



NEWSBRIEFS

Pet clinic

A low cost vaccination/microchip clinic for pets of low- and fixed-income families will be held on Saturday, Sept. 18, 2010 from 9 a.m. to noon at Las Palmas Market Center, 1331 George Dieter in the parking area between Lowes and Petland. Pets will be vaccinated for parvo/distemper, rabies, microchipped (with national registration) and be licensed for \$40. Owners should bring proof of low-income eligibility (Medicare, WIC cards, Texas Lone Star cards, proof of residence at HUD residential complexes, etc.) as the event is intended to be for low-income residents. The event is being sponsored by New Hope Alliance, From the Heart Rescue, Onate Trail Dog Fanciers Association and Petland. For more information, call New Hope Alliance at (915) 727-1237.

— Rebecca Rojas

Mi vida en arte

The Women's Intercultural Center in coordination with the Borderbook Festival Inc. are hosting "Mi Vida En Arte" by Chilean artist Liliana Wilson. The presentation will focus on her journey as an artist chronicling her work, the different states she went through and how this reflects on her art. A reception will follow after the presentation. The event will take place on Thursday, September 23, 2010 from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the Women's Intercultural Center located at 303 Lincoln Street in Anthony, NM. For additional information call 575-882-5556 or email wintctr@qwestoffice.net.

Flu shots

This flu season, El Paso will be more prepared than ever to deal with a potential influenza pandemic. Immunize El Paso has received nearly all of their flu vaccine shipments, which translates to less potential for shortages or delays in vaccination. It is very important to get your flu vaccine this year, just as any year. Vaccine manufacturers have included two strains of the "seasonal" flu as well as the H1N1 strain in this year's vaccine. Additionally, Immunize El Paso opened the doors to their brand new eastside immunization clinic located at 1580 George Dieter at Vista Del Sol on Monday. The new clinic will serve children and adults seeking routine vaccinations as well as the flu shot Monday through Friday and will also feature Saturday clinics. New this year, Immunize El Paso will be partnering with the Texas Vaccines for Children Program to assist in helping increasing influenza immunization coverage amongst children across El Paso. Doing so will allow children who are un/underinsured or those who cannot afford their co-pays to receive a flu shot at a discounted rate of \$10. For

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Don't resent growing old — many are denied the privilege.

— Quips & Quotes

Espinosa receives Honor Medal

By Don Woodyard
Special to the Courier

EL PASO COUNTY — "It does not matter that I will forever set off airport security.

"It does not matter that I cannot dance at my daughter's wedding.

"It matters that I am alive.

"It matters that Fernando Espinosa pushed me out of the direct hit by a moving vehicle.

"It matters that I will be around to rock my granddaughter to sleep and sing lullabies to her."

This is part of the narrative of Glenda Tanner, a journalism teacher at Franklin High School, who is undoubtedly alive today because of the quick thinking of Espinosa, a Boy Scout, who pushed her out of the way of a speeding car as he was escorting her across the street to her car late on the night of Jan. 22, 2010.

The car struck her left foot which was broken in three places. She now has metal plates in her leg. Fernie bore the major impact from the speeding car. His body hurtled over the hood of the car, and his head slammed into the windshield. He was then thrown to the ground.

He recalls, "I remember that as soon as I hit the ground, I quickly got up. I got up because I heard Mrs. Tanner calling my name and because I wanted to check on her."

Lying on the ground, the injured teacher recalls, "His face, bloody and broken, was the most beautiful face I could see at that time."

"Fernie has not fully recovered from the accident," says Sam Snoddy, scoutmaster of Troop 4 in which Fernie is a Life Scout. "He has a persistent blood clot in his left leg and is still taking Coumadin which has limited his activities in and out of Scouting."

At a Centennial Scouting dinner last Friday night, more than 200 Scout leaders and youth gathered for the ceremony in which Espinosa received one of the highest awards of the Boy Scouts of America, the Honor Medal with Crossed Palm for his selfless act of bravery.

Espinosa was only the 232nd recipient of the Honor Medal which was first presented



— Photo by Nick Ronquillo

FOREVER CONNECTED — Glenda Tanner and Fernando Espinosa will always share a bond through his selfless action. Espinosa pushed Tanner out of the way of a speeding car. Both were injured, but left alive. He was awarded one of Scouting's highest honors — the Honor Medal with Crossed Palm (shown below).

in 1938. The coveted award is given only in "exceptional cases to a youth member or adult leader who has demonstrated unusual heroism and extraordinary skill or resourcefulness in saving or attempting to save life at extreme risk to self."

Sponsored by Yucca Council, Boy Scouts of America, the dinner and awards presentation was held in the administrative building of El Paso Community College, 9050 Viscount.

In his presentation, Snoddy spoke of the

real meaning of what his young Boy Scout had done.

As he begins his own tribute, Snoddy quotes from the Holy Bible, the Gospel of John 15:13 — "Greater love has no one than this, that he lay down his life for his friends."

"Life is the most valuable object we possess. And when a young man such as you is willing to lay down that down for friends or his country, it shows the utmost extent of love.

"Even this love for friends has been rarely witnessed. Many people would have frozen or hesitated.

"Not Fernie.

"Deep within the recesses of his inner being, Fernie made that instantaneous decision to save Mrs. Tanner rather than himself.

"You either have it or you don't. Fortunately for Mrs. Tanner, he had it."

Snoddy goes on.

"Fernie, you are a credit to your parents, Scouting, the United States of America and yourself. You are a role model for all Boy Scouts."

Tanner adds a final tribute to Fernie and sees him as more than just a role model.

"Yes, Fernie is a Boy Scout. And if this doesn't earn him an Eagle Scout honor, I don't know what will. Because I do know this, he already has his wings.

"He is my hero."

The hero and Mrs. Tanner hugged.



Four school districts to hold elections

By Alfredo Vasquez
Special to the Courier

EL PASO COUNTY — Voters in four of the nine El Paso County school districts will have several board of trustees candidates to choose from when they go to the polls in the upcoming general election.

School districts — Canutillo, Clint, Fabens and Tornillo — will hold their next board of trustees election in November.

