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## S-E school board crunches numbers for 2013-2014

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SHERBURNE – With recent years of budget cuts and constraints that have left a bad taste in the mouths of board members at the Sherburne-Earlville School District, preliminary figures of the 2013-2014 budget were met with vigilance at a board meeting held Monday.

Next year's estimated budget currently stands at \$29.76 million, with a figured tax levy increase of 1.9 percent.

"We really haven't decided if that's where we want to be, but we need to decide that soon," said Assistant Superintendent Todd Griffin, paying notice to the approaching budget deadline for the upcoming year.

There are certain challenges to consider for the coming school year, Griffin added - primarily the rising pension and health care costs that have plagued school districts and municipalities statewide.

The upcoming budget includes an 8 percent increase in regular health insurance, as well as an 8 percent increase in retiree health insurance (a combined cost of \$284,146). In addition, the Employee Retirement System (ERS) calls for a 21.5 percent increase (\$152,897) and the Teacher's Retirement System (TRS) is looking at an increase of 16.25 percent (\$200,932).

In all, the district is facing additional costs of \$637,975 from those four budget line items alone, Griffin said. Adding to concern, school officials expect a decrease in state aid - approximately \$934,009 less than what they received last year.

Pension and healthcare are expected to climb well over the next three years. The district anticipates a total \$5,519,500 to be spent on pension and healthcare expenses this year, which jumps to an estimated \$6,780,471 by the 2015-2016 school year - nearly 25 percent of the school's bud-



et, Griffin noted. "It's something to be concerned with ... this is one of those things where the light at the end of the tunnel is a train," he added. Administrators also face the possibility of a shake-up in grant funding guidelines established by the state. "If they changed the

(grant) guidelines, it would be an issue for us," explained Superintendent Gayle Hellert, as the district currently utilizes some of that funding to pay teacher salaries.

But there are also standing proposals yet to be resolved by the board, and decisions made will certain-

ly have an impact on the pending budget, said Griffin. The district is looking to invest in new school buses for the 2013-2014 school year and is presently exploring the possibility of leasing new buses rather than purchasing them. Also up in the

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## Village of Earlville mayor reelected

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EARLVILLE – Incumbent William Excell has been reelected over two other candidates to the office of village mayor, receiving 64.74 percent of the total 156 voters who submitted ballots, according to the Madison County Board of Elections website.

Runner-up Sara Chapman DuVal received 32 percent of the total votes and candidate Jason L. Fowlston attained 3.2 percent.

"I feel really good about being reelected and today is also my birthday," said Mayor Excell. "A lot of good has been accomplished and I look forward to continuing to do that as well as keeping taxes down."

Excell has served for the past two years as village mayor following the resignation of his predecessor. A long time resident of the village, Excell is the son of 22-year Sherburne Police Chief, William Excell. For the past 11 years, he has worked for the state Department of Transportation in Oxford.

Excell expressed his gratitude to his supporters as well as his family for sticking with him throughout the campaign.

"It got a little nerve racking, but I am looking forward to representing the voters for the next two years and to continue to get more things done," he added.

Although contentious moments did arise during the race, Mayor Excell contributed his victory to his accomplishments as mayor, as well as the time he spent going door to door expressing his feelings to voters.

## SPRING PLANTING



Frank Speziale Photo

Long-time member of the local Farmers Market Carmen Bucalo gears up for the spring planting season. Each year, Bucalo plants assorted vegetables and fruits, including these already sprouting tomato plants, among others.

## New butcher, deli and farmers market set to open in Greene

By **KEVIN DOONAN**  
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GREENE – A new butcher shop and farmers market is scheduled to open in early April at 62 Genesee St., nestled between Rite Aid and the Village Cafe in the heart of downtown Greene.

Dubbed the 'Butcher Block and Farm Market,' the shop will feature a mixture of deli, butcher shop and farmers market items. Owners Don and Andrea Cascun view the new business as an expansion of the Cascun Farm in Greene and will also be vending other local produce on behalf of farmers in the area.

Initially, when the Cascuns had been expanding their organic poultry business, they traveled to New York City to vend their products and - soon after - they were bringing other local goods produced by farmers who were unable to get off the farm to the market with them. As the Cascuns were increasingly exposed to all of the wonderful amenities being created in the Greene

area, it dawned on them that such products were not readily available to consumers in Chenango County and subsequently, they decided to open up the new shop.

"It's absolutely amazing what is being produced in our own back yard; a lot of high quality stuff made in low quantities," said store owner Andrea Cascun. "We wanted to be able to have a place to showcase our pastured meats as well as all of the other amazing farm products in our area."

The building chosen to house the Butcher Block and Farm Market is on the state historical registry and the Cascuns are currently in the process of renovating the building, stripping it down and restoring it back to its former glory.

Once completed, the shop will feature a rustic interior that includes such antiques as an aged meat case recovered from the old Oxford market, and a large homemade wooden table cozied up to the shop's front window that will provide patrons with window seating while they munch on their

fresh deli subs.

The Cascuns have reported a steady stream of visitors including older folk who have stopped in and conveyed their approval of the work done to the building's interior as they provided anecdotal accounts of the structure during the days of their youth.

The list of produce - which will be available once the butcher shop is open - is extensive, and includes local meats, handmade sausages, house-smoked bacon and other charcuterie items. The deli portion of the shop promises cold cuts and specialty sandwiches, homemade deli salads, rotisserie chickens, fresh ravioli and sauces to go. The farmers market segment will feature locally made jams, honey, pickles, granola, milk, yogurt, cheese, and eggs. Breads and gourmet items from downstate will also be sold.

"We just really wanted to offer local stuff to local people," said Cascun.

## WEATHER

### TODAY

Mostly cloudy with scattered snow showers. Highs around 30. Chance of snow 40 percent.



### TOMORROW

Mostly cloudy. Numerous snow showers. Little or no snow accumulation. Highs in the upper 20s.

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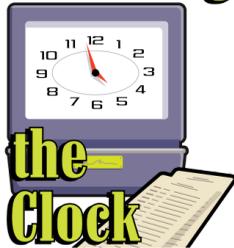
## Semper Fi ...

Editor's Note: Each Wednesday, one of our Evening Sun reporters will visit a local business or non-profit organization to lend a hand for a day, finding out what it's like to be on the inside.

By **KEVIN DOONAN**  
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PARRIS ISLAND, S.C. – For an extended Punching the Clock, I headed out of the county, then out of state to the U.S. Marine Corps boot camp on Parris Island, South Carolina, for an educators' workshop. Now, I went into this with a limited and probably average understanding of the Marine Corps. I mean I saw "G.I. Jane" so I figured I had a pretty rich understanding of what they are all about. In hindsight, I was dead wrong. For starters, Demi Moore depicts a Navy Seal - which is in no way part of the Marine Corps - and she also

## Punching



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Educators stand at attention while a drill instructor loudly berates them during an educators workshop on Parris Island, SC.

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BRIEFS

Sanford advances in SC race, Colbert's sister wins

CHARLESTON, S.C. (AP) - Mark Sanford says he believes in "a God of second chances," and now the former South Carolina governor has taken the first step toward reviving a political career that was derailed by an extramarital affair.

Elizabeth Colbert Busch, the sister of political satirist Stephen Colbert, always dreamed of a career in politics - and now she has a chance to realize that dream.

As Sanford advanced Tuesday night to an April 2 GOP runoff for an open congressional seat in a southern coastal district, Colbert Busch easily won the Democratic primary to earn a spot on the May 7 general election ballot.

Colbert Busch would appear to face an uphill battle against the eventual Republican nominee in the conservative-leaning district. Mitt Romney carried it by 18 percentage points last year.

Colo governor to sign landmark gun bills

DENVER (AP) - Gov. John Hickenlooper will sign new restrictions on firearms in Colorado exactly eight months after dozens of people were shot in a movie theater in suburban Denver.

The bills require background checks for private and online gun sales and ban ammunition magazines that hold more than 15 rounds. Hickenlooper is signing the bills Wednesday in his office.

The new laws signal a historic change for Democrats who traditionally shied away from a battle over gun-control in a state where owning a gun is as common as owning a car in some rural areas.

Snow ushers in spring in northern New England

BOSTON (AP) - New Englanders are preparing for another messy day of snow as they welcome spring's unseasonable arrival.

Forecasts call for as much as 16 inches of snow in parts of northern New England through Wednesday morning, bringing slippery road conditions. Snow is expected to taper off in other locations.

National Weather Service forecaster John Cannon in Gray, Maine, calls it "the real deal - the heavy, wet snow." He says travel will be "treacherous" into the morning.

# Nevada town mourns Marines who died in explosion

By SCOTT SONNER  
Associated Press

HAWTHORNE, Nev. (AP) - Hundreds of residents in a rural community steeped in military history turned out to mourn the loss of at least seven Marines as investigators arrived at an ammunition depot to try to determine how a mortar shell exploded at the Nevada base and sent shrapnel flying into troops during a training exercise.

Families with children clutching small American flags were among the nearly 300 people who attended the brief memorial service, where a trumpeter played taps at a city park as a giant American flag flew at half-staff across the street from the base at dusk.

Marine officers from Camp Lejeune, N.C., who arrived at the Hawthorne Army Depot on Tuesday could not attend the memorial, as they began the task of figuring out what caused a mortar shell to explode in its firing tube. The accident prompted the Pentagon to immediately halt the use of the weapons until an investigation can determine their safety, officials said.

"All of the officers are tied up with the investigation," said John Stroud, a Veterans of Foreign Wars official from Fallon who led the memorial service. "For obvious reasons, they've got important work to do."

The explosion Monday night at the sprawling facility



Marine Brig. Gen. Jim Lukeman address the media outside the gates of Camp Lejeune, N.C., on Tuesday, March 19, 2013. Seven Marines from the base were killed in a mortar accident in Nevada Monday night.

during an exercise involved the 2nd Marine Expeditionary Force from Camp Lejeune. At least seven men were killed and eight were injured, officials said.

Hawthorne has been an important installation in American military history since World War II, when it was the staging area for ammunition, bombs and rockets. The facility has downsized in recent years but still serves as a munitions repository and disposal

site, along with being a training facility for troops as they take advantage of terrain and climate similar to places like Afghanistan. The facility is made up of hundreds of buildings spread over more than 230 square miles, and bunkers dot the sagebrush-covered hills visible from the highway.

Even though the Marines were from the other side of the country, locals still feel a strong sense of pride in the military because the town's history is so deeply tied to the armed forces.

The town calls itself "America's Patriotic Home" and is home to the Hawthorne Ordnance Museum, which displays hundreds of shells, munitions, battery guns and weapons dating to World War II. Red, white and blue sculptures made of former shells and bombs are on display in town. Storefronts carry names like Patriot's Plaza. The sign on a business Thursday carried the message, "Please Pray For Our Marines."

At the memorial Tuesday night, members of the women's Auxiliary of VFW 231 laid a wreath and floral arrangements beneath an American flag as dozens of Mineral County sheriff's deputies and firefighters who attended to the wound-

ed the night before looked on.

"The evening of March 18, 2013, will forever be remembered as a moment of profound tragedy in Mineral County," District Attorney Sean Rowe told the memorial service. "You have given meaning to the phrase, 'America's Patriotic Home.'"

The identities of those killed won't be released until 24 hours after their families are notified, the military said.

The impact of the accident was immediately felt.

The Pentagon expanded a temporary ban to prohibit the military from firing any 60 mm mortar rounds until the results of the investigation. The Marine Corps said Tuesday a "blanket suspension" of 60 mm mortars and associated firing tubes is in effect.

The Pentagon earlier had suspended use of all high-explosive and illumination mortar rounds that were in the same manufacturing lots as ones fired in Nevada.

The 60 mm mortar is a weapon that traditionally requires three to four Marines to operate, but it's common during training for others to observe nearby. The firing tube is supported in a tripod-like design and fires roughly a 3-pound

shell, some 14 inches in length and a bit larger than 2 inches in diameter.

The mortar has changed little since World War II and remains one of the simplest weapons to operate, which is why it is found at the lowest level of infantry units, said Joseph Trevithick, a mortar expert with Global Security.org.

"Basically, it's still a pipe and it's got a firing pin at the bottom," Trevithick said. Still, a number of things could go wrong, such as a fuse malfunction, a problem with the barrel's assembly, or a round prematurely detonating inside the tube, he said.

A Marine Corps official said an explosion at the point of firing in a training exercise could kill or maim anyone in or near the protective mortar pit and could concussively detonate any mortars stored nearby in a phenomenon known as "sympathetic detonation." The official spoke on condition of anonymity because the individual wasn't authorized to speak about an ongoing investigation.

The official said a worldwide moratorium after such an accident is not unusual and would persist until the investigation determines that the weapon did not malfunction in ways that would hurt other Marines or that mortar shells manufactured at the same time as the one involved in the accident were safe.

The official said it would be normal to warn other U.S. military branches that use 60 mm mortars, such as the Army, about the Marines warning. The moratorium could last for weeks or months.

The investigation will focus on whether the Marines followed procedures to properly fire the weapon, or whether there was a malfunction in the firing device or in the explosive mortar shell itself, the official said.

Renowned hospital emergency physician Dr. Michael Morkin said at a news conference that some of the injured Marines he treated were conscious and "knew something happened but didn't know what." Morkin said the Marines mostly suffered blunt force trauma from shrapnel.

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BRIEFS

Zumba defendant seeks no more than 2 weeks in jail

PORTLAND, Maine (AP) - Lawyers for a Maine man convicted in a prostitution scandal are asking the judge to impose a sentence of no more than two weeks in jail, the same penalty he previously rejected under a proposed plea deal.

Mark Strong's defense team has asked Justice Nancy Mills to invalidate 12 of the 13 guilty verdicts. They said Wednesday that if the verdicts stand, the maximum sentence should be no greater than the plea deal.

The 57-year-old insurance agent was convicted on 12 counts of promotion of prostitution and a separate conspiracy count.

With the plea deal rejected, prosecutors intend to seek consecutive sentences when Strong is sentenced Thursday.

Strong acknowledged helping fitness instructor Alexis Wright open her Kennebunk dance studio but contends he didn't profit from prostitution.

Mass. sheriff defends Obama assassination joke

PLYMOUTH, Mass. (AP) - A Republican sheriff in Massachusetts is defending a joke he told at a St. Patrick's Day breakfast in which Abraham Lincoln visits President Barack Obama in a dream and suggests he go to the theater.

Lincoln was assassinated in a theater and Democratic critics say even a joke suggesting the current president might get shot was inappropriate, especially from a public safety official.

Plymouth County Sheriff Joseph D. McDonald Jr. made the joke Sunday at the heavily Republican breakfast.

He told the Patriot Ledger of Quincy (<http://bit.ly/YFUmyM>) on Tuesday the uproar over an old joke is "absurd."

He says it was no different than Democrats joking about former President George W. Bush going hunting with former Vice President Dick Cheney, who accidentally wounded a hunting partner in 2006.

# Feds say Native Mob gang dented but work remains

By Steve Karnowski  
Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) - Federal prosecutors say they've weakened a violent American Indian gang known for terrorizing people in the Upper Midwest now that an alleged leader and two members have been convicted in one of the largest gang cases to come out of Indian Country.

But investigators acknowledge their work isn't done in Minnesota or other states where the Native Mob is active, noting that the gang has been around for a long time.

"We have some conservative confidence that we did put a dent (in the gang) but we're also very realistic and know that law enforcement will continue to pursue gang activity including the Native Mob," Assistant U.S. Attorney Andrew Winter said after jurors handed down convictions Tuesday on an array of racketeering and other charges.

"The verdicts reflect the seriousness of the crimes that were being committed by the Native Mob, which includes not only drug trafficking, but discharging of firearms at innocent people, and trafficking firearms, and basically wreaking havoc through communities throughout the state of



AP Photo

Defense Attorney Tom Shiah talks to reporters after his client, William Earl Morris, 25, and another defendant, Anthony Francis Cree, 26, alleged "soldiers" in the American Indian gang Native Mob, were convicted along with alleged Native Mob leader, 34-year-old Wakinyon Wakan McArthur, on an array of racketeering and other charges by a federal jury Tuesday, March 19, 2013, in Minneapolis.

Minnesota," he said.

A federal jury in Minneapolis convicted the alleged Native Mob leader, 34-year-old Wakinyon Wakan McArthur, on drug and weapons charges - but also on a charge of racketeering conspiracy, which is often used to target organized crime.

Two of the gang's alleged "soldiers" - Anthony Francis Cree, 26, and William Earl Morris, 25 - also were convicted of multiple charges including attempted murder in aid of racketeering. The latter charge stemmed from the shooting of another man that prosecutors alleged McArthur ordered, though his attorneys disputed the claim and McArthur was acquitted on that charge. But only Morris was acquitted on the top racketeering charge.

