. 1380 Cheat Road, Morgantown, WV 26508, 10:30 a.m. Sunday and children's services; pastor Shawn Frasher; Info: 594-4113.

CANYON COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Canyon Road, 11 a.m. Sunday worship, with social hour following; Christina Baran, organist; the Rev. James Riggs.

CENTENARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. Preston County; 10 a.m. Sunday school, every Sunday; 11 a.m. worship, second and fourth Sundays; 7 p.m. Thursdays, Bible study.

CENTRAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. Fairmont Avenue and Third Street, Fairmont; 8:30 a.m. Sunday school; 10:45 a.m., worship service; programs for all ages, including after-school, summer, men's, women's, youth, quilting, Bible study, music and others; UM Youth Fellowship meets Sunday evenings; UM Men meeting varies; Young at Heart meets first Thursday; the Rev. D.E. Meighen, 366-3351 or cumcwv.org.

CHEAT LAKE COMMUNITY CHURCH. intersection of Tyrone and Tyrone-Avery roads, 10:30 a.m. morning service, non-denominational. Info: pastor John Sommers, 594-3710.

CHEAT LAKE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. 750 Fairchance Road, 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. worship; everyone is welcome; pastor Julia Morrison.

CHESTNUT RIDGE CHURCH. 315 Point Marion Road; five services, one experience. Practical, Bible-based teaching and dynamic music in a friendly atmosphere; 6:30 p.m. Saturdays; Sundays with full children's pr, 9:15 a.m.; 11 a.m.; 12:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Nursery available Saturday nights; full children's programs Sundays at 9:15 a.m., 11 a.m., and 6:30 p.m. Info: 296.9730. chestnutridgechurch.com.

CHESTNUT RIDGE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. 10 a.m., Sunday school; 11:15 a.m., worship service, second and fourth Sunday of the month (first and third Sunday at Shays Chapel); 7 p.m., evening service, second Sunday of the month with pastor Bruce Miller; 7 p.m., Thursday Bible study, rotating with Shays Chapel UMC.

CHRIST COMMUNITY CHURCH. Presbyterian Church in America, meet in the Seventh Day Adventist Church, 9 Oakwood Road, Fairmont; 10:45 a.m. worship service at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, "Lord, I want to Know You as The Lord who is present with me."; pastor, Dr. Robert Wildeman. Info: 368-9497 or 363-0630.

CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE CHURCH. 308 Elmhurst, Patteson Drive, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school for all ages; 10:30 a.m. morning worship and children's church, (ages 3 through fourth grade); 6 p.m. evening praise; 6 p.m. Sunday AYF; College Church; Alliance Bible study center resumes Monday; WISH (Women's Ideas, Study and Hospitality) resumes Sept. 5; GO Group resumes Sept. 6; 6:45 p.m., Wednesday, adult prayer and Bible study, sanctuary; Pioneer Girls and Boys Brigade will resume Sept. 6; choir resumes Wednesday; 6:30 p.m. Thursday, junior and senior high praise and Bible study, Youth Room; Spanish Bible study will resume at a later date; child care, infant through 2 years — for Sunday services only during summer months. Info: 599-4549.

CHRISTIAN EVANGELICAL CHURCH. W.Va. 92, five miles north of Newburg at Birds Creek, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 10:45 a.m. worship; 7 p.m. Sunday service; 7 p.m. Wednesday, Bible study, youth fellowship; pastor Sonny McNear, 864-5190 or 864-6063.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY AND READING ROOM. 210 High St., 11 a.m. church services and Sunday school; Reading Room open 1-2 p.m. Monday and Wednesday; 11:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m. Thursday; 9:30-11:30 a.m. Tuesday; Info: 296-2954.

CHRIST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. Main Street, Rowlesburg, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school and 11 a.m. Sunday worship; the Rev. Roy Mick, 454-2442.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS. W.Va. 7 Masontown, Sunday services, 9:30 a.m. Sacrament meeting, 10:40 a.m. Sunday school, (adult and youth), 11:40 a.m., Priest-

hood/Relief Society meeting, 10:40 a.m.-12:30 p.m. primary (18 months-11 years old).

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. U.S. 119 South, Grafton Road, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school (all ages); 11 a.m. worship; pastor Meredith Guder-Raines, 291-0386.

CORINTH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. W.Va. 7, Corinth, 9 a.m. Sunday worship, 10 a.m. Sunday school; men's, women's and youth group meetings monthly.

CORNERSTONE COMMUNITY CHURCH. meeting at Lobb Funeral Home, Reedsville, Sunday services, 8 a.m. and 11 a.m., worship services; 9:30 a.m. Sunday school adults, youth and children; Dr. David Spence, 864-3313.

CORNERSTONE CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE CHURCH. Exit 10 on I-68, less than a mile on Monongalia County 857, 338 Fairchance Road, 10 a.m. worship with nursery provided and children's church; 7 p.m. Wednesday night adult, youth, children and preschool; Wayne Swisher, 594-2534 or cornerstone@cornerstonecema.com.

COVENANT EVANGELICAL METHODIST CHURCH. 802 Green Bag Road, 9 a.m. Sunday school; 10 a.m. worship; second and fourth Sundays, Care Circles, various locations and times; 6:30 p.m. Wednesday service. Info: 292-6050.

CRUSADE FOR JESUS APOSTOLIC CHURCH. U.S. 119 North, 1.6 miles from the Foodland in Point Marion, Pa., 10 a.m. Sunday school; 7 p.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Friday; pastor Lee Roy Edgell, (724) 725-1463 or 599-4623.

CUZZART WESLEYAN CHURCH. celebrating its 51 years of ministry, family of faith, between Centenary and Cuzzart, 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday, Bible study and prayer; pastor Larry Lafferty, 379-6773.

DENVER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. U.S. 26, Denver, Preston County, 10 a.m. Sunday worship, 11 a.m. Sunday school; 7 p.m. Wednesday, prayer meeting, Bible study.

EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH. Gladesville, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school; 10:30 a.m. worship service; 6:30 p.m. Sunday evening worship; 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, choir practice and 7:30 p.m. Bible study; pastor Ron Ford.

EDEN MOUNT UNION UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. Eden United Methodist; 10 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m. worship service; 11 a.m. worship, Mount Union UMC; everyone welcome. Info: pastor Wanda Brosky, 599-5245.

FAITH CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP. 3855 Grafton Road, Morgantown, 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship, children's ministry during services; 7 p.m. Wednesday; pastor David Chedester, 291-0754.

FAIRVIEW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. U.S. 119, 1/2 mile south of intersection with I-68, 9 a.m. worship; 9:45 a.m. Sunday school; pastor Meredith Guder-Raines, 291-0386.

FAITH REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. 1815 Sunnyview Lane, Fairmont (Pleasant Valley Road Exit); 9:30 a.m. Sunday school, children all ages and adult class; 10:45 a.m. worship service, and special music; 6 p.m. evening worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday, mid-week service; 7:30 p.m. Thursday, college and career fellowship, at the pastor's home, studying C.S. Lewis' book, "Mere Christianity"; directions: Pleasant Valley Road exit 135 off I-79, South left at stop sign, right on Pleasant Valley Road, left on Betty Ann Street; I-79 North exit 133, to 84 South Pleasant Valley road, right on Betty Ann Street; wheelchair accessible and air-conditioned; pastor Doyle Allen, graduate of Covenant Theological Seminary, St. Louis, Mo.; college students welcome. Info: Church, 367-1198.

FAITH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. 322 Fairmont Ave., Fairmont; 8:45 a.m. traditional worship and 10:30 a.m. contemporary services, "Identity Theft: Robbed by Relationships" I Peter 3:8-18; 9:35 a.m., Adult Sunday school; 9:30-11 a.m. the children will visit Wishing Well between. There will be no regular children's programming this Sunday; 7 p.m., a snack supper; EPIC, a third and alternative service, will resume Sept. 10 with a 6:30 p.m. supper and 7 p.m. worship; 6 p.m., Wednesdays, small groups and a free snack supper followed by children's choir, crafts, games, and snacks. child care is available for all regular program-

ming; pastors Roger Waybright, Peggy Petrich, and Clyde Beard; Info: 366-4072, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday.

FALLEN TIMBERS COMMUNITY CHAPEL. Fallen Timbers Road, Point Marion, Pa., 9:45 a.m. Sunday school; 10:45 a.m. praise and worship service; 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Bible study; 7 p.m. Wednesday, Kids In Christ Youth Group; pastor R. Scott Teets. Info: (724) 725-1749; fallentimberscommunitychapel.org.

FELLOWSVILLE ASSEMBLY OF GOD. 10 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m. church service; 6 p.m. worship service; 6-8 p.m. Sunday, teen youth group, (ages 13-19); 7-8 p.m. Wednesday, junior youth group (ages 5-12); pastor William Davis.

FIRST APOSTOLIC CHURCH. 1439 Sabra-ton Ave., 10 a.m. Sunday school, 7 p.m. Sunday; Wednesday, youth and Bible study; the Rev. Alfred Reed, 296-6702.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DUNKARD. 106 Plant Road, Dilliner, Pa., 9:45 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday, prayer and Bible study; pastor Gary Imes, 654-2502.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF MASON-TOWN. 10 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. worship; 6:30 p.m. Wednesday choir practice, 7:30 p.m. Bible study or business meeting; pastor Bill Winston, 864-5788 or 276-0461.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF MORGANTOWN. 432 High St., 9:45 a.m. Sunday school classes for all ages; 11 a.m. worship; church office hours weekly, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Monday-Friday; pastors, Jay Teodoro and BCM leader Tim Gray; Info: 292-3323, fbc1@adelphia.net or fbcmorganatown.com.

FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE. 775 Garrison Ave, corner of Oak and Garrison; 9:45 a.m. Sunday school (all ages, four adult classes to choose from); 10:45 a.m. morning worship (blended traditional/contemporary); 6 p.m. Sunday, worship, teen Bible quizzing (Sept.-May), and children's Caravan (scouting program for age 3-12); every second Sunday evening is missionary emphasis and every fourth Sunday, 8:30 a.m., prayer team ministry; 7 p.m. Wednesday, adult Bible study, youth group, and SWAT (children's ministry); 7 p.m. every second Tuesday of the month is Women's Fellowship; every fourth Monday of the month is Men's Fellowship; 8 p.m. every other Friday is fifth quarter for teens; Info: church office, 296-7830; pastor Daniel R. Simco; morgantownnazarene.org.

FIRST CHRISTIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH. Tunnelton near the post office; 10 a.m. Sunday school; 6 p.m. worship; 7 p.m. Thursday; the Rev. Ray Frankhouser, 329-3040.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, DISCIPLES OF CHRIST. 100 Cobun Ave., near Morgantown High; 10 a.m. worship, child care provided for infants and toddlers; 6 p.m. Tuesday, Boy Scouts; handicapped accessible; the Rev. Rick Howard, 296-5500, morgantowndisciples.org.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. 456 Spruce St., 10:45 a.m. worship service led by the Rev. Shelly Barrick Parsons, Presbyterian Campus Pastor; 9:30 a.m. Summer Church School continues with Adult Church School, Susan McGhee in Room 3 of Westminster Hall, a one-session class on intercessory prayer; Children's Church School will meet with LouAnn Mohrman, downstairs in room 7, where they will learn the story of David and Abigail; 7 p.m. this Sunday, welcome students back to WVU at an ice-cream social at the Forest Avenue entrance of the church, (co-sponsored by the WVU Campus Ministry Committee and deacons of First Presbyterian Church); all are welcome to a free pancake breakfast from 8-9:30 a.m. Info: 296-8236.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF KINGWOOD. 104 E. High St., Kingwood, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. worship, nursery and children's sermon. Info: 329-1024.

FORKS-OF-CHEAT BAPTIST CHURCH. at Stewartstown, 10 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. worship; pastor Charles Bowers. Info: 599-1937.

FRESH FIRE. "Home of Power House of Deliverance Ministries" 110 Monongahela Ave., Westover, 9:30 a.m. Christian Education; 11 a.m. morning worship; 6 p.m., first and third Sunday Soul Food; 7 p.m., Tuesday, Prayer; 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Bible study; 292-4139.

GATEWAY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. 301 Diamond St., corner of Market and Diamond St., behind Rider Pharmacy in East Fairmont; 9:30 a.m. Sunday morning worship; 10:30 a.m. Sunday school for all ages, children are always welcome and nursery services are provided; handicap access in rear of facility from Market St. and from Bridge St.; 4-5:15 p.m. Tuesdays, Kids Rock after-school program, ages kindergarten through sixth grade; 6 p.m. Sunday family meal, followed by Hope Study Group, 7 p.m., led by Rev. Steve Meadows; 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Bible study, in Lounge, led by Mary Dean; the Rev. M. Steven Meadows, pastor; Gregory Lauer, director of music; Info: 363-7647 or e-mail to gatewayumc@verizon.net; gatewayumc@verizon.net; Office hours: 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Monday-Friday.

GLEN OAKS CHURCH OF CHRIST. Green Bag Road, Morgantown, W.Va. 896 near the Morgantown Mall, back in their building; 9:30 a.m. Bible Study; 10:45 a.m. Worship; 6 p.m. evening worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday Bible study. Info: 296-1326.

GOOD COUNSEL FRIARY. 493 Tyrone Road, 7:30 p.m., Light of Life prayer and praise service, video teaching on the first Tuesday of each month, Light of Life service every Tuesday. Info: 594-1714.

GOSHEN BAPTIST CHURCH. Goshen Road, Morgantown; 8:15-9:15 a.m. early worship; 9:30-10:15 a.m. Sunday school; 10:30-11:45 a.m. worship; 7-8 p.m. Wednesday, Bible study; pastor Dan Meadows, 291-0711.

GOSPEL LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH. Park View Road, Grafton; 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday; new pastor, Don Cogar. Info: (724) 852-2375.

GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH. Bruceton Mills, Brandonville Pike, 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Sunday service; 7 p.m. Wednesday, Bible study.

GRACE BIBLE CHURCH. Mellon Chapel, corner of Beulah Road and Breakiron Road on Pixler Hill above Dellslow.; 10 a.m. Sunday school, classes for all ages; 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. worship service; nursery provided; youth group; choir; pastor Joe Peters. Info: 291-8185.

GRAFTON ROAD CHURCH OF GOD. located next to O.J. White Transfer, 9 a.m. fellowship, coffee and doughnuts; 9:30 a.m. Sunday school (all ages); 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship; 6 p.m. Sunday worship and youth group; nursery provided for all services; 6:30 p.m. second Tuesday of each month, Women of the Church of God (WCG), Diana McGilton, 864-1035; Men of the Church of God (MCG), Terry Gatian, 864-7836; pastor Lee Green, 296-0928 or Associate pastor Brad Zolads, 291-2723, Director of Youth Christina Tennant, 291-2230.

GRANVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. Frum Street, next to the old Granville Elementary School; 10 a.m. Sunday worship; 10:30 a.m. children's Sunday school; Graftonville United Methodist Church with pastor Larry Peters welcomes you. All are welcome; our doors are always open.

GREATER LOVE FAMILY OUTREACH MINISTRIES. 3028 Grand Central Business Station Drive, ninth floor, lower building, off University Avenue, 11 a.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m., Wednesday, Prayer; pastor Julius Lewis, 594-9328.

HALLECK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. Halleck Road, 9:30 a.m. worship; 10:30 a.m. Sunday school; pastor Stephanie Bennett, 282-7693.

HARNER CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. corner of Dorsey Avenue and Luckey Lane, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. Sunday worship; Bible study 7 p.m. Wednesdays; the Rev. Rick Stackpole, 296-2351.

HARVEST HOUSE MINISTRIES. W.Va. 26 South of Kingwood, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday worship services; 10 a.m. Sunday school for all ages; 7 p.m. Wednesday night Bible study; pastor Terry Will, 892-4617.

HIGHLAND PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. corner of Morgan Street and Ridgely Road, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship; pastor Christopher Guder-Raines.

HILLTOP CHURCH OF GOD. 7:30 p.m. Sunday services; located at W.Va. Hill-top Village, Lot 2 Madsville; the Rev. Eldon B. Mayle, Assistant pastor Shelby Demidovich, motivational speaker Susan Stull; singers are welcome. Info: 599-4537.

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HOLY TRINITY SERBIAN ORTHODOX MISSION, 408 Morgantown Ave., Fairmont; the Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 9:30 a.m. Saturday and is held at least twice monthly. The Mission has a chapel and small social area. It is the only Serbian Orthodox Church physically located in West Virginia. A common meal is shared following each Divine Liturgy. A bulletin is mailed to interested individuals within and outside of West Virginia. Inquiries and visitors are always welcome; Saturday is a Memorial Saturday, and prayers will be offered for believers who departed this life; Father Rodney Torbic (724) 966-7428; Info: 534-5321.

HOPE APOSTOLIC CHURCH, Hornbeck Road off U.S. 119 South. Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Sunday evening worship service, 6 p.m.; youth service and Bible study, 7 p.m. Wednesday; pastors Allen and Joseph Donham; Info: 278-5000.

HOPEWELL CHURCH, U.S. 73, Bruceton Mills, Hopewell Union (Methodist-Baptist) Church Services: First and third Sundays, 10 a.m., worship services with the Rev. Vicki Sheppard; Sunday school 11-11:45 a.m., second and fourth Sundays worship services with the Rev. Joe Lamm; Sunday school 11-11:45 a.m., fifth Sundays with Sunday school only, 10 a.m. All are welcome.

HOWESVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 9 a.m. Sunday worship, 10 a.m. Sunday school, 7 p.m. Sunday service; 7:30 p.m., Wednesday Bible study; pastor Bruce Miller.

INDEPENDENCE BAPTIST CHURCH, 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. worship service.

IRONA FULL GOSPEL ASSEMBLY CHURCH, W.Va. 26, three miles south of Kingwood; 10 a.m. Sunday school; 6:30 p.m. worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday Bible study.

ISLAMIC CENTER OF MORGANTOWN, 434 Harding Ave.; in addition to daily prayers, the Islamic center hosts presentations on the basics of the Islamic faith the first and third Sunday of every month; Info: 598-0512 or wmuuslims@yahoo.com.

JESUS MISSION CHURCH, Scotts Run Road, Main Street, Osage, W.Va., 10 a.m. Sunday school; 7 p.m. worship service; 7 p.m. Wednesday, worship; 7 p.m. Friday, Bible study; pastor Gwendolyn McKinley, 292-3031 or church, 599-7778.

JEWEL CITY CHURCH, Shinnston; morning praise and worship service, 10:30 a.m. Sunday for all youth 13-18; the senior youth ministry, The Rock, will host the services, youth pastors Ryan Lantz or Erik Husted, 592-5755; Sunday morning worship, 8 a.m. on UPN television and 8:30 a.m. every Friday on Fox 46, WVFX and WDTV/JPN 6, 8 a.m. Sunday; pastor Robert L. Shingleton.

JOHNSON CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, W.Va. 73 south, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. worship; pastor Stephanie Bennett, 292-2997.

JONES UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 333 Green St., 9:15 a.m. Sunday school; 10 a.m. Sunday worship; pastor Jeremiah Jasper, 291-5139/parsonage, 367-0962.

KANES CREEK/MOUNT VERNON UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES, five miles out of Kingwood, off W.Va. 7, at the bottom of Kaness Creek Hill; 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship, 10:45 a.m. Sunday school; Mount Vernon Church, two miles west of Reedsville on Kingwood Pike, 10 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. worship; 7 p.m. Bible study, churches alternate between Kaness Creek, (January, February, March, July, August and September) and Mount Vernon, (April, May, June, October, November and December).

KINGDOM EVANGELICAL METHODIST CHURCH, 540 Fairmont Road, Westover, WV 26501; 8:45 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. Sunday worship; Info: senior pastor, Kevin B. Cain and minister of pastoral care, Matthew D. Chapel, 292-3168 or KEMCoffice@aol.com.

KINGWOOD APOSTOLIC CHURCH, 10 a.m. Sunday school; 7 p.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday, adult Bible study and youth services; the Rev. Bernard E. Gillespie, 329-2636 or 329-0428.

KINGWOOD ASSEMBLY OF GOD, W.Va. 7 West, Kingwood, 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. worship service; 7 p.m. Wednesday, worship and youth group; pastor Anthony Judy.

KINGWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH, 201 Jackson St., Kingwood; 9:15 a.m. Sunday school; 10:30 a.m. worship; 6 p.m. Sunday night Bible study; an active Sunday school program along with children's church, for all ages. All children are welcome and encouraged to attend; the Rev. Mark Newland, all are welcome, 329-0664.

KINGWOOD CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, W.Va. 7 West, 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship, 6 p.m. Sunday service; 7 p.m. Wednesday service, nursery provided; classes for ages 3-12; The Unquenchable Flame, teen services; pastor Derek Syruws, 329-6002.

KINGWOOD CHURCH OF CHRIST, 140 Elkins Ave., corner of Elkins and Williams avenues in Kingwood; 10 a.m., 1:30 p.m. Sundays; 11 a.m. Sunday Bible study; 7 p.m. Wednesdays. Nondenominational, features open Bible study, Bible classes for all ages and a cappella gospel singing; Info: 329-4111, Duane Salisbury, evangelist.

KINGWOOD CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, 125 Wellesley St., 9:45 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. Sunday worship; and 6 p.m. Sunday; Caravan Scouting program 7 p.m. Wednesday, for children 3-12, small group time for teens and adult Bible study and prayer meeting; 329-0863; members.cleanweb.net/kingwoodnaz.

KINGWOOD FREE METHODIST CHURCH, Beverly Street, 6-7 p.m. Sunday, CLC, Bible stories, games, songs and snacks. Children welcome.

KINGWOOD SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH, Route 1, Box 1481, Kingwood, on W.Va. 7 West across from WFSF Radio Station, two miles outside of Kingwood; 9:45 a.m. Sunday school for all ages; 11 a.m. worship; 6 p.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday, prayer meeting; Info: pastor/teacher, Andrew Smith, 329-2316.

KINGWOOD WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 107 W. High St., Kingwood, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school; 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. worship; pastor Paul Mateer, 329-0707.

LAUREL MOUNTAIN BAPTIST CHURCH, one mile north of the Mason-Dixon line on W.Va. 381; 9:30 a.m., Sunday school; 10:30 a.m., worship; pastor, Dr. Michael George; (724) 329-4707 or laurelmtnbaptist.org

THE LIGHTHOUSE CATHEDRAL, Kingwood Pike, 10 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m. worship, 6:30 p.m. Sunday prayer; 7 p.m. evening services; 7 p.m. Wednesday, Bible study; the Rev. Jon Henry, 864-3539.

LIVING BY FAITH CHURCH, 2nd St., Brookhaven; 9:30 a.m., Sunday morning worship service; 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Bible study; 6:30 p.m., Thursday, choir practice; Everyone welcome; the Rev. David Tomer, 296-7634.

LIVING WATER FELLOWSHIP, Rowlesburg, across from the park, a nondenominational full gospel fellowship; 10 a.m. Sunday, worship and study of the Living Word; Info: 454-9257.

LITTLE SANDY CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, Little Sandy Creek Road, Bruceton Mills; 10 a.m. Sunday school; 10:45 a.m. Sunday worship; 6 p.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday service; all are welcome. Info: 379-8611.

LOVE CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, prayer and praise 8 a.m. Sundays; 8:45 a.m. worship; 10 a.m. Sunday school; pastor Ralph Raybeck, 454-9769 or 789-2411.

MACDALE CHURCH OF CHRIST, 34 Macdale Lane, Blacksburg, 26521; 10 a.m. Sunday Bible study; 10:45 a.m. Sunday worship; 6 p.m. Sunday worship; 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Bible study. Info: 432-8117.

MARANATHA ASSEMBLY OF GOD, 275 Canyon Road, 10 a.m., Sunday Service and Kid's Church; 5 p.m., House of Prayer and Bible Basics; 7 p.m. Monday, Marriage Matters; 7 p.m. Wednesday, men's and women's study; 7 p.m. Thursday, Master Your Money; pastor Anthony Sluzas, 594-3717 or mag-wv.org.

MARY, HELP OF CHRISTIANS, Morgantown Street, Bruceton Mills; 5 p.m. Saturday, Mass; 4:30 p.m. Saturday, reconciliation; Info: 594-2353.

MASONTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, W.Va. 7 across from the Masontown Cemetery and West Preston Middle School; 9:45 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. worship service; 3 p.m., Sunday, Boy Scout Troop 83, Dwayne McKinney, 864-5019; 6 p.m. Mondays, Girl Scout troop, (except first Monday), Sharon Hardy, 864-0844; 7 p.m. first Tuesday each month, 4-H, Donna Montgomery, 864-5696; 7 p.m. Wednesdays, NA (narcotics anonymous), Patricia Strawser, 864-5746; 9 a.m. first Saturday each month, UM Men and Women for prayer breakfast meeting; the Rev. Joyce Dye, 864-3058 or 864-3917.

MASONTOWN CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, corner of Spruce and Roosevelt, Masontown; 9:45 a.m. Sunday school; 10:45 a.m. worship; 6 p.m. evening service; 7 p.m. Wednesday, prayer meeting includes adult Bible study with special activities for children and teens; the Rev. Robert Ringer.

MCCURDYVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 9 a.m. Sunday school; 10 a.m. worship service led by Ishmeal Graddy.

MESSAGE OF FREEDOM CHURCH, "Our sole business is soul business," U.S. 50, beside the Ford Funeral Home in Grafton, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school; 10:30 a.m. worship; 11:30 a.m. Sunday services may be viewed on FOX 46, Clarksburg; 7 p.m. Wednesday service; the Rev. Michael Stottiemyer. Info: 672-1904.

MILL CHAPEL UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST, 1/2 mile west of Reedsville on Kingwood Pike; 9:45 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday, adult and youth service; pastor Marshall Woods, (301) 334-5777 or millchapel.com.

MIRACLE RUN REVIVAL CENTER, W.Va. 7, West, above Blacksburg, 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. worship; "Come expect a Miracle"; Apostle Raymond Morris.

MONONGALIA CHARGE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, the Rev. Ken London, 328-5595; Buckeye Church, Buckeye Road, two miles from old Mason-Dixon Park; Sunday worship, second and fourth Sundays, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school, second and fourth Sunday, 10:30 a.m.; first and third Sundays, 9:30 a.m.; Cassville Church, W.Va. 7 and Cassville/Mount Morris Road, Sunday worship second and fourth Sundays, 11 a.m., Sunday school, every week 10 a.m.; Fort Martin Church, Fort Martin Road, 2 miles past Maidsville Post Office; Sunday worship first and third Sundays, 11 a.m. Sunday school, every week 10 a.m.; Pleasant Valley Church, Cassville/Mount Morris Road, U.S. 19, Sunday worship first and third Sundays, 9 a.m. Sunday school, every week 10 a.m.

MORGANTOWN BIBLE CHURCH, 1407 Brookhaven Road; 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Sunday, Kids Klub; 7 p.m. Wednesday prayer, nursery provided, classes for all ages; Jim Cooley II pastor.

MORGANTOWN CHURCH OF CHRIST, 361 Scott Ave.; 9:30 a.m. and 6 p.m., Sunday, relevant classes for all age groups; 10:30 a.m. worship; 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 a.m. Wednesday Bible studies; Info: 296-3736 or www.morgantown.coc.org.

