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NEWS BRIEFS

Clerk of Court to host job fair

The Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller will host a one-day job fair on Wednesday, Nov. 3. The job fair will be at the Citrus County Courthouse, 110 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness, in the BOCC Chambers from 8 to 9 a.m., 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 4 to 5 p.m. All applicants will be interviewed on site.

The office is looking to fill positions in court services, business analyst, customer service and official records.

Interested candidates should attend in business casual attire. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, all attendees are encouraged to wear a mask, and will be socially distanced. Bring a résumé with you, and complete the preliminary application online (citrusclerk.org/jobs) before arriving.

Celebrate the US Marine Corps birthday Nov. 10

The Arnold Vern Allen American Legion Post 166 will host a celebration for the 246th birthday of the U.S. Marine Corps from 3 to 6 p.m. Nov. 10, 4520 S. Suncoast Blvd. in Homosassa.

All Marine veterans are invited to share their stories, enjoy appetizers and a special cake with their fellow veterans.

Floral City Heritage Council to meet

The fall quarterly meeting of the Floral City Heritage Council will be held at 7 p.m. Oct. 26 at the Floral City Community House in the town center, 8370 E. Orange Ave.

Light refreshments will be provided by the council. Members, visitors and curious residents are welcome to attend using distancing and masking in consideration of fellow attendees.

This is also the last membership meeting before the Citrus County Walk Aware for Alzheimer's event at 8 a.m. Nov. 13.

This meeting will be the first for the new leadership of the council with Terri Hartman, chair; Laura Hennings, vice-chair; Paulette Ritchie, recording secretary; and Janie Stewart, finance officer.

The steering committee composition is open to members-in-good-standing who wish to attend the board meetings. Board meetings are at 5:30 p.m. two Tuesdays before the quarterly meetings at the Floral City Heritage Museum, 8394 E. Orange Ave.

For more information, call 352-419-4257, email ther-fchc@hotmail.com or visit floralcityhc.org.

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Man faces bribery charges

Inverness resident allegedly tried to pay off fire chief to ignore haunted house

BUSTER THOMPSON Staff writer

An Inverness man faces accusations he tried to pay off the city's fire chief to ignore his unsafe and unlawful haunted house.

Citrus County Sheriff's Office authorities booked 24-year-old Paul John Catucci into the county jail Oct. 20 under a charge of

bribing a public servant, according to court and arrest records obtained Monday, Oct. 25.

According to Catucci's arrest report, two sheriff's office deputies assisted Inverness Fire Department Chief Steve Marfongella and a city's building official on Oct. 20 with



Paul Catucci

inspecting an "unpermitted" haunted house at a residence off of Jones Avenue.

City Manager Eric Williams told the Chronicle on Monday that Catucci had built a tent-and-plywood structure "a few thousand square feet" in size on his parents' homestead.

Neighbors later reported it, Williams said.

Williams said Catucci admitted to taking donations for admissions into the haunted house, and to hosting roughly 100 people there the weekend before his arrest.

Along with being a business on a residential property without a variance or other exception, the haunted house

exposed people to dangerous structural and electrical conditions, like haphazard wires and cords in proximity to open fuel cans.

"There's a multifaceted issue there," Williams said, adding city staff deemed the building in violation of safety and zoning regulations.

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Teacher earns national accolade



MATTHEW BECK/Chronicle

Danielle Doherty-Koch works with students Monday, Oct. 25, in a medical interventions class at Crystal River High School. Doherty-Koch was recently selected as a national teacher of the year in high school biomedical studies.

CRHS instructor tapped for recognition for work in STEM education

HANNAH SACHEWICZ Staff writer

Everyone can see that Crystal River High School teacher Danielle Doherty-Koch is her students' number one fan and biggest cheerleader.

Most recently, she was named the Robert and Patricia Kern Project Lead the Way (PLTW) National Teacher of the Year.

According to PLTW, the award honors individuals who demonstrate strong alignment to their mission: exceptional commitment to students, school leadership and evidence of meaningful involvement in PLTW curriculum, assessment and professional development.

At Doherty-Koch's award ceremony Oct. 20, CRHS principal Phillip McLeod said she's one of the reasons

why their Academy of Health and Careers is such a success.

"I know she takes true pleasure in that work," McLeod said. "Her students love her and she loves her students."

This year marks Doherty-Koch's 10th year as a teacher. She instructs three of the biomedical classes at the academy, including human body systems, medical interventions and biomedical

innovations.

The academy uses STEM curriculum from PLTW, a national non-profit organization that develops it for use by U.S. elementary, middle and high schools.

Vince Bertram, PLTW president, flew all the way from Los Angeles to present Doherty-Koch with her award. He told students one of his biggest regrets was not telling his teachers how much of a difference they made in his life.

"Don't make that mistake," Bertram said.

Bertram said he always asks students what made the difference for them. He said they never tell him about their algebra class.

"They tell me about their teachers," Bertram said.

"That's what you have here," he said, pointing to Doherty-Koch.

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County goes from record heat to season's first cooldown

MICHAEL D. BATES Staff writer

Mother Nature likes to tease us, and she was up to her old tricks this past weekend.

Only last week, Citrus County experienced a welcome spell of cooler weather. Cooler is defined as mid-80s for us.

But Saturday and Sunday, Citrus had temperatures near 90 and a 35-year record was shattered around Tampa, the National Weather Service (NWS) said.

Relief is on the way.

Starting Tuesday, the temperatures will drop steadily every day until we will be at 75 for a high Friday. Saturday should be picture-perfect with a high of 72 under sunny skies.

"It's definitely going to be our first real cooldown of the season," NWS meteorologist Paul Close said.

The tropics have been behaving the last month.

A non-tropical low pressure system is forecast to form off the coast of the eastern U.S. over the next couple days, according to Bryan Williams, meteorologist with the Florida Forest Service.

By the end of the week, it could gain tropical or subtropical characteristics while it moves eastward and away from Florida, he said.

The National Hurricane Center is giving this system a near zero chance to develop over the next 48 hours and a medium (40%) chance over the next five days.

The Atlantic hurricane season ends Nov. 30.

Contact Chronicle reporter Michael D. Bates at 352-563-3205 or mbates@chronicleonline.com. To see more of his stories, visit tinyurl.com/y6kb23vv.

Dispute over US 98 median still not settled

MICHAEL D. BATES Staff writer

Two weeks ago, county commissioners told the directors of the Sugar Mill Woods Oak Village Homeowners Association (HOA) to honor their commitment to maintain the U.S. 98 median in front of their development or face the consequences.

Still no word from the HOA.

County Administrator Randy Oliver said Monday the county attorney's office is preparing a letter to be sent to the homeowners association, but doesn't believe it has been sent yet.

"We haven't heard anything more on it," Commissioner Jeff Kinnard said. "I would assume that their homeowners association is meeting to decide how to proceed."

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*For the* **RECORD**

**Citrus County Sheriff's Office**

**Burglaries, thefts and vandalisms**

Here are the reported burglaries, thefts and vandalisms (criminal mischiefs) released Monday, Oct. 25, by the Citrus County Sheriff's Office:

- Theft, 10:36 a.m. Oct. 22, off of Norvell Bryant Highway, Lecanto.
- Criminal mischief, 4:24 p.m. Oct. 22, off of Summerwood Point, Inverness.

- Auto theft, 4:33 p.m. Oct. 22, off of Fifth Street, Crystal River.
- Auto theft, 1:07 a.m. Oct. 23, off of Prices Point, Homosassa.
- Theft, 3:14 p.m. Oct. 23, off of Main Street, Inverness.
- Theft, 3:25 p.m. Oct. 23, off of Suncoast Boulevard, Homosassa.
- Theft, 4:34 p.m. Oct. 23, off of Suncoast Boulevard, Homosassa.
- Theft, 6:13 p.m. Oct. 23, off of Mary Ellen Terrace, Homosassa.
- Criminal mischief, 10:15

- p.m. Oct. 23, off of Suncoast Boulevard, Crystal River.
  - Theft, 4:19 p.m. Oct. 24, off of Forest Ridge Boulevard, Hernando.
  - Criminal mischief, 9:23 a.m. Oct. 25, off of Florida Avenue, Hernando.
- Those with information about these offenses could be eligible for a cash reward by contacting Citrus County Crime Stoppers at 888-269-8477. Tipsters remain anonymous.
- Tips can also be reported to the sheriff's office by calling the agency's non-emergency line, 352-249-2790.

**BRIBERY**

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While Marfongella on Oct. 20 was addressing the violations with Catucci's parents, the arrest report states, Catucci asked the pair of nearby deputies, "if I give the fire chief \$5,000, would he just walk away?"

"No!" one deputy replied. "That won't fix the problem."

Minutes later, according to Williams and the arrest report, Catucci went into a vehicle and pulled out around \$7,000 from its center console.

Catucci then walked over to Marfongella, threw the cash in front of the chief and asked, within earshot of the deputies, "if I drop this on the ground and you find it, will you just walk away like this never happened?"

After his arrest, Catucci

posted bail on a \$5,000 bond. He's scheduled to be arraigned on his second-degree felony Nov. 1. If convicted, Catucci could be sentenced to up to 15 years in prison.

Williams said Catucci has been dismantling the haunted house since his release from jail.

Contact Chronicle reporter Buster Thompson at 352-564-2916, [bthompson@chronicleonline.com](mailto:bthompson@chronicleonline.com) or visit [tinyurl.com/yxn2ahso](http://tinyurl.com/yxn2ahso) to see more of his stories.

**MEDIAN**

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The Chronicle on Monday called and left a message for David Quinn, Oak Village HOA president, and was told Quinn had no comment.

Quinn asked county commissioners at their last meeting why Oak Village should pay because the plants in the median look terrible and most of the newly planted growth is dead.

Meanwhile the median that covers roughly a mile by Oak Village is getting overgrown with weeds and grass, Kinnard said.

Kinnard said the matter could come up for discussion at the Tuesday, Oct. 26 commission meeting, which begins at 1 p.m. at the Citrus County Courthouse, 110 N. Apopka

Ave., Inverness.

At commissioners' last meeting, Kinnard suggested the county try to help out the Oak Village homeowners.

"It is a beautification project on a major entryway into the county and perhaps there is some negotiation to take place where the county would share in some of that expense," he said. "Certainly not all of it but some of it."

But Kinnard didn't get any support from his fellow commissioners.

In 2019, the HOA asked the county if it could help them apply for a \$350,000 FDOT landscaping grant wherein the state would pay 100% to install the landscaping. The county did so and the grant was secured.

To protect its investment, FDOT wanted an annual maintenance

agreement in place whereby the HOA would take over median maintenance after the first year.

But a new HOA board took over and thought twice about the \$37,000-a-year maintenance cost to tack on to the 3,200-plus homeowners who were already paying \$135 annual dues.

County commissioners said they would initiate legal action should the HOA not live up to its agreement. It could also assess a Municipal Services Benefit Unit (MSBU) on the 3,200 Oak Village property owners who would pay the county their share of median maintenance.

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*Around the*  
**COUNTY**

**Conservative Women's group to meet in Inverness**

The Conservative Women's Political Network will meet Wednesday, Oct. 27, at Olive Garden Italian Restaurant, 2151 E. Gulf-to-Lake Highway, Inverness.

The group will gather at 11:30 a.m., with the meeting to begin at 12:30 p.m. Debbie Sel-savage, from Coping with Demen-tia, will be the guest speaker.

For information, call Rosalie Matt at 746-7143.

**Woman's Club to have Trash and Treasure Sale this weekend**

The GFWC Crystal River Woman's Club will host their Trash and Treasure Sale from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Oct. 30 and 31, 320 N. Citrus Ave.

There will be furniture, knick-knacks, toys, linens, craft items, holiday, household, gently used clothing, purses and jewelry. Masks are required.

**Nature Coast Community Band sets concerts for season**

The Nature Coast Community Band announced their concert schedule for 2021-22, their 13th season.

■ **Fall concerts**

3 p.m. Oct. 30, 2021, at the Citrus Springs Community Center, 1570 W. Citrus Springs Blvd.

3 p.m. Oct. 31, 2021, at Seven Rivers Church, 4221 W. Gulf-to-Lake Highway in Lecanto.

■ **Veteran's memorial service**

Nov. 11, following the Veterans Day Parade on the Old Court-house Museum grounds, 1 Court-house Square in Inverness.

■ **Holiday concerts**

3 p.m. Dec. 11, 2021, at the Citrus Springs Community Center.

3 p.m. Dec. 12, 2021, at Seven Rivers Church.

■ **Winter concerts**

3 p.m. March 5, 2022, at the Citrus Springs Community Center.

3 p.m. March 6, 2022, location to be determined.

■ **Spring concerts**

3 p.m. May 7, 2022, at the Citrus Springs Community Center.

3 p.m. May 8, 2022, location to be determined.

■ **Independence Day concerts**

3 p.m. July 2, 2022, at the Citrus Springs Community Center.

3 p.m. July 3, 2022, location to be determined.

Admission is free. For information, visit naturecoastcommunityband.com, email nccommunityband@gmail.com or call 352-601-7394.

— From staff reports

**Correction**

Due to a staff error, the price of paperback books at the Friends of the Homosassa Library's fall book sale appeared incorrectly on Page A1 of the Chronicle's Oct. 25 edition. They will have their sale at the Homosassa Public Library, 4100 Grandmarch Ave. on the following dates: 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Oct. 28; 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Oct. 29; 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Oct. 30; 9 a.m. to noon Nov. 1; Used hardware and paperback books, CDs, DVDs, games and jigsaw puzzles will be available for purchase. Paperbacks are 50 cents each and hardcovers are \$2 and \$3. A drawing for a Thanksgiving Day basket dinner will be held. Tickets are \$1 or six for \$5. All proceeds benefit the library. For more information, contact Shirley Leonard at 781-264-5098 or reportersr@hotmail.com.

Readers can alert the Citrus County Chronicle to any errors in news articles by emailing community@chronicleonline.com or by calling 352-563-5660.

**Couple arrested in drug bust**

*Charged with trafficking in almost 200 doses of LSD*

**BUSTER THOMPSON**  
*Staff writer*

Citrus County Sheriff's Office deputies took a Hernando County couple into custody after finding drugs and almost 200 doses of a hallucinogenic with the duo during a traffic stop.

Local authorities arrested 34-year-old Matthew Raymond Pallante and 35-year-old April Rene Patton early Oct. 19 under charges of trafficking in LSD

(acid), possessing marijuana, possessing drug paraphernalia and two counts of possessing a controlled substance.

Pallante was also arrested for driving with a suspended license.

According to court and arrest records obtained Monday, Oct. 25, Pallante was jailed under a \$32,500 bond, which a judge lowered to \$13,000 at Pallante's first court appearance.

Patton's initial bond was set at \$32,000, which a judge

decreased to \$12,500.

Arraignment hearings were scheduled Nov. 1 for the couple.

If convicted of the trafficking offense, Pallante and Patton face up to 30 years in prison. They must also serve at least three years of their sentences.

According to arrest reports, deputies pulled over a sedan off of West Chassahowitzka Street — near the Citrus-Hernando county line — for making an improper stop.

A K-9 alerted authorities to narcotics being in the vehicle, prompting a search of it. Inside the glove compartment, deputies found 196 doses or 2.3 grams of acid, 1.75 grams of methamphetamine, five buprenorphine and naloxone sublingual strips.

Deputies also located 1.75 grams of marijuana along with a rubber container of meth residue in a backpack on the passenger floor board.

According to their arrest reports, Pallante and Patton told authorities they were aware of the contraband.



Special to the Chronicle  
**From left are: Maureen Tambasco, Citrus Sertoma co-chair; Mike Turner, BSA Troop 304 assistant scoutmaster; Kyle Coleman, Eagle Scout; Joseph Cabrera, Eagle Scout; Jackson Anderson, Tenderfoot Scout; Mark Avery, Citrus Sertoma co-chair; Amy Coleman, Eagle Scout mom; and Joe Miller, assistant scoutmaster.**

**Citrus Sertoma Club honors local Eagle Scouts**

*Special to the Chronicle*

In a special ceremony during Citrus Sertoma Club's regular meeting, Oct. 20, three Eagle Scouts from Boy Scouts of America (BSA) Troop 304 in Inverness were honored for their dedication to scouting and their community.

Club co-chairs Maureen Tambasco and Mark Avery presented Kyle Coleman, Joseph Cabrera and Chris Rosato with a certificate of recognition for

achieving the level of Eagle Scout and a \$100 check to go toward their individual community projects.

Each year, Troop 304 helps Citrus Sertoma with their tent at the Floral City Strawberry Festival.

"Our club's annual fundraising efforts wouldn't be possible without the heavy lifting of the scouts from troop 304," said Rainer Jakob, Sertoman and past scoutmaster.

"Citrus Sertoma is proud to support

young people that are involved in worthwhile endeavors that help them grow into lifelong active and involved community members," Jakob added.

Citrus Sertoma meets at 6:30 p.m. the first and third Wednesdays of each month at the Moose Lodge, 221 S. Haid Terrace in Lecanto. For more information about the club, call 352-726-2112 or visit @citrusertoma2.0 on Facebook.

Learn about Troop 304 at bsa304.org/about.

**Local COVID cases continue to fall**

*Death toll at 777*

**FRED HIERS**  
*Staff writer*

Citrus County's new COVID-19 infections continued to fall last week, as well as the county's hospital admissions and those needing intensive care and treatment.

The downward trend mirrors that seen nationally and more recently Florida, which is recovering after a severe surge during the late summer and early fall.

Between Oct. 15 and Oct. 21, Citrus County had 79 new confirmed coronavirus cases, according to the Florida Department of Health. That was a significant drop from just the week before when the county had 98 new cases. The contrast is even greater when the latest infection data is compared to one week in August when the county suffered 1,311 new cases.

The decline also reflects a Florida trend in cases.

Florida had 15,314 new cases during the week ending Oct. 21. That was a decline from the week before when the state saw 19,519 new cases and also down from 25,792

new cases during the first week of October, according to the FDOH.

As a whole, Citrus County has now had 20,360 cases, according to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. It's had 777 deaths due to the virus, according to a CDC website.

Between Oct. 14 and Oct. 20, 19 people died from COVID-19 in Citrus County. That was a 24% drop from the previous seven days.

In the United States there have been 45.4 million cases and 736,112 deaths, according to the New York Times, which collects COVID-19 data.

Why the decline?

A growing number of people now have immunity, health experts say. That immunity comes from vaccinations and from having contracted the virus and recovered. The more people who have some measure of immunity, the more difficult it is for the virus to spread from person to person.