Defense attorneys said the government's case was overblown, arguing that while gang members may have committed individual crimes, there was no evidence to support racketeering charges alleging the trio was part of a large, organized criminal group.

The three men were the only defendants who rejected plea deals after 25 people were indicted in the case last year. Several of those individuals testified during the trial, which Winter said should give other gang members pause knowing they can't trust their co-conspirators.

A sentencing date has not yet been set, but all three men face between 20 years and life in prison, prosecutors said.

"The Native Mob has been a real detriment to native American communities throughout the state of Minnesota," fellow prosecutor Steve Schliecher said. "Their game plan is to promote fear, and that's the base

concern too, Griffin added.

"It looks like it won't have a huge impact on us," he said, although it could lead to additional funding cuts for next year. Final numbers will not be available until those decisions are made at the federal level.

What's more, the district has seen a trend in falling enrollment in recent years. Enrollment for 2012-2013 was 1,357; down from a total 1,398 last year, and 1,414 in 2010-2011. In all, student enrollment has dropped by more than 500 students over the last 15 years.

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does not go through basic training. So, needless to say, it was a humbling and eye-opening experience.

Some of the more benign surprises that were in store for me included a predominance of water phobia in new recruits, which I thought was interesting considering the Marines are an amphibious strike force. One of the recruiters chaperoning us, a Sgt. Franklin, confided in me that he once greatly feared water and had been unable to swim well when he enlisted. The most interesting part for me, however, was actually speaking with the recruits who had only been on the isle for a few weeks.

The educators first day mimicked a toned down version of what the recruits experience upon arriving at boot camp. It began with the long drive across the causeway connecting Parris Island to the mainland. Shrouded in darkness, the bus passed over the paved road constructed nearly flush with the water surrounding it on either side. Unlike the recruits, the educators and I chatted merrily while peering through the windows with sleep-blurred eyes. When the recruits' journey to the island, they do so in silence, with their heads tucked down close to their knees while raising an arm holding up their identifications in the air.

When the bus reaches the island it proceeds to drive around the 8,000 acre base, further disorienting the sleep-deprived recruits.

When it finally comes to a halt, a drill instructor comes barging on board, shouting at the top of his lungs.

Although the educators did not experience the circuitous ride, they were shocked when a uniformed drill instructor, sporting a wide brimmed hat, barreled onto the bus pushing the limits of a voice which would have made the most stoic of individuals quake in their boots. Following the drill instructors orders, the educators hurriedly filed off the bus, presumably leaving behind one or more damp seats, and scampered to fall into line.

Although the stone-faced drill instructor maintained a somber demeanor, he had no quandary using his bone-jarring vocalizations to fillet the educators' performance with his overt displeasure. When the educators finally managed to fall in, they did so spaced out on top of the infamous Yellow Footprints, yellow painted silhouettes of shoes symbolic of the Marines recruits' quest for unity. Just as they gained their balance though, the educators were issued new orders to shift to the left. Before they had gotten no more than a few feet they were ordered back onto the footprints. This continued for a couple of minutes, interjected with various other commands just as frustratingly pointless, such as raising up the left arm and putting a thumb up and down, a disjointed dance to the sound track of a shouting drill instructor.

"Face front! Yeah right, face me!" shouted Sgt.

Campas, sending the educators into a maelstrom of confused spins.

The rhetoric Sgt. Campas utilized was decidedly toned down compared to what the recruits experienced and there was no calisthenic to go along with it.

Throughout the remainder of our time on the island, we would approach any sort of outdoor movement in this manner: For the first day, I actually opted out of formation allowing me to take notes and better observe what was going on, but on the second day, I joined in the marching being dictated by the whims of Sgt. Campas.

"Step it out! Louder, sharper, faster! I have a bunch of individuals! We are going to keep going until I hear every one of you screaming at the top of your lungs! Your not screaming so you must not understand me!"

On the first night, the recruits are allowed a single phone call to their parents letting them know they have safely arrived. The phone call is strictly scripted and the recruits are not allowed to converse with their parents. Afterwards, the recruits are virtually cut off from the outside world throughout the next 13 weeks, and are allowed to exchange only a spattering of handwritten letters.

"It's about the kids," said Drill Instructor Staff Sgt. Newton. "I don't care who he is, but I am going to take him and transform him into a Marine."

When a member of the assembled educators asked

why join the Marine Corp, Staff Sgt. Newton responded with conviction, "Your life is selfish, join the marines to be a part of something bigger than yourself and contribute something."

Of course other Marines offered different incentives for joining, ranging from bringing out the best in a person, developing creative problem solving abilities and a better work ethic, as well as becoming a part of a brotherhood. Still, Staff Sgt. Newton's blunt and condemning answer stuck out the most for me.

Our first day wasn't all marching though, and it was cram-packed with activities. The most intriguing being an opportunity to speak with recruits who had only been on the island for a few weeks.

"There have been a lot of ups and downs," said recruit Skyler, 19, from the Syracuse area. "I joined because I wanted something new and I was sick of living paycheck to paycheck."

When asked if she still felt she had made the right choice in joining the Marines she responded that she questions it sometimes and that she misses her home.

"But I know in the end it will be worth it," she confidently stated.

It was a sentiment shared by all of the recruits. A feeling that despite the hardships they were enduring it would be worth it in the end ... as well as a sense of pride.

To be continued in next weeks installment of Punching the Clock.

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air is the possible purchase of iPads for student use and the hiring of a new school administrator to fill the position of assistant principal at the middle school level.

The political issue of sequestration is grounds for

enrollment in recent years. Enrollment for 2012-2013 was 1,357; down from a total 1,398 last year, and 1,414 in 2010-2011. In all, student enrollment has dropped by more than 500 students over the last 15 years.

What's more, the district has seen a trend in falling

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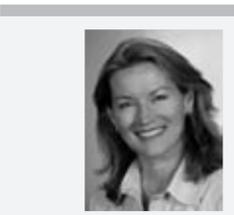
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# Facebook

*Interim Editor's note: The conclusion of Melissa deCordova's opinion piece on Facebook was mistakenly cut off in Tuesday's edition of The Evening Sun. It is re-printed here in its entirety.*



**MELISSA DECORDOVA**  
Just Short

In 2004, a much younger fellow reporter showed me her Facebook profile photo and told me about the new interactive website that her college friends were using. The photo was just of Nicole's eye, and I thought she was pretty sly.

Thereafter, my interest in social media piqued whenever I realized I was missing something big going on. But I drudged on in anonymity, assuring myself that I not only had college friends, but actually saw them in person and spoke to them on the phone every now and then.

My how things have changed! These days I'm waking up to see who said what the night before on my own Facebook newsfeed and I'm looking for people to 'friend.' I've even posted photos and tagged one of them.

The truth is I was forced into cyber space by default. Sometime in 2008 I bargained with my daughter that she could have a Facebook account if she permitted me access to monitor any crazies who might show up on her page. So, I had been seeing pictures of Lane with her friends and staying in tune with her life, and through her, too, my son, since they were 'friends.' My fateful error was critiquing this 19-year-old's outfits on a couple of occasions last fall, after which time she promptly changed her password and cut me right off.

I'm not sure where my college friends are on Facebook yet; instead, I find myself reconnected with classmates in Ohio where I grew up. I can think of no other place except for a class reunion where I might learn whatever happened to so and so, and even there I can't be certain of seeing family photos and piecing together life stories.

I see that a kindergarten friend who played Batman with me during recess has become a car salesman. With another boy as Robin, I was Batwoman, of course. But I remember heated debates about this, and on some days I ended up the villain Catwoman. You can bet Batman - using his Pow! Bam! and Zonk! - always made the persuasive decision.

Facebook has compelled me to sift back through the chapters of my life and tie up some loose ends. Indeed, checking Wikipedia, I discover that Batwoman was eliminated from the comic book series when I was exactly 5, which interestingly was the same school year when sex discrimination was outlawed by the Civil Rights Act and the National Organization for Women was created.

To my horror, I also read that the Supreme Court struck down a law banning contraceptives for married couples in 1965. And because my Batman and Robin were both African Americans, I'm sure a groundbreaking article that year which compared sex discrimination with Jim Crow laws said something subliminal about our playground confusion.

With the Obamas in the White House and family planning commonplace, I can't help but say, We've Come A Long Way Baby. I can't wait to see where social media and Facebook sends me back to next.

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# Balancing Act

*Interim Editor's note: Considering Wednesday's, for the past two and a half years, at least, have been my typical "column day," I thought it might be fun to re-run this opinion piece, as it was my first as an Evening Sun columnist (way back in September of 2010, if you can believe that). Look for my first editorial as interim editor on Friday.*

I thought myself prepared, as this is my first effort as a columnist for **The Evening Sun**, to avoid rambling. Yet I'm hoping for some leniency in this regard as I get down to business and attempt to address some issues which, in my opinion, are significantly impacting our community and the country as a whole.

A little background. I began writing for our hometown daily newspaper nearly 10 months ago, a position I never really expected to find myself in and one that has changed my life inexplicably. To put it

simply, when our esteemed editor first shook my hand and said "Welcome to the team," I was caught up in a whirlwind of emotions - excitement, intimidation, hope and more than a little fear. At the time I had no idea what to expect.

Having been born and raised in Norwich, I've ultimately found the experience to be educational (to say the least), emotional, enlightening and most of all, surprising. I've always been a touch partial to my particular view of the world and the environment of the newsroom has had a profound impact on those attitudes; it's changed me in ways I can not even begin to describe.

As stated, I grew up here in the City of Norwich. I know the sights, sounds, people and events for which it's known, well, like the back of my hand. Being an **Evening Sun** staff writer has taught me the importance of that experience. In addition, I read, and react, to the news much differently now.



**BRIAN GOLDEN**  
The Evening Sun

At times, it's difficult not to get discouraged when I read of our school district's continued suffering due to these troubled economic times or the various instances of crime and violence in our community. As I said, I look at things a bit differently now and it's easy to see the impact these things have on every level. I tell myself that things weren't always this way in Norwich, yet perhaps I was simply too young to recog-

nize the symptoms.

However, I think it would be hard to argue the fact that the youth of our community face challenges and deal with issues unlike anything the older generations have experienced. I certainly do not envy them the world they're inheriting and, for better or for worse, it will be up to them to succeed in overcoming the many obstacles which stand in their way.

Yet in my time here at the paper, I've noticed that, in most cases, the good outweighs the bad and for every negative, there's usually a positive. I suppose you could call it a balancing act.

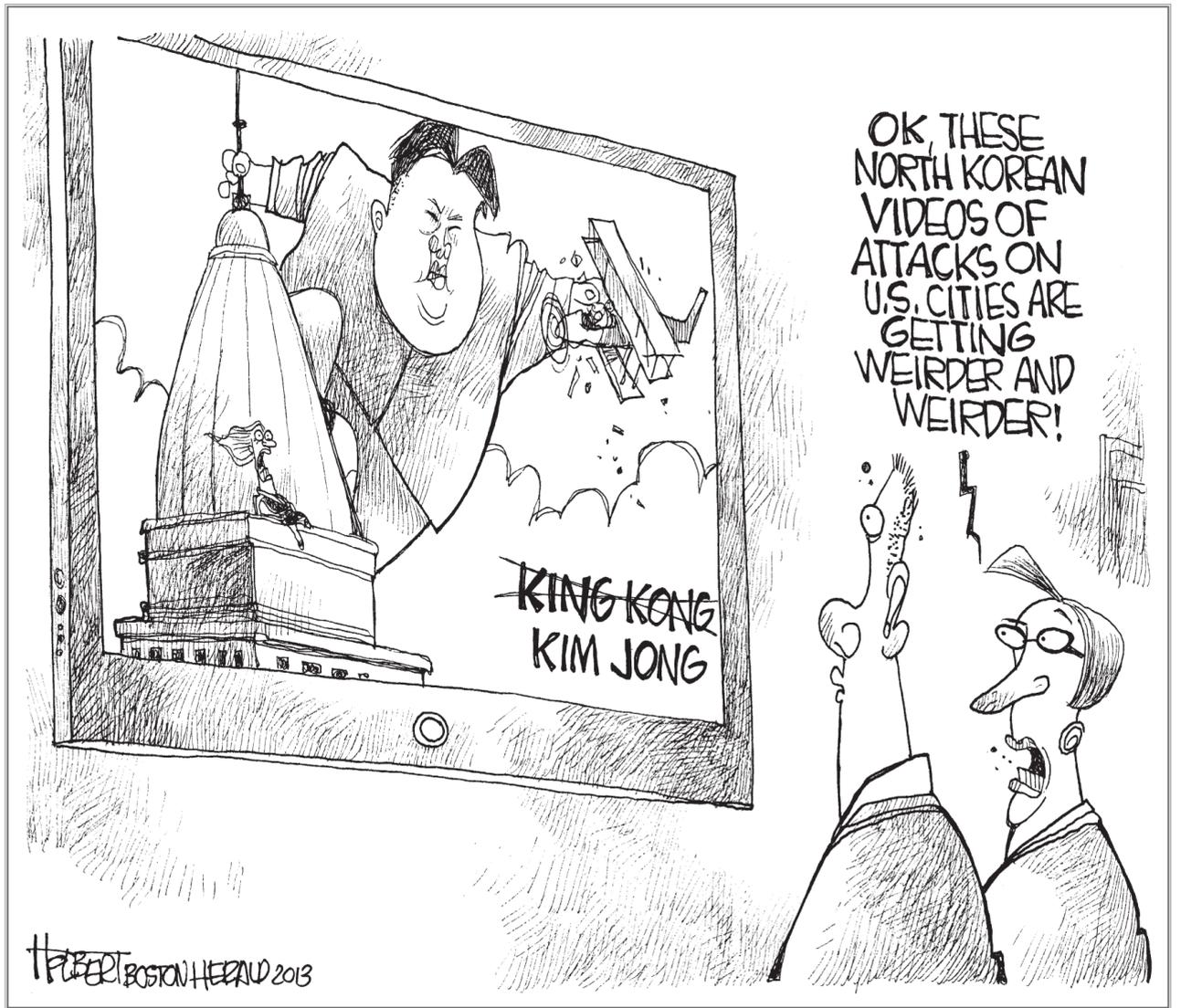
In many ways that balancing act represents a number of situations and issues facing our city, county and country today. Poor versus rich, Democrat versus Republican, right versus left, Christian versus Muslim, et cetera, et cetera.

It's obvious that the youth of today live in a much different world and I continue

to ask myself, is there more bad news today or is it simply easier to access? In this day and age the planet is a much smaller place. Kids today have cell phones and laptops, they have access to a vast communication network unlike anything I could've imagined as a child. I wonder if any one over the age of 30 can truly comprehend what they deal with on a daily basis.

In the end, I simply hope we can all come together to make this community everything it possibly can be - safe, educational, entertaining, challenging, fun and worthy of being called home. It all comes down to the decisions we make and the many ways we can positively impact others. It may be a balancing act - the good versus the bad - but it's certainly possible.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

# SAFE Act: Bill of necessity?

Editor,

The theme of the speakers at the gun rally was that the SAFE Act law is in violation of our Second Amendment right to bear arms and makes gun owners criminals. Laws don't make criminals out of gun owners. Only they can do that!

Nothing was said about other people's right to live without fear of being shot and killed before their time, like at Sandy Hook. All these gun owners are so worried about their rights and their guns that they could care less about anyone else's rights.

Just stop and think! When those men wrote the Second

Amendment all those years ago, they had NO idea there would ever be guns that could create so much havoc as assault weapons. Guns at that time were simple and used for hunting and protection. If they could have known, I'm sure it would have been written differently.

Gun owners think non-gun owners believe they are violent. Where do they get that idea? I think they think of them as hunters until they take out their assault weapons, then they think they are violent!

I'd like to respond to some of the quotes from the gun rally:

Quote: "Background checks and registrations of guns will just be a hassle and a headache!"

My reply: Perhaps it may be depending on how many guns you have. What are gun owners so afraid of? What do they want to hide? I wonder if the people at Sandy Hook are over their hassles and headaches?

Quote: "Criminals don't obey the law!"

My reply: Is that any reason why gun owners shouldn't? It seems supposedly law abiding gun owners don't want to either. If a law doesn't suit you, just repeal it, right?

Quote: "Non-gun owners

ask why we need guns. We need them to protect our families."

My reply: I ask, why do you need assault weapons for that?

Quote: "Gun owners believe gun safety should be taught, guns and ammunition stored separate and locked up."

