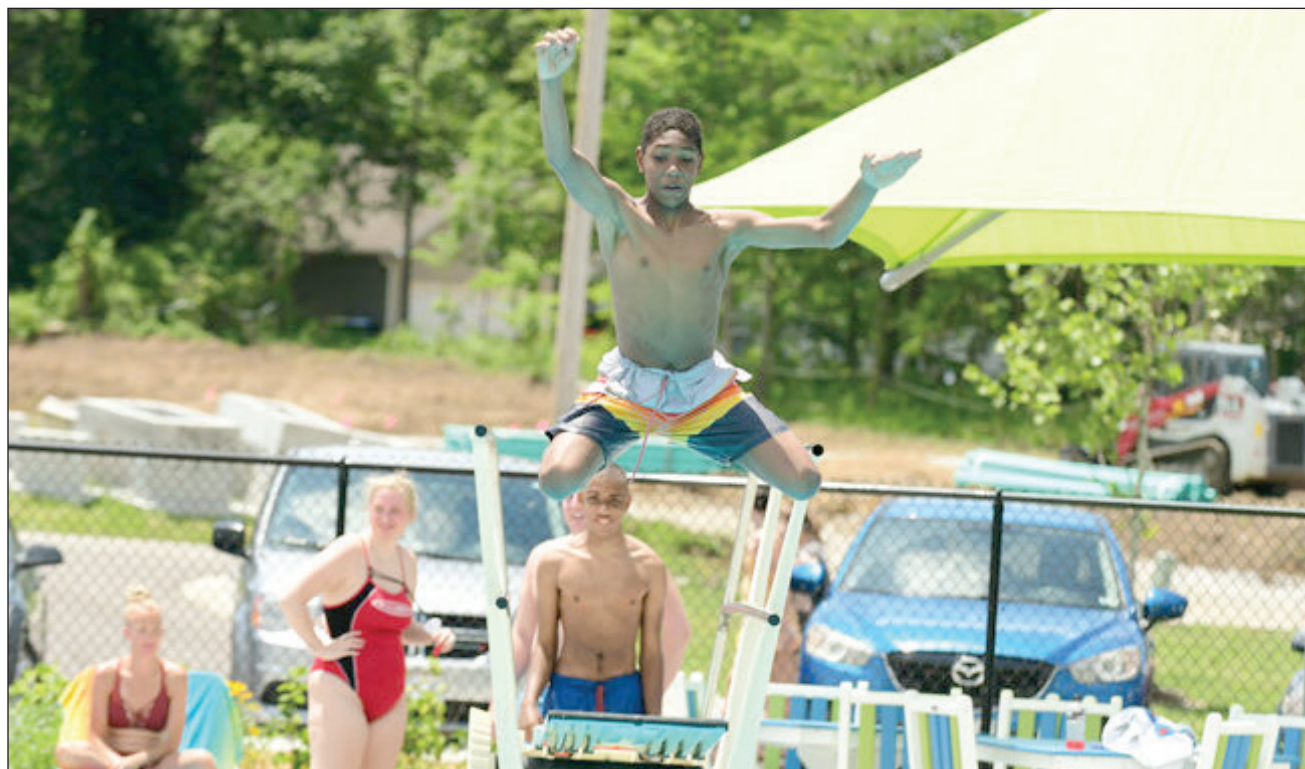


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Aquatic Center Water Park opens

By City of Kirkville

The Aquatic Center Water Park officially opened on Saturday. Required infrastructure repairs were completed at the park and all of the outdoor amenities, the

splash pad, current channel and all three slides, were open as well.

Water park hours are Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 6- 9:30 a.m. (Lap Swim Only), Tuesday, Thursday: 11 a.m. — noon (Lap Swim & Water Walking Only), Monday

— Saturday: Noon — 7 p.m. and Sunday: 1-6 p.m.

Wading pools and the indoor pool at the Kirkville Aquatic Center resumed their normal hours of operation Saturday. Pricing is available at the city of Kirkville's website.



Kirkville Council approves facade improvement bid

By Marty Bachman
Daily Express

The Kirkville City Council, at their June 6 meeting, approved a resolution accepting a bid from Sparks Constructors, Inc. for the Downtown Revitalization Program – Facade Improvement Project, Phase XI at 111 S. Elson St.

According to Assistant City Manager Ashley Young, this is the latest project as part of the downtown revitalization program. The location is the northern of the two buildings that make up the DuKum Inn.

According to a staff report, the city advertised for bids on April 19 and opened them on May 5. The city received one bid from Sparks Constructors, Inc. that totaled at \$153,991.

“That would make the total amount paid back to the downtown TIF [Tax Increment Finance] by the property owner, \$38,497.15,” Young told the council.

The staff report states that the property owner's share of the cost is 25 percent while Downtown Tax Increment Finance District funds pay 75 percent of the cost. Young said that the facade improvements will include the tuckpointing of the bricks, the replacement of windows, new awnings and new signage.

“This project just continues to be beautiful all around town,” said Mayor Zac Burden. “I’m admiring the work across the street that’s being completed still on that property there. It is really enhancing our entire downtown. I’m excited to see this one next on the block.”

The motion to approve the resolution passed unanimously.

In other action, the council approved a special event request to allow the consumption of alcohol on city property during the Adair County Democratic Club’s Juneteenth Picnic at the Ray Klinginsmith Amphitheater in Rotary Park on Thursday, June 16, between 3 and 6 p.m.

According to Parks Director Rodney Sadler, representatives from the Adair County Democratic Club reserved use of the Ray Klinginsmith Amphitheater in Rotary Park to host a special event and also submitted a special event application to provide alcohol to those attending.

“The purpose of the event is to allow Adair County Democratic Club members and guests to listen to speakers and celebrate Juneteenth,” Sadler wrote in a staff report.

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Car accident

By Marty Bachman
Daily Express

Two vehicles collided at the corner of Franklin and LaHarpe on Friday afternoon. According to police, a witness reported that a white, Pontiac G6 head-

ed westbound and driven by Brianna McCartney of Kirkville, failed to stop at the red light, hitting a white Ford Ranger pickup truck driven by Monica Williams of Novinger, who was driving south on Franklin. No injuries were reported.



The DuKum Inn will be a beneficiary of the city's facade improvement program.

Blue Velvet headlines Friday night concert

By Al Maglio

Blue Velvet brought their big band era sound to the Kirkville Art Association's annual Summer off the Square concert series last Friday. The concert series will con-

tinue next Friday at 7 p.m. with the band Keota playing Americana, bluegrass, country and classic rock. Concerts are held on the north side of the Sue Ross Arts Center at 215 S. Franklin Street in Kirkville.



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Aaron Jack Allison

Nov 21, 1977 — Jun 10, 2022

Aaron Jack Allison, age 44, of Kirksville, Missouri, passed away Friday, June 10, 2022 at his home.

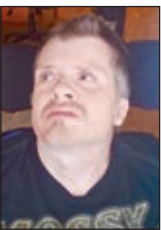
Born November 21, 1977 in Hillsboro, North Dakota, the son of Jack William, Jr. and Deanna Kaye (Nelson) Allison.

Surviving are his parents of La Plata, Missouri; four brothers, Adam Duane (Eden) Allison of Springfield, Missouri, Spencer Wayne (Sheree) Allison of West Valley City, Utah, Alma Leonard Allison of La Plata, Missouri, and Zebedee Joseph Allison of La Plata, Missouri; two sisters, Norene (Matt) Potter of Enoch, Utah and Naomi (Chris) Baker of Kirksville, Missouri; nine nieces and eight nephews.

Aaron was a 1999 graduate of Macon High School in Macon, Missouri. He was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints in Macon, Missouri. Aaron was seriously handicapped all of his life. He enjoyed walks with his family.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. Friday, June 17, 2022 at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints in Macon, Missouri. Burial will be in the La Plata Cemetery, La Plata, Missouri.