In Citrus County, 60% of those eligible, are vaccinated.

Many people still continue to wear masks and social distance, reducing the chance for spread.

But health experts also warn that things

could change. A new variant which is more contagious or more resilient to vaccines could cause a surge.

This is not the first time COVID-19 cases declined. In early January, cases dropped across most of the country. Soon after, the Alpha and Delta variants both drove case counts up again.

Others think that's unlikely for now.

Last month, researchers advising the CDC released nine mathematical models of potential case rate trends through March 2022. The estimates indicate that while there may be a slight uptick in cases, but another major surge is unlikely in the coming months.

But COVID is unlikely to go away anytime soon.

"If the end is eliminating the virus altogether from circulation, like smallpox, I don't think we are getting there," Dr. Laith Abu-Raddad, of Weill Cornell Medical College, recently told Verywell Health.

Verywell Health is a website that provides health and wellness information from health professionals from around the world.

"We will go back to our normal life, but we will have this annoyance that will continue with us, but at lower risk," he said.

**FHP: Motorists uninjured after rollover crash**

**BUSTER THOMPSON**  
*Staff writer*

More information was released about a rollover crash at a Hernando intersection that left the two involved motorists uninjured.

Prior to the 7:27 p.m. collision

on Oct. 19, according to Florida Highway Patrol (FHP), a white Buick Century was northbound on U.S. 41, approaching the intersection with County Road 486.

At the same time, a black Dodge Charger and its driver — a 56-year-old Inverness man

— were southbound on U.S. 41, nearing the same junction.

According to FHP, the Buick's driver — a 27-year-old Hernando woman — tried to turn left onto County Road 486 but drove into left side of the Dodge traveling through the intersection, causing the muscle car to overturn

onto its roof.

Neither driver was injured, and both were wearing their seatbelts. Traffic signals at the intersection gave both vehicles a green light, according to FHP, but troopers cited the Buick's driver for failing to yield to the oncoming Dodge.

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## Today's HOROSCOPES

**Birthdays:** Learn as you go and embrace the changes that come your way. Maintain balance, be moderate and do your best to simplify your life. Peace of mind is attainable if you let your intuition lead the way.

**Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 22):** Pick up the pace, and don't stop until you are satisfied with the results. Take a different path, and you'll learn something new.

**Sagittarius (Nov. 23-Dec. 21):** Keep your emotions under wraps when dealing with a professional situation. Let others do the talking while you organize your thoughts.

**Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** Do something that sparks your imagination. A creative endeavor, a lifestyle change or associating with people who enjoy the same pastimes as you will help build enthusiasm, confidence and friendships.

**Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 19):** A change someone makes may not be welcome, but if you carry on and do what makes you happy, you will come out ahead.

**Pisces (Feb. 20-March 20):** Take a break and do something that will lift your spirits. Insights gained from a festive event will push you to make a change.

**Aries (March 21-April 19):** Live up to your promises and finish what you start. Initiate personal changes that will make you feel good and ready to conquer the world. Put your energy where it counts.

**Taurus (April 20-May 20):** Go about your business and do what makes you happy. If you overreact because someone chooses to head in a different direction, you will miss out.

**Gemini (May 21-June 20):** Consider your attributes, skills and what you enjoy doing most, then follow the path that will take you in that direction.

**Cancer (June 21-July 22):** Emotions will step in and take control if you let the little things get to you. Don't get involved in a debate that can lead to argument.

**Leo (July 23-Aug. 22):** If you don't like something, speak up. Offer an alternative and put in the effort to ensure things unfold your way.

**Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** Reach out to people who make you smile. Getting together with someone who motivates you will result in an offer that encourages you to use your skills differently.

**Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23):** Learn from your mistakes to avoid an emotional situation. Put your time and energy into home improvements.

# ENTERTAINMENT

## France returns Benin art treasures

PARIS — In a move with potential ramifications for other European museums, France is displaying 26 looted colonial-era artifacts for one last time before returning them to Benin — a decision authorities in the West African country described as “historic.”

The wooden anthropomorphic statues, royal thrones and sacred altars were pilfered by the French army 129 years ago. The French will have a final glimpse of the objects, from the collection known as the “Abomey Treasures,” in the Musée du quai Branly—Jacques Chirac from Tuesday through Sunday.

Calixte Biah, curator of the Museum of History of Ouidah, Benin, where the artefacts will first be exhibited, said the occasion was historic.

“It's been more than one century that they have been removed from their historical context. And when you look at the quality of each of these artifacts altogether, you realize that ... there were great artists,” he told The Associated Press.

Benin is founding a new museum in Abomey, partly funded by the French government, that will ultimately house the works.

President Emmanuel Macron suggested that France now needed to right the wrongs of the past, making a landmark speech in 2017 in which he said he can no longer accept “that a large part of many African countries' cultural heritage lies in France.” It laid down a roadmap for the return of the royal treasures taken during the era of empire and colony.

So far, however, France has only turned over one item — a



Associated Press

A detail in a door of King Glele palace, from Benin 19th century, is pictured Monday, Oct. 25, at the Quai Branly—Jacques Chirac museum, in Paris.

sword handed to the Army Museum in Senegal. And the 26 works going to Benin represent a tiny handful of the more than 90,000 artifacts from sub-Saharan Africa alone held in French museums.

## Making of Baldwin movie is halted

LOS ANGELES — Production of the movie that Alec Baldwin was making when he shot and killed a cinematographer last week has been officially halted, but producers of the Western described the move as “a pause rather than an end.”

In an email to crew members, the movie's production team confirmed that work on “Rust” has been suspended at least until the investigation is complete. The team said it is working with law enforcement and is conducting its own internal safety review. The production company is also offering grief counseling.

The sheriff's investigation continued Monday. The team said that it could not respond to comments made in news reports or

on social media. The email suggested that production could resume at some point.

“Although our hearts are broken, and it is hard to see beyond the horizon, this is, at the moment, a pause rather than an end,” the email read.

Moments before the shooting, Baldwin was explaining how he was going to draw the revolver from his holster and where his arm would be positioned, court records show.

The actor had been told that the gun was safe to use for the rehearsal of a scene in which he was supposed to pull out the weapon while sitting in a church pew and point it at the camera, the records said.

Cameraman Reid Russell told a detective that he was unsure whether the weapon was checked before it was handed to Baldwin, and he did not know why the gun was fired.

The camera was not rolling when the gun went off and killed cinematographer Halyna Hutchins, Russell told authorities.

—From wire reports

## Today in HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, Oct. 26, the 299th day of 2021. There are 66 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight:** On Oct. 26, 2001, President George W. Bush signed the USA Patriot Act, giving authorities unprecedented ability to search, seize, detain or eavesdrop in their pursuit of possible terrorists.

**On this date:** In 1774, the First Continental Congress adjourned in Philadelphia.

In 1825, the Erie Canal opened in upstate New York, connecting Lake Erie and the Hudson River.

In 1861, the legendary Pony Express officially ceased operations, giving way to the transcontinental telegraph. (The last run of the Pony Express was completed the following month.)

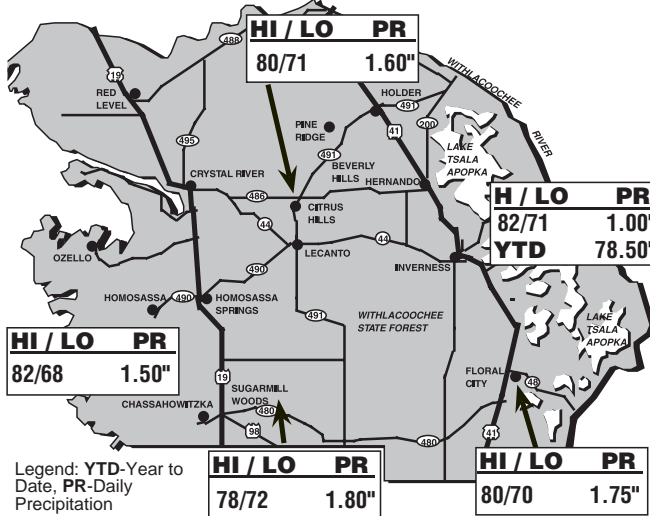
In 1965, the Beatles received MBE medals as Members of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire from Queen Elizabeth II at Buckingham Palace.

**Five years ago:** The Chicago Cubs beat Cleveland 5-1 in Game 2 for their first victory during a World Series since 1945.

**One year ago:** Amy Coney Barrett was confirmed to the Supreme Court by a deeply divided Senate.

**Today's Birthdays:** Actor Jaclyn Smith is 76. TV host Pat Sajak is 75. Hillary Rodham Clinton is 74. Musician Bootsy Collins is 70. Actor James Pickens Jr. is 69. Actor Lauren Tewes is 68. Actor D.W. Moffett is 67. Actor-singer Rita Wilson is 65. Actor Patrick Breen is 61. Actor Dylan McDermott is 60. Actor Cary Elwes is 59. Singer Natalie Merchant is 58. Actor Steve Valentine is 55. Country singer Keith Urban is 54. Actor Tom Cavanagh is 53. Actor Rosemarie DeWitt is 50. Actor Anthony Rapp is 50. Writer-producer Seth MacFarlane (TV: “Family Guy”) is 48. Actor Lennon Parham is 46. Actor Florence Kasumba is 45. Actor Hal Ozsan is 45. Actor Jon Heder is 44. Singer Mark Barry (BBMak) is 43. Actor Jonathan Chase is 42. Actor Folake Olowofoyeku is 38.

## YESTERDAY'S WEATHER



## THREE DAY OUTLOOK

DATE	HI	LO	PR
TODAY & TOMORROW MORNING	87°	60°	Mostly sunny, warm.
WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY MORNING	86°	66°	Mostly sunny and warm. Cloudy by evening.
THURSDAY & FRIDAY MORNING	81°	65°	Rain and thunderstorms, windy and turning cooler.

## ALMANAC

TEMPERATURE	DEW POINT
Yesterday 85/71	Yesterday at 3 p.m. 79°
Record* 94/35	
Normal 83/58	
Mean temp. 71	Yesterday at 3 p.m. 94%
Departure from mean 8	
PRECIPITATION	POLLEN COUNT**
Yesterday 0.62"	Today's active pollen:
Total for the month 2.55"	elm, ragweed, grasses
Total for the year 58.50"	Today's count: 5.4/12
Normal for the year 47.24"	Wednesday's count: 7.1
As reported from https://citrusmosquito.org	Thursday's count: 6.2
UV INDEX:	AIR QUALITY
0-2 minimal, 3-4 low, 5-6 moderate, 7-9 high, 10+ very high	Yesterday observed Good
BAROMETRIC PRESSURE	29.92

## SOLAR TABLES

DATE	DAY	MINOR (MORNING)	MAJOR (MORNING)	MINOR (AFTERNOON)	MAJOR (AFTERNOON)
10/26	TUESDAY	7:37	5:37	6:48	6:02
10/27	WEDNESDAY	7:38	6:28	6:47	6:53

## CELESTIAL OUTLOOK

SUNSET TONIGHT	6:48 pm
SUNRISE TOMORROW	7:38 am
MOONRISE TODAY	11:10 pm
MOONSET TODAY	12:54 pm

## BURN CONDITIONS

Today's Fire Danger Index is: MODERATE. There is no burn ban. For more information call Florida Division of Forestry at (352) 797-4140. For more information on wildfire conditions, please visit the Division of Forestry's Web site: www.freshfromflorida.com/Divisions-Offices/Florida-Forest-Service/Wildland-Fire

## WATERING RULES

For established lawns and landscapes, irrigation may occur during only one (1) of the specified time periods, 12:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m., or 4:00 p.m. - 11:59 p.m., on the allowable watering days below:

Addresses with house numbers ending in:

0 - 1	Monday	6 - 7	Thursday
2 - 3	Tuesday	8 - 9 -or-	Friday
4 - 5	Wednesday	Common Areas	

Questions, concerns or reporting violations, please call: City of Inverness at 352-726-2321; City of Crystal River at 352-795-4216, Ext. 313; Incorporated Citrus County at 352-527-7669. For more information, visit: https://www.citrusbocc.com/departments/water\_resources/watering\_restrictions.php

## TIDES

\*From mouths of rivers \*\*At King's Bay \*\*\*At Mason's Creek

City	High	Low
Chassahowitzka**	10:11 a.m.	0.6 ft
Crystal River**	8:05 a.m.	2.2 ft
Withlacoochee**	4:57 a.m.	3.6 ft
Homosassa**	8:26 a.m.	1.6 ft

## FLORIDA TEMPERATURES

City	H	L	F'cast	City	H	L	F'cast
Daytona Bch.	87	61	s	Miami	88	73	pc
Fort Lauderdale	89	71	pc	Ocala	84	56	s
Fort Myers	86	69	pc	Orlando	87	61	pc
Gainesville	81	54	s	Pensacola	77	61	s
Homestead	90	70	pc	Sarasota	86	66	pc
Jacksonville	81	57	s	Tallahassee	79	52	s
Key West	86	78	sh	Tampa	85	64	pc
Lakeland	86	60	s	Vero Beach	89	65	pc
Melbourne	90	63	pc	W. Palm Bch.	85	72	pc

## MARINE OUTLOOK

Today: Northwest winds 15 to 20 knots. Seas 2 to 3 feet. Bay and inland waters a moderate chop. Tonight: Northwest winds 15 to 20 knots then becoming north 5 to 12 knots after midnight. Seas 2 feet.

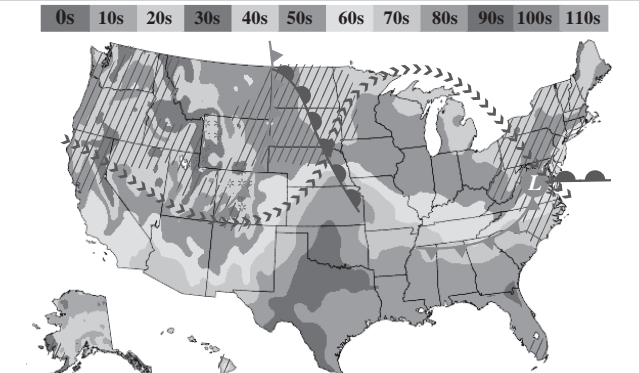
Gulf water temperature **78°**  
Taken at Crystal River

## LAKE LEVELS

Location	MON	SUN	Full
Withlacoochee at Holder	30.30	30.25	34.64
Tsala Apopka-Hernando	37.95	37.89	38.66
Tsala Apopka-Inverness	39.27	39.23	39.73
Tsala Apopka-Floral City	40.39	40.38	41.37

Levels reported in feet above sea level. Flood stage for lakes are based on 2.33-year flood, the mean-annual flood which has a 43-percent chance of being equaled or exceeded in any one year. This data is obtained from the Southwest Florida Water Management District and is subject to revision. In no event will the District or the United States Geological Survey be liable for any damages arising out of the use of this data. If you have any questions you should contact the Hydrological Data Section at (352) 796-7211.

## THE NATION



## FORECAST FOR 3:00 P.M. Tuesday

City	MON	TUE	City	MON	TUE
Albany	55 48 0.86	55 45 ra	New Orleans	82 72 0.00	80 68 pc
Albuquerque	79 45 0.00	66 38 pc	New York City	73 55 0.06	63 53 ra
Asheville	73 50 0.10	55 37 pc	Norfolk	78 65 0.05	70 53 sh
Atlanta	79 52 Trace	66 45 s	Oklahoma City	74 48 0.00	78 62 mc
Atlantic City	76 65 Trace	67 55 sh	Omaha	57 39 0.02	60 53 mc
Austin	90 70 0.00	67 68 mc	Palm Springs	79 61 0.00	78 62 s
Baltimore	81 55 0.07	66 51 sh	Philadelphia	79 57 0.21	64 54 sh
Billings	61 43 0.00	54 36 ra	Phoenix	90 63 0.00	76 54 s
Birmingham	76 63 0.00	68 49 s	Pittsburgh	72 57 0.27	55 47 sh
Boise	53 46 0.47	51 43 ra	Portland, ME	46 42 0.17	54 44 ra
Boston	56 50 0.75	60 48 ra	Portland, OR	59 54 0.06	58 50 sh
Buffalo	54 48 0.46	52 47 ra	Providence, RI	59 51 0.31	62 48 ra
Burlington, VT	46 42 0.42	54 43 sh	Raleigh	79 61 0.17	69 46 s
Charleston, SC	79 68 0.28	75 51 s	Rapid City	62 36 Trace	63 38 ra
Charleston, WV	65 48 0.14	56 41 sh	Reno	50 34 1.76	52 38 pc
Charlotte	82 59 Trace	67 45 s	Rochester, NY	54 48 0.34	55 47 ra
Chicago	54 48 1.89	56 43 mc	Sacramento	66 55 2.14	60 52 mc
Cincinnati	67 53 0.18	58 38 mc	Salt Lake City	68 55 Trace	48 38 rs
Cleveland	65 54 0.76	50 46 sh	San Antonio	92 75 0.00	86 69 mc
Columbia, SC	81 64 0.09	73 46 s	San Diego	70 64 0.02	68 54 s
Columbus, OH	64 53 0.26	54 41 mc	San Francisco	63 55 2.13	63 56 ra
Concord, NH	45 41 0.35	53 44 ra	Savannah	77 70 0.48	76 50 s
Dallas	88 62 0.00	86 66 mc	Seattle	59 53 0.02	55 48 ra
Denver	83 40 0.00	70 37 sh	Spokane	57 42 0.23	54 41 ra
Des Moines	55 41 0.61	56 49 s	St. Louis	63 50 0.35	61 45 s
Detroit	52 46 1.68	52 43 sh	St. Ste Marie	52 37 0.00	51 37 pc
El Paso	88 53 0.00	79 48 s	Syracuse	64 48 0.35	57 46 ra
Evansville, IN	70 52 0.73	61 43 s	Topeka	55 46 Trace	66 56 pc
Harrisburg	79 53 Trace	62 51 ra	Washington	80 62 0.14	64 51 sh
Hartford	52 48 0.45	59 49 ra			
Houston	91 73 0.00	85 73 pc			
Indianapolis	67 48 0.74	55 37 mc			
Kansas City	50 48 0.00	65 55 pc			
Las Vegas	81 64 0.00	70 52 s			
Little Rock	76 59 0.16	70 56 pc			
Los Angeles	61 57 0.49	69 52 s			
Louisville	70 54 0.47	60 39 pc			
Memphis	72 63 0.68	68 52 s			
Milwaukee	55 48 1.27	54 43 pc			
Minneapolis	54 35 0.00	55 45 s			
Mobile	89 71 0.04	76 59 s			
Montgomery	81 61 0.00	73 51 s			
Nashville	74 57 1.12	63 42 pc			

YESTERDAY'S NATIONAL HIGH & LOW  
HIGH 99, Greenville, Ala.  
LOW 21, Elk City, Okla.

