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### NEWSBRIEFS

### Get your veggies

Oct. 1 was World Vegetarian Day and Nov. 1 being World Vegan Day, and with 15.5 million U.S. adults having a vegetarian or vegan diet, the personal-finance website WalletHub has released its report on 2022's Best Cities for Vegans & Vegetarians, as well as accompanying videos and expert commentary. To determine the best and cheapest places for following a plant-based diet, WalletHub compared the 100 largest cities across 17 key indicators of vegan- and vegetarian-friendliness. The data set ranges from the share of restaurants serving meatless options to the cost of groceries for vegetarians to salad shops per capita. El Paso was rated 14th in the report. Some stats:

• Plano, TX has the highest share of restaurants serving vegetarian options, 63.65 percent, which is 21.6 times higher than in Laredo, TX, the city with the lowest at 2.95 percent.

• Scottsdale, AZ has the highest share of restaurants serving vegan options, 16.26 percent, which is 19.6 times higher than in North Las Vegas, NV, the city with the lowest at 0.83percent.

· San Francisco, CA has the most community-supported agriculture programs (per square root of population), 0.0182, which is 22.8 times more than in San Antonio, TX, the city with the fewest at 0.0008.

• Atlanta, GA has the most salad shops (per square root of population), 0.2296, which is 17.8 times more than in San Bernardino, CA, the city with the fewest at 0.0129.

Visit https://wallethub.com/edu/bestcities-for-vegans-vegetarians/39706/ for the full report.

– Diana Polk

### **Daredevil returns**



Photo courtesy Blackwell School Alliance

STILL STANDING – School systems across the American Southwest segregated Mexican American students from white peers, sending Mexican Americans to separate schools with fewer resources. Nestled in the West Texas town of Marfa, TX, the Blackwell School is one of the last remaining "Mexican schools" that still stands in good condition. Many years after the school closed following integration in the 1960s, a group of Blackwell alumni formed the nonprofit Blackwell School Alliance and saved the property from destruction.

## **Mexican American children experienced** segregated education for generations

**By Alfredo Vasquez** Special to the Courier

WEST TEXAS – In its duty to tell the full American story, the U.S. National Parks System is about to embark on an extraordinary journey to identify and preserve the stories that still dwell within the Blackwell School experience in Marfa, TX. The Blackwell National Historic Site will shed light on this often-overlooked will not be brushed aside or forgotten. little schoolhouse that will soon become issue in American history. That bittersweet will journey commence as soon as President Joe Biden signs into law The Blackwell School National Historic Site Act, which was recently passed in the U.S. House of Representatives, clearing the final Congressional hurdle. Once this landmark legislation is signed into law by the president, a half-acre school campus in that quaint West Texas town will become one of the first national park sites dedicated to interpreting modern Latino history. "The message that Mexican American students received when they stepped through the doors of the Blackwell School was simple: you are second-class citizens," stated Theresa Pierno, president and CEO for The National Parks Conservation Association (NPCA).

it behind. They were threatened with punishments if they disobeyed. The odds were stacked against them, but many Blackwell students persevered and even saw their school as a place of joy," Pierno Senator Alex Padilla of California. recounted.

same students and sent a different message:

and outdated textbooks. They were told challenging conversations about racism to bury their native language and leave across the country. And in an example of rare bipartisan agreement, the final bill was championed by Texas Republican Representative Tony Gonzales and Senator John Cornyn along with Democrat

Pierno acknowledged that NPCA has "Today, Congress stood up for those urged the passage of this vital legislation at every turn. "We are grateful to our leaders you matter, and your powerful stories across the aisle for championing the Instead, America's greatest storyteller, Blackwell School National Historic Site,

Nathan Paulin is, indeed, a daring young man. But, instead of flying through the air "with the greatest of ease... on the flying Trapeze," he prefers tightrope walking for long distances high up in the air. He first made a name for himself when, in 2017, he crossed a 2,198-foot-long rope suspended 230 feet above the River Seine in Paris. This time the adventurous highliner took a breezy 7,218 foot walk nearly 330 feet above Mont Saint Michel in Normandy.

- John Grimaldi

The courage to speak must be matched by the wisdom to listen. — Quips & Quotes

"were given hand-me-down furniture Will Hurd and Filemón Vela amid

visitors from around the world about Latino history," she stated. this little-known chapter of our country's history," Pierno asserted.

NPCA and the Blackwell School Alliance (BSA) have worked for years with West Texas communities and advocates across the country to honor the stories of Mexican American students who were segregated from their white peers and sent to "Mexican schools" across the American Southwest.

The Blackwell School National Historic Site in Marfa, Texas will now protect one of the last remaining "Mexican schools" standing in good condition, ensuring the experiences and history here is never forgotten.

Historic Site Act was first introduced in These beautiful, brown-faced children 2020 by former Texas Representatives

the National Park Service, (will) teach one of the first national park sites to honor

Mario Rivera, Blackwell School alumnus and founding Blackwell School Alliance board member, said, "Having access to education was lifesaving for people in my hometown. Marfa was a poor, rural community. Some of us missed weeks of school to pick cotton or moved back and forth for our families to follow work," he related. "Our teachers taught us, and sometimes disciplined us, too. We played sports, sang in the choir, and looked forward to our junior high graduation, just like they did at the other school across the railroad tracks," he stated.

"With the Blackwell School National Historic Site, we can commemorate how The Blackwell School National far we have come, while also remembering some of the wrongs that happened here in

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### October 20, 2022

# Crime is a legitimate issue

There's been a wave of violent crime the last couple of in Congress right now fighting for what's right." years, and the best way to address the issue is for everyone to pass over it in silence. That's the implication of the liberal pushback against the GOP attacks on Democrats as soft-on-crime in the closing weeks of the midterms.

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The Democrats are running defensive ads and have passed a police-funding measure in the House, but a big element of their case for themselves - as always - is that it is unfair and racist to call them out on crime.

The Washington Post just ran a piece headlined, "GOP strategy elevates clashes over crime, race in midterm battlegrounds." In its own report, The New York Times says the Republican offensive "has swiftly drawn criticism as a return to sometimes deceptive or racially divisive messaging."