Early voting will begin Monday, October 18 and end Friday, October 29. School board election voters may cast their ballot at any of the early voting polling places throughout El Paso County.

Election Day is Tuesday, November 2. The polling places will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Election Day. Registered voters must vote in their precinct on Election Day.

Canutillo ISD

Seven candidates have signed up to run for three at large positions for a period of

four years on the Canutillo Independent School District Board of Trustees. The three positions up for election are currently held by Sergio Coronado, Shonda Jordan, and Yvonne Sanchez.

Candidates who have applied to run for the Canutillo ISD School Board are: Margarito Arellano, businessman, who served on the board previously for 15 years; Coronado, attorney, who has served on the board for eight years; Jordan, housewife, who has served on the board for four years; Patricia Mendoza, retired Canutillo ISD employee; Eduardo Orozco, UTEP student; Laure Searls, housewife, who has previously served on the school board for nine years; and Sanchez, administrator, who has served on the board for 13 years.

On Election Day (November 2), the five polling place locations for the Canutillo ISD school board election include the Vinton Fire Station, 510 E. Vinton Rd. for Precinct 2 residents; Canutillo Middle School,

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Veterans Post By Freddy Groves

Finding a job

Are you home now and separated from the service? Welcome back. Chances are you need a job. Here are some ideas to get you started:

- Post your resume, search for jobs and read job-search tips at VetJobs [www.vetjobs.com]. Also listed are veterans service organizations, broken down by branch of service – Association of the United States Army, Heli-Vets, Air Force Sergeants Association, Naval Intelligence Professionals, they're all there, and dozens more. Affiliation with one or more groups might help you in your job search. The VetJobs also includes a Career Advisor assessment. Normally \$250, the assessment is free on the VetJobs site.

- If you're leery of putting your information online in the JobVets assessment, consider career advice and information from the Department of Labor. The Transition Assistance Program is set up to help with transition within the first 180 days of separation or retirement. The program is part of Veterans' Employment &

Training Service at www.dol.gov/vets. Click Transition Services in the left column. Then scroll down to the fact sheet to see all it can do for you. Make note of the three-day workshops for help with writing a resume, interviewing and more.

- Remember this phrase: Veterans Preference. That can be the key that opens a door for you when it comes to getting a government job. Points are assigned to each federal job application with extra points to each qualifying veteran. The number of points depends on your particular situation. That's not to say you're guaranteed a job, but you will be given extra consideration. Sometimes that's all you need, right? Check the Veterans' Preference Advisor to determine your eligibility.

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Por la Gente By State Rep. Chente Quintanilla

Students, education need level field

Hola mi gente. I recently read a commentary by a former colleague who wrote about education in The Texas Tribune. For those of you who are not familiar with the Tribune, it is an online only news publication. It began about a year ago and was hailed as the natural morph for print publications.

The colleague who authored the guest editorial was Kent Grusendorf. He was appointed by Speaker Craddick to chair the House Committee on Public Education and chaired from 2003 to 2006.

Grusendorf's article dealt with the lack of creativity in the education system today. His point is that there are so many rules and laws that

educators at the very local level are merely robots in the education world. He acknowledges that every one of those rules and laws were implemented for good reason. He was not clear as to why they do so, but it is his contention that now they are an impediment to creative education.

In my opinion, many of the laws were put into place because there was a shortfall by the state in achieving the constitutionally mandated effective public education. Until very recently, lawmakers actually worked to make public education beneficial for all Texas students.

I cannot recall a time that Grusendorf voiced any public

opposition to the federally mandated No Child Left Behind (NCLB) law passed by then President Bush. If anything on the books stifled creativity, the NCLB did so by changing education into a process of teaching a test. The program was intended to hold educators and administrators accountable for achieving certain standards.

This year test results for NCLB had a very mixed message. The state results from TAKS showed just about every school district improving significantly. The federal results were much less encouraging. One problem with the state standards

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Public Notification of Nondiscrimination in Career and Technology Programs at Fabens ISD

1) Fabens Independent School District offers career and technology education programs in Home Economics, Business Education, Drafting, Graphic Arts, and Automotive Technology. Admission to these programs is based on courses offered, age appropriateness, class space available, and individual graduation plans.

2) It is the policy of Fabens Independent School District not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex or handicap in its vocational programs, services, or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

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4) Fabens Independent School District will take steps to ensure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs.

5) For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator: Gilbert Alarcon, 208 N.E. 4th St., (915) 765-2600 and/or Section 504 Coordinator: Dr. David Rueda, 821 N.E. G Ave., (915) 765-2600.

Notificacion Publica de no Discriminar en los Programas de Carrera y Tecnologia de Fabens ISD

1) El Distrito Escolar Independiente de Fabens ofrece programas vocacionales en Carrera y Tecnología en Economía Domestica, Educación de Negocios, y Mecánica. La admisión a estos programas se basa en registrado en la escuela de Fabens y completar los requisitos necesarios.