## WORLD CITIES

CITY	MON	Lisbon	74/57/s
H/L/Pcp./H L Fcst		London	62/48/mc
Acapulco	85/71/d	Madrid	67/53/s
Amsterdam	58/49/mc	Mexico City	78/59/pc
Athens	62/54/mc	Montreal	48/44/ra
Beijing	69/51/mc	Moscow	43/32/mc
Berlin	57/43/mc	Paris	62/50/mc
Bermuda	77/75/ra	Rio	78/68/ra
Cairo	85/66/s	Rome	64/58/ra
Calgary	54/36/pc	Sydney	67/54/pc
Havana	86/79/ra	Tokyo	67/53/ra
Hong Kong	76/73/ra	Toronto	43/41/ra
Jerusalem	72/57/s	Warsaw	53/42/mc

KEY TO CONDITIONS: c-cloudy; fg-fog; hz-haze; mc-mostly cloudy; pc-partly cloudy; ra-rain; rs-rain; snow; s-sunny; sh-showers; sm-smoke; sn-snow; ss-snow showers; t-thunderstorms

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- To register for the Citrus County Sheriff's Office's Alert Citrus weather program, visit www.sheriffcitrus.org and click on the links to register.
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- Those without computer access may call 352-249-2705.

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# TEACHER

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On Oct. 25, the Chronicle joined Doherty-Koch for her 11th-grade medical interventions class, where the class was studying a unit on epidemiology.

"You guys are epidemiologists now," she said to the class.

Students then got to work on written assignments and hands-on activities including practice with microscopes, pipettes and a serial dilution lab activity.

When Doherty-Koch asks a question, there is no lull in the classroom. Her students always have an answer.

CRHS junior Alexis Seeders said Doherty-Koch is a hands-on teacher and is always open to questions. Seeders said she's the type of teacher to explain something over and over without getting frustrated.

"We're teenagers," she said.

Alexander Liepke, CRHS junior, said everyone always feels comfortable in Doherty-Koch's class. They can joke around, ask any question and speak their mind.

"It just feels like a family," he said.

Doherty-Koch said she loves seeing the individual growth in each of her students.

"I wanna be their cheerleader," she said. "I want to help them reach their full potential."

For her, it's not about her students getting all A's, making that 100% on every test or evening going to college. Whatever it is, she said, "I want them to meet their goals."

Doherty-Koch said some students at the academy



MATTHEW BECK/Chronicle

**ABOVE:** Students in the medical interventions class work on a project Monday, Oct. 25, as Danielle Doherty-Koch, center, instructs the class. She was recently named recipient of the Robert and Patricia Kern Project Lead the Way (PLTW) National Teacher of the Year for her work in Crystal River High School's biomedical instruction. **RIGHT:** The Robert and Patricia Kern Teacher of the Year honor is presented to one teacher in the nation who displays exceptional classroom instruction in the high school biomedical field.

aren't going into the medical field, but are using the skills they learn to help themselves when they get to college.

"I really just want to see them use what they've learned and apply it to get where they want to go," she said.

One of the special things about the academy, according to Doherty-Koch, is that she gets to see her students from sophomore through senior year.

She said they come to her feeling as if they'll be in school forever. Once senior year comes around, they're hitting their goals, getting scholarships and getting accepted to college.

"That's what I love about being a teacher," Doherty-Koch said. "Seeing them reach those goals."

Doherty-Koch also finds joy in hearing from

students who reach out after high school.

"I love hearing the successes," she said. "Being a part of that is super important to me."

Her favorite thing, however, is the annual senior awards, where kids "clean-up" on the scholarships. Last year, she said the graduating classes earned about \$460,000.

"Being part of this program certainly helped a lot of them," she said.

As far as her award, she said, "I'm so thankful to be recognized." She said her recognition brings a spotlight to her students and CRHS. "That's what's most important to me."

To learn more about the PLTW biomedical sciences program, visit [tinyurl.com/pltwbiomedprogram](http://tinyurl.com/pltwbiomedprogram).

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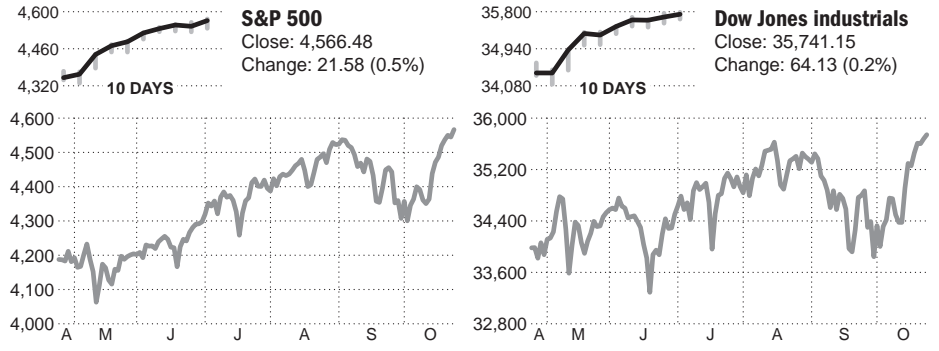
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## StocksRecap

	NYSE	NASD	DOW	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE	CHG	%CHG	YTD
Vol. (in mil.)	3,509	4,777	15,971.97	35,787.04	35,629.37	35,741.15	+64.13	+0.18%	+16.78%
Pvs. Volume	3,438	4,164	15,971.97	15,764.02	15,874.27	15,874.27	+102.32	+0.65%	+26.92%
Advanced	1515	2129	924.16	915.27	917.78	917.78	-3.65	-0.40%	+6.15%
Declined	958	1318	17,192.18	17,096.16	17,169.07	17,169.07	+46.83	+0.27%	+18.21%
New Highs	187	199	NASDAQ	15,259.63	15,070.75	15,226.71	+136.51	+0.90%	+18.14%
New Lows	17	73	S&P 500	4,572.62	4,537.36	4,566.48	+21.58	+0.47%	+21.58%
			S&P 400	2,820.54	2,793.77	2,809.72	+12.88	+0.46%	+21.81%
			Wilshire 5000	47,613.97	47,223.02	47,548.06	+266.20	+0.56%	+20.51%
			Russell 2000	2,314.84	2,291.80	2,312.64	+21.37	+0.93%	+17.10%

## Stocks of Local Interest

NAME	TICKER	LO	HI	CLOSE	CHG	%CHG	WK	MO	QTR	YTD	1YR	P/E	DIV
AT&T Inc	T	25.01	33.88	25.64	+1.15	+0.6	▲	▲	▲	-10.8	+4.2	2.08	
Ametek Inc	AME	96.86	140.10	130.49	-6.5	-0.5	▼	▼	▼	+7.9	+22.5	35	0.80
Anheuser-Busch InBev	BUD	51.45	79.67	56.26	+0.5	+0.1	▲	▲	▲	-19.5	+1.8	20	1.10e
Bank of America	BAC	23.12	47.62	47.51	-0.6	-0.1	▼	▼	▼	+56.7	+97.8	14	0.84
Capital City Bank	CCBG	20.34	28.98	26.98	+1.4	+0.5	▲	▲	▲	+9.8	+27.7	12	0.64f
Citigroup	C	40.49	80.29	70.83	-5.4	-0.8	▼	▼	▼	+14.9	+68.7	7	2.04
Disney	DIS	117.23	203.02	172.01	+2.59	+1.5	▲	▲	▲	-5.1	+35.3		
Duke Energy	DUK	85.56	108.38	102.84	-9.4	-0.9	▼	▼	▼	+12.3	+15.5	58	3.94f
EPR Properties	EPR	22.75	56.07	51.20	-2.8	-0.5	▼	▼	▼	+57.5	+119.6		3.00
Equity Commonwealth	EQC	25.40	29.29	26.47	-1.8	-0.7	▼	▼	▼	-3.0	+1.6		2.50e
Exxon Mobil Corp	XOM	31.11	64.93	64.35	+1.23	+1.9	▲	▲	▲	+56.1	+99.6		3.48
Ford Motor	F	7.61	16.70	16.00	-2.8	-1.7	▼	▼	▼	+82.0	+110.8	19	
Gen Electric	GE	56.72	115.32	105.30	+1.25	+1.2	▲	▲	▲		+76.7		0.32
HCA Holdings Inc	HCA	121.91	263.92	241.81	-11.30	-4.5	▼	▼	▼	+47.0	+92.3	22	1.92
Home Depot	HD	246.59	367.03	371.26	+5.27	+1.4	▲	▲	▲	+39.8	+30.4	26	6.60
Intel Corp	INTC	43.61	68.49	49.41	-0.5	-0.1	▼	▼	▼	-0.8	+7.2	10	1.39
IBM	IBM	105.92	152.84	127.64	-2.4	-0.2	▼	▼	▼	+1.4	+17.2	22	6.56
LKQ Corporation	LKQ	29.60	56.99	56.59	+2.4	+0.4	▲	▲	▲	+60.6	+75.8	18	
Lowe's Cos	LOW	146.72	229.86	231.82	+3.05	+1.3	▲	▲	▲	+44.4	+31.9	24	3.20
Lumen Technologies	LUMN	8.51	16.60	12.22	-2.6	-2.1	▼	▼	▼	+25.3	+39.8		1.00
McDonalds Corp	MCD	202.73	249.95	237.34	-1.10	-0.5	▼	▼	▼	+10.6	+8.1	26	5.16
Microsoft Corp	MSFT	199.62	311.09	308.13	-1.03	-0.3	▼	▼	▼	+38.5	+45.7	42	2.48f
Motorola Solutions	MSI	156.30	250.36	245.91	-3.62	-1.5	▼	▼	▼	+44.6	+47.3	43	2.84
NextEra Energy	NEE	68.33	87.69	84.29	-1.3	-0.2	▼	▼	▼	+9.3	+14.6	53	1.54
Piedmont Office RT	PDM	11.26	20.35	18.34	-0.9	-0.5	▼	▼	▼	+13.0	+48.4	45	0.84
Regions FncI	RF	12.52	24.36	24.22	+1.3	+0.5	▲	▲	▲	+50.2	+87.0	10	0.68f
Smucker, JM	SJM	109.85	140.65	123.14	+1.7	+0.1	▲	▲	▲	+6.5	+9.7	16	3.96f
Texas Instru	TXN	141.33	202.22	200.20	+1.13	+0.6	▲	▲	▲	+22.0	+40.5	28	4.60f
UniFirst Corp	UNF	160.70	258.86	203.38	-3.11	-1.5	▼	▼	▼	-3.9	+12.2	25	1.00
Verizon Comm	VZ	50.86	61.95	52.58	-3.5	-0.7	▼	▼	▼	-10.5	-1.5	10	2.56f
Vodafone Group	VOD	13.20	20.36	15.49	+0.1	+0.1	▲	▲	▲	-6.0	+15.8	cc	1.04e
WalMart Strs	WMT	126.28	153.66	150.06	+1.72	+1.2	▲	▲	▲	+4.1	+3.2	42	2.20
Walgreen Boots Alli	WBA	33.36	57.05	49.22	+2.2	+0.4	▲	▲	▲	+23.4	+36.5	19	1.91f

Dividend Footnotes: a - Extra dividends were paid, but are not included. b - Annual rate plus stock. c - Liquidating dividend. d - Amount declared or paid in last 12 months. f - Current annual rate, which was increased by most recent dividend announcement. i - Sum of dividends paid after stock split. j - Sum of dividends paid this year. Most recent dividend was omitted or deferred. k - Declared or paid this year, a cumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m - Current annual rate, which was decreased by most recent dividend announcement. p - Initial dividend, annual rate not known, yield not shown. r - Declared or paid in preceding 12 months plus stock dividend. t - Paid in stock, approximate cash value on ex-dividend date. PE Footnotes: q - Stock is a closed-end fund - no P/E ratio shown. cc - P/E exceeds 99. dd - Loss in last 12 months.

## Interestrates



The yield on the 10-year Treasury note fell to 1.63% Monday. Yields affect rates on mortgages and other consumer loans.

TREASURIES	LAST	PVS	CHG	NET	1YR
3-month T-bill	.06	.06	...	...	.10
6-month T-bill	.06	.07	-0.01	...	.11
52-wk T-bill	.12	.13	-0.01	...	.12
2-year T-note	.47	.48	-0.01	...	.18
5-year T-note	1.18	1.22	-0.04	...	.37
7-year T-note	1.47	1.49	-0.02	...	.61
10-year T-note	1.63	1.65	-0.02	...	.85
30-year T-bond	2.08	2.09	-0.01	...	1.64

PRIME RATE	FED FUNDS
LAST 3.25	.13
6 MO AGO 3.25	.13
1 YR AGO 3.25	.13

CONSUMER RATES	NAT'L	WK	6MO	1YR
48 month new car loan	3.59	▲ 3.58	3.72	4.05
Money market account	0.07	▲ 0.07	0.07	0.08
1 year CD	0.28	▲ 0.28	0.29	0.32
\$30K Home equity loan	6.46	▲ 6.46	6.45	4.65
30 year fixed mortgage	3.27	▲ 3.17	3.13	3.08
15 year fixed mortgage	2.52	▲ 2.44	2.40	2.37

## Commodities

The price of natural gas surged more than 11%, while U.S. crude oil closed flat. Wholesale gasoline and heating oil rose. Gold and silver prices inched higher.

FUELS	CLOSE	PVS	%CHG	%YTD
Crude Oil (bbl)	83.76	83.76	...	+72.6
Ethanol (gal)	2.21	2.21	...	+54.0
Heating Oil (gal)	2.56	2.54	+1.02	+72.9
Natural Gas (mm btu)	5.90	5.28	+11.70	+132.3
Unleaded Gas (gal)	2.52	2.48	+1.37	+76.7
METALS	CLOSE	PVS	%CHG	%YTD
Gold (oz)	1806.00	1795.50	+0.58	-4.6
Silver (oz)	24.57	24.43	+0.59	-6.7
Platinum (oz)	1062.20	1050.20	+1.14	-1.2
Copper (lb)	4.55	4.53	+0.56	+29.5
Palladium (oz)	2051.00	2038.40	+0.62	-16.2
AGRICULTURE	CLOSE	PVS	%CHG	%YTD
Cattle (lb)	1.25	1.24	+0.74	+10.7
Coffee (lb)	2.05	2.03	+1.26	+60.0
Corn (bu)	5.38	5.38	...	+11.2
Cotton (lb)	1.09	1.08	+0.26	+38.9
Lumber (1,000 bd ft)	660.00	667.60	-1.14	-24.6
Orange Juice (lb)	1.25	1.26	-1.15	+1.1
Soybeans (bu)	12.37	12.21	+1.37	-5.9
Wheat (bu)	7.60	7.56	+0.46	+18.6

(Previous and change figures reflect current contract.)

## MutualFunds

FAMILY	FUND	NAV	CHG	YTD	1YR	3YR*	5YR*	
American Funds	AmrcnBalA m	33.54	+0.3	+12.7	+19.5	+13.3	+11.3	
	CptWldGrInC m	66.33	+0.8	+13.0	+26.5	+16.2	+13.0	
	CptInCBlDrA m	69.27	-0.1	+11.9	+21.1	+10.1	+7.7	
	FdmIntInvsA m	79.71	+1.3	+19.3	+31.6	+18.3	+16.0	
	GrfAmrcA m	81.05	+0.2	+20.0	+34.8	+25.6	+21.5	
	IncAmrcA m	26.28	...	+13.8	+21.6	+11.6	+9.4	
	InvCAmrcA m	52.82	+0.9	+21.0	+31.4	+17.5	+15.0	
	NwPrspctvA m	70.78	+0.5	+17.0	+33.3	+24.7	+19.6	
	WAMIntInvsA m	58.90	+1.0	+22.3	+32.4	+16.8	+15.1	
	Dodge & Cox	Inc	14.20	+0.1	-1.0	+1.1	+6.2	+4.1
Stk	250.21	-0.6	+31.9	+52.5	+17.9	+16.5		
Fidelity	500IIdxInvsPm	158.53	+0.7	+23.0	+33.7	+21.2	+18.5	
	BCGrowth	184.12	+1.7	+21.3	+37.0	+34.8	+29.0	
	Contrafund	19.89	+0.9	+21.3	+28.0	+24.5	+22.0	
	GrCo	40.11	+0.3	+22.0	+35.8	+36.6	+30.7	
	TtIMktIdxInvsPm	131.42	+0.8	+22.1	+35.0	+21.5	+18.5	
	USBlMIdxInvsPm	11.97	...	-2.2	-1.2	+5.4	+2.9	
	SP500Idx	70.60	+0.3	+23.0	+33.7	+21.2	+18.5	
	T. Rowe Price	BCGr	195.64	+0.3	+18.2	+23.3	+24.8	+23.5
	Vanguard	500IIdxAdmrl	421.81	+2.0	+22.9	+33.7	+21.2	+18.5
	DivGrInV	39.12	+0.1	+19.2	+27.3	+19.0	+16.6	
GridxAdmrl	158.97	+1.2	+22.3	+32.5	+29.2	+24.0		
InTTEAdmrl	14.65	...	+0.3	+2.3	+4.8	+3.1		
IntlGrAdmrl	171.34	+1.7	+0.8	+24.9	+27.7	+21.5		
MdCpIdxAdmrl	312.87	...	+23.0	+38.1	+20.2	+18.6		
PmCpAdmrl	184.05	+0.2	+19.6	+32.9	+19.1	+16.9		
STInvmGrdAdmrl	10.87	+0.1	-0.1	+0.8	+3.9	+2.6		
SmCpIdxAdmrl	110.32	...	+19.3	+40.8	+17.3	+15.7		
TtBMIdxAdmrl	11.19	...	-2.2	-0.9	+5.5	+2.9		
TtInSldxAdmrl	35.14	...	+10.0	+25.7	+12.0	+10.0		
TtInSldxInV	21.01	...	+9.9	+25.6	+12.0	+9.9		
TtISMIdxAdmrl	114.11	...	+21.6	+34.9	+20.6	+18.5		
TtISMIdxInV	114.08	...	+21.5	+34.7	+20.5	+18.4		
WlghtnAdmrl	86.82	...	+15.0	+22.0	+14.7	+12.5		
WislyncAdmrl	72.27	+0.2	+7.3	+12.0	+10.6	+7.9		

\* Annualized; d - Deferred sales charge, or redemption fee. m - Multiple fees are charged, usually a marketing fee and either a sales or redemption fee. x - fund paid a distribution during the week.