Exhibit A is the advertising barrage against Mandela Barnes, the 35-year-old African American lieutenant governor of Wisconsin who is running against the Republican incumbent, Sen. Ron Johnson. The Post relates that allies of Barnes "have derided the attacks as racist messages that feed on stereotypes."

There are a couple of counts against the anti-Barnes ads. One is that they associate him with "The Squad," the group of left-wing congresswomen. But this is hardly dirty pool since Barnes has gladly associated himself with them. He went to an event with Rep. Ilhan Omar in 2019, and said about her in a tweet afterward, "She's exactly who we need

The idea is that it is racist to portray Barnes in an ad with an image of the Squad because all its members are non-white. But what's most notable about The Squad is that it exemplifies out-of-the-mainstream progressive politics. Are attacks on the group supposed to be off limits until it recruits a more diverse membership?

It is also supposedly wrong to depict Barnes' name written in graffiti. This is an attempt, according to one Democratic operative, to "ghettoize him." The case against Barnes isn't that he's a graffiti artist, though; it's that he supports policies that have made the wave of disorder in American cities worse.

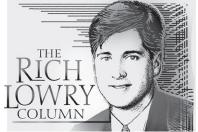
imagery is illegitimate, no Democrats should be able to use footage of violence on January 6 against Republicans.

Finally, there's an ad that calls Barnes "dangerously liberal on crime." But another ad also calls John Fetterman, the Democratic senate candidate in Pennsylvania, "dangerously liberal on crime." Fetterman, it must be observed, is a large, tattooed white man.

Crime isn't a racial issue; it's about affording all Americans, and especially vulnerable communities, the protection they deserve from lawlessness. Obviously, violent crime is not a blight on the lives of upper middleclass white people.

have been Black or Hispanic, according to the Milwaukee Journal-Sentinel's tracker.

In Philadelphia, there have been more than 1,750 shootings



this year. According to the count maintained by the city's office of the controller, 92% of the shooting victims have been Black of Hispanic.

Democrats like Barnes and Fetterman reflect the anti-incarceration ethos that's been ascendant in the Democratic Party for years now, especially in the wake of the killing of George Floyd.

Barnes was on board two of the worst and most Graffiti is a symbol of such disorder. If this sort of destructive public policy ideas in contemporary America. In 2020, when defunding the police was all the rage, Barnes said money could be taken from police departments and given to neighborhood services. He also introduced legislation to end cash bail when he was in the Wisconsin state assembly in 2016.

> He, and other Democrats, have the choice of trying to defend their ideas or to rule out any pointed discussion of them. It tells you all you need to know that they are heavily invested in the latter.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review. (c) 2022 by In Milwaukee, 87% of the victims of homicide this year King Features Synd., Inc.

### Food for thought By John Grimaldi

# The majority of seniors are homebodies at heart

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"Be it ever so humble there concerns can get in the way. is no place like home!" It's of Mature American Citizens (AMAC), it's also the wish of the vast numbers of seniors.

AMAC's CEO, Rebecca Weber, cites a survey conducted by the American Advisors Group maximize (AAG), that shows more than and 90% of the 65-plus segment Financial considerations include of the U.S. population have a strong desire to remain in their own homes rather than make a move to assisted living facilities as they age. But for many seniors of living" at home. aging in place is not as easy as it sounds, says Weber. The cost, Aging (NIA) recently posted a health needs, transportation access

a comforting old ditty. But, that "Survey after survey has according to the Association shown that older Americans overwhelmingly prefer to age in place. But aging in place may require some trade-offs. Staying in a home must be financially sustainable, but it should also physical, social, emotional well-being. maintenance and repair costs and the cost of necessary safety retrofits (grab bars, lifts, ramps,

> comprehensive "how to" guide and personal safety for aging in place. It offers



answers to questions that can The Urban Institute notes arise for seniors considering remaining at home in their golden years. For example, the NIA guide covers such considerations as personal care needs, including health care, day to day household chores, financial issues and companionship if you are living alone. It also provides a list of resources that can help you deal with issues, including financial issues, that may arise. The guide includes an internet link to the USAging website that offers etc.), as well as the general cost assistance for aging folks who choose to remain in their homes The National Institute on rather than relocate to assisted living facilities.

> For those seniors who want to stay at home, there are a variety of resources in addition to USAging they can reach out to for help. Senior News offers this list of helpmates:

• ADA (American Disabilities Act) Paratransit provides transportation for those who cannot use the fixed-route public transit system. Each state has it. If you qualify, they will give door to door service in a small bus. • Law schools offer free legal assistance to low-income seniors. Or contact you local Area on Aging Department, they can refer you to an elder law attorney. • BenefitsCheckUp.org: Quickly find benefit programs that could help you pay for medications, health care, food, and more. All from a reliable and trusted source. • Seniorcare.com/directory - has created over 8000 local senior guides that offer healthcare quality ratings, senior housing options and other resources for aging Americans.

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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 ( V) letter string as each unscrambles into more than one word (ex. VRATHE becomes HATER or EARTH or HEART ). Fit each string's word either across or down to knot all twelve strings together.





#### **By Lucie Winborne**

built as a fortress to repel Vikings.

 In 1887, some men added Susanna Madora Salter of Argonia, Kansas to a mayoral ballot as a prank intended to embarrass and curtail the influence of noticing a year later they'd spelled the Women's Christian Temperance Union, of which she was an officer. Instead, she won over 60% of the vote • A one-eyed yellowtail rockfish at and became America's first female the Vancouver Aquarium was given mayor.

• There is a Fictitious Athlete Hall of Fame. Inductees include Rocky Balboa, Mr. Miyagi and Happy Gilmore.

 One of the oldest recorded tattoo ink recipes consists of Egyptian pine bark, corroded bronze, vinegar, vitriol, leek juice and insect eggs.

not glass, in the tale's original version.

• There is a punctuation mark used to signify irony or sarcasm that looks like a backward question mark.

 Chinese paintings from as far back as 200 B.C. depict people participating in the sport of mountain climbing.