My reply: How are you going to get to your assault weapon in a sudden emergency situation? Also, the mother at Sandy Hook tried to teach her son, supplied the weapon and now she's dead too.

On the question of gun owners need to have a million dollar liability insur-

ance, a gun is a dangerous weapon that can take a life or disable someone for life, just like your car. If you don't have guns or a car, you don't have to have insurance.

Whether we are gun owners or not, we live in the same world and face the same dangers every day. Why can't we try to make things better and get along? It all reminds me of the Republicans and the Democrats.

Have a nice day,

Mildred Underwood  
South Plymouth

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# CALENDAR

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## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - 8 p.m. Open beginners meeting at United Methodist Church, 74 N. Broad St.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Oxford - 6:30 p.m., St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 32 Main St.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - Open discussion meeting, 7 a.m., United Methodist Church, Broad Street.

AL-ANON - Sidney - Sacred Heart Church, Liberty Street, 7 p.m., Information 336-1954.

ALANON - Norwich - Alanon meetings, 7 p.m., Christ Lutheran Church, 94 N. Broad St.

CLOTHING EXCHANGE - Morris - The Magic Closet will hold a free clothing exchange, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Zion Episcopal Parish House, 62 Main Street.

MEETING - Norwich - The Bullthistle Model Railroad Society, Inc. will hold their monthly meeting beginning at 7 p.m. upstairs in the meeting room, at the museum, 33 Rexford St.. Anyone who enjoys model railroading is invited to attend. Parking is available in the rear and everyone is welcome.

MEETING - Bridgewater - Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War monthly meeting, 7 p.m., Bridgewater Town Hall.

SUPPORT GROUP - Norwich - Women's support group. New to breastfeeding or years of experience welcome. Third Wednesday every month, 6 p.m. 13 Gold Street.

NA - Bainbridge - NA meetings, 7 p.m., St. Peter's Church (red door church). Call 591-6899 for more information.

SENIORS - Norwich - Monday-Friday, the Senior Center at West Park Place/First Baptist Church offers lunch at 11:45 to persons 60 years of age and older. Reservations are requested; call 334-2910. There is a suggested contribution of \$3 for the lunch meal.

THRIFT SHOP - Oxford - Tuesday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The "Common Cents" Thrift Shop, at The Gavel, north of Oxford on Rt. 12. All profits go to the Oxford Food Pantry.

Benefits Chenango Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. WEIGHT WATCHERS - Norwich - Weight Watchers meetings every Thursday at the Norwich Family YMCA. Weigh-in begins at 11:45; meeting starts at 12:15.

WIC - Norwich - Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) program at OFC, 44 West Main St., 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Call for appointment: 334-7114.

## FRIDAY, MARCH 22

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Sherburne - 8 p.m. Closed meeting at St. Malachy's Church Payne House, 80 E. State St.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - Open discussion meeting, 7 a.m., United Methodist Church, Broad Street.

BINGO - Oxford - 7:30 p.m. at the Oxford Fire Station, Fort Hill Park.

DINNER - Sidney - Friday night dinner, 5:30, Sidney Moose Lodge. Food and music. For more information, call 563-8791.

FISH FRY - Norwich - Holy Family Fish Fry every Friday during Lent, 5 to 7 p.m., Prospect Street. Takeouts available at 4:30. For more information call 337-2207.

SENIORS - Norwich - Monday-Friday, the Senior Center at West Park Place/First Baptist Church offers lunch at 11:45 to persons 60 years of age and older. Reservations are requested; call 334-2910. There is a suggested contribution of \$3 for the lunch meal.

SUPPORT GROUP - Norwich - Celebrate Recovery support group, 6 to 7 p.m., Norwich Assembly of God.

THRIFT SHOP - Oxford - Tuesday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The "Common Cents" Thrift Shop, at The Gavel, north of Oxford on Rt. 12. All profits go to the Oxford Food Pantry.

WIC - Norwich - Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) program at OFC, 44 West Main St., 8 to 10 a.m. Call for appointment: 334-7114.

## CHENANGO SNAPSHOT



Submitted Photo

New York State Senator Tom Libous speaks with Chenango County 4-H student Danny Wade about government, legislative process and what it's like to be a legislator. Wade recently traveled to Albany to participate in 4-H's 78th Capitol Days, where he joined other students from the Southern Tier to tour the Capitol and attend the annual legislative breakfast where they learned about State government by meeting face-to-face with their representatives.

## THURSDAY, MARCH 21

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - 8 p.m. Closed meeting at Christ Lutheran Church Lounge, 94 N. Broad St.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - Open discussion meeting, 7 a.m., United Methodist Church, Broad Street.

BINGO - Sherburne - American Legion Post #876, Doors open at 5 p.m. with food and beverages available. Bingo starts at 7 p.m. Two 50/50 raffles each week. Sponsored by the Sherburne American Legion.

BINGO - Sidney - Sidney Elks Club, Doors open at 5:30 p.m., starts at 7:30 p.m., 100 River St. Sidney. Smoke Free environment, Sponsored by the Sidney B.P.O.E. 2175. For information call 563-2175.

CLOTHING EXCHANGE - Morris - The Magic Closet will hold a free clothing exchange, 4 to 6:30 p.m. at the Zion Episcopal Parish House, 62 Main Street.

CLOTHING BANK - Greene - Greene clothing bank, located over the Village office, open 10 a.m. to noon. Selection of gently-used clothing for all ages.

CLUB - Norwich - Faith-based 4-H Club meeting, 4:30 to 6 p.m., Canasawacta Free Methodist Church, Rt. 23 West. Call 336-5834 or 334-3073 for more information.

DINNER - Mt. Upton - Monthly Community Buffet Dinner, 5 to 7 p.m., Mt. Upton United Methodist Church. Free will donation.

SUPPORT GROUP - Norwich - Gather with others and Hospice Bereavement Coordinator to share your story and start on the road to acceptance and healing. Group will meet the 3rd Thursday of each month at the Hospice office, 21 Hayes St. from 5:30-7 p.m. Free and open to all, no prior relationship required. For information or to put your name on the group list, call Maureen Casey-Bryant at 334-3556, or email her via Hospice website at [www.hospicechenango.org](http://www.hospicechenango.org) under contacts.

MEETING - New Berlin - The Unadilla Valley Senior Center will meet 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. to share in a meal, entertainment and community information. For more information call 847-8053.

SENIORS - Norwich - Norwich Senior Citizens Club, 10 a.m. to noon, Peacock Manor community room, Brown Avenue. Speakers, cards, bingo, trips. New members always welcome.

THRIFT SHOP - Oxford - Tuesday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The "Common Cents" Thrift Shop, at The Gavel, north of Oxford on Rt. 12. All profits go to the Oxford Food Pantry.

THRIFT SHOP - Norwich - Pink Door Thrift Shop, 9 S. Broad St., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesday-Friday; 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday.

## SATURDAY, MARCH 23

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - Open discussion meeting, 7 a.m., United Methodist Church, Broad Street.

BINGO - Sidney - Fire Department Training Station, River St., Smoke Free Environment, Doors open at 5:30 p.m., Bingo starts at 7:30. Sponsored by the Sidney Fire Dept., For information call 561-2312.

BINGO - Cincinnatus - Doors open 4:15 p.m. at the Cincinnatus Fire Station. Games start at 5:30, sponsored by the Cincinnatus Fire Dept. Come and enjoy, now with a progressive jackpot.

BREAKFAST - Norwich - All you can eat pancake breakfast, 8 a.m. to noon, American Legion Post 189, 29 Sheldon St.

CLOTHING BANK - Greene - Greene clothing bank, located over the Village office, open 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Selection of gently-used clothing for all ages.

CLOTHING EXCHANGE - Morris - The Magic Closet will hold a free clothing exchange, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Zion Episcopal Parish House, 62 Main Street.

DINNER - Norwich - Third annual Spay-ghetti Dinner to benefit All Animals Matter, Inc. 5 to 8 p.m., Norwich Fire Station. Adults \$8, \$5 children; under 5 free. Bring an item for pet food bank. Silent auction. SPCA will have adoptable pets present. Takeouts available.

MUSEUM - Norwich - Bullthistle Model Railroad Society, Inc., 1 to 4 p.m., at 33 Rexford Street. Come and see all the great model railroad layouts on display.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - 7 p.m. first floor of the United Methodist Church, located on N. Broad St.

THRIFT SHOP - Norwich - Pink Door Thrift Shop, 9 S. Broad St., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesday-Friday; 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday. Benefits Chenango Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

WOLF MOUNTAIN - Smyrna - The Life and Times of the Arctic Fox 1-3 p.m. Come and learn about one of the world's most fascinating animals that are now threatened by climate change. Following the program, participants will visit the enclosure area and see a magnificent pair of Arctic foxes in their winter coats. Call 627-6784, visit [thewolfmountainnaturecenter.org](http://thewolfmountainnaturecenter.org).

## SUNDAY, MARCH 24

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - 7 p.m. Open meeting at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 37 W. Main St.

ALANON - Norwich - Alanon meetings, 5:30 p.m., Christ Lutheran Church, 94 N. Broad St.

BREAKFAST - Oxford - Community

Breakfast, 7:30 to 11 a.m., at the American Legion.

BREAKFAST - Preston - Pancake breakfast, 8 a.m. to noon, Prest Fire Department, 124 County Rd. 19.

WOLF - Smyrna - Wolf Mountain Nature Center family day, noon to 4 p.m. Visit [thewolfmountainnaturecenter.org](http://thewolfmountainnaturecenter.org) or call 627-6784 for more information.

## MONDAY, MARCH 25

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - 10 a.m., open meeting every Monday at the United Church of Christ, East Main Street.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - 8 p.m. Closed meeting at Holy Family School Cafeteria, 30 Pleasant St.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - Open discussion meeting, 7 a.m., United Methodist Church, Broad Street.

AL-ANON - Hamilton - Open meeting at Hamilton Baptist Church, 8 p.m. 4th Step meeting, 7 p.m.

SENIORS - Norwich - Monday-Friday, the Senior Center at West Park Place/First Baptist Church offers lunch at 11:45 to persons 60 years of age and older. Reservations are requested; call 334-2910. There is a suggested contribution of \$3 for the lunch meal.

SUPPER - Oxford - St. Paul's 'Taste and See' Food Kitchen will be open for one sitting at 5:30 p.m. at the Parish Hall on Main St. All are welcome to attend this free meal.

SUPPORT GROUP - Norwich - For Battered and Abused Women, 5 p.m. at Catholic Charities, 3 O'Hara Drive. For information call 334-3532.

TOPS MEETING - Norwich - TOPS: Take Off Pounds Sensibly will meet from 6 to 8 p.m. at St. Paul's Church Hall. For more information call 336-3814.

WIC - Norwich - Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) program at OFC, 44 West Main St., 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call for appointment: 334-7114.

WEIGHT WATCHERS - Norwich - Weight Watchers meetings every Monday at the Norwich Family YMCA. Weigh-in begins at 5:30; meeting starts at 6 p.m.

## TUESDAY, MARCH 26

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - Open discussion meeting, 7 a.m., United Methodist Church, Broad Street.

CLOTHING BANK - Greene - Greene clothing

bank, located over the Village office, open 10 a.m. to noon. Selection of gently-used clothing for all ages.

DINNER - Norwich - Norwich Community Kitchen will be serving dinner on Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m. at St. Bartholomew's Parish Center on East Main Street. All are welcome to attend.

MEETING - New Berlin - NIFTY (New Ideas for a Thinner You), 4:30 p.m. Weigh-in 4:15 p.m. at the New Berlin Methodist Church. For more information contact Freda Adams at 847-6567.

MEETING - New Berlin - The Unadilla Valley Senior Center will meet 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. to share in a meal, entertainment and community information. For more information call 847-8053.

ROTARY - Norwich - Norwich Rotary Club meeting, noon to 1 p.m., Canasawacta Country Club.

THRIFT SHOP - Norwich - Pink Door Thrift Shop, 9 S. Broad St., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesday-Friday; 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday. Benefits Chenango Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

THRIFT SHOP - Oxford - Tuesday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The "Common Cents" Thrift Shop, at The Gavel, north of Oxford on Rt. 12. All profits go to the Oxford Food Pantry.

TOPS MEETING - Earlville - TOPS: Take Off Pounds Sensibly will meet from 6 to 7:30 at the Earlville Baptist Church, 9 W. Main. For more information, call 674-9623.

WIC - Norwich - Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) program at OFC, 44 West Main St., 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call for appointment: 334-7114.

MEETING - Norwich - Chenango County Local Early Intervention Coordinating Council will meet at 12:15 p.m., second floor board room, Chenango County Office Building. Parents and professionals invited to attend. For more information call 337-1731.

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - 8 p.m. Open beginners meeting at United Methodist Church, 74 N. Broad St.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Oxford - 6:30 p.m., St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 32 Main St.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Norwich - Open discussion meeting, 7 a.m., United Methodist Church, Broad Street.

AL-ANON - Sidney - Sacred Heart Church, Liberty Street, 7 p.m., Information 336-1954.

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## SMART MONEY

# Term insurance can get expensive for seniors

**DEAR BRUCE:** I am 68, married and still working full time. I have a question on term insurance. I had a \$50,000 full-life policy since I was a kid, and (perhaps foolishly) I let it lapse a year ago. I hear many ads for term insurance at reasonable rates but can't tell if they're legit or rip-offs. The one company I'm looking into seems like a good route to go, but I want to get your wise input before doing anything. -- Jim in Wisconsin

**DEAR JIM:** You mentioned that you had a policy since you were a kid and that you let it lapse a year ago. After 60 years of paying into the policy, was it not paid up? Are you certain it has lapsed? My first inclination would be to check and make sure. If it was a whole life policy, there ought to be some value, maybe enough to continue to feed the premiums even though you neglected to.

In the absence of that, at age 68, a term policy may be expensive. If you're a smok-

er, it's going to cost you a ton of money. And if you have other health concerns, companies may not insure you at all.

You mentioned one life insurance company (I have removed its name) that advertises, and it is certainly legitimate. You can inquire of several companies, including the one you mentioned, and find out exactly how much the premium would be.

**DEAR BRUCE:** My daughter is separated from

her husband. He has since been receiving disability (due to lack of wanting to work). He informed my daughter that he does not need to file taxes since he is on disability, although he did receive a 1099. My daughter is worried that she will be held liable since they are not yet divorced due to lack of funds for an attorney. I say he still needs to file or he will be charged with tax fraud, and since they are separated, it will say her name on the tax form.

**This man has not worked for approximately 10 years and makes his "living" off of other people. He will ask anyone with any kind of money for loans and yet does not pay!** -- M.C., Newark, Ill.

**DEAR M.C.:** Just because your daughter's husband got a 1099 doesn't mean he needs to file. If the amount reported on the 1099 takes his income above a certain threshold, then he would have to file. The fact that he's a bum and is living off

other people is not relevant. Your daughter really should do everything possible to conclude this divorce. Staying married to this guy will only lead to other problems, and some could be major.

Send questions to [bruce@brucewilliams.com](mailto:bruce@brucewilliams.com) or to Smart Money, P.O. Box 7150, Hudson, FL 34674. Questions of general interest will be answered in future columns. Owing to the volume of mail, personal replies cannot be provided.



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OBITUARIES

ALLEN AMBROSIO

NORWICH – Allen J. Ambrosio, 54, of Norwich, passed away unexpectedly on Tuesday, March 12, 2013 at his home.

Allen was born in Paterson, NJ on April 21, 1958 the son of James and Mary Northey Ambrosio. He grew up in Bergen County where he attended school and in February of 1976 entered the United States Navy where he served his country until his honorable discharge. Following his military service, Allen traveled with the carnivals in the southern states and in 1993 moved to the Norwich area. He had worked for the Label Gallery, CWS, P&G and Chenango Memorial Hospital. On Aug. 2, 2002 in Sherburne he married Tammy S. Lowe.

Allen was a caring and loving man who enjoyed his family and at times could be quite opinionated. He enjoyed his hunting and fishing and was a student of the American Indian Art.

Allen is survived by his wife Tammy of Norwich, his mother Mary Ambrosio of Coventry, his sons Joshua Copeland and Aubrey Ambrosio of Oneida, his step-children Matthew Walrod of Coventry, Edwin Walrod of Norwich and Natasha Walrod of South New Berlin. Also surviving are his sisters Cynthia Crowe and husband Robert of Greene, Dawn Grogan and husband Bernard of NJ, his brothers Joseph Ambrosio of Coventry, Richard Ambrosio of NJ and his step-grandchildren Hailee and Matthew Walrod, Landon Layman-Walrod and Selena Decker.

A funeral service for Allen will be held on Friday, March 22, at 11 a.m. from the R.J. Fahy Funeral Home. The Rev. Brian Conover, Pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church of Norwich will officiate.