Visitation will be one hour prior to the services at the church.



Antique Show

By Marty Bachman
Daily Express

Lawson Hill Antique held an outdoor “pop-up” market on Saturday, June 11. The event featured vintage goods from 35 “unique” vendors. Lupita’s food trailer and Wallace Concessions were also on-site

as well as a handful of classic cars. The market featured antiques, collectibles, repurposed and recycled items, home decor, farmhouse decor, cast iron, organic healthcare products, hand-crafted soaps, yard art, furniture, glassware, pottery, jewelry and other items.

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Driver examination stations close statewide For Juneteenth

The Missouri State Highway Patrol would like to remind the public that driver examination stations throughout the state will be closed on the following date: Monday, June 20, in observance of Juneteenth. Normal operations will resume on Tuesday, June 21.

Starting a Business 101 — KVYP Lunch & Learn

Pack a lunch & Join KVYP and Anastasia Tiedemann, small business counselor, for a special lunch and learn on Thursday, June 16, from noon to 1 p.m. at the Hampton Inn Truman Room

Learn:

- Is business ownership right for you?
- Business Planning and Research
- Funding your plan
- Filing at the Federal and State levels.

You will also be educated about tools and resources available to you right here in our hometown through the local Small Business Development Center.

Novinger to Host History Day

The former coal mining boom town of Novinger will relive its past during Novinger History Day on Sunday, June 26. From 2 – 4 p.m., the Novinger Log Homestead, Coal Miners Museum and former Methodist Church will be open for tours. Homestead visitors will learn about life in the mid-to-late 1800s, have the chance to hold a conversation with a frontier family, watch demonstrations of basket weaving, darning, leather working and other old-time skills. Museum guests will have an opportunity to talk with former coal miner Emmet Blacksmith about his experience and how the mines worked. One of the town’s oldest remaining buildings, the former Novinger United Methodist Church (built in 1903 and located at 606 Davis Street) will be open to allow attendees to hear about its history. At the same time visitors can view displays inside the Community Center by the Adair County Historical Society and hear Larry Evans speak on the former local rural schools. History books, souvenirs and bottled water will also be available. On the fairgrounds attendees can learn Bocce Ball, a lawn game often played

in the town’s earlier days.

Attendees can meet at the town jail at 2:30 p.m. to learn about how the town came to be and its growth thru the heydays. At 3 p.m. people have the opportunity to gather at the caboose to learn more about the former business area. An ice cream social is also scheduled to begin inside the Community Center at 3 p.m.

The Novinger Legends Come to Life program begins at 4 p.m. inside the Community Center. Local actors and some descendants will portray earlier citizens and share the hardships and joys experienced during their lifetime.

For more information about the event call 660-342-6455.

2022 All American Red, White and Blue Festival

The city of Kirksville Office of Tourism is presenting the 2022 All American Red, White and Blue Festival the weekend of July 1-4. Themed “Living the American Dream”, the festival kicks off on Friday, July 1, with the Summer on the Square concert featuring the Kirksville Community Band at 5 p.m., followed by Springfield-based The Aaron Russell Band at 7 p.m.

On Saturday, July 2, the Kiwanis Farmer’s Market will open at 7 a.m. in the 100 block of North Elson Street and a joint service clubs pancake breakfast will be held at 7 a.m. on Washington Street. At 8 a.m., the All American Red, White & Blue Classic Car Show will open in the downtown Cinema 8 parking lot and in the 200 block of West Washington Street. At 9 a.m. on Saturday, The United Way of Northeast Missouri will be holding a pie sale and silent auction in the Bank Midwest parking lot at 201 N, Elson Street, At 10 a.m., the Red, White & Blue Parade will be held downtown.

On Sunday, July 3, the Cemetery Theatre will hold performances at the Forest-Llewellyn Cemetery at 5 p.m.

On Monday, July 4, the 6th Annual FLATS Uncle Sam 5k run/1.2-mile walk will be held at the DuKum Inn at 9 a.m. As the evening arrives, the events will conclude with a fireworks show at North Park. (July 5 if it rains).

United Way golf tournament fundraiser

The Wooden Nickel is sponsoring a four-person golf team tournament for the United Way on July 15 at

the Kirksville Country Club. Registration is 8:30 a.m. on Friday and tee-off will be 10 a.m. Hole/Tee sponsors are \$125 with signs by the hole/tee. Sponsors are welcome to set promotional items at the hole.

Teams cost \$275 before June 30 (\$300 after). Mulligans (per team) are one for \$25 and two for \$40. Prizes and awards will be given out following the tournament. Carts are available for \$36 through the Kirksville Country Club. The number of teams is limited so register early.

Classic prizes include the top hole-in-one prize, which is one of six vacation destinations. Other prizes for longest putt overall on 18th hole, longest drive per woman or man, and cash prizes for top three finishers.

Registration forms are available at the Wooden Nickel, United Way’s local office at 201 N. Elson, Suite 204, by calling the office at 660-665-1924, email at uwnemo@gmail.com or on Facebook at United Way of Northeast Missouri.

Summer ‘off’ the Square dates

The Kirksville Art Association’s annual Summer on the Square concert series will be held Fridays at 7 p.m. on the north side of the Sue Ross Arts Center at 215 S. Franklin Street in Kirksville. Following is a list of concerts for the summer series: June 17 — Keota, sponsored by Sparklight. Americana, Bluegrass, Country, Classic Rock. June 24 — No Apology, Sponsored by Sparklight. Outlaw Honkytonk. July 1 — Aaron Russel Band, sponsored by Chariton Valley Association, Inc. & Sparklight. Country from 60’s – 90’s, Classic Rock, Gospel. July 8 — Mercy’s Bridge, Sponsored by Sparklight. Uplifting Country Gospel. July 15 — Kirksville Community Band, Sponsored by Sparklight. Concert Band Music. July 22 — No Performance (NEMO Fair Week). July 29 — Pumptown Family Band, Sponsored by Sparklight. High Energy; Eclectic mix of new and old with a beat. August 5 — Bootcut, Sponsored by Lovegreen Ford & Sparklight. Southern Rock. August 12 — StoneHouse, Sponsored by Sparklight. High Energy Rock & Roll; Classic Rock. August 19 — Demi Michelle, Sponsored by Sparklight. Acoustic Country and Pop. August 26 — Deadwood, Sponsored by

Sparklight. Rockin’ Blues.

Kirksville Parks & Recreation Master Plan community meeting on Aug. 17

The city of Kirksville has formally kicked off the Kirksville Parks & Recreation Master Plan 2032 that will guide city-wide parks and recreation improvements for the next 10 years. This master plan will include recommendations for advancing and maintaining the parks and recreation system that enhances the quality of life for all citizens and creates a joyful environment for all ages, abilities and backgrounds. This process will last approximately seven months and offers multiple ways of getting involved with the

project. A community open houses is planned for Aug. 17, 5-8 p.m. at the Rotary Park Ray Klinginsmith Amphitheater. For more information, contact Rodney Sadler with the Parks and Recreation Department at 660-627-1485.

Summer Candidate Forum

Join the Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce and event moderator Sheri Eklof, KITE Bott Radio Network, for a Q&A session with contested candidates running for Adair County offices and District #3 state representative. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. for a meet and greet with candidates. The forum will begin at 6 p.m., with plans to post the recording on social media platforms the following day.

This forum will be held for contested candidates of the same party whose race will be determined during the August Primary.

Kirksville City-Wide Sidewalk Sales

Area businesses are planning to host sidewalk sales on Friday, July 29 and Saturday, July 30. Spend the day out on the town, enjoy the July weather and save some money! No sign-ups required. Plan to have clearance/discount racks/items on your sidewalks and promote those sales on your own Facebook page as well as in the discussion section of the Smart Shopper- Kirksville Retail & Services page. Hours of sales depend upon store location.