 Olympic medalist Mark Spitz was famed for his mustache in an era when swimmers shaved their bodies to become more hydrodynamic. He once joked to the

Russian team's coach that his mustache helped him swim faster by deflecting water from his mouth and making him more bullet-shaped. The following year, a mustache was sported by every member of the male Russian team.

 The Louvre museum in Paris was first
The first use of the word "Superbowl," credited to a Chinese writer named Lom Ba Di, dates to the third century.

> In 2008, Chile minted 1.5 million 50peso coins with a spelling error, only "CHIIE" instead of "CHILE."

a prosthetic eye by the facility's head veterinarian after being bullied by its fellow fish on its blind side.

 Honeybee venom has been found to destroy some types of cancer cells.

 The shamrock, called the "seamroy" by the Celts, was considered a sacred plant that symbolized the arrival of spring. According to legend, St. Patrick Cinderella's shoes were made of fur, used it as a visual guide when explaining the Holy Trinity. By the 17th century, it had become a symbol of emerging Irish nationalism.

> • It is illegal to enter the House of Parliament while wearing a suit of armor.

> Thought for the Day: "What matters most is how well you walk through the fire."

> > - Charles Bukowski

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• On Oct. 17, 1986, President Ronald Reagan signs into law an act that approves \$100 million in humanitarian and military aid for Nicaraguan Contras with a goal of overthrowing the Sandinista government. Shortly afterward, however, the Iran-Contra scandal was revealed wherein the U.S. deals with Iran and \$30 million were bounced off Constitution's sides. diverted to the Contras.

 On Oct. 18, 1974, singer Al Green is 13 American military personnel are attacked when an ex-girlfriend pours wounded in three terrorist bombings. a pot of hot grits on his back while he During America's official involvement was in the bathtub. Green was left (1964-1973), over 3 million armed with severe injuries but also a spiritual awakening. By 1976, Green had become an ordained Baptist minister and established a Memphis church.

• On Oct. 19, 1931, David Cornwell, known as spy novelist John le Carre, is born in Poole, England. He published his first spy novel, "Call for the Dead," in 1961. The novel, like his second, "A Murder of Quality" (1962), featured spy George Smiley.

• On Oct. 20, 1968, 21-year-old Dick

Fosbury sets an Olympic record at the Mexico City Games when he high-jumps 7 feet, 4 1/4 inches. Fosbury's unique jumping, known as the Fosbury Flop, was described in the press as "a guy falling off the back of a truck."

• On Oct. 21, 1797, the USS Constitution, a 44-gun U.S. Navy frigate, is launched in Boston Harbor. She was built to fight Barbary pirates off the coast of Tripoli and won the nickname "Old Ironsides" during the had sold missiles and arms in secret War of 1812, when British shots merely

> • On Oct. 22, 1957, in Saigon, Vietnam, forces were deployed to Vietnam, resulting in 58,220 deaths.

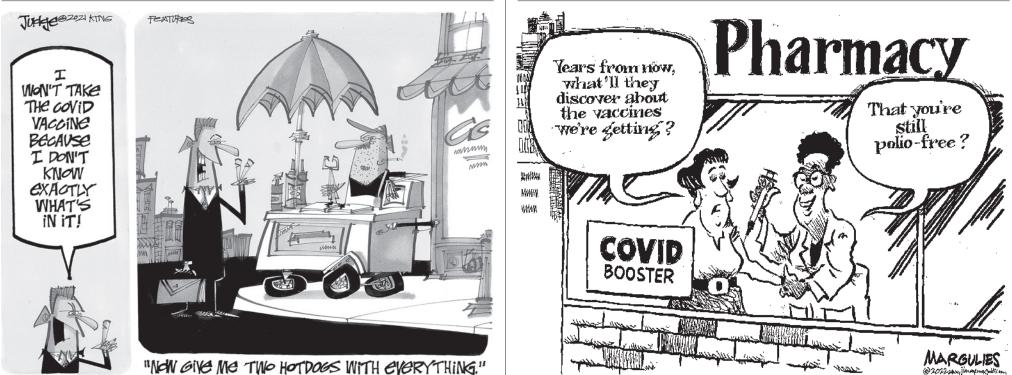
> • On Oct. 23, 2002, nearly 800 people in a Moscow theater are taken hostage by 50 Chechen Army rebels. Russian special forces surrounded the building and pumped in a gas that rendered the terrorists and hostages unconscious. During the subsequent raid, 120 hostages were killed as well as most of the rebels.

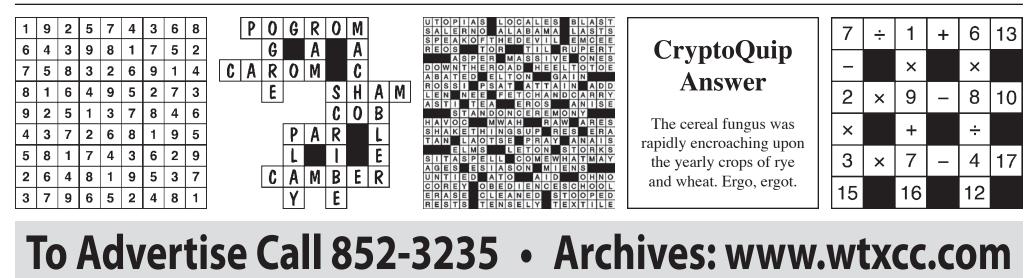
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### Notice of Election – El Paso County Water Control and Improvement District No. 4

To the Registered Voters of the El Paso County Water Control and Improvement District No. 4:

#### Alosvotantesregistrados del El Paso County Water Control and Improvement District No. 4:

The Board of Directors of the El Paso County Water Control and Improvement District No. 4 hereby gives notice of an election to be held on November 8, 2022, for the purpose of electing three (3) Directors to the Board of Directors of the El Paso County Water Control and Improvement District No.4:, all three (3) Director positions are Elected At-Large, by plurality vote, for a four (4) year term.