MORGANTOWN CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN, affiliated with the Mennonite Church, corner of Center Street and Virginia Avenue; 10:45 a.m., Sunday worship; 9:30 a.m., Sunday school for all ages; pastor Cameron Kaufman-Frey; Info: 292-5616 or mcoeb.wv.us.mennonite.net

MORGANTOWN FAITH CENTER, 300 Highland Ave., Morgantown; services, two worship services, 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday; 7 p.m. Wednesdays; pastors Joseph and Rena Perozich, 292-SAVE.

MORGANTOWN FREE METHODIST CHURCH, 700 West Virginia Ave., Morgantown, 9:45 a.m., Sunday school; 10:45 a.m., Sunday worship; 6:30 p.m. Sunday worship; 6:30 p.m., Wednesday, Prayer meeting; pastor Robert S. Dickens Sr., 292-3285.

MORGANTOWN REVIVAL CENTER, 1704 Tyrone Road; 9:30 a.m. Sunday school; 10:45 a.m. Worship and KFC (Kids for Christ) services; 7 p.m. Wednesday, Bible study in Fellowship Hall or Small Group Home Bible Study; Info: pastor Dana B. McKenzie, mrcpastor@msn.com.

MORGANTOWN SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH, 437 Drummond St., Morgantown; 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Sabbath school; 11 a.m. worship; 6 p.m. Wednesday, women's ministry; 6 p.m., Thursday, men's ministry; 7 p.m. Thursday, prayer meeting; Info: 599-0584.

MORNING GLORY MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL INC., a Dream Builder for Youth, P.O. Box 4684, Star City, WV 26504, Located at 172 Mason-Dixon Hwy, W.Va. 7 West, Morgantown, WV 26501; morningglory26505@yahoo.com; www.morningglorysmd.org; 599-2999, pastors Russell and Sylvia Medley.

MOUNTAINVIEW FREE METHODIST CHURCH, just off Kingwood Pike on Mountain View Road; 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m., Sunday worship; 6:30 p.m., choir practice; 7 p.m., Wednesday, Bible study; Info: Pauline Shahan, 292-8191; the Rev. Francis Craker, 292-8191.

MOUNT BEULAH BAPTIST CHURCH, Grant Town; 9:30 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m., Sunday worship; 6:30 p.m., choir practice; 7 p.m., Wednesday, Bible study; Info: Pauline Shahan, 292-8191; the Rev. Francis Craker, 292-8191.

MOUNT CALVARY ASSEMBLY OF GOD, U.S. 119 South, corner of Goshen and Grafton roads (next to Ridgedale School); 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. worship; 6 p.m. evening worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday, family night, Royal Rangers, Missionettes, youth group, nursery available; pastor John Whitehair, 291-0488 or RevAndUs@aol.com

MOUNT HERMON BAPTIST CHURCH, 1280 Richmond Ave.; 9:30 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m., worship service; 7 p.m., Wednesday, prayer service and Bible study; 6:30 p.m., Thursday, senior choir practice; pastor, the Rev. Mary E.

Morgan, 292-9745.

MOUNT ISRAEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 1.5 miles east of Fellowship on U.S. 50, Marquess Road; 10 a.m. services every Sunday; pastor Regina Springs.

MOUNT MORIAH METHODIST, Valley Point; First and third Sundays, 10 a.m. Sunday school; second and fourth Sundays, 9 a.m. worship; 10 a.m. Sunday school; 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, prayer meeting and Bible study; pastor, Gary Reed.

MOUNT MORRIS GOSPEL TABERNACLE ASSEMBLY OF GOD, Big Shannon Run and School Road, Mount Morris, Pa; 9:30 a.m. Sunday school; 10:30 a.m. worship; 6 p.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday Bible study; services interpreted for the deaf; the Rev. Fred W. Tomlinson, senior pastor. Info: (724) 324-2454.

MOUNT PLEASANT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Old Kingwood Pike, Morgantown; 9 a.m. sermon; 10 a.m. Sunday school; 7 p.m. Sunday services; the Rev. Rick Stackpole.

MOUNT ZION UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Mount Zion Road, off Snake Hill Road; 9:30 a.m., Sunday worship with evangelist Jim Weber; 6:30 p.m. Friday, Bible study.

NATIONAL NEW LIFE CHURCH OF GOD, 2654 River Road (six miles from Westover Bridge); 9:45 a.m., Sunday school; 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday, Bible study and youth church. Rev. William Page, 983-2774.

NEW BEGINNINGS COMMUNITY CHURCH, across from Colasante's at the Triangle in Westover, will hold praise and worship services, 10:45 a.m. Sundays; Youth/Kid Zone/nursery provided; modern music, casual service; Info: 292-4963.

NEWBURG UNITED METHODIST CHARGE, services: Fellowship UM Church; 9 a.m., worship service; 10 a.m., Sunday school; Bethel UM Church; 10 a.m. worship service; 11 a.m., Sunday School; Newburg UM Church; 9:45 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. worship service; the Rev. Bob Sisler, 892-4325.

NEW LIFE MINISTRIES, six miles north on U.S. 19, past the Star City Bridge; 10 a.m. Sunday worship; 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Bible study; pastor Clara Wilkins, 328-5883.

NEW LIFE WORSHIP CENTER, Route 857, left past Rich's Farm, first right, 10 a.m. worship; 6 p.m. worship; 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Bible study; pastor Michael D. and Lois Chapman; Info: 319-1714 or 319-1715.

NICHOLSON CHAPEL CHURCH, Summers School Road; 10 a.m., Sunday school; 6:30 p.m., Sunday worship; 6:30 p.m., Wednesday Bible study; 1/4 mile above the Summers School; 2-4 p.m. Sunday worship; 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Bible study; pastor Clara Wilkins, 328-5883.

OAK GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH, Route 1, Box 342, Independence, WV, six miles north on U.S. 119 from Grafton, on Oak Grove Road; 9:30 a.m. Sunday school; 10:30 a.m., worship; 10:30 a.m., Junior church; 7 p.m., worship; 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible study; nursery provided, all ages welcome; pastor Craig Johnson, 265-5162, 265-0525 or craig@zla.net.

OTTERBEIN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, on W.Va. 7 in West Kingwood; 9:45 a.m., Sunday services; pastor Ralph Raybeck, 454-9769.

PEOPLE'S BAPTIST CHURCH, the former Fox's Chapel on Buckeye Road, outside of Mount Morris, Pa., Independent Fundamental; 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. worship; 6 p.m. worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday, prayer meeting and Bible study; Info: pastor Don Demastes, (714) 878-5603 or 599-7840.

PIERPONT CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, 52 Harner Run, Morgantown; 8:30 a.m., Sundays, Prayer in Don Ross Chapel; 9 a.m., Sunday School; 10:15 a.m. Worship service; 6 p.m. Sunday evening worship; 6 p.m. children and teen quizzing (September - May); 7-11 p.m., Mondays, men's basketball, Pierpont Gym; 6:30-7:30 a.m., Wednesdays, men's basketball; 6:45 p.m., Caravan, Children's Christian scouting program (September - May); 7 p.m. ladies Bible study; 6-8 p.m., LIFE teen service and fellowship; 7 p.m. men's prayer and Bible study in office complex; 6:30-7:30 a.m., Friday men's basketball in the Pierpont Gym; 7:30 a.m., men's prayer breakfast, second Saturday of the month, in the office complex; Christian preschool for 3-4 year olds, in the office complex; Info: church office, 594-3785, Fax, 594-0804 or Pier-naz@gmail.com; Senior pastor, Raynard L. Martin, 288-7068 or Revraynard@gmail.com; Associate/Stu-

dent Ministries pastor, Tommy Thompson, 594-9029 or pastortommy@gmail.com.

PINE GROVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Saltlick Road; 9:30 a.m., Sunday school; 10 a.m. Sunday worship; the Rev. Roy Mick, 454-2442.

POINT MARION CHRISTIAN CHURCH, 432 Morgantown St.; 10 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday worship; the Rev. Joe Condoluci, (724) 725-0334.

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■ MONONGALIA ARTS CENTER hosts "Different Voices, Similar Experiences," a show of work by Compeer mental health clients.

Sunday
■ HISTORY HOUSE, 109 E. Washington St., Terra Alta, is the museum of the Preston County Historical Society and the repository of the Bucklew collection. A variety of antiques, specimens, vintage clothing, military, music, photographs, railroading and other interesting relics related to Preston County fill the three-story building. Hours are from 1:30-4:30 p.m. **Sundays through September**. Others by appointment: 789-6888.

Today and Sunday
■ THE GREATEST GENERATION EXHIBIT and Gallery, W.Va. 72, Rowlesburg, is open from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. **today and Sunday**. Admission is free to World War II veterans, \$5 for adults, \$4 for senior citizens 65 and older and children 11-18, \$2 for children 6-10, free for children under 6. Info: thegreatestgenerationsociety.com.

Events

Today
■ INDOOR FLEA MARKET: 9 a.m. Saturday at Mountaineer Mall. Info: 296-0096.
■ BETTY EDDY BOOKSIGNING: Eddy will sign copies of her books "Scotts Run Images" and "A Frame in Time: Dunkard Valley," from 2-3 p.m. at Danny's Antiques & Collectibles (Museum), Main Street, Osage.
■ MORGANTOWN ICE ARENA, White Park, opens. Public skating sessions from 7:30-9:30 p.m.
■ TUNNELTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY Depot Day and Dedication, Tunnelton Railroad Depot, 11:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Flag-raising and dedication at 11:30 a.m. Admission is free. B&O Railroad Memorabilia Display by Keith Takaras and Terry Arbogast. Lionel O-Gauge model train display by Perry Rhodes. Info: 568-2579.

Sunday
■ DOG DAY AT THE POOL

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Concerts & shows
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■ RECITALS: Division of Music Distinguished Alumni, featuring Dan Skidmore and Lisa Withers on violin and piano, respectively, 8:15 p.m., Bloch Learning and Performance Hall, room 200A in the WVU Creative Arts Center.
■ ANNA JARVIS PARK, fundraiser for Anna Jarvis Museum (U.S. 119 and U.S. 250, four miles south of Grafton). Today's acts: Sue Neubauer, Janie Foster, Tommy Dee & Nashville North Band with friends. Admission to show: \$3. No alcohol.
■ CHESTNUT RIDGE PARK MOUNTAIN MUSIC Concert Series, 6-8:30 p.m. with Rachel Eddy & the Motown Rounders. Cost: \$5 general admission, \$3 for campers, free for children 12 and under. Info: chestnutridgepark.com.
■ COUNTRY MUSIC SHOW, New Freeport (Pa.) Firehall, 7-10 p.m., featuring Country Pride and Tyler & Friends. Admission: \$2. Sponsored by the New Freeport Ladies Auxiliary.
■ SAGEBRUSH ROUND-UP, Bunker Ridge near Fairmont (six miles east of I-79 at Exit 139), 6-11 p.m.: Granny Blosser and Billy Murray & Friends, Due South and others. No open stage this week. No alcohol per-

mitted. Admission is \$3 for adults. Children under 12 admitted free. Info: 292-5854, 363-4864 or 986-2158.

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Sunday
■ LIONS CLUB BENEFIT FOR WVU EYE INSTITUTE, "Sight First II," 1-5 p.m. at Blacksville Town Hall, sponsored by Western Monongalia Area Lions Club, featuring Keeping the Faith, Jake Barr & Friends, Country Trio and Hickory Wind. Homemade pies, hot dogs, pepperoni rolls, potato salad and macaroni salad for sale. Cake Walk, raffles. All proceeds go to the Eye Institute.

Today and Sunday
■ THE PURPLE FIDDLE Coffee-house and Mountain Market in Thomas: Los Diablos (\$7) at 8:30 p.m. **today**; the Ginsangers (\$7) at 8 p.m. **Sunday**. Info or tickets: 463-4040 or purplefiddle.com.

Club Scene

Today
■ BLACK VELVET: 9 p.m.-midnight at the Morgantown Moose.
■ EAGLES NEST II, Tunnelton, poker run for Rodney Swanson. Registration 10 a.m.-noon, followed by karaoke at 9 p.m.; Wing Night from 6-9 p.m. Wednesdays. Info: 568-2525.
■ SILVER DOLLAR BAND: 8-11 p.m. at Big Bear Lake.
■ NIGHT VISION: 9 p.m.-midnight at the Triangle in Westover.
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■ MOM'S PLACE FAMILY RESTAURANT, Fairmont: karaoke from 9 p.m.-2 a.m. No smoking or alcohol permitted. Admission: \$3 to sing all night; \$10 maximum for families. Info: 612-1061.
■ NOVICHENK'S: DJ.
■ HOLLY SPEARS: at the Pete Dye Golf Classic, Bridgeport, **today**, with Davission Brothers, Gin Blossoms and Spin Doctors.

Sunday
■ BLUE STAR BAR & GRILL, Hazelton (just before Big Bear Lake), hosts Floyd Cowger at 4 p.m.

Theater

Today
■ "THREE DIARIES": A Staged Reading, a play by Don Fidler, 8 p.m. at M.T. Pockets Theatre, 235 Spruce St., Suite A. Admission \$5.

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Some celeb supercouples seem super-mismatched

COMMENTARY

BY KARALEE MILLER
 McClatchy Newspapers

It's time to take Kevin Federline seriously. No, seriously. Mr. Britney Spears, pop culture's favorite punch line, is trying to make money the old-fashioned way — by, um, actually working. The wannabe rapper closed Sunday night's "Teen Choice Awards" with the first network TV performance of his single "Lose Control." Could this moment mark a 180 for the man whose most recent "job," reportedly, was getting paid \$20,000 to do cameo appearances at clubs and parties? In the world of celebrities, K-Fed's become the ultimate dead-weight spouse. What's his purpose? His life's goal? His hygiene regimen? We realize love is blind and that no one knows the ins and outs of any relationship except the two involved. (But c'mon, Brit, wake up and smell the sweat-stained trucker cap.) Sadly, she's not the only famous face to cannonball into the pool of fools. We take a look at some celebs who, for better or worse, vowed to love some of the biggest hangers-on in entertainment history — and whether the relationship has any chance of being rehabbed.



Kevin Federline and Britney Spears (top photo) and Whitney Houston and Bobby Brown (above) are just two examples of seemingly mismatched celebrity couples.

Dead weight: Peter Cook
Weight lifter: Cover Girl supermodel Christie Brinkley
Waste-of-space credentials: The 47-year-old Hampton architect, who wed the luminous "Uptown Girl" in 1996, thus vaulting himself from relative anonymity onto the pages of *People*, recently admitted to carrying on a yearlong affair with his assistant, whom he met in a toy store when she was 17. Of course, he only fessed up after the now-19-year-old threatened to slap him with a sexual-harassment suit. Days later, a second woman came forward and claimed Cook seduced her when she was 18.
Yes, you are sorry: Cook offered up his mea culpa to the *New York Post* saying, "I'm sorry. I'm contrite. I'm stupid. Foolish. No excuse." Don't forget liar, adulterer and disgusting pig.
Turnaround potential: Admitting guilt and apologizing was a good first step. Cook said he hopes for a reconciliation, but should it end in divorce, "She can have whatever she wants." Well, she should.

Dead weight: Kevin Federline
Weight lifter: Britney Spears
Waste-of-space credentials: Well, let's see: He dumped his pregnant girlfriend to run off with Britney. For their wedding celebration, he and his groomsmen donned "Pimp" sweat suits. He reportedly miffed the missus when he cared more for cannabis than their kid. He revealed to *GQ* magazine he once earned his living through "criminal mischief." And there are reports that, per their pre-nup, he'll receive more money for every child he has with Britney should their marriage end. A powerful platform for birth control if ever there was one.
Yes, you are sorry: K-Fed, 28, firmly denies mooching money from his wife. "As a man, as a male figure and a father, I wouldn't be happy sitting back and living off my wife's fortune." Could've fooled us.
Turnaround potential: Whether he's sporting a fedora or cornrows, Britney seems to love this guy. The two reportedly will renew their wedding vows in a small ceremony sometime after the birth of their second child (his fourth), due this fall.

Dead weight: Matt Moline
Weight lifter: Comedian Kathy Griffin
Waste-of-space credentials: It seems Moline may only have had eyes for his D-lister's dollars. Griffin told talk-show host Larry King that her four-year marriage ended when she discovered Moline had swiped \$72,000 during an 18-month stretch. She claims he'd sneak her ATM cards from her wallet while she was sleeping and withdraw money from her private accounts. Couldn't he just

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Rivers
 "A person can never have too much bling. The Three 6 Mafia taught me that at the Oscars." — **Joan Rivers.**

Wilson
 "I went to go stay with Woody Harrelson and his family in Hawaii for four days and it turned into four weeks. I think by the end of that trip his wife was like, 'So you need a ride to the airport today?'" — **Owen Wilson.**

Hilton
 "I think when people don't know it's me, they won't judge it. But if they know it's me, then they'll be like, 'Ugh.' They won't even dance." — **Paris Hilton**, on her debut album, "Paris."

Bullock
 "I started out young. I was making out at 9 years old like a bandit." — **Sandra Bullock.**

Lachey
 "I just want to start off by saying, awkward, a little bit." — **Nick Lachey**, accepting an award for his song "What's Left of Me" at the eighth annual Teen Choice Awards, cohosted by ex-wife Jessica Simpson.

Griffin
 "I get to make a great living in the field that I love, but nobody goes through my garbage and nobody jumps out of bushes and photographs me." — **Kathy Griffin**, star of Bravo's "My Life on the D-List."

Lee
 "How could this happen, in the — supposedly — the wealthiest, mightiest country in the world? Really, that's the question." — **Spike Lee**, on Hurricane Katrina and its aftermath.

Laurie
 "I haven't identified a single word that is pronounced the same in America as it is in England. And that can really take you out of the moment, having to constantly listen to yourself and check your accent. It makes it harder to immerse yourself in the scene." — **British actor Hugh Laurie**, star of the Fox medical drama, "House."

Probst
 "The truth is 80 percent of the people that apply are white. And television, in general, is white. So all these criticisms were valid." — "Survivor" host **Jeff Probst**, on the lack of ethnic diversity in the series' past seasons.

Patton
 "All them haters would love for us to break up ... sorry haters! We're not breaking up. We're still here, we've got a relationship that goes beyond music and film." — **Antwan "Big Boi" Patton**, on rumors that he and bandmate Andre "3000" Benjamin are splitting up.

Levy or no levy, Preston Countians may pay more.
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BRIEFS

The Dominion Post

Pa. man who drowned in Mon River ID'd

The Pennsylvania Boat and Fish Commission has identified a Point Marion man who drowned in the Monongahela River on Thursday.

The body of William Gardner was recovered from the river in Point Marion after a boating accident Thursday evening, said Dan Tredinnick, spokesman for Pennsylvania Boat and Fish Commission.

"There were three individuals in a 16-foot bass boat," Tredinnick said Friday. "For reasons that are unknown, [Gardner] fell overboard."

The commission is still investigating why Gardner fell overboard. "We are looking at various possible causes of the accident," Tredinnick said. "It's going to be a while before we ascertain the facts."

At about 7 p.m. Thursday, the Point Marion Volunteer Fire Department River Rescue responded to a report of a man falling from a boat near the fire station, a spokeswoman for Fayette County Emergency Management Agency said.

The Boat and Fish Commission and Pennsylvania State Police also responded. The Fayette County coroner responded at about 8 p.m.

Terry Harvey, of Smithfield, Pa., who owned the boat, and his son, also named Terry Harvey, tried unsuccessfully to rescue Gardner, Tredinnick said.

The boat was drifting and without power at the time of the accident, he said.

Pa. man faces trial for indecent assault

A Pennsylvania man will go to trial on charges including providing alcohol to minors and indecent assault.

Edward Arnold Keedy, 41, of South Connellsville, was bound over to the Fayette County Court of Common Pleas on Thursday during a preliminary hearing at Magisterial District Judge Ronald Haggerty's office in Fayette County.

He is charged with three counts of aggravated assault, three counts of indecent assault, two counts of selling or furnishing alcohol to minors and one count of corruption of minors. The charges stem from a July 8 incident at a home where he was staying on East Georgia Avenue in Connellsville Township.

A Pennsylvania State Police report states that Keedy provided alcohol to a 13-year-old girl from Connellsville and a 19-year-old woman from Greensburg, Pa., then sexually assaulted the 13-year-old after she fell asleep at the residence where Keedy was staying.

Woman gets a lift to nowhere

An area woman was forced to stay after school — in the elevator.

At about 3:15 p.m. Friday, the Morgantown Fire Department responded to a report of a woman stuck in an elevator at Suncrest Middle School, a spokeswoman for MECCA 911 said.

"The woman pushed the alarm and the people in the office kept resetting it," she said. "They thought it malfunctioned and didn't realize someone was in there."

The woman in the elevator used a cell phone to call 911, the spokeswoman said. Firefighters responded and opened the elevator at about 3:35 p.m. The woman was not injured.

Federal retirees to hear Coopers Rock history

National Active and Retired Federal Employees, Chapter 1614, will meet at 1 p.m. Sept. 12, at Shoney's Restaurant, 3504 Monongahela Blvd., Morgantown.

Alfred Kerns, superintendent of Coopers Rock State Forest, will speak on the history of Coopers Rock.

Working and retired federal employees are invited. Info: 296-5721.

Police: Seatbelts save 5



West Virginia State Police officers and members of Monongalia Emergency Medical Services, and Star City and Mount Morris volunteer fire departments help roll over a car that flipped Friday on Interstate-79.

Women's car rolls several times on I-79

BY NATALIE NEYSA ALUND

The Dominion Post

Two women were injured Friday morning in a vehicle rollover accident on Interstate 79.

Monongalia Emergency Medical Services took Beverly Fox, 36, and Rudelle Ledwin, 16, both of Miami, to Ruby Memorial Hospital. The Pontiac Grand Prix they were riding in crashed near the 159-mile marker.

A Ruby Memorial spokesman said Fox was discharged Friday afternoon and that the hospital had no record of Ledwin.

The wreck, which shut down one lane of I-79 south for about 30 min-

utes, occurred just after 9 a.m.

Raquel Ledwin, 40, of Miami, was driving the Pontiac north when she lost control just past a rest stop, West Virginia State Police Cpl. R.E. Garrison said.

"She traveled into the median and rolled at least three times," Garrison said.

The Pontiac landed on its passenger side in the southbound lane of the interstate.

Also in the vehicle were Sandra Fox, 41, and Kendra Hudgson, 16, both from Miami. Garrison said Raquel Ledwin, Fox and Hudgson weren't injured.

All five women were wearing their seat belts.

"There was a very good chance someone would have been ejected from the car had they not been wearing their seat belts," Garrison said.

Bill Cerniawski, of Pittsburgh, witnessed the accident as he drove southbound.

"It was like the movies — like a toy

car bouncing around," he said. "It must have flipped a half-dozen times."

Once the car stopped rolling, Vickie Eckert, who was a passenger in Cerniawski's car and is a registered nurse from Pittsburgh, ran to help the women.

"Someone else dialed 911 and I ran over and heard someone saying, 'Help us,'" she said. "I helped pull them all out the back window."

After the accident, Ledwin stood shoeless next to the car, glancing down at belts, shoes, ties and other objects thrown from the car during the roll.

Ledwin said she and her friends were going to visit one of their sons at Robert Morris College in Pittsburgh. She did not remember much of the accident.

"I don't know how we ended up here ... I thought we were going the other way," she said.

Star City and Mount Morris volunteer fire departments also responded.

Mon County school hours for students grades 1-12

School	Start time a.m.	End time p.m.
Alternative Learning	8:15	2:40
Arnettsville Elem.	8:35	3:15
Brookhaven Elem.	8:53	3:30
Cass Elem.	7:40	2:25
Cheat Lake Elementary	7:50	2:10
Cheat Lake Middle	7:25	2:18
Clay-Battelle Middle/High	7:32	2:23
Daybrook Elem.	8:30	3:00
Easton Elem.	8:55	3:20
Jakes Run	8:45	3:00
Mason-Dixon Elem.	8:45	3:20
Morgantown High	7:40	2:45
Mountainview Elem.	8:44	3:30
MTEC	7:33	2:30
North Elem.	8:50	3:25
Ridgedale Elem.	9:00	3:30
Riverside Elem.	7:50	2:30
Saint Francis Central	7:45	2:30
South Middle	7:35	2:23
Suncrest Middle	8:10	3:15
Suncrest Primary	8:25	3:15
Trinity Elementary	8:00	3:00
Trinity Secondary	7:50	3:00
University High	8:05	3:07
Waitman Barbe Elem.	8:55	3:25
Westover Elem.	7:45	2:30
Westwood Middle	7:15	2:00
Woodburn	8:50	3:25

Source: Monongalia County Schools



Lynne Hicks (above), a special-needs teacher for grades five through seven, prepares her room Friday afternoon for the first day of school. Colleen Titus (left), a special-education teacher at CLMS, sorts math cards to get ready for opening day.



Jason DeProspero/The Dominion Post photos

Mon schools get set to open doors

First day back for grades 1-up is coming soon

BY ERIC BOWEN

The Dominion Post

It's the last gasp of summer for local school kids this weekend, as teachers and administrators get ready for students to head back to school Monday.

Students in grades one and older

start classes next week, while preschool and kindergarten students don't head back until after Labor Day.

It's going to be a wild year for students at Daybrook Elementary, said principal Davene Burks. The school has a new theme of Welcome to the Jungle, where students will learn about the denizens of tropical rainforests.

Burks said the theme will help get kids interested in learning and will help unify the curriculum for the year. She said third-graders will play a survival game, and second-

graders will write stories about jungle animals.

"I'm looking forward to it," Burks said. "It's a beautiful school out here."

Jim Forst, principal at University High School, said the first day is mostly a time to get kids back into the school mindset. Students will spend time with their homeroom teachers to learn about the rules of the school and then head on to their first-period classes.

UHS welcomed freshmen at an orientation session Friday to help them blend in as members of the stu-

dent body. He said he hopes new students will get involved in the school.

"No matter if you came from Westwood or Cheat Lake, now we're all one family," Forst said. "We're Hawks now."

The first week for Trinity Christian School is spiritual emphasis week, Superintendent Mike Staud said. The school is bringing in the nationally known speaker Josh McDowell to talk to the students to get them in the right frame of mind for the year.

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Youngsters try out kid-sized triathlon

Today's Sprint, Splash 'n Spin race for adults

BY JANET L. METZNER

The Dominion Post

Dr. Vinnie Monseau started off the kids' race of the 2006 WVU Hospitals Sprint, Splash 'n Spin triathlon with a jolt Friday.

"This water is as cold as it can get. We put ice cubes in it this morning," he said to the children, parents and grandparents gathered for the pre-race meeting outside Marilla Park pool.

"Ooo," some of the kids said, anticipating a chill during the swim — the first event of the triathlon.

Then Monseau revealed the prank. "No ... the water is 80



Tyler Jodon (right), 7, of Harrisburg, Pa., starts the swimming portion of the Sprint, Splash 'n Spin kids race in Morgantown on Friday.

degrees today," he said.

About 69 children under age 14 competed in the kids' race.

It was a short triathlon course:

swimming two lengths of Marilla pool (66 yards), biking 1.5 miles and running one-half mile along White Road.