## Obituaries



**Joseph Paul, 79</**



► *“Justice is always violent to the party offending, for every man is innocent in his own eyes.”*

Daniel Defoe, 1660-1731

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VISIONING DELAYED

# Planning sessions postponed

The county’s scheduled input sessions for strategic plan development, which were to have happened this month, have been postponed until January 2022. Disappointing, but maybe for the best, all things considered.

The postponement is a result of issues surrounding the consultant as well as county resident participation. Input sessions were originally envisioned as in-person. However, because of the high COVID incidence in Citrus County, they were switched to being remote, via Zoom. Then the session facilitator/consultant with the University of Central Florida (UCF) Florida Institute of Government who had been working with county representatives was reassigned elsewhere nearly at the last minute. An unforeseen complication, for sure.

Add to that the fact that only about 100 county residents had signed up for the Zoom sessions, and it just didn’t make sense to follow the original schedule. As Holly Davis, county commissioner spearheading the initiative, said, these planning input sessions are just too important. The county’s strategic effort needs input from more residents: how could just 100 people adequately represent the 150,000 who live here?

County government is committing to a strategic planning process to help determine Citrus County’s future direction. It needs lively, widespread citizen input to indicate what that direction should be.

**THE ISSUE:**

Strategic planning input sessions postponed until January.

**OUR OPINION:**

Unfortunate, but this gives more time to raise awareness in the community.

As Davis says, “the future belongs to those who show up.” If you don’t contribute your opinions and suggestions, you can’t really complain about the outcomes.

The county expects the January sessions to be in-person, which should attract significantly more people and be more productive. In addition, county leaders will have several months to talk it up and get the word out so more residents will be interested in attending.

Almost everyone has an opinion about how the county should look in the future. Younger residents, especially, have a vested interest in how things unfold in 10, 20, 30 years and beyond. These input sessions should capture opinions and suggestions from the broadest possible cross-section of the county.

Stay tuned for details on when and where the county’s strategic planning input sessions will be. Then mark your calendars, because your opinion can help shape our shared future.

**Hot Corner: WATERFRONT**

■ Here we go again, “County mulls waterfront concerns” (Sunday, Oct. 24’s, front-page story). They’re looking to spend taxpayers’ money — \$616,000 to \$700,000 — to buy a piece of land by the water so they can make a park or a boat ramp. We do not need it. Take that \$616,000 or \$700,000 and put it towards road repairs. We don’t need to buy more property. More property means more

maintenance. Quit buying property. We can’t even maintain the property we have now.

■ I’m responding to Sound Off (about Sunday, Oct. 24’s front-page story sub-headlined), “Commission to tackle Pirates Cove, boat launch fees at Tuesday meeting” about buying land: Do not buy the land. No, no, no, no. A waste of taxpayers’ money. Utilize that \$700,000 for the dog shelter or to fixing the roads.

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LETTERS  to the Editor

**Affordable housing lacking**

Help! We have a major housing shortage in Florida. Citrus County has run out of affordable places to live. Most landlords are selling homes right out from under our feet. Houses that are available cost more than a lot of us on fixed incomes bring in a month. What is the solution?

Colynn Watson  
Beverly Hills

**Support programs that grow democracy**

Not so long ago, if any of us heard someone suggesting that our democracy was in peril, we may not have even responded. Now, it is more common to hear such opinions, and we are more inclined to pay attention. Not only is such foreshadowing more frequent it is being asserted by notable and respected people.

If true, the consequence could be drastic. Our march to this moment has been influenced by misinformation and lack of information as much as ennui and contempt for politics and politicians. Somehow, we need to develop forces to counter this despair through increasing awareness and inspiring people to engage in our democracy.

On a local basis, we need organizations already engaged in the political process to partner with other community groups to develop projects that will encourage citizen involvement and ensure comprehensive communication of legitimate information. Reducing the information gap that has distorted understanding of historic and current events will enable more people to make better informed decisions and have a clearer view of the consequences.

Rather than sitting on the sideline and bemoaning the slippage of democracy, our community can come together

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to develop and support programs that will grow democracy.

Bill Cohen  
Inverness

**Do you want to be a hypocrite?**

In Sunday’s paper there is an article that lets small business owners know how to apply for PPP loan forgiveness (more government assistance). Therefore, any business owner who thinks government assistance for workers is socialism need not apply. If they do, then they will be labeled as a socialist or a hypocrite.

Ron Pommier  
Homosassa

**If only we had known**

What would public health in Citrus be like if we knew then what we know now?

If we knew that Citrus County would have one of the highest COVID death rates of any county in the U.S., would

we have acted differently?

If we knew that 1,276 students and 137 staff would contract COVID in our Citrus schools, would we have supported a mask mandate, despite the governor’s executive order forbidding mask mandates in public schools?

Or if we knew that two Citrus teachers (that we know of) would die this fall from COVID, and others would have to be hospitalized, would it matter then?

If we knew that in late summer, nine people were dying from COVID every day in Citrus County, would so many of us have refused to wear masks?

If we knew that our family member, our close friend, our neighbor, the contractor who worked in our home were going to die from COVID, would we have gotten the vaccine?

If we knew that most — but not all — of the dead had refused to become vaccinated, would we have pushed harder for vaccines in our community?

If we knew that our friend or family member would be off work for months because of COVID “long-hauler” symptoms, would we beg them to get vaccinated, to stay out of crowds?

If we knew that it wasn’t just the old people, the ones that had other conditions who died or got sick, would we have followed the warnings of the CDC?

We already know that elected officials in Florida and Citrus County refused to follow public health warnings in the name of “personal freedom.” Now that we know the truth about what happened, should we trust our leaders to lead us in the future?

Knowing what we know now, would we accept some responsibility for the common good of our community? Surely there is something to be learned here.

Carol Roberts  
Inverness

**Putting Citrus on the map for wrong reason**

I picked up the paper a couple days ago and it’s the usual stuff on the front page, but I’m looking at this (Tuesday, Oct. 19, front-page) article about COVID cases falling and then underneath the headline, it says we, Citrus County, had record-setting death rates from COVID. So, Citrus had the worst death rates in the country this summer — in the country. This should have been the screaming headline when nine people a day were dying of COVID all around Florida and Citrus County, especially. We put ourselves on the map, all right. Where were our leaders? Oh yeah, they were busy bragging about how good we’re doing and banning mask mandates. May those who died rest in peace and may God bless their families.

**Pay back your debts**

I’m calling in reference to the article about Aunt Martha’s Produce Market closing (the Thursday, Oct. 21, front-page story). Something really stood out to me. Shannon (Burns-DeMitt) had \$4,000 worth of IOUs up on the wall that she canceled and I have to say that is very, very compassionate, thoughtful and kind of Aunt Martha and Shannon and the family for allowing these people to do this. On the other hand, it’s also bad business. People should have been paying that money back with \$1 a week. Let me tell you something: I was into drugs way back in the ‘90s, OK, in St. Petersburg and I had a local gas station that gave me IOUs and I paid every single one of them off and I was on drugs. So, have a good day.

**Wasting taxpayer money**

(Re the Friday, Oct. 22, Page A10 editorial, “Hired Gun,” “Assistance for bankruptcy attorney approved”): Here we go, wasting taxpayers’ money again on the bankruptcy. Now he or she needs to hire an attorney to help them to assist them with the bankruptcy. Really? A waste of money. Do the bankruptcy with the attorney you have and let it go forward that way. You don’t need to waste taxpayers’ money to hire a different attorney. I bet you if the average citizen filed for bankruptcy, the county commissioners are not going to help them. A waste of taxpayers’ money again — a big waste.

**Maybe sign should be changed**

(Re the Friday, Oct. 22, front-page story, “Gov. calls special session,” “Simpson, Massullo back plan to have lawmakers address vaccine mandates”): Gov. DeSantis vows to take action against government and businesses that choose to follow CDC guidelines by calling for a special legislative session. Rep. Massullo supports Gov. DeSantis’ actions. I wonder why, since he has a sign on the front door of his medical office in Lecanto requiring masks before entering. Perhaps Rep. Massullo should change the sign to say, “Masks are not required, it’s your choice.”

**Left-turn lines not painted**

This is regarding highway line painting. In January of 2021, the Citrus County Road Maintenance Department repainted

the yellow and white lines on Norvell Bryant Highway from Ottawa Avenue to Independence Avenue. However, they did not paint the left-turning lines at the intersection of Norvell Bryant Highway and North Forest Ridge Boulevard. They must have been supervised by the same company that was rebuilding U.S. 19 in Homosassa.

**Waiting for refuge building to open**

When is the Crystal River National Wildlife Refuge mansion going to open to the public? I was told in March of 2020 that all they were waiting for was the computer system to be installed and now, a year and a half later, are the doors open? How much longer will the taxpayers pay for this castle before we’re allowed to enjoy it? This is maddening.

**Don’t fear the roundabout**

FDOT roundabout training (is) on YouTube. Go to FDOT Roundabout for 2 minutes, 19 seconds of training. Never fear the roundabout. In Paris, they have one that handles 12 lanes of traffic. Take note that incoming traffic must yield and traffic in the circle has the right-of-way.

**Tired of Medicare calls**

Does anybody out there know where to file a complaint about all these Medicare insurance companies constantly calling? I did not sign up for any other Medicare companies. I do not want them. I’m happy with my Medicare. I called Medicare and they say there’s nothing they can do about it. Meanwhile, those people say, “Well, you signed up and we’re just following up with you.” I never called and signed up. I never did. Does anyone know who I can complain to? Please give me a phone number, because it’s nothing but harassment.



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**A mother's roar**



Associated Press

**Siberian tiger Dasha shows her teeth to visitors while she takes care of her children at the zoo in Duisburg, Germany, Monday, Oct. 25, 2021.**

**Police: 6 injured in Idaho mall shooting**

BOISE, Idaho — Police in Boise, Idaho, said Monday that five people and a police officer have been injured in a shooting at a shopping mall. They say one person is in custody.

Police on Twitter said they are working their way through each business at the mall, but don't have information indicating additional threats.

Police are asking people to avoid the area. Police also said they were notifying the families of those involved.

Police were interviewing dozens of people outside the entrance to Macy's, one of five large department stores at the mall that has 153 stores in all. Police are also investigating what appears to be another crime scene at a restaurant near the mall.

**Wall Street sets more records**

NEW YORK — Wall Street ticked further into record heights on Monday, as a better-than-expected profit reporting season gets into higher gear.

The S&P 500 rose 21.58 points, or 0.5%, to 4,566.48 and surpassed its last record set on Thursday. The Dow Jones Industrial Average also reached an all-time high after adding 64.13, or 0.2%, to 35,741.15. The Nasdaq composite picked up 136.51, or 0.9%, to 15,226.71.

Tesla jumped to the biggest gain in the S&P 500 after Hertz said it will buy 100,000 Model 3 vehicles for its fleet. The landmark deal for the electric-vehicle industry sent Tesla up 12.7%, and because it's one of the biggest stocks in the market, Tesla's moves have an outsized effect on the S&P 500.

S&P 500 companies so far have reported profits for the third quarter that were nearly 46% higher than year-ago levels. That has companies in the index on track to report overall growth of roughly 32.5%, according to FactSet.

**Billionaire tax takes shape**

WASHINGTON — Democrats are working frantically to shore up the revenue side of President Joe Biden's domestic package, poised to unveil a

new billionaires' tax to help pay for his social services and climate change plan after earlier tax plans fizzled.

Biden said Monday he's hopeful the talks with Congress can wrap up overall agreement on the package this week. It's tallying at least \$1.75 trillion, and could still be more. Biden said it would be "very, very positive to get it done" before he departs for two overseas global summits.

"That's my hope," the president said before leaving his home state of Delaware for a trip to New Jersey to highlight the child care proposals in the package and a related infrastructure measure. "With the grace of God and the goodwill of the neighbors."

Resolving the revenue side is key as the Democrats scale back what had been a \$3.5 trillion plan, insisting all the new spending will be fully paid for and not pile onto the debt. Biden vows any new taxes would hit only the wealthy, those earning more than \$400,000 a year, or \$450,000 for couples.

**Moderna: low-dose shot works for kids**

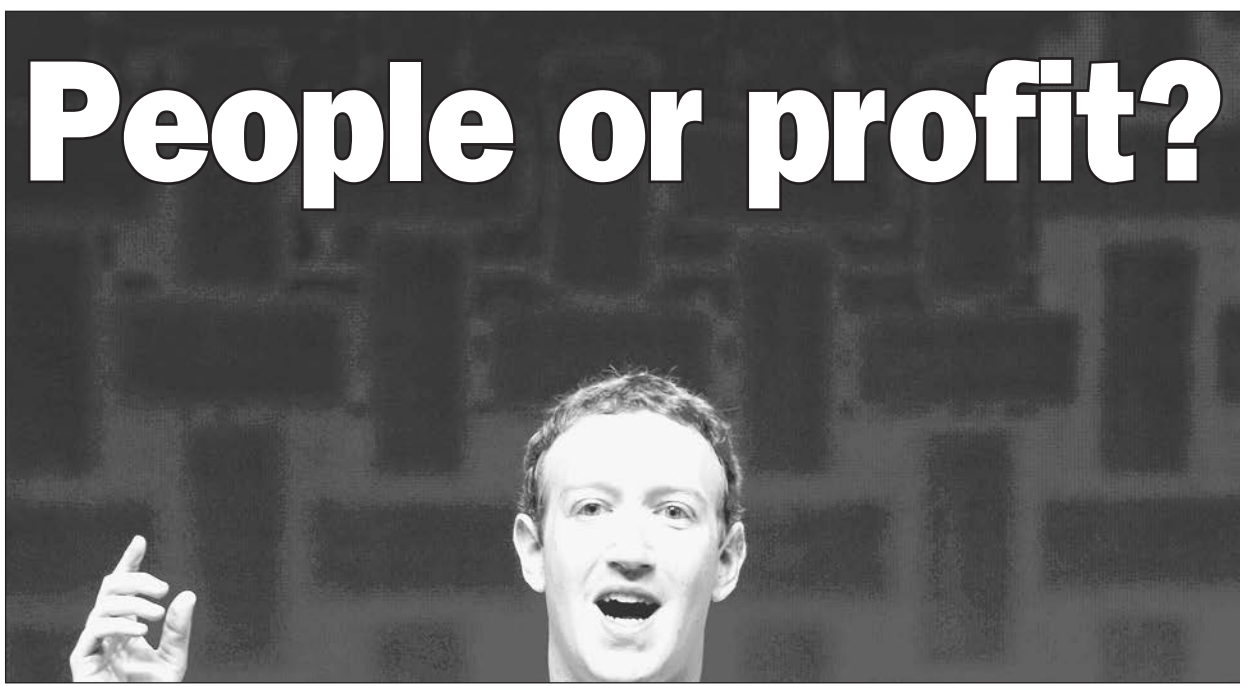
Moderna said Monday that a low dose of its COVID-19 vaccine is safe and appears to work in 6- to 11-year-olds, as the manufacturer joins its rival Pfizer in moving toward expanding shots to children.

Pfizer's kid-size vaccine doses are closer to widespread use. They are undergoing evaluation by the Food and Drug Administration for youngsters in nearly the same age group, 5 to 11, and could be available by early November. The company's vaccine already is authorized for anyone 12 or older.

Moderna hasn't yet gotten the go-ahead to offer its vaccine to teens but is studying lower doses in younger children while it waits.

Researchers tested two shots for the 6- to 11-year-olds, given a month apart, that each contained half the dose given to adults. Preliminary results showed vaccinated children developed virus-fighting antibodies similar to levels that young adults produce after full-strength shots, Moderna said in a news release.

— From wire reports



Associated Press

**Mark Zuckerberg, chairman and CEO of Facebook, speaks at the 2016 Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) forum in Lima, Peru. From complaints whistleblower Frances Haugen has filed with the SEC, along with redacted internal documents obtained by The Associated Press, the picture of the mighty Facebook that emerges is of a troubled, internally conflicted company, where data on the harms it causes is abundant, but solutions are halting at best.**

*Facebook papers show deep conflict within*

**BARBARA ORTUTAY**  
*Associated Press*

Facebook the company is losing control of Facebook the product — not to mention the last shreds of its carefully crafted, decade-old image as a benevolent company just wanting to connect the world.

Thousands of pages of internal documents provided to Congress by a former employee depict an internally conflicted company where data on the harms it causes is abundant, but solutions, much less the will to act on them, are halting at best.

The crisis exposed by the documents shows how Facebook, despite its regularly avowed good intentions, appears to have slow-walked or sidelined efforts to address real harms the social network has magnified and sometimes created. They reveal numerous instances where researchers and rank-and-file workers uncovered deep-seated problems that the company then overlooked or ignored.

Final responsibility for this state of affairs rests with CEO Mark Zuckerberg, who holds what one former employee described as dictatorial power over a corporation that collects data on and provides free services to roughly 3 billion people around the world.

"Ultimately, it rests with Mark and whatever his prerogative is — and it has always been to grow, to increase his power and his reach," said Jennifer Grygiel, a Syracuse University communications professor who's followed Facebook closely for years.

Zuckerberg has an ironclad hold on Facebook Inc. He holds the majority of the company's voting shares, controls its board of directors and has increasingly surrounded himself with executives who don't appear to question his vision.

But he has so far been unable to address stagnating user growth and shrinking engagement for Facebook the product in key areas such as the United States and Europe. Worse, the company is losing the attention of its most important demographic — teenagers and young people — with no clear path to gaining it back, its own documents reveal.

Young adults engage with Facebook far less than their older cohorts, seeing it as an "outdated network" with "irrelevant content"

that provides limited value for them, according to a November 2020 internal document. It is "boring, misleading and negative," they say.

In other words, the young see Facebook as a place for old people.

Facebook's user base has been aging faster, on average, than the general population, the company's researchers found. Unless Facebook can find a way to turn this around, its population will continue to get older and young people will find even fewer reasons to sign on, threatening the monthly user figures that are essential to selling ads. Facebook says its products are still widely used by teens, although it acknowledges there's "tough competition" from TikTok, Snapchat and the like.

So it can continue to expand its reach and power, Facebook has pushed for high user growth outside the U.S. and Western Europe. But as it expanded into less familiar parts of the world, the company systematically failed to address or even anticipate the unintended consequences of signing up millions of new users without also providing staff and systems to identify and limit the spread of hate speech, misinformation and calls to violence.