La Mesa Directiva del El Paso County Water Control and Improvement District No. 4 da aviso que se llevara acabo una elección el día 8 de Noviembre de 2022 con el propósito de elejir tres (3) miembros de la Mesa Directiva del El Paso County Water Control and Improvement District No. 4: los tres (3) puestos de directivo serán elejidos por voto de pluralidad, por un periodo de cuatro (4) anos de duracion.

November 8, 2022 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. On Election Day any El Paso County registered voter is eligible to vote at any El Paso County Vote Center in EXHIBIT 1. Visit https://epcountyvotes.com/ for all locations or changes. SUBJECT TO CHANGE com/ para todas las ubicaciones o cambios. SUJETO A CAMBIO

El Centro de Votación del Condado de El Paso en Fabens el Día de Elecciones es: Rio Valle Women's Club 521 Mike Maros St.

EARLY VOTING Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted at all locations within El Paso County at which Early Voting is conducted by the County Elections Department (EXHIBIT 2) beginning on Monday, October 2022 and ending 24, on Friday, November 4, 2022. For early voting, a voter may vote at any of the locations listed in EXHIBIT 2.

#### **VOTACION ANTICIPADA** Paravotaranticipadamente puede acudir en persona de lunes 24 de octubre 2022 al viernes, 4 de noviembre 2022, a cualquier centro de votaciones inclusive las casillas moviles del Condado de El Paso donde el Departamento de del Elecciones (ANEXO Condado 2) realice votaciones Para anticipadas. Votación Adelantada, los votantes podrán votar en cualquiera de las ubicaciones nombradas en el Anexo 2.

Applications for ballot by

*de octobre de 2022.* Issued this 1st day of September of 2022.

Emitda esta 1 dia de septiembre de 2022.

Patty Cruz Presiding Officer Oficial que Preside

### EXHIBIT 1 / ANEXO 1

Zip Code: 79821

Anthony City Hall 401 Wildcat Dr.

**El Paso County Northwest Annex** 435 E. Vinton Rd.

Zip Code: 79835

Canutillo Middle School 7311 Bosque Rd.

**Canutillo Elementary School** 651 Canutillo Ave.

Zip Code: 79836 Clint ISD Early College Academy

13100 Alameda Ave.

Zip Code: 79838

**Rio Valle Woman's Club** 521 Mike Maros St.

Zip Code: 79849

San Elizario Fire Rescue 1415 San Antonio St.

Zip Code: 79853 W.E. Neill

**Community Center** 19210 Cobb Ave.

Zip Code: 79901

El Paso Tennis Club 2510 N. St. Vrain St.

UTEP - Mike Loya Academic Services Building 601 W. Schuster Ave. (79968)

Zip Code: 79903

Fire Station #7 3200 Pershing Dr.

Cross of Grace Church

4700 Leeds Ave. Safety and Health

**Outreach Center** 5415 Trowbridge Dr.

Zip Code: 79904

Magoffin Middle School 4931 Hercules Ave.

Nations Tobin Sports Center 8831 Railroad Dr.

Logan Elementary School 3200 Ellerthorpe Ave.

Park Elementary School 3601 Edgar Park Ave.

Fire Station #16 3828 Hercules Ave.

Zip Code: 79905

**Bowie High School** 801 S. San Marcial St.

**El Paso County Coliseum** 4100 E. Paisano Dr.

Hawkins Elementary School Alicia R. Chacon International School (Formerly LeBarron Park Elementary School) 920 Burgundy Dr.

Zip Code: 79911

**Congressman Silvestre** & Carolina Reyes School 7440 Northern Pass Dr.

Zip Code: 79912

Sunland Park Mall 750 Sunland Park Dr.

**Brown Middle School** 7820 Helen of Troy Dr.

**Dorris Van Doren Library** 551 Redd Rd.

**Tippin Elementary School** 6541 Bear Ridge Dr.

**Fire Station #27** 6767 Ojo De Agua Dr.

Rosa Guerrero Elementary School 7530 Lakehurst Rd.

YWCA - West 313 Bartlett Dr.

**Carlos Rivera Elementary School** 6445 Escondido Dr.

Western Hills U.M.C - Stewart Family Life Center A 524 Thunderbird Dr.

**Dr. Green Elementary School** 5430 Buckley Dr.

Putnam Elementary School **Bel Air Middle School** 7909 Ranchland Dr.

Officer David Ortiz Recreation Center 563 N. Carolina Dr.

**Transition To Life Career Center** 7988 Alameda Ave.

Zip Code: 79922

Fire Station #15 115 Shorty Ln.

Zach White Elementary School 4256 Roxbury Dr.

### Zip Code: 79924

**Desertaire Elementary School** 6301 Tiger Eye Dr.

**Bowling Family YMCA** 5509 Will Ruth Ave.

Dr. Joseph E. Torres Elementary School (Formerly Bradley Elementary School) 10700 Rushing Rd.

H.E. Charles Middle School 4909 Trojan Dr.

Arlington Park Shelter 10350 Pasadena Cir.

Newman Elementary School 10275 Alcan St.

Parkland High School 5932 Quail Ave.

Whitaker Elementary School

The El Paso County Vote Center in Fabens on Election Day is: Rio Valle Women's Club 521 Mike Maros St.

DIA de ELECCION 8 de noviembre el 2022 7:00 a.m. a 7:00 p.m. El día de las elecciones, cualquier votante registrado en el condado de El Paso es elegible para votar en cualquier Centro de Votación del Condado de El Paso en ANEXO 1. Visite https://epcountyvotes. mail should be mailed to:

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán enviarse a:

Lisa Wise El Paso County Elections Department 500 E. San Antonio, #314 El Paso, Texas 79901

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on October 28, 2022.

Las solicitudes para votar por correo deberán recibirse antes del término de horas hábiles el día 28 **Enrique Moreno County Courthouse** 500 E. San Antonio Ave.

South El Paso Senior Citizen Center 600 S. Ochoa St.

Zip Code: 79902 El Paso Community College - Rio Grande Campus 906 El Paso St.

**Fire Station #3** 721 E. Rio Grande Ave.

LamarElementarySchool 1440 E. Cliff Dr.