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Sadler told the council that if they approved the request and it becomes an annual event, the city manager would have the authority to approve subsequent applications each year. He told the

council that organizers are expecting about 50 people to attend the event and that the DuKum Inn would be in charge of the distribution of alcohol, which will not be sold.

“It would just be there available to anybody who wants to partake and is of the legal age,” he said.

He said that in order

to serve alcohol in that area, it needed to be barricaded or roped off.

“If approved by city council tonight, then we’ll be working through that with the police chief as we normally would,” he said.

The council unanimously approved the special event request.

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IRS increases mileage rate for remainder of 2022

By Press Release

WASHINGTON — The Internal Revenue Service today announced an increase in the optional standard mileage rate for the final 6 months of 2022. Taxpayers may use the optional standard mileage rates to calculate the deductible costs of operating an automobile for business and certain other purposes.

For the final 6 months of 2022, the standard mileage rate for business travel will be 62.5 cents per mile, up 4 cents from the rate effective at the start of the year. The new rate for deduct-

Mileage Rate Changes		
Purpose	Rates 1/1 through 6/30/22	Rates 7/1 through 12/31/22
Business	58.5	62.5
Medical/Moving	18	22
Charitable	14	14

ible medical or moving expenses (available for active-duty members of the military) will be 22 cents for the remainder of 2022, up 4 cents from the rate effective at the start of 2022. These new rates become effective July 1, 2022. The IRS provided legal guidance on the new rates in Announcement 2022-13, issued today.

In recognition of recent gasoline price increases, the IRS made this special adjustment for the final months of 2022. The IRS normally updates the mileage rates once a year in the fall for the next calendar year. For travel from Jan. 1 through June 30, 2022, taxpayers should use the rates set forth in Notice 2022-03.

“The IRS is adjusting the standard mileage rates to better reflect the recent increase in fuel prices,” said IRS Commissioner Chuck Rettig. “We are aware a number of unusual factors have come into play involving fuel costs, and we are taking this special step to help taxpayers, businesses and others who use this rate.”

While fuel costs are a significant factor in the mileage figure, other items enter into the calculation of mileage rates, such as depreciation and insurance and other fixed and variable costs.

The optional business standard mileage rate is used to compute the deductible costs of operating an automobile

for business use in lieu of tracking actual costs. This rate is also used as a benchmark by the federal government and many businesses to reimburse their employees for mileage.

Taxpayers always have the option of calculating the actual costs of using their vehicle rather than using the standard mileage rates.

The 14 cents per mile rate for charitable organizations remains unchanged as it is set by statute.

Midyear increases in the optional mileage rates are rare, the last time the IRS made such an increase was in 2011.

How to show your appreciation for postal workers

By Special to The Express

Postal employees work tirelessly to ensure that parcels are sent through the system efficiently and delivered on time. According to the United States Postal Service, the agency handled 152.6 billion in mail volume and 6.2 billion in shipping and packaging volume in 2019. The public relies on the postal system for medications, business packages, retail items, and millions of letters and other correspondence sent each year.

The postal system continued to run during the pandemic, despite shutdowns and other setbacks. In fact, with more individuals staying close to home, mail carriers served as links to the outside world and a vital cog in the delivery machine that helped keep the world running.

No matter the situation, postal employees are vital. Whether postal employees are processing and sorting mail or delivering it to homes across the nation, the public can express their gratitude to these essential workers in various ways.

Offer a gift

According to federal regulations in the United States, postal employees are eligible to receive a gift worth \$20 or less from a customer per occasion, such as a birthday or holiday. That gift cannot be cash, check or a gift card that can be exchanged for cash. No USPS employee may accept more than \$50 worth of gifts from one customer in a calendar year. A pair of gloves, sunglasses, food gifts, and the like may be suitable, provided they are not valued at more than \$20.



Make things convenient

Ensure that postal employees can reach the mailbox and front of the home safely. Remove any tripping hazards from pathways, which may include repairing cracked walkways or uneven brick or stone paths. Promptly shovel snow during snowstorms. Secure pets so they cannot get outdoors when postal workers approach.

Prepare a grab-and-go basket

Postal workers may appreciate a small refreshment during their shifts. Fill a basket or box with snack-sized offerings of cookies, chips, trail mix, bottled water, or juices. Carriers can grab an item as they leave your porch.

Leave a note

Place a thank you note addressed to the carrier on the mailbox. Convey your feelings and express appreciation for all he or she does.

Provide a meal

During busy times of year, such as the holiday season and Mother's Day, postal employees in mail branches may work long hours and interact with hundreds of people. Visit your local post office and provide a lunch as a token of your appreciation.

Little gestures of gratitude and kindness can go a long way for postal employees who are working hard to keep mail moving.



How to plan for a post-50 career change

By Special to The Express

Professionals change careers for many reasons. Some do so in pursuit of a higher salary, while others seek a more even balance between their personal and professional lives.

Career changes can renew a person's passion for working, which can grow stale for individuals who have been doing the same job for years on end. Though there's not necessarily a bad time to change careers, there are times when making such a transition carries more risk. Such is the case for individuals over 50. Many individuals over 50 may not have the financial obligations they had when they were younger, as children may have grown up and moved out of the house. That can make changing careers after 50 more palatable. However, some individuals in their 50s may be hesitant to leave the security of an established career behind in favor of something new. Hesitance about job prospects after 50 also can make some less likely to take the plunge into a new career.

Though hesitancy about a career change after 50 is understandable, a recent survey from the American Institute for Economic Research found that 82 percent of workers who responded to the survey were able to successfully transition to a new career after age 45. In addition, projections from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics estimated that labor force participation among individuals aged 65 and over would increase significantly by 2022, nearly doubling the rate of participation in 1990. Those figures suggest that a midlife career change is not necessarily the same thing as a late-career career change. That should give professionals the confidence they need to successfully transition to a new career.

Individuals mulling a career change after 50 also can take these steps to make such a transition less risky.

- Pay down as much debt as possible. Financial freedom can be an ally for individuals 50 and over who want to change careers. Career changes often require a pay cut, so individuals who can pay off their mortgages, consumer debts and/or auto loans prior to making a career change may find the transition to a lower income goes more smoothly than it might if they're still carrying such sizable financial commitments.
- Make plans to delay retirement. As BLS data indicates, individuals who want to delay retirement certainly won't be alone. Delaying retirement affords individuals more time to save, and a financial advisor can help adults over 50 come up with a new retirement plan that reflects their willingness to work longer. Delaying retirement also means delaying withdrawals from retirement savings accounts, which can provide peace of mind against a loss of income resulting from a career change.
- Downsize your lifestyle. Even a post-50 career change that will require a significant drop in income can be doable for professionals who downsize their lifestyles. Empty nesters can consider moving into a smaller home, while travelers can cut back on the number of trips they take each year. Cutbacks won't necessarily be easy, but they can be worth it for individuals looking for new career challenges.
- Go back to school. Much like young people go to college before entering the professional arena, adults over 50 who want to change careers may need to go back to school to improve their career prospects. Remote learning and part-time schooling can make juggling a career and school more manageable.
- A successful career change after 50 is entirely possible for individuals willing to make some sacrifices to be happier in their professional lives.



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How employers benefit from engaging employees more effectively

By Special to The Express

The Covid-19 pandemic prompted millions of people to reconsider their careers. That reflection has had a profound effect on the labor market. Data from the U.S. Department of Labor indicates that 4.5 million people quit their jobs in the United States in November 2021, which led to a near record-high number of job openings around the end of 2021 and the beginning of 2022.

Though the pandemic may have led millions of people who were previously dissatisfied with their careers to make positive changes, employers forced to confront staff shortages may be wondering what they can do to attract qualified and talented candidates. Finding ways to engage workers more completely could benefit companies in various ways. A recent poll from Gallup found that companies suffer some pretty significant consequences when their employees are disengaged. Gallup reports that such companies suffer from

16 percent lower profitability, 18 percent lower productivity and 37 percent lower job growth.