Today's race

WVU Hospitals Sprint, Splash 'n Spin Triathlon continues today at Marilla Park. Individual competition begins at 7 a.m. at the pool, with starts through noon. Team competition begins at 12:20 p.m. at the pool, with the last start at 12:40 p.m. Info: sprintsplashspin.com

John Balasko, of Indianapolis, brought his daughters Grace, 7, and Madi, 4, to compete in the kids' race.

"I ran some miles with my daddy and I swam in my pool a lot," Grace said.

She and her sister had

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JOHN SAMSELL



This Aull house set to turn 100

It is officially named the Aull Center. Through the years it has been known as the Garlow House. Both names have a legitimate place in the history of downtown Morgantown.

Construction of the Queen Anne Revival-styled house was begun 100 years ago and the anniversary of its completion will be observed in 2007.

Located at the corner of Spruce and Wall streets, adjacent to the Morgantown Public Library, the facility now houses much of the historical and genealogical materials once located on the second floor of the main library building. That information is expanded continually and people looking for material about their families and the days of yore are invited to visit the well-maintained stone house.

The Aull Center has an e-mail address and can be found on the library's Web page on the Internet. Michael McClung, who manages the Aull Center, said they are working on a Web site.

He said the e-mail address has received questions and comments from throughout the country. The house also has had visitors from many states. Recent visitors were Don Knott's cousin and his wife from out west.

The center has local and regional history and genealogy information.

It includes cemetery readings from Monongalia and Preston counties plus genealogy data from West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Virginia and other communities. There are family histories submitted by family members, shelved alphabetically.

In addition to history books from Morgantown, many volumes about West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia counties and communities are among those in the stacks.

There also are copies of books with photographs and historical information from the area, including a new "Scotts Run Images" by Betty A. Eddy.

For those looking for information about the Morgan family, for which Morgantown was named, there is a large volume prepared by French Morgan. It covers 600 years and 24 generations of the family started by Morgan Morgan.

Most material at the Aull Center is for in-building use only. Some take-out material is available on the second floor of the

SEE SAMSELL, 13-A

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GUEST EDITORIAL

Iran puts the world on hold

Countdown to showdown with Tehran may come down to the cost of gas

Tehran has stalled for almost three months, claiming it needed all that time to carefully study the incentives offered by Western powers to suspend its nuclear program. On Tuesday, Iran's top nuclear negotiator, mustering all the high drama he could, hand-delivered his country's final response to several ambassadors. He declared that Iran was prepared to enter "serious negotiations." He touted a "new formula" to resolve the dispute, but he would not disclose the details.

Iran reportedly won't do the one thing the U.N. Security Council has demanded before talks can proceed: freeze its uranium-enrichment program, a key element toward building a bomb. For this the council waited all those months? What a waste of time.

Whatever the "new" details proffered, the main thrust of Tehran's strategy remains: confuse the issue, split the council and play for time.

Well, at least Iran's leaders are consistent. Tehran has swatted aside the world's concerns about its nuclear program for years; why stop now?

Iran also has grown more belligerent. With its client Hezbollah scoring at least a psychological victory in the war against Israel, Tehran is swaggering now. On Monday, Iran's supreme leader, Ayatollah Ali Khamenei, quashed any inkling of a surprise reversal on its nuclear ambitions. He declared Tehran will pursue nuclear technology despite the council deadline of Aug. 31 to suspend uranium enrichment or face the threat of economic and diplomatic sanctions.

To emphasize the point, Iran turned away U.N. inspectors seeking to examine one nuclear site, a violation of the nuclear non-proliferation treaty. And, if that wasn't clear enough, Tehran on Sunday test-fired 10 short-range missiles as part of a military maneuver. Anyone still not getting the point?

Now comes the Security Council's moment. It cannot accept Iran's defiance. If Iran were allowed to continue to enrich uranium while talks proceed, that would guarantee one thing: The talks would proceed slowly. Iran has demonstrated its aptitude for diplomatic double talk, its gift for obfuscation and delay.

As soon as it is confirmed Iran won't suspend enrichment, strong sanctions must come. There are encouraging signs that the council is preparing to do that. The big question: Will those sanctions pinch Iran's oil exports? Would they limit investment in Iran's oilfields? Might they attack one of Iran's biggest vulnerabilities, its need to import more than a third of its gasoline?

The prospect of punishing one of the world's largest oil exporters isn't appealing to many people, with oil prices already so high. Iran has vowed to retaliate in many ways if that happens.

Iran is betting the fear of higher gas prices, possibly triggering a worldwide recession, will keep the council at bay. It's betting the world would rather see a nuclear Iran than \$4-a-gallon gas.

THIS EDITORIAL appeared in the *Chicago Tribune* on Wednesday. This commentary should be considered another point of view and not necessarily the opinion or editorial policy of *The Dominion Post*.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

One-way religion cannot pass for spirit of freedom

I have spoken twice before the Harrison County Board of Education citing the kind of thinking that should necessitate the removal of the Jesus picture in the hallway of Bridgeport High School. The BOE has chosen to ignore First Amendment issues as related to separation of church and state and all appeals to religious freedom as a basic American right no matter what your faith. This board has chosen to act as if they and this public school were above the laws of this land — both letter and spirit. In fact, they have already spent more than \$15,000 of taxpayers money to defend themselves against the lawsuit brought by Americans United and ACLU, which are soundly protecting the laws and religious freedoms on this country. Should the BOE win, what's to keep every public school in the country from hanging Jesus in the hallway?

In the effort, of which I was a part, to show the board clear rationale for not taking this to trial — considering the expense, the polarization of the community, the legal precedents against such religious displays, and the negative effect in the school itself and repercussions throughout the school system — this board chose to go to trial if it can find the money.

Since other organizations could not guarantee a victory, it has stirred up a Christian Community organization to raise some \$150,000 to \$200,000 for a defense fund and one of the board members is heading the fund drive. The hope is that there will be some kind of media blitz that will bring money into the "trust fund" so as to make this into a Supreme Court case. This is elitism, favoritism, political demagoguery, bigotry and cut-throat Jesusism seeking to keep hanging in the hallway of a public school a picture that represents one religion and only one religion.

This is showing outright disregard for the religious freedoms, rights, and beliefs of others. To everyone else it is saying Jesus in your face — no matter who you are — and we are going to try and work our way around the First Amendment, the laws, the open spirit that has made America great, so that we can



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have our Jesus picture in "our" public school. After all, the background music to our BOE's ad on TV is from Handel's Messiah — the instrumental "And He Shall Reign Forever And Ever ..."

If this is going out to the world, the world should know that the religious community in Harrison County has been virtually silent on this issue. Are clergy afraid to take sides? If so, why? If not afraid, then where are the voices to support the all-American spirit of freedom on this issue: demanding that the board remove the picture? Or ... do they all believe as three members of the board, the school principal and superintendent of schools that this picture of Jesus should remain hanging in this public high school? If so, then religious freedom and the spirit behind the

Golden Rule and "therefore seek the truth and the truth shall make you free" are in serious jeopardy. In fact, a mockery is being made of them in Harrison County. The same kind of mockeries that Jesus sought to cleanse from the temple.

People tend to excuse it by saying we are a nation "Under God" and "In God We Trust" is on all our money. And that means we're a Christian nation. People tend to forget or ignore that Christianity does not have a monopoly on God. The history and concept of God are much bigger than any one religion. That's just one of the reasons America has a long history of not calling itself a Christian nation. That would be false. And false prophets on this issue are everywhere. The day Christianity (or any one-way religion) hangs

its face above the tried and true American face is the day this nation begins its spiritual decline.

Such a face — that of spiritual decline caused by bully-religion — is not a pretty face. There are those of us for whom I speak, even in Harrison County, who hope and pray this face will lose its day in court.

Rev. Michael D. O'Kelly
Unitarian Universalist
Clarksburg

River Road residents glad to have hydrants on tap

My neighbors and I wish to thank the Monongalia County Commission for approving and funding fire hydrants on the Old River Road and River Road. Fire hydrants in this area have been long overdue and without the help of Asel Kennedy we might still be without hydrants.

Also, thanks to Chip Malone, the manager of the River Road Public Service District, and Golden Excavating for installing the hydrants so promptly with little interruption to our water service.

We appreciate the dedication the Monongalia County Commission has to serving its citizens.

Harold Guthrie
Morgantown

New breed of 'activist judges' setting precedents for money

ANOTHER BEE-YOU-TIFUL example of the right-wing media getting it all wrong. Here they are having the nerve to mutter in public about "activist judges" because Judge Anna Diggs Taylor has pointed out that spying without a warrant is illegal in this country — so warrantless telephone tapping is illegal in this country.



MOLLY IVINS

Improbably enough, the first complaint of many of these *soi-disant* legal scholars is that Taylor's decision is not well written. No judicial masterpiece, they sneer. Nevertheless, warrantless spying is illegal. Did it ever occur to these literary critics that Taylor has a lay-down hand? The National Security Agency program is flat unconstitutional, and for those who insist this means Osama bin Laden wins, it's also ridiculously easy to fix so that it is constitutional.

Conservatives in this country have been yipping in chorus for years about "activist judges," and frankly, like fools, many of you bought into the phony political rhetoric about those terrible jurists.

Somehow, activist judges are held responsible for gay marriage, Roe v. Wade and everything else Americans disagree about, as though Americans would never disagree without their encouragement. Conservatives have been mad at the Supreme Court since

it decided to desegregate the schools in 1954 and seen fit to blame the federal bench for everything that has happened since then that they don't like.

As any liberal could have told you, the conservatives didn't want a right-wing shift on the nation's courts because of "social issues" — that's just a handy political ploy. Honestly, people, haven't you figured out what this is all about yet? Money. The conservatives are in a snit about "liberal courts" because of money.

Corporations being prosecuted for breaking the law! Tobacco companies forced to pay huge fines! Oil and chemical companies made to pay for cleanup at Superfund sites! Oh, the horror, the horror. *The Wall Street Journal's* editorial page couldn't stop shivering over it for years. "This is the richest business term

in recent memory," Mark Levy, a Supreme Court litigator, told *The Wall Street Journal*, which has stopped quivering at the last. Moving right along in the long-drawn-out battle to deny ordinary citizens access to their own courts, the justices closed down the right to allow class-action securities cases in state courts. The court also kept out of a lower-court decision preventing taxpayers from suing to stop tax breaks that states and municipalities use to lure big business, a notorious example of raging bad policy.

Meanwhile, what a nice gift from the federal bench to the insurance companies when a federal judge in Mississippi decided that hurricane insurance policies excluding water damage are "valid and enforceable." As many of our fellow citizens had an opportu-

nity to learn during Katrina, it's a challenge to sit around in a class IV hurricane, trying to figure out which is wind and which is water damage. "Ooops, there goes the roof, probably wind, followed by a huge run of waves rolling over the house, could be water."

Insurance company stocks went up across the board after the decision, while the industry advised its clients to "keep your eyes wide open when buying new homeowners' insurance."

Congratulations to the Katrina survivors who were hanging on by their fingernails.

Money, money, money is the motif of the "New Activist" federal judges, but they have also been busy, busy limiting congressional authority and individual rights. As People for the American Way notes, federal appellate courts — effectively the court of last resort for

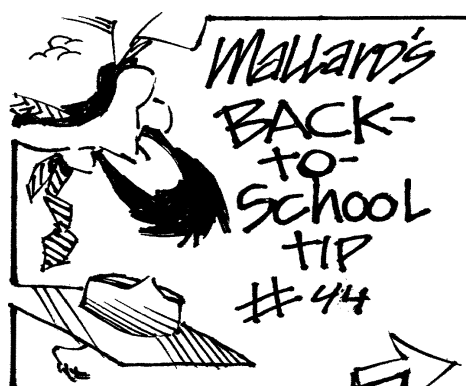
most Americans — are working on: questioning the constitutionality of the Endangered Species Act, overturning the National Labor Relations Board rulings against anti-union discrimination and other unfair labor practices by employers, allowing the Bush administration to keep secret the records of the Cheney energy task force and rewriting by court order a state law on First Amendment activity.

Other Bush appellate judges have ruled to deny protection to workers who file claims of race and disability discrimination, made it harder to protect the environment, and issued other decisions that will affect our lives and liberties for decades. Activist judges, indeed.

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OBITUARIES

Ruth Shaffer Richardson

Ruth Ellen Shaffer Richardson, 70, of Kingwood, passed away Friday, Aug. 25, 2006, at Ruby Memorial Hospital.



Ruth Shaffer Richardson

She was born July 13, 1936, in Osage, W. Va., a daughter of the late George and Bessie Nell White Shaffer.

Ruth was originally from Mason town, W. Va., but had resided in Ortonville and Ferndale, Mich., before returning home to West Virginia.

She was a homemaker, loving wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

She was an avid bowler and was Baptist by faith.

She is survived by her husband of 52 years, Paul Richardson; three sons and spouses, David Lee and Stephanie Richardson of Royal Oak, Mich., Bradley Paul and Debbie Richardson of Grand Blank, Mich., and Scott Glen and Jennifer Richardson of Pomeroy, Ohio; one sister and spouse, Flip and Burt Miner of Royal Oak; seven grandchildren, Joseph, Elizabeth, Michael, Bradley Jason, Marcus, Evan, and Sean; three great-granddaughters; nephew, James Feather of Terra Alta; and brother-in-law, Donald Edwards of Reedsville.

She was preceded in death by two sisters, Betty Feathers and Mary Edwards; and three brothers, Richard, George, and Glenn Shaffer.

Friends will be received at the Field Funeral Home in Masontown from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m., Sunday, Aug. 27.

Services will be held 11 a.m., Monday, Aug. 28, at the funeral home, with the Rev. Joe Lamm officiating.

Burial will follow in the Mount Zion Cemetery, Masontown.

Condolences may be extended to the family at fieldfuneralhome.com.



Clarence P. Fowler

Clarence P. Fowler, 100, of Fairchance, Pa., formerly of Smithfield and Lake Lynn, Pa., died Friday, Aug. 25, 2006, in the Horizon Personal Care Home, in Fairchance.

Born Feb. 3, 1906 in Haydentown, Pa., he was a son of the late Joshua and Myrtle Emme Fowler.

A lifelong member of the Springhill Furnace Presbyterian Church, he had also been an active member for many years of the former Gallatin Grange.

He was a retired rural route carrier for the U.S. Post Office, and had previously worked for the B & O Railroad in Smithfield, Dupont Plant in Morgantown, W. Va., and as a custodian for the Albert Gallatin School District in Point Marion, Pa.

Surviving are his two daughters, Marilyn Lafferty of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Janice Robison and husband, Harold, of Athens, Ohio; six grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren; and by a number of nieces and nephews, including Louise Goldsboro and Delorse Fowler, of Smithfield, who helped look after Mr. Fowler for the past several years.

He was preceded in death by his loving wife of 56 years, Georgia Emry Fowler, in 1985; two brothers, Wayne and William Fowler; and five sisters, Verda Barber, Ruby Ridgway, Lola Flickenger, Iona Chippis, and Bertha, in infancy.

Friends will be received in the Richard R. Herod Funeral Home, Point Marion from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m., Sunday, Aug. 27, and until 1:30 p.m., the hour of service, Monday, Aug. 28, with the Rev. Joey Hickok officiating.

Burial will follow in Mount Moriah Baptist Cemetery, Smithfield, Pa.

Becki Jo Willy and Isabella Ashley Willy

Becki Jo Willy, 27, of New Freeport, Pa., and her infant daughter, Isabella Ashley Willy, 20 months, died Wednesday, Aug. 23, 2006, of injuries sustained in an automobile accident, in Waynesburg, Pa.

Friends will be received at the Owen-Neely Funeral Home in Blacksville, W. Va., from noon until the time of funeral services at 2 p.m., Sunday, Aug. 27, with the Rev. Rose Saunders officiating.

Burial will follow in the Blacksville Cemetery.

The casket will remain closed. You may send condolences to the family at tennantfuneralhome.com.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Owen-Neely Funeral Home, P.O. Box 2, Blacksville, WV 26521.

Richard Allen Dobbs

Richard Allen Dobbs, 52, of Fairmont, went to be with the Lord on Wednesday, Aug. 23, 2006, at Monongalia General Hospital.



McCulla

He was born Feb. 11, 1954, in Los Angeles, Calif., a son of the late Gordon H. and Betty Ward Dobbs.

He was employed as a coal miner for Consolidation Coal Co. for more than 20 years and was a Navy Veteran.

Richard is survived by four daughters, Deanna and husband, Josh Wilson, of Fairmont, Samantha Dobbs, Rikki Dobbs, McKenzie Dobbs and their mother, Dianna McCune, all of Star City; one sister and spouse, Cynthia and Scott Melanson of Jacksonville, Fla.; two brothers and one spouse, Joey and Lynn Dobbs of St. Augustine, Fla., Franky Dobbs of St. Augustine; and one grandson, Andrew Wilson.

Friends will be received at McCulla Funeral Home from 3-5 and 7-9 p.m., Sunday, Aug. 27.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Monday, Aug. 28, at McCulla Funeral Home, with pastors Fred Tomlinson and Scott Melanson officiating.

Burial will follow at Beverly Hills Cemetery, with Military Graveside Services conducted by the Westover VFW Post 9916.

The family requests that donations be made to the funeral home for funeral expenses.

Condolences may be sent to the family at McCulla@labs.net.



Genevieve M. Mason

Genevieve M. Mason, 83, of Morgantown, died Thursday, Aug. 24, 2006, at her residence.



Genevieve M. Mason

Friends will be received at the Rotruck-Lobb Funeral Homes-Mancinelli Chapel, 108 Holland Ave., Westover from 10 a.m. until the time of service at 11 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 26, in the funeral home chapel, with the Rev. Kevin Cain officiating.

Interment will follow at Lawnwood Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made in Genevieve's memory to Morgantown Hospice, P.O. Box 4222, Morgantown, WV 26504.

Personal condolences may be offered to the family at rotruck-lobb.com.

Dora May Rogers Turner

Dora May Rogers Turner, 75, of Arthurdale, W. Va., loving mother of Peggy Mae, Karen Faye, and Sandra Kay, died Thursday, Aug. 24, 2006, at Windy Hill Manor, in Kingwood.

Friends will be received at the Field Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until the time of service at 3 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 26, with the Rev. Barney Snowdon officiating.

Inurnment will follow at the Arthurdale Cemetery at the family's convenience.

Memorial donations may be made in her memory to Hospice Care, P.O. Box 760, Arthurdale, WV 26520 or Windy Hill Manor Personal Care Home, c/o Activities Fund, Route 1, Box 167, Kingwood, WV 26537.

Condolences may be extended to the family at fieldfuneralhome.com.



Shirley Deane Hardesty

Shirley Deane Hardesty, 73, of Terra Alta, died Friday, Aug. 25, 2006, at home.

Friends will be received at the Arthur H. Wright Funeral Home, Terra Alta, from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m., Sunday, Aug. 27.

The funeral service will be at 11 a.m., Monday, Aug. 28, at the funeral home.

The family request memorial donations to be made to Hospice Care Corp., P.O. Box 760, Arthurdale, WV 26520.

Blanch Krushansky

Blanch Krushansky, 81, of Morgan Manor in Morgantown, and formerly of Westover, died Thursday, Aug. 24, 2006, at Morgan Manor.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 26, at St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church, with Father Leon Alexander as celebrant.

Burial will follow at East Oak Grove Cemetery.

Condolences may be sent to the family at McCulla@labs.net.

McCulla Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Douglas 'Dougie' Monroe Boggs

Douglas "Dougie" Monroe Boggs, 41, of Morgantown, passed away Wednesday, Aug. 23, 2006.

Friends will be received at the Fred L. Jenkins Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until time of services at 1 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 26, with the Rev. William Page officiating.

Burial will follow at the Beverly Hills Memorial Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to Michelle Boggs at 2010 Grafton Road, Morgantown, WV 26508.

SCHOOL

FROM PAGE 11-A

Trinity had an open house for students and parents this week, and held its new student orientation Friday, Staud said. The school had plenty of new students, and Staud is looking forward to getting school under way.

"As a private school, it is always a new experience with new families," Staud said. "Morgantown is an area where new families are moving in. We always experience new faces."

Morgantown High School doesn't have anything special planned for the first day, Principal Bob DeSantis said. He said the new year always brings a flurry of schedule changes and corrections, but he hopes to keep things down to a dull roar.

"We'll keep it as calm as possible and welcome students back for an enjoyable school year," DeSantis said.

As a new principal at Brookhaven Elementary School, Joe Newcome said he will start off school by introducing himself and helping kids learn about the new staff. He said the school has revamped its responsible-student guidelines, so it will take some time for students to get used to new rules.

Newcome said he was also excited about trying out new testing software that uses hand-held computers. Brookhaven is one of two schools that will be pilot programs for the project this year as a way to improve reading proficiency.

"It's really great to be on the cutting edge of the reading programs," Newcome said. "It ... improves the accuracy of the student as they go through the reading program."

Suncrest Middle School will have a big kickoff to welcome students back to school, Principal Jim Napolillo said. Students will gather in the gym for a welcome cheer, then get entertainment from some clowns.

In honor of the school's mascot, the seal, a Navy SEAL officer will talk to the students about his experiences, Napolillo said.

"I have a group of Navy SEALs coming to ... let them know what the SEALs stand for," Napolillo said. "School spirit will be our theme this year."

Cheat Lake Middle School has a new air of excitement this year, Principal Joanne Hines said. The school has added a variety of elective classes so students can choose from a wider range of courses, such as theater, public speaking or computers.

Hines said she is gearing up teachers to focus heavily on achievement this year. She wants students to want to learn.

"We're going to work hard on getting kids excited about learning," Hines said. "We're really going to concentrate on that positive attitude and that want-to-learn attitude."

SAMSELL

FROM PAGE 11-A

main library building.

McClung said the Aull Center also conducts special programs, such as a Veterans Day program and workshops in cooperation with the Daughters of the American Revolution. The congenial librarians not only are willing to help people find information, but they also do special research for presentation at the center. They are working toward an ongoing series of workshops.

TRY

FROM PAGE 11-A

spaghetti dinners to prepare for the race.

Madi donned a swimsuit and red swim goggles. She nodded her head to show she was ready for the race.

Shawn Willey Jr., of Fairmont, 7, was about to compete in his first triathlon. To prepare, he works out with his dad, he said. Susan Willey, his mother, said he also took swim lessons.

Competitor Austin Stire, 10, said he has been riding bikes and swimming for a week to get ready.

There are no times or results kept for the kids' race, said Chris Haddox, a member of the Sprint, Splash 'n Spin committee.

Children who competed in the race received a medal and a T-shirt.

Finishing the triathlon first was Katie Warner, 11, a member of the Morgantown United Aquatic Club.

"I like it, it's very fun," she said of her third time at the annual event. Warner is the daughter of Ben and Julie Warner, of Morgantown.

She is a cross-country runner for Cheat Lake Middle School, plays basketball and two instruments — violin and piano.

Adult competitions set for today require swimming 10 lengths of the pool (330 yards), biking 11 miles along the rail-trail from Marilla Park to Star City and back, and running 5 kilometers from Marilla Park east toward Summers School Road and back.

Children ages 14 and older are allowed to compete in the adult competitions — individual and team — if they have the ability.

The triathlon events are held to raise money for the Mon County Habitat for Humanity, to encourage people to exercise and to create a fun community event that highlights some of Morgantown's recreation facilities, according to the race Web site, sprintsplashspin.com.

Competition start times are staggered today. The first group of 10 individual competitors begins at 7 a.m., and others start every 10 minutes. The last individual competitors start at noon.

A person in the individual competition competes in all three events of the triathlon. Team starts begin at 12:20 p.m.

There are 30 teams registered. Each team has three people, who do one event each. Types of teams include all men, all women, mixed and family.

The last group of teams is set to start at 12:40 p.m.

"The Sprint, Splash 'n Spin is just a fantastic event," Haddox said after directing a group of children toward the bicycle event. "We couldn't do it without the community volunteers."

There are about 120 volunteers, he said.

Sprint, Splash 'n Spin committee members are Sandy Lawson, Chet Parsons, Ronna Monseau, Ben Warner, Colleen Harshbarger, Ralph Larue, Cathy Allen, Beth Halterman, Stephanie Bock, Melissa Cavanagh, Chris Haddox and BOPARC staff, according to the Web site.

RELIGION LISTINGS

ST. STEPHEN BAPTIST CHURCH OF SHRIVER, 10 a.m., Sunday school, 11 a.m., Sunday worship; 7 p.m., Wednesday, prayer and Bible study; the Rev. Russell Medley and Sylvia Medley, pastors, 599-6403, 598-3646.

ST. THOMAS a BECKET EPISCOPAL CHURCH, off W. Va. 857 N, Morgantown; 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m., Sundays, Holy Eucharist; 10:30 a.m., Sunday school; The Rev. Anthony Clavier, interim rector; Info: 296-0270 or www.stthomas-a-becket.org.

STURGISS CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Rohr/Snake Hill Road, 10 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m., Sunday worship; 7 p.m., Wednesday, Bible study; pastor James Weber; Info: 864-5704.

SUGAR GROVE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Sugar Grove Road, 10:30 a.m., Sunday, worship service; 11:30 a.m., blood pressure screening and fellowship, first Sunday of each month; pastor Leonard E. Graham, 599-2488.

SUGAR VALLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, three miles south of Bruce-ton Mills on Route 26; 8:30 a.m. Worship services; 9:45 a.m. Sunday School; classes available for all age groups; Rev. Vicki D. Sheppard, 379-7450.

SUNCREST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Drummond Chapel Campus, 479 Van Voorhis Road, 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. worship, childcare for both services; 9:45 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m., WAJR worship service; 7:30 p.m. each Thursday, (fall and spring semesters), youth and college ministry; 12:30 p.m. first Thursday of the month, United Methodist women; 7 a.m. Thursday, United Methodist men; 4 p.m. Thursday, Kids Rock; 7:15 p.m. Thursday, adult choir practice; Health Ministries, Trinity Campus, 520 Burroughs St., 599-5983; Aslam Barkat, senior pastor; Marcy Taylor Calvert, associate pastor, 599-6306 or suncrestumc.org.

TABERNACLE OF PRAISE, Route 1, Bull Run Road, Masontown; 10:30 a.m. Sunday school; 11:30 a.m., praise and worship; 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, preaching and teaching; pastor A.C. Mann, 864-6153, Assistant pastor, J. Dave Mann, 864-0148.

TEMPLE OF CHRIST CHURCH, Fitzgerald Avenue, Fairmont; 10 a.m. Sunday School; 11:30 a.m. Sunday morning worship; 6 p.m. Sunday night worship; 6 p.m. Wednesday Bible study; 6 p.m. Friday Unity Prayer; noon, Monday-Friday prayer; pastor Phyllis Agnew, 367-0578 or 292-0412.

TEMPLE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH, GOD IN CHRIST, Grand Central Station, Suite 6015; 11:30 a.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Thursday, Bible study; Veterans for Christ, U.S. Army retired, pastor Terry Robinson, 292-0056 or 594-9705.

TERRA ALTA CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, Brandonville Pike, Terra Alta, 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. and 6 p.m., Sunday worship and teens; 7 p.m. Wednesday worship/Bible study/home visitation worship service; all are welcome; pastor Gene David Turner, 789-6228.