But Facebook appears unable to acknowledge, much less prevent, the real-world collateral damage accompanying its untrammelled growth. Those harms include shadowy algorithms that radicalize users, pervasive misinformation and extremism, facilitation of human trafficking, teen suicide and more.

Internal efforts to mitigate such problems have often been pushed aside or abandoned when solutions conflict with growth — and, by extension, profit.

Backed into a corner with hard evidence from leaked documents, the company has doubled down defending its choices rather than try to fix its problems.

"A curated selection out of millions of documents at Facebook can in no way be used to draw fair conclusions about us," Facebook tweeted from its public relations "newsroom" account earlier this month, following the company's discovery that a group of news organizations was working on stories about the internal documents.

"At the heart of these stories is a premise which is false. Yes, we're a

**Facebook profits rise amid revelations from leaked documents**

Amid fallout from the Facebook Papers documents supporting claims that the social network has valued financial success over user safety, Facebook on Monday reported higher profit for the latest quarter.

The company's latest show of financial strength follows both an avalanche of reports on the Facebook Papers — a vast trove of redacted internal documents obtained by a consortium of news organizations, including The Associated Press — but also of Facebook whistleblower Frances Haugen's testimony to British lawmakers.

Facebook said its net income grew 17% in the July-September period to \$9.19 billion, or \$3.22 per share, buoyed by strong advertising revenue. That's up from \$7.85 billion, or \$2.71 per share, a year earlier. Revenue grew 35% to \$29.01 billion. Analysts, on average, were expecting earnings of \$3.19 per share on revenue of \$24.49 billion, according to a poll by FactSet.

Facebook shares rose 2.5% in after-hours trading after closing up 1% for the day.

"For now, the revenue picture for Facebook looks as good as can be expected," said eMarketer analyst Debra Aho Williamson. But she predicted more revelations and described the findings so far as "unsettling and stomach-churning."

CEO Mark Zuckerberg opened Facebook's earnings conference call with an oblique reference to the "recent debate around our company," then largely repeated a statements he made after Haugen's Oct. 5 testimony before a U.S. Senate subcommittee. He insisted that he welcomes "good faith criticism" but considers the current storm a "coordinated effort" by news organizations to criticize the company based on leaked documents.

business and we make profit, but the idea that we do so at the expense of people's safety or wellbeing misunderstands where our own commercial interests lie," Facebook said in a prepared statement Friday.

"The truth is we've invested \$13 billion and have over 40,000 people to do one job: keep people safe on Facebook."

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**SUPPORT GROUPS**

**Breast cancer support group to meet**

The Women's Breast Cancer Support Group will meet at 11:45 a.m. Nov. 12 at the Robert Boissoneault Oncology Institute, 522 N. Lecanto Highway. Meetings are held in the lobby area by the fireplace. A light lunch of sandwiches, chips and drinks are served.

An open forum will be up for discussion, questions and to get thoughts and feelings of what other ladies went through with treatment and diagnosis. Anyone who is facing breast cancer or who has finished treatment are welcome.

To reserve a spot, call the RBOI office at 352-527-0106 or facilitator Judy Bonard at 352-220-3693.

**Mental health support available**

The local National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI Citrus) offers in-person and virtual support groups from 6 to 7 p.m. Thursdays at the First Christian Church of Inverness, 2018 Colonade St.

Support groups are for persons living with a mental health condition and their families. For more information, call 844-687-6264 or visit [namicitrus.org/calendar](http://namicitrus.org/calendar).

**Support available for dementia caregivers**

North Oak Church is offering group support for caregivers of dementia patients at 6:30 p.m. the first Thursday monthly at the church, 9324 N. Elkcam Blvd. in Citrus Springs.

Caregiving is a difficult job and often goes unrewarded. Dementia has a unique set of difficulties and circumstances that can be helped by meeting with other caregivers who may be experiencing the same problems. The group will be led by Bernie Collins, retired psychiatric nurse. No religious affiliation is needed to attend. For more information, call 352-489-1688 or visit [northoakbc.org](http://northoakbc.org).

**CR weight loss group to meet**

Tops Chapter 408 meets every Thursday at the First Baptist Church, 700 N. Citrus Ave. in Crystal River.

Weigh-in begins at 2 p.m. and a meeting follows from 3 to 4 p.m.

For more information, call Kathy at 352-212-7946.

**Hernando weight loss group meets**

TOPS 401 will meet every Wednesday at the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church of Hernando, 3790 E. Parsons Point Road. Weigh-ins begin at 7:45 a.m. and the meeting begins at 8:30 a.m.

Everyone is welcome. For information, call Nancy at 352-637-7196.

**Lecanto weight loss group meets**

TOPS 387 will meet every Monday except holidays at the Central Citrus Community Center, 2804 W. Marc Knighton Court, room 114, in Lecanto.

Weigh-in is from 2:30 to 3:20 p.m. and a meeting will follow from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. For information, call Susan at 352-270-0032 or Penny at 352-249-7780. To learn more, visit [tops.org](http://tops.org).

**Inverness weight loss group meets**

TOPS 341 meets every Monday at the First Christian Church, 2018 Colonade St. in Inverness. Weigh-in is from 9:15 to 9:45 a.m. and a meeting follows at 10.

For information, call Roz at 352-513-4596 and Ethel at 352-748-7941. To learn more, visit [tops.org](http://tops.org).

**Join Grief Toolbox support group**

Welcoming new and continuing attendees, the Grief Toolbox support group will start a new session of meetings from 2 to 3 p.m. every Wednesday at the Friends of Citrus and the Nature Coast Wings Grief Center, 8471 W.

Periwinkle Lane in Homosassa.

Sponsored by Brown Funeral Home and Crematory, the group helps participants acquire the essential tools they need to deal with their grief through video presentations, handouts and group discussions.

Pre-registration is required. For more information or to preregister, call 352-249-1470. Support groups observe CDC guidelines and space may be limited.

To learn more about grief services, [friendsofcitrus.org](http://friendsofcitrus.org) or Friends of Citrus on Facebook.

**GriefShare group gathers at church**

A new GriefShare group will begin at 6:30 p.m. Sept. 8 at North Oak Church, 9324 N. Elkcam Blvd. in Citrus Springs.

The loss of a loved one can be very difficult to work through. This nationwide program is known for helping many navigate this process.

GriefShare is a support group led by people who understand what you are going through and want to help. You'll gain access to valuable resources to help you recover from your loss and look forward to rebuilding your life.

The group is non-denominational and is open to anyone who seeks help. Call 352-489-1688 for more information.

**Weekly Grief Study Group available**

Friends of Citrus and the Nature Coast offers a Grief Study Group every Tuesday afternoon at the Wings Grief Center, 8471 W. Periwinkle Lane in Homosassa.

This is a faith-based study sponsored by North Citrus Christian Church which provides help for those experiencing "little deaths" in life as well as the loss of a loved one.

For information or to preregister, call 352-249-1470. For details about their other programs, visit [friendsofcitrus.org](http://friendsofcitrus.org) or Friends of Citrus on Facebook.

**HEALTH NOTES**

**Attend Healthy Living Fair**

Join Citrus County Support Services for the 16th annual Healthy Living Fair from noon to 2:30 p.m. Nov. 9 at the Citrus Springs Community Center, 1570 W. Citrus Springs Blvd.

Admission is free. There will be more than 50 vendors on site offering free information, health screenings, demonstrations, product sampling and door prizes. LifeSouth Community Blood Center's Bloodmobile will be accepting blood donations.

There will be a grand prize drawing for a new flatscreen TV, donated by Home Instead Senior Care. Riviera Mexican Cantina will be on site providing food for purchase.

Proceeds will benefit the "No Seniors Left Waiting" program. For more information, call 352-527-5980.

**Free pregnancy tests, sonograms available**

Citrus Pregnancy Center is offering free pregnancy testing and free early pregnancy sonograms at both locations: 726 NE U.S. 19 in Crystal River and 3185 E. Thomas St. in Inverness.

For more information, call 352-341-5176.

**'Beat the Holiday Blues' with CMH**

Citrus Memorial Hospital will present a mental health seminar at 1:30 p.m. Nov. 16 at the Citrus Memorial Health Foundation YMCA, 4127 W. Norvell Bryant Highway in Lecanto.

"Beat the Holiday Blues" will feature a presentation from Laura Sturdevant, licensed clinical social worker.

The seminar will focus on how to recognize symptoms of depression, seasonal affective disorder, loneliness

and offer coping strategies. There will be a focus on advances in research and new treatment options. A brief question and answer session will follow.

Seating is limited so an RSVP is required to attend. To reserve a seat, call 352-637-3337 or visit [citrusmh.com](http://citrusmh.com).


**Holiday grief seminar available**

A free "Surviving the Holidays" seminar for anyone grieving a loved one's death will be given from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Oct. 28 at First Baptist Church of Crystal River, 700 N. Citrus Ave.

Learn how to deal with the many emotions you might face during the holidays, what to do about traditions and changes, helpful tips for coping with social events and how to discover hope for the holiday season.

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## Driving trends for health information

Why is accessing your personal health information so important? There are many reasons, of course.

Let's take a moment and create a scenario. You are at an oral surgeon's office waiting to be seen for a consultation on a tooth extraction. You fill out the endless amount of paperwork and one of the questions you are asked is to list your current medications. You write down your regular maintenance medications for blood pressure and cholesterol. You submit your paperwork and wait to be seen by the surgeon or nurse practitioner and his/her staff.

At the conclusion of the appointment, you and your provider agreed that the tooth does need to be extracted and book your next appointment. The morning of the surgery you follow all of the instructions the surgical staff has given you, including not taking your blood pressure and cholesterol medications.

You show up at the office at your scheduled time, surgery goes well and you return home to sleep off the anesthesia. Throughout the evening you noticed that at the site of extraction you are still bleeding a good bit. You give the surgeon a call and decide maybe you should go meet them in their office to make sure everything is OK.

While the surgeon is examining the site of extraction, you suddenly realized you never told the surgeon you were on Coumadin (a blood thinner medication)!

Now, there are many things the surgeon could have done to prevent this situation from happening, but ultimately it was the patient's responsibility to disclose all medication history. What could have been a way the patient could have prevented this from happening? One way is if you had access to all of your health information or even better: have access to your health information on your smartphone.

This leads us to ask "why?" Why were we not utilizing this tool and why were health care professionals not pushing this service to all of their patients when it was first introduced?

The biggest concern for many people was the fear of the information being hacked into or turning over the information to a third party app may cause

a leak in information, thus medical institutions may have trouble maintaining its clientele.

Another reason why patients have a hard time obtaining health information is because health care professionals quote "HIPAA" (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act) as a reason to why they do not release health information.

On the contrary, since 1996, HIPAA requires any health care institution "to provide patients with access to any data that are 'readily producible' in the format the patient requests."

Fortunately, as technology grows so do our trends and desires. With this said, nearly 77% of Americans own a smart device, giving patients access to many different health applications and health information all in the palm of their hands.

For iPhone users, there is a "Health" app that allows your phone to sync to many other health devices such as FitBit, Apple Watch, blood pressure monitors, etc., which can then all be submitted to your physician.

Another program that is helping diminish the stereotype that it is not safe to allow patients to access their health information is the Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center's Open Notes, which not only allows patients to access their health information but also encourages patients to contribute to their own medical chart.

Other resources health institutions are implementing this phenomenon are Fast Health Interoperability Resources (FHIR) and the Substitutable Medical Applications Reusable Technology Health Information Technology (SMART) applications.

Other supporting companies who are partnering with health care institutions are Google, Amazon and Microsoft to help safely store and transfer patient health information.

The advantages of health information technology are endless and a powerful and useful tool for not only patients but also for physicians and research teams to provide better and more personalized care.

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# Got 'text neck?'

## How to reverse the trend and improve your posture

"Text neck" is a term coined for the straightened cervical curve that results from prolonged looking downward with the neck in flexion while using phones and tablets.



Dr. Cheryl McFarland-Bryant  
**BETTER HEALTH**

Excessive neck flexion causes a loss of the normal forward curvature of the neck. Human spines have a forward curve in the neck and the low back, and a curve toward the back in the mid-back. These curves are seen in the side view and they allow the spine to absorb shock, like a spring.

Every step that we take and every jolt and jostle sends force into our spine. Loss of these curves causes the discs in between the bones to wear — they are not built to withstand the force, but when these normal curves are decreased, then the discs receive more forces.

The cervical-neck curve is the most common curve to be lost, due to injuries and poor posture. Therefore, preventing loss of this curve and restoring it is important regarding spinal arthritis/disc degeneration and overall health, because most

all nervous system signals travel through the nerves of the neck, and cervical disc space narrowing causes dysfunction of these nerves.

While technology is great for knowledge, as people spend more time viewing tablets and phones, they suffer with increasingly poor posture because they have their heads bent down and forward of their shoulders. We need to find a way to hold the tablet in front of our faces.

Specific stretches and exercises help improve posture, such as rolling the shoulder blades back and down for 3 sets of 10, and pulling the chin in as the head is pulled back for 30 reps.

An orthotic pillow with a stable support roll built in (not beads that move) supports a forward curve while on your back and can support the spine in a straight line while side-sleeping.

Chiropractic adjustments with a drop table can gently restore forward curves, as I have achieved this result as evidenced by follow-up radiographs — X-ray studies.

*Dr. Cheryl McFarland-Bryant has been practicing in Citrus County for 26 years. She is licensed as a doctor of chiropractic and medical laboratory scientist. Contact her at 352-795-8911 or visit 6166 W. Gulf-to-Lake Highway, Crystal River, or [betterhealthchiropractic.us](http://betterhealthchiropractic.us).*



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## Join Walk Aware for Alzheimer's

Event set Saturday, Nov. 13

*Special to the Chronicle*

The Floral City Heritage Council, along with Coping with Dementia LLC and their Education Foundation, will host the 2021 Citrus County Walk Aware for Alzheimer's event Nov. 13.

Registration opens at 8 a.m. in the Floral City Community House, 8370 E. Orange Ave., followed by the opening ceremony at 9 a.m. The walks begin at 9:30 a.m.

Learn about Floral City's historic architecture in the "Scavenger Hunt Walk" or join the "Walk to the Past" to trace its history to famous explorers and



Chronicle file

Hundreds of people walk east along the tree- and flag-lined Orange Avenue in Floral City on Oct. 20, 2018, for the second annual Citrus County Walk Aware for Alzheimer's hosted by the Alzheimer's Family Organization (AFO). This year's event is set Nov. 13.

early travel.

Relieve stress with a "Walk the Labyrinth," followed by a discovery of the two Citrus County

sites on the Florida Black Heritage Trail.

Take one or all of these walks and return to the town center for a

barbecue dinner.

For more information, call 352-419-4257, email [ther-fchc@hotmail.com](mailto:ther-fchc@hotmail.com) or visit [floralcityhc.org](http://floralcityhc.org).

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Points Monday for Boston's Jayson Tatum, as the Celtics handed the Hornets their first loss of the season, 140-129 in OT.



Jayson Tatum

# SPORTS

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## Vilified Astros begin another World Series

*Cheered at home, but nowhere else in baseball*

**BEN WALKER**  
AP baseball writer

HOUSTON — Carlos Correa, Jose Altuve and Alex Bregman whipped the ball around during a crisp infield drill, then came together for a group hug near second base after finishing up Monday.

High above the diamond at Minute Maid Park, the sun gleamed off an oversized banner attached to a light tower.

"World Series Champions," it said, along with "17" and the Astros logo. And it was solid gold.

Nope, no tarnish on that tribute. Not here in Houston, anyway.

Because if the stain of their sign-stealing scandal on the way to the 2017 crown is hanging over them, the Astros aren't showing it. Let the rest of the sports world condemn them forever as baseball's biggest cheaters — they're focused, they say, on putting another shiny flag on that tower.

"I'm not worried about narratives. I'm not worried about any of that," Bregman said.

Back in the World Series for the third time in five years, they get that chance starting Tuesday night in Game 1 against the Atlanta Braves.

The Astros are favorites in Las Vegas and cheered at home, but nowhere else.

Heckled, cursed and taunted with fake trash cans at ballparks across the majors all season, the Astros know there's nothing they can do to change any fan's mind. The hate directed at them on social media, that's not going away anytime soon.

Neither are the whispers. During the AL playoffs, there was loosely lobbed innuendo and speculation about misdeeds.

Note this: During workouts Monday, the only camera in center field was for the Fox telecast. The official Major League Baseball report that issued penalties in January 2020 said the Astros used a team camera in center to illegally help steal signals flashed by opposing catchers.

"We just want to really show the world that we're the best team out there. In order for us to do that, we've got to get four more wins. I don't think the outside noise motivates us at all," Correa said.

Hard to block out, though.

"I wasn't here with the team in 2017, but



Associated Press

Houston's World Series banner is seen Monday in Houston. The Astros face the Atlanta Braves in Game 1 of the World Series tonight. If the stain of their sign-stealing scandal on the way to the 2017 crown is hanging over them, the Astros aren't showing it.

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## Earning another round



MATT PFIFFNER/Chronicle

*Lecanto boys, Citrus' Wood advance to regional golf tourney*

**MATT PFIFFNER**  
Sports editor

MOUNT DORA — The Lecanto boys golf team recovered from a rough start, while Citrus' Luke Wood overcame a tough finish at the District 2A-9 golf championships Monday at Mount Dora Country Club.

The Panthers and Wood both advanced through districts to next Monday's Region 2A-3 Meet at Dubsread Golf Course in Orlando.

"We started out very shaky with three players taking 10's in the first two holes. It took us four or five holes to get used to the tight course, as we haven't seen anything like that yet this year," Lecanto head coach Scot Roberts said. "It was nice to overcome such a horrible start to the tournament."

The Panthers finished the day with a score of 370, good for third place. Lecanto grabbed the third and final qualifying spot for regionals, edging county rival Citrus, which finished fourth at 390. Crystal River had its season come to an end with a 450 team score. Mount Dora won the district title with a 334, followed by The Villages (345).

Lecanto was led by junior medalist Hunter Williams, who was 4-over par after the first three holes, but settled in and was 2-over par the rest of the way to finish at 6-over par 78. That was one shot better than a pair of Mount Dora players and one from The Villages.

"Hunter started 4-over after three holes, fought hard the whole way around to shoot 6-over 78. I know we will play better next week," Roberts said.

Sophomore Albert Burns added an 89 for Lecanto, senior John Boatwright had a 99, freshman Reece DiMase carded a 104 and sophomore Jacob Siegendorf had a 123.