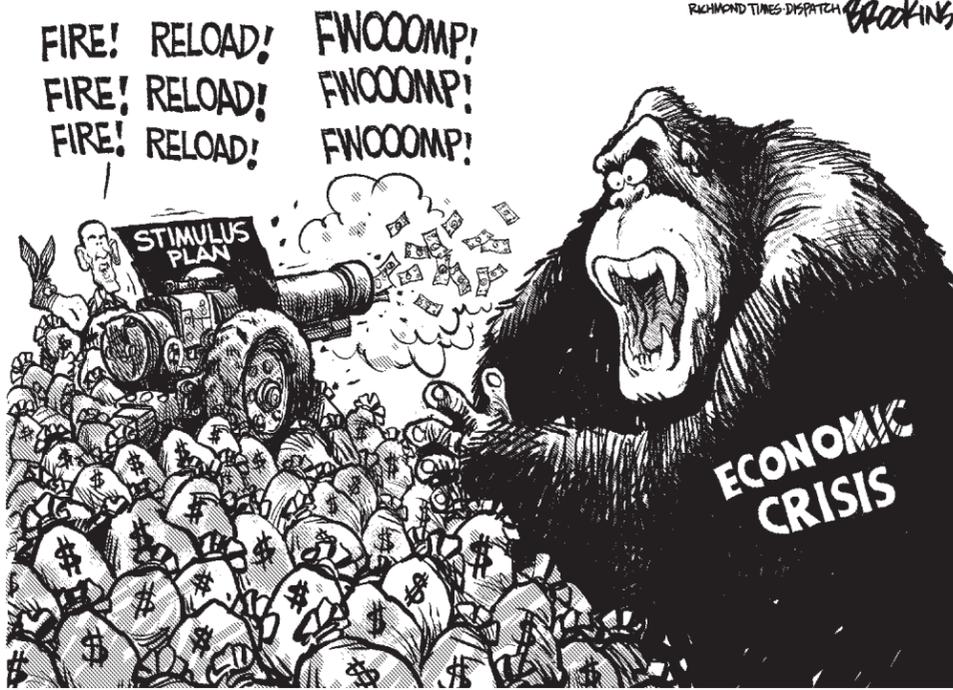
2) Es norma de El Distrito Escolar Independiente de Fabens no discriminar por motivos de raza, color, origen nacional, sexo, o impedimento, en sus programas, servicios, o actividades vocacionales, tal como lo requieren el Título VI del Acta de Derechos Civiles de 1964, que fue enmendada, Título IX de las Enmiendas Educativas de 1972, y la Sección 504 de la Acta de Rehabilitación de 1973, como enmendada.

3) Es norma de El Distrito Escolar Independiente de Fabens no discriminar por motivos raza, color, origen nacional, sexo, impedimento o edad en sus procedimientos de empleo, tal como requieren el Título VI del Acta de Derechos Civiles de 1964, según enmienda, Título IX de las Enmiendas Educativas de 1972, la Ley de Discriminación por Edad de 1975, según enmienda, y la Sección 504 de la Acta de Rehabilitación de 1973, según enmienda.

4) El Distrito Escolar Independiente de Fabens tomará las medidas necesarias para asegurar que la falta de habilidad en el uso de la lengua inglés no sea obstáculo para la admisión y participación en todos los programas vocacionales y educativos.

5) Para más información sobre sus derechos y procedimiento para quejas, comuníquese con el Coordinador del Título IX: Gilbert Alarcon, 208 N.E. 4th St., (915) 765-2600 y/o Coordinador de la Sección 504: Dr. David Rueda, 821 N.E. G Ave., (915) 765-2600.

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Education

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is that the Texas Education Agency (TEA) has no static baseline for measuring performance. This last year, the passing score was actually lowered so more students passed. Does that make sense?

I was not one to agree with Grusendorf on many education issues. One that I did somewhat agree with him was a voucher system. This system theoretically would allow families to choose schools that had better achievement levels. I would go along with the system if the same system provided transportation. No supporters of the voucher system would even consider that.

Why transportation? Without that, rural students, inner city barrio students and colonia students would have no choice. Only wealthier families with the capacity to transport their children would benefit from vouchers.

In the article, he never mentions equitable funding from the state for all school districts. The mantra by conservatives to have local control also means withholding shared wealth. Innovation in schools is no good if the actual standard does not apply to all students. Based on a consistent effort to diminish the Robin Hood funding of education, it seems like Grusendorf and his allies think equal innovations will result from unequal facilities.

I remain your friend and public servant, Chente por la gente.



Lower Valley Water District Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Rate

The LOWER VALLEY WATER DISTRICT will hold a public hearing on a proposed tax rate for the tax year 2010 on Thursday, September 23, 2010, at 6:00 p.m., at 1557 FM 1110, Clint, Texas 79836. Your individual taxes may increase or decrease, depending on the change in taxable value of your property in relation to the change in the taxable value of all other property and the tax rate that is adopted.

FOR the proposal: **Rosalinda Vigil, David Armstrong, Henry Trujillo, Alicia L. Fresquez and Gina Cordero**

AGAINST the proposal: **NONE**

PRESENT and not voting: **NONE**

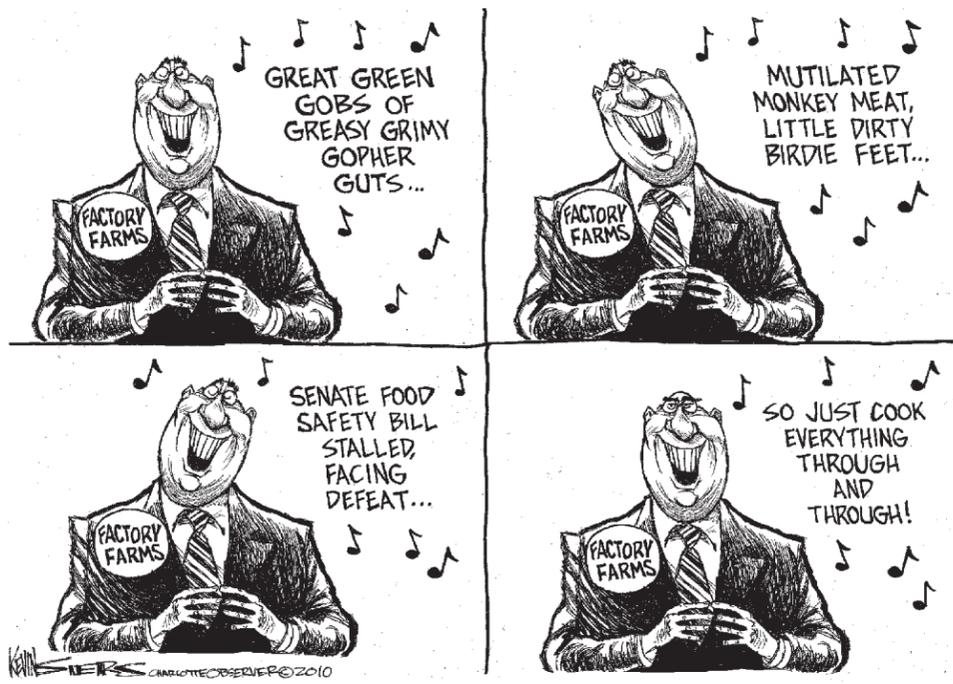
ABSENT: **NONE**

The following table compares taxes on an average residence homestead in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average residence homestead this year.