TERRA ALTA WESLEYAN, W. Va. 7 West; 10 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m. Sunday worship; 6 p.m. Sunday; 7 p.m. Wednesday, prayer meeting; junior and youth church groups weekly; pastor Berlin Wilhelm, 789-5145.

THY HOLY MINISTRIES, Brown's Chapel Church just off the Grafton Road, on Brewer Road; 10 a.m. Sunday, worship service and children's church; 7 p.m. Wednesday, prayer circle; pastor Paul Cayton; Info: 291-0042.

TREE OF LIFE JEWISH CONGREGATION, 242 S. High St.; 8 p.m., Friday service; 10 a.m., Saturday service; Info: 292-7029.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 247 Willey St., Morgantown; Sunday services: 8 a.m., Holy Eucharist Rite I; 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II; 7 p.m. College Church Eucharist; nursery available; The Rev. Dr. Kirk Haas, Rector; Campus Ministry, 292-7364.

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Third Street, Terra Alta; 10 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m. Sunday worship; 7 p.m. Sunday service; 7 p.m. Wednesday, prayer study; Info: 789-6709.

TYRONE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 586 Tyrone Road, Morgantown; 9 a.m., Sunday worship; 10 a.m. Sunday school; pastor Lois Sandy, 296-7639.

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP, 429 Warrick St. at University Ave., Morgantown; 10:45 a.m., UU

Minister, the Rev. Micheal O'Kelly will preach on the topic: "GONE FISHING - Calm Water Spirituality in a Churn-Burn World," a spiritual exercise inspired by "mindfulness" and some poetic scriptures. Rev. O'Kelly is the new UU Consulting Minister in Morgantown. He will present a sermon each month and participate in orientation sessions, workshops, and other activities with the local Fellowship; Info: Sandy Cress, 292-8842.

VALLEY POINT APOSTOLIC CHURCH, Route 2, Box 384, Albright; 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. evangelistic service; 7 p.m., Wednesday service; free home Bible study available upon request; pastor the Rev. Jay Kelley, 379-3563.

VICTORY EVANGELICAL CHURCH, daughter church of Covenant Evangelical Methodist Church, meets at Lobb's Chapel in Kingwood; 9:30 a.m., Sunday school; 10:30 a.m., Sunday worship; Info: 594-2968.

WADESTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHARGE, first and third Sundays, Valley Chapel; 10 a.m. worship, Sunday; 11 a.m., Sunday school; Wadestown UMC, 11 a.m., worship, 10 a.m. Sunday school; second and fourth Sunday, Oak Forest, 11 a.m.-noon worship, no Sunday school; Mount Tabor, 10 a.m., Sunday worship; 11 a.m., Sunday school; pastor Rose Saunders, 798-3285.

WESLEY CHAPEL, Saltlick Road; 9 a.m. Sunday worship; 10 a.m., Sunday school; the Rev. Roy Mick, 454-2442.

WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, High and Willey streets; 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m., Sunday worship; 9:30 a.m. Sunday school, child care for all services; Worship at Wesley, cable Channel 3, 7 p.m., Monday and 11 p.m. Sunday; 7 p.m., Sunday Bible studies, college/young adult; 1:30 p.m., Monday study, Heritage Point; Mondays, 7:45 a.m., women's prayer breakfast; 7 a.m., third Wednesday, men's prayer breakfast, Shoney's; various Bible studies; Info: 292-9485.

WESLEY CHAPEL UMC, Coal Lick Road between Albright and Lenox; 9:45 a.m., Sunday school, 11 a.m., worship, second and fourth Sunday; 7 p.m. Bible study, Thursday.

WEST END UNITED BRETHERN, Racoon Valley Road, Tunnelton; 10 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m., Sunday services; 6:30 p.m., Sunday evening; 6:30 p.m., Wednesday, prayer service; pastor Carl Trickett, 568-2267.

WESTOVER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 28 North St.; 9:15 a.m., Sunday School; 5 p.m. Saturday and 10:30 a.m. Sunday, worship service; 7 p.m. Wednesday Bible study; handicapped accessible; assisted-listening devices; nursery available on Sundays; pastor Rosemarie 'Jo' McCartney, 296-2375 or westoverumc.com.

WEST WARREN BAPTIST CHURCH, 183 St. Leo Road, Wadestown, WV 26589; 10 a.m., Sunday school; 10:45 a.m., Worship; 7 p.m., first Tuesday, Am Baptist Women; 7 p.m., Wednesday, Bible study; the Rev. Jack L. Snoderly, 662-6447.

WHOSOEVER WILL HOLINESS CHURCH, 50 Mayfield Road, Morgantown; services broadcast on Channel 3; 7-9 a.m. Sundays; 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays; 2 p.m., Sundays; 7 p.m. Wednesdays; pastor Mikler, 291-6257.

WINGS OF FAITH CHURCH, 30 Front St., New Geneva, Pa., in historic New Geneva between Point Marion and Smithfield on Route 166; 10:30 a.m. Sunday school; 7 p.m. Sunday worship 7 p.m. Tuesday weekly worship; pastor Tim Strosnider, (724) 725-0656.

WOODLAND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 1846 Mileground Road, Morgantown; 9 a.m., Sunday school; 10 a.m. worship, (nursery provided), 11:15 a.m., fellowship time; the Rev. Rick Sale, 296-4029.

YOUNG LIFE, meetings; 7:30 p.m. Mondays at the Waterhouse (old Mason's building) at the top of High Street, for University High School and Morgantown High School students; Info: Young Life Office, 292-0895.

ZEN BUDDHIST MEDITATION, weekly meditation services 5:45-6:45 p.m. Wednesdays, at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, 429 Warrick St., at University Ave., Morgantown; 9 a.m.-1 p.m. third Saturday of each month, half-day meditation retreats; All welcome; Info: 216-1326 or bhaddaka@yahoo.com.

ZOAR HOUSE OF PRAYER, Sugar Grove Road, off U.S. 19, 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. worship; 6 p.m. worship; 7 p.m. Wednesday; the Rev. Barbara Hamrick, 983-7729 or 983-8369.

of Morgantown Hardware, the Monongalia Building & Loan Association and was a director of Monongalia General Hospital. He died May 12, 1955.

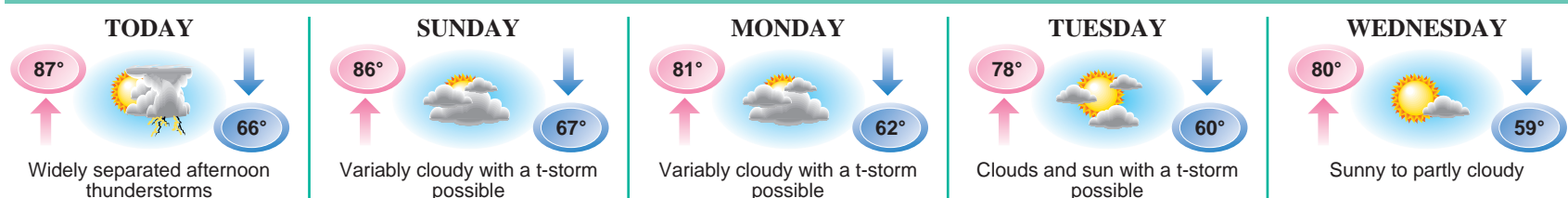
The estates of William J. and Josephine Mather Aull donated a reported \$400,000 to the city library to be used for a worthwhile project.

Money from the trust fund was used to purchase the Garlow House, thus the name Aull Center.

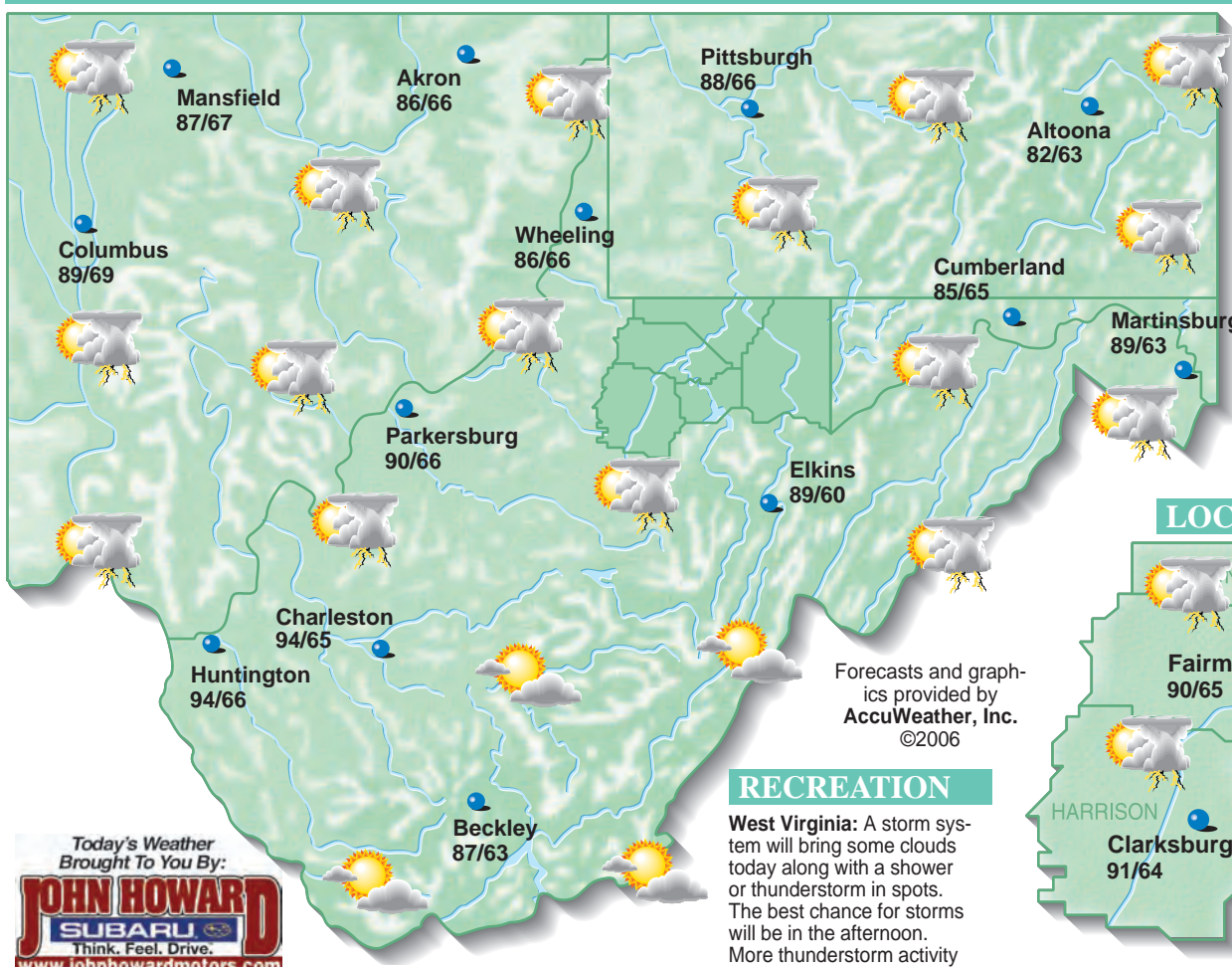
The center's street address is 351 Spruce St., and its e-mail address is aullcenter@verizon.net.

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FIVE-DAY FORECAST FOR MORGANTOWN



REGIONAL WEATHER



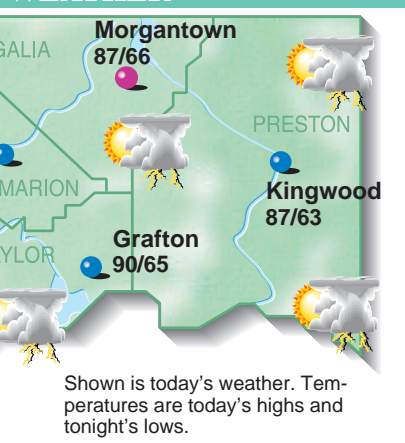
ALMANAC

Morgantown through 4 p.m. Friday
Temperature
 High/low 88°/63°
 Normal high/low 81°/61°
 Record high 92° in 1993
 Record low 45° in 1951
Precipitation
 24 hrs ending 4 p.m. Friday 0.00"
 Month to date 0.84"
 Year to date 25.90"

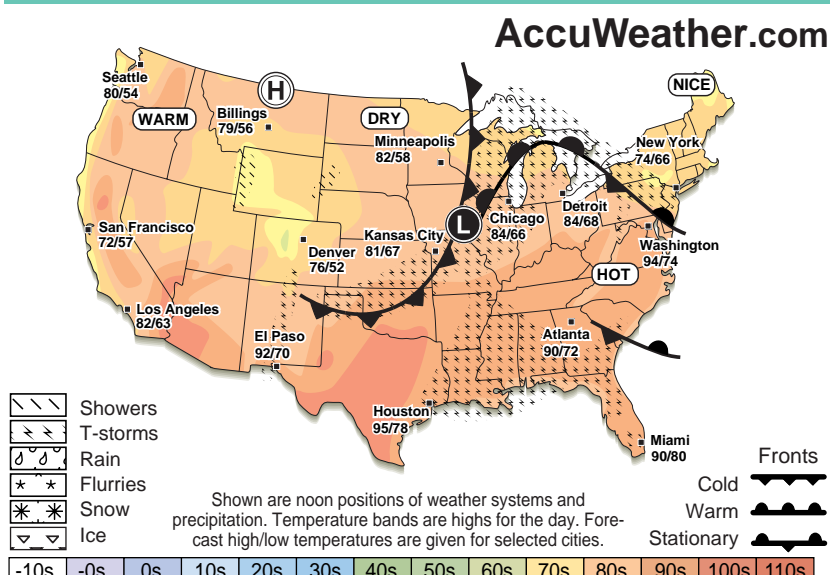
SUN AND MOON

Sunrise today 6:42 a.m.
 Sunset tonight 8:01 p.m.
 Moonrise today 9:17 a.m.
 Moonset today 9:14 p.m.

LOCAL WEATHER



NATIONAL WEATHER TODAY



POLLEN

Yesterday in Morgantown
 Grasses Absent Weeds High
 Trees Absent Molds High
 Source: WV University

UV INDEX

Highest today 6 high
 The ultraviolet index is a guide to exposure to the sun. The higher the UV index number, the greater the need for eye and skin protection.

REGIONAL CITIES

City	Sat. Hi/Low	Sun. Hi/Low
Beckley, WV	87/63/pc	85/67/pc
Charleston, WV	94/65/pc	90/69/t
Columbus, OH	89/69/pc	84/69/t
Cumberland, MD	85/65/t	84/67/t
Fairmont, WV	90/65/t	89/67/t
Grafton, WV	90/65/t	89/67/t
Huntington, WV	94/66/t	92/69/t
Kingwood, WV	87/63/t	85/66/t
Pittsburgh, PA	88/66/pc	84/66/t
Wheeling, WV	86/66/pc	84/67/t

SOLAR TABLE

Five-day forecast indicates peak feeding times for fish and game.

Major	Minor	Major	Minor
Sat.: 1:38 a.m.	7:48 a.m.	1:58 p.m.	8:07 p.m.
Sun.: 2:22 a.m.	8:32 a.m.	2:42 p.m.	8:52 p.m.
Mon.: 3:07 a.m.	9:17 a.m.	3:27 p.m.	9:38 p.m.
Tue.: 3:53 a.m.	10:04 a.m.	4:15 p.m.	10:26 p.m.
Wed.: 4:42 a.m.	10:54 a.m.	5:06 p.m.	11:17 p.m.

LAKES AND RIVERS

Lake	7 a.m. Yest.	24-hr Change
Cheat Lake	869.36	+0.0
Deep Creek, MD	2458.60	+0.0
Jennings Randolph	1449.28	-0.3
Stonewall Jackson	1071.49	+0.0
Tygart	1089.08	-0.3
Youghiogheny	1424.54	-0.5

ALMANAC

Associated Press
 Today is Saturday, Aug. 26, the 238th day of 2006. There are 127 days left in the year.
HIGHLIGHT IN HISTORY:
IN 1920, the 19th amendment to the U.S. Constitution, guaranteeing American women the right to vote, was declared in effect.
ON THIS DATE:
IN 1936, the Anglo-Egyptian Treaty, calling for most British troops to leave Egypt, was signed in Montreux, Switzerland (it was abrogated by Egypt in 1951).
IN 1961, the original Hockey Hall of Fame was opened in Toronto.
IN 1978, Cardinal Albino Luciani of Venice was elected the 264th Pope of the Roman Catholic Church following the death of Paul VI. The new pontiff took the name Pope John Paul I.
TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Former *The Washington Post* Executive Editor Benjamin C. Bradlee is 85. Former Democratic vice-presidential nominee Geraldine Ferraro is 71. Jazz musician Branford Marsalis is 46. Actor Chris Burke is 41. Actor Macaulay Culkin is 26. Rhythm-and-blues singer Cassie is 20. Actress Keke Palmer is 13.

Was something other than love in the air?

DEAR ABBY: I am a professional disc jockey and I also entertain at weddings and private parties on weekends. I've always been amazed at the number of parents who take children to wedding receptions and proceed to turn the toddlers loose while they kick back and enjoy themselves.
 Last weekend, I had just played the "first dance" songs and was playing a song for the bride, who wanted to have a special dance with her grandfather. About midway through the song, a woman came running to my table saying, "There's something wrong with the air! My throat is burning!" I looked up and the bride was holding her hand to her throat, gesturing at me to stop the music. About that time, about half the crowd started running for the door and out into the parking lot.
 The staff informed me that someone had let loose pepper spray into the hall. It turned out that someone had left a keychain with a small canister of pepper spray sitting on a table. A child about 4 years old, who was running loose through the hall, picked up the keychain, saw the shiny container with a button on the top—and pushed it. Talk about a great party stopper.
 Parents, if you bring a child to a reception, make sure that child is supervised. — "THE VELVET VOICE" IN HILLIARD, OHIO



JEANNE PHILLIPS
DEAR VELVET VOICE: I hear you loud and clear.
DEAR ABBY: A distant cousin "Maggie" stayed with my husband and me while she was visiting our area. When Maggie left, she took an expensive pair of scissors off the table. Nobody else was here, so it had to be her. She is a pharmacist and an only child. She's very well-off. We wined and dined her, and gave her some local gourmet items.
 I want to write and tell her we know she took the scissors. My husband tells me I should forget it. They were very special scissors and I miss them. What would you do? — MIFFED IN CHICKOPEE, MASS.
DEAR MIFFED: It appears Maggie has a compulsion to steal. It has nothing to do with her wealth or social status—it's a sickness.
 If it will make you feel better, you could write her and ask her if she packed them "by mistake." But don't hold your breath waiting for her to admit it.
JEANNE PHILLIPS writes "Dear Abby" under the pseudonym Abigail Van Buren.

TV LISTINGS

Channel	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
BROADCAST CHANNELS	CBS 2 News (S) (CC) 423	CBS Evening News (S) (CC) 775	ABC's World News Saturday 171	Entertainment Tonight (S) (CC) 2423	The Insider Celebrity News (N) (S) (CC) 959	NFL Preseason Football Tampa Bay Buccaneers at Jacksonville Jaguars. From ALLTEL Stadium in Jacksonville, Fla. (Live) (CC) 730978	News 9025794	Steelers Trivia Challenge 5741775	News 591	ABC's World News Saturday 171	Entertainment Tonight (S) (CC) 2423	** "Pearl Harbor" (2001, War) Ben Affleck, Josh Hartnett, Kate Beckinsale. Friends join a war effort after the Japanese attack Hawaii. (S) 725046	Ch. 4 Action News at 11 9010862	(11:35) Atlas Repercussions (S) 5533881
CABLE CHANNELS	7:00	8:00	9:00	10:00	11:00									
A&E	Believe: Inside 820688	City Confidential 889997	Cold Case Files 865317	Cold Case Files 878881	School Ambush 888268	Amer. Justice 643317								
AMC	(5-15) *** "Enemy of the State" (CC) 18008249	*** "The Last Samurai" (2003, Adventure) Tom Cruise. (CC) 58578133	*** "Godfather 3" 21598539											
BET	106 & Park: Top 10 Live 508688	Access 508688	Wayans Wayans	Wayans	Wayans	Wayans	Wayans	Wayans	Wayans	Wayans	Wayans	Wayans		
CNN	Week at War 398682	In the Footsteps of Bin Laden 296423	Larry King Live 423355	Larry King Live 423355	Larry King Live 423355	Larry King Live 423355	Larry King Live 423355	Larry King Live 423355	Larry King Live 423355	Larry King Live 423355	Larry King Live 423355	Larry King Live 423355		
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DISN	Life Derek [Suite Life] Muntana [So Raven] "The Cheetah Girls 2" (2006) Raven. (S) 559152	So Raven [Life Derek] Suite Life [So Raven] SportsCenter [Little League Baseball: World Series 725688] [Baseball Tonight (Live)] 627404	ESPN2 Gameday 1683355	Tennis: Pilot Pen - Men's Final 3894336	WNBA Basketball 6454510	MLS Soccer 8031768								
FAM	** "Two Can Play That Game" (2001) 570862	** "Deliver Us From Eva" (2003) (CC) 582607	** "Deliver Us From Eva" (2003) (CC) 582607	** "Deliver Us From Eva" (2003) (CC) 582607	** "Deliver Us From Eva" (2003) (CC) 582607	** "Deliver Us From Eva" (2003) (CC) 582607								
FOXSP	Pirates [Preview] Penn State [Penn State] MSN Game 306997	Preview [Steelers] Sports [Final Score] Poker-Aussie 355423	HIST Exodus Decode 687797	Mod Marvels 4482715	Ottoman Empire: The War Machine 8882571	Strange Egypt 5832256	Calligula: Reign 7594688							
LIFE	"Arthur Det" 288602	"Obituary" (2006) Josie Bissett. (CC) 836065	** "To Love, Honor and Betray" (1999) 587152	Housewives 832249										
NICK	School Zoey 101	OddParents/SpongeBob	Jimmy Neutron: Genieus 813249	Neutron	Roseanne [Roseanne] Roseanne [Roseanne]	TNA IMPACT! (S) 357881								
SPIKE	UFC Countdown 381713	Shocking Mom. 399607	Amazing Video 308355	Disorderly Con. 388591	Ult. Fighter 398978	TNA IMPACT! (S) 357881								
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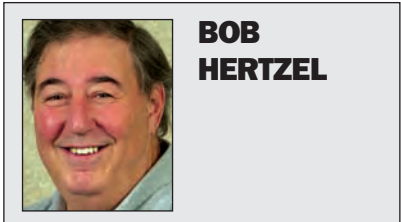
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BOB HERTZEL

Crow's small in stature but big in heart

IT WAS A DAY Jack Crow had waited for. He was in the seventh grade then back in Weirton, a football mad community, and this was the day he would be playing his first football game.

"I woke up and my mom was gone already," he recalled. "She had to go to work. But she left me a note."

To this day he remembers the message written on that note from his mother.

"Run like hell."

He did then, still does now.

He has to, for he is the littlest Mountaineer. The media guide lists him at 5-foot-11, 155 pounds.

Offensive guard Jeremy Sheffey has had bigger snacks than that.

Crow knows he's up against it, that the Class AA All-State honor he won while setting Weir's record for touchdown pass receptions was yesterday's news once he got to Morgantown.

"I had chances to go other places, D-III schools, a couple of I-AA schools. This was the best fit. This was where I felt comfortable," he said.

So he walked on at his state university, too good to pass up, too small to knock anyone's eyes out at first sight.

"Sometimes it's a little harder. You have to put in that extra 10, 20 percent. You have to make up for size," he said.

Somehow, speed and quickness has to overcome strength. You can't let the defensive backs hands get on you and slow you do, because if they do, they have taken away your greatest asset.

Last year was a learning year, a redshirt year.

"The hardest year I ever had playing football," he said. "It wasn't that college ball was harder, it was just the first year I wasn't playing games. To sit out a whole season like that is rough. My freshman year of high school, we played on the varsity level. It's been a long time since I didn't play."

Much of his time was spent working with Mike Barvis in the weight room, trying to pick up size and strength. Much of it was on the scout team, which leads to some awful thoughts of Crow coming across the middle at 155 pounds and being introduced to 255-pound linebacker Boo McLee.

A hundred pound differential is a lot of make up.

"You get hit," Crow said. "It's part of the game."

The problem is that at present he is on the wrong part of that game and must get bigger and stronger before he can be the one delivering the hits.

One thing appears certain, if he can do it he will do it for he is determined to find a way to get onto the field at WVU.

"When I came here I thought I could hang. I still do," he said. "Every day I'm trying to prove myself."

In some ways there are obstacles that seem insurmountable. Each year new prospects come in, many physically impressive studs.

This year, for example, Wes Lyons came down from Pittsburgh, a wide receiver who is 6-8 and has a scholarship.

"You may not get as many opportunities as a Wes Lyons, but when you get your opportunity you have to show them you belong here," Crow said.

In some ways, what Crow is accomplishing just by making the team is as much as some of the more highly publicized, physically gifted players accomplish for they do not face the odds he faces.

He doesn't come in thinking about lining up in an NFL stadium.

"I'm realistic. I'm not here for the NFL. But I want to play here. I hope the coaches see that I can contribute sometime."

Chances are they will if he only will remember to do one thing.

"Run like hell."

BOB HERTZEL is sports editor of *The Dominion Post*. He can be reached at sports@dominionpost.com

Slaton returning kicks? Could happen this year

BY MICHAEL CASAZZA
The Dominion Post

Before Rich Rodriguez was making the money he is today, before he was regarded as one of the top offensive minds in college football, the WVU coach mastered two concepts that would ultimately lead him to his fame and fortune.

The first was simple enough as he knew the team that scored the most points would always win. As the coach at Glenville State and later as offensive coordinator at Tulane and Clemson, he crafted ways to score in bunches and usually win in bunches.

Yet he did so because he learned a second scoop. Scoring was easier when the most talented, most productive players had the most opportunities. The trick then was to get the ball in their hands as much as possible.

If it began with Jed Drenning and Chris George at Glenville State

'If the coaches give me a shot at (returning kicks), I'd take full advantage of it. I like having the ball in my hands.'



Steve Slaton
WVU tailback

and continued with Shaun King and JaJuan Dawson at Tulane and Woodrow Dantzler and stunned defenders at Clemson, it's evolved at WVU.

Pacman Jones was too dangerous to be confined to just defense, so Rodriguez designed some plays for him on offense. Charles Hales was

a solid backup quarterback, but also useful as a receiver in certain packages.

Now Rodriguez is focused on taking advantage of the ample abilities of sophomore Steve Slaton. The tailback's impact might not be limited to just offense. Rodriguez said Slaton could return kicks this season.

"In certain situations, like USC would do with Reggie Bush, maybe a tight ball game in the fourth quarter where we need a little jump start or something like that, sure," Rodriguez said. "He's got the speed. He's the type of runner you want there."

Slaton, who has always been a kick returner and lined up several times early last season without an opportunity, wouldn't mind the work.