Interment will be at the convenience of the family. Friends may call at the R.J. Fahy Funeral Home on Friday from 10 a.m. until the time of the service at 11.

CONSTANCE SMITH

OXFORD – Constance B. "Connie" Smith, 76, formerly of Oxford, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, March 19, 2013 at the Valley View Nursing Manor in Norwich.

Born October 29, 1936 in Norwich, Connie was the daughter of Ralph G. and Helen (Laden) Bartlett. She attended St. Paul's School and graduated from Norwich High School with the Class of 1954. Connie was the office manager at Benedict Motors in Norwich for many years, retiring in 1998.

For several years, Connie and her husband, Mitchell, had a summer residence at Chenango Lake. She was a member of St. Joseph's Church in Oxford and also attended both St. Paul's and St. Bartholomew's churches in Norwich.

On September 13, 1958, in Norwich, Connie married Mitchell L. Smith, who survives. She is also survived by her brother and his wife, David and Penny Bartlett of Buffalo, two sisters-in-law, Marianne Bartlett of Washington and Ramona Erwin of Florida, as well as a brother-in-law, David Smith, also living in Florida. Connie was predeceased by a brother, Stephen Bartlett.

Funeral services for Connie will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 23, 2013 at the Wilson Funeral Home. Friends are invited to call at the funeral home from 10 a.m. until the time of the service. Burial will take place at a later date in St. Paul's Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in memory of Connie may be made to the Chenango County SPCA, 6160 Co. Rd. 32, Norwich, NY 13815.

Messages of condolence may be sent to the family by visiting the Wilson Funeral Home website at www.wilsonfh.com.

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**Yesterday's Almanac**

Temperatures	40°
High	40°
Low	19°
Average High	45°
Average Low	21°
High Last Year	76°
Low Last Year	38°
Record High	76° (2012)
Record Low	-15° (1993)

**Precipitation**  
Last 24 Hours: 0.42"  
Month to Date: 2.32"  
Normal Month to Date: 1.97"  
Year to Date: 7.64"  
Normal Year to Date: 7.64"

**Heating Degree Days**  
Yesterday: .35  
Month to Date: 676  
Season to Date: 5500  
Season to Date Last Year: 4957

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Full	Last	New	First
Mar 27	Apr 2	Apr 10	Apr 18

Sunrise 7:05 AM Sunset 7:15 PM  
Moonrise 12:41 PM Moonset 2:50 AM

**Regional Outlook**  
Unsettled weather will prevail through the remainder of the workweek across the area as a large area of low pressure sits and spins across southeastern Canada and the northeast United States. Temperatures will continue to be below average for the week.

**Today's National Forecast**

Map showing weather patterns across the United States with high and low pressure systems.

**Today's National Cities**

City	Hi	Lo	Weather	City	Hi	Lo	Weather
Atlanta	60	32	PTCLDY	Los Angeles	71	51	MOCLDY
Boston	41	26	SUNNY	Miami	83	63	TSTRMS
Chicago	25	15	MOCLDY	New York City	44	28	PTCLDY
Dallas	70	51	SUNNY	Phoenix	86	64	MOCLDY
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<b>Win 4 Midday</b> 6-0-0-2, Lucky Sum: 8	<b>Mega Millions</b> 03-06-14-21-37, Mega Ball: 35 Estimated jackpot: \$13 million Megaplier3
<b>Numbers Evening</b> 2-7-7, Lucky Sum: 16	<b>Powerball</b> Estimated jackpot: \$260 million
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**OXFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
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**POSSESSION**

A 15-year-old Oxford youth was charged with unlawful possession of marijuana. He was released to the custody of his mother, issued an appearance ticket and will appear in the Village of Oxford Court at a later date.

**POSSESSION**  
A 16-year-old Oxford youth

was charged with unlawful possession of marijuana. He was released and will appear in the Village of Oxford Court at a later date.

**CHENANGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE**  
334-2000

**WARRANT**  
Amanda Sgroi, 19, Norwich, was arrested on an active bench warrant issued by Norwich City Court for failure to appear. She was arraigned in the Town of Norwich Court, remanded to the Chenango County Correctional Facility and will appear in court at a later date.

**WARRANT**  
Wendy Hackett, 29, Norwich, was arrested on an active bench warrant issued by Chenango County Family Court. She was remanded to the Chenango County Correctional Facility to commence a 60 day sentence.

QUOTES

**THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**  
"It's a precedent for all European countries. Their money in every bank is not safe." - Lawyer Simos Angelides, protesting Cyprus' plan to seize up to 10 percent of savings accounts to help pay to bail out the country.

"It could have been a very bad day here for everybody. All things considered, I think we were very blessed here. Anybody armed with this type of weapon and ammunition could have hurt a lot of people here, particularly in a crowded area as people were evacuating." - Richard Beary, police chief for the University of Central Florida, where a college student who plotted a massacre killed himself as police closed in.

"The perception that we're the party of the rich unfortunately continues to grow." - Republican National Committee chairman Reince Priebus after a panel's report that recommended a more inclusive GOP.

PUBLIC MEETINGS

- Wednesday, March 20**
- Chenango County Safety & Rules Committee, 10 a.m., Chairman's Conference Room, County Office Building, Norwich.
  - Greene Board of Education, 7 p.m.
  - Otselic Valley Central School District Board of Education, 7:30 p.m., Otselic Valley Junior-Senior High School cafeteria.
- Thursday, March 21**
- Oxford Academy Board of Education, 6 p.m., budget meeting at McDonough library.
  - Chenango County Public Works Committee, 10 a.m., Chairman's Conference Room, County Office Building, Norwich.
  - Preston Fire District, 6:30 p.m., Preston Town Hall.
  - Afton Board of Education, 5:45 p.m.
  - Bainbridge-Guilford Board of Education, 6 p.m.
  - Chenango County Soil & Water Conservation Board of Directors Meeting, 1 p.m., 99 North Board St., Norwich NY.
- Monday, March 25**
- Oxford Academy Board of Education, 6 p.m., primary school multipurpose room.
  - Bainbridge-Guilford Board of Education, 7 p.m., public forum to discuss 2013-14 school budget, HS auditorium.
- Tuesday, March 26**
- Village of Oxford annual budget hearing, 7 p.m., Village Hall.
  - Village of Oxford, 7:30 p.m., Village Hall.
  - Chenango County Health & Human Services Committee, 10 a.m., Chairman's Conference Room, County Office Building, Norwich.
- Wednesday, March 27**
- Chenango County Personnel Committee, 10 a.m., Chairman's Conference Room, County Office Building, Norwich.
- Thursday, March 28**
- Chenango County Finance Committee, 10 a.m., Chairman's Conference Room, County Office Building, Norwich.
- Wednesday, April 3**
- Town of Preston, 7 p.m., Town Hall.
  - Greene Board of Education, 7 p.m.
- Thursday, April 4**
- Bainbridge-Guilford Board of Education, 6 p.m.
- Monday, April 8**
- Town of New Berlin, 7 p.m., Town Hall.
  - Oxford Academy Board of Education, 6 p.m., primary school multipurpose room.
  - Town of Norwich, 7 p.m., Town Hall.
  - Town of Plymouth, 6:30 p.m., Plymouth Fire House, Plymouth.
  - Town of McDonough, 7 p.m., Town Hall.
- Tuesday, April 9**
- Town of Otselic, 7:30 p.m., Town Hall.
  - Town of North Norwich Fire District Board of Commissioners, 7:30 p.m., North Norwich Firehouse.
  - Village of New Berlin, 6:30 p.m.
  - Town of German, 7 p.m., Town Hall.
  - Chenango County Planning & Development Board, 8 a.m., Chairman's Conference Room, County Office Building, Norwich.
  - Chenango County Planning & Economic Development Committee, 10 a.m., Chairman's Conference Room, County Office Building, Norwich.

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# NYPD officer: Police brass dictate stops, arrests

By COLLEEN LONG  
Associated Press

NEW YORK (AP) - Police brass in the Bronx were not concerned with whether patrol officers were saving lives or helping people, they were focused on one thing: numbers, said a New York City police officer testifying in a federal challenge to some street stops.

Adhyl Polanco said his superiors told him that he needed 20 summonses, five street stops and one arrest per month. It didn't matter whether the stops were done properly, he said Tuesday. "They will never question the quality. They will question the quantity," Polanco said.

His testimony, which will continue Wednesday, was one of three department whistleblowers expected to discuss a culture that revolved around numbers and less around actual policing - and what lawyers said is leading to tens of thousands of wrongful stops of black and Hispanic men by the police.

The class-action lawsuit in federal court challenges the constitutionality of some of the stops. There have been about 5 million stops made by police in the past decade. City attorneys said officers operate within the law and do not target people solely because of their race. Police go where the crime is - and crime is overwhelmingly in minority neighborhoods, they said.

Testimony in the trial came as city lawmakers reached a deal Tuesday to install an inspector general for the NYPD following outrage over the department's



AP Photo

Protesters participate in a rally near the federal courthouse in New York, Monday, March 18, 2013. Many of the 5 million New Yorkers stopped, questioned and sometimes frisked by police in the past decade were wrongly targeted because of their race, lawyers for four men who said they were illegally stopped said Monday.

widespread spying on Muslims and stop and frisk tactic.

Police unions have condemned the inspector general idea, saying the department already gets plenty of oversight and the position would squander resources.

Polanco said if he didn't get the numbers while working patrol in the 41st Precinct in the Bronx, he'd face poor evaluations, shift changes and no overtime. He started recording some of the instructions because he thought no one would believe him.

"They can make your life very miserable," he said of

the department.

Police officials have said that they do not issue quotas, but set some performance goals for officers.

Polanco, who joined the force in 2005, was suspended with pay for years after internal affairs officers brought charges of filing false arrest paperwork; he says the charges came because he detailed a list of complaints to internal affairs. He now works in a department video unit.

A second officer was also expected to testify. Audio tapes from a third officer, Adrian Schoolcraft, will also be played. Schoolcraft was

hailed off to a psych ward against his will by his superiors, he says, because he was exposing bad police work. His is suspended without pay.

Their testimony comes in the first week of the case, after four men spoke about their experiences being stopped by police - they say because of their race. The men are black. One, Nicholas Peart, wept on the stand describing a 2011 incident in which he was handcuffed near his home while an officer took his keys and went inside his building.

City lawyers sought to discredit witnesses by sug-

gesting their stories had evolved to become more dramatic and their memories were faulty. In each case the men could not recall specific details or revised what they had said in earlier statements.

The trial is seeking to reform the practice of stop, question and frisk, a law enforcement tactic that has gained traction in the past decade as crime has plummeted. Lawyers for the plaintiffs say that minorities are disproportionately stopped.

The mayor and police commissioner say stop and frisk is a life-saving, crime-stopping tool that has helped drive crime down to record lows. Officers have more than 23 million contacts with the public, make 4 million radio runs and issue more than 500,000 summonses every year. Comparatively, 600,000 stops annually are not unreasonable, city lawyers said.

U.S. District Court Judge Shira Scheindlin, who has already said in earlier rulings that she is deeply concerned about the tactic, has the power to order reforms to how it is used, which could bring major changes to the nation's largest police force and other departments.

City lawyers said the department already has many checks and balances, including an independent watchdog group that was recently given authority to prosecute some excessive force complaints against police. The police commissioner still has the final say on whether officers are disciplined.

## BRIEFS

### Judge OKs NYU expansion

NEW YORK (AP) - A judge has thrown out a lawsuit by Greenwich Village residents that would have halted New York University's controversial expansion plan.

The New York Post (<http://bit.ly/11hqf88>) says Manhattan state Supreme Court Justice ruled Tuesday that the plaintiffs haven't taken all the steps that would have warranted stopping the project.

The City Council last summer approved a scaled down plan by NYU to add 1.9 million square feet of classroom space, labs and other facilities.

Residents said they were disappointed with the judge's ruling. Their lawsuit accused government decision-makers of illegally turning over public land. It also claimed the approval process lacked transparency and denied the public meaningful input.

### NYPD seek suspect who escaped detention facility

NEW YORK (AP) - The New York City police are asking for the public's assistance in locating a suspect who escaped from a detention facility in the Bronx.

Police identified him as 18-year-old Quentin Stroman. They say he escaped from the facility at 3615 White Plains Road on Saturday shortly before 4 p.m.

He was being held there by court order in lieu of jail in connection with an assault on a man trying to break up a dispute on March 8.

### Patient fatally attacked at NYC hospital

NEW YORK (AP) - New York City police say a patient in the psychiatric ward of a Brooklyn hospital has been fatally attacked.

Police say they responded to a 911 call at Interfaith Hospital Tuesday night. They found the 47-year-old victim unconscious and unresponsive with blunt force trauma to the upper torso and head.

He was pronounced dead at the scene. Another patient in the ward, a 20-year-old man police identified as a person of interest, was arrested. He was taken to Kings County Hospital for observation.

### NY hunters kill 1,337 bears in 2012 season

ALBANY (AP) - The state Department of Environmental Conservation says New York hunters killed 1,337 black bears in 2012, the third highest number on record.

Regionally, bear harvest increased in the Adirondacks, where hunters killed 606. That represents a return to a normal level after an exceptionally low harvest in 2011.

The harvest decreased in the Southeastern and Central-Western hunting areas.

A summer of low natural food availability had an impact on early season hunting. Towns along the western and southern edge of the Adirondacks saw some of the highest harvests as bears were feeding in corn fields during the early season.

### NY teen convicted in stabbing, burning of another

BUFFALO (AP) - A Buffalo teenager has been convicted of manslaughter for his role in the July stabbing death of another teen whose body was then set on fire.

A jury found 17-year-old Ezeiekile Nafi guilty Tuesday following a weeklong trial.

Eric County District Attorney Frank Sedita tells The Buffalo News (<http://bit.ly/16HwX7B>) he'll seek the maximum 25 years in prison when Nafi is sentenced in May.

# Tax rebates, gun law part of long NY budget talks

By MICHAEL GORMLEY  
Associated Press

ALBANY (AP) - Tax rebate checks for middle-class families and revisions to New York's recently enacted gun control law are apparently among the sticky issues that have prompted legislative leaders to miss their early, optimistic target dates for passing a state budget.

Still, they continued to say after closed-door meetings with Gov. Andrew Cuomo on Tuesday that they are progressing, and they downplayed any tension over reaching a budget agreement, which once was expected two days previous in time for formal Senate and Assembly approval on Thursday.

"I am in no rush to get it done," Cuomo said Tuesday evening. "First, timing is important and I want an on-time budget, and we are working toward that. But second is to get as many good things done as you can."

The constitution requires

that a budget be passed by April 1, and negotiators do not want to fall back into a trend of late budgets that for decades labeled Albany as dysfunctional.

Some political observers weren't reassured.

"How would you know if there's a problem?" asked Barbara Bartoletti of the League of Women Voters. "This is the most important thing legislators are elected to do - fashion a budget - and there has been more closed-door meetings than I think there has been in four or five years."

Assembly Speaker Sheldon Silver and Senate Republican leader Dean Skelos said rebates, if approved as expected, would go to families with at least one child and making \$40,000 to \$300,000 a year. The amount of the checks isn't certain but would likely be \$350; one proposal sets a range up to \$500 based on income. The rebates wouldn't be released earlier than 2014, an election year.

"We know we have to do a family tax cut, probably in

the form of a check," said Sen. Jeff Klein of the Independent Democratic Conference.

Negotiators also are apparently contemplating changes to the state's new gun control law, passed only two months ago after the Connecticut school shootings that took the lives of 20 first-graders. New York's law prompted protests from upstaters, Republicans and

gun owners.

Silver emerged from the negotiations Tuesday, saying leaders were discussing a change in the law to allow the continued sale of 10-bullet magazines and firearms that include 10-bullet magazines. Effective April 15, the current law would outlaw magazines that can carry more than seven bullets.

Ten-bullet magazines are standard in the industry,

which doesn't make seven-bullet magazines. Silver said the change is needed to clarify and fix elements of the measure pushed by Cuomo and rushed into law Jan. 14.

"The law basically is inconsistent," Silver said.

Other tentative agreements include raising the minimum wage to \$8 an hour in January, \$8.75 a year later and \$9 a year after that. The minimum wage is now \$7.25.