	Last Year	This Year
Total tax rate (per \$100 value)	0.209995/\$100	0.208491/\$100
	Adopted	Proposed
Difference in rates per \$100 of value	- \$0.001504/\$100	
Percentage increase / decrease in rates (+/-)	- 0.72%	
Average appraised value	\$ 69,769	\$ 70,908
General exemptions available (excluding senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions)	\$ 0	\$ 0
Average taxable value	\$ 69,769	\$ 70,908
Tax on average residence homestead	\$ 146.51	\$ 147.84
Annual increase / decrease in taxes if proposed tax rate is adopted (+/-)	+ \$ 1.33	
and percentage of increase (+/-)	+ 0.91%	

NOTICE OF TAXPAYERS' RIGHT TO ROLLBACK ELECTION

If taxes on the average residence homestead increase by more than eight percent, the qualified voters of the district by petition may require that an election be held to determine whether to reduce the operation and maintenance tax rate to the rollback tax rate under Section 49.236(d), Water Code.



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more information on how, when and where to obtain your flu shot, please call 915-533-3414 or visit immunizeelpaso.org for

the latest schedule.

– *Dusty Warden*

Outstanding ex

San Elizario High School is searching for alumni to be nominated for the honor of Outstanding Ex during its

homecoming festivities on October 8. Nominees must have graduated from San Elizario High School in order to be eligible. All nominations for San Elizario High School's Outstanding Ex are due September 30 and should be

e-mailed to rrodriguez@seisd.net or mailed to San Elizario High School; P.O. Box 920; San Elizario, TX 79849. For more information, contact Ruben Rodriguez at (915) 872-3970 ext. 3711.

– *Cynthia P. Marentes*

Homecoming

Socorro High School will be celebrating their Homecoming Festivities the week of Sept. 20 to 25. "Captured in a Dream" is

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Public Notice Fabens Independent School District

SECTION 504 SERVICES

The Fabens Independent School District provides the following educational services/options to identified disabled students who reside within the district.

- ◆ Child find activities to notify students with disabilities and their parents of their rights and the district's obligation to provide a free, appropriate public education.
- ◆ Referrals to Sections 504 when it is believed the students have a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities and the students are in need of educational accommodations.
- ◆ Procedural safeguards under Section 504.
- ◆ Evaluations of students to determine eligibility for the Section 504 program.
- ◆ Placement into the Section 504 program, which means the student may receive:
 - ✓ individually planned modifications in the regular classroom,
 - ✓ transportation services to and from school,
 - ✓ health services from the school nurse,
 - ✓ accommodations regarding access to any part of the campus, or
 - ✓ assistance in reading for students with dyslexia in a reading program which meets the state's standards for a dyslexia reading program.
- ◆ Special education services are available to Section 504 students, if the students qualify for one of the specific disabilities under special education.

If you would like more information or know of a disabled child who is not receiving educational services, please contact Dr. David Rueda, Section 504 Coordinator, P.O. Box 697/821 NE "G" Avenue, Fabens, TX 79838, (915) 765-2600.

SERVICIOS DE LA SECCION 504

El distrito escolar independiente de Fabens provee los siguientes servicios/ opciones educacionales a los estudiantes con discapacidades identificados que residen dentro del distrito.

- ◆ Actividades para encontrar a niños para notificar a los estudiantes con discapacidades y a sus padres de sus derechos y de las obligaciones del distrito a proporcionar una educación pública que sea gratuita y apropiada.
- ◆ Referimientos a la Sección 504 cuando se cree que el estudiante tiene una discapacidad mental o física que limita substancialmente una o más actividades vitales importantes y los estudiantes necesitan modificaciones en su educación.
- ◆ Derechos legales garantizados bajo Sección 504.
- ◆ Evaluaciones de estudiantes para determinar si califican para el programa de la Sección 504.
- ◆ Colocación dentro del programa de la Sección 504, lo que significa que el estudiante puede recibir:
 - ✓ modificaciones en el salón de educación regular planeadas individualmente,
 - ✓ servicios de transporte para la escuela y para atrás,
 - ✓ servicios de salud por la enfermera de la escuela,
 - ✓ cambios que garanticen el acceso a cualquier parte de la escuela,
 - ✓ ayuda en lectura para estudiantes con dislexia en un programa de lectura que cumpla con los requisitos que pide el estado a un programa de lectura de dislexia.
- ◆ Se ofrecen servicios de educación especial a los estudiantes Sección 504, si los estudiantes califican para una de las discapacidades específicas bajo educación especial.

Si usted desea más información o conoce a niños con discapacidades que no están recibiendo servicios educativos, por favor comuníquese con Dr. David Rueda, Coordinador de la Sección 504, P.O. Box 697/821 NE "G" Avenue, Fabens, TX 79838, (915) 765-2600.

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Fabens Independent School District SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES

Fabens Independent School District provides the following education program/services to identified children with disabilities who reside within the district beginning on the third birthday through age twenty-one.

Instructional Program: including Early Childhood (beginning on the third birthday through age five), 1) Resource (grades K-12) and Self-Contained (grades K-12); 2) Diagnostic Services; 3) Transportation Services; 4) Speech Therapy; 5) Counseling Services; 6) Adaptive Equipment Services; 7) Physical Therapy; 8) Occupational Therapy; 9) School Health Services; and 10) Homebound Services.

Services are provided to identified auditory and visually impaired children who reside within the district from birth through age twenty-one.

In compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 and Public Law 105-17, parents and adult students have the right to inspect educational records. District policies FL and FL-E provide for record access, confidentiality, and complaint procedures.

If you would like more information or know of a child with disabilities who is not receiving educational services, please contact: Richard Ortega, Special Education Director, P.O. Box 697, Fabens, Texas 79838, (915) 765-2690.