"If the coaches give me a shot at

SEE SLATON, 3-B

'Pacman' Jones arrested again

Won't play today against Falcons

MURFREESBORO, Tenn. (AP) — Former WVU and Tennessee Titans cornerback Adam "Pacman" Jones will not play in Saturday's preseason game against Atlanta after his arrest outside a nightclub Friday morning, coach Jeff Fisher said.

Jones was arrested after officers said he was arguing loudly with a woman and was charged with disorderly conduct and public intoxication.

Jones, 22, was described by police as slurring his speech, having bloodshot eyes and smelling strongly of alcohol.

"I am going to sit him out of this game on principle and not

because I believe he is guilty in this case based on what I believe the facts are at this time," Fisher said in a statement released Friday afternoon.

"Last January I let the team know that they would be held to a higher standard and this does not meet that standard."

The arrest came at 1:34 a.m. CDT, the day after the Titans broke training camp.

Jones had already been excused from Friday's team schedule for personal reasons, according to The Tennessean.

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Adam Jones

UHS hammers Huskies

Rushes for 236 in win

BY JUSTIN JACKSON
The Dominion Post

A few things became very clear Friday night, at Pony Lewis Field, during University High's 46-13 victory over North Marion.

■ The UHS passing game can get the job done.

■ Ryan Nehlen is a big-time receiver.

■ The Hawks have a stable of running backs deeper than the Monongahela River.

All of it pointed toward not only an easy victory over the Huskies (0-1), but this young UHS team may be a lot better off than some predicted.

"I'll go back to what I said earlier in August," UHS coach John Kelley said. "We're not going to be a terrible team. People see we lost a lot of seniors last year and not a lot of these kids played last year, because we had a lot of seniors. These kids can play and they're finally getting their chance and they're making the most of it."

The Hawks (1-0) used 10 ball-carriers, including quarterback Zane Breakiron, who showed some elusiveness on one second-quarter play when he spun out of a quarterback sack and ended up with a 4-yard gain.

Those 10 rushers gained 236 yards and provided some open-field moves that won't be seen on any Sony PlayStation in the near future.

UHS 46, N. MARION 13

Adrian Smith led the way with 66 yards and two touchdowns — on just three carries.

"We're very deep at running back this year and we all like to make plays and we all work hard," Smith said. "We're quick and fast and powerful. It's a lot of fun to watch all of those guys go."

Smith's 54-yard touchdown run with 2:12 left in the first quarter gave UHS a 12-0 lead and he not only juiced a few defenders on the play, but also ran through some.

"People think Adrian is just this fast little guy," Kelley said. "What they don't know is that he can bounce off people or run over them. He's one of our strongest kids and one of our hardest workers in the weight room. In fact, he's actually got some of our weight room records."

Smith's touchdown followed a leaping catch made by Nehlen for a 25-yard touchdown on the Hawks' first possession.

Breakiron lofted the pass and Nehlen, with single coverage on him, outjumped the defender for the score. Nehlen later caught a 23-yard touchdown from Mark Golden and finished with 88 yards on four receptions.

"People are going to have to pay attention to Ryan Nehlen," Kelley said. "Not only can he go up and get the ball, but he also showed the ability to take a short pass and turn it into a big play. He's a player."

Breakiron started the game and rotated with Golden. The two com-

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Todd Flint/The Dominion Post

UHS's Chad Shade runs past North Marion's Brandon Riggs during Friday night's game at Pony Lewis Field.

PREP ROUNDUP

RCB upsets Polar Bears

The Dominion Post

CLARKSBURG — The preseason hype surrounding the Fairmont Senior football team came to a screeching halt Friday with a 21-7 loss to Robert C. Byrd.

RCB tailback Zach Losh rushed for 152 yards on 21 attempts and scored two touchdowns, while quarterback Cody Gilmore threw for 116 yards and a touchdown.

Robert C. Byrd (1-0) rushed for 215 yards in all and held the Polar Bears (0-1) to 63 yards rushing. Fairmont Senior tailback Jerry Kelly had only seven rushing attempts and finished with 37 yards, while quarterback Kyle Allard threw for 144 yards, but was held to just 17 yards rushing.

Allard threw an 18-yard touchdown pass to Ben Kettering in the third quarter to tie the game at seven, but Losh answered with a 3-yard scoring run in the third quarter for the game-winner and Gilmore tossed a 24-yard scoring strike to Jordan Griffin in

SEE RCB, 4-B



Jason DeProspero/The Dominion Post

Preston's Josh Layton runs downfield as Buckhannon-Upshur defenders swarm to stop him Friday night at Knights Stadium.

Preston outlasts Buckhannon

BY MARK SCHRAF
The Dominion Post

KINGWOOD — Sometimes, a half a minute or so is all you need to take control of a football game.

Preston scored two touchdowns with 31 seconds remaining in the first half — the second a 20-yard touchdown pass from quarterback Michael Keim to tight end Cody Western well after the gun had sounded — to break a 14-14 tie, and the Knights went on to post a 41-28 victory over Buckhannon-Upshur.

B-U started the scoring on a 7-yard run from Cameron Currence and led 14-7 midway through the second quarter after Andrew Carrier tipped a pass from John Hyre over a defender, caught it on the run, and raced down the sideline for a 61-yard score.

But Preston came right back to tie on a 27-yard burst from running back Josh Layton, then took the lead 21-14 on Keim's 1-yard sneak with time running down.

That's when Jeffrey Mayne intercepted Hyre's attempt to connect

PHS 41, B-U 28

with Carrier and returned it 60-yards to set up the backbreaking score as time expired at the half.

Preston followed up with two more rushing scores by Layton to stretch their lead to 41-14, and two fourth-quarter touchdown passes from Hyre to Carrier was too little, too late for the Buccaneers.

"It was a true team effort," said delighted Preston coach Ralph Wilson. "Everybody is working hard for everybody else out there. We couldn't have asked for anything better."

Wilson was pleased with how Layton ran, especially downfield. Wilson was also happy with Mayne's work in the secondary, even though Carrier had three touchdown catches.

"We felt like Jeff could hold his own with him one-on-one, and for the most part he did. His return yardage tonight on punts and on the interception just before the half was really big. Plus he closed out the game with another pick to seal it."

Wrist injury knocks Venus Williams out of U.S. Open field

Associated Press
Two-time champion Venus Williams withdrew from the U.S. Open on Friday, citing the left wrist injury that's sidelined her since Wimbledon. "I have many great memories from competing at the U.S. Open, and I regret that I will not be able to participate in 2006," Williams said in a statement released by her agent. Williams, who was seeded 30th for the tournament, won the U.S. Open in 2000 and 2001, part of her collection of five Grand Slam titles. She also reached the U.S. Open final in 1997 and 2002. Vera Zvonareva, the highest-ranked player who wasn't seeded, now gets a seeding and will move into Williams' spot in the draw, facing Marta Domachowska of Poland in the first round. Zvonareva's original place in the draw — against No. 25 Anabel Medina Garrigues in the first round — will be filled by someone from the qualifying tournament.

NFL
The New England Patriots gave hold-out wide receiver Deion Branch a week to seek a trade and negotiate a contract

with another team. Branch, the 2005 Super Bowl MVP and the team's top receiver, has permission to seek a new team until Sept. 1, the team said Friday. Branch is scheduled to earn \$1.045 million this season, the last of his original five-year contract, but he wants a new deal. He has refused to report to the Patriots' mandatory preseason mini-camp and its ongoing training camp. Coach Bill Belichick has declined to discuss the situation, saying he'll talk only about players that are with the team.

NHL
Jay Heinbuck, formerly the head amateur scout for the New York Islanders, has been hired as the Pittsburgh Penguins' director of amateur scouting. Heinbuck replaces Greg Malone, a former Penguins player who recently took a job with the Phoenix Coyotes. Before working for the Islanders, Heinbuck was an assistant coach and recruiter at St. Lawrence University. General manager Ray Shero has overhauled the Penguins' staff since being hired in May to replace Craig Patrick. Patrick, a Hall of Fame execu-

BRIEFS
tive, had been the Penguins' general manager since 1989.

Baseball
A former longtime groundskeeper for the Philadelphia Phillies filed an age discrimination lawsuit against the team, claiming he was repeatedly degraded by a younger supervisor. Mark "Frog" Carfagno filed the complaint in federal court on Wednesday, his 53rd birthday. Carfagno had been working for the Phillies for 33 years when, in 2004, a 29-year-old was named head groundskeeper. Carfagno says his new boss asked him when he was going to retire, obscenely referred to older groundskeepers as a "bunch of ... geriatrics," and told younger crew members to "take the old guy (Carfagno) with you" when handing out assignments.

Boxing
Jose Luis Castillo was fined \$250,000 and his Nevada boxing license was sus-

pending for the rest of the year for failing to make weight for a June 3 title fight against Diego Corrales. The Nevada Athletic Commission also banned him from fighting below 140 pounds in the state. The commissioners, at a hearing Thursday at the Reno-Tahoe International Airport, were angered by Castillo's testimony that an unidentified member of his camp offered to draw his blood to help him shed weight. Castillo weighed in June 2 at 139½ pounds — 4½ pounds above the 135-pound limit for a lightweight title match. Losing 2 pounds would have salvaged the fight as a non-title bout.

Track and field
Already banned from U.S. Olympic Committee training sites, Justin Gatlin's coach isn't welcome at Nike headquarters, either. The shoe company has terminated its contract with Trevor Graham and suspended its contract with Gatlin until further notice, Nike spokesman Dean Stoyer said. Gatlin, the co-world record holder in the 100 meters, tested positive for testosterone and

other steroids at the Kansas Relays on April 22. On Tuesday, the U.S. Anti-Doping Agency issued a ban for a maximum of eight years, but Gatlin can reduce the ban substantially by cooperating with investigators.

Miscellany
A fired attorney for Maurice Clarett said Friday an assistant prosecutor offered a plea deal in July with a sentence as short as 1½ years if the ex-Ohio State football standout admitted to a robbery charge. On Friday, Claret was in court for a status hearing on that January robbery charge. He is scheduled to go on trial Sept. 18, pending a mental evaluation, on charges that he held up two people outside a Columbus bar early New Year's Day and took a cell phone from them. During the 20-minute hearing, Judge David Fais ruled he will not issue a gag order in the case. Claret spoke just once, responding "yes, sir" when Judge Fais asked if he understood the proceedings. He turned to smile at his mother and two friends who sat behind him.

NOTICES

Coaches' reminder: Please call in the results of your games by 10:30 p.m. to 291-9431. For games that run late, please call the next day. Thank you.

MISCELLANY

DON NEHLEN SPEAKING AT THE WVU COLLEGE OF LAW, 3:30 p.m., Aug. 29, Lugar Courtroom.
BIG EAST COMMISSIONER MIKE TRANGHESE SPEAKING AT THE WVU COLLEGE OF LAW, 11 a.m., Sept. 11, Lugar Courtroom.
NOMINATIONS FOR MORGANTOWN HIGH ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME's first class being accepted for individuals whose class graduated at least 10 years ago. Athletes, coaches, athletic directors, administrators and auxiliary personnel who have brought positive recognition to themselves and MHS. Deadline Oct. 27. Forms at school's athletic or main office. Send to Dan Erenich, athletic director, Morgantown High, 109 Wilson Av., Morgantown, 26501. Also online at mohanbas-ketball.com.
MONONGALIA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT comprehensive sports physicals for children 18 and younger. Sliding fee scale available. Some insurance accepted. Info: 598-5119
SPORTS PSYCHOLOGY SESSIONS with Dr. Jack Watson at the HIT Center. Appointment only. Info: 292-9404.
HEALTHWORKS BOOT CAMP WITH LEANNE BOYD, Sept. 18-Oct. 27; 5-6:15 a.m. OR 8:30-9:45 a.m. OR 5:30-6:45 p.m., Monday, Wednesday, Friday. Info: 599-9215.

BASKETBALL

FALL GIRLS LEAGUE for grades 2-8 now accepting team registrations through your school contact. Registration deadline is Sept. 6. Info: Kent at 284-0963 or Greg at 292-4495.
BASKETBALL OFFICIATING CLASS starting Sept. 10 at FairPlay Gym. Cost \$90. Info: John Jones, 292-0799.
MON VALLEY BASKETBALL OFFICIALS class for new basketball officials starts Sept. 13, 6:30 p.m., East Fairmont High School. Info: 599-5261.
BASKETBALL TECHNIQUE LESSONS with Alexis Basil or Nick Patella at the HIT Center in West-over. Appointment only. Info: 292-9404.
SPORTS CITY U BASKETBALL ACADEMY fall classes and leagues, Sept. 5-Oct. 23, in Hurricane, for all ages and abilities. Classes taught by Nike shooting and skills specialist Jim Clayton and staff. Info: (304) 562-2424; www.scohoos.com
SPORTS CITY U BASKETBALL ACADEMY summer follow-up conditioning and skills tune-up camps, in Hurricane, Oct. 7 summer follow-up camp; Oct. 24-26 middle school boys and girls camp; Oct. 30-Nov. 2 high school girls camp; Nov. 6-9 high school boys camp; Nov. 13-15 youth camp. Info: (304) 562-2424.
GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL FALL LEAGUE, starts Sept. 24. Info: Alexis Basil, 304-216-1345 or 692-6300.

GOLF

LEAGUE PLAY: Tuesday Mountainview Senior League: Weekly blind draw and skill prizes (594-2011). Mountaineer Golf Course Senior League: 50 and over (Loren Stumpe, 292-6211). Preston Country Club Senior League: Minimum age 55. Lakeview Ladies, all skill levels welcome, clinics available and a professional will be on the tee for free tips (594-2011).
WHITE DAY OPEN, Aug. 26-27 with practice round during the week. Six flights, including championship flight. Cash prizes. Info: 363-1999.
CENTRAL WEST VIRGINIA COAL MINING INSTITUTE fall outing benefiting Tri-State Coal Operators Association Mine Rescue Team covering Dana Mining, Kingwood Mining, Redbone Mining, Steyer 11, Cobra Mining, H & H Coal, 8:30 a.m. Aug. 26, Bel Meadow Country Club. \$65 individual, \$250 team.
DAY-NITE 3-MAN SCRAMBLE in memory of Bumper Sanders. 9 holes before dark, 9 holes after, Sept. 2 at Paradise Lake Golf Club. Bring your own team. One person with 10 or under handicap. Info: 291-8827.
SENIOR MEN'S TRI-STATE, Aug. 26-27, Preston Country Club. Age 50 and over. Info: Preston Pro shop, 329-2100.
MEADOW PONDS GOLF EVENTS: Labor Day Scramble, Sept. 4, 9 a.m. shotgun start, A-B-C blind draw. Sauirel Open, Sept. 16, 4-player scramble, choose your own team. 9 a.m. shotgun start. Meadow Ponds Open, Sept. 23-34.
6th ANNUAL MILEGROUND/MARQUIS MAKE-A-WISH SCRAMBLE, 12:30 p.m., Sept. 30, shotgun start at Mountaineer Golf Course. 3-person teams. Info: 304-328-5200.
MYLAN PARK HORSESHOE PITCHING CLUB SCRAMBLE to raise funds for making a bid for the World Horseshoe Pitching Tournament and to complete construction of the horseshoe pitching facility at Mylan Park. 3 p.m., Sept. 22, Mountaineer Golf Course, shotgun start.

SWIMMING

WEST VIRGINIA AQUATICS strokes clinic, Aug. 28-31, WVU Natatorium, 5-6 p.m., for ages 10-and under and 6-7 p.m., for ages 11 through high school. For year-round swimmers, high school swimmers and summer league swimmers. Info: www.wvaquatics.org or 960-8603.

SHOOTING

SPORTING CLAY SHOOT, register 2:30 p.m., first Sunday of month until October, Mason Dixon Rifle Club, Tyrone Road. Info: 292-5078 and http://www.mdcrc-inc.com/

ARCHERY

SPORTSMAN'S EMPORIUM REDNECK WEDNESDAY BOW SHOOT, every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Info: 225-2697.

FOOTBALL

MENS ADULT 8-MAN FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE forming. Games on weekends at Windmill Park. Fairmont beginning second week of September. Fee, \$250. Info: Ed 304-826-0912 or Mike 304-368-1102.

SOFTBALL

TOURNAMENT, Aug. 26-27, White Park in Morgantown, cash prizes, entry fee is \$125 and hit your own 44-core balls. Info: Starr at 216-1422 or 292-3313 or Tracy at 288-5983.
MEN'S FALL-SLOW-PITCH LEAGUE forming at Windmill Park. Entry fee, \$140. Info: 304-290-6484
BOPARC'S FALL SOFTBALL PACKETS available at the Morgantown Ice Arena and Marilla Office. Limited team (24 men's and (12) co-ed teams. First paid will be in the league. Forfeit fee (\$50)/roster due Aug. 23 and league fee (\$322) due Aug. 30. Weekly games start September 11. Info: Gordon 292-6865 or Michele 282-9246.

HOCKEY

MORGANTOWN HOCKEY ASSOCIATION registration for the 2006-07 youth hockey programs at the Morgantown Ice Arena. Online registration at www.morgantownhockey.com.
BOPARC ADULT HOCKEY now forming for the 2006 fall season. Must have a USA Hockey Card. Registration at the Ice Arena. Season starts Sept. 17. Info: at Ice Arena or call 292-6865 or Woody 291-3029.

BASEBALL

FALL BASEBALL CAMP, hosted by MVP Baseball. Tuesdays and Thursdays, Aug. 29-Sept. 21. Ages 7-16. Deadline: Aug. 23. Fee \$40 Info: 276-0462 or info@mvpwestvirginia.com
DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY BASEBALL CLINIC, Aug. 23, Duquesne Field, for ages 15-18. Players receive skill instruction, evaluations from Division I coaches from four-state area. Pitchers, catchers: 10-12:30 p.m.; position players: 12:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m. Info: (412) 396-5245.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Announced the resignation of Katie Kirby, director of public relations.
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Activated OF-INF Casey Blake from the 15-day DL. Optioned OF Franklin Gutierrez to Buffalo of the IL.
KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Placed OF Reggie Sanders on the 15-day DL. Recalled INF-OF Jeff Keppinger from Omaha of the PCL.
OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Placed SS Bobby Crosby on the 15-day DL, retroactive to Aug. 22. Recalled INF D'Angelo Jimenez from Sacramento of the PCL.
TEXAS RANGERS—Purchased the contract of INF-OF Eric Young from Oklahoma of the PCL. Optioned RHP Nick Masset to Oklahoma.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Named Tom Clark professional scout, Tommy Tonus and Billy Gasparino national coach-checkers.
National League
CINCINNATI REDS—Sent RHP Mike Burns outright to Louisville of the IL.
WASHINGTON NATIONALS—Activated C-B Robert Flick from the 15-day DL. Released INF Damian Jackson.
National Football Association
NEW ORLEANS HORNETS—Extended contract

of Jeff Bower, general manager, through the 2010-11 season. Promoted Brian Hagen to assistant to the general manager.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
DETROIT RED WINGS—Signed F Johan Franzen to a three-year contract.
PITTSBURGH PENGUINS—Named Patrik Allvin European scout, Dan MacKinnon and Bill O'Flaherty pro scouts, Jim Madigan amateur scout and Jay Heinbuck director of amateur scouting.
COLLEGE
LANDMARK CONFERENCE—Named John A. Reeves commissioner.
CONNECTICUT—Named Matt Plante men's assistant hockey coach.
NEW ENGLAND—Named Andy Biggs men's soccer coach.
NORTHERN COLORADO—Announced senior K David Dyches has been declared eligible for the 2006 football season.
OKLAHOMA CITY—Named Nick Bickes women's assistant rowing coach.
PENN STATE—Named Adam Smith director of wrestling operations.
UNLV—Named Travis Rettenmaier men's assistant tennis coach.

TODAY'S CALENDAR

SATURDAY, AUG. 26
HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL
H.D. Woodson, D.C. at Morgantown, 8 p.m.
PROFESSIONAL GOLF
Nationwide Golf Tour
Pete Dye Classic, Pete Dye Golf Club
GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL SOCCER
Marlinsburg at University, noon
Morgantown at Hedgesville, 5 p.m.
BOYS HIGH SCHOOL SOCCER
Marlinsburg at University, 4 p.m.
Morgantown at Hedgesville, 1 p.m.
COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL
Arkron at WVU, noon
Indiana at WVU, 8 p.m.

BASEBALL

National League				American League				
All Times EDT				All Times EDT				
East Division				East Division				
W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB	
New York	78	49	.614	—	—	—	—	
Philadelphia	65	63	.508	13½	—	—	—	
Florida	61	66	.480	17	New York	76	.50	
Atlanta	59	68	.465	19	Boston	71	.56	
Washington	55	73	.430	23½	Toronto	68	.60	
Central Division				Central Division				
W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB	
St. Louis	67	60	.528	—	Baltimore	57	.51	
Cincinnati	67	61	.523	½	Tampa Bay	52	.77	
Milwaukee	62	66	.484	5½	Detroit	81	.48	
Houston	61	68	.473	7	Chicago	75	.52	
Chicago	54	74	.422	13½	Minnesota	74	.52	
Pittsburgh	50	79	.388	18	Cleveland	59	.68	
West Division				West Division				
W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB	
Los Angeles	66	61	.520	—	Oakland	72	.55	
San Diego	65	62	.512	1	Los Angeles	67	.61	
Arizona	62	65	.488	4	Texas	66	.63	
San Francisco	62	66	.484	4½	Seattle	58	.69	
Colorado	59	68	.465	7	Friday's Games			
Thursday's Games				Cleveland 4, Detroit 2				
Milwaukee 12, Colorado 6				Baltimore 4, Tampa Bay 0				
Chicago Cubs 11, Philadelphia 2				Toronto 6, Kansas City 3				
Pittsburgh 5, Houston 3				Oakland at Texas, 8:35 p.m.				
N.Y. Mets 6, St. Louis 2				Minnesota at Chicago White Sox, 8:35 p.m.				
Cincinnati 6, San Francisco 3				Boston at Seattle, 10:05 p.m.				
Friday's Games				N.Y. Yankees at L.A. Angels, 10:05 p.m.				
Houston 5, Pittsburgh 1				Saturday's Games				
Philadelphia 4, N.Y. Mets 3				N.Y. Yankees (Lidle 10-9) at L.A. Angels				
Washington 7, Atlanta 6				(E.Santana 12-6), 4:05 p.m.				
Florida 6, Milwaukee 5				Kansas City (Hernandez 3-8) at Toronto				
St. Louis 2, Chicago Cubs 0				(Halladay 16-3), 4:07 p.m.				
San Diego at Colorado, 9:05 p.m.				Tampa Bay (Shields 6-6) at Baltimore				
L.A. Dodgers at Arizona, 9:40 p.m.				(Bedard 12-9), 4:35 p.m.				
Cincinnati at San Francisco, 10:15 p.m.				Detroit (Verlander 15-6) at Cleveland (West-				
Saturday's Games				brook 10-8), 7:05 p.m.				
Washington (Astacio 3-3) at Atlanta (Smoltz 11-				Minnesota (J.Santana 15-5) at Chicago				
6), 1:20 p.m.				White Sox (Contreras 11-6), 7:05 p.m.				
Chicago Cubs (Hill 3-6) at St. Louis (Carpenter 12-				Oakland (Blanton 13-10) at Texas (Eaton 3-				
6), 1:20 p.m.				3), 8:05 p.m.				
Cincinnati (Arroyo 10-8) at San Francisco (Lowry				Boston (D.Wells 2-3) at Seattle (Meche 9-8),				
6-7), 4:05 p.m.				10:05 p.m.				
Milwaukee (Davis 9-7) at Florida (Willis 8-6), 6:05								
p.m.								
Houston (Pettitte 11-13) at Pittsburgh (Duke 8-11),								
7:05 p.m.								
Philadelphia (Lieber 6-9) at N.Y. Mets (Perez 2-								
10), 7:10 p.m.								
San Diego (Hensley 7-10) at Colorado (Jennings								
7-10), 8:05 p.m.								
L.A. Dodgers (Lowe 11-8) at Arizona (Batista 10-5),								

HAMMERS

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bined to complete 6-of-11 passes for 139 yards and each threw a touchdown.

"I didn't think the rotation hurt us tonight, but we'll still up in the air right now on how much we'll continue to do that," Kelley said. "I thought both guys made great decisions. I liked Zane's decision making when he tucked it and ran with it."

Dominique Dixon, who had some nifty moves in the open field, and Sonny Hilson combined for 97 yards rushing on nine attempts, while freshman Steve Bohon added 49 yards and a touchdown.

"What I like about our three backs and also from our offensive line is it gives the opportunity to run to set up the pass," Kelley said. "It was good to get Sonny back, he's been out the last two weeks with a concussion. Adrian is just great and Dominique ran well on the inside."

"Bohon is a story. For a freshman, I really liked what I saw out of him tonight and you have to give credit to Travis Price, he was the one opening up most of the holes as a fullback."

North Marion 0 0 0 13—13
University 19 6 14 7—46
SCORING SUMMARY
UHS—Ryan Nehlen 25 pass from Zane Breakiron (kick failed)
UHS—Adrian Smith 54 run (kick failed)
UHS—Brandon Tucker 64 punt return (Kwasi Frempong kick)
UHS—Nehlen 23 pass from Mark Golden (run failed)
UHS—Smith 16 run (Frempong kick)
UHS—Dominique Dixon 37 fumble return (Frempong kick)
NM—Jason Jones 17 pass from Josh Harvey (kick failed)
NM—Eric Hinerman 2 run (Corey Straight kick)
UHS—Steve Bohon 5 run (Paul Casto kick)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: University—Smith 3-66 2 TD, Dixon 4-37, Sonny Hilson 5-60, Bohon 12-49 TD, Brandon Tucker 1-11, Travis Price 1-4, Garett Bishop 2-9, Ryan Watts 2-2, Breakiron 3-10, Robert Curras 1-6, Team 2-(12). **North Marion**—Hinerman 11-119 TD, Johnny Rogers 21-69, Harvey 2-(2).
PASSING: University—Breakiron 3-40 77 TD, Golden 3-7-0 42 TD. **North Marion**—Harvey 7-19-1 78 TD.
RECEIVING: University—Nehlen 4-88 2 TD, Chad Shade 2-51. **North Marion**—Jones 5-66 TD, Brandon Riggs 1-5, Hinerman 1-7.
INTERCEPTIONS: University—Jon Waldron. **North Marion**—none.
SACKS: University—Ryan Watts. **North Marion**—Shane LeBlond.