Mesita Elementary School 3307 N. Stanton St. 5816 Stephenson Ave.

**ClardyElementarySchool** 5508 Delta Dr.

El Paso County Ascarate Annex 301 Manny Martinez Dr.

Zip Code: 79907

Loma Terrace Elementary Schoolr 8200 Ryland Dr.

**YWCA - Lower Valley** 115 Davis Dr.

**Ysleta Community** Learning Center 121 Padres Dr.

Lancaster Elementary School 9230 Elgin Dr. 6508 Fiesta Dr.

**Polk Elementary School** 940 Belvidere St.

Zip Code: 79915 El Paso Community College - Valle Verde 919 Hunter Dr.

**Del Norte Heights Elementary School** 1800 Winslow Rd.

Ramona Elementary School 351 Nichols Rd.

**Riverside High School** 301 Midway Dr.

**Ysleta Pre-K Center** 7940 Craddock Ave. 4700 Rutherford Dr.

Coach Archie Duran Elementary School (Formerly Dowell Elementary School) 5249 Bastille Ave.

Zip Code: 79925

Fire Station #20 8301 Edgemere Blvd.

Cielo Vista Elementary School 9000 Basil Ct.

Edgemere Elementary School 10300 Edgemere Blvd.

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· Necklace chains that have turned

shampoo mixed in. Also, keep your old sprinkle salt on them before vacuuming. It seems like when I get inside a usedpair if one gets lost! – M.F. in Washington

· To clean the glass inside your oven glass stovetop. - V.P. in Florida

• Use cold, salted water to defrost a chicken for roasting. You will have Kansas

earring backs – they might fit a different I use a cleaned out Parmesan cheese container for this. It works very well. -J.K. in Pennsylvania

door, use the stovetop cleaner for your . Save plastic lidded containers from the kitchen. Cover with colorful duct tape, and they can be used as storage or even as . Disposable razors can be used to gift wrapping.

very flavorful and moist meat. – E.D. in • Sprinkle baby powder in dish gloves to reach of children. – O.D. in Tennessee help them slide on in an instant.

dark due to oils in your skin can be • To freshen the color of carpets (and • "I love old books, and there are always Drive, Orlando, FL 32803. (c) 2022 King

book store, I forget everything. So I made a card that I keep in my wallet and on it I list all the authors or titles I am after. This way, I have it handy all the time." - C.D. in Florida

remove burrs from sweaters or wool slacks. Just be sure to keep it out of the

Send your tips to Now Here's a Tip, 628 Virginia

### washed in warm water with a dab of destroy moth larvae or flea eggs), liberally a few I am looking for that are out of print. Features Synd., Inc.

### Aviso de Elección – El Paso County Water Control and Improvement District No. 4

**El Paso County** 

**Northwest Annex** 

435 E. Vinton Rd.

Community Room

**Clint ISD Early** 

Library

Library

**College Academy** 

13100 Alameda Ave.

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

1331 N. Fabens St.

9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

1415 San Antonio St.

9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

**Community Center** 

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Zip Code: 79901

500 E. San Antonio Ave.

Third Floor, Back Lobby

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Mon., Oct. 31 - Fri., Nov. 4:

Saturday, Oct. 29:

Sunday, Oct. 30:

Mon., Oct. 24 - Fri., Oct. 28:

19210 Cobb Ave.

Enrique Moreno

**Court House** 

Meeting Room

W.E. Neill

Library

79901

Zip Code: 79838

**Rogelio Sanchez Center** 

Zip Code: 79849

San Elizario Fire Rescue

Zip Code: 79853

8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Zip Code: 79836

Eastwood High School 2430 McRae Blvd.

**YISD Central Office** 9600 Sims Dr.

**Eastwood Heights Elementary School** 10530 Janway Dr.

**Gary Del Palacio Recreation Center** 3001 Parkwood St.

**Ross Middle School** 6101 Hughey Cir.

**Bassett Place** 6101 Gateway West Zip Code: 79927

Western Technical College 9624 Plaza Cir.

El Paso Community **College - Mission Del** Paso 10700 Gateway Blvd E.

H.D. Hilley **Elementary School** 693 N. Rio. Vista Rd.

**Chayo Apodaca Community Center** 341 N. Moon Rd.

Robert R. Rojas **Elementary School** 500 Bauman Rd.

**Escontrias Elementary** School 205 Buford Rd.

**Campestre Elementary** School 11399 Socorro Rd.

**Carroll T. Welch Elementary School** 14510 Mc Mahon Ave.

Zip Code: 79930

**Center for Career and Technology Education** 1170 N. Walnut St.

**Travis Elementary** School 5000 N. Stevens St.

Paul C. Moreno **Elementary School** 2300 San Diego Ave.

**Memorial Park Senor Citizen Center** 1800 Byron St.

**Austin High School** 3500 Memphis Ave.

Zip Code: 79932 Fire Station #2 111 E. Borderland Rd.

**Community Connections** Center 5300 Warriors Dr.

Zip Code: 79934

Dr. Nixon **Elementary School** 11141 Loma Roja Dr.

Zip Code: 79935

Fred & Maria Loya **Family YMCA** 2044 Trawood Dr.

Zip Code: 79936 **Pebble Hills** 

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**Benito Martinez Elementary School** 2640 Robert Wynn St.

**Helen Ball Elementary School** 1950 Firehouse Dr.

O'Shea Keleher **Elementary School** 1800 Leroy Bonse Dr.

**Marty Robbins Recreation Center** 11620 Vista Del Sol Dr.

Sierra Vista **Elementary School** 1501 Bob Hope Dr.

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Lujan-Chavez **Elementary School** 2200 Sun Country Dr.

**Pebble Hills High School** 14400 Pebble Hills Blvd.

**Red Sands Elementary School** 4250 O'Shea Rd.

Montana Vista **Elementary School** 3550 Mark Jason Dr.

