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# FIRST WAVE



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# Cedar City Hospital gives first wave of COVID-19 Vaccine

by Becki BRONSON

COMMUNICATIONS & PUBLIC RELATIONS  
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The COVID-19 vaccine was administered the first time at Intermountain Cedar City Hospital last week to Karma Adamson, a Health Unit Coordinator at Cedar City Hospital's Emergency Department. She, along with about 120 other healthcare workers today, received the first wave of the vaccine. Other local healthcare workers are scheduled for this week to receive the first dose of this two-dose COVID-19 vaccine, which is being distributed and administered to frontline healthcare workers. The second dose of the vaccine is given 28 days later. Receiving the vaccine is voluntary.

Adamson has been at Cedar City Hospital for five years, and says the best part about her job is the people she works with and helps in the ER. "When I saw the email about getting the vaccine, I wanted to hurry and sign up and get this done, not just to protect me, but to also protect the people I work with," said Adamson. "And I have no worries about the vaccine, at all. I did a little a first when they were first announced, then did some research on it and now feel very comfortable with getting it. I know the wheels turn slow, but I'm hoping this will stop COVID for good."

Janet Malachowski, Employee Health Nurse at Cedar City Hospital who helped administer the vaccine today, said, "It's an honor to be a part of this historic moment for our community. The miracle of modern science never ceases to amaze me. The fact we can have a new virus and a year later have a meaningful vaccine for it is unprecedented. I feel very confident in this vaccine and

“ *It's an honor to be a part of this historic moment for our community.*”

» Janet Malachowski



HOPE IS ON THE HORIZON IN IRON COUNTY WITH THE ARRIVAL OF THE COVID-19 VACCINE. (L to R) Travis Fullmer, OR Manager; Janet Malachowski, RN, Employee Health; April Yeomans, EVS Manager; Tom Giles, RN.

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its safety. It's frankly amazing how it works. It's an mRNA vaccine, which teaches your cells how to make a protein that triggers an immune response. That immune response produces antibodies, which is what ends up working to protect you. We have many engaged caregivers here at the hospital signed up and ready to get this vaccine, so we can eventually get rid of this pandemic."

April Yeomans, the third person at Cedar City Hospital to get the vaccine and the hospital's Environmental Services (EVS) Manager, said she is glad to have gotten the vaccine to set the example for others, especially her employees. "I want my team to see me get this and not be afraid of it," said Yeomans. "It's going to be helpful, and I encourage them and everyone to get this vaccine so we can move past this pandemic."

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC): "mRNA vaccines do not use the live virus that causes COVID-19, and cannot give someone COVID-19. They do not affect or interact with our DNA in any way. mRNA never enters the nucleus of the cell, which is where our DNA (genetic material) is kept. The cell breaks down and gets rid of the mRNA soon after it is finished using the instructions."

It is estimated that most healthy adults should have access to a COVID-19 vaccine between March

and July 2021.

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## LOOKING BACK // the Top Stories of 2020

### AUGUST

#### 'TODAY' PUBLISHER GIVEN LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

The Utah Chapter of the Society of Professional Journalists has given Davis Clipper and Iron County Today Publisher R. Gail Stahle its Utah Headliners Lifetime Achievement Award. The honor was among several bestowed by the chapter as part of its annual journalism awards contest. It is the highest honor given by the chapter each year.



In presenting Mr. Stahle with the honor, the SPJ chapter wrote:

"R. Gail Stahle is a fixture in Davis County and a beloved name for the journalists who work there. The third generation publisher of the Davis Clipper, Stahle has spent more than 70 years working in the print industry, starting with a job at just 10 years old setting type for the weekly. In his career he has published newspapers in several communities in Utah and Arizona, was the original publisher of the Spectrum in St. George, and currently publishes both the Clipper and the Iron County Today newspaper in Cedar City. Now in his 80s, Stahle remains a regular presence in the Clipper newsroom, continuing his support of the essential community publication in the face of mounting pressures on print journalism."

#### PAROWAN POLICE CHIEF HONORED WITH AWARD

Surrounded by loving family and friends, Chief Mike Berg with the Parowan Police Department was presented with the Small Agency Chief of Police Award at Parowan's City Council meeting on August 13th, 2020.

Val Shupe, Executive Director of The Utah

Chiefs of Police Association, presented Chief Berg with the respected award applauding him for his outstanding leadership and efforts taken while serving with the Parowan Police Department. "Chief Berg is dedicated to his officers and the city of Parowan. He believes in transparency, building understanding and helpful policing. He is available to the citizens of Parowan," Shupe expressed.



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### JULY

#### DIXIE AND ANNE LEAVITT RECEIVE MODERN-DAY PIONEER AWARD

The members of the Cedar City Chapter of the Sons of Utah Pioneers have selected Dixie and Anne Leavitt to receive the distinguished annual recognition as our Modern-Day