TV SPORTS WATCH

AUTO RACING
7 a.m.: SPEED — Formula One, qualifying for Turkish Grand Prix, at Istanbul, Turkey
7:30 p.m.: TNT — NASCAR, Nextel Cup, Sharpie 500, at Bristol, Tenn.
GOLF
1:30 p.m.: TGC — Nationwide Tour, Pete Dye Classic, third round, at Bridgeport, W.Va.
2 p.m.: CBS — PGA Tour/WGC, Bridgestone Invitational, third round, at Akron, Ohio
ESPN2 — LPGA, Wendy's Championship for Children, third round, at Dublin, Ohio
4 p.m.: NBC — USGA, U.S. Amateur, semifinal matches, at Chaska, Minn.
6 p.m.: TGC — Champions Tour, The Tradition, third round, at Aloha, Ore.
10:30 p.m.: TGC — PGA Tour, Reno-Tahoe Open, third round, at Reno, Nev. (same-day tape)
HORSE RACING
5 p.m.: ESPN — NTRA, LIVE: Travers Stakes, King's Bishop Stakes, Bernard Baruch Handicap and SAME-DAY TAPE: Ballston Spa Handicap, at Saratoga Springs, N.Y.
LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL
3:30 p.m.: ABC — World Series, U.S. Championship, Beaverton, Ore. vs. Portsmouth, N.H.-Columbus, Ga. winner, at Williamsport, Pa.
7:30 p.m.: ESPN — World Series, International Championship, Matamoros, Mexico vs. Kawasaki City, Japan, at Williamsport, Pa.
MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL
1 p.m.: FOX — Regional coverage, Chicago Cubs at St. Louis or Washington at Atlanta
4 p.m.: FOX — Regional coverage, N.Y. Yankees at L.A. Angels
7 p.m.: WGN — Minnesota at Chicago White Sox
NFL FOOTBALL
8 p.m.: CBS — Preseason, Tampa Bay at Jacksonville
PREP FOOTBALL
Noon: ESPN — Belle Glades Central, Fla. vs. Byrnes, S.C., at Duncan, S.C.
SOCCER
11 p.m.: ESPN2 — MLS, Houston at CD Chivas USA
TENNIS
Noon: CBS — ATP/WTA Tour, Pilot Pen, women's championship match, at New Haven, Conn.
7 p.m.: ESPN2 — ATP/WTA Tour, Pilot Pen, men's championship match, at New Haven, Conn.
4 p.m.: ESPN2 — Playoffs, conference finals, game 2, Detroit at Connecticut
9 p.m.: ESPN2 — Playoffs, conference finals, game 2, sacramento at Los Angeles

PRO GOLF

Pete Dye Classic		Vaughn Taylor	
Friday		71-67—138 -2	
At Pete Dye Golf Club		68-70—138 -2	
Bridgeport, W.Va.		69-69—138 -2	
Purse: \$600,000		70-68—138 -2	
Yardage: 7,300; Par: 72		67-71—138 -2	
Second Round		70-68—138 -2	
Boo Weekley	67-67—134	Thomas Bjorn	73-67—140 E
Brad Faxon	69-67—136	Stephen Ames	72-69—141 +1
Rick Price	69-67—136	Trevor Immelman	68-76—141 +1
Zach Johnson	69-69—138	Angel Cabrera	70-68—138 -2
Danny Briggs	71-67—138	Michael Campbell	67-71—138 -2
Charlie Wie	72-66—138	J.J. Henry	70-68—138 -2
Chris DiMarco	66-72—138	Paul Casey	69-69—138 -2
Mike Weir	66-72—138	Paul Casey	72-67—139 -1
Ben Crane	68-70—138	Stephen Ames	69-70—139 -1
Charl Schwartzel	70-68—138	Zach Johnson	69-70—139 -1
Jason Gore	70-69—139	Justin Leonard	71-68—139 -1
Arron Oberholser	68-71—139	Chris DiMarco	68-72—140 E
Tom Lehman	69-70—139	Mike Weir	69-71—140 E
Nick O'Hern	73-66—139	Ben Crane	73-67—140 E
David Toms	72-67—139	Charl Schwartzel	72-69—141 +1
Carl Pettersson	69-73—142 +2	Jason Gore	67-74—141 +1
Sergio Garcia	69-73—142 +2	Tom Lehman	72-69—141 +1
Fred Funk	71-68—139	Dave Toms	67-74—141 +1
Robert Allenby	69-70—139	Carl Pettersson	70-72—142 +2
Ian Poulter	71-68—139	Fred Funk	69-73—142 +2

PACMAN

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Earlier in the week, Jones had talked about buying about 60 tickets for family and friends to watch him play Saturday against his hometown team. He missed playing against Atlanta last year because his rookie contract paperwork wasn't complete.

"I would expect him to be on the sidelines Saturday night in the game against the Falcons encouraging his teammates and getting encouragement from his teammates," Fisher said.

Jones was arguing with a woman he accused of stealing his wallet inside the club and passing it to one of her friends, police said.

Officers said they ordered Jones to leave several times, but he refused and continued to shout profanities.

The police report said Jones got into a car driven by someone else but then leaned out the window and continued to curse at officers and the woman. He was then arrested.

The arresting officers said Jones yelled profanities at them and cried both in the squad car and at the jail. During booking he asked officers what city he was in, the report said.

Jones was released from custody in lieu of \$750 bond.

He refused to sign an incident report over the theft of his wallet, which authorities said contained \$750.

The woman Jones was arguing with, Shakkiah Curtis, said his wallet and her purse were taken by other patrons at the club, the report said.

Neither Jones nor his attorney could immediately be reached for comment.

Another patron also filed a police complaint accusing Jones of assaulting her. Toya Garth of Antioch told police that Curtis accused her of taking the purse and that Jones spit in her face. She said she spit back at him.

Garth didn't immediately seek an arrest warrant against Jones, the sheriff's department said.

Jones has had several encounters with police since joining the NFL. The cornerback left WVU last year after his junior season.

Almost three months after the Titans made him the sixth overall pick in the 2005 draft, Jones was arrested after an incident at a Nashville nightclub. The charges were later dismissed.

Last April, police announced they had confiscated a 2004 Cadillac XLT with "PAC-MAN" embroidered on the front seats.

The Nashville police chief said at a news conference that Jones was an acquaintance of the main target in a drug investigation.

Days later, police interviewed Jones about shots fired while he was in the parking lot of a gas station.



Chris Paul drives to the basket against China's Mo Ke in the second half of the world basketball championship preliminary round action in Sapporo, northern Japan, earlier this week.

Paul seamlessly settles into point guard role

Tied for tournament lead with 34 assists

SAITAMA, Japan (AP) — Chris Paul isn't Allen Iverson and Stephon Marbury. And for the U.S. team at the world championships, that's probably a good thing.

Iverson and Marbury brought NBA star power to the point-guard position at the 2004 Olympics — and left with a bronze medal. Their skills weren't a good fit in the international game.

So when USA Basketball managing director Jerry Colangelo and coach Mike Krzyzewski put together their team, they wanted to find a true point guard. The U.S. needed someone to feed LeBron James, Carmelo Anthony and Dwyane Wade.

"The point guard, the way we are going to be structured, needs to be someone who can distribute the ball, among other things," Colangelo said last spring.

Paul has done exactly that in his senior U.S. team debut in the worlds. His steady, unselfish play is a big reason the Americans swept through

Group D. The U.S. opens medal play Sunday against Australia, which finished fourth in Group C.

With 34 assists, Paul is tied for the tournament lead with Argentina's Pepe Sanchez, the former Temple player. Paul also has only six

'He's a very good player, and he's very quick to pick up on the different rules.'

Shane Battier
U.S. forward

turnovers in a team-high 123 minutes.

"He's been playing great," U.S. center Dwight Howard said.

It's been an adjustment for Paul. As the NBA's rookie of the year with New Orleans/Oklahoma City last season, Paul's talents were never in doubt. His lack of international experience raised questions about whether the 21-year-old guard was ready for the world stage.

"When Mr. Colangelo called and

asked me, I didn't even have to think about it, to tell you the truth," Paul said. "I knew right away that I wanted to play. It was my first year in the NBA, and there's no greater honor than to represent your country."

Five games into the tournament, Paul hasn't looked like a newcomer. Although he is relatively small at 6-foot, he hasn't been intimidated by the hand-to-hand combat that passes for defense in the international game.

"He's a good player, and he's been very quick to pick up on the different rules," said forward Shane Battier, an international veteran. "I think he's one of the quickest learners in how much more physical you can be, especially at the defensive end. That's probably the biggest adjustment a point guard has to learn playing internationally. Chris has picked that up, and he's doing a great job right now for our team."

Paul has also adjusted to the demands of running an offense that features some of the world's best scorers. He averaged 16.1 points for the Hornets this year but doesn't need to put up those kinds of points on this team. He's averaging 9.0 points for the U.S.

Fans warm up to Kurt Busch

Cold receptions are thing of past

BY JENNA FRYER
AP Auto Racing Writer

BRISTOL, Tenn. — From his perch behind the bar, Kurt Busch appeared completely at ease as he served up cold brews during a stint as a celebrity bartender.

He posed for pictures, signed autographs, chatted with fans and seemed to be soaking up the moment. Oh, how far he's come.

Busch's appearance was a far cry from his reception here in 2003. He had just notched another win at Bristol Motor Speedway, but his celebration was muted by the thundering negative reaction he received from the 160,000 fans in attendance.

In the three years since, Busch has slowly and surely won some support. Is he NASCAR's most popular driver? Absolutely not. But he's certainly not Public Enemy No. 1 anymore.

"It's been nice," he said Friday. "I think people are starting to warm up a little bit. Someone told me that during the hauler parade into the track, a guy dropped down in front of the truck and did a snow angel (Busch's victory celebration)."

"We're just doing more and more appearances, trying to inject some fun into them and reach out to fans a little bit to give them a chance to get to know me."

The fans at Bristol will get to see a lot of Busch this weekend. He'll start from the pole for Saturday night's race, where he'll be going for his sixth career victory on the .533-mile bullring.

Busch won here in March, using a bold bump of former teammate Matt Kenseth to grab his only victory of the season. He'll try to make it a sweep in a less controversial fashion and appears to have a car good enough to do it — Busch was fastest in practice, leading nemesis Kevin Harvick in the session.

"We had a great practice, and the way the car was underneath me really gave me a lot of confidence," Busch said.

Busch needs it now, with his championship hopes falling out of reach. He's currently 14th in the standings and has three races to rally into the top 10 and qualify for the Chase for the championship.

"Our chances are very slim, but we haven't given up," said the 2004 Nextel Cup champion. "We attack each week as if it's the last week. No sense holding back. We're just going to let everything rip and see where

Busch wins pole position at Bristol

BRISTOL, Tenn. (AP) — Kurt Busch won the pole Friday at Bristol Motor Speedway, putting him in perfect position for a season-sweep at his favorite race track.

Busch ran a qualifying lap at 124.906 mph to put his No. 2 Dodge out front for Saturday night's race. He beat Jeff Burton, who turned a lap at 124.808 to qualify second.

"It was on the edge, and it was fast," Busch said. "We've had a lot of good finishes here, but this is the best start we've ever had."

Busch has won five of the past nine races in Bristol, including the March event when he bumped former teammate Matt Kenseth out of his way to score the win. But he's never started on the pole before — his previous best starting position was fifth in his 2003 victory when he drove for Roush Racing.

"I guess I'm teamed up with a group that can qualify now," said Busch, who has three poles in his first season driving for Penske Racing South. "We've had some great runs this year and one of the best average starting positions at all the tracks so far."

Bobby Labonte qualified third and was followed by Matt Kenseth, Tony Stewart and rookie Denny Hamlin.

Kevin Harvick, Kyle Petty, Elliott Sadler and rookie Reed Sorenson rounded out the top 10.

we wind up."

Even if Busch fails to make the Chase, this season still will be considered a success. Before this year, his first driving for car owner Roger Penske, he was universally disliked. He came across as cocky and arrogant and had a longtime feud with veteran Jimmy Spencer that exploded when Spencer punched him in the nose after a race in Michigan in 2003.

NASCAR suspended Spencer for one week. Busch went on to Bristol and found himself vilified, even though he had been the one punched in the face.

Two aces in same round? It's true

Miyazato pulls off feat in Reno

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Japan's Yusaku Miyazato became the first golfer to make two holes-in-one in the same round of a PGA Tour tournament when he aced a pair of par 3s Friday at the Reno-Tahoe Open.

Miyazato accomplished the feat on the 230-yard, downhill seventh hole and then the 173-yard, uphill No. 12 at the Montreux Golf and Country Club.

Bob Tway had two aces in the same tournament at the Memorial in 1994 and Glen Day did the same at the Greater Hartford Open the same year, but PGA Tour officials said they could find no record of any golfer on tour who pulled it off the same day.

Miyazato, 26, who lives in Tokyo, speaks only a little English so his caddie served as a translator for reporters after the round. But he knew how to answer directly when asked how he planned to celebrate Friday night.

"Drink much beer. Big party," he said with a wide smile.

Miyazato has played four years on the Japanese Tour, earning less than \$1 million in that time, he said through his caddie.

He had one previous hole-in-one and was "very excited" when he holed out the first one on Friday with a 4-iron.

"But the second time, it was real-

ly unbelievable. I couldn't believe it," Miyazato said through his caddie. He hit a 7-iron for that one.

Because of the undulating nature of the greens, he didn't see either drop in the cup. The crowd let him know the first was an ace.

On No. 12, the gallery was sparse so he was expecting it had hit the pin but bounced away. "When I went to the green, I was surprised," he said.

Miyazato started the second round tied for 17th at 3-under-par 69, six strokes behind first-round leader Will MacKenzie. His second hole-in-one pushed him to 8-under-par and he finished with a 68 for the day to

get to 9-under par 135 for the tournament.

MacKenzie was playing in the group ahead and was told there had been a pair of aces by the same golfer, but didn't know who it was.

"We heard them cheering back there," he said.

PGA officials had Miyazato sign the two Tour Stage golf balls he used, which they planned to send to the World Golf Hall of Fame at St. Augustine, Fla.

"I'm very proud of the PGA Tour history," Miyazato said. "Everybody watches the PGA Tour on TV (in Japan) because there are many Japanese professionals."

Miyazato, who was born in Okinawa, is playing in the tournament on an international exemption granted by Reno-Tahoe Open officials and was eligible because he won the rookie title in Japan last year.

SLATON

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it, I'd take full advantage of it," he said. "I like having the ball in my hands. I like to be involved. Running the ball, catching the ball, anything that has to do with me having the ball in my hands, I like it."

He'll get it, too. Rodriguez said Slaton will receive more carries this season, perhaps 30 per game if necessary, and he's confident the back can handle it because he's improved his strength and conditioning in the offseason. Slaton won the Iron Mountaineer Award for his work in WVU's winter workouts.

Kick returns shouldn't take away from Slaton's effectiveness running the ball and wouldn't add much strain to his responsibilities. Rodriguez stressed the chances would be minimal.

There is a risk for injury, perhaps even an increased risk, but there's a risk with any play. Slaton dismissed the idea WVU would expose him to danger with more carries and kick returns.

"Football is a tough sport," he said. "I'll try to do the best I can do to stay out there. I worked real hard on my endurance so I can do that in games."

WVU ranked No. 21 nationally in kick returns last year at 23.06 yards per attempt and Antonio Lewis and Vaughn Rivers are back this season. However, Slaton is the fastest player on the team and his 40-yard dash is recorded in the media guide at 4.37 seconds.

"Your kick returner has to have the speed to hit that crease and go," Rodriguez said. "Shawn Terry wasn't a great side-to-side, make-you-miss guy, but when he hit that hole he had the speed to pull away. You need speed and a guy who hits and goes."

That would be Slaton, who had 12 plays of at least 20 yards last season, including four for touchdowns.

"I think I see pretty well," Slaton said. "If I can catch it on the fly and see the field and read off everyone's blocks, I think I have an advantage doing that."

Weekley birdies 6 holes, leads Classic

Staff, wire reports

BRIDGEPORT — Boo Weekley fired another 5-under 67 to move to 10-under 134 Friday to stake his claim on the lead at the midway point of the \$600,000 National Mining Association Pete Dye Classic.

"We struck the ball well again today," said Weekley. "It was another good round."

Weekley, currently No. 26 on the Nationwide Tour money list, made his way around the par-72 Pete Dye Golf Club with just one bogey to go along with birdies on Nos. 5, 6, 8, 11, 13 and 14.

"I think 90 percent of it is I'm comfortable driving the ball here," said Weekley, who hit 11 of 14 fairways and 12 of 18 greens in regulation. "On these types of golf courses you've got to keep it in front of you and keep it in play. I've done that so far this week."

Weekley is still seeking that elusive first career victory on the Nationwide Tour, having come close with five top-10 finishes in 2006. This marks the fourth time this season he has held the lead after a round, carrying the 54-hole lead at the Chattanooga Classic to a tie for third-place finish and then the 36- and 54-hole lead on to a fifth-place showing at the Price Cutter Charity Championship.

Tiger over the roof and in the lead

Tiger Woods in the lead at Firestone is typical.

Woods hitting a 9-iron over the clubhouse roof and escaping with bogey because it was not marked out-of-bounds made the Bridgestone Invitational nothing short of bizarre on Friday.

Woods birdied his first four holes and shot a 6-under 64 to take a one-shot lead over Davis Love III, but what made the second round memorable was a bogey on his final hole that left Woods feeling lucky after a

GOLF ROUNDUP



Todd Flint/The Dominion Post

Kevin Shields hits a shot at the Pete Dye Classic Friday. Shields finished with a 74 and failed to qualify.

strange sequence of events.

It started from the right rough on No. 9 when Woods hit a 9-iron from 167 yards that jumped out of the grass, soared over the flag and over the grandstands. It hit the concrete path and bounced over a balcony and onto the roof.

From the back of the clubhouse, Summit County deputy sheriff Bill Muncy was sitting in his chair when he noticed a golf ball bouncing around the service area below him and next to a youngster.

"The kid looked up and said, 'Who's throwing balls at me?'" Muncy

said. "Then he stuck it in his pocket."

Whether the kid saw the swoosh and "TIGER" imprinted on the ball was unclear. Woods stood in the fairway nearly 10 minutes before rules officials arrived and trying to figure out their next step. Some said it went into an air-conditioning duct. A clubhouse attendant said it dropped down on the other side.

Dillard Pruitt, the rules official, talked to the deputy sheriff and then went about figuring out where Woods should drop. There was no penalty because the grandstands — known as a temporary immovable obstruction in the Rules of Golf — were in his way.

Woods eventually took relief from the rough near the first tee, 84 yards away, hit a lob wedge to 30 feet and two-putted for bogey, putting him at 9-under 131 going into the weekend.

Kang, Lee rise to top

at Wendy's as Kerr falters

DUBLIN, Ohio — The South Korean contingent is once again leading the way at the Wendy's Championship for Children.

Defending champion Cristie Kerr ran into problems down the stretch to leave Soo-Yun Kang and Jee Young Lee atop the leaderboard through Friday's second round.

"I had it going all day until the last couple of holes," Kerr said, adding she was "furious" with her finish. Kang shot a 6-under 66 and Lee had a 67 to share the top spot at 11-under 133 at the tournament's midpoint.

"We are very friendly," Kang said of the relationship between the 32 South Koreans on the LPGA Tour. "After we finish a round, we go to dinner sometimes, and we drink.



RCB

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the fourth quarter. Griffin had 84 yards receiving on four receptions.

Fairmont Senior	0 0 7 0-7
Robert C. Byrd	0 7 7 7-21

SCORING SUMMARY

RCB—Zach Losh 14 run (Dakota Jackson kick)
FS—Ben Ketterling 18 pass from Kyle Allard (Jonathan Haun kick)

RCB—Lash 3 run (Jackson kick)
RCB—Jordan Griffin 24 pass from Cody Gilmore (Jackson kick)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: Fairmont Senior—Jerry Kelly 7-37, Kyle Allard 7-17, Johnny Leon 2-7, Drew Refton 1-2, Jordan Tucker 6-4, **Robert C. Byrd**—Zach Losh 23-152 TD, Matt Britton 9-52, Jeremy Wiggs 4-8, Lyndon Hall 2-3, Frank Holyfield 1-3, Cody Gilmore 5-31.

PASSING: Fairmont Senior—Allard 13-28-144 TD, **Robert C. Byrd**—Gilmore 5-16-2 116 yards TD.

RECEIVING: Fairmont Senior—Ketterling 4-53 TD, Refton 4-39, Anthony Romano 2-12, Adam Damico 1-27, Nathan Freeland 1-5, **Robert C. Byrd**—Jordan Griffin 4-84 TD, Lash 1-22.

Philip Barbour 17, Grafton 12

PHILIPPI — Grafton couldn't slow down Philip Barbour's passing game, as Nick Stewart threw for 271 yards and two touchdowns for the Colts (1-0).

Grafton (0-1) had more total offense (343-340), but gave up all 17 points in the second quarter and also was penalized 10 times for 92 yards.

Zach Stemple threw for 151 yards for Grafton in his first career start and Damon Waters rushed for 126 yards, including a 70-yard run in the third quarter.

Grafton	0 6 6 0-12
Philip Barbour	0 17 0 0-17

SCORING SUMMARY

PB—Jordan Simon 32 pass from Nick Stewart (Kadir Barker kick)

PB—Paul Bulka 15 pass from Stewart (Barker kick)
GR—Sherman Rovster 22 run (kick failed)

PB—Barker 27 FG
GR—Damon Waters 70 run (run failed)

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: Grafton—Damon Waters 16-126, Sherman Rovster 8-22, Jarrod Shaw 8-44, Jarrod Lynch 2-11, Zack Stemple 5-11, **Philip Barbour**—Aaron Gould 9-51, Nick Stewart 13-18.

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LeBlanc era opens with 1-0 win



Todd Flint/The Dominion Post

WVU soccer coach Marlon LeBlanc speaks to Alex Erwin during Friday night's game at Dick Dlesk Soccer Stadium. The Mountaineers defeated Fairfield, 1-0, in the season opener for both teams. LeBlanc was making his regular-season debut as WVU's head coach.

Coach has his players' respect

BY MICHAEL CASAZZA
 The Dominion Post

Standing outside his team's locker room at Dick Dlesk Soccer Stadium Friday night, Jyler Noviello tried to express how impressed he and the rest of WVU's men's soccer team is with its new coach, Marlon LeBlanc.

He began with how LeBlanc stays positive, which is important in a trying time like this that is not only marred by the firing of the previous coach amid alleged NCAA wrongdoings, but also the suspension of the team's top returning offensive player for a violation of team rules.

Noviello went on a little more about LeBlanc's attitude and how it's improved the environment before adding some words about how well the 29-year-old first-time head coach relates to his players.

Then Noviello said it best when he said last, "He knows what he's doing."

That finally came across in official form as WVU topped Fairfield, 1-0, on Noviello's goal in the 33rd minute. The Mountaineers have now won two exhibitions and the season-opener in the WVU Shootout under LeBlanc.

"Everyone loves it," Noviello said. "It's a great atmosphere around the team now. It's way more positive than it was and we're all excited

Women stop Richmond, 3-0

The Dominion Post

HARRISONBURG, Va. — The No. 18 WVU women's soccer team received two second-half goals from Deana Everrett to help the Mountaineers cruise past Richmond, 3-0, Friday at the JMU Soccer Complex.

Everrett's first goal came just over 10 minutes into the second half as she dribbled through the Richmond defense and slotted the ball in the right side of the net past the keeper to put the score at 2-0.

"Deana did what she does so well and that's score goals," WVU coach Nikki Izzo-Brown said. "She had a great game tonight. It was a great team effort; everyone was focused and ready."

about playing. It's just altogether great for the team. It's going to be a great year, I think."

For that to happen, the Mountaineers must follow LeBlanc's lead, which was the case against the Stags. LeBlanc, who has readied his team to play several different styles since being hired Aug. 9, picked one to display against Fairfield.

WVU played long, diagonal balls deep into the defense and to the left of the goalie. Late in the first half, LeBlanc substituted in Paul Cunningham and Noviello. It was Cunningham who blasted the long ball

and Mike Anoaia who gathered it on the left side.

By then, Anoaia, a quick, aggressive midfielder, had already flustered his defender, Tom Clements, who would later take a yellow card.

"Michael ran him tired," LeBlanc said.

Anoaia maintained possession, then passed to a cutting Noviello, who shot across the goalie's body into the net for the game-winning goal.

"When I came in here, I told the guys we'd be prepared for every type of situation we can," LeBlanc said. "We want to be able to play what's on. That ball was on and that's how we got our first goal."

Good coaching, right?
 "At the end of the day, it's the players," LeBlanc said. "It's my job to put them in situations they can be successful. It was our system against theirs. That's what they were giving us and we took advantage of it. I didn't score the goal. Jyler Noviello scored the goal and Mike Anoaia set it up."

It held up, as the case usually is when WVU goalie Nick Noble has a lead. He recorded his 27th career shutout and needs two more to break the school record. The Mountaineers also improved to 18-3-2 at Dick Dlesk Soccer Stadium, where they have outscored opponents 39-7.

LeBlanc believes his players could have added to the scoring disparity had they not eased up after the goal.

"You could see it a little bit, couldn't you?" he said. "They got the goal and they digressed a little and that's the part that disappointed me. I want our guys to go for it. The first goal should have opened up a tidal wave. We had a number of other chances to score goals, but we didn't put the ball away."

Sowers hurls Tribe past Detroit, 4-2

Slumping Tigers drop 3rd straight

Associated Press

CLEVELAND — Rookie Jeremy Sowers won his third straight start with six solid innings, leading the Cleveland Indians to a 4-2 win over the suddenly staggering Detroit Tigers on Friday night.

Sowers (6-3) gave up two runs in the second inning, but blanked baseball's best team for the next four as the Indians snapped a four-game losing streak to Detroit. Cleveland is just 5-12 against the Tigers this season.

Detroit, which entered the weekend leading the AL Central by 5½ games, has lost three straight, six of eight, and is just 5-12 since Aug. 8 — when the Tigers led their division by 10.

The Tigers had five hits through the first two innings, but managed only one hit and one baserunner over the final seven, an infield single by Omar Infante in the fourth.

Making his first career start against Detroit, the 23-year-old Sowers allowed two runs and six hits, didn't walk a batter and struck out four. The left-hander is 5-0 with a 1.69 ERA in his past seven starts.

Blue Jays 6, Royals 3

TORONTO — Rookie Shaun Marcum rebounded from the worst start of his young career with six strong innings, leading the Toronto Blue Jays to a 6-3 victory over the Kansas City Royals on Friday night.

Marcum (2-3), who allowed nine runs in a 15-0 loss to Baltimore in his last start on Aug. 19, won for the first time in six games. He allowed just one run and seven hits, while striking out four and walking two.

Kansas City dropped to 46-84 with the loss. Earlier Friday, the Royals said outfielder Reggie Sanders will undergo knee surgery, ending his disappointing first season with Kansas City.

Orioles 4, Devil Rays 0

BALTIMORE — Daniel Cabrera pitched seven innings of four-hit ball, and the Baltimore Orioles dealt the Tampa Bay Devil Rays their eighth straight road loss, 4-0 Friday night.

Ramon Hernandez drove in a run and scored twice for the Orioles, who have won six of nine.

Cabrera (7-8) struck out seven, walked three and allowed only one runner past second base. He has thrown 16 straight scoreless innings, including a five-hit shutout of Toronto on Saturday.

Phillies 4, Mets 3

NEW YORK — Ryan Howard hit his NL-leading 45th home run and

BASEBALL ROUNDUP

MLB must pay 5 umpires \$3.1 million

NEW YORK (AP) — Major League Baseball was ordered by a federal judge to give five umpires \$3.1 million to cover back pay, interest and medical costs as part of a lawsuit stemming from their failed mass resignation in 1999.

After the Supreme Court declined in January 2005 to hear an appeal of a lower-court ruling, baseball tried last November to give Gary Darling, Bill Hohn, Larry Poncinio, Larry Vanover and Joe West more than \$1.9 million to cover salary, bonuses and medical costs for September 1999 and the 2000 and 2001 seasons, with management taking a \$122,000 credit for the umpires' estimated earnings during that time.