7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. **EXHIBIT 2** LOCATION, DATES AND HOURS OF OPERATION OF POLLING PLACES FOR EARLY VOTING:

4430 Maxwell Ave. Classroom 2 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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El Paso County Coliseum 4100 E. Paisano Dr. VIP Room 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Zip Code: 79907

Ysleta Community Learning Center 121 Padres Dr. Annex 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Zip Code: 79912

**Dorris Van Doren Library** 551 Redd Rd. Auditorium 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Sunland Park Mall 750 Sunland Park Dr. 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

YWCA-West 313 Bartlett Dr. Program Offices Room 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

#### Zip Code: 79915

Officer David Ortiz **Recreation Center** 563 N. Carolina Dr. Classroom A 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

#### Zip Code: 79924

Arlington Park Shelter 10350 Pasadena Cir. 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

**Bowling Family YMCA** 5509 Will Ruth Ave. VIP Room

**Community Center** 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

#### Zip Code: 79928

**Eastlake High School** 13000 Emerald Pass Ave. Theatre Lobby 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

El Paso County **Self-Help Center** 15371 Kentwood Ave. Computer Room 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

**Oz Glaze Senior Center** 13969 Veny Webb Drive Main Room 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Zip Code: 79932

**Canutillo ISD Administration Facility** 7965 Artcraft Rd. **Culinary Room** 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

#### Zip Code: 79936

**Commissioner's Corner** 10700 Montana Ave. Community Room 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

El Paso County **Eastside Annex** 2350 George Dieter Dr. **Community Room** 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

**Marty Robbins Recreation Center** 11600 Vista Del Sol Drive Lobby 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Zip Code: 79938

Esperanza Acosta **Moreno Library** 

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**KEYS Academy** 12380 Pine Springs Dr.

**Desert Hills Elementary School** 300 N. Kenazo Dr.

**Desert Wind K-8 School** 1100 Colina De Paz Dr.

**Horizon Heights Elementary School** 13601 Ryderwood Ave.

Dr. Sue A. Shook **Elementary School** 13777 Paseo Del Este Blvd.

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**Tierra Del Sol Elementary School** 1832 Tommy Aaron Dr.

Hanks Middle School (Formerly Indian Ridge Middle School) 11201 Pebble Hills Blvd.

**ESC Region 19 Head Start Multipurpose Center** 11670 Chito Samaniego Dr.

Jane Hambric K-8 School 3535 Nolan Richardson Dr.

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October 24 to 28, 2022 (Mon. - Fri.) **Hours Listed** 

October 29 and 30, 2022 (Sat. and Sun.) 12 (noon) - 5 p.m.

Oct. 31 to Nov. 4, 2022 (Mon. and Tues.) **Hours Listed** 

Zip Code: 79821

South El Paso **Senior Citizens Center** 600 S. Ochoa St. 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Zip Code: 79904 **Nations Tobin Sports Center** 8831 Railroad Dr. Conference Room 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Mountain View-Rae **Gilmore Recreation** Center 8501 Diana Dr. Multipurpose Room Mon., Oct. 24 - Fri., Oct. 28: 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Mon., Oct. 31 - Fri., Nov. 4: 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Wellington Chew **Senior Center** 

9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Zip Code: 79925

**Bassett Place** 6101 Gateway West 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

**EPCC Administrative** 

Services Center 9050 Viscount Blvd. 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Gary Del Palacio **Recreation Center** 3001 Parkwood St. Multipurpose Room 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Zip Code: 79927

Chayo Apodaca **Community Center** 341 N. Moon Rd.

12480 Pebble Hills Blvd. Meeting Room 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

**Gonzalez Place** 4101 Rich Beem Blvd. **Community Room** 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Pebble Hills High School 14400 Pebble Hills Blvd.

Auditorium Foyer 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Zip Code: 79968

**UTEP – Union Building East** 351 W. University Ave. **Cactus Flower** Room 102C 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m..

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# Once again, UTEP to open season with a brand new team

By Steve Escajeda Special to the Courier

It may be hard to believe but the UTEP basketball season is just three weeks away from tipping off. This will be coach Joe Golding's second year at the helm and all Miners fans are hoping his team can keep the 20-win seasons going.

The coach defied all the odds by leading UTEP to a successful season in 2021 even after the Miners lost their best player, Bryson Williams, who transferred to Texas Tech.

Because the team won 20 games a year ago, it's a no-brainer that they'll do even nearly a whole roster of new players to College who advanced to the semifinals better this time around, right?

Well... who knows?

how to coach all of a sudden; it's that 13 Merrick; sophomores Derick Hamilton, points and 5.6 rebounds per game,

played a single second for the Miners.

Sibley, Ze'rik Onyema and Kevin Kalu are returning. And of the three, Sibley averaged the most minutes of playing time per game at 20, which is just half the game.

Sibley averaged 5.3 points per game while Onyema averaged 2.0 and Kalu 1.5.

So to say that Golding is going to need his new troops to come through is a contribute right away are as follows: colossal understatement.

But who are these new guys?

bring together in 2022-23.

It's not that Joe Golding has forgotten Sumlin, Antwonne Holmes and Milos 205-pound forward averaged 11.3

Otis Frazier III; juniors Jon Dos Anjos, from beyond-the-arc. That's right, only three players, Jamari Tae Hardy, Malik Zachery, Mario McKinney Jr., and Calvin Solomon; who transferred to UTEP from Conference the lone senior on the team is Shamar USA rival Southern Mississippi. The Givance.

> Like any gathering of new people, this team is going to have some growing pains. It'll take a few games for them to get to know one another and trust what the other does well.

Jon Dos Anjos is a Brazilian native who was a two-time first-team all-league Like I said earlier, the Miners have performer for Florida SouthWestern of the FCSAA State Tournament in The 13 new guys are freshmen Jamal both 2020-21 and 2021-22. The 6-8,

of the 16 players on his roster have never Carlos Lemus, Garrett Levesque and including shooting 39.6 percent (38-96)

The Miners already know Tae Hardy, 6-3 guard averaged 13.7 points in seven games a year ago before missing the rest of the season with an injury. The year before that, he averaged 11.0 points while starting 22 of 23 games.