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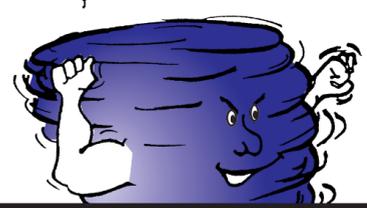
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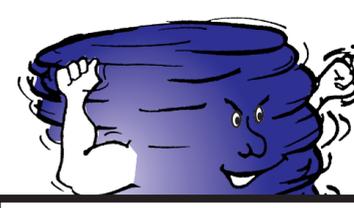
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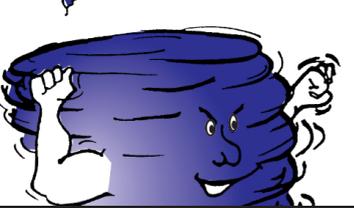
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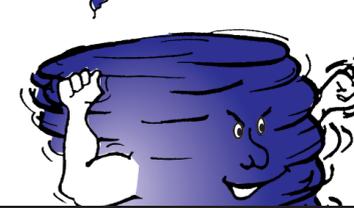
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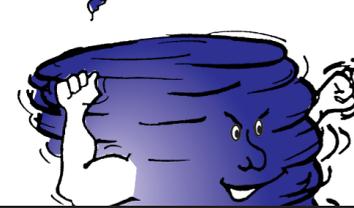
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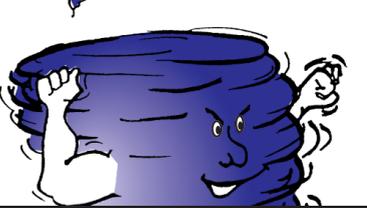
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## 'Only one playboy at Playboy, and that's Hef'



**JIM LITKE**  
AP Sports Columnist

Welcome to BracketRacket, the one-stop shopping place for all your NCAA tournament needs. Today, we have The Rock, the world's ugliest tie, the sneakiest coaching move of the season - from France;

what, you were expecting John Calipari? - and the answer to the question on everyone's mind with the games that matter still two days away: Will Hef be watching in a smoking jacket surrounded by Playboy bunnies?

But first, we simulate the entire tournament so you don't have to.

### HAZARDOUS DUTY

When Associated Press sportswriter Noah Trister volunteered to sit in one place and watch the NCAA drama unfold from start to finish, we worried that as a Princeton man (Class of '01), he might not know some teams actually play

more than one game before heading home.

So to conserve energy, we told him to skip the play-in games - here's all you need to know: North Carolina A&T 73, Liberty 72; Saint Mary's 67, Middle Tennessee 54.

Then we offered to equip him with this <http://bit.ly/13abAwQ>, this <http://bit.ly/XY3KSK>, and one of these <http://bit.ly/10fOukD>.

But he took a pass and let us in on his secret instead, a website called whatifsports.com. You can simulate any tournament matchup you want there, complete with play-by-play and a boxscore, or the whole she-

bang in just under two hours. Let's go right to the highlights:

Creighton star Doug McDermott provides the first are-you-kidding-me moment, a 3-pointer at the buzzer to give the Bluejays a 79-76 win over Cincinnati. ... Pacific shoots 9 of 14 from 3-point range to bounce No. 2 seed Miami in the biggest upset of the round of 64. ... No. 10 Colorado beats top-rated Indiana in the East regional final (Trister: "Yes, you read that correctly"), and No. 9 Wichita State shocks third-rated New Mexico (on Malcolm Armstead's trey with 1 second left) to win the West. ... The other top

seeds, Louisville and Kansas advance out of the Midwest and South, respectively.

On to the Final Four: Louisville 68, Wichita State 58. Kansas 71, Colorado 44. (Time saved to this point: 17 days and counting.)

And the championship game April 8:

Kansas leads 42-40 at halftime, then goes on a 7-0 run to stretch the lead to 64-52. Louisville cuts the deficit to eight with 4:48 left on a 3-pointer by Wayne Blackshear. But the Cardinals don't score again. Jeff Withey scores 16 and grabs 13 rebounds to close

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## Nuggets beat Thunder for first 13-game win streak



AP Photo

Denver Nuggets forward Corey Brewer (13) is fouled by Oklahoma City Thunder forward Nick Collison (4) as he shoots in the second quarter of an NBA basketball game in Oklahoma City, Tuesday, March 19, 2013.

The Associated Press

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) - Ty Lawson scored 25 points, Andre Miller had 20 points and nine assists and the Denver Nuggets beat the Oklahoma City Thunder 114-104 Tuesday night to win a 13th straight game for the first time since joining the NBA.

The Nuggets trailed by one at halftime but took control in the third quarter and never let Oklahoma City reclaim the lead. Denver moved within 37 games of the Thunder in the Northwest Division and became the first team this season to beat Oklahoma City three times.

It's also a big win in the chase for home-court advantage in the playoffs for Denver, which is tied with Miami for the NBA's best home record at 30-3.

Kevin Durant had 34 points and Russell Westbrook chipped in 25 for Oklahoma City, which lost at home for just the fifth time this season.

The Thunder gave up a season-worst 72 points in the paint - Denver's specialty - as both teams struggled throughout the game from 3-point range. The Nuggets had 66 and 60 points in the lane in wins against Oklahoma City in Denver earlier this season.

Denver's previous longest winning streak in the NBA was 12 straight games in 1982. The franchise won 15 in a row in the ABA.

The Nuggets trailed 66-65 at halftime, but took the lead on Danilo Gallinari's 3-pointer and then followed Westbrook's tying, two-handed dunk off an inbound alley-oop pass by charging ahead with a 12-2 run. Andre Iguodala's right-handed, fast-break slam - created by Gallinari's steal - put Denver up 80-70 midway through the third and prompted Scott Brooks' second timeout to try and end the surge.

After back-to-back Thunder baskets, the Nuggets added to their cushion with seven straight points - a Lawson 3-pointer, a Corey Brewer jumper and then an 18-footer by Lawson - to make it 87-74 with 2:59 left in the third.

Oklahoma City got as close as 102-97 when Westbrook hit a 17-foot jumper from the left elbow with 4:08 to play, but Miller had back-to-back jumpers as Denver answered right back with five straight points. Miller closed it out from the foul line after that.

Miller scored 13 points in the fourth quarter, hitting five of six foul shots in the final 69 seconds.

The Nuggets had six players score in double figures, getting 13 apiece from Kenneth Faried and Gallinari, 11 from Corey Brewer and 10 from Iguodala. Faried also grabbed 15 rebounds as Denver overcame a 14-6 first-quarter rebounding deficit to beat Oklahoma City 52-45 on the glass.

Wilson Chandler, who tied his career-high with 35 points in a win at Chicago a night earlier, did not return after separating his left shoulder in the fourth quarter.

Kevin Martin had 14 points off the bench for Oklahoma City and Kendrick Perkins had 11 rebounds, but did not play over the final 18 minutes as Denver build up its big rebounding edge.

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## NFL owners pass 2 rules changes

**BARRY WILNER**  
AP Pro Football Writer

PHOENIX (AP) - The NFL concentrated on player safety on the second day of the owners meetings, yet didn't vote on the most contentious rule proposal.

Concerned with how it will be officiated, owners delayed voting Tuesday on a rule change that would ban offensive players from using the crown of their helmets against defenders in the open field.

After approving two other rule changes to enhance player safety, they stalled on the more contentious issue, NFL senior vice president of football operations Ray Anderson said the owners plan to vote on it Wednesday before the meetings end.

The potential change that has drawn the most attention - yes, even more than eliminating the infamous tuck rule, which seems to be a foregone conclusion - is prohibiting ball carriers outside the tackle box from lowering their helmets and making contact with defenders with the crown.

New York Giants owner John Mara, a member of the competition committee that has recommended the change, said there was even "a chance" a vote could be tabled until the May meetings in Boston.

"There was a spirited discussion," Mara said, adding there was concern of how the rule would be officiated.

Broncos coach John Fox believes passing the rule will not make for a huge challenge for players.

"Right now, the simple equation is they want the helmet used for protection, not as a weapon. I think that message gets across," Fox said. "It's slowly gotten across as far as the passing game. Now there are rules on the table that are going to involve the running game as well.

"They will adapt. They have in the past and (they will) moving forward."

The owners outlawed peel-back blocks anywhere on the field; previously, they were illegal only inside the tackle box. A player makes a peel-back block when he is moving toward his goal line, approaches an opponent from behind or the side, and makes contact below the waist.

The penalty will be 15 yards. "... really under no circumstances will you be permitted to block low

below the waist when you're blocking back toward your own end line," said Rams coach Jeff Fisher, co-chairman of the competition committee.

Also banned is overloading a formation while attempting to block a field goal or extra point. Defensive teams can now have only six or less players on each side of the snapper at the line of scrimmage. Players not on the line can't push teammates on the line into blockers, either.

The alignment violation is a 5-yard penalty. The pushing penalty is 15 yards for unnecessary roughness.

"There were injuries, yes," Fisher said. "Talking to coaches and the

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Submitted Photo

The Norwich varsity swimming team handed out its season-ending awards earlier this week. Pictured from the left are Richard Finnegan, Coaches Award; John Manwarren, Most Improved; Nick Mooney, Casamento Award; Mat Horton, Most Dedicated; Joe Stagliano, George Echentile Award; and Greg Todd, Most Valuable.

### NATIONAL SPORTS BRIEFS

#### LEGAL

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) - A girl who was raped by two high school football players is being victimized by threats against her on Twitter, Ohio Attorney General Mike DeWine said as he demanded an end to such postings.

Two girls, 15 and 16, were accused of posting the tweets Sunday following the conviction and sentencing of two boys for raping the 16-year-old West Virginia girl after an alcohol-fueled party.

The older girl was charged with aggravated menacing for a tweet that threatened homicide and said "you ripped my family apart," according to the attorney general's office. The girl is a cousin of defendant Ma'Lik Richmond, attorney general spokesman Dan Tierney said.

#### SOCCER:

ZURICH (AP) - FIFA President Sepp Blatter believes 2014 World Cup host Brazil will have the stadiums and infrastructure ready despite construction delays.

So far, only two of six stadiums are ready for the Confederations Cup in June. The iconic Maracana in Rio de Janeiro has a deadline of April 27.

"It's all a question of trust and confidence," Blatter said after a meeting of FIFA's World Cup organizing committee.

FIFA has faith in Brazilian soccer and government authorities, Blatter said.

"They will be ready because it is the World Cup and no one can afford not to be ready for the

World Cup," he said.

#### BIG EAST:

NEW YORK (AP) - The two conferences growing out of the old Big East are moving forward. Butler, Creighton and Xavier will join the so-called Catholic 7 schools in the new basketball conference keeping the Big East name, a person familiar with the situation said.

The person spoke on condition of anonymity because the announcement will not take place until Wednesday, when it will be made in conjunction with a news conference on the league's broadcast deal with Fox. Georgetown, St. John's, Villanova, Seton Hall, Providence, Marquette and DePaul left to form a new league for next season.

### INSIDE TODAY



The Dominican Republic completed a perfect run through the WBC with a shutout win Tuesday.

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# It's good to be the king

DOUG FERGUSON  
AP Golf Writer

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) - Arnold Palmer bought Bay Hill Club & Lodge because he loved the golf course and wanted it for his own, not having any idea where it all would lead.

Now his name adorns a PGA Tour event that has been a staple of the Florida Swing for 35 years. It's also carried by two hospitals that specialize in children - one named after his late wife, Winnie, and where more than 93,000 babies have been born since 2006.

Oh, and he's having dinner with Kate Upton this week.

"Did you see this?" Palmer said, holding up the Sports Illustrated swimsuit issue with Upton on the cover. "She's coming here. Did you know that?"

He put it back on his desk, gave it one last look, and then grabbed a stack of papers to place over the magazine.

"I better cover this up," he said.

He grinned. The man is simply timeless.

How a supermodel wound up at Bay Hill explains so much about the 83-year-old Palmer, who built his kingdom by being a man of the people.

The manager for Upton is Lisa Benson, whose father is from Punxsutawney and used to regularly play golf with Palmer at Latrobe Country Club. She was looking for a job at IMG, which, in addition to managing sports and entertainment, also represents top models. Her father talked to Palmer, who talked to IMG to arrange an interview. She got the job and years later connected with Upton.

Upton grew up in Melbourne on the central coast of Florida, and her parents were huge Palmer fans. Given the back story, Upton thought it would be a great idea to come to Bay Hill, meet with Palmer and see the work he is doing with the hospitals. She also plans to take part in a social media campaign involving the "Arnold Palmer" tea drink.

So in a roundabout way, a casual round of golf leads to dinner with a supermodel?

"That's been a fun deal," Palmer said when he finished telling the story.

There have been thousands of casual rounds like that for Palmer, whose passion for golf never dies. There have been more friends than he can count. There are probably more stories like this, all because he takes an interest in people.

"It's easy," Palmer said. "And I love it."

Brad Faxon surely had Palmer in mind when he said years after a golf trip, "I wish we had more guys on tour who liked meeting people."

Palmer is one of those guys. Always has been. And that's why so many people want to meet the King.

A staff member came into the room and mentioned two men who were outside the office and wanted to say hello. One was Seth Jones, the editor of Golfdom magazine who recently interviewed Palmer for a project he was working on.

"Well, bring him in," Palmer said, rising from behind his desk with a broadening smile. Dressed in slacks and a pink shirt, Palmer made sure the two men met everyone in the room and made small talk for a few minutes before closing with that powerful handshake and a smile. "Nice to see you guys," he told them.

He sat back down at his desk and picked up a sheet of paper. It was a letter to David Frost, who won the Toshiba Classic on the Champions Tour the day before.

"Congratulations on your strong performance in the Toshiba Classic," he said, reading the letter aloud. "He's playing pretty good."

He reached for a black pen and signed his name, as famous as any signature in sports.

The other letter on his desk was for Kevin Streelman, who won the Tampa Bay Championship for his first PGA Tour title in 153 tries. Palmer watched most of the back nine on television and was impressed with what he saw. He had this letter placed in Streelman's locker downstairs.

Talk about a tradition like no other. For years, Palmer has written a note of congratulations to the winners on every tour every week.

Palmer looked down at his desk and found two index cards that had been marked up, and then started rattling off numbers. The 443 beds in the Arnold Palmer Hospital for Children and the Winnie Palmer Hospital for Women and Babies. The 13,000 babies born last year alone. The only high-level trauma center in central Florida dedicated to children. More than 3,500 employees and 450 doctors employed by both hospitals.

"That's just a few of the things that we are pushing," Palmer said. "It's a big deal. We'd like to be the No. 1 children's hospital in the world for children and women."

He rapped the wooden desk for luck.

The Arnold Palmer Invitational starts this week with one of the strongest fields among PGA Tour events this year. Tiger Woods is the defending champion and a seven-time winner, with a chance to go back to No. 1 in the world with another victory. Brandt Snedeker is playing for the first time since his win at Pebble Beach, missing the next five weeks with a rib injury. Masters champion Bubba Watson will be there, too.

Palmer smiles at the mention of Watson's shot out of the trees on the 10th hole at Augusta National last year to win a playoff.

"It was a great shot, but I don't think it was spectacular," Palmer said. "It was more natural for him to hit than anything in the world."

Not many can appreciate the art of recovery quite like Palmer. It's part of what made him so famous. He was willing to take on any shot, hitching up his pants and slashing away. It was never boring watching Palmer play golf.

"People enjoyed that," he said. "That was one of the things that attracted them to what I did and how I played. I was reckless. I was in the trees. I was everywhere. But it was part of my life, the way I lived and the way I played."

## Ryan: Jets not actively dangling Revis

PHOENIX (AP) - Rex Ryan is like every coach: He doesn't want to see his best player leave.

Yet even while Ryan was saying Tuesday that the New York Jets are not actively pursuing a trade of Darrelle Revis, he sounded prepared to enter the 2013 season without his star cornerback.

Ryan said it's not a foregone conclusion the Jets will deal Revis, who is unhappy with his contract and reportedly has been the subject of discussion with several teams, most recently Tampa Bay. But Ryan acknowledges any team will listen if another club calls about acquiring any player.

"I'll coach who's here," Ryan said. "On opening day we'll see who that is."

Revis missed most of last season with a left knee injury, but when healthy is considered the best cornerback in the league. He earned a \$1 million roster bonus on Saturday.

Ryan didn't say if he expects Revis to be a member of the Jets this season. Revis' contract will cost the Jets \$6 million overall if he remains on the roster. In addition to the bonus he got last week, he has two more \$1 million bonuses due before preseason begins. His base salary is \$3 million.

"I always want all of our players on our team, and sometimes that happens and sometimes it doesn't," Ryan said. "It doesn't always happen, I've learned that. I always have a loyalty to our guys I've coached."

"When the first trade thing came up, I connected it to someone that clearly made it up; there was no factual basis. On the first day John Idzik is named general manager and he doesn't even know where his office is, we're trying to trade Darrelle?"