Wood started strong Monday with a 39 on the front nine,

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**ABOVE:** Hunter Williams of Lecanto lines up his putt on hole No. 1 during the District 2A-9 boys golf meet Monday at Mount Dora Country Club. Williams won medalist honors with a 78, helping the Panthers place third. **BELOW RIGHT:** Luke Wood of Citrus curls in a par putt on the first hole Monday. Wood advanced to next week's regional meet with an 84. **BOTTOM:** Brandon Russ of Crystal River tees off on hole No. 1.



### SPORTS BRIEFS

#### Local football players honored by FACA

The Florida Athletic Coaches Association recently voted on and announced district honors for football. Several local players were recognized.

In District 8 — which includes Citrus, Crystal River, Lecanto and Seven Rivers Christian — a pair of players and one coach received the highest honors.

Lecanto's Luke Malmberg was selected Class 6A Player of the Year, while in the Independent/Non-District classification, Nehemiah Vann of Seven Rivers Christian was named Player of the Year, while his coach and father, Monty Vann, was named Coach of the Year.

Named to the All-District offensive team were Malmberg (running back) and Lecanto teammates Isaiah Turner (tight end) and Burke Malmberg (offensive line). Issac Edwards of Crystal River (wide receiver) and Mario Aguilera of Seven Rivers Christian (wide receiver). Evan Silverthorn of Lecanto (defensive line) was the lone All-District defensive player named.

Each district also selects an all-star team made up of seniors. Those from the county honored were Malmberg, Edwards, Aguilera, Hudson Copeland of Crystal River (tight end), McKinley Franklin of Citrus (offensive line) and David Paulen of Crystal River (utility) on offense and Silverthorn on defense.

In District 7, Dunnellon had a large number of players honored.

Named to the All-District offense were quarterback Trent Townsend, offensive linemen Kaden Richardson and Jaylin Johnson and utility player L.J. Fitzpatrick.

Honorable mention All-District selections for the Tigers were Senadrick Brown, Christian Donahoe, Jaden Dyer, Devontae Grant-Ward, Kendy Harilus, Gage Hiers, Keloryan Jefferies, Gavyn Leinenbach, Brodic Luckey, Jesus Moreno, Bolden Richardson, Winston Sanders, Maxwell Valcius and A.J. Winn.

Senior all-stars were Townsend, Richardson and linebacker Arreion High.

— From staff reports



BASEBALL

World Series

(Best-of-7)  
x-if necessary  
Today: Atlanta (Morton 14-6) at Houston (Valdez 11-6), 8:09 p.m. (Fox)  
Wednesday, Oct. 27: Atlanta at Houston, 8:09 p.m. (Fox)  
Friday, Oct. 29: Houston at Atlanta, 8:09 p.m. (Fox)  
Saturday, Oct. 30: Houston at Atlanta, 8:09 p.m. (Fox)  
x-Sunday, Oct. 31: Houston at Atlanta, 8:15 p.m. (Fox)  
x-Tuesday, Nov. 2: Atlanta at Houston, 8:09 p.m. (Fox)  
x-Wednesday, Nov. 3: Atlanta at Houston, 8:09 p.m. (Fox)

BASKETBALL

NBA standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	2	1	.667	—
Philadelphia	2	1	.667	—
Brooklyn	2	2	.500	½
Boston	2	2	.500	½
Toronto	1	3	.250	1½
Southeast Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Charlotte	3	1	.750	—
Miami	2	1	.667	½
Washington	2	1	.667	½
Atlanta	2	1	.667	½
Orlando	1	3	.250	2
Central Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	4	0	1.000	—
Milwaukee	3	1	.750	1
Cleveland	1	2	.333	2½
Indiana	1	3	.250	3
Detroit	0	3	.000	3½
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Southwest Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Memphis	2	1	.667	—
Dallas	1	1	.500	½
Houston	1	2	.333	1
San Antonio	1	2	.333	1
New Orleans	1	3	.250	1½
Northwest Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Utah	2	0	1.000	—
Denver	2	0	1.000	—
Minnesota	2	1	.667	½
Portland	1	1	.500	1
Oklahoma City	0	3	.000	2½
Pacific Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Golden State	3	0	1.000	—
Phoenix	1	2	.333	2
L.A. Lakers	1	2	.333	2
Sacramento	1	2	.333	2
L.A. Clippers	0	2	.000	2½
Monday's Games				
Milwaukee 119, Indiana 109				
Boston 140, Charlotte 129, OT				
Atlanta 122, Detroit 104				
Brooklyn 104, Washington 90				
Miami 107, Orlando 90				
Chicago 111, Toronto 108				
New Orleans 107, Minnesota 98				
Cleveland at Denver, late				
Portland at L.A. Clippers, late				
Today's Games				
Philadelphia at New York, 7:30 p.m.				
Golden State at Oklahoma City, 8 p.m.				
Houston at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.				
L.A. Lakers at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.				
Denver at Utah, 10 p.m.				

Florida LOTTERY

Here are the winning numbers selected Monday in the Florida Lottery:

**PICK 2 (early)**  
5 - 0

**PICK 2 (late)**  
7 - 8

**PICK 3 (early)**  
6 - 7 - 2

**PICK 3 (late)**  
1 - 8 - 2

**PICK 4 (early)**  
7 - 0 - 7 - 3

**PICK 4 (late)**  
9 - 0 - 9 - 6

**PICK 5 (early)**  
6 - 6 - 8 - 1 - 2

**PICK 5 (late)**  
7 - 0 - 4 - 4 - 7

**FANTASY 5**  
2 - 10 - 26 - 29 - 30

**CASH 4 LIFE**  
18 - 35 - 46 - 47 - 51

**CASH BALL**  
3

**POWERBALL**  
10 - 27 - 29 - 44 - 58

**POWER BALL**  
24

Sunday's winning numbers and payouts:

**Fantasy 5:** 10 - 16 - 17 - 26 - 34  
5-of-5 2 winners \$81,269.29  
4-of-5 212 \$123.50  
3-of-5 6,943 \$10.50

**Cash 4 Life:** 9 - 13 - 30 - 36 - 40  
**Cash Ball:** 4

5-of-5 CB No winner  
5-of-5 No winner

Players should verify winning numbers by calling 850-487-7777 or at www.flalottery.com.

On the AIRWAVES

TODAY'S SPORTS WORLD SERIES

8 p.m. (FOX) Atlanta Braves at Houston Astros, Game 1  
4:30 a.m. (FS1) Atlanta Braves at Houston Astros, Game 1 (Taped)

NBA

7:30 p.m. (TNT) Philadelphia 76ers at New York Knicks  
10 p.m. (TNT) Denver Nuggets at Utah Jazz

GOLF

3 p.m. (GOLF) East Lake Cup, Match Play Semifinals

NHL

7 p.m. (SUN) Tampa Bay Lightning at Pittsburgh Penguins  
8 p.m. (ESPN) Vegas Golden Knights at Colorado Avalanche

SOCCER

8 p.m. (FS1) Women: South Korea at United States  
10:30 p.m. (ESPN) MLS: Seattle Sounders FC at Los Angeles FC

Note: Times and channels are subject to change at the discretion of the network. If you are unable to locate a game on the listed channel, please contact your cable provider.

Prep CALENDAR

TODAY'S PREP SPORTS

**GIRLS GOLF**  
District 2A-9 Meet at Harbor Hills GC in Laky Lake  
8 a.m. Citrus, Crystal River and Lecanto  
**CROSS COUNTRY**  
District 1A-3 Meet  
9 a.m. Seven Rivers at Alligator Lake

Open: Buffalo, Jacksonville, L.A. Chargers, Pittsburgh, Dallas, Minnesota  
Monday's Game  
New Orleans 13, Seattle 10

HOCKEY

NHL standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
	GP	W	L	Pts
Florida	6	6	0	0
Buffalo	6	4	1	1
Detroit	6	3	2	1
Boston	4	3	1	0
Tampa Bay	6	2	3	1
Toronto	7	2	4	1
Ottawa	6	2	4	0
Montreal	6	1	5	0
Metropolitan Division				
	GP	W	L	Pts
Carolina	5	5	0	0
Washington	6	4	0	2
N.Y. Rangers	7	4	2	1
Pittsburgh	5	3	0	2
Columbus	6	4	2	0
N.Y. Islanders	6	3	2	1
New Jersey	4	3	1	0
Philadelphia	4	2	1	1
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Central Division				
	GP	W	L	Pts
St. Louis	5	5	0	0
Minnesota	5	4	1	0
Dallas	6	3	3	0
Winnipeg	5	2	2	1
Colorado	5	2	3	0
Nashville	6	2	4	0
Chicago	6	0	5	1
Arizona	6	0	5	1
Pacific Division				
	GP	W	L	Pts
Edmonton	5	5	0	0
San Jose	5	4	1	0
Calgary	5	3	1	1
Vancouver	6	3	2	1
Anaheim	6	2	3	1
Los Angeles	6	1	4	1
Seattle	6	1	4	1
Vegas	5	1	4	0
Monday's Games				
Columbus 4, Dallas 1				
Buffalo 5, Tampa Bay 1				
Calgary 5, N.Y. Rangers 1				
Carolina 4, Toronto 1				
Florida 5, Arizona 3				
Washington 7, Ottawa 5				
St. Louis 3, Los Angeles 0				
Today's Games				
Calgary at New Jersey, 7 p.m.				
Tampa Bay at Pittsburgh, 7 p.m.				
Vegas at Colorado, 8 p.m.				
San Jose at Nashville, 8:30 p.m.				
Minnesota at Vancouver, 10 p.m.				
Montreal at Seattle, 10 p.m.				
Winnipeg at Anaheim, 10 p.m.				

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

Major League Baseball  
American League  
BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Announced RHPs Thomas Eshelman, Konner Wade, INF Pat Valaika and C Austin Wynns have cleared outright waivers and elected free agency.  
National League  
CHICAGO CUBS — Named Ehsan Bokhari assistant general manager.  
PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES — Named Bobby Dickerson infield coach.  
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS — Named Oliver Marmol team manager.

FOOTBALL

National Football League  
ARIZONA CARDINALS — Reinstated DL Zach Allen and LB Chandler Jones from the reserve/COVID-19 list. Released RB Tavien Feaster from the practice squad.  
ATLANTA FALCONS — Reinstated OT Kaleb McGary from the reserve/COVID-19 list. Released DB T.J. Green and K Elliott Fry from the practice squad. Signed S Luther Kirk to the practice squad.  
BUFFALO BILLS — Signed OL Evin Ksiezarczyk to the practice squad.  
DALLAS COWBOYS — Reinstated WR Michael Gallup and LB Francis Bernard from injured reserve.  
DENVER BRONCOS — Acquired LB Kenny Young and a 2024 seventh-round draft pick from the Los Angeles Rams in exchange for a 2024 sixth-round draft pick. Waived LB Barrington Wade.  
DETROIT LIONS — Placed G Logan Stenberg on injured reserve.  
GREEN BAY PACKERS — Placed WR Davante Adams on the reserve/COVID-19 list.  
LAS VEGAS RAIDERS — Signed TE Daniel Helm to the active roster and OL Hroniss Grasu to the practice squad. Placed S Ha Ha Clinton-Dix to the reserve/COVID-19 list.  
MIAMI DOLPHINS — Placed RB Malcolm Brown and CB Jason McCourty on injured reserve.  
NEW YORK GIANTS — Signed TE Jake Hausmann to the practice squad.  
NEW YORK JETS — Waived G Teton Saltes.  
NEW ORLEANS SAINTS — Waived C Will Clapp and DT Albert Huggins. Reinstated LB Kwon Alexander, DE Marcus Davenport and WR TreQuan Smith from injured reserve. Promoted WR Kevin White and DT Josiah Bronson to the active roster.  
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES — Claimed QB Reid Sinnett off waivers from Miami.  
SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS — Reinstated DL Jordan Willis from the reserve/suspended list with a one-week roster exemption. Signed S Tony Jefferson to the practice squad.  
SEATTLE SEAHAWKS — Reinstated RB Rashaad Penny from injured reserve. Elevated QB Jake Luton to the active roster.



Associated Press  
Tampa Bay left wing Alex Killorn (17) celebrates Monday after scoring a goal during the first period against the Sabres in Buffalo, N.Y. The Lightning lost 5-1.

Olofsson scores twice, Sabres beat Lightning

JONAH BRONSTEIN  
Associated Press

BUFFALO, N.Y. — Victor Olofsson scored two goals and Craig Anderson made 35 saves for the Buffalo Sabres in a 5-1 win against the Tampa Bay Lightning on Monday night.

Drake Caggiula, Vinnie Hinostroza and Robert Hagg also scored for the Sabres in their first win against the Lightning in eight meetings. Tage Thompson had two assists.

Bouncing back from a 2-1 overtime loss in their road opener at New Jersey on Saturday, the Sabres continued their strong start by beating the two-time Stanley Cup champions to improve to 4-1-0 at home.

Alex Killorn had a goal for the Lightning, who opened a back-to-back trip with their first road loss of the season. Brian Elliott stopped 20 shots in his Tampa Bay debut.

Caggiula bounced in a wrist shot off the far post to beat Elliott on an unassisted breakaway with 38 seconds left in the second, giving the Sabres a 2-1 lead during a period when they did not have a shot on goal for the first 13 minutes.

Hinostroza added on his first goal

with the Sabres in the early stages of the third period, taking the puck from Tampa Bay's Mathieu Joseph and beating Elliott with a wrist shot from the high slot.

Olofsson's goal off the rebound from Thompson's shot put Buffalo ahead less than two minutes into the game. Olofsson added a goal into the empty net with 2:30 remaining for his fourth of the season.

Hagg had an empty-net goal with 5:35 to go, six seconds after the Lightning pulled Elliott for an extra attacker.

The Lightning scored in the opening period for the first time in six games when Killorn got up from his knees to knock in the rebound from Ryan McDonagh's point shot with 1:34 left in the first.

LINEUP CHANGES

Lightning forward Pat Maroon did not make the trip to Buffalo following the birth of his daughter. ... Alex Barré-Boulet returned to the Tampa Bay lineup after being claimed on waivers from Seattle. He started the season with the Lightning before getting waived and spending 11 days on the Kraken roster.

EARNING

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but finished the final five holes at 7-over par, to end the day at 12-over 84. That was still good for sixth place overall to punch his ticket to regionals, with the second-best individual score for a player not on a regional-qualifying team. The top three individuals not on a team that qualified also advanced to regionals.

"The front nine, I went par, then double-bogey, then I parred like four in a row. The back, I started off with a double, but bounced back, then I felt like I kind of fell off at the end," Wood said. "This course is tough, so shooting an 84 isn't that bad. And I love the course at regionals, so I'm excited."

Wood is very familiar with the Orlando course, playing it last year at regionals and just last week for a practice round.

"I definitely think my golf game is at a better point this year. I feel really good. I played Dubsdread last weekend and I shot like a 76. I feel good about it," he said. "I always want to

shoot the best I can. But I definitely want to go to state for sure. It would be great to go to state as a sophomore."

Also competing at districts for the Hurricanes were freshmen Brenden Boccia (96) and Walker Tyler (104) and juniors Chase Webb (107) and Shawn Tanuz (107).

Crystal River was led by junior Matthew Brown with a 102 and freshman Brandon Russ with a 104. Joe Meek added a 115, William Fletcher carded a 129 and Zachary Adams had a 137. All three are freshmen.

At the District 2A-9 girls golf meet Monday at Harbor Hills Golf Club in Lady Lake, a lengthy lightning delay meant that play had to be suspended due to darkness. The teams will return today at 8 a.m. to finish.

Four out of five Lecanto players had finished and the Panthers were in second place behind The Villages. Crystal River was in third and Citrus fourth. The top three teams advance to regionals next Tuesday, also at Dubsdread in Orlando.

Lecanto's Maegan Pungsuwan was in the clubhouse with a second-place score of 76. Megan Allen of Crystal River was third after an 81.

SERIES

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I've gotten booed just as equal as anybody else," AL Championship Series MVP Yordan Alvarez recently said.

Outfielder Michael Brantley played against Houston that season while with Cleveland. He now wears an Astros jersey, fully aware many fans think it should say "Villains" across the front.

The team's cheating past, he knows, is as much a part of the uniform as the Astros star-featured logo. And it follows them to this day.

"Sure does. We get it everywhere we go," he said.

The ones who get razed the most are the four holdovers from that 2017 squad still on the roster; starting infielders Altuve, Correa, Bregman and Yuli Gurriel.

Bregman gets the most prickly about the subject. Altuve often breezes by it while Correa is quick to own what happened.

To manager Dusty Baker, it's in the past. Hired after manager A.J. Hinch and general manager Jeff Luhnow were fired by the team and suspended by MLB, the 72-year-old skipper said

his players aren't spurred by the haters.

"That's what I think people are trying to make it, as their main source of motivation, but that doesn't motivate you nearly as much as just driving to win and driving for excellence," he said. "You can only be driven by, 'I'll show you,' or you can only be driven by negative motivation so far."

"I think this team is way past that because they know they can play. So this is what you have to dwell on, me versus the world?" he said. "After a while, like, how long can you have that mantra? So I think that's been gone a while."

Altuve, the All-Star second baseman and driving force, has been with the Astros since 2011, from 100-loss seasons to 100-win years. He helped Houston beat the Los Angeles Dodgers in the seven-game 2017 World Series and lost a seven-game matchup to Washington in 2019.

Could this postseason run somehow alter the perception of the past?

"I haven't thought about that," Altuve said. "But I think we have the same mindset we always have, just going out there and try to win."

"There's not a single guy that's thinking about something else but winning," he said.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Citrus Wrestling Club starts up Nov. 9

The Citrus Wrestling Club will begin practices Nov. 9 for elementary and middle school youth. Practices will be in the Citrus High School wrestling room on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 6:15-7:30 p.m.

For more information, parents can contact Citrus head wrestling coach Joe Estep via text at 352-422-4976 or by email at citruswrestling.com.

Timme headlines AP preseason All-Americans

Drew Timme could have left for the NBA

after leading Gonzaga into last season's national title game. He likely would have been drafted and gone on to have a solid career.

But Timme wanted more. Certainly, a chance to finish off a championship run, but also to work one more season with coach Mark Few.

There was an added benefit, too: Timme was the lone unanimous selection by a 63-person media panel on The Associated Press preseason All-America team released Monday. He was joined by Illinois big man Kofi Cockburn, UCLA guard Johnny Juzang, Villanova point guard Collin Gillespie and Indiana forward Trayce Jackson-Davis.