No two workers are the same, so there's no magic wand employers can wave that will ensure everyone is suddenly engaged and satisfied with their jobs and career prospects.

However, recognition of what employees value most could help businesses retain workers longer and keep those workers engaged. A recent survey of 540 full-time employees from the market insight firm Clutch found that the most important workplace values for full-time employees are fair pay and fair treatment.

It's no surprise that the compensation bears such significance, as pandemic-related inflation and global conflicts have led to rising costs on everything from food to fuel. However, a survey from the risk management experts at Willis Towers Watson found that there's a disconnect between employees and employers in regard to the importance of fair pay and its relation to workplace stress.

H.I.I.T. workouts explained

By Special to The Express

Insufficient time to exercise often is the biggest obstacle for individuals looking to get in shape. There is no denying that life is busy, but it’s not impossible to find time to exercise, particularly when people engage in high intensity interval training, or H.I.I.T. H.I.I.T. incorporates effective movements in a 30-minute exercise routine. The American College of Sports Medicine says that H.I.I.T. has commanded a top spot on popular fitness trends lists since 2014. H.I.I.T. combines resistance training with aerobic exercises to produce a complete workout.

How does H.I.I.T. work?

The Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health says H.I.I.T. is a rigorous workout of interval training. It features several rounds that alternate between high-intensity movements followed by shorter periods of lower-intensity exercises. This format enables the workout to increase the heart rate to at least 80 percent of a person’s maximum. H.I.I.T. programs are based on interval training first introduced in the 1950s to improve performance of elite Olympic athletes.

Examples of H.I.I.T. workouts

A person can use H.I.I.T. with any type of cardiovas-



cular workout, whether stair climbing, rowing, running, or jumping rope. Higher intensity portions include working harder than one is used to for spurts of 30 seconds to three minutes, according to WebMD. The times of “rest” aren’t completely rest, just lower intensity. The progress of the workout alternates accordingly. Most people quickly increase their heart rates and work up a sweat, which helps them lose weight and boost metabolism. The post-workout bonus includes burning calories for roughly two hours following an H.I.I.T. regimen.

Different types of H.I.I.T.

There are two different types of H.I.I.T. Regular H.I.I.T. is recommended for the general public or average gym user. There also is a more intense version, called S.I.T,

which stands for Sprint Interval Training. S.I.T is especially intense, so it should only be performed by people who are already well-conditioned, according to Nuffield Health.

Who can benefit from H.I.I.T.?

Just about anyone medically cleared can utilize H.I.I.T. Since it is vigorous aerobic exercise, individuals must assess their physical condition and health before beginning. The main reason to use H.I.I.T. is to enjoy a time-efficient workout and vary the pace to stay engaged. H.I.I.T. can be done at home or at the gym. In fact, many gyms have specialized H.I.I.T. classes in their group class offerings.

H.I.I.T. has become a popular way to get in shape by packing high-intensity movements into a short period of time.

Online map and text number will help families locate local summer food programs

Free meals are being served to children at hundreds of locations in Missouri

By DHSS

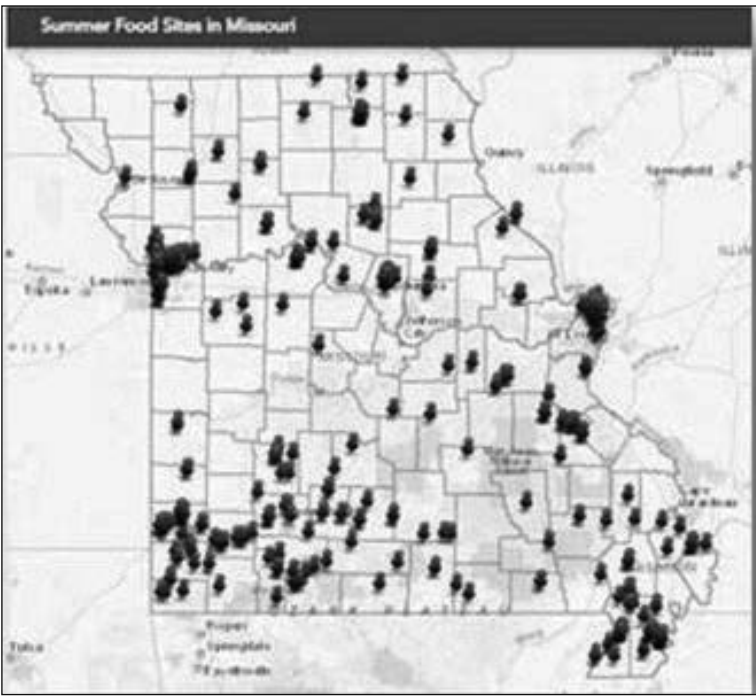
(JEFFERSON CITY) – The Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services Summer Food Service Program is designed to provide breakfast, lunch and/or snacks to children living in eligible areas during the summer months and during times of public emergencies, when children do not have access to free or reduced-price meals at school.

An online interactive map is provided to help families in Missouri find out where their children can receive free meals this summer.

Community organizations serve the meals at schools, churches, parks, swimming pools, YMCA facilities, Boys and Girls Clubs, and other spots where children gather when school is not in session.

The meals are provided to all children, regardless of family income, that attend the meal service location. Children do not have to register and there is no fee to participate in the program.

The map and more information about the Summer Food Service Program can be found



at www.health.mo.gov/sfsp/. For families without access to the internet, summer meal sites in the area can also be found by texting the phrase “Summer Meals” to the text number 914-342-7744.

Meals will be served to children age 18 and under. They are also provided to individuals age 18 to 21 that have been determined by a state or local educational agency to be mentally or physically disabled and who participate in an established school program for the mentally or physically disabled.

Funding for the Summer Food Service Program is provided by the U.S. Department

of Agriculture.

More information about the Summer Food Service Program is available online at www.health.mo.gov/sfsp/ or by telephone at 888-435-1464 (toll-free). Individuals who are deaf, hard-of-hearing, or have a speech disability can dial 711 or 1-800-735-2966. Community organizations that would like to become sponsors may also email the Summer Food Service Program at sfsp@health.mo.gov or write to the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services, Summer Food Service Program, P.O. Box 570, Jefferson City, MO 65102 for more information.



Missouri health leaders announce plan to eliminate hepatitis C among residents

By Press Release

JEFFERSON CITY – The state’s first-ever hepatitis C elimination plan, Show Me the Cure, will improve access to equitable testing and patient-centered treatment services to combat the hepatitis C virus (HCV). The Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS), Bureau of HIV, STD and Hepatitis is working to eliminate hepatitis C in Missouri by ensuring universal testing, improving health care outcomes for people living with hepatitis C and preventing new infections.

The plan was announced at an event n Jefferson City alongside public health stakeholders and planning collaborators. The hepatitis C virus is one of the most significant health problems affecting the liver. More than half of the individuals diagnosed with HCV will develop chronic infection, while the other half may experience acute infection that may spontaneously clear.

“With an estimated 2.4 million Americans living with hepatitis C, it is important that Missourians have access to services for testing and treatment,” said Paula Nickelson, acting director of DHSS. “With the establishment of the Missouri Hepatitis C Elimination Planning Committee and Show Me the Cure plan, DHSS can assist with the resources and tools Missourians need to better understand hepatitis C. We will use this plan to increase prevention, testing and treatment services through policy development and advocacy efforts.”

The Show Me the Cure plan focuses on access to services, provider development, education, collaboration and awareness, surveillance, and policy and advocacy.

“Missouri’s hepatitis C plan provides a roadmap for the state to use to eliminate hepatitis C. This plan was developed in collaboration with diverse partners from across the state, which was essential for ensuring that the needs of Missourians were addressed in the plan,” said Alicia Jenkins, Chief, DHSS Bureau of HIV, STD, and Hepatitis.