But the umpires instructed their banks to refuse the payments, and they went back to the court.

made a key diving stop as the Philadelphia Phillies ended the New York Mets' seven-game winning streak with a 4-3 victory Friday night.

Randy Wolf and the Philadelphia bullpen also stopped the Mets' 11-game winning string at Shea Stadium, their best streak at home since September 1995.

The wild-card hopeful Phillies won minus manager Charlie Manuel, who was ejected in the sixth inning. Carlos Beltran hit his 37th homer, doubled and drove in three runs for the NL East-leading Mets.

Howard drove in three runs, giving him a league-leading 117 RBIs. He had a sacrifice fly in the first inning and hit a two-run homer in the third.

Marlins 6, Brewers 5

MIAMI — Mike Jacobs drove in three runs, reliever Brian Moehler pitched four shutout innings and the Marlins rallied for their fifth consecutive win.

Jacobs doubled home a run in the first, then hit a bases-loaded double in the third to help the Marlins overcome a 5-2 deficit. Moehler (7-8) limited the Brewers to one hit after starter Ricky Nolasco lasted only two-plus innings. Milwaukee got only one hit in the final 6 1-3 innings.



AP photo

Houston's Roger Clemens delivers a pitch in the first inning of the Astros' game in Pittsburgh Friday.

Clemens overpowers Pirates

Houston snatches 5-1 win at PNC

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Roger Clemens limited Pittsburgh to one run over six innings to win his fourth in a row, extending his strong run of late-season pitching for a fast-fading team as the Houston Astros beat the Pirates 5-1 Friday night.

Clemens has pitched in the majors since 1984, but accomplished something he had never done before in 684 career starts by winning in Pittsburgh. Clemens' 347th career victory was his first there in two starts in a career that has been spent mostly in the American League, and only the fourth victory in 14 games by the defending NL champion Astros.

Lance Berkman homered to the deepest part of PNC Park, a drive into the center-field seats at the 410-foot mark in the third inning, while

Brad Ausmus drove in a run and scored twice while reaching base four times. Jason Lane added a two-run homer, his 13th, in the ninth off Britt Reames.

Willy Taveras extended his hitting streak to 28 games with a single leading off the game. Taveras' streak is the longest in Astros history and is the second longest in the majors this season to Chase Utley's 35-game streak for the Phillies.

Clemens (6-4), whose fastball is about 7-to-8 miles per hour slower at 92-93 mph than it was in his prime, struck out only two but repeatedly got keys outs to remain unbeaten in six starts since last losing 2-0 to Cincinnati on July 25.

Clemens is one of baseball's greatest all-time power pitchers — he is second in career strikeouts with 4,566 — but this was more about precise pitching than power.

He stranded a runner on second by getting two weakly hit grounders

from Chris Duffy and Joe Randa in the third, then worked out of a two-one, one-out jam an inning later by getting Ryan Doumit to ground into a double play.

The Pirates' only run off Clemens came on Xavier Nady's single in the fourth but, with runners on first and second and a run in, Clemens got Doumit to ground into an inning-ending double play.

Jose Castillo doubled to start the fifth for the Pirates' only extra base hit off Clemens, but the right-hander got out of the inning with an excellent defensive play — especially for a 44-year-old — by knocking down Randa's grounder and, while off balance, shoveling an underhand throw to first baseman Mike Lamb.

Notes

The Astros began the game a season-low eight games under .500. ... Clemens is 6-1 in seven career starts against Pittsburgh.

Steelers fall short in Philly

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — David Akers helped make Donovan McNabb's brief appearance a productive one.

Akers kicked field goals of 40, 49 and 52 yards and Jeff Garcia connected with Greg Lewis on a 61-yard touchdown pass to lead the Philadelphia Eagles over the Pittsburgh Steelers 16-7 on Friday night.

McNabb led the Eagles to a pair of field goals before going to the bench. Meanwhile, the Steelers didn't get any points during the two series Ben Roethlisberger played. Charlie Batch threw a 23-yard TD pass to Cedric Wilson for Pittsburgh's only score. Kicker Jeff Reed missed field goals of 50 and 47 yards.

Roethlisberger finished 9-of-14 for 52 yards and one interception. McNabb was 7-of-9 for 79 yards, though he was sacked three times.

The Eagles took a 9-7 halftime lead after Garcia drove the offense 35 yards on six plays in 38 seconds to set up Akers' 52-yarder just before the second quarter ended. Garcia completed passes of 15 and 18 yards to Reggie Brown on the drive.

Garcia's TD pass to Lewis put the Eagles ahead 16-7 in the third quarter. Lewis, fighting for one of the final wildcat spots on Philadelphia's roster, beat cornerback Ricardo Colclough on a deep middle route, caught Garcia's pass in stride and streaked into the end zone. Lewis had his first two catches of the preseason for 91 yards.

The Steelers, 0-3 for the first time since going 0-4 in the 1987 preseason, remember that their starters didn't score a touchdown on offense last preseason — but the team went on to win the franchise's first Super Bowl in 26 years.

Roethlisberger, whose June 12 motorcycle accident left him with a broken jaw, broken nose and a concussion, played two series, leading the offense on one drive that ended in a missed field goal and one touchdown while mostly using a no-huddle.

McNabb, who missed the final seven games last year following surgery for a sports hernia, has played well for the Eagles. He's led the offense to two touchdowns, four field goals and 26 points on nine drives. Overall, McNabb is 23-of-31 for 283 yards, one TD and no interceptions in four games.

Roethlisberger looked sharp while driving the Steelers to the Eagles 35 on the opening drive. But he took an intentional grounding penalty, was sacked by Darren Howard on the next play, and his pass was picked off by Brian Dawkins on third-and-38.



Barbara Geiger-Parker, executive director of the Brain Injury Association of New Jersey, stands in the organization's offices in Edison, N.J., next to a poster used to draw attention to sports-related concussions among young athletes.

Concussion test a critical tool

Helps schools determine when players can return

MANSFIELD, N.J. (AP) — High school football player Bobby Bauma knows concussions should be taken seriously. Two years ago, a concussion sidelined him for five weeks.

"I had a headache most of the time," Bauma, a 17-year-old senior at Northern Burlington County Regional High School, said after a recent football practice. "Sunlight would bother my eyes."

The decision to keep Bauma off the field was made after using ImPACT, a computerized test that helps coaches and trainers decide when it's safe to allow athletes to return following a concussion.

An increasing number of New Jersey schools are giving the 25-minute test to athletes before their season begins, with 30 schools starting this fall. Athletes who had brain injuries retake the test to determine if it's safe for them to resume play.

"It's like a physical for the brain," said Erin Cearfoss, athletic trainer at Northern Burlington, one of the

schools that received a grant for ImPACT from the Brain Injury Association of New Jersey. Northern Burlington was one of five state schools already using the test that applied for a grant last spring.

Tim Coyne, athletic director at Hopewell Valley Central High School, will begin using the test this year. Previously, Coyne said he relied on a paper test to assess whether an injured athlete could return to action.

"It (the computerized test) gives us a more objective tool to measure an athlete's readiness to return to play," Coyne said. "They (computers) can grade things much more efficiently than I can."

Concussions, the most common kind of traumatic brain injuries, occur when the brain receives trauma from an impact or sudden movement. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, more than 300,000 people sustain sports- and recreation-related traumatic brain injuries in the U.S.

every year.

While separate concussions can lead to physical, cognitive and behavioral issues, it is especially dangerous when an athlete who returns from a concussion before the brain healed suffers another injury, according to Dr. Gregory J. O'Shanick, medical director for the Brain Injury Association of America.

Concussions also can have adverse effects beyond the field of play, experts say.

"They (athletes) can experience differences with attention and concentration, speed of processing information and short-term memory — all the necessary tools and building blocks for learning," said Dr. Jill Brooks, a neuropsychologist at Head to Head Consultants in Far Hills who helped the association establish the grant program.

Last March, the Brain Injury Association began offering matching grants to help schools purchase the test as part of its campaign to raise awareness about sports concussions.

"First, people don't know that a concussion is a brain injury," said Barbara Geiger-Parker, executive director of the association. "Second, many people assume that one

has to lose consciousness to have a concussion."

Grants to help pay for the test, which were sold at a discounted price of \$1,300, were available for up to 100 schools, but only 35 signed up. Officials hope more schools will show an interest as awareness spreads.

ImPACT stands for Immediate Post-Concussion Assessment and Cognitive Testing. Athletes who take the test answer questions about symptoms and medical history, complete word and memory exercises and identify where objects light up on a computer screen.

"The whole idea behind ImPACT is that athletes are absolutely back to normal before they go back into play," said Dr. Mark Lovell, a neuropsychologist who developed the test in 1995.

Although some athletes have attempted to beat the system by intentionally getting a low score as their baseline, Lovell, now the director of the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center Sports Concussion Program, said the test is designed to flag cheaters.

The ImPACT program is now used by about 1,500 schools and colleges and some professional associations, according to Lovell.

Palmer's playing time undecided

Bengals coach taking wait-and-see approach

CINCINNATI (AP) — Coach Marvin Lewis doesn't have a firm plan for how much Carson Palmer will play on Monday night, the quarterback's first game back from reconstructive knee surgery.

Palmer has decided that he's ready to get back on the field for the second-to-last preseason game, against the Green Bay Packers at Paul Brown Stadium. He hasn't been tackled during practice, one of the final tests for his rebuilt left knee.

Starting quarterbacks usually play at least a half of the third preseason game to help the offense get in sync. Teams play their starters less in the final game before the season opener, trying to avoid injury.

Lewis has an idea of how much he'd like Palmer to play on Monday, but will wait to see how he looks before deciding how long to let him go.

"As far as how much he'll play, I'll

judge that during the game and go from there," Lewis said Friday, declining to discuss it further.

Palmer tore two ligaments and dislocated his knee cap during Cincinnati's 31-17 playoff loss to Pittsburgh on Jan. 8. He sat out the first two preseason games, feeling he wasn't ready.

His knee still gets some swelling, which is typical for a patient only seven months removed from such extensive surgery.

How the knee holds up on Monday night — and how Palmer handles the situation — will go a long way in determining whether he'll be available for the season opener.

Receiver T.J. Houshmandzadeh said Palmer's teammates are concerned about how he holds up the first time he gets hit.

"He's not going to fall apart," Lewis said. "He's not peanut brittle out there. This is a big, strapping person. He's going to be fine. And we'll put all of T.J.'s worries to rest."

With only three days in-between the final two preseason games, Palmer won't have much time to

recover. Lewis will wait until after Monday's game to decide if he plays against Indianapolis.

"It's his preference to play against Indy," Lewis said. "He expressed that to me a couple of weeks ago. He'd prefer not to have a bye week, in his mind."

Defensive tackle Sam Adams also is expected to play for the first time in the preseason.

The Bengals signed Adams as a free agent in April. He showed up overweight, and has spent much of minicamp and training camp working out to get in shape.

Lewis privately set goals for Adams to reach before he could get into a game.

"A lot of the things that were in Sam's past are things that I've had to deal with and coach out of him," said Lewis, who also coached him in Baltimore.

"We're lucky to have him here, and now he'll prove he's worth his weight."

After a chuckle and pause, Lewis said, "That's a big statement. I'm sure he'll like that one."

Ex-Owls coach serious about turning around W. Alabama's program

BY JOHN ZENOR
AP Sports Writer

Quarterback James Reiter sees the change on the practice field and all over the University of West Alabama campus. University President Robert Holland hears the buzz at alumni meetings, around town and "everywhere I go."

There is honest-to-goodness excitement about West Alabama football in the little town of Livingston.

They're hoping new coach Bobby Wallace can turn a program with 13 consecutive losing seasons into a winner. Wallace, meanwhile, is banking on the administration's commitment to winning after futile efforts at forging a similar turnaround at Temple.

"I met with the president and vice president for about six hours before I even applied for this job," Wallace said. "I wanted to be sure there was a commitment to winning here. I was and still am convinced there is."

His hiring convinced others, including players like Reiter, that the Tigers were taking steps toward changing those losing ways. West Alabama opens his first season against Concordia College next Thursday.

"There's just a different feel this year," Holland said.

Wallace was only 19-71 in eight years at Temple before stepping down after last season. But he's known more in this state for leading North Alabama to three consecutive Division II championships from 1993-95, and for successfully recruiting Bo Jackson while an Auburn assistant.

"Everybody seems really, really thrilled about the upcoming season and Coach Wallace being here," Reiter said. "It's helped the attitude around campus and the attitude of the players. He does everything right, it seems like."

Reiter said far more players remained on campus for voluntary summer workouts than previously and there's more emotion on the practice field, too.

'When the West Alabama job unexpectedly came open, it was just the perfect situation for me.'

Bobby Wallace

In the past, he said, "You kind of got the attitude off the other coaches. 'We're used to losing.'"

Holland has tried to change that from the top down since taking over as president in 2002, boosting teams' scholarship funding to the NCAA limits and upgrading facilities. His most high-profile move, though, was hiring Wallace.

"When I looked at the role of athletics in institutions and the role it's played here, we were at that point where either you put into it what is necessary to be competitive and win or you get out," Holland said.

He sold Wallace on his commitment to winning.

Wallace had built a house in Gulf Shores and was going into the business world, taking a break from football. Then, Sam McCorkle resigned at West Alabama after going 0-9 in Gulf South Conference play in his second season and winning only four games overall.

"When the West Alabama job unexpectedly came open, it was just the perfect situation for me," Wallace said. "It's back in the Gulf South Conference and Division II where I had some success at North Alabama. I'm familiar with what it takes to win at this level."

"It was just a perfect situation, so I couldn't pass it up."

Wallace is confident he's not walking into Division II's version of Temple.

Temple hasn't had a winning season since 1990, and he was unable to come close to changing that. It's been nearly that long for West Alabama, which closed last season with a 76-14 loss to UNA.



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APPRENTICE and/or Journeyman Electrician needed. Must have valid drivers license and own hand tools. Send resume with references to: Apprentice/Journeyman, Box CE-2953, c/o The Dominion Post, 1251 Earl L. Core Road, Morgantown, WV 26505.

Help Wanted 10

CERAMIC TILE INSTALLER - Experience required. Forward apply in person: Davis Kitchen & Tile, 831 Venture Dr., Glenmark Centre, Morgantown, WV 26508.

CERTIFIED CHRYSLER MECHANICS
 JOHN HOWARD's new Chrysler Dodge franchise on the Mileground in Morgantown, WV has immediate opening for (2) Certified Chrysler Mechanics. Chrysler certification required. Pay based on experience, full fringe benefits package included. Also, immediate opening for experienced Detail Personal. Call Bob Meredith or Joe Walker at 304-292-0171. EOE

Help Wanted 10

COMPUTER SALES
 Premier Computer Services is seeking to fill and outside and inside sales position. Must have sales experience and knowledge of computer hardware and software. Full time with medical and 401k benefits. Please send resumes to: Premier Computer Services, 23 South University Ave., Morgantown, WV 26508. No phone calls please.

CONSTRUCTION/SHOP WORK WILL TRAIN Full time, cut and install glass and metal. Valid drivers license. No glass experience necessary, 5-8 yrs. general construction necessary. Salary negotiable. Call 999-1600.

Help Wanted 10

HOMEMAKER AIDES
 If you enjoy working with the elderly or disabled, would like to earn extra income, need a flexible work schedule and are 18 or over - we may have a job for you. We need in-home aides to provide personal care services for clients in the Morgantown/Monongalia County area for morning and afternoon shifts. No experience necessary - training is free. Must provide own transportation. Criminal background checks will be performed. Males encouraged to apply. Please call Amber at 1-888-284-5059 for more information.

HYGIENIST
 Seeking a qualified hygienist to relocate to the beautiful Shenandoah Valley, VA. Enjoy working in a modern, progressive, aesthetic practice, soft tissue management program, intraoral cameras, ceres, lazer, zoom, Invisalign and much more.

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LUBE TECHNICIAN
 Full Time Lube Technician position available. Duties include vehicle and shop maintenance, tires, courtesy customer pick up and delivery, and other responsibilities that enhance our customer service delivery. Benefits include medical, uniforms, profit sharing and the opportunity to grow and improve your automotive service knowledge. No Saturdays!! Must have valid drivers license. Please apply in person.
Waterfront Jeep
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ON-CALL HOSPICE NURSE
 A full time On-call position is available for a Registered Nurse for Preston County to make visit to patients. Guaranteed 40 hours per week salary plus benefits, regardless of hours worked. Must have current WV license. Offering a competitive salary commensurate with experience and benefits package including 401(a) 403(b) retirement plan and a vacation package. EOE. Submit resume to
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WVU VS. MARSHALL football tickets. 2 on 25 yd. line, \$600 pair; 2 on 50 yd. line, \$400 pair; Call 304-276-9692

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AUTO STORE SERVICE MANAGER
 Uniontown area. Automotive background with leadership and customer service skills. Responsible for leading all activities for positive results.
 If you qualify, send resume to: ffarrell@etres.com or fax: 724-537-8632

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CERTIFIED NURSING AIDE - ON-CALL FOR MONONGALIA/PRESTON COUNTIES
 Full time float-aide position. Applicant must have strong interpersonal skills, excellent written and oral communication skills, a current certification and reliable transportation. Applicant will provide care to Hospice Care residents in long term care facilities in Monongalia and Preston Counties. Offering a competitive salary commensurate with experience and benefits package including mileage reimbursement, a 401(a) retirement plan and a vacation package. Submit resume to Hospice Care, Attn: Robin Shepherd, P.O. Box 760, Arthurdale, WV 26520, or fax to 304-864-6306. No phone calls.

Help Wanted 10

CUSTOMER SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE
 for patient registration. Full-time, benefit eligible. Send resume to Healthworks Rehab & Fitness, 943 Maple Drive, Morgantown, WV 26505. Attn: Rachel or fax to 304-285-3706.

DAY/HOUSE CLEANING
 \$6 per hour. Call us at A-ONE Services 292-8456.

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 Apply in person, Jersey Subs, 1756 Mileground Rd.

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DIESEL MECHANIC
 Local company seeking an experienced field/garage with mechanic to service off road equipment and various types of trucks. Required knowledge of hydraulics, electrical and must be able to work independently. Class A or B CDL license and own hand tools required. Competitive wages and benefits including health, dental, 401(k) and uniforms. Please mail resumes to P.O. Box 4300, Morgantown, WV 26504 or fax to 304-292-0487.

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Help Wanted 10

LOGGING CREW or one timber cutter & skidder operator. 1-800-9TIMBER or 814-952-0229.

MANAGERS ASSOCIATES
 G&S Wireless is now hiring full and part time positions in the Morgantown area. Fax resume to 304-599-0547 or call 304-288-2349.

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4 Lines for 3 Days only \$1100
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Garage Sales 20

ANNUAL Downwood Manor Sale - Career Clothes, some new, size 12-14; Shoes; Luggage; Animated Xmas Decorations; Household Items; Sleepwear; Baby Clothes & Toys. Aug. 25 & 26, 8am-5pm. Off 857 before Cheat Lake Bridge.

ANNUAL SOUTH PARK YARD/PORCH/GARAGE SALE:
 30+ families. Sat. Aug. 26, 8 am-7 From High St., downtown, turn left onto Pleasant 2 blocks to Coburn. Look for blue balloons! Sales on Grand, Park, Euclid, Elm and more. Maps of ALL locations available at sales.

AWESOME YARD SALE Sat. 8/26, 8 am-3 pm, 535 Michigan Ave., Westover. Antiques, tools, clothes, misc.

Garage Sales 20

GARAGE SALE: Baby Girls Clothes 0-12 mons. Teenage girl clothes size 5-15, Ty Beanie's & other items. 109 Brookhaven Rd., Aug. 24-Aug. 26, 9am-5pm.

GARAGE SALE: 1356 Winona Ave, North Hills, behind Mon Gentry's. Xmas, baby boy items, toddler items, Paradigm home theatre system, misc. household items. Rain or shine.

GARAGE SALE: 18 Turtle Creek, Aug. 25 & 26, 7am-3pm. Tools, baby boy items, toddler items, Paradigm home theatre system, misc. household items. Rain or shine.

GARAGE SALE: 25th & 26th, 8 am-2 pm. 1000 Maple Dr. Bedsprads, sheets, linens, huge amount of material, quilt tops, cut pieces for tops, cushions, stuffed animals, cook books, craft magazines, mixer, toaster, collector dolls, sheer curtains, records, tapes, 2 bicycles 26". If you sew or make quilts, don't miss this sale! 2 sewing machine heads, 1960 1-ton Ford truck.

Garage Sales 20

MOVING SALE. Everything must go. Furniture, dishes, patio set. 9 am-5 pm Fri., 9 am-2 pm Sat. 1517 Westbrook Dr. No early sales.

MOVING SALE: Relocating, must reduce shipment, wide range of items: Antiques furniture, Fri. & Sat., 8 am-4 pm. Bruceton Mills, Shady Lane, behind Wesbanco. Call 379-2207 for directions/info

MOVING SALE! Sat. & Sun. 8 am-11 am, 1300 Charles Ave. Morgantown, hidden driveway. Clothes, furniture, misc. items. Furniture, misc. items.

MOVING SALE! Saturday August 26, 8am-4pm. 15 Catalpa St. (Cedar Ridge below Hampton Center) Furniture, camping, boating, exercise equipment, tools, pictures, lamps, knick-knacks, MUCH MORE. MUST SELL.

Garage Sales 20

SATURDAY 8/25, 8 am-4 pm. 55 Herrington Manor, Rt. 73 South, 3 miles on left & follow the signs. Housewares, toys, boys, girls & women's clothing & more. Mary Kay clearance sale.

SATURDAY 8/26 8 am-noon. 4 W. Second St. Westover. Turn beside Auto Ranch. Full size bed, head board, microwave, baby items, more.

YARD SALE: Aug. 25 & 26, 9 am-7 From Rt. 26 N., 4 miles on Brandywine Pike. Furniture, glassware & more. No early birds.

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BASEMENT & BAKE SALE: Cheat Lake UM Church. 750 Fairchance Rd. Aug. 25 & 26, 9 am-4 pm. Lunch avail.

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MUTLI FAMILY YARD SALE: 8 am-3 pm. Sat. 26th. White Oak Dr., Suncrest area.

PATIO SALE: Sat. 8 am-12, 312 Marmaduke/Trippett St., Granville. Boy's husky, sz. 8-12, girl's clothes 8-14, bikes, toys, stereo table, computer desk, VCRs, misc household items.

PISGAH UM CHURCH YARD & HOT DOG SALE Smithtown Rd., Old Rt. 73 Sat. 26th, 9 am-2 pm. Great Bargains! Clothes, books, toys, lots of misc.

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• Academic Mentor
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• Cook
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EXPERIENCED ROOFERS needed Call 296-6990

Help Wanted 10

EXPERIENCED ACCOUNTANT/BOOKKEEPER
Immediate full time position. Thorough knowledge of accounting and office procedures including: payroll, Accounts payable, job costs, general ledger, sales tax, quarterly payroll returns, proficient in Quickbooks and Microsoft Word/Excel required. 4+ years experience. Send resume to Personnel, PO Box 40, Morgantown, WV 26507-0040.

FULL TIME/PART TIME & TEMP NANNIES NEEDED.
Visit www.capitolnannies.com or call 1-866-757-1298.

GROWING company now hiring for fabrication of granite and solid surface counter tops. Experience preferred. Benefits available. Call 296-1418 for interview.

HELP WANTED- Bill's Laundry, 755 Chestnut Ridge Road. Apply in person only between 7am-3pm, Mon-Fri. No phone calls.

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I KNOW YOU'RE A MOUNTAINEER MANIAC. But are you a Customer Maniac? Perks! Hot Spot (Next to Exxon in Sabraton) and Sabraton Station Hot Spot (Across from Superior Ford in Sabraton) are now hiring.
Keno Runners Don't settle for average, because of Customer Maniacs like yourself, our Hot Spots are the busiest in town! We pay \$8 hr. + tips, full and part time available. WVU students encouraged to apply if you smile a lot and enjoy the job. I know you're a Customer Maniac, come join our team. Apply daily at Sabraton Station Hot Spot.
Perks! Hot Spot and Sabraton Station Hot Spot
Convenient, Safe and Fun!

Ruby Tuesday
Now hiring line cooks, AM servers, PM dishwasher. We're also accepting management resumes. Apply in person, Glenmark Centre.

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Supplement your income. Earn extra money to help with bills, save for vacation or pay for school. Early morning hours, with established routes are available in the following areas:
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PROFIT UP TO 2 WEEKS \$79.66
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Apply in person
9am-6pm at Glenmark Centre

LARGE UNITED METNODIST CONGREGATION seeks Director of Music and Choir and give oversight to music ministries. Information and application at WesleyMorgantown.org or by calling 304-292-9485. Attach resume to application and mail to Wesley UMC, 503 High St. Morgantown, WV 26505. Application deadline: September 20, 2006.

LOCAL DOLLAR STORE now hiring manager. Fax resume to 304-284-0854.

LOCAL MINING MACHINERY COMPANY looking for employees in all areas. Electrical, mechanical, welding & hydraulics. Benefit package will be based on experience. Send resume to: MINING Box WV-4182, c/o The Dominion Post, 1251 Earl L. Core Road, Morgantown WV 26505.

LOCAL TRUCKING COMPANY in need of tractor trailer driver. Must have 5 years experience, Class A CDL & clean driving record. 304-292-7049.

MORGANTOWN AUTO BODY is now hiring for auto body techs. Apply in person at 692 Fairmont Rd. 296-4688

MURIALE'S RESTAURANT is looking to fill the following positions:
•Assistant Dining Room Manager
•Kitchen Manager
•Wait Staff
•Host Staff

Excellent pay. Experience a must. Apply within 1742 Fairmont Avenue, Fairmont.

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COMPUTER DESK & hutch printer stand, \$50. Dell monitor \$25 & keyboard, \$10 599-1487

DINING TABLE with 6 chairs, maple trimmed in white, \$250. Pine harvest table with matching end table, \$50 each. TV stand with shelves, \$25. Truck bed tool box \$100. 291-8272 or 290-0973.

EXERCISE EQUIPMENT- Weight bench IMPEX Power-house rack system. Bench, incline, decline, lat tower, etc. with 300 lb. Olympic barbell set. Good condition. Plus curl bar, straight bar with weight plates, cast iron dumbbells, and more. \$350 takes all. 288-1503.

GIRLS BEDROOM SET, 7 pieces, yellow, \$300; lg. dog house, \$50; Fender electric guitar with amp, hard case & stand, \$200; 304-291-8467

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OMEGA Zip Drive with 8 disk, \$12; incl. software cable & power cord. 599-9385.

KING BED, 3 drawer night stand, 6 drawer dresser with trirod mirror, like new, asking \$2,000. Call 304-599-4653.

KING sz. comforter, \$20. Queen sz. comforter, skirt & shams, \$15. 599-1454.

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MINIATURE SCHNAUZERS Family raised, ACA registered. 3 males, \$400 ea., cash only. Call 301-334-5066.