— From staff and wire reports



TUESDAY EVENING OCTOBER 26, 2021															
C: Comcast, Citrus S: Spectrum D/I: Comcast, Durnellon & Inglis															
	C	S	D/I	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
<b>2</b>	(WESH) NBC	19	19	News	NBC News	Ent. Tonight	Hollywood	The Voice (N) 'PG'	La Brea "The Fort" '14'	La Brea "The Fort" '14'	New Amsterdam (N) '14'	News	J. Fallon		
<b>3</b>	(WEDU) PBS	3	3	World News America	BBC News	PBS NewsHour (N) (In Stereo) 'PG'	Finding Your Roots With Henry Louis Gates, Jr.	American Veteran "The Crossing" '14'	American Veteran "The Crossing" '14'	Frontline Police training and accountability. (N)	Vaccination From the Misinformation Virus				
<b>5</b>	(WUFT) PBS	5	5	DW News	BBC News	PBS NewsHour (N) 'PG'	Finding Your Roots	American Veteran '14'	Frontline "Shots Fired"	BBC News	Old House				
<b>8</b>	(WFLA) NBC	8	8	8	News	NBC Nightly News - Holt	Ent. Tonight	The Voice "The Knockouts Part 2" (N) 'PG'	La Brea "The Fort" (N) (In Stereo) '14'	New Amsterdam (N) (In Stereo) '14'	NewsChannel 8	Tonight Show			
<b>9</b>	(WFTV) ABC	20	7	20	News at 6pm	ABC World News	Jeopardy! (N) 'G'	Wheel of Fortune 'G'	The Bachelorette (N) (In Stereo) 'PG' (DVS)	Queens Jill decides to stop living a lie. (N) '14'	Eyewitness News 11PM	Jimmy Kimmel Live!			
<b>10</b>	(WTSP) CBS	10	10	10	10 Tampa Bay	CBS Evening News	Wheel of Fortune 'G'	Jeopardy! (N) 'G'	FBI: A man is killed by an explosive package. '14'	FBI: International Cryptocurrency is hijacked. '14'	FBI: Most Wanted "Vanished" '14'	10 Tampa Bay	Late Show-C Colbert		
<b>13</b>	(WTVT) FOX	13	13	FOX13 6:00 News (N)	FOX13 6:30 News (N)	Access Hollywood 'PG'	MLB Pregame	2021 World Series Game 1: Teams TBA. (N) (In Stereo Live) 'PG'	2021 World Series Game 1: Teams TBA. (N) (In Stereo Live) 'PG'	2021 World Series Game 1: Teams TBA. (N) (In Stereo Live) 'PG'	FOX13 11:00 News (N) (In Stereo) 'PG'				
<b>20</b>	(WCLF) IND	2	2	2	Christian	Bridges	Praise	Great Awakening with Word	Contending Andrew	Perry Stone	Watch Purpose	The Great A			
<b>23</b>	(WYKE) FAM	16	16	16	Vegas Unveiled	Daily Flash	Citrus	Business Brew	Al Berstein	This Corner	Al Berstein	900 Series	Citrus Court		
<b>23</b>	(WFTS) ABC	11	11	11	News	World News	Inside Ed.	The List (N)	The Bachelorette (N) (In Stereo) 'PG' (DVS)	Queens (N) '14'	News	J. Kimmel			
<b>32</b>	(WMMR) IND	12	12	12	Sheldon	Sheldon	Big Bang	Mom '14'	Mom '14'	Last Man	Creek	Creek	Big Bang		
<b>33</b>	(WTTA) MNT	6	6	6	Extra 'PG'	Ent. Tonight	Family Feud	Family Feud	NewsChannel 8	Noticias	Seinfeld	Chicago Fire '14'	Chicago Fire '14'		
<b>40</b>	(WACX) TBN	21	21	21	Vic Show	The 700 Club	Babers	SkyWatch	Perry Stone	Action/Life	Beacon	Ang. Courte	Jewish Voi	Faith Build.	Prince
<b>44</b>	(WTOG) CW	4	4	4	Mike & Molly '14'	Mike & Molly '14'	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	DC's Stargirl Pat tries to protect Rick. (N) 'PG'	Supergirl "I Believe In a Thing Called Love" 'PG'	CW44 News (N) '14'	CW44 News (N) '14'	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit '14'		
<b>50</b>	(WVEA) UNI	15	15	15	Noticias	Noticiero	¿Qué le pasa a	La Rosa de Guadalupe	Vencer el pasado (N)	La desalmada (N)	Noticias	Noticiero			
<b>51</b>	(WOGX) FOX				Fox 51 at 6	Fox 51	Big Bang	Pregame	2021 World Series Game 1: Teams TBA. (N) (In Stereo Live) 'PG'	2021 World Series Game 1: Teams TBA. (N) (In Stereo Live) 'PG'	FOX 51 News				
<b>66</b>	(WXPX) ION				Chicago Fire '14'	Chicago Fire '14'	Chicago Fire '14'	Chicago Fire '14'	Chicago Fire '14'	Chicago Fire '14'	Chicago Fire '14'				
<b>A&amp;E</b>		54	48	54	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage		
<b>ACCN</b>		99			College Football Teams TBA.	College Football Teams TBA.	College Football Teams TBA.	College Football Teams TBA.	College Football Teams TBA.	College Football Teams TBA.	College Football Teams TBA.	College Football Teams TBA.			
<b>AMC</b>		55	64	55	*** "Ghost Ship" (2002) Julianna Margulies. 'R'	*** "Ghost Ship" (2002) Julianna Margulies. 'R'	*** "Carrie" (2013) Chloë Grace Moretz. 'R'	*** "Carrie" (2013) Chloë Grace Moretz. 'R'	*** "Friday the 13th" (2009) Jared Padalecki. 'R'	*** "Friday the 13th" (2009) Jared Padalecki. 'R'					
<b>ANI</b>		52	35	52	North Woods Law 'PG'	North Woods Law 'PG'	North Woods Law: Wildside	Baiting Games" (N)	North Woods Law 'PG'	North Woods Law 'PG'					
<b>BET</b>		96	71	96	*** "Life" (1999) Eddie Murphy. 'R'	*** "Life" (1999) Eddie Murphy. 'R'	Payne	As. Living	Tyler Perry's The Oval (N)	Games People Play '14'	Tyler Perry's The Oval				
<b>BIGTEN</b>		742	809	742	College Soccer Michigan at Ohio State. (N) 'PG'	College Soccer Michigan at Ohio State. (N) 'PG'	College Soccer Maryland at Penn State. (N) 'PG'	College Soccer Maryland at Penn State. (N) 'PG'	B1G Show	Campus	B1G Show	Big Ten			
<b>BRAVO</b>		254	51	254	Vanderpump Rules '14'	Vanderpump Rules '14'	Vanderpump Rules '14'	Vanderpump Rules '14'	Vanderpump Rules '14'	Watch What	Vanderpump Rules '14'	Family			
<b>BSFL</b>		35	39	35	Women's College Soccer	Women's College Soccer	Women's College Soccer	Women's College Soccer	College Soccer North Carolina at Virginia Tech.	College Soccer North Carolina at Virginia Tech.	World Poker				
<b>CC</b>		27	61	27	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office '14'	The Office	The Office	The Office	Daily Show	Seinfeld	
<b>CMT</b>		98	45	98	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Last Man	Mom '14'	Mom '14'	Mom '14'	Mom '14'	Mom '14'	Mom '14'	
<b>CNN</b>		40	29	40	Situation Room With Wolf	Erin Burnett OutFront (N)	Anderson Cooper 360 (N)	Cuomo Prime Time (N)	Don Lemon Tonight (N)	Don Lemon Tonight (N)					
<b>ESPN</b>		33	27	33	SportsCenter (N) 'PG'	College Football Top 25	NHL Hockey Vegas Golden Knights at Colorado Avalanche. (N)	NHL Hockey Vegas Golden Knights at Colorado Avalanche. (N)	MLS Soccer						
<b>ESPN2</b>		37	28	34	Daily Wager (N) (Live)	Baseball Tonight 'PG'	NFL Live 'PG'	NFL Live 'PG'	SEC Storied 'G'	PFL 2021	SportsCenter (N) 'PG'				
<b>FBN</b>		106	149	106	The Evening Edit (N)	Kennedy (N) 'PG'	American	American	Mansion	American	Mansion	Mansion			
<b>FLIX</b>		118	170	118	** "The Chronicles of Riddick" (2004) Vin Diesel.	** "The Chronicles of Riddick" (2004) Vin Diesel.	*** "Winter's Bone" (2010) 'R'	*** "Winter's Bone" (2010) 'R'	**** "Children of Men" (2006) Clive Owen. 'R'	**** "Children of Men" (2006) Clive Owen. 'R'	Croupier				
<b>FNC</b>		44	37	44	Special Report	FOX News Primetime (N)	Tucker Carlson Tonight	Hannity (N) (Live) 'PG'	The Ingraham Angle (N)	Gutfeld! (N) 'PG'					
<b>FOOD</b>		26	56	26	Chopped 'G' 'PG'	Chopped 'G' 'PG'	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Dinner: Impossible (N) 'G'	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby			
<b>FREEFORM</b>		29	52	29	*** "Shrek 2" (2004)	*** "Shrek Forever After" (2010) 'PG'	*** "Shrek Forever After" (2010) 'PG'	*** "Maleficent" (2014) Angelina Jolie. 'PG'	*** "Maleficent" (2014) Angelina Jolie. 'PG'	The 700 Club 'PG'					
<b>FS1</b>		732	112	732	NASCAR Race Hub (N)	Pregame	Pregame	Women's Soccer South Korea at United States. (N)	Postgame	NFL Films	MLB on FS1 Postgame				
<b>FX</b>		30	60	30	*** "Get Out" (2017) Daniel Kaluuya. 'R'	*** "Get Out" (2017) Daniel Kaluuya. 'R'	** "Venom" (2018) Tom Hardy. 'PG-13'	** "Venom" (2018) Tom Hardy. 'PG-13'	Impeachment: American						
<b>GOLF</b>		727	67	727	Golf Central (N) 'G' 'PG'	PGA TOUR	PGA TOUR	Golf East Lake Cup, Match Play Semifinals. 'PG'	Golf East Lake Cup, Match Play Semifinals. 'PG'	Golf Central 'G' 'PG'					
<b>HALL</b>		59	68	39	"Check Inn to Christmas" (2019) Rachel Boston. 'NR'	"Check Inn to Christmas" (2019) Rachel Boston. 'NR'	"Christmas With the Darlings" (2020) Katrina Law.	"Christmas With the Darlings" (2020) Katrina Law.	"A Shoe Addict's Christmas" (2018) 'NR' (DVS)						
<b>HBO</b>		302	201	302	Four Hours	Real Time With Bill Maher	Axios '14'	*** "Godzilla vs. Kong" (2021) 'PG-13'	*** "Godzilla vs. Kong" (2021) 'PG-13'	Succession 'MA' 'PG'	Enthusiasm	Antlers			
<b>HBO2</b>		303	202	303	"Diary of Mad"	Curb Your Enthusiasm	Insecure	Last Week	Axios '14'	** "Fatale" (2020) Hilary Swank. 'R' 'PG'	Those Wish				
<b>HGTV</b>		23	57	23	Nate & Jeremiah	Nate & Jeremiah	Nate & Jeremiah	Nate & Jeremiah	Hunters	Hunters Int'l	Hunters	Hunters Int'l			
<b>HIST</b>		51	54	51	Oak Island: Drilling Down	Oak Island: Drilling Down	The Curse of Oak Island	The Curse of Oak Island	Cities of the Underworld	Oak Island: Drilling Down					
<b>LIFE</b>		24	38	24	Castle 'PG'	Castle 'PG'	Castle "Pretty Dead" 'PG'	Castle "Knockout" 'PG'	Castle "Rise" 'PG'	Castle '14'					
<b>LMN</b>		119	50	119	"Sleeping With Danger" (2020) Elisabeth Röhm. 'NR'	"Sleeping With Danger" (2020) Elisabeth Röhm. 'NR'	** "The Perfect Guy" (2015) Sanaa Lathan. 'PG'	** "The Perfect Guy" (2015) Sanaa Lathan. 'PG'	"Bury the Past" (2021) Sarah Allen. 'NR' 'PG'						
<b>MSNBC</b>		42	41	42	The Beat With Ari Melber	The ReidOut (N) 'PG'	All In With Chris Hayes	Rachel Maddow Show	The Last Word	The 11th Hour					
<b>NBCSN</b>		448	26	730	DRL Drone Racing 'PG'	DRL Drone Racing 'PG'	Caffeine	Caffeine	Off the Grid	Carass 'G'	Monster Jam 'PG'	Caffeine			
<b>NGEO</b>		109	65	109	Life Below Zero '14'	Life Below Zero '14'	Life Below Zero "Winter Reigns" (N) '14'	Life Below Zero "Winter Reigns" (N) '14'	Life Below Zero (N) 'PG'	Life Below Zero '14'					
<b>NICK</b>		28	36	28	Loud House	Loud House	Danger	The Loud House 'Y'	Loud House	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Friends 'PG'	Friends 'PG'		
<b>NWSNTN</b>		18	18	18	The Donlon Report (N)	On Balance	Dan Abrams Live (N)	NewsNation Prime (N)	Banfield (N) 'PG'	On Balance					
<b>OWN</b>		125	24	103	Dr. Phil '14' 'PG'	Queen Sugar '14'	Queen Sugar (N) '14'	Queen Sugar '14'	Queen Sugar '14'	Queen Sugar '14'	Queen Sugar '14'				
<b>OXY</b>		123	44	123	Mark of a Serial Killer '14'	Mark of a Serial Killer '14'	Mark of a Serial Killer '14'	Mark of a Serial Killer '14'	Mark of a Serial Killer '14'	Dateline: Secrets Uncovered "Infatuation" 'PG' 'PG'					
<b>PARMT</b>		37	43	37	Two Men	Two Men	*** "The Twilight Saga: New Moon" (2009) Kristen Stewart. 'PG-13'	*** "The Twilight Saga: New Moon" (2009) Kristen Stewart. 'PG-13'	*** "The Twilight Saga: Eclipse" (2010) 'PG-13'						
<b>SEC</b>		745	72	745	The Paul Finebaum Show	SEC Now	SEC Inside	SEC Now	SEC Inside	SEC Now					
<b>SHOW</b>		340	241	340	*** "Michael Jackson's This Is It" (2009) 'PG'	*** "Michael Jackson's This Is It" (2009) 'PG'	*** "Mamma Mia!" (2008) Meryl Streep. 'PG-13'	*** "Mamma Mia!" (2008) Meryl Streep. 'PG-13'	Wakefield 'PG'	"The Wolf of Wall Street"					
<b>SUN</b>		36	31	36	Celebrity	Pregame	NHL Hockey Tampa Bay Lightning at Pittsburgh Penguins. (N) (Live)	NHL Hockey Tampa Bay Lightning at Pittsburgh Penguins. (N) (Live)	Postgame	Under	GatorZone	Sports Stars	Boxing 30		
<b>SYFY</b>		31	59	31	"Jeepers Creepers 3" (2017) Jonathan Breck. 'NR'	"Jeepers Creepers 3" (2017) Jonathan Breck. 'NR'	*** "John Wick" (2014, Action) Keanu Reeves. 'R'	*** "John Wick" (2014, Action) Keanu Reeves. 'R'	Chucky (N) 'MA'	"Scary Stories"					
<b>TBS</b>		49	23	49	Sheldon	Sheldon	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Last O.G.	Last O.G.	Last O.G.			
<b>TCM</b>		169	53	169	*** "Them!" (1954) James Whitmore. 'NR'	*** "Them!" (1954) James Whitmore. 'NR'	"Crazed Fruit" (1956, Drama) 'NR'	"Crazed Fruit" (1956, Drama) 'NR'	One-Way Ticket to Love	"The Warped Ones" 'NR'					
<b>TDC</b>		53	34	53	Street Outlaws	Street Outlaws	Bering Sea Gold '14'	Secrets in the Ice 'PG'	Expedition Unknown 'PG'	Expedition Unknown 'PG'					
<b>TLC</b>		50	46	50	Welcome to Plathville	Welcome to Plathville	My Big Fat Fabulous Life	My Big Fat Fabulous Life	Welcome to Plathville (N)	I Love a Mama's Boy '14'					
<b>TMC</b>		350	261	350	** "Asylum" (2005) Natasha Richardson. 'R' 'PG'	** "Asylum" (2005) Natasha Richardson. 'R' 'PG'	*** "Spider-Man 2" (2004) Tobey Maguire. 'PG'	*** "Spider-Man 2" (2004) Tobey Maguire. 'PG'	NBA Basketball Philadelphia 76ers at New York Knicks. (Live) 'PG'	NBA Basketball Philadelphia 76ers at New York Knicks. (Live) 'PG'	NBA Basketball Denver Nuggets at Utah Jazz. 'PG'				
<b>TNT</b>		48	33	48	NBA Tip-Off	NBA Tip-Off	NBA Basketball Philadelphia 76ers at New York Knicks. (Live) 'PG'	NBA Basketball Philadelphia 76ers at New York Knicks. (Live) 'PG'	NBA Basketball Philadelphia 76ers at New York Knicks. (Live) 'PG'						
<b>TOON</b>		38	58	38	Teen Titans	Teen Titans	Victor	Victor	Victor	Burgers	Burgers	Amer. Dad	Amer. Dad		
<b>TRAV</b>		9	106	9	The Dead Files 'PG'	The Dead Files 'PG'	The Dead Files (N) 'PG'	The Dead Files (N) 'PG'	Haunted Hospitals 'PG'	Haunted Hospitals 'PG'					
<b>truTV</b>		25	55	25	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers			
<b>TVL</b>		32	49	32	Andy Griffith	Andy Griffith	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King		
<b>USA</b>		47	32	47	*** "Taken" (2008) Liam Neeson. 'PG-13'	*** "Taken" (2008) Liam Neeson. 'PG-13'	WWE NXT (N) (In Stereo Live) 'PG'	WWE NXT (N) (In Stereo Live) 'PG'	Chucky (N) 'MA'	*** "Taken" (2008)					
<b>WE</b>		117	69	117	Law & Order '14' 'PG'	Law & Order '14' 'PG'	Law & Order '14' 'PG'	Law & Order '14' 'PG'	Law & Order '14' 'PG'	Law & Order '14' 'PG'					

# Annie's advice

**D**ear Annie: I read your column every day, and I read with great interest the letter from the wife whose husband had an affair 20 years earlier. She was bitter that none of her friends told her about it.