Shamar Givance played four years at Of the 13, players who are expected to Evansville before transferring to UTEP this season. The 5-10 point guard was a 2021 All-MVC second-team honoree and also earned a spot on the 2021 Most Improved Team. He led Evansville in scoring (13.7), assists (3.9) and steals (1.5) last season.

> Calvin Solomon, the 6-7 forward who transferred to Stephen F. Austin, averaged 9.3 points, 5.8 rebounds, 1.9 assists, 1.7 steals and 1.0 block while starting all 32 games played in 2021-22. He reached double figures in scoring in 16 games and blocked multiple shots in 10 games.

Of course there will be other players who will emerge as big time contributors for this team. But whether one guy scores well and another can pass and another pulls down a ton of rebounds, every single player on the team is going to have to play in-your-face defense.

Under Golding, if they aren't willing to do that, they're going to have to get used to sitting on the bench.

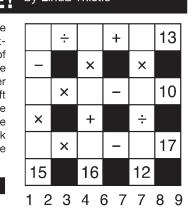
And just like when Don Haskins was coaching the team, if you play good defense, your team will always be in the game even if they're having a tough shooting night.

It will take the fans a little time to get used to all the new faces. But seeing these guys develop should be fun and eventually, they'll start to get it right.

This team will be thrown into the fire right away. They open the season at Texas, when the Longhorns play their first game in their new Moody Center arena.

How about that for an opening game?

Last year was great for Golding, but this is when his tenure at UTEP really begins.



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have to appreciate MIT especially. They make course material for their 2,600 classes "available on the web, free of charge, to any user anywhere in the world."

Most of these open courseware classes are self-paced (do them when you want after downloading the lecture). Most don't get you a certificate or a degree, but then most don't cost anything either. Beware, of course, scammers who'd like to take your personal information and charge you for a class that's actually free and doesn't require you to sign up. Your best bet, until you're familiar with open courseware, is to stick to the big-name universities.

For a three-minute video showing an explanation of MIT's open courseware, see www.youtube.com/watch?v=ICa\_4xUr8BA.

Read the fine print on the website as you hunt for a class. Read the syllabus (description of the course) and the list of texts to be used. If you're required to read books, see if they're free to download online. (Some of the material downloads are huge.) Pay attention to the estimated time commitment for the course you want to take.

If you definitely want to attend in-person college but need financial help, see www.aseniorcitizenguideforcollege.com. Click on "Find Your State Tuition Waivers" and see if any in your state are covered. Some colleges will have a link to an application for a tuition waiver for seniors; some will just have a website and phone number to call for information.

Note: The Great Courses (www.thegreatcourses.com) are not open courseware and will cost money.

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### **Super Crossword**

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**Free college courses** In an attempt to keep brain cells active this winter, I have signed up for a college course. The good news is that it's all

Senior moment By Matilda Charles

online and it's free. The other good news is that it's sponsored by a major university. It's called Open Courseware, and I found my class on the

internet. Yale, Harvard, MIT, Stanford and many others have "massive open online courses," also known as MOOCs, and their main purpose is to provide learning opportunities. You

### GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

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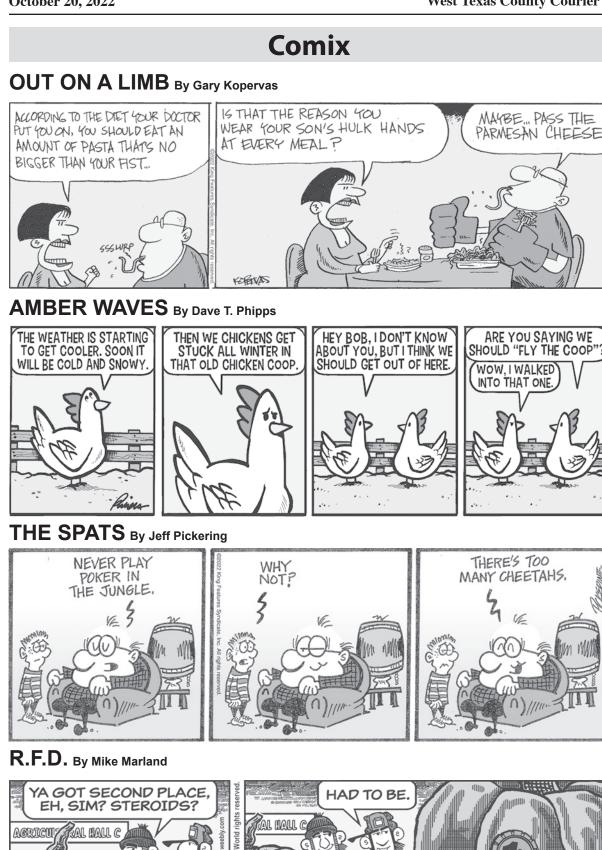
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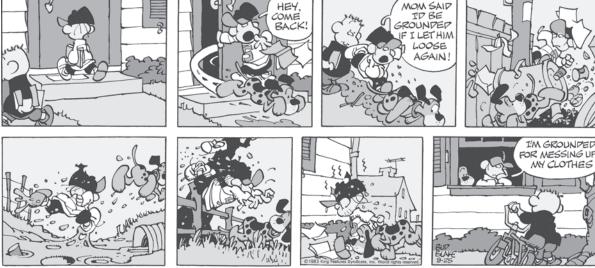
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## Herbal product may help soothe symptoms

DEAR DR. ROACH: I have had gastroparesis for many years. About two years ago, it led to small intestinal bacterial overgrowth

(which I once read about in your column). I worked with a dietician for several months. One of the treatments she suggested was an herbal product called Iberogast. The combination of herbs helps the stomach to empty quicker. I use it each night before bed (as part of a 12-hour fast), or whenever I have overeaten and feel bad. It has been most



helpful for me. Iberogast is available online. – L.E.

Iberogast is a combination of nine medicinal plant extracts. Studies in Germany and Austria, where it is most commonly used, have shown the medication to be more effective than the placebo (and about as effective as one common prescription medication) in the treatment of functional dyspepsia and irritable bowel disease. The medication has generally been regarded as safe, but there are rare cases of liver injury associated with this medication, with at least one of which eventually requiring a liver transplantation.