Access to Services

· Increase the proportion of people who are tested and aware of their hepatitis C status.

· Develop linkage to care for confirmatory testing and treatment.

Provider Development

· Increase the number of health care providers who are trained to identify, diagnose and treat people with hepatitis C.

Education, Collaboration and Awareness

· Increase awareness of testing and treatment for people living with hepatitis C.
· Educate Missourians on health equity, stigma and cultural humility regarding hepatitis C.

Surveillance

· Evaluate the current hepatitis C surveillance system.
· Improve the quality and completeness of hepatitis C data, including improved demographics and risk factor data reporting.
· Routinely analyze, disseminate findings and utilize hepatitis C data to develop and improve testing and linkage to care programs.
· Identify data resources and collaborate with other organizations to compile information regarding HCV populations.

Policy and Advocacy

· Increase awareness of services for patients, and increase opportunities for advocacy.
· Increase awareness regarding policies and laws that create barriers to hepatitis C testing and treatment.
· Encourage and promote hepatitis C universal screening in primary care and other settings that provide services to those at highest risk.

The plan was developed in collaboration with MO HealthNet, Missouri Department of Corrections, Missouri Department of Mental Health, Hep C Alliance, Missouri Telehealth Network & Show-Me ECHO, St. Louis County Department of Public Health, City of St. Louis Department of Health, AIDS Project of the Ozarks, Missouri Primary Care Association, Swope Health, Washington University – Project ARK, KC Care Health Center, Clay County Public Health Center, CoxHealth, Missouri Rural Health Association and AbbVie.

The Show Me the Cure plan and more information about hepatitis C can be found by visiting Health.Mo.Gov/MoHepC.

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Judge throws out \$4 million award for transgender student

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — A judge has thrown out a \$4.2 million jury award in a lawsuit filed by a transgender student in the Blues Springs School District who was denied access to male locker rooms and bathrooms.

The student, identified in court documents as R.M.A., sued in 2015. A Jackson County jury found in December that the Blue Springs School District had discriminated against the student while he attended middle and high school.

He participated in male sports but was required to use separate unisex bathrooms. Jackson County Circuit Judge Cory Atkins ruled last month that R.M.A. had not proven that his male sex was “a contributing factor” in the district’s refusal to let him

use male facilities, KCUR reported. Atkins ruled the sole, uncontradicted evidence at the trial was that the student was excluded from male facilities because of his female genitalia. The Missouri Supreme

Court ruled in 2019 that the state’s human rights laws against sex discrimination could be extended to those who don’t conform to gender stereotypes, which was considered a significant decision for transgender rights at the time.



International Boxing Hall of Fame class of 2021 inductee Floyd Mayweather acknowledges paradegoers during the annual Parade of Champions on Sunday, June 12, 2022, in Canastota, N.Y. JOHN HAEGER/STANDARD-SPEAKER VIA AP

Floyd Mayweather Jr. touched by Hall of Fame induction

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

VERONA, N.Y. — Reduced to tears at a banquet on the eve of his big day, Floyd Mayweather Jr. was inducted into the International Boxing Hall of Fame on Sunday, just a tinge of emotion in his voice as he accepted the honor.

“I done a lot in my career, but this is by far the best,” said Mayweather, who credited his mom, dad and sister for much of his success. “I want to thank the International Boxing Hall of Fame for giving me this. This right here is going to my dad because he deserves it. Bernard Hopkins said it best — ‘You’ve got to earn it.’ — and my dad earned this ring.

“I want to say thank you to everybody for your support. I want to tell all the fighters — thank you, you guys are remarkable. There wouldn’t be no me without you guys.”

Mayweather, who retired unbeaten in 50 fights, headlined the three classes that were inducted Sunday. The pandemic forced the postponement of the previous two induction ceremonies, making 2022 a crowded affair. The ceremony was

moved from the Hall of Fame’s home in Canastota, New York, to Turning Stone Resort and Casino in nearby Verona to accommodate the 36 honorees.

Roy Jones Jr., Miguel Cotto, James Toney and female champions Regina Halmich and Holly Holm were part of this year’s class. The Class of 2020 included multi-division champions Hopkins, Juan Manuel Marquez, and “Sugar” Shane Mosley. The Class of 2021 included Mayweather, Wladimir Klitschko, and Andre Ward.

Also among those honored were the first female fighters — Christy Martin, Laila Ali, Lucia Rijker, Regina Halmich, and Holly Holm — to be enshrined. Martin shot to fame when she was featured on some of Mike Tyson’s fight cards in the 1990s. Induction came on her 54th birthday.

For Laila Ali, it was a return to where her career started — and against the advice of her famous father. She won her first match in October 1999 against April Fowler at Turning Stone.

“He told me not to do it. I had to earn his respect in the ring,” said Laila, who re-

tired unbeaten in 24 fights.

All but one of the 27 fighters inducted were scheduled to be at the ceremony. The one missing was former heavyweight champion Wladimir Klitschko. He’s in Ukraine helping his brother, Vitali, a Hall of Famer himself and now the mayor of the capital city of Kyiv, during the ongoing war against invading Russia.

Instead, Wladimir Klitschko, who was heavyweight champion for 12 years and 2 days, longer than anyone in history, and finished with a pro record of 64-5 (53 KOs), released two short videos on social media to acknowledge the honor.

“Thank you fans. I never ever dreamed of getting that far in the sport. Amazing,” Klitschko said. “Boxing just made me a better person, period. It taught me a lot.”

Although his videos were short, Klitschko made a point of criticizing fellow inductee Jones for traveling to Russian-occupied Crimea.

“So Roy, whose side are you on? ” Klitschko said. “I really respect you as a fighter, but I really question your moral compass.”

Jones had other things on his mind.

MLB BASEBALL STANDINGS

AL East Division				NL East Division					
	W	L	Pct	GB		W	L	Pct	GB
New York	44	16	.733	—	New York	40	22	.645	—
Toronto	36	24	.600	8	Atlanta	35	27	.565	5
Tampa Bay	35	25	.583	9	Philadelphia	31	30	.508	8½
Boston	32	29	.525	12½	Miami	27	32	.458	11½
Baltimore	26	36	.419	19	Washington	23	40	.365	17½
AL Central Division				NL Central Division					
	W	L	Pct	GB		W	L	Pct	GB
Minnesota	36	27	.571	—	St. Louis	35	27	.565	—
Cleveland	29	27	.518	3½	Milwaukee	34	28	.548	1
Chicago	28	31	.475	6	Pittsburgh	24	35	.407	9½
Detroit	24	36	.400	10½	Chicago	23	37	.383	11
Kansas City	20	40	.333	14½	Cincinnati	22	39	.361	12½
AL West Division				NL West Division					
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Houston	37	24	.607	—	Los Angeles	37	23	.617	—
Texas	29	31	.483	7½	San Diego	38	24	.613	—
Los Angeles	29	33	.468	8½	San Francisco	34	26	.567	3
Seattle	27	34	.443	10	Arizona	29	34	.460	9½
Oakland	21	41	.339	16½	Colorado	27	34	.443	10½

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Wednesday's Games

Chicago White Sox at Detroit, 12:10 p.m.
Houston at Texas, 1:05 p.m.
Kansas City at San Francisco, 2:45 p.m.
Minnesota at Seattle, 3:10 p.m.
Tampa Bay at N.Y. Yankees, 6:05 p.m.
Baltimore at Toronto, 6:07 p.m.
Oakland at Boston, 6:10 p.m.
Cleveland at Colorado, 7:40 p.m.
L.A. Angels at L.A. Dodgers, 9:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Wednesday's Games

Miami at Philadelphia, 12:05 p.m.
Cincinnati at Arizona, 2:40 p.m.
Kansas City at San Francisco, 2:45 p.m.
Atlanta at Washington, 6:05 p.m.
Milwaukee at N.Y. Mets, 6:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis, 6:45 p.m.
San Diego at Chicago Cubs, 7:05 p.m.
Cleveland at Colorado, 7:40 p.m.
L.A. Angels at L.A. Dodgers, 9:10 p.m.