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<p>BAKERS RIDGE ROAD: Well maintained ranch home in established Baker's Ridge Manor development. Close proximity and easy access to hospitals, Mylan and NIOSH.\$219,900</p>	<p>LAKVIEW ESTATES: This gorgeous newly decorated townhouse has new steel appliances, hardwood floors, crown molding, newly finished basement with kitchen, FR w/ FP, bath and BR, new landscaping w/ deck & flagstone overlooking Cheat Lake, new furnace & roof. You will love living in walking distance of all the amenities of Lakeview Resort\$290,000</p>	<p>REduced AVERY MEADOWS: Spacious new construction. Gorgeous home in new desirable Cheat Lake neighborhood. Two-story foyer and family room with hardwood floors on main level, ceramic tile and walk-out basement. Special features include jetted tub, hardwood floors on main level, ceramic tile and walk-out basement. Call today!\$399,000</p>	<p>MORNINGSIDE ESTATES: Quality new construction. Morningside Estates. The spacious floor plan features 5 BRs & 3 1/2 BA's w/ interior designed hardwood & tile floors, granite countertops, & 2 exquisite stone fireplaces. With plenty of room for storage & a security system, this beautiful brick home would be ideal for your family.\$425,000</p>	<p>HORIZON DRIVE: Ranch in Cheat Lake; this lovely property is located at the end of the street with extensive decking\$179,000</p>	<p>HANALET DRIVE: Beautiful new home! Great room (18'10"X19'6") with wood flooring intended for living room & dining room; adjacent kitchen has eating area. Unfinished basement can be easily finished for family room with bath. Huge garage! Allowances for flooring & appliances.\$189,900</p>
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<p>PENN AVENUE: Great rental property! New 30 year roof, new seamless gutters. Property sold "AS IS"\$55,000</p>	<p>828 GASTON AVENUE: New gutters and new kitchen floor; plumbing recently updated, fresh yard work with faucet to the outside\$85,000</p>	<p>CHEAT LAKE: Approximately 1 1/4- acre building lots. From\$65,000</p>	<p>CLOSE TO THE LAKE: Private setting, within walking distance to the lake. Lovely Cape Cod on 2 level lots. Master bedroom on main level\$225,000</p>	<p>REDUCED This historic brick home situated on almost a full acre of property is a MUST SEE with many opportunities. Not only is it zoned residential and commercial but it would be perfect for a business with a fantastic location. Property features road frontage on Fairmont Road\$230,000</p>	<p>REDUCED 2979 RIDGEDALE ROAD: Country home close to town describes this property, which can be subdivided. Detached garage is 40x25. 1.5 very flat acres\$195,000</p>
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<p>REDUCED RIVER ROAD: If it is a roomy home that you want, this is the home for you! .878 River Road is a 3,500 sq. ft. + home w/ large decks from sun porch and master bedroom with built-in hot tub. 3-car unattached garage, (also large deck) and bonus room above. Original section of home was built around 1920, but has been completely remodeled.\$253,900</p>	<p>REDUCED KIMBERLY LANE KINGWOOD: This home will give you everything you need to entertain. Enjoy the cool evenings in the hot tub, or the warm afternoons in the pool, while having a barbecue on the newly built deck with private back yard. Listing agent is the owner.\$175,000</p>	<p>REDUCED Must see this spacious, 4 bedroom home, just minutes from Morgantown in Preston County\$97,500</p>	<p>REDUCED Walk to downtown Kingwood. Much work has already been done on what will be a very nice house on an appealing lot. New furnace, new A/C pump, new framing for all new windows, 2 rooms newly framed and more. Great buy!\$37,000</p>	<p>REDUCED LAKVIEW ESTATES: Gorgeous newly decorated townhouse has new steel appliances, hardwood floors, crown molding, newly finished basement with kitchen, FR w/FP, bath and BR, new landscaping w/ deck & flagstone overlooking Cheat Lake, new furnace and roof. You will love living in walking distance of all the amenities of Lakeview Resort\$290,000</p>	<p>REDUCED RANCH IN CHEAT LAKE: Lovely property is located at the end of the street with extensive decking. The interior features include an open floor plan with a wonderful sunroom. New furnace and A/C installed in 2004.\$179,000</p>

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Houses, Furnished **48**

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CHEAT LAKE 3 or 4 BR, C/A, W/D, DW, porches, lg. yard, no pets. \$1000 + utls., lease & deposit. 594-2473

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952 STEWART ST. 2 BR, 1 1/2 bath, minutes from hospital, gorgeous lot. \$900 + utls. No pets. Call 599-1880.

Houses for Sale **50**

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BY OWNER 3 BR, LR, kitchen and bath. Oak floors, stone fireplace, full basement. 1 acre lot. 1/2 mi. west of Grafton on Rt. 50. \$92,500. Call 304-265-5786. Open House Aug. 26 & 27, 9am-5pm.

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Notice is hereby given that I, Joseph C. Bartolo, Sheriff of Monongalia County or an authorized agent of the Monongalia County Sheriff's Department will sale at public auction on the **6th Day of September, 2006 at 1:00 pm.**

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Chemical engineering group names Dadyburjor counselor

Submitted to The Dominion Post

Dady B. Dadyburjor, chair of the department of chemical engineering at WVU, recently was elected to a two-year term as counselor of the Pittsburgh Local Section of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers.

The group is an organization for chemical engineering professionals, with more than 40,000 members from 93 countries. The Pittsburgh Local Section includes portions of Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio.

In 1999, Dadyburjor was elected a fellow of the chemical engineering group, an honor extended to less than 1 percent of the membership, for his contributions and service to the profession. Earlier, he served as president and treasurer of the Northeast New York Local Section and on various national committees of AIChE.

Dadyburjor earned his doctorate in chemical engineering from the University of Delaware.

He has been a member of the WVU faculty for 23 years, and chair of the department of chemical engineering since 1999.

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August 26, Sept. 2

Preston Countians may get a tax hike even without levy

Assessor: Strong sales boosting property values

BY KATHY PLUM
The Dominion Post

KINGWOOD — It's possible property taxes may increase in Preston County whether or not a school maintenance levy passes.

Board of Education President Jack Keim said this week he wants voters to be aware of that possibility when making their decision on a three-year, \$1.5 million per year levy. Keim said he doesn't want the board to be accused of trying to hide it.

Preston Assessor Terri Funk said Tuesday strong real estate sales are pushing up the market value of property in Preston. State rules and regulations require that assessors appraise property at 90-110 percent of market value, and state law requires it be assessed for tax purposes at 60 percent of that appraised market value.

"I'm closer at being 90 percent of market value than 100 percent," Funk said. "I am so close to 90 percent that the last two years I have barely been in compliance."

But Gov. Joe Manchin is pushing for that 100 percent, and Funk said some properties in the county will be appraised at a higher market value this year, based on sales in the area. Whether that leads to a corresponding jump in property taxes

depends on the state, which sets the school tax levy rate, and the county commission, which sets the county levy rate.

The proposed maintenance levy voters will face in November is on top of those base rates. Funk rejected any suggestion she released the information to defeat that levy. She also doesn't want the school board to be accused of hiding anything.

Keim said Monday that, "Somewhere along the line, somebody has to make a decision that is not going to be easy."

He included in that statement the board's decision to amend the Comprehensive Educational Facilities Plan to eliminate one trailer at Fellowsville Elementary and the former shop/band building at West Preston Middle, and build a pre-kindergarten through eighth school, possibly near PHS, for the Kingwood attendance area; add a sixth-eighth grade at the current Valley Elementary site; and build a pre-kindergarten-eighth school to serve the Tunnelton-Denver, South Preston, Fellowsville attendance area, possibly at the existing Tunnelton-Denver site.

"At Valley and at Kingwood, we're not really changing those configurations at all, and we need to do something about those buildings," board member Jane Crogan said. "And it stops us from having one consolidated middle school."

The change at South would make a difference for Fellowsville students, she noted. None of the changes

will take place unless funding is available, but it lays the groundwork for schools that meet the economies of scale required by the West Virginia School Building Authority, the major funding mechanism for school construction in the state.

"This gives us a K-8 framework to work with," Crogan said.

The sites are also open to discussion, if funding becomes available, board members said.

Rowlesburg Mayor Barbara Banister addressed the board on behalf of the Education Committee of the Preston County Visioning Committee. She noted in countywide surveys and meetings, education was the No. 1 concern of Prestonians, though none want to pay for it.

"The Visioning Committee is ready to help you," Banister said. "We would like to be a part of helping to get your levy passed."

Former board member Arvin Harsh, of Aurora, said people won't vote for a levy that maintains the status quo of flat roofs that he said has been foisted on Preston County by the state. Superintendent John Lofink said the board is awaiting an architect's report on possibly changing some roofs.

The board also approved some personnel items Monday in preparation for the opening of school. Lofink said four teaching positions will be filled by substitutes, when students report next week. Applications are being taken for those positions.

Wyeth R&D chief to speak at WVU

Submitted to The Dominion Post

Dr. Robert R. Ruffolo Jr., president of research and development at Wyeth Pharmaceuticals, will speak with WVU health sciences students and faculty at 5 p.m. Thursday, in the Auditorium at the WVU Health Sciences Center.

His presentation, "Discovery and Development of Coreg to Treat Congestive Heart Failure: The Saga of Carvedilol," is part of the Robert

C. Byrd Health Sciences Center's Grand Rounds series and is free to the public.

Ruffolo is also senior vice president of Wyeth, a research-based, global pharmaceutical company responsible for the discovery and development of some of today's most innovative medicines.

One year ago, Ruffolo announced a joint research partnership between the WVU Health Sciences Center and

Wyeth Pharmaceuticals. Wyeth will invest nearly \$12 million in biosciences research at the university to support up to 15 new faculty positions.

Ruffolo joined Wyeth in 2000 and became head of research and development in 2002. He has played a significant role in the discovery and development of several marketed products, including Dobutamine for congestive heart failure and Ropinerole for Parkinson's disease.

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West		East	
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♦ 5 2	♣ 10 7 3	♦ 8 7 6 3	♣ 9 6 5 4 2
South			
♥ A J 7 6 2	♠ 5 2	♦ A Q J 10 9	♣ 8

Dealer: South
Vulnerable: Both

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	2 ♥	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♥ A

Let the red liquid be on their faces

By Phillip Alder

If you can see that your contract is about to die when you should have made it, there is a natural reaction either to play very slowly, delaying the evil moment for as long as possible; or suddenly to remember an important telephone call that you should have made, asking your partner or a kibitzer to take over the reins. Sometimes, though, there was nothing you could have done. Then you can only congratulate your opponents on their good defense — or rue the unfriendly distribution.

Look at the West and North hands. Against four spades, West leads the heart ace: seven, nine, two. He cashes the heart king: 10, four, five. What should West do next?

North's three hearts is a cue-bid raise, showing spade support and at least game-invitational values.

Start by counting the points. West has 11 and dummy has 14. Give declarer 12 and that leaves at most three for East. South must have the diamond ace. So the defenders can get only trump tricks from here. West should continue with a low heart. (If he leads the queen, a winner, he tells his partner not to ruff.)

Now the spotlight falls on East. Suppose he ruffs low and South follows suit with the heart queen. Will the spade king serve any purpose? No, it won't. So, especially as a vulnerable two-level overall is usually made on at least a six-card suit, East should ruff with the spade king.

You can see the effect. South overruffs with the ace, but now West scores two trump tricks to defeat the contract. It is a classic uppercut.

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DR. PETER GOTT

DEAR DR. GOTT: My mother has never had a bone-density test. Should she have this test at 94?

If she agrees, and the test shows bone loss/osteoporosis, is medication such as Actonel or Fosamax appropriate for preventing fractures?

DEAR READER: In my experience everybody — male and female — over the age of 90 has osteoporosis to some extent. If your mother is physically active, careful not to fall and is otherwise healthy, I'd conclude that a bone-density test is not vital. On the other hand, a bone-density test is safe and painless, so it might be appropriate.

Why hasn't your mother ever had a bone-density test? As a general rule, all postmenopausal women should have bone scans every year or two. Even men over 60 should have the test done.

In any case, I suggest that your mother undergo the testing and then meet with her doctor to explore treatment options, if appropriate.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My daughter, who is 52, weighs 174 pounds and is pretty healthy. She takes Toprol for blood pressure.

In February 2006, she had to be hospitalized. She was vomiting up blood, which looked like coffee with coffee grounds in it.

After three days in the hospital, numerous blood tests, endoscopy, ultrasound, CAT scan, more blood work and colonoscopy, we don't know any more than we did except that all tests came back normal. Can you help us with this problem?

DEAR READER: When people have internal bleeding high in the intestinal tract, the blood is digested. In the process, it comes to resemble coffee grounds, unlike the bright red bleeding that originates from a bleeding site in the lower intestine.

Based on the information in your brief letter, I assume that your daughter had a dangerous hemorrhage arising from her esophagus, stomach or duodenum (the beginning of the small intestine). The strange aspect to this case is that the doctors, when looking at these areas during the endoscopy, were unable to discover the source of the bleeding.

I recommend that your daughter sit down with her physician and any specialists to plot out a strategy and to learn their conclusions. At the very least, she needs a close follow-up with checks for blood in her stool. At most, she may need to be restudied with X-ray tests or another endoscopy. Let me know what happens.

Saturday, Aug. 26, 2006

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LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — Spending quality time with old friends and participating in familiar activities will bring you considerable pleasure. It is like wearing a comfortable shoe that cannot be duplicated.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — You won't have to bulldoze your way through critical developments. But having a desire to keep your objectives in focus will do the trick.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — Some type of special knowledge or know-how you've acquired over time will be put to good use in aiding a pal.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — You may benefit from a situation initiated by others. You'll make a contribution, but your invitation to participate will be in repayment.

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ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Some of your best opportunities for fulfilling your personal needs will come through friends. Try to share your day with good pals.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — Something nice could take place that will be of material benefit to you. The first indications these conditions are on their way should be visible now.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — The light and loving touch that you're so capable of putting on life's serious side of things will be a welcomed tonic for those around you.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — This can be one of your better days for going on a shopping excursion. You'll have a shrewd eye for items that you'll love.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — The more difficult the assignments, the more pride you'll take in overcoming their complications.

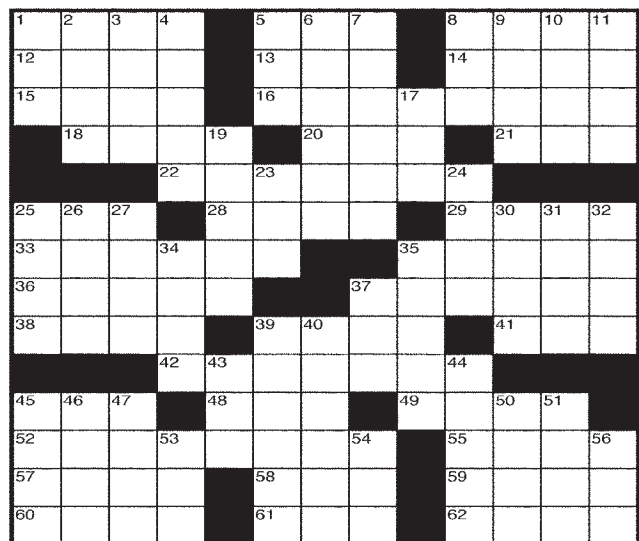
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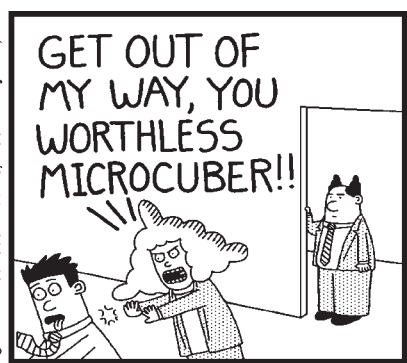
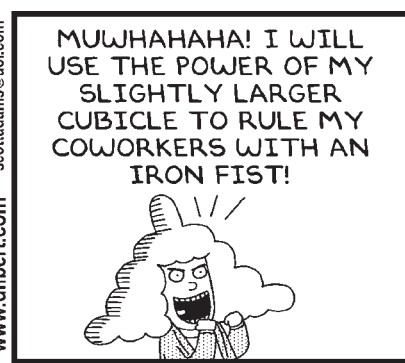
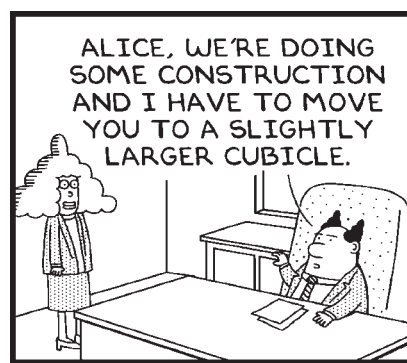
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Answer to Previous Puzzle



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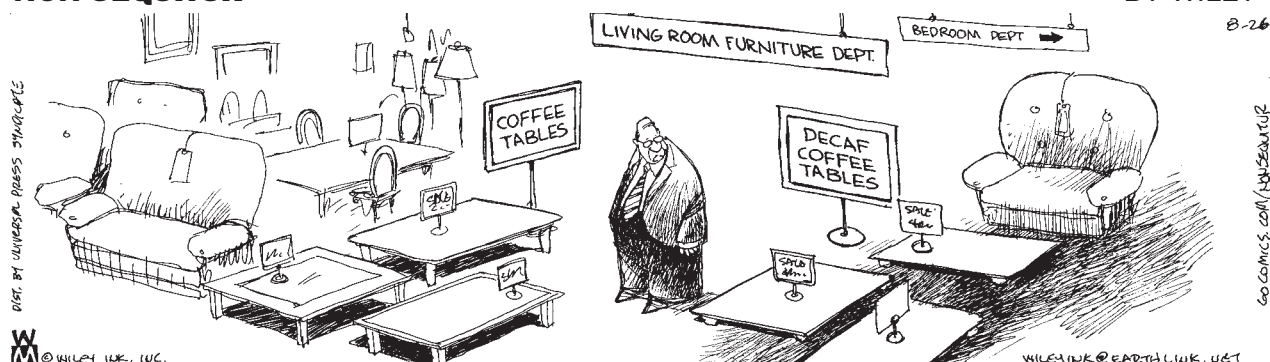
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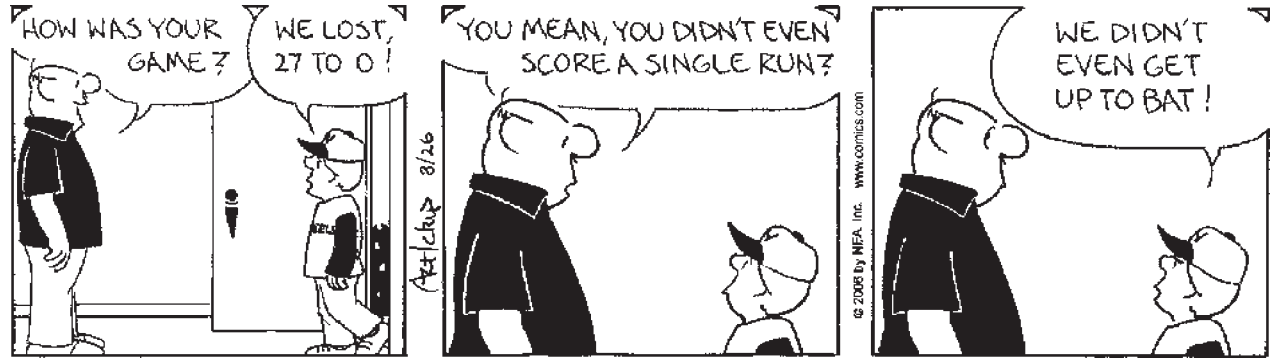
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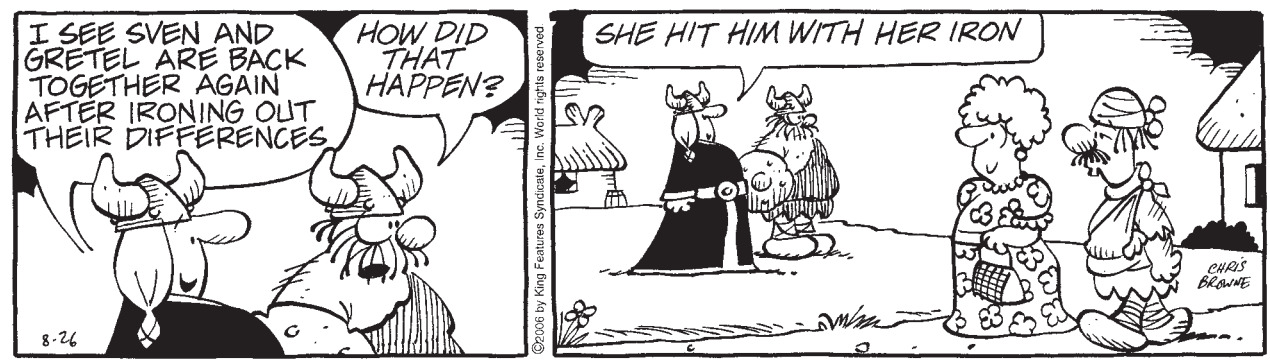
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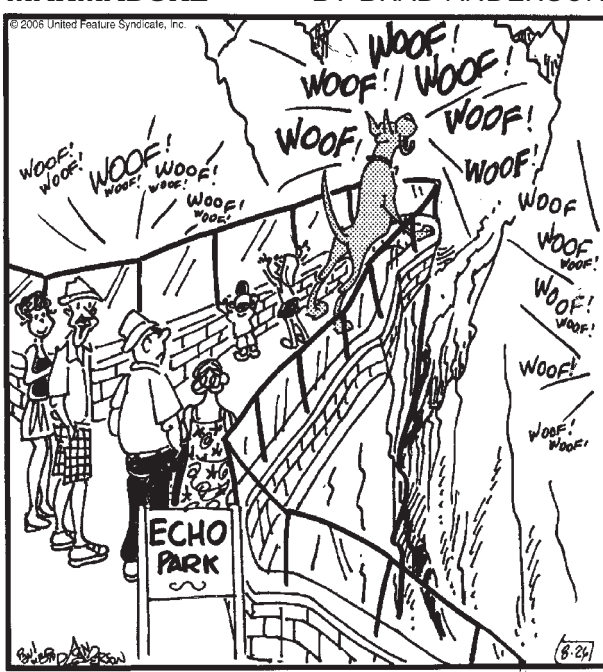
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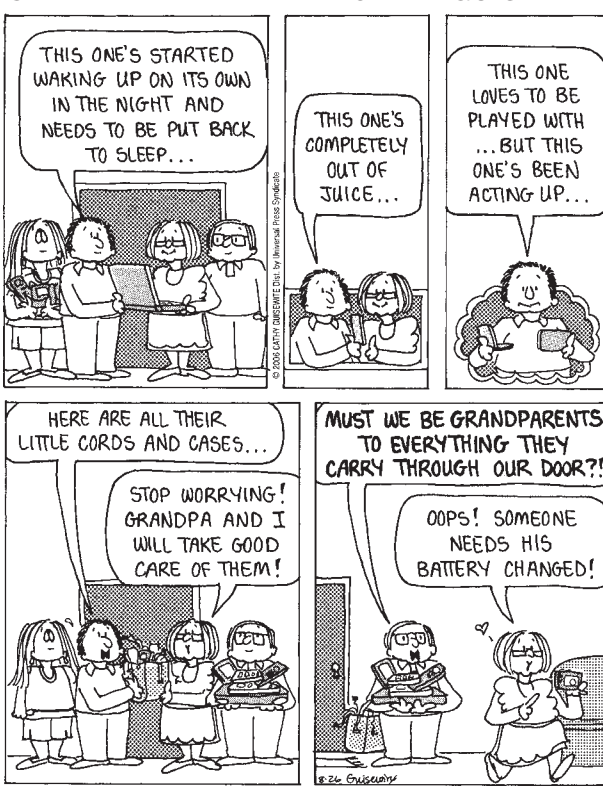
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"He's very competitive."

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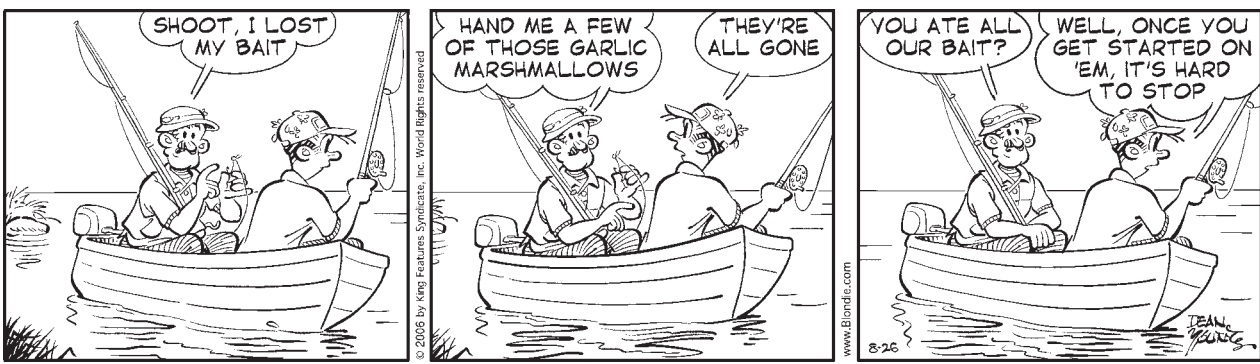
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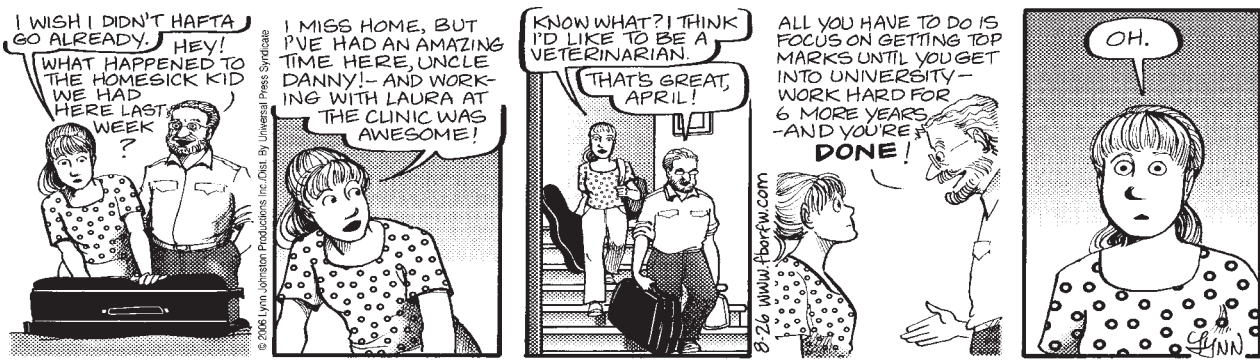


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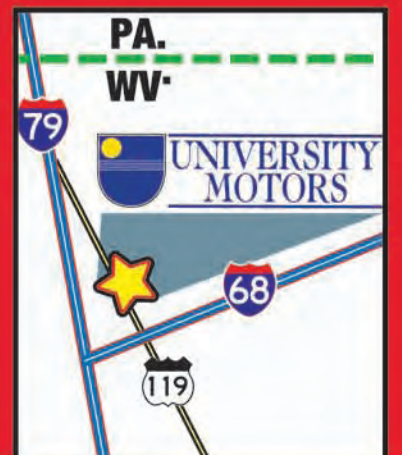
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