All medications - whether prescription or over-the-counter, natural or synthetic - have the potential for harm. Iberogast is pretty safe, with just a handful of bad outcomes in its 50 years of use, involving millions of doses, but it can still cause rare and severe adverse effects. Iberogast is worth considering in people whose symptoms have not been successfully treated with other therapies.

DEAR DR. ROACH: I've heard a lot about fat-removing procedures, such as CoolSculpting and red light therapy, and I'm wondering if they really work. What is your opinion on these products? - Anon.

The most important point here is that these are procedures designed to improve a person's appearance, and they do little or nothing to improve physical health. They do not cause people to lose significant weight, and removal of the superficial fat right below the skin does not improve diabetes or heart risk factors. The benefits are purely cosmetic.

CoolSculpting is the brand name of a system that freezes and damages fat cells. Red light therapy, also called "cool laser" or "low-level laser therapy," damages the fat cells without having to make incisions, such as for liposuction. There are other technologies used, such as focused ultrasound and electrical pulse devices, among others.

Trials on CoolSculpting showed that 86% of people saw improvement in cosmetically important areas. The laser treatment is not as well-studied. An early trial found that 70% of people treated with laser were satisfied, compared to 26% of those treated with a "sham" device that had no laser, just red lights. The device did show some slimming effects on the hips, thighs and waist.

Unfortunately, not everyone has a good response to these therapies. Several people, including a famous model, have sued

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Marfa. The lessons taught here can help us understand discrimination and its partners have taken up the and racism, and better equip us to fight back against those forces in the present," Rivera added.

NPCA has been the leading the era of segregated Hispanic voice in safeguarding America's national parks. NPCA and its more than 1.5 million members historically, and educationally for

protect and preserve this nation's most iconic and inspirational places for future generations. According to its website, BSA chargeforpreserving and restoring historic resources associated with the Blackwell School; Since 1919, the nonpartisan interpreting and commemorating

education; and serving the Marfa,

Texas, community culturally,

and supporters work together to the benefit of all Marfa residents and visitors, now and into the future. Visit BSA's website, at www.theblackwellschool.org, or NPCA's website, at www.npca. org for more information.

the manufacturers due to an uncommon adverse effect of the procedure, called paradoxical adipose hyperplasia, where the fat cells, instead of dying, grow and become hard - and may not even be removable with surgery. Again, these noninvasive procedures really do work to improve appearance for most people, but do not improve overall health. And, they have the potential for significant cosmetic side effects, even if it is only rarely.

Dr. Roach regrets that he is unable to answer individual questions, but will incorporate them in the column whenever possible. Readers may email questions to ToYourGoodHealth@med.cornell.edu. (c) 2022 North America Synd., Inc. All Rights Reserved.

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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: T equals C

RVL TLULDP OKHIKB XDB UDEACPW LHTUNDTVAHI KENH RVL WLDUPW TUNEB NO UWL DHC XVLDR. LUIN, LUINR.

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# Weekly SUDOKU

### by Linda Thistle

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# **Extension for debt** hardship relief period



### by Freddy Groves

If you owe benefit debts to the Department of Veterans Affairs, your hardship relief on Sept. 30, has been extended to Dec. 31.

include those for education, disability compensation and non-service pension, and you might have been approved for either a waiver, a compromise suspension of debt.

can be the result of a clerical fail to verify dependents or error, the veteran not being able to understand the paperwork or you have the canceled checks a letter being lost in the mail. to show that you actually paid? Worse is when the error occurred Find out what's wrong. when the veteran didn't see the fine print and suddenly started of steps over the years to help receiving collection bills for debts he didn't know he owed.

By now you might have co-pays from April 2020 period, previously set to expire received a letter from the VA, if to September 2021. They you have been making payments. changed the income to qualify Don't be afraid to open that letter. for relief. They took away the Those types of debts can It's likely extension information for you. Consider using it to apply for a hardship extension deal: They cut nearly all the that will carry you to the end of reports to credit agencies for the year.

If you ever received an a big impact on your future or an extended repayment overpayment and were told you credit score. plan, as well as the hardship have to pay it back, give them a call at 800-827-0648. If the money These debts impact half a you owe results from either a

million veterans and sometimes pharmacy co-payment or medical

care debt, instead call 866-400-1238 and talk to them.

Get to the bottom of the actual source of the debt. Did a clerk make a mistake? Did you write in a wrong number? Do

The VA has taken a number veterans saddled with VArelated debt. They canceled Financial Status Report for hardship eligibility. And, a big medical debt. That can have

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## **Socorro ISD earns Texas Art Education Association District of Distinction award**

**By Christy Flores-Jones** Special to the Courier

The Socorro Independent School District (SISD) has been named a 2022 TAEA District of Distinction by the Texas Art Education Association for the second consecutive year.

SISD was one of 59 school districts from across the state to win the 2022 District of Distinction Award, making it part of the top five percent of art education programs in Texas.

The award honors school districts that are leading the way in the visual arts. SISD received the honor for providing a well-rounded education that advocates and integrates visual arts curriculum to inspire creativity and build social emotional learning that connects learners to their community and beyond.

"We are honored to once again receive the District of Distinction Award from TAEA for the testament to the hard work of our art teachers to Conference General Assembly Nov. 10.

ensure that all our students receive a high-quality art education. We are thrilled that our students? talents are being recognized at the state level and this recognition is commensurate of our students? achievements."

This year, more than 1,200 districts were eligible to apply for the District of Distinction award, with each district submitting documentation from a 14-point rubric on criteria they met over the 2021-2022 school year.

The TAEA Administration and Supervision Division recognizes districts with outstanding leadership in promoting the arts in their district and community, identifies districts that are actively participating members in areas such as regional and statewide Visual Arts Scholastic Events, and considers field experiences, community service, and community exhibitions as part of the rigorous rubric for the award.

Winning districts will be honored at the TAEA second year in a row," said Armando Martinez, Administration & Supervision Division meeting director of SISD fine arts. "This recognition is a and General Session during the TAEA Fall



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