Major League Baseball Leaders

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING: Goldschmidt, St. Louis, .327; Harper, Philadelphia, .322; M.Machado, San Diego, .320; Cooper, Miami, .315; McNeil, New York, .312; Bell, Washington, .305; Iglesias, Colorado, .305; Canha, New York, .301; T.Turner, Los Angeles, .299; Lux, Los Angeles, .296.

RUNS: Betts, Los Angeles, 52; Edman, St. Louis, 48; Harper, Philadelphia, 44; Goldschmidt, St. Louis, 41; Lindor, New York, 40; M.Machado, San Diego, 40; Alonso, New York, 39; Freeman, Los Angeles, 38; Schwarber, Philadelphia, 38; Drury, Cincinnati, 37; Profar, San Diego, 37.

RBI: Alonso, New York, 55; Goldschmidt, St. Louis, 47; T.Turner, Los Angeles, 46; Harper, Philadelphia, 45; Lindor, New York, 45; Cron, Colorado, 42; Chisholm Jr., Miami, 40; Arenado, St. Louis, 39; Betts, Los Angeles, 39; Tellez, Milwaukee, 38.

HITS: Goldschmidt, St. Louis, 72; M.Machado, San Diego, 71; T.Turner, Los Angeles, 69; Freeman, Los Angeles, 68; Bell, Washington, 67; Cron, Colorado, 67; Harper, Philadelphia, 67; Hernández, Washington, 67; Betts, Los Angeles, 66; Alonso, New York, 63; Edman, St. Louis, 63; McNeil, New York, 63; Swanson, Atlanta, 63.

DOUBLES: Olson, Atlanta, 24; Freeman, Los Angeles, 21; K.Marte, Arizona, 21; Goldschmidt, St. Louis, 19; Harper, Philadelphia, 19; E.Escobar, New York, 16; M.Machado, San Diego, 16; J.Turner, Los Angeles, 16; Albies, Atlanta, 15; Cooper, Miami, 15; Franco, Washington, 15.

TRIPLES: Chisholm Jr., Miami, 4; Nimmo, New York, 4; Edman, St. Louis, 3; E.Escobar, New York, 3; Joe, Colorado, 3; J.Sánchez, Miami, 3; C.Taylor, Los Angeles, 3; Wong, Milwaukee, 3; 17 tied at 2.

HOME RUNS: Alonso, New York, 17; Schwarber, Philadelphia, 16; Betts, Los Angeles, 16; Riley, Atlanta, 16; C.Walker, Arizona, 15; Harper, Philadelphia, 15; Cron, Colorado, 14; Pederson, San Francisco, 13; Soto, Washington, 13; Chisholm Jr., Miami, 12; Wisdom, Chicago, 12; Soler, Miami, 12; Goldschmidt, St. Louis, 12.

STOLEN BASES: Edman, St. Louis, 15; Bader, St. Louis, 14; T.Turner, Los Angeles, 13; Acuña Jr., Atlanta, 11; Berti, Miami, 11; Chisholm Jr., Miami, 10; Swanson, Atlanta, 9; Yelich, Milwaukee, 9; 6 tied at 8.

PITCHING: Musgrove, San Diego, 7-0; T.Anderson, Los Angeles, 7-0; Gonsolin, Los Angeles, 7-0; Carrasco, New York, 7-2; K.Thompson, Chicago, 6-1; Alcantara, Miami, 6-2; Fried, Atlanta, 6-2; Wright, Atlanta, 6-3; Buehler, Los Angeles, 6-3; Gray, Washington, 6-4.

ERA: Musgrove, San Diego, 1.50; Alcantara, Miami, 1.61; P.López, Miami, 2.30; Wright, Atlanta, 2.39; Burnes, Milwaukee, 2.48; Fried, Atlanta, 2.64; Wainwright, St. Louis, 2.84; Wheeler, Philadelphia, 2.84; Mikolas, St. Louis, 2.93; M.Kelly, Arizona, 3.32.

STRIKEOUTS: Burnes, Milwaukee, 92; Aa.Nola, Philadelphia, 85; H.Greene, Cincinnati, 79; Alcantara, Miami, 77; Rodón,

San Francisco, 75; Wheeler, Philadelphia, 75; Bassitt, New York, 74; Mahle, Cincinnati, 74; Wright, Atlanta, 73; P.López, Miami, 72; Musgrove, San Diego, 72.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING: Arraez, Minnesota, .367; J.Martinez, Boston, .347; Devers, Boston, .335; France, Seattle, .329; Bogaerts, Boston, .321; Judge, New York, .313; Benintendi, Kansas City, .308; J.Crawford, Seattle, .304; Alvarez, Houston, .302; Mancini, Baltimore, .297.

RUNS: Judge, New York, 50; Devers, Boston, 46; Trout, Los Angeles, 42; Ohtani, Los Angeles, 41; Alvarez, Houston, 38; Straw, Cleveland, 38; Bogaerts, Boston, 37; J.Ramírez, Cleveland, 37; Springer, Toronto, 37; Buxton, Minnesota, 35; J.Martinez, Boston, 35.

RBI: J.Ramírez, Cleveland, 56; Judge, New York, 48; Story, Boston, 41; Rizzo, New York, 40; A.García, Texas, 40; Alvarez, Houston, 39; France, Seattle, 38; Stanton, New York, 37; Ohtani, Los Angeles, 37; Tucker, Houston, 36; Walsh, Los Angeles, 36.

HITS: Devers, Boston, 82; France, Seattle, 77; Bogaerts, Boston, 70; Judge, New York, 68; J.Martinez, Boston, 68; Arraez, Minnesota, 66; Benintendi, Kansas City, 66; Bichette, Toronto, 65; Mancini, Baltimore, 63; J.Crawford, Seattle, 62.

DOUBLES: Devers, Boston, 23; J.Martinez, Boston, 21; Guriel, Houston, 17; Andrus, Oakland, 16; Bogaerts, Boston, 16; Espinal, Toronto, 16; K.Hernández, Boston, 16; J.Ramírez, Cleveland, 16; Bichette, Toronto, 15; O.Miller, Cleveland, 15; Trout, Los Angeles, 15.

TRIPLES: J.Ramírez, Cleveland, 4; Witt Jr., Kansas City, 4; Gordon, Minnesota, 3; Rivera, Kansas City, 3; Rosario, Cleveland, 3; 20 tied at 2.

HOME RUNS: Judge, New York, 24; Buxton, Minnesota, 17; Alvarez, Houston, 17; Trout, Los Angeles, 16; J.Ramírez, Cleveland, 16; Rizzo, New York, 15; Stanton, New York, 13; Guerrero Jr., Toronto, 13; Ohtani, Los Angeles, 13; Devers, Boston, 13.

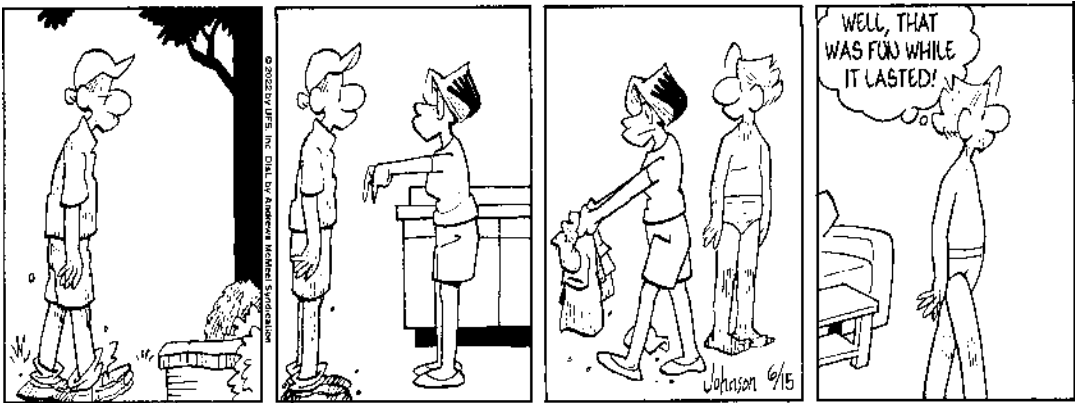
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PITCHING: Manoah, Toronto, 7-1; McClanahan, Tampa Bay, 7-2; Verlander, Houston, 7-2; Taillon, New York, 6-1; Gilbert, Seattle, 6-2; Cimber, Toronto, 6-2; F.Valdez, Houston, 6-3; Lorenzen, Los Angeles, 6-3; Cole, New York, 5-1; 5 tied at 5-2.