"This is all speculation like it's a foregone conclusion. I don't believe it. With that, I am not naive enough to understand several people would be interested in a player like Darrelle Revis."

The Jets can't franchise the 27-year-old Revis next year because of a clause in the contract he renegotiated to get three years ago. He wants to be among the highest-paid players in the league and his current deal doesn't place him at the top for his position.

## NCAA bracket racket —

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out Kansas' 77-63 victory. Cue "One Shining Moment." Now go here: <http://bit.ly/Yqkwqk>

And don't forget to turn out the lights.

CELEBRITY ALUM (OR HAZARDOUS DUTY, PART 2)

The Rock was in London the other day, doing what The Rock does, though usually not at tournament time - walking the red carpet at the premiere of another of his everything-gets-blown-to-smithereens-by-the-end movies, in this case "G.I. Joe: Retaliation."

And man, does The Rock ever know about retaliation. Born Dwayne Johnson, he's the son and grandson of pro wrestlers (both grandparents, in fact, on his maternal side), and the old WWF is where he made his name and boatloads of money before making the segue to the silver screen.

What many people don't know is that Johnson was also a big-time football prospect who got a full ride to the University of Miami back when the Hurricanes were pillaging everything in sight across the college landscape. Then he got hurt and future NFL star Warren Sapp stepped into his place - think Wally Pipp and Lou Gehrig - so Johnson collected his championship ring (1991) and his degree (Class of '92), took up with the woman who became his wife and lit out for Calgary in the Canadian Football League.

"Fast & Furious" doesn't begin to describe that stint; it lasted two months.

Now fast-forward to

Monday, when AP entertainment and lifestyles producer Reetu Rupal was waiting in the rain - naturally, we're back in London now - to find out whether The Rock, who takes March Madness very seriously, had time to fill out his bracket.

Feel free to add your own inflections, accents and gestures to the following brief conversation.

Rupal (who is British and reading the questions off a list we sent him): "Are you following March Madness?"

The Rock: "Yes."

Rupal: "And who are you rooting for?"

The Rock (nostrils flaring): "Who do you think? Who would you think?"

Rupal: The Miami.

The Rock (thrilled): The Miami Hurricanes! Exactly. We're doing amazing, I'm very, very proud of my team."

Rupal (now thrilled as well): And have you filled out your bracket form yet?"

The Rock: "I have not, no."

Rupal: "Do you know who's going to be in your Final Four?"

The Rock (even more thrilled): "I can tell you who's going to be my No. 1!"

Rupal, on the other hand, has yet to pick a team. Or get more excited.

"Don't really know much about it, I'm afraid," he said. "But it sounds like fun."

I'LL SHOW YOU FUN

Not everybody on the other side of the Atlantic, of course, is still learning the game. This is the story of one guy who apparently learned too much for his own good.

His name is Laurent Sciarra, and he's a former

French national team player who now coaches Rouen in France's second division. With the clock running down and his team tied at 84 with Boulogne Sur Mer in a recent game, watch what he tries to get away with at around the 30-second mark here: <http://bit.ly/XVLvQj>. Sacrebleu!

That's right. He tries to steal the ball from a Boulogne player, but gets caught and whistled for a technical foul. The two resulting free throws cost Rouen the game. But the best part is how Sciarra, like some pro wrestler, denies the whole thing and then fakes outrage the refs would dare accuse him of something so silly.

Which raises the question: Where is The Rock when you really need him?



AP Photo

New England Patriots head coach Bill Belichick waits to be interviewed during a break at the NFL football annual meetings at the Arizona Biltmore, Tuesday, March 19, 2013, in Phoenix.

## NBA roundup —

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The Nuggets were 4 for 21 from 3-point range, only slightly better than Oklahoma City's 4 for 25.

The Thunder led 38-28 early in the second after Martin's leaning basket from the right wing as the shot clock was running down. Denver took advantage of Oklahoma City's bench to score the next eight points, all on layups and a dunk, to tighten it up again.

KINGS 116, CLIPPERS 101

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) - Marcus Thornton had 25 points, Toney Douglas scored 17 of his 19 in the fourth quarter and Sacramento rallied from eight down in the final 11 minutes to stun Los Angeles.

DeMarcus Cousins and Tyreke Evans added 17 points apiece for the Kings, who beat the Pacific Division-leading Clippers for the first time in more than two years.

They did it behind a stellar effort off the bench from Thornton and a smothering defense that held Los Angeles to just five buckets in the final quarter.

Blake Griffin had three of them and finished with 26 points, four rebounds and five assists for the Clippers. Los Angeles has lost four of its last seven.

PACERS 95, MAGIC 73  
INDIANAPOLIS (AP) - Paul George scored 19 points and Tyler Hansbrough had 14 points and 14

rebounds, leading Indiana to a rout of struggling Orlando.

The Pacers improved to 27-8 at home despite playing without second-leading scorer David West because of a sprained lower back.

Maurice Harkless and Arron Afflalo each had 10 points for the Magic, who lost their fourth straight on a night they shot just 31.8 percent from the field and coach Jacque Vaughn was ejected in a flurry of four technical fouls with 4:47 left in the third quarter.

The Pacers led 62-44 in the third and the Magic could get no closer than 12 the rest of the way.

BUCKS 102, TRAIL BLAZERS 95

MILWAUKEE (AP) - Brandon Jennings scored 24 points and Monta Ellis added 21 to help Milwaukee hang on for a victory over Portland.

Ellis added nine rebounds, eight assists, three steals and matched a career high with three blocks for Milwaukee, which outscored Portland 31-8 in the second quarter - the Trail Blazers' fewest points in any period this season. The Blazers shot a woeful 2 for 20 from the field in the quarter.

Portland fought back with 64 second-half points to make things interesting.

Wesley Matthews hit seven 3-pointers and scored 28 points, and LaMarcus Aldridge added 21 points and 14 rebounds for the Trail Blazers, who lost for the 10th time in their last 11 road games.

## NFL meetings —

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players, it's just not something they look forward to doing. It's like, "Oh, we scored again? We have to go out there and protect, kick an extra point or try?"

Protecting tacklers against helmet hits has become more dicey.

The competition committee's examination of one week of play last season found five instances where a ball carrier was not protecting the ball or himself and lowered his helmet to make contact with a defender. Dean Blandino, recently promoted to vice president of officiating, noted that five in 16 games was significant enough to consider banning the act.

"In all fairness, it's going to be tough on the officials, it's going to be tough to make that determination at

live speed with one look," said coach John Harbaugh of the Super Bowl champion Baltimore Ravens.

Added Fisher: "We want to make a serious attempt to get the shoulder back into the game. We are not saying the ball carrier cannot get small. We are not saying the ball carrier cannot protect the football, because if he is going to go down to cover the football, if the shoulder goes down, we know the head goes down, we understand that."

"Protecting the football is OK, providing you do not strike with the crown of your helmet, and that is what we are trying to differentiate."

Blandino said the league wants flags thrown only on the obvious calls. He also said in cases where a player is not penalized, he could still be subject to a fine if video review after the game

determines he made contact with the crown.

The penalty will be a spot foul for 15 yards.

New senior director of officiating Alberto Riveron said if the offensive and defensive player are both committing the foul, it would be an offsetting penalty and the down replayed.

Riveron said the key to officiating the play is in showing the officials more plays that are legal.

"That will be a great way to train because as we know it, most of the shots we have seen are legal, most of the contact is legal," he said. "We are trying to get that one individual situation where the head is lowered - and you can see on the field, you can see a player put his head down - and the contact is with the crown and you can see it."

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# THE STANDINGS

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### EASTERN CONFERENCE

#### Atlantic Division

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	39	26	.600	
Brooklyn	39	28	.582	1
Boston	36	30	.545	3 1/2
Philadelphia	26	40	.394	13 1/2
Toronto	26	41	.388	14

#### Central Division

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
y-Miami	52	14	.788	
Atlanta	37	30	.552	15 1/2
Washington	23	43	.348	29
Orlando	18	50	.265	35
Charlotte	15	52	.224	37 1/2

#### Southwest Division

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
Indiana	42	26	.618	
Chicago	36	30	.545	5
Milwaukee	34	32	.515	7
Detroit	23	46	.333	19 1/2
Cleveland	22	45	.328	19 1/2

### WESTERN CONFERENCE

#### Northwest Division

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
x-San Antonio	51	16	.761	
Memphis	45	21	.682	5 1/2
Houston	36	31	.537	15
Dallas	32	35	.478	19
New Orleans	22	46	.324	29 1/2

#### Pacific Division

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Oklahoma City	50	18	.735	
Denver	47	22	.681	3 1/2
Utah	34	33	.507	15 1/2
Portland	31	36	.463	18 1/2
Minnesota	23	42	.354	25 1/2

## NHL

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### EASTERN CONFERENCE

#### Atlantic Division

Team	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Pittsburgh	31	23	8	0	46	110	81
N.Y. Rangers	29	15	12	2	32	70	70
New Jersey	30	13	11	6	32	74	84
N.Y. Islanders	29	13	13	3	29	86	96
Philadelphia	30	13	16	1	27	81	92

#### Northwest Division

Team	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Montreal	29	19	5	5	43	92	73
Boston	29	15	12	2	32	84	82
Ottawa	30	16	8	6	38	77	65
Toronto	29	15	12	2	32	86	83
Buffalo	30	11	15	4	26	79	95

#### Southwest Division

Team	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Winnipeg	30	16	12	2	34	80	86
Carolina	29	15	12	2	32	84	82
Tampa Bay	29	13	15	1	27	96	86
Washington	29	12	16	1	25	79	87
Florida	30	8	16	6	22	74	110

### WESTERN CONFERENCE

#### Central Division

Team	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Chicago	29	24	2	3	51	100	62
St. Louis	29	16	11	2	34	87	83
Detroit	29	14	10	5	33	78	75
Columbus	30	12	12	6	30	68	79
Nashville	30	11	13	6	28	70	81

#### Northwest Division

Team	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Minnesota	28	16	10	2	34	73	69
Vancouver	29	14	9	6	34	81	82
Edmonton	27	11	11	6	28	69	81
Calgary	27	11	12	4	26	78	91
Colorado	28	10	14	4	24	71	89

### Transactions

AHL-Suspended Chicago D Adam Polasek three games and Rockford F Jeremy Morin, F Wade Brookbank and D Shawn Lalonde one game each for their actions during an incident in a March 17 game between the teams. Suspended Springfield D Cody Goloubef two games for an illegal check to the head of an opponent in a March 16 game against Providence. Suspended Houston C Chad Rau one game for a high-sticking penalty in a March 15 game at San Antonio.

BRIDGEPORT SOUND TIGERS-Announced F Jason Clark was reassigned to the team from Gwinnett (ECHL). Announced D Marc Cantin was reassigned to Las Vegas (ECHL). Released F Adam Huxley.

HAMILTON BULLDOGS-Announced F Olivier Fortier was reassigned to Orlando (ECHL).

PEORIA RIVERMEN-Reassigned D Brett Ponich to Alaska (ECHL).

ROCHESTER AMERICANS-Signed F Colin Jacobs.

SAN ANTONIO RAMPAGE-Loaned F Justin Vatte to Cincinnati (ECHL).

SPRINGFIELD FALCONS-Signed RW Alex Aleardi to an amateur tryout agreement.

ECHL-Suspended San Francisco's Tommy Grant two games and fined him an undisclosed amount for his actions in a March 17 game against Utah. Suspended Fort Wayne's Scott Kishel one additional game for his actions in a March 15 game at Kalamazoo. Suspended South Carolina's Andrew Cherniawan one additional game for his actions in a March 16 game at Florida.

READING ROYALS-Signed D Chris Sacacino and D Nathan Martine. Placed D Joe Sova on the reserve list.

SOCCER  
Major League Soccer  
CHIVAS USA-Announced an independent review panel regarding the fine and suspension of D Joaquin Velazquez and is eligible for selection.

NEW YORK RED BULLS-Signed F Peguy Luyindula.

TORONTO FC-Waived MF Matt Stinson.

WATER POLO  
USA WATER POLO-Signed women's water polo coach Adam Krikorian to a four-year contract.

COLLEGE  
CAL STATE NORTHBRIDGE-Fired men's basketball coach Bobby Braswell.

MISSOURI-KANSAS CITY-Named Kareem Richardson men's basketball coach.

NOTRE DAME-Announced freshman QB Gunnar Kiel will transfer.

OHIO STATE-Announced women's basketball coach Jim Foster will not return next season.

TEXAS-Announced sophomore F Jaylen Bond will transfer following the completion of the spring semester.

YESHIVA-Promoted Josh Pransky to men's soccer coach.

## NIT Tournament

National Invitation Tournament  
The Associated Press  
All Times EDT

### First Round

#### Tuesday, March 19

Maryland 86, Niagara 70  
St. John's 63, Saint Joseph's 61  
Louisiana Tech 71, Florida State 66  
Robert Morris 59, Kentucky 57  
Alabama 62, Northeastern 43  
Virginia 67, Norfolk State 56  
Denver 61, Ohio 57  
BYU 90, Washington 79  
Stanford 58, Stephen F. Austin 57

#### Wednesday, March 20

Indiana State (18-14) at Iowa (21-12), 7 p.m.  
Charlotte (21-11) at Providence (17-14), 7:15 p.m.  
Stony Brook (24-7) at Massachusetts (21-11), 7:15 p.m.  
Mercer (23-11) at Tennessee (20-12), 8 p.m.  
Long Beach State (19-13) at Baylor (18-14), 9 p.m.  
Charleston Southern (19-12) at Southern Mississippi (25-9), 9:15 p.m.  
Detroit (20-12) at Arizona State (21-12), 10 p.m.

#### Second Round

Thursday, March 21-Monday, March 25  
Robert Morris (24-10) vs. Charlotte-Providence winner, TBA  
Detroit-Arizona State winner vs. Long Beach

## Golf Statistics

LPGA Tour Statistics  
The Associated Press  
Through March 17

### Scoring

1. Jimin Kang, 68.50, 2. Stacy Lewis, 68.75, 3. Ai Miyazato, 69.13, 4. Na Yeon Choi, 69.17, 5. Thidapa Suwannapura, 69.50, 6. Jiayi Shin, 69.69, 7. (tie), Paula Creamer and Jee Young Lee, 69.83, 9. Nicola Cestari, 69.92, 10. Jessica Kang, 69.94.

### Driving Distance

1. Maude-Aimee Leblanc, 294.5, 2. Daniela Iacobelli, 282.8, 3. Marina Stuetz, 281.0, 4. Pat Hurst, 272.5, 5. Gerina Pillier, 271.9, 6. Brittany Lincicome, 271.1, 7. Amelia Lewis, 271.0, 8. Lexi Thompson, 270.1, 9. Yani Tseng, 270.1, 10. Jacqui Concolino, 269.7.

### Greens in Regulation Pct.

1. Sydnee Michaels, 81.50%, 2. Jodi Ewart Shadoff, 81.00%, 3. (tie), Jimin Kang and Maude-Aimee Leblanc, 80.60%, 5. Paula Creamer, 80.10%, 6. Stacy Lewis, 79.50%, 7. Lauren Doughtie, 78.70%, 8. Veronica Felibert, 78.50%, 9. Kristy McPherson, 77.80%, 10. Caroline Hedwall, 77.40%.

### Putting Average

1. Esther Choe, 1.667, 2. Stacy Lewis, 1.672, 3. Julia Boland, 1.676, 4. Ai Miyazato, 1.682, 5. Jeong Jang, 1.692, 6. Na Yeon Choi, 1.701, 7. Jennie Lee, 1.703, 8. Jimin Kang, 1.707, 9. Christel Boeljon, 1.707, 10. Inbee Park, 1.709.

### Birdie Average

1. Thidapa Suwannapura, 5.50, 2. Stacy Lewis, 5.31, 3. Jimin Kang, 5.00, 4. Na Yeon Choi, 4.92, 5. Pernilla Lindberg, 4.67, 6. (tie), Austin Ernst, Jacqui Concolino and Sydnee Michaels, 4.50, 9, 3 tied with 4.38.

### Sand Save Percentage

1. (tie), EK Kim, Taylora Karle, Shanshan Feng, Lisa McCloskey, Kim Welch, Se Ri Pak and Jeong Jang, 100.00%, 8. Gerina Pillier, 91.67%, 9. Mika Miyazato, 87.50%, 10, 2 tied with 85.71%.

### Rounds Under Par

1. (tie), Thidapa Suwannapura and Jimin Kang, 1.000, 3. (tie), Jiayi Shin, Stacy Lewis and Ai Miyazato, .875, 6. (tie), Nicole Castrale and Paula Creamer, .833, 8. Moriya Jutanagarn, .813, 9, 18 tied with .750.