El Distrito Escolar de Fabens SERVICIOS DE EDUCACIONESPECIAL

El distrito escolar de Fabens provee los siguientes programas/servicios educacionales a niños que son identificados como deshabilitados que viven dentro del distrito comenzando con el tercer cumpleaños hasta los 21 años.

Programa de instrucción: infancia temprana (comenzando con el tercer cumpleaños hasta la edad de cinco años), 1) cuarto de recurso (K-12), y clases contenidas (K-12); 2) servicios diagnósticos; 3) servicios de transportación; 4) terapia de habla; 5) servicios de consejo; 6) servicios de equipaje adaptivo; 7) terapia física; 8) terapia ocupacional; 9) servicios de salud escolar; y 10) servicios de clases en el hogar.

Se provee servicios a niños identificados como deshabilitados audible y visualmente que viven dentro del distrito desde nacimiento hasta la edad de 21 años.

Conforme al Acto de Derechos y Confidencia Educativos de Familia de 1974 y Ley pública 105-17, padres y alumnos adultos tienen el derecho de ver los archivos educativos. Políticas FL y FL-E explica los derechos, la confidencialidad, y el proceso para quejarse.

Si usted desea más información o sabe de un niño/niña deshabilitado que vive en el distrito escolar de Fabens que no está recibiendo servicios educacionales, favor de comunicarse con: Richard Ortega, Director de Educación Especial, P.O. Box 697, Fabens, Texas 79838, (915) 765-2690.

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Elections

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7311 Bosque Road for Precinct 3; Canutillo Elementary School, 651 Canutillo Avenue for Precinct 4; Fire Station #2, 111 E. Borderland Road for Precinct 5; and Olga Kohlberg Elementary School, 1445 Nardo Goodman Drive for Precincts 11-2 and 170 residents who live in Canutillo ISD.

Clint ISD

In the Clint Independent School

District, nine candidates are running for four at-large positions that are currently held by Janice Armstrong, Alfred Gonzalez, Robert Lara, and James R. Pendell.

Individuals who declared their candidacy to serve on the Clint ISD school board include Janice Armstrong, housewife, who has served on the board for eight years; Dino M. Coronado, educator; Alfred Gonzalez, retired, who has served on the board for 10 years; Michael Hamlin, contractor (US Army); Robert Lara, retired, who has served on the board for 10 years; Tracy Lutich, teacher; Rafael Padilla, school coordinator; James R. Pendell, business owner, who has served on the board for 17 years; and Fernando "Fernie" Sepulveda, retired from the US Postal Service. The top four vote-getters will serve a four-year term. Clint ISD polling places are Montana Vista Elementary School, 3550 Mark Jason Drive, for Precinct 156 residents; Red Sands Elementary School, 4250 O'Shea Boulevard, for Precinct 155; Desert Hills Elementary School, 300 North Kenazo Drive for Precincts 157, 167, 168; and Clint Junior High School, 13100 Alameda Avenue, for Precincts 158 and 163.

Fabens ISD

Fabens Independent School District board election has five candidates

running for three positions including Places 1, 2 and 4. FISD candidates may file for any one of the three places up for election. FISD trustees serve a four-year term.

The positions up for election in November are currently held by Sylvia Gonzales, Place 1; Jose Porras, Place 2; and Viola Hernandez, Place 4. All of the incumbents are running for re-election. Hernandez is running unopposed.

Candidates seeking a place on the Fabens ISD Board of Trustees include: Place 1 - Sylvia Gonzales, retail cashier, who has served on the board for 7 years, and Marcos Salcido III, parts representative; Place 2 - Jose Porras, who has served on the board for 13 years, and Adan Escobar, self-employed; Place 4 - Viola Hernandez, store manager, who has served on the board for two years.

Polling place for the Fabens ISD school board election will be: Early voting at the Rogelio Sanchez County Warehouse, 1331 N. Fabens Street; and Election Day at the Rio Valle Women's Club, 521 Mike Maros St.

Tornillo ISD

Tornillo Independent School District board election has eight candidates running for four positions including Places 4, 5, 6, and 7. TISD candidates may file for any one of the four places up for election. Tornillo

San Eli Health Fair

Don't forget that the date for the 3rd Annual San Elizario ISD Health Fair is this Saturday, September 18, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at San Elizario High School located at 13981 Socorro Road.

The list of services to be offered is extensive and includes free screenings for blood pressure, glucose, cholesterol, osteoporosis, hearing, vision, immunizations starting at \$10 and much more! There will also be fun games and activities for children, entertainment, and Zumba classes. A funwalk has also been added this year which will take place at the high school track starting at 9:30 a.m. Free healthy snacks and give aways will be provided to participants until all supplies are exhausted. San Elizario High School cosmetology students will also offer free hair cuts to a limited number of individuals. Finally, instead of driving into the city limits for their annual mammogram, local residents can take advantage of a mobile screening unit that will be available during the annual San Elizario ISD health fair.

Over 30 health and social services agencies and organizations will participate in the event.

- Cynthia P. Marentes

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this year's Homecoming theme based on the modern Alice in Wonderland film. Students will participate in lunch time activities, competitions, and dress-up days. Socorro High School will have a parade sponsored by Bestway Autos on Thursday Sept. 23 at 5:30 p.m. on Alameda St. in front of the school. Our Outstanding Alum, Mr. Arturo Lopez, MD, will be the Grand Marshall and will be joined by the Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Xavier De La Torre. The parade will include, clubs and organizations from the High School as well as Community Clubs. The Burning of the "S" pep rally will immediately follow the parade. On Friday evening at 7:00, the Socorro Bulldogs will battle Franklin at the Student Activities Complex. To end the Homecoming festivities, The Mad Hatters Ball will take place Saturday evening in the schools Gymnasium - The PIT.