I found myself in a similar situation, only I was the friend, and I DID tell her that her husband was cheating on her. This was 35 years ago.

Remember the old expression about killing the messenger? That's what happened to me.

I had struggled with what to do with this information for several days. I knew she'd be devastated, but I believed she deserved the truth. She was my best friend, and I felt I'd be lying to her face every time I saw her if I didn't tell her.

I practiced for days trying to come up with the most supportive way of talking to her. I went and saw her, and we talked for about an hour, and it was very, very difficult. I left knowing that she had a lot to process and sort out, and I gave her some space. After a few days, I called but could not reach her. I left messages, but I never heard back from her.

Fifteen years later, I got a rather incoherent and angry letter from her, blaming me — for what, specifically, wasn't clear.

The wife who wrote to you complaining that no one told her might have reacted differently 20 years ago if someone had let her know. If I had had a crystal ball and known our friendship would be over if I told her, would I still have told my friend at the time? I think so. I still believe hiding it from her would have been worse, a betrayal. — **Killed Messenger in Pennsylvania**

**Dear Killed Messenger:** Thank you for your letter. I suppose it was easier to get mad at you than her husband who had betrayed her. Just know that her meanness came out of pain and that hurt people hurt people.

**Dear Annie:** Why do Americans have so many ice cream products?

This week, I went to the supermarket, and there were 10 new ice creams to choose from, and I was just about to finish off trying them all from the prior week. I'm not fat — yet.

Yes, even with the problems of supply, they somehow still manage to pack the refrigerators with new choices. I find myself spending at least five to 10 minutes trying to choose an ice cream that is healthy, economical and tastes good.

In my country, we have fewer ice cream choices, but they all taste good. Should I check myself to see if I have obsessive-compulsive disorder, or should I be concerned that we indeed have too many choices in America?

Another crazy complaint, if I may: I recently found out that a famous ice cream brand with a European label is not actually European. The first time I found this product, I happily told the clerk, who often sees me hanging around the ice cream aisle, that I had found a European ice cream.

He didn't seem surprised but actually looked concerned. I felt like an idiot after I found out it's made by an American corporation. No wonder he looked concerned.

So, this has been my problem, and I need a solution. Maybe you can help? — **Too Many Choices**

**Dear Choices:** Isn't America great? The complaint in many countries is that there aren't enough choices, while your concern about this country is that we have too many choices of ice cream. That's a sweet thought.

In all seriousness, you bring up a good point that too many choices can actually be detrimental to your well-being. Psychology professor Barry Schwartz argues that having an infinite number of choices can be exhausting. We can set unrealistic expectations and then think we might have made the wrong choice.

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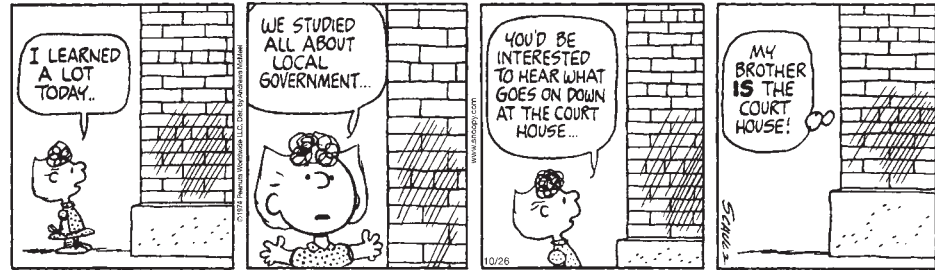
At who's funeral did Jennifer Granholm, then the Michigan governor, say, "... an improbable warrior that was leading an unlikely army of waitresses and street sweepers and shopkeepers and auto mechanics?"

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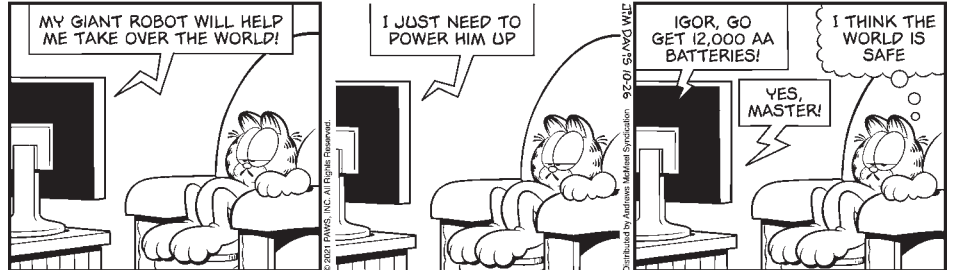
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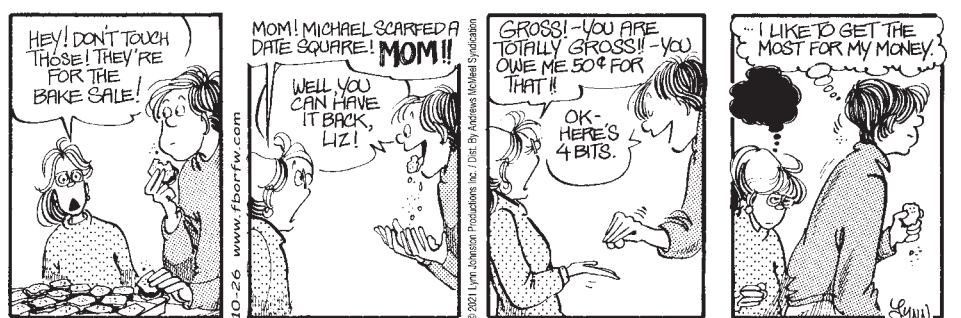
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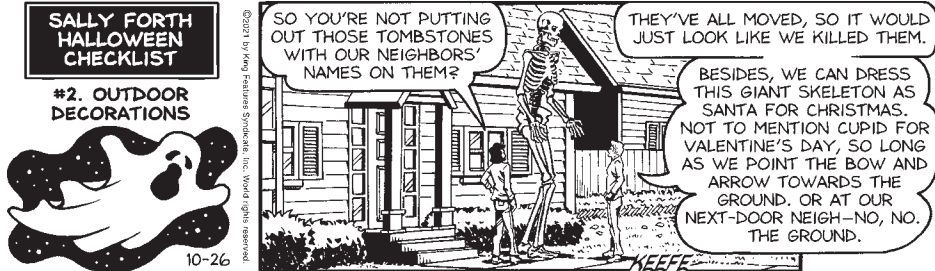
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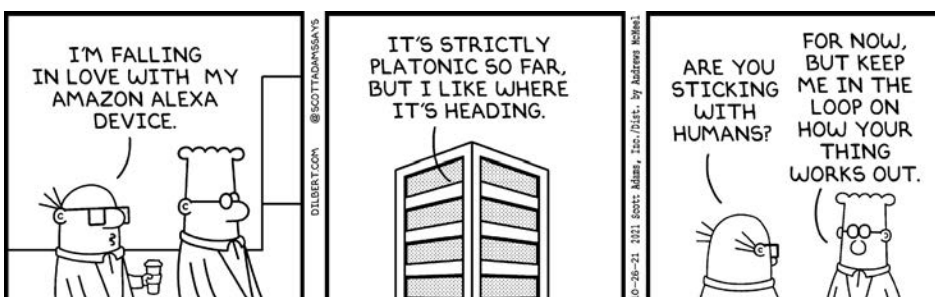
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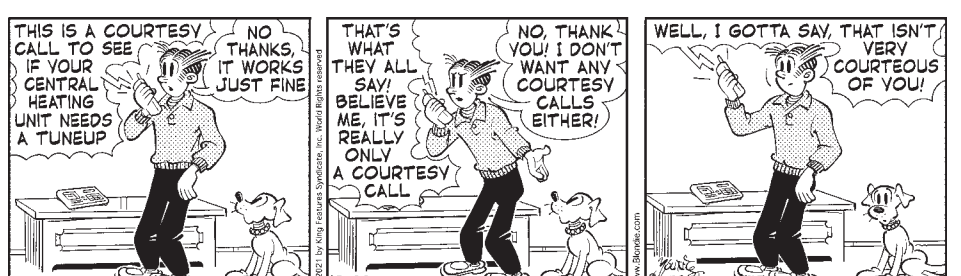
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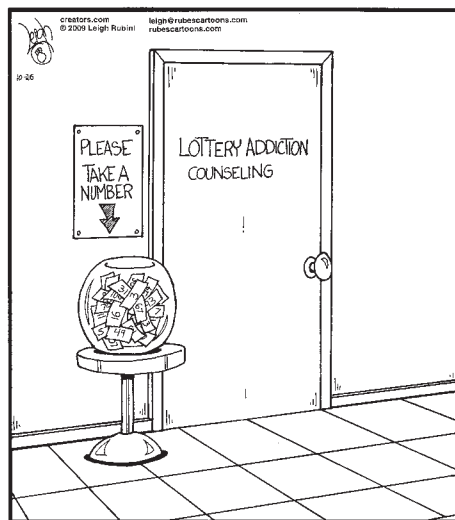


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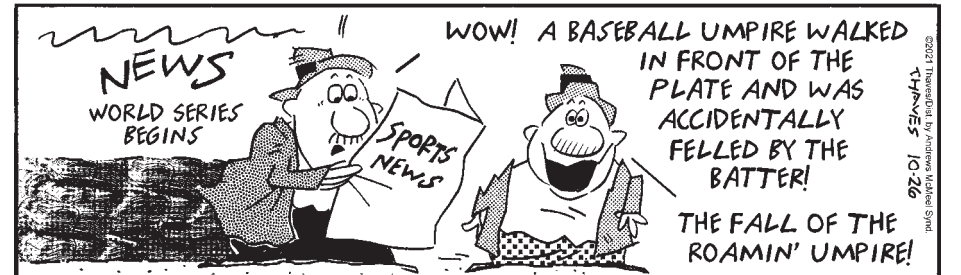
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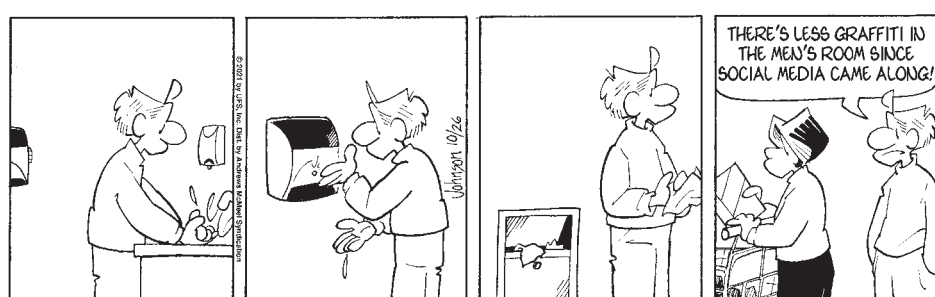
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- "The Last Duel" (2021) R — 11:30, 3:15, 6:50 p.m.
- "No Time to Die" (2021) PG-13 — 11:15 a.m., 3, 6:30 p.m.
- "Venom: Let There Be Carnage" (2021) PG-13 — 12:30, 3:45, 7:45 p.m.
- Valerie Theatre, Inverness; 352-341-7850
- "The Conjuring" 7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 29
- "Goosebumps," 7 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 30
- "The Shining," 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 31

CELEBRITY CIPHER by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

Today's clue: I equals P

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Previous Solution: "Art is not the application of a canon of beauty but what the instinct and the brain can conceive beyond any canon." — P. Picasso



# Butler, Heat pull away to top Magic 107-90

Associated Press

MIAMI — Jimmy Butler scored 36 points on 15-for-21 shooting, Bam Adebayo added 16 points and 13 rebounds and the Miami Heat pulled away in the fourth quarter to beat the Orlando Magic 107-90 on Monday night.

Markieff Morris had 16 points off the Miami bench, and Tyler Herro finished with 13 points, five rebounds and nine assists for the Heat.

Miami was 19 for 19 from the foul line, tying the second-most makes without a miss in team history. The Heat were 30 for 30 against Boston on March 24, 1993.

Franz Wagner and Jalen Suggs led Orlando with 15 points, while Cole Anthony and R.J. Hampton each added 12 for the Magic. Mo Bamba and Robin Lopez had 11 apiece for Orlando.

Butler also had five steals, and did the bulk of his scoring work at the rim for Miami. He had 11 field goals — a career best for the opening two quarters of a game — by halftime, the majority of those dunks or layups, and the Heat led by as many as 19 in the early going before taking a 57-44 lead into the break.



Associated Press

Orlando center Mo Bamba (5) drives to the basket Monday as Miami guard Kyle Lowry defends during the first half in Miami. The Heat won 107-90.

## Bucks 119, Pacers 109

INDIANAPOLIS — Giannis Antetokounmpo finished with 30 points, 10 rebounds and nine assists, and Khris Middleton added 27 points as the defending NBA champion Milwaukee Bucks beat Indiana 119-109.

## Nets 104, Wizards 90

NEW YORK — Kevin Durant scored 25 points and the Brooklyn Nets bounced back from a poor finish a day earlier with a

blistering start that sent them to a 104-90 victory over the Washington Wizards.

Patty Mills added 21 points off the bench, while James Harden finished with 14 points, nine assists and six rebounds.

## Hawks 122, Pistons 104

ATLANTA — Trae Young had 32 points and nine assists, John Collins scored 22 and the Atlanta Hawks beat the Detroit Pistons 122-104.

The Hawks have won 24 of their last 30 home games, including playoff games, dating to Feb. 21.

## Celtics 140, Hornets 129 OT

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Jayson Tatum scored a season-high 41 points, Jaylen Brown added 30, including an emphatic dunk in overtime, and the Boston Celtics beat Charlotte 140-129, handing the Hornets their first loss of the season.

Miles Bridges had 25 points and 10 rebounds for the Hornets.

## Bulls 111, Raptors 108

TORONTO — DeMar DeRozan scored 26 points against his former team, Zach LaVine had 22 points and the Chicago Bulls opened a season with four straight wins for the first time since 1996-97, holding off the Toronto Raptors 111-108.

## Pelicans 107, T'wolves 98

MINNEAPOLIS — Brandon Ingram scored 27 points, Jonas Valanciunas had 22 points and 23 rebounds, and the New Orleans Pelicans snapped a season-opening three-game losing streak with a 107-98 victory over the Minnesota Timberwolves.



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8		6		1	9	3		
	3							
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	6							3
		7	5		1	9		
	4			3				
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							2	
		2	7	4		6		5

Solution to Monday's puzzle

10/26/21

4	7	6	2	8	1	5	3	9
3	9	1	4	6	5	8	2	7
5	8	2	7	9	3	1	4	6
6	1	8	9	5	2	4	7	3
9	4	7	8	3	6	2	5	1
2	5	3	1	4	7	9	6	8
8	3	5	6	2	9	7	1	4
7	6	9	5	1	4	3	8	2
1	2	4	3	7	8	6	9	5

Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit, 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit [sudoku.org.uk](http://sudoku.org.uk)

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Tuesday, October 26, 2021

KATHLEEN SAXE

## WORD GAME

TODAY'S WORD -- MALAMUTE

(MALAMUTE: MAL-uh-myoot: A powerful sled dog developed in Alaska.)

Average mark 18 words  
Time limit 25 minutes

Can you find 22 or more words in MALAMUTE?  
The list will be published tomorrow.

YESTERDAY'S WORD -- IMPERILS

impel	pier	emir	limier
mile	pile	rile	limp
mire	plie	rime	limper
peril	prim	ripe	
perm	prime	lime	

RULES OF THE GAME: 1. Words must be of four or more letters. 2. Words that acquire four letters by the addition of "s," such as "bats" or "dies," are not allowed. 3. Additional words made by adding a "d" or an "s" may not be used. 4. Proper nouns, slang words, or vulgar or sexually explicit words are not allowed. Contact Word Game creator Kathleen Saxe at [kzsaxe@gmail.com](mailto:kzsaxe@gmail.com).

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### ACROSS

- 1 Have a look
- 4 Scientific principle
- 7 Soup ingredients
- 11 PC key
- 12 Woeful cry
- 14 Fix typos
- 15 Big Band —
- 16 Triangle part
- 17 Dramatic intro (hyph.)
- 18 Mind
- 20 Kitchen spice
- 22 Kind of meditation
- 23 Miners dig it
- 24 Soft drinks
- 27 Exchanged
- 30 Couple
- 31 Ardor
- 32 Travel word
- 34 Sweater letter
- 35 Lab denizens
- 36 Baby, maybe
- 37 Still green
- 39 Boot bottoms

### DOWN

- 40 Jump
- 41 James Bond's occupation
- 42 Papeete's island
- 45 Deli sandwich
- 49 Word of assent
- 50 Nikita's no
- 52 Holiday cheer
- 53 "Juke Box Baby" crooner
- 54 Farm bleater
- 55 Actress — Hagen
- 56 Kitchen meas.
- 57 Lopsided
- 58 Crestfallen

### Answer to Previous Puzzle

P	A	M		P	O	E		D	A	B
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H	U	N		A	N	K	A		U	N
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D	E	E		T	A	I			E	Y

- 5 Extraterrestrial
- 6 Crumple (up)
- 7 Stroked
- 8 Gouda cousin
- 9 Candy-striper
- 10 Bachelor's party
- 13 Mexicali matrons
- 19 Ivan or Nicholas (Var.)
- 21 Mountains or river
- 24 ER practice
- 25 Vacation destination
- 26 Zoo denizen
- 27 Antoinette lost hers
- 28 Sinister
- 29 Really bad
- 31 Shocking
- 33 Unser and Gore
- 35 Read the — act
- 36 Spanish painter
- 38 Jungle chargers
- 39 Uneven
- 41 Cut fleece
- 42 Ambassador's forte
- 43 Andy's friend
- 44 Rope fiber
- 46 Veld grazers
- 47 Small amount
- 48 Mild oath
- 51 Zippy the Pinhead's cry

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## WORDY GURDY®

BY TRICKY RICKY KANE

Every answer is a rhyming pair of words (like FAT CAT and DOUBLE TROUBLE), and they will fit in the letter squares. The number after the definition tells you how many syllables in each word.

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1. Procure a guitar ridge (1)

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2. Frayed-by-age rhino nose feature (1)

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3. Icy comedienne Tomlin (2)

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4. Senate gofer's fits of road anger (2)

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5. Person on either side of a TV news VIP (2)

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6. "The U.K." inscribed by hand on paper (2)

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7. Actress Elle or Dakota scheduling (2)

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