### World Golf Ranking

The Associated Press  
Through March 17  
1. Rory McIlroy NIR 11.50  
2. Tiger Woods USA 10.35

L.A. Clippers 46 22 .676  
Golden State 39 30 .565 7 1/2  
L.A. Lakers 36 33 .522 10 1/2  
Sacramento 24 44 .353 22  
Phoenix 23 45 .338 23

x-clinched playoff spot  
y-clinched division

### Monday's Games

Indiana 111, Cleveland 90  
Charlotte 119, Washington 114  
Philadelphia 101, Portland 100  
Dallas 127, Atlanta 113

### Tuesday's Games

Brooklyn 119, Detroit 82  
Denver 119, Chicago 118, OT  
Memphis 92, Minnesota 77  
Golden State 93, New Orleans 72  
Miami 105, Boston 103  
Phoenix 99, L.A. Lakers 76  
New York 90, Utah 83

### Wednesday's Games

Miami at Cleveland, 7 p.m.  
Toronto at Charlotte, 7 p.m.  
Orlando at New York, 7:30 p.m.  
Milwaukee at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.  
Brooklyn at Dallas, 8 p.m.  
Utah at Houston, 8 p.m.  
Oklahoma City at Memphis, 8 p.m.  
Boston at New Orleans, 8 p.m.  
Golden State at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.  
Washington at Phoenix, 10 p.m.  
Philadelphia at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

### Thursday's Games

Portland at Chicago, 8 p.m.  
Philadelphia at Denver, 9 p.m.  
Minnesota at Sacramento, 10 p.m.

### Friday's Games

Charlotte Southern-Southern Mississippi winner vs. Louisiana Tech (27-6), TBA  
BYU (22-11) vs. Mercer-Tennessee winner, TBA

### Quarterfinals

Alabama (22-12) vs. Stanford (19-14), TBA  
Denver (22-9) vs. Maryland (23-12), TBA  
Virginia (22-11) vs. St. John's (17-15), TBA  
Indiana State-Iowa winner vs. Stony Brook-Massachusetts winner, TBA

### Saturday, March 26 or Sunday, March 27

Robert Morris-Charlotte-Providence winner vs. Detroit-Arizona State-Long Beach State-Baylor winner, TBA  
Charleston Southern-Southern Mississippi-Louisiana Tech winner vs. BYU-Mercer-Tennessee winner, TBA  
Alabama-Stanford winner vs. Denver-Maryland winner, TBA  
Virginia-St. John's winner vs. Indiana State-Iowa-Stony Brook-Massachusetts winner, TBA  
At Madison Square Garden

### New York Semifinals

Tuesday, April 2  
Semifinal, 7 p.m.  
Semifinal, 9:30 p.m.

### Championship

Thursday, April 4  
Semifinal winners, 9 p.m.

### Tuesday's Sports Transactions

The Associated Press  
BASEBALL  
American League  
TEXAS RANGERS-Options INF-OF Mike Olt, LHP Jeff Beliveau, RHP Wilmer Font and OF Engel Beltré to Round Rock (PCL). Reassigned RHP Yoshinori Tateyama, RHP Collin Balester, RHP Neal Cotts, RHP Evan Meek, INF Brandon Allen, INF Brandon Snyder, C Juan Apodaca and C Jose Felix to their minor league camp.

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS-Released INF Ronny Cedeno. Reassigned LHP Tyler Lyons to their minor league camp.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
AMARILLO SOX-Signed RHP Jason Johnson.

ATLANTIC LEAGUE  
SUGAR LAND SKEETERS-Signed RHP Roberto Giron and INF-OF Chase Lambin. Named Jeff Scott pitching coach.

### Football

NATIONAL FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION  
CHICAGO BULLS-Signed F Malcolm Thomas to a 10-day contract.  
LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS-Signed G Maalik Wayns to a second 10-day contract.

FOOTBALL  
BALTIMORE RAVENS-Signed DE Marcus Spears to a two-year contract.  
CAROLINA PANTHERS-Signed CB D.J. Moore.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS-Signed QB Matt Hasselbeck.

JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS-Signed C Brad Meester to a one-year contract.

MIAMI DOLPHINS-Re-signed OL Nate Garner.

MINNESOTA VIKINGS-Signed G Seth Olsen.

NEW YORK GIANTS-Signed WR Louis Murphy.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS-Signed WR Marlon Moore to a one-year contract.

TENNESSEE TITANS-Agreed to terms with OL Rob Turner.

### Hockey

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE  
JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS-Recalled G Jack Campbell from Texas (AHL). Assigned G Richard Bachman to Texas. Placed F Ryan Garbutt on injured reserve, retroactive to March 14.

FLORIDA PANTHERS-Recalled F Quinton Howden from San Antonio Rampage (AHL).

MONTREAL CANADIENS-Reassigned F Mike Blunden to Hamilton (AHL).

NASHVILLE PREDATORS-Recalled F Taylor Beck from Milwaukee (AHL). Placed F Paul Gaustad on injured reserve.

NEW JERSEY DEVILS-Recalled LW Tim Sestito from Albany (AHL). Assigned G Jeff Frazee to Albany. Activated G Martin Brodeur from injured reserve.

### American Hockey League

SAINT MARY'S (CAL) 67, MIDDLE TENNESSEE 54  
SAINT MARY'S (CAL) (28-6)  
Waldow 3-0 3-0 6, Giusti 3-6 2-2 8, Dellavedova 7-14 3-6 22, Young 0-3 0-0 0, Holt 5-11 6-8 18, McCoy 0-0 0-0 0, Rowley 0-0 0-0 0, Levesque 3-9 6-9 13, Petrusis 0-0 0-0 0, Hodgson 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 21-46 17-25 67.

MIDDLE TENNESSEE (28-6)  
S. Jones 2-7 0-0 4, Sulton 1-4 2-2 4, Massey 3-8 0-0 7, M. Knight 7-14 2-3 16, Hammonds 4-6 0-0 10, Z. Gibson 0-0 0-0 0, Hunter 4-6 2-2 10, Gallman 0-1 0-0 0, T. Knight 0-3 0-0 0, Cantino 1-3 0-0 3, Walker 0-0 0-0 0, J. Jones 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 22-52 6-7 54.

Halftime-Saint Mary's (Cal) 29-20, 3-Point Goals-Saint Mary's (Cal) 8-14 (Dellavedova 5-7, Holt 2-3, Levesque 1-3, Giusti 0-1), Middle Tennessee 4-12 (Hammonds 2-4, Massey 1-2, Cintonio 1-3, Hunter 0-1, M. Knight 0-1, Gallman 0-1). Fouled Out-None. Rebounds-Saint Mary's (Cal) 33 (Dellavedova, Holt 6), Middle Tennessee 28 (M. Knight 6), Assists-Saint Mary's (Cal) 9 (Dellavedova 4), Middle Tennessee 14 (M. Knight 6), Total Fouls-Saint Mary's (Cal) 15, Middle Tennessee 20. A-

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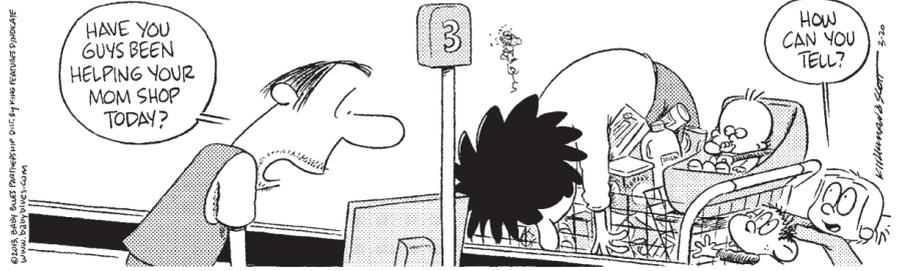
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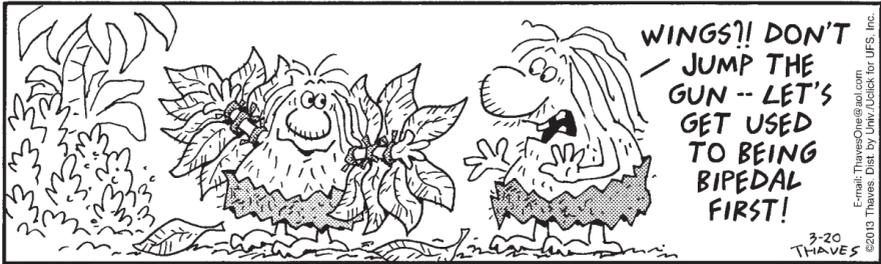
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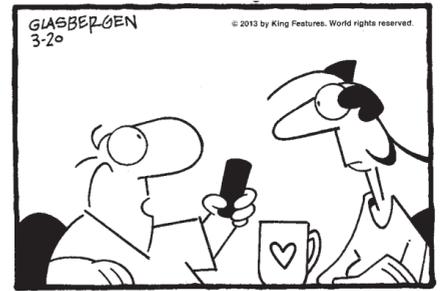
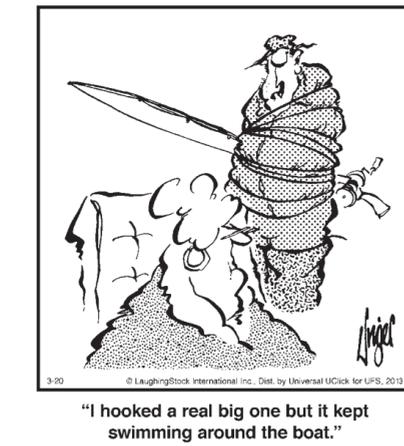
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THE BETTER HALF BY RANDY GLASBERGEN



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BY PAUL TRAP



GARFIELD

BY JIM DAVIS



FOR BETTER OR FOR WORSE

BY LYNN JOHNSON



STONE SOUP

BY JAN ELIOT



FLYING McCOYS

BY GLENN & GARY MCCOY

KIT & CARLYLE

BY LARRY WRIGHT



DEAR ABBY

BY JEANNE PHILLIPS

Sexual abuse can occur even without actual physical assault

DEAR ABBY: Is there such a thing as non-physical sexual abuse? When I was young, my father would fondle my mother when I came to sleep with them when I had a nightmare.

As I matured, he made comments about my figure. He would barge into my room without knocking and insist he didn't have to knock. He'd tell dirty jokes or talk about sexually inappropriate things.

His actions affected my self-esteem and relationships because as I grew up I thought the only thing I had to offer was being sexy.

I recently began seeing a new counselor who thinks my father was just a dirty old man — nothing more. Was I abused? Any information you have would be appreciated.

DEAR WONDERING: When a parent attempts to initiate sex or watch pornography in front of a child, it is sexualizing behavior and it could also be considered "grooming" behavior.

were off the charts. And yes, it WAS a form of abuse. My advice is to change counselors.

DEAR ABBY: My daughter is mentally ill, homeless and on meth. A year ago, when she wasn't so bad, she asked if I would take her 3-year-old daughter, "Lucy," so she could get herself together.

It was fine when I thought that the arrangement was temporary, but when I realized I would be raising Lucy as a single parent at 49, things got hard.

My so-called friends have abandoned me, and so has my much younger boyfriend. But what is actually killing this is that I get no respite. I am an extreme introvert. Constant contact drains me.

I know if I had time for my own mental health, I could be a good surrogate mother to Lucy, but if I can't, I'm starting to think I may have to give her up, and that breaks my heart.



me. — END OF MY ROPE

DEAR END: How much time do you need to recharge? Would it be an hour or hour and a half at the end of each workday? Would an afternoon during the weekends suffice?

Please explore these options if you haven't already. Screaming, throwing things and leaving the little girl alone are not viable scenarios.

TOMORROW'S HOROSCOPE

BY EUGENIA LAST

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Trouble surrounds you. Keep your thoughts to yourself and avoid discussing personal matters.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Emotions will lead to impulsiveness. Stay calm and put energy into helping a cause or exploring an idea you want to pursue.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Past colleagues and peers are likely to be charming but not trustworthy. Don't rely on second-hand information.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Visit people and places. Sharing thoughts, ideas and memories will ignite new beginnings that allow you to reuse past plans.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Embrace change even if you aren't completely in favor of what's happening. A chance to get an inside look at exciting new possibilities will clear your mind and eliminate mistakes.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Don't ruin your chance of success by going overboard. Temper your desire to make changes at home or work.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Push back if someone tries your patience. You may like to keep the peace, but being taken advantage of will not help your confidence.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Rethink your strategy, look at your surroundings and find a way to make what you have work for you.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Think before you say some-

thing you'll regret. The truth will help you avoid criticism. An old partner or friend will come through for you in a time of need, but first you must be completely honest about your situation.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Don't feel pressured to make a move or a statement. Follow your heart and head in a direction that best suits you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Get back to basics and to the things you enjoy doing most. Changing the way you earn your living will bring you satisfaction and more confidence.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Keep your life simple. Avoid exaggeration or taking on too much. Put your creative ideas to work for you.

Birthday Baby: You are a creative, imaginative dreamer; insightful, caring and possessive.

# Eva Mendes eyes fashion opportunities

By ALICIA RANCILIO  
Associated Press

NEW YORK (AP) - Eva Mendes will be doing the red-carpet circuit again with her new film, "The Place Beyond the Pines," co-starring Ryan Gosling, coming out later this month. But while she lands more often than not in the fashion "do" column, Mendes says she knows she's made a few mistakes along the way, including one look she calls "Princess Jasmine gone wrong."

Still, she has style credibility - and is making the most of it. She's working on her own clothing line for New York & Company and is hoping to have it in stores for the fall. She's also been tapped to represent Vogue eyewear.

Mendes, 38, talked about spreading her wings in an interview with The Associated Press:

**AP: Do you feel any pressure to look "done up" whenever you leave the house?**

Mendes: No, that's a pressure I would never put on myself because I wouldn't want other women to feel that pressure. We all have our good days and our bad days. We all have our days when we feel great and want to look great, and then we have our days where we just want to be in our sweats or our jeans or our sweats equivalent and throw our hair up in a bun or a cap. For me, I like to throw my hair up in a scarf because it's an easy way to not deal with bad hair and it adds a little bit of elegance. So, usually when you see my hair up in some kind of scarf it's really not going for a look, it's going for function because I didn't have time to wash my hair or style it.

**AP: Do you ever look back at any of your red carpet moments and think, "What was I thinking?"**

Mendes: I really am the first one to laugh at myself and point



This Nov. 3, 2012 file photo shows actress Eva Mendes at the "Holy Motors" special screening as part of AFI Fest in Los Angeles. Mendes is the new face of Vogue Eyewear for their autumn/winter 2013 collection.

out what a horrible fashion choice I made or point out an unflattering photo. About six years ago I went to the "Ghost Rider" premiere in New York City and it was cold and snowing - I don't know why I'm sharing that, I think I'm trying to justify - and I had my dress on but I had to finish my hair and makeup in the back of an SUV. It was a beautiful dress, but the way I put everything together, it was a Princess Jasmine gone wrong. The strapless, purple dress with necklaces and a hair in a really high braid. It's not a good look.

**AP: Are you someone who follows trends?**

Mendes: No. In fact, the worst thing a sales person can tell me when I'm in a shop is, 'Oh, that's been a hot seller.' ... Most of what I wear is vintage ... I like little boutiques. I feel stressed in department stores. Or, oh my God, I can't go to Target. I'm just overwhelmed. It's like the Super Bowl of stores. I like thrift shops more than vintage stores because

at vintage stores just calling it 'vintage' kind of ups the price (laughs).

**AP: You're the face of an eyewear campaign. Do you wear glasses?**

Mendes: I started to need reading glasses like two years ago, but the funny thing is I used to want glasses so bad when I was little that I actually used to stare into the sun to damage my eyesight. My mom would catch me and be like, 'What are you doing?' I was obsessed with looking smart. I also went through a stage in junior high where I would wear non-prescription reading glasses and then I got called out one day, so I stopped that because I felt like a phony. So, as of two years ago, I just started needing them. I love them. (Wearing glasses) adds an instant quirk and elegance.

**AP: What's the clothing line you're working on?**

Mendes: It's with New York & Company. I'm working on it right now for the fall line and working with vintage-inspired prints and cuts but not making it retro in any way. I come from a family where the women are more voluptuous so I like to cater to that.

**AP: Is this something you always wanted to do?**

Mendes: Not really. It crept up on me slowly. Then I realized this is where my passion lies. I think one of the great things about being an actress nowadays is we can wear so many hats. If you're creative in one area it usually seeps into another, like my home. I feel like my home is a set in a way - a lived-in set. I love to production design my own home.

## SUDOKU

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### HOW TO PLAY:

Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.