- Diana Yadira Mooy

Crime Stoppers

Crime Stoppers of El Paso is assisting the El Paso Police Department in identifying and locating the person responsible for a fatal hit and run on the southside, making this the "Crime of the Week." On Friday, August 20, 2010, about 8:05 p.m., officers were dispatched to a collision involving a pedestrian in the 5000 block of Delta. Their investigation revealed that 90-year-old Jose Herrada was crossing the street, from the south curb to the north curb, when he was struck by a vehicle traveling east on Delta. The suspect vehicle fled the scene. Herrada was taken to University Medical Center, where he died from his injuries on Sunday, August 22. The vehicle that hit him is described as a pearl white or light silver mini-van. The vehicle should show damage to the front end. If you have any information at all about the identity of the driver or the location of the vehicle responsible for this crime, please call Crime Stoppers of El Paso at 566-TIPS (8477) or submit your tip online at www.crimestoppersofelpaso.org. You will remain anonymous and, if your tip leads to an arrest, you may earn a cash reward up to \$1,000.

- James Klaes

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Defensive problems still plague Miners

By Steve Escajeda
Special to the Courier

I've got a rather fundamental football question, how difficult is it to play defense?

I'm sure that there are thousands of UTEP fans asking the same question today.

In fact, it's the same question El Pasoans have been asking for the last five years.

The Miners got smacked around by the Houston Cougars by the tune of 54-24 last Friday.

And as most of you can tell by the score, the Miners' latest revamped defense was as consistent as it has been over the last few years – it was non-existent.

The loss dropped the Miners to 1-1 on the season but the lack of even a mediocre defense means UTEP could be in for a lot of disappointing evenings this fall.

To make matters worse, the team announced that star safety Braxton Amy suffered a knee injury that will cost him the rest of the season and the rest of his UTEP career.

Well, back to Houston and the massacre. Everyone knows that the Cougars may

be the best passing team in college football; so if quarterback Case Keenum went nuts against the Miners no one would have been surprised.

But it wasn't the Houston passing attack that killed the Miners, it was their running game.

Houston rolled up 308 yards and scored six touchdowns on the ground. In fact the Cougars looked more like Alabama or Ohio State running the ball right down the field at will.

Bryce Beall tore up the Miners, gaining 195 yards and scoring three touchdowns. Beall used the Miners defense as his own personal playground, averaging over 10 yards every time he carried the football.

Some of the numbers the Miners defense allowed are staggering. UTEP allowed 308 yards rushing, 348 yards passing, which comes out to a whopping 656 total yards. They gave up 32 first downs and an unbelievable 8.6 yards per every Houston play.

There are always between 115 and 120 division-1 college football teams competing all around the country every year. Over the last four seasons (all losing

ones) the Miners' defense has ranked 100th or worse.

And this year's crop of defenders is keeping the tradition alive. The Miners currently rank 108 out of 120 teams on defense.

And you can't blame UTEP's offense. Quarterback Trevor Vittatoe and the rest of the offense ranks 27th in the nation and is averaging 27.5 points a game.

Mike Price made yet another defensive coordinator hire prior to this season, bringing in Andre Patterson.

And though Patterson's squad looks as bad as any other of UTEP's recent defenses, you really can't blame the guy who can only play with what he's dealt.

It's no secret that the Miners just don't have the athletes they need to be competitive – but why don't they?

During Price's first two seasons at UTEP (both winning ones), the Miners were in the middle of the pack nationally – which is all you need when your offense is this good.

It always comes down to recruiting and UTEP has done a horrible job of luring talented defensive players to El Paso.

All I know is that the Miners had better get

things turned around quickly or I'm afraid Price won't have to worry about recruiting any players to UTEP next season.

Put the fingers down

If any of you watched any of the NFL games last weekend you may have noticed the players of both teams coming onto the field before the start of the game and raise their index finger to one another.

No, it wasn't a show of disrespect or the obligatory "we're number one" gesture. It was a show of solidarity among the players against the owners in the ongoing labor talks.

Let me say that the players are going about this absolutely the wrong way. The players are not going to get the support of fans that can barely afford tickets to the stadium.

The players would be better served if they kept their mouths shut, their fingers down, and let the guys in the blue suits tackle this stuff in the board rooms.

Just play football guys – fans don't want to be reminded about how much money you make while they had to leave one child home because they couldn't afford the \$400 price tag a family of four has to dish out at an NFL game.

I'm sure there are plenty of fans that would like to lift a finger at the whole NFL.

A sporting view By Mark Vasto

Baseball hits home

I earnestly began my sports-writing career in 1995, the last season the Atlanta Braves played at Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium, which was the scene of Hank Aaron's record-breaking home run in 1974 (and, coincidentally, the stadium where Barry Bonds hit his first round-tripper). The place – a real dump of a ballpark – was nicknamed "The Launching Pad." This was, according to legend, due

to the Georgia humidity, Atlanta's high altitude and the wind-breaking saucer shape of the stadium, which, supposedly, contributed to the high amount of home runs hit there. (It wasn't until Glenn Hubbard started hitting home runs with Bob Horner-like regularity that anybody actually believed that.)

I remember covering a game – John Smoltz was on the mound – when I realized I was barely paying

attention. Like most people at their job – even a dream job – my thoughts drifted elsewhere, and in those days, they usually meandered toward the object of my affection, a woman we'll call Marci because that was her name. Where was she? Would she meet up with me after the game? These were the days before cell phones. I mean, we had them, but they closely resembled the hand-crank phone kits that first lieutenants would use on battlefields to call in air strikes. I actually used to use a pay phone to call people from the press box. It was modern Stone Age stuff. Mr. Slate should have been my editor.

That's when I realized that for all of my talk about being such a baseball fan, expert, what have you... I had very rarely in my life ever watched a baseball game wire-to-wire before that season. Sure, we talked a good game – my friends and I would light up the lines on local sports talk shows as teenagers – but we very rarely committed the three hours or so needed to watch a full game.

Some 16 years later, I'm in the Royals press box at Kauffman Stadium, tapping out this column. The "new" Kauffman Stadium, which I can't stand – little more than a rolling digital billboard – leaves me nostalgic for Atlanta-Fulton County. But Zack Greinke reminds me a lot

of John Smoltz. Marci just got home from her yoga class, according to her Facebook page. My wife just e-mailed me a picture of our baby boy and texted my marching orders for the night: pick up milk, bring home dinner.