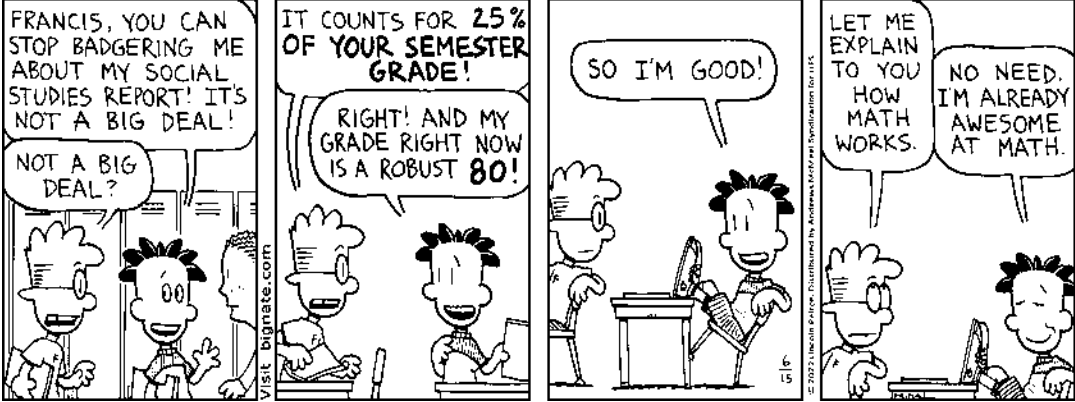
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STRIKEOUTS: McClanahan, Tampa Bay, 98; Cease, Chicago, 89; Cole, New York, 84; Montas, Oakland, 80; Gausman, Toronto, 77; Ray, Seattle, 77; Verlander, Houston, 73; Eovaldi, Boston, 72; Cortes, New York, 71; Ohtani, Los Angeles, 71; L.Severino, New York, 71.

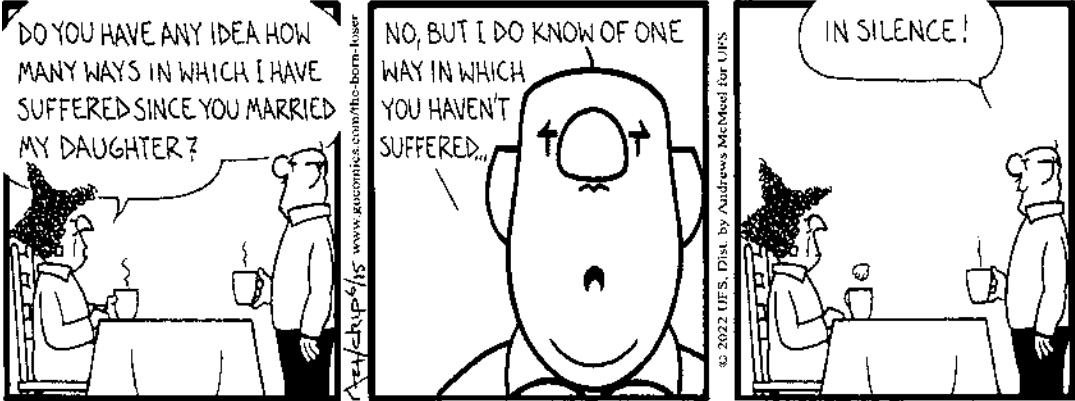
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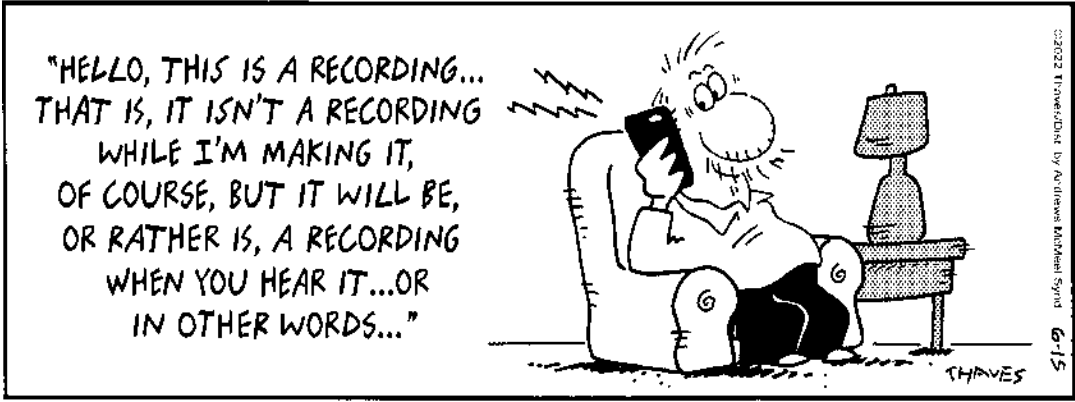
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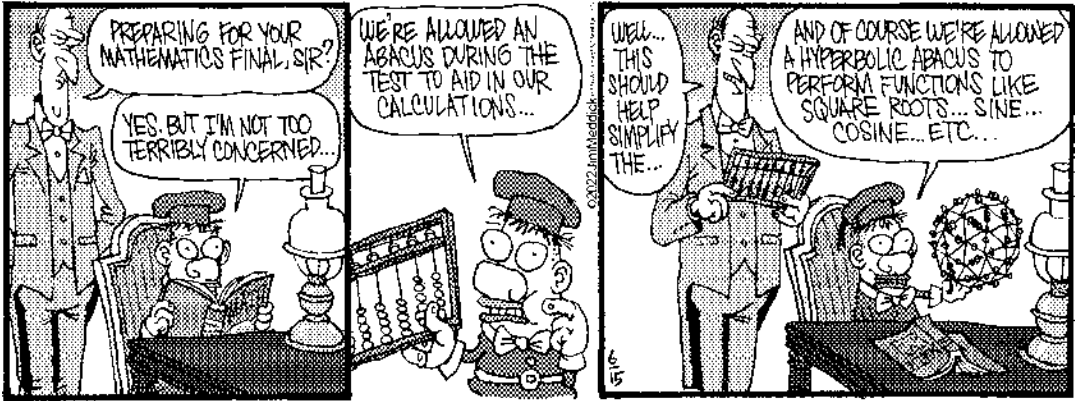
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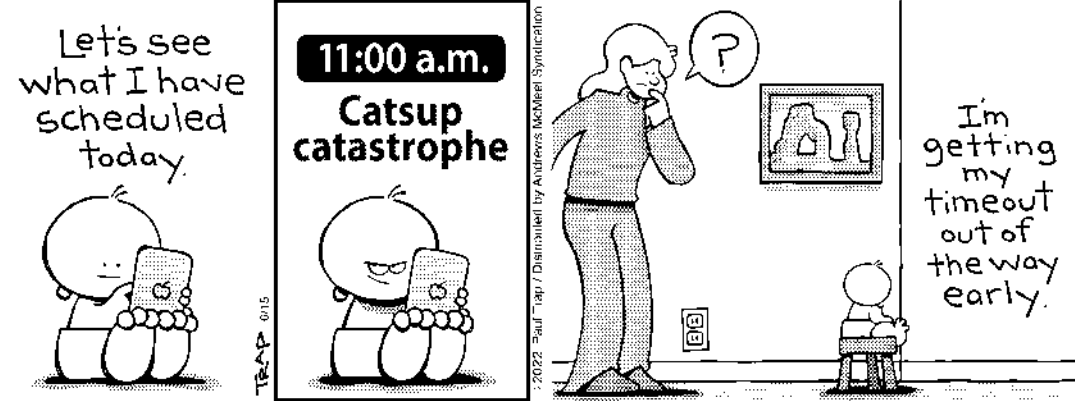
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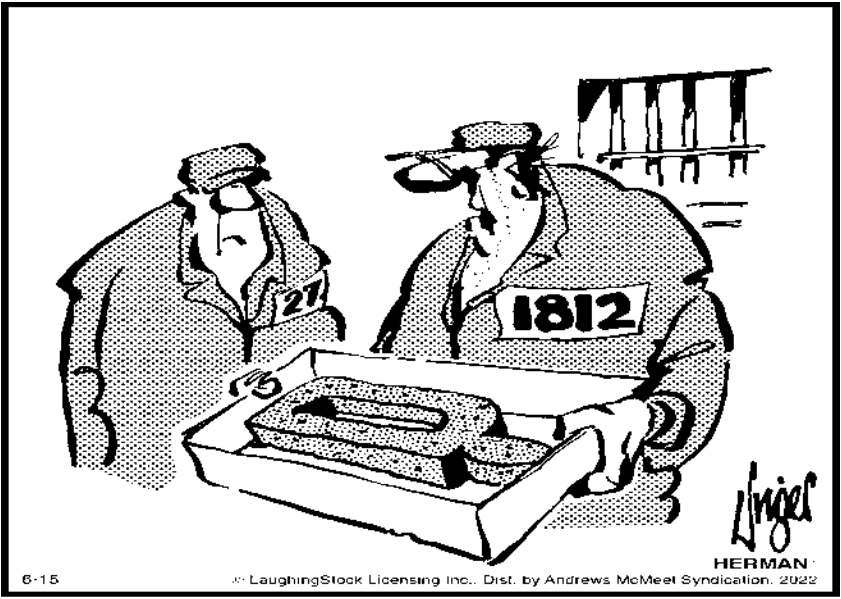
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Keep life simple and affordable. Refuse to let others coerce you into participating in things that don't interest you. Discipline and hard work are the best ways to reach your goals and comfort your soul. Knowing that you've done your best will help you go above and beyond.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) -- Apply for something, take advantage of an opportunity, mix business with pleasure and network your way to success. Don't believe everything you hear, and get what you want in writing.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) -- Cutting back and minimizing your expenditures will put your mind at ease and give you the wiggle room you require to xraise your earning potential. Opportunity will knock.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) -- An emotional situation will wreak havoc on your plans. Don't overspend, exaggerate or let anger set in when moderation and peace of mind will make things better. Avoid risky situations.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) -- Make changes that showcase how versatile you are. How you present yourself to those around you will affect your reception. Love yourself, and others will see you through the same lens.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) -- Make your surroundings more comfortable, but don't overspend. You'll find a discrepancy in your financial papers or when sharing expenses. Catch up; leave nothing to chance or unfinished.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) -- Travel, sign up to learn something new or update your image. Making a change will encourage you to get out more. Don't take on any responsibilities you can't handle. Get out and be happy.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) -- You'll attract interesting people, but don't put your trust in them. Show your intelligence, and know when to say no or move on to more critical tasks. Consider making changes at home.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) -- Put your energy into something that encourages better health and self-improvement. A physical change will help you leave the past behind. Choose peace and love over chaos.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) -- Don't let anyone ruin your plans. Keep your intentions secret until you are confident that nothing will stand in your way. Dig in and do the groundwork. Home improvement is encouraged.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) -- Stop dreaming and start doing. Call in those you can trust to do things your way. A change of heart will give you a different perspective regarding lifestyle and love. Embrace what feels right.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) -- Back away from drama and focus on what you need to accomplish. Overreacting will put a costly dent in your reputation, position or status. Think before you act, and say only what's necessary.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) -- Change what isn't working for you. Don't put up with people or situations that drain you. Don't dismiss or hide your ideas. Look for an affordable way to achieve your objective.