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  - 12 Free tickets
  - 13 "Will it play in —?"
  - 14 Fruit stand buys
  - 15 Prefix for "dynamic"
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  - 19 "Kubla Khan" locale
  - 22 Singing chipmunk
  - 25 Cool shoe
  - 29 Serves dinner
  - 30 Like a judge
  - 32 Keep subscribing
  - 33 Change a bill
  - 34 Jockeys
  - 37 Boxer's weapons
  - 38 Corned beef sandwich
  - 40 Thud

- DOWN**
- 43 "Nature" channel
  - 44 "Fernando" band
  - 48 How-to book
  - 50 Kind of detector
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  - 54 Like an old piano
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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- 35 Email option
- 36 Long sandwich
- 39 Cellar, briefly
- 40 South Seas paradise
- 41 Familiar auth.
- 42 Subatomic particle
- 45 "Who's Who" entries
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- 47 — day now
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- 49 Alcott girl
- 51 Unit of resistance

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## TELEVISION TONIGHT

WEDNESDAY EVENING MARCH 20, 2013													
	T	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
<b>BROADCAST CHANNELS</b>													
WSTM	3	3 News at 6	Nightly News	Access H.	Extra	Whitney	Whitney	Law & Order: SVU	Chicago Fire	3 News at 11	Jay Leno		
WTVT	7	Newschannel	World News	Wheel Fortune	Jeopardy!	The Middle	The Neighbors	Modern Family	Suburgatory	Nashville	Newschannel	Jimmy Kimmel	
WSYR	13	News	World News	Entertainment	omg! Insider	The Middle	The Neighbors	Modern Family	Suburgatory	Nashville	News	Jimmy Kimmel	
WSKG	6	World News	Business Rpt.	PBS NewsHour	Nature	Nature	Nature	NOVA	NOVA	Secrets of the Dead	Charlie Rose		
WICZ	10	FOX40 News	Two/Half Men	Big Bang	Two/Half Men	American Idol	American Idol	American Idol	American Idol	News	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	TMZ
WBNG	2	News	Evening News	Entertainment	Inside Edition	Survivor: Caramoan	Survivor: Caramoan	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation	News	Letterman	
WCNY	12	World News	Business Rpt.	PBS NewsHour	Nature	Nature	Nature	NOVA	NOVA	Secrets of the Dead	Charlie Rose		
WPIX	17	Engagement	Two/Half Men	Two/Half Men	Family Guy	Arrow	Arrow	Supernatural	Supernatural	PIX News at Ten	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	
<b>CABLE CHANNELS</b>													
A&E	42	The First 48	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Bates Motel	
AMC	66	(4:00) Movie: "A Knight's Tale"	Movie: *** "The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers" (2002, Fantasy)	Elijah Wood, Ian McKellen	PG-13	"Lord of the Rings"							
ANPL	67	Tanked: Unfiltered	River Monsters: Unhooked	River Monsters: Unhooked	River Monsters: Unhooked	North Woods Law: On the Hunt	North Woods Law	North Woods Law	North Woods Law	River Monsters: Unhooked	River Monsters: Unhooked		
CMT	30	(5:59) Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	My Big Redneck Vacation	After Show	Ron White					
CNBC	39	Mad Money	The Kudlow Report	The Car Chasers	The Car Chasers	All-Star Celebrity Apprentice	All-Star Celebrity Apprentice	All-Star Celebrity Apprentice	All-Star Celebrity Apprentice	Mad Money	Mad Money		
CNN	24	(5:00) The Situation Room	Erin Burnett OutFront	Anderson Cooper 360	Anderson Cooper 360	Piers Morgan Live	Piers Morgan Live	Anderson Cooper 360	Anderson Cooper 360	Erin Burnett OutFront	Erin Burnett OutFront		
COM	32	South Park	Tosh.0	Colbert Report	Daily Show	Chappelle's Show	Workaholics	South Park	South Park	Workaholics	Tosh.0	Daily Show	Colbert Report
CSPAN	18	(5:00) Public Affairs	Capitol Hill Hearings	Capitol Hill Hearings	Capitol Hill Hearings	Capitol Hill Hearings	Capitol Hill Hearings	Capitol Hill Hearings	Capitol Hill Hearings	Capitol Hill Hearings	Capitol Hill Hearings	Capitol Hill Hearings	Capitol Hill Hearings
DISC	41	Weed Country	Weed Country	Weed Country	Weed Country	KKK: Beneath the Hood	Weed Country	Weed Country	Weed Country	Weed Country	Weed Country	Weed Country	Weed Country
DISN	51	Good-Charlie	Jessie	Shake It Up!	Austin & Ally	Movie: *** "Camp Rock" (2008) 'NR'	Phineas, Ferb	Jessie	Good-Charlie	Shake It Up!	Jessie		
E!	44	(5:00) Movie: ** "Stick It"	E! News	E! News	E! News	Kourtney and Kim Take Miami	Kourtney and Kim Take Miami	The Soup	Burning Love	Chelsea Lately	E! News		
ESPN	23	SportsCenter	NBA	NBA Basketball: Brooklyn Nets at Dallas Mavericks.	NBA Basketball: Brooklyn Nets at Dallas Mavericks.	NBA Basketball: Brooklyn Nets at Dallas Mavericks.	NBA Basketball: Brooklyn Nets at Dallas Mavericks.	NBA Basketball: Brooklyn Nets at Dallas Mavericks.	NBA Basketball: Brooklyn Nets at Dallas Mavericks.	Winter X Games: Tignes.	Winter X Games: Tignes.		
ESPN2	63	SportsNation	College Basketball: NIT Tournament, First Round: Teams TBA.	College Basketball: NIT Tournament, First Round: Teams TBA.	College Basketball: NIT Tournament, First Round: Teams TBA.	College Basketball: NIT Tournament, First Round: Teams TBA.	College Basketball: NIT Tournament, First Round: Teams TBA.	College Basketball: NIT Tournament, First Round: Teams TBA.	College Basketball: NIT Tournament, First Round: Teams TBA.	SportsCenter	SportsCenter		
EWTN	21	Feasts	Left Behind	Daily Mass: Our Lady	EWTN Live	Super Saints	Rosary	Religious	Vaticano	The Catholic	Women of		
FAM	25	Melissa & Joey	Movie: ** "The Last Song" (2010, Drama) Miley Cyrus, Greg Kinnear.	Movie: ** "The Last Song" (2010, Drama) Miley Cyrus, Greg Kinnear.	Movie: ** "The Last Song" (2010, Drama) Miley Cyrus, Greg Kinnear.	Super Stars	Rosary	Religious	Vaticano	The Catholic	Women of		
FNC	77	Special Report With Bret Baier	FOX Report W/ Shepard Smith	The O'Reilly Factor	The O'Reilly Factor	Hannity	Hannity	On Record	Greta Van Susteren	The O'Reilly Factor	The O'Reilly Factor		
FOOD	48	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Restaurant: Impossible	Restaurant: Impossible	Restaurant: Impossible	Restaurant: Impossible	Restaurant: Impossible	Restaurant: Impossible	Restaurant: Impossible	Restaurant: Impossible		
FX	43	"The Fighter"	Anger	Two/Half Men	Two/Half Men	Movie: *** "Taken" (2008) Liam Neeson, Maggie Grace.	Movie: *** "Taken" (2008) Liam Neeson, Maggie Grace.	The Americans	The Americans	The Americans	The Americans		
HGTV	47	Property Brothers	Property Brothers	Cousins	Cousins	Property Brothers	Property Brothers	House Hunters	Hunters Int'l	Property Brothers	Property Brothers		
HIST	57	Pawn Stars	Pawn Stars	Pawn Stars	Pawn Stars	The Bible	The Bible	Dr. Drew on Call	Nancy Grace	Showbiz Tonight	Showbiz Tonight		
HN	45	(5:00) Evening Express	Jane Velez-Mitchell	Shiseido Beauty	Shiseido Beauty	Steven by Steve Madden	Steven by Steve Madden	MarlaWynne	RJ Graziano Fashion Jewelry	RJ Graziano Fashion Jewelry	RJ Graziano Fashion Jewelry		
HSN	15	Artisan House Handbags	Shiseido Beauty	Shiseido Beauty	Shiseido Beauty	WWE Main Event	WWE Main Event	Movie: * "Exit Wounds" (2001, Action) Steven Seagal, DMX.	Movie: * "Exit Wounds" (2001, Action) Steven Seagal, DMX.	"One Flew Over"	"One Flew Over"		
ION	4	Movie: ** "Timecop" (1994) Jean-Claude Van Damme.	Preachers' Daughters	Preachers' Daughters	Dance Moms	Dance Moms	Dance Moms	Dance Moms	Dance Moms	Preachers' Daughters	Preachers' Daughters		
LIFE	30	Preachers' Daughters	Preachers' Daughters	Preachers' Daughters	Dance Moms	Dance Moms	Dance Moms	Dance Moms	Dance Moms	Preachers' Daughters	Preachers' Daughters		
MSGPL	65	Aqueduct in 30	UFC Insider	UFC Unleashed	Tennis	Halls of Fame	Tennis	UFC Insider	UFC Insider	UFC Insider	UFC Insider		
MSNBC	69	PoliticsNation Al Sharpton.	Hardball With Chris Matthews	The Ed Show	The Ed Show	The Rachel Maddow Show	The Last Word	The Ed Show	The Ed Show	The Ed Show	The Ed Show		
MTV	40	Friendzone	Friendzone	Nikki & Sara	Snooki & JWOWW	World of Jenks	Movie: *** "Freedom Writers" (2007, Drama) Hilary Swank.	World of Jenks	World of Jenks	World of Jenks	World of Jenks		
NICK	39	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Drake & Josh	Wendell-Vinnie	Full House	Full House	The Nanny	The Nanny	Friends	Friends		
QVC	6	Honey-Do List	Outdoor Escapes by Bliss	Outdoor Escapes by Bliss	Days of Our Lives	General Hospital	The Young and the Restless	Days of Our Lives	Days of Our Lives	Days of Our Lives	Days of Our Lives		
SOAP	55	Veronica Mars	The Young and the Restless	Days of Our Lives	General Hospital	The Young and the Restless	Days of Our Lives	Days of Our Lives	Days of Our Lives	Days of Our Lives	Days of Our Lives		
SPIKE	52	World's Wildest Police Videos	World's Wildest Police Videos	Movie: *** "The Fast and the Furious: Tokyo Drift" (2006) Lucas Black, Zachery Ty Bryan.	Movie: *** "The Fast and the Furious: Tokyo Drift" (2006) Lucas Black, Zachery Ty Bryan.	Movie: *** "Piranha"	Movie: *** "Piranha"	Movie: *** "Piranha"	Movie: *** "Piranha"	Movie: *** "Piranha"	Movie: *** "Piranha"		
SYFY	73	Paranormal Witness	Haunted Collector	Haunted Collector	Haunted Collector	Robot Combat League	Haunted Collector	Haunted Collector	Haunted Collector	Haunted Collector	Haunted Collector		
TLC	58	Extreme Chea.	Extreme Chea.	My Addiction	My Addiction	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	My Addiction	My Addiction	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive		
TNT	26	Castle	Movie: * "Law Abiding Citizen" (2009) Jamie Foxx.	Movie: * "Law Abiding Citizen" (2009) Jamie Foxx.	Boston's Finest	Southland	Boston's Finest	Boston's Finest	Boston's Finest	Boston's Finest	Boston's Finest		
TOON	59	Regular Show	Dragons: Berk	Dragons: Berk	Dragons: Berk	Incred. Crew	King of the Hill	King of the Hill	American Dad	American Dad	Family Guy	Family Guy	
TRAV	74	Bizarre Foods/Zimmer	Man v. Food	Man v. Food	Man v. Food	Man v. Food	Feed-Bea.</						

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
TOWN OF GUILFORD SPECIAL MEETING  
Town of Guilford will hold a special meeting of the Town Board for the purpose of meeting with engineering firms to discuss the proposals for upgrades to the Guilford Water System at 6:30 p.m. on March 22, 2013 at the Guilford Town Hall located at 223 Marble Road, Guilford Center.  
By order of the Guilford Town Board  
Dated: March 18, 2013  
Gail M. Hoffman  
Guilford Town Clerk  
(T1 ES 3/20)

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
TOWN OF GUILFORD **INSURANCE (non-health related) BIDS**  
Notice is hereby given that the Guilford Town Board will accept bids for insurance coverage (non-health related) for the Town of Guilford through April 9, 2013. Information may be obtained by contacting the Town Supervisor at 607-895-8827.  
After review, the Board will consider all proposals submitted by 5:00 p.m. on April 9, 2013 to the Town Clerk located at 223 Marble Road in Guilford. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
Gail M. Hoffman  
Guilford Town Clerk  
March 18, 2013  
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**NOTICE OF FORMATION** OF ALL WALL BUILDERS LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC) Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State on March 13, 2013; the office location within New York is in Chenango County. The Secretary of State is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him/her to c/o THE LLC, 300 Billings Road, Sherburne, New York 13460. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. (16 ES 03/20, 03/27, 04/03, 04/10, 04/17, 04/24)

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MSG Overflow Channels for the 2013 Season by Binghamton and Syracuse - MSG Zone 2 will be shown on channel 1553 and MSG PLUS Zone 2 will be shown on channel 1554.  
The following networks may be added, relocated, dropped or have a name change within some viewing areas:

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CNBC World  
C Span2/C Span 3  
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Destination America/Destination America HD  
American HD  
Disney XD/Disney XD HD  
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Nick Toons  
Outer Max/Outer Max HD  
Oxygen  
PCN  
Science/Science HD  
Shop Zeal  
Showtime Free Preview/Showtime HD  
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Speed/Speed HD  
Teen Nick  
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TWC Sports Pass  
VH1 Classic  
ShopNBC Starz/Starz HD  
5 Star Max/5 Star Max HD  
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YES National/YES National HD  
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**WANTED: AX** for splitting wood, and single man crosscut saw. 607-656-5116

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**ARE YOU** missing 2 German Shepherds? Sighted off Cty Rd 35 between Guilford and Oxford. Appeared lost. 607-226-2838

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### CHENANGO COUNTY ARC ASSISTANT RESIDENTIAL MANAGER

Seeking individual to assist Residential Mgr with management operations of Residential Home in Norwich. Responsible for providing & coordinating a variety of activities/services for developmentally disabled residents living in Residential home. Duties include assisting with scheduling, training & supervision of staff, maintaining all necessary records/documentation as per regulations & company policy, completing all required trainings, attending meetings & preparing reports. Rewarding career, which provides opportunity to make a difference in individuals' lives, while working for an established, stable agency.  
Must have a valid NYS driver's license. Full-time position. Excellent benefit package offered. Competitive wage.

Send resumé and cover letter to:  
HR Dept., Chenango County ARC  
17 Midland Dr., Norwich, NY 13815 EOE

### CHENANGO COUNTY ARC MEDICAID SERVICE COORDINATOR

Chenango County ARC seeks MSC to manage assigned caseload of individuals with developmental disabilities. The MSC, in partnership with the person and his/her advocate, is responsible for coordinating & directing the person's individualized environment. The MSC assists individuals with a developmental disability in gaining access to necessary services & supports appropriate to the needs of the individual & develops an Individualized Service Plan. Successful candidate must be detail oriented, organized and have excellent written & verbal communication skills.  
Position requires: Bachelor's Degree in health or human service field and one year experience working with individuals with developmental disabilities or one yr. exp. as a Service Coordinator with any population. Full-time position with excellent benefit package.

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**Pets and Pet Care**

**HEELER/LAB PUPPIES,** 9 weeks old. Need good homes. Free. Call or txt **607-376-2388**

**LOST DACHSHUND** mix puppy, three months old. "BART" is black and silver and wearing a camo collar. **607-244-0725** or **607-847-9989**

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**WANTED: HAND-TAMED** Linnie parakeet or parrotlet within 2 hr vicinity of Sidney area. Please email [foxfairy101@yahoo.com](mailto:foxfairy101@yahoo.com)

**Farm**

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**WANTED: METAL** used stock tanks, need good sides, bottoms can leak. Call **607-226-5185** or **607226-5187** Leave message.

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**24 WIDE** x 80-1/2 high beveled mirror folding door, Colonial Elegance, out of package but never installed. \$100. **607-334-7693**

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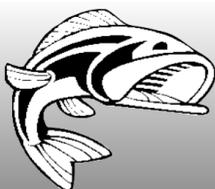
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**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 2005 Dyna Wide Glide. Custom paint, excellent condition. \$11,900. **607-647-5704**

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[rfoote@pennsaveronline.com](mailto:rfoote@pennsaveronline.com)

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