These days, a kid running all over the place, I fully understand the pastime concept. Not only can I now watch a full baseball game, I lament the fact that there are only 162 games in which to do so. Baseball – faithful and reliable – still hits home.

Mark Vasto is a veteran sportswriter and publisher of *The Kansas City Luminary*. (c) 2010 King Features Synd., Inc.

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CryptoQuip Answer

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Comix

OUT ON A LIMB By Gary Kopervas



AMBER WAVES By Dave T. Phipps



THE SPATS By Jeff Pickering



R.F.D. By Mike Marland



Your good health By Paul G. Donahue, M.D.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: My adult daughter is unable to take vitamins without upsetting her stomach. She has taken them with and without food, and at different times of the day, to no avail. She takes no medicine except for thyroid. She has no gastrointestinal problems. — V.H.

legs three times a week. Age is another possible factor in failing to meet vitamin demands if older people subsist on a marginal diet of tea and toast.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I had a foot reconstruction operation some months ago. The foot doctor said I had to be off Celebrex until the foot completely healed. I had been on it for several years. I have osteoporosis and rheumatoid arthritis. Since being off Celebrex for four months, I don't have any more pain or stiffness than I did while I was taking it. Do I really need it? — V.M.

Has your daughter tried different brands of vitamins? The filler in some brands might be the cause of her stomach upset. Fillers are inactive ingredients that keep the tablet together.

The question really is: Does your daughter, or anyone, need to take a vitamin (multivitamin or otherwise) daily? Vitamins are nutrients that the body doesn't make for itself (except vitamin D). They're needed in extremely small amounts. The era of beriberi, scurvy and rickets is all but over since the discovery of vitamins. Most doctors have never seen a case of those vitamin deficiency illnesses.

If a medicine isn't doing anything for you, why take it? You've taken Celebrex for several years and now you've been off it for four months with no worsening of your symptoms. I'd say you made a strong case for not continuing it. Many, many other rheumatoid arthritis medicines are on the market. It's time for a change, or perhaps for a medicine rest if your doctor agrees.

Vitamins don't pep us up and they don't prevent heart disease or cancer as was once thought. In excess, they can be troublemakers. In spite of this, we're conditioned to believe that we need a daily multivitamin. Half of the adult American population swallows one every day.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: When patients are admitted to a hospital by ambulance and their prescriptions are given to the hospital staff, are they returned to the patients upon discharge? These are expensive medicines. — E.M.

We can meet all vitamin needs through foods, with the possible exception of vitamin D. A diet that supplies fruits, vegetables, grains, dairy products and some meat provides the necessary vitamins. Meat is the source for vitamin B-12, but vegetarians can get that vitamin in other ways. Vitamin D is a problem for many. Sunshine converts a substance in the skin into this vitamin. Many people don't get enough sunshine exposure to achieve skin production of D, and people in northern climates can't get enough during winter months. All it takes is 15 minutes of sun exposure on the face, arms and

The medicines ought to be given back to the patients upon discharge. If they aren't, an inquiry should be made. If no answer is forthcoming, take the matter to the hospital administrator.

Dr. Donohue regrets that he is unable to answer individual letters, but he will incorporate them in his column whenever possible. Readers may write him or request an order form of available health newsletters at P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475. (c) 2010 North America Synd., Inc. All Rights Reserved.

Super Crossword

DON'T BE ALARMED

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 - 5 Taxing time?
 - 10 Thousand __, CA
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 - 20 Tall story?
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 - 22 Start of a remark
 - by Henny Youngman
 - 25 Skater Lipinski
 - 26 Settled on the sofa
 - 27 Pump part
 - 28 Pressing need
 - 29 Runnymede's river
 - 31 Morning moisture
 - 32 Baltic city
 - 34 Sault - Marie, MI
 - 35 Chop
 - 37 Part 2 of remark
 - 46 Silly Soupy
 - 48 Designer Ricci
 - 49 Mrs. Nick Charles
 - 50 Parent
 - 51 Folklore figure
 - 52 AAA offering
 - 53 " _ the Dog" ('97 film)
 - 54 Ballroom dance
 - 55 Fabric ornament
 - 57 Mil. honor
 - 60 Casanova, for one
 - 62 Caviar
 - 63 Wagner's " _ Rheingold"
 - 64 Vaudeville's Tucker
 - 66 Islamic title
 - 67 Part 3 of remark
 - 70 Frank or Dweezil
 - 74 Greet the general
 - 75 Peculiar
 - 77 "A mouse!"
 - 80 Biblical city
 - 82 Nice season
 - 83 German shepherd
 - 85 Cropped up
 - 86 Goal
 - 88 Pub order
 - 89 Elbow
 - 90 Quindlen's "One _ Thing"
 - 91 Paper quantity
 - 93 Trauma aftermath
 - 94 "Die Fledermaus" maid
 - 95 Part 4 of remark
 - 100 Prospector's prize
 - 101 Time to evolve?
 - 102 Travel with Tonto
 - 103 "Tell _ About It" ('83 hit)
 - 105 Mideastern mall?
 - 109 Singer Lesley
 - 111 Iowa city
 - 113 Task
 - 116 Prayer finale
 - 117 End of remark
 - 122 Tilt
 - 123 Hood's handle
 - 124 "Wait _ Dark" ('67 film)
 - 125 Similar

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- 5 They're kept in a quiver
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- 8 Robert of "Quincy, M.E."
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- 10 "Beetle Bailey" dog
- 11 Like _ of bricks
- 12 Rib
- 13 Diva Renata
- 14 Base stuff?
- 15 Final
- 16 Actor Burns
- 17 "Oh, woe!"
- 20 With _ of salt
- 23 Employ
- 24 Imminent
- 30 Female fowl
- 31 Reside
- 32 Artist Magritte
- 33 Call _ day
- 34 Play ground?
- 35 Silent star?
- 36 Wed in haste
- 38 Torrent
- 126 Punta del -
- 127 Neighbor of Ark.
- 128 Mars has two
- 129 Gnat or brat

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- 39 Speck
- 40 Right away
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- 44 Cartoon Viking
- 45 '82 Jeff Bridges film
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- 64 Police hdqrs.
- 65 _ de France
- 68 More pallid
- 69 Jacket type
- 70 Bernardo's boss
- 71 Romance
- 72 Puzzling problem
- 73 Affix meaning "before"
- 76 Delany or Wynter
- 77 Duck down
- 78 Bald bird
- 79 Patella's place
- 80 Gangsters' guns
- 81 Composer Copland
- 83 Fruit-tree spray
- 84 English dynasty
- 87 Welcome item?
- 88 Lot size
- 92 Udall or West

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by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★

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Social Security Q&A By Ray Vigil

Scams

These days, everyone needs to be cautious of scams – Internet, mail, and even phone scams – which can damage your credit score and pocketbook. Any time someone asks for your personal information, you should be wary. Particularly cruel are swindles that target Social Security beneficiaries.