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Male
Age: 2

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The State of Missouri to: UNKNOWN FATHER

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Juvenile Division of the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to terminate your parental rights in and to A.T.C., a minor child born April 24, 2020.

The names of all parties in this action are stated in the caption above and the name and address of the Juvenile Office attorney is:

C. David Rouner
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400 N. Franklin Street
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(P) 660.665.7515
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You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or otherwise appear and defend against this action within 45 days after June 15, 2022, judgment by default will be entered against you.

Date of first publication is June 15, 22, 29 & July 6 2022
Linda Decker
Adair County Circuit Clerk

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ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE


65th Annual Membership Meeting of
Northeast Missouri Rural Telephone Company
Thursday, June 16, 2022 at 6:30 pm
Live on NEMR's Facebook page

Every Member who votes will receive a \$10 Bill Credit **AND** will be entered into a Drawing for Cash Prizes

To vote go to: <https://www.directvote.net/NEMR>
(Voting deadline is Tuesday, June 14, 2022 at 11:59 p.m.) **OR**

Call 660-874-4111 and one of our friendly Customer Service Representatives will gladly help you!

Please plan to watch the NEMR meeting



IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ADAIR COUNTY, MISSOURI
JUDGE MATTHEW WILSON

Case Number: 22AR-JU00038
JUVENILE DIVISION

In the Interest of A.R.S.
DOB: 9/04/2020

Female
Age: 1

Notice Upon Order for Service by Publication
The State of Missouri to: BRIANNA STARR JONES and UNKNOWN FATHER

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Juvenile Division of the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to terminate your parental rights in and to A.R.S., a minor child born September 4, 2020.

The names of all parties in this action are stated in the caption above and the name and address of the Juvenile Office attorney is:

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ADAIR COUNTY, MISSOURI
JUVENILE DIVISION
JUDGE MATTHEW WILSON

In the Interest of K.D.B., Jr. Male child DOB: 02/10/2010
Case Number: 22AR-JU00033

Notice Upon Order for Service by Publication
The State of Missouri to: Kevin Dean Burwell, Sr.

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Juvenile Division of the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to terminate your parental rights in and to K.D.B., Jr., a minor child born February 10, 2010.

The names of all parties in this action are stated in the caption above and the name and address of the Juvenile Office attorney is:

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Dates of Publication: **LINDA DECKER**
JUNE 8, 15, 22, 29, 2022 **ADAIR CO. CIRCUIT CLERK**

IN THE 2ND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT, ADAIR COUNTY, MISSOURI

Judge or Division: KRISTIE JEAN SWAIM

Case Number: 22AR-PR00031

In the Estate of ROBBY LEE KING, Deceased.

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted
(Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of ROBBY LEE KING, Decedent. On May 25, 2022, the last will of the decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed personal representative of the estate of ROBBY LEE KING, decedent by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri.

The name, business address of the personal representative is:
Rodney D. King, 603 Coal Street, P.O. Box 69 , Novinger, MO 63559
The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: Mark Williams, 1003 E. Jefferson, Kirksville, MO 63501, 660-665-7777

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the personal representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after the decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad item pursuant to Section 537.021, RSMo.

Date of the decedent's death: March 29, 2021
Date of first publication: June 1, 2022

Linda Decker
Adair County Circuit Clerk

Receipt of this notice by mail should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient necessarily has a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, can be determined from the files and records of this estate in the Probate Division of the above referenced Circuit Court.

Publication Dates: 6-1-2022, 6-8-2022, 6-15-2022, 6-22-2022



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