Recently, Social Security became aware of a scam targeting beneficiaries in the Southern California area. Scammers telephoned beneficiaries to tell them they were due a “stimulus payment.” The scammer offered to deposit the payment to each beneficiary’s account once the personal and bank account information was provided. The scammer then contacted Social Security by telephone to request the benefits be deposited into a new account – the scammer’s account, to steal the payments. In a similar version of this criminal ploy, the scammer calls the beneficiary to “confirm” the beneficiary’s personal and financial information.

As a rule of thumb, Social Security will not call you for your personal information such as your Social Security number or banking information. If someone contacts you and asks for this kind of information, do not give it.

You should never provide your Social Security number or other personal information over the telephone unless you initiated the contact, or are confident of the person to whom you are speaking. If

in doubt, do not release information without first verifying the validity of the call by contacting the local Social Security office or Social Security’s toll-free number at 1-800-772-1213 (TTY 1-800-325-0778).

Another way to protect yourself is to keep your Social Security card and other important documents locked away in a safe place. Do not give personal information to just anyone. Also, check your Social Security earnings record. You can request a Social Security Statement online at www.socialsecurity.gov/statement. When you receive your Statement in the mail, you can verify the accuracy of the reported earnings and request correction if necessary.

If you’ve fallen victim to fraud or identity theft, be sure to file a report with the local police or the police department where the identity theft took place, and keep a copy of the police report as proof of the crime. Information on how to prevent scams and protect yourself can be found at www.ftc.gov/idtheft. You can also read Social Security’s publication, Identify Theft And Your Social Security Number, available online at www.socialsecurity.gov/pubs/10064.html and Your Social Security Number and Card, available at www.socialsecurity.gov/pubs/10002.html.

Be alert when dealing with people who want your personal information, such as your bank account number, date of birth, and Social Security number. By using a little caution, you can protect yourself from scams.

STRANGE BUT TRUE

By Samantha Weaver

- It was American author and philosopher Eric Hoffer who made the following sage observation: “Rudeness is the weak man’s imitation of strength.”

- If you were to have a perfectly dry mouth, you wouldn’t be able to taste a single thing. Researchers conducted an experiment in which they placed salt on a subject’s dry tongue, and the subject reported absolutely no taste at all. Once a drop of saliva was added, though, the taste came through clearly.

- According to the makers of the Stetson, a 10-gallon hat actually holds only about three quarts of liquid.

- During the third century, Saint Lawrence of Rome, a deacon to Pope Sixtus II, was burned to death during a series of persecutions of priests and deacons. Legend has it that while he was on the fire, he turned to his executioners and said, “This side’s done; turn me over and have a bite.” It was for this reason that he was named the patron saint of butchers, roasters and comedians.

- The average robin reportedly has nearly 3,000 feathers. Makes you wonder who did the counting.

- Most people probably are aware of the fact that Franklin Delano Roosevelt is the only American president who was elected to more than two terms in office – he served three full terms and died during his fourth term in office. Despite the fact that he was an incredibly popular president, however, in none of his four elections did he carry his home county of Dutchess, New York.

- If you have a severe food allergy, peanuts are the most common culprit, followed, in order, by shellfish, fish, tree nuts and eggs.

Thought for the Day: “Computers are incredibly fast, accurate and stupid. Human beings are incredibly slow, inaccurate and brilliant. Together they are powerful beyond imagination.”

– Albert Einstein

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Notice of Public Meeting To Discuss San Elizario Independent School District’s State Financial Accountability Rating (FIRST)

The San Elizario Independent School District will hold a public hearing at 5:30 p.m., Wednesday, October 13, 2010 in the boardroom of the San Elizario ISD Administration Building, 1050 Chicken Ranch Road, San Elizario, Texas.

The purpose of this hearing is to discuss San Elizario Independent School District’s rating on the state’s financial accountability system. This meeting will be held in conjunction with the scheduled board of Trustees’ Meeting.

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Notice of Public Meeting To Discuss Canutillo Independent School District’s State Financial Accountability Rating

The Canutillo Independent School District will hold a public meeting at 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 12, 2010 in the boardroom of the Canutillo ISD Administration Facility, 7965 Artcraft Road, El Paso, Texas.

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss Canutillo Independent School District’s rating on the state’s financial accountability system.

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CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: G equals R

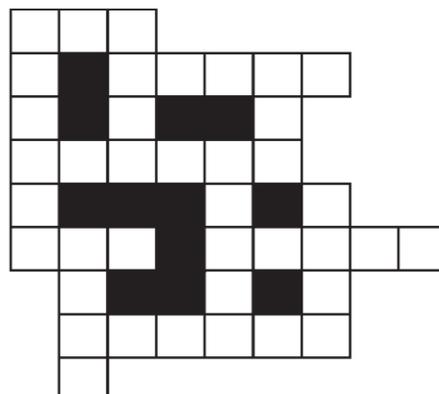
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Answer Page 6

Unscramble these twelve letter strings to form each into an ordinary word (ex. HAGNEC becomes CHANGE). Prepare to use only ONE word from any marked (♥) letter string as each unscrambles into more than one word (ex. ♥RATHE becomes HATER or EARTH or HEART). Fit each string’s word either across or down to knot all twelve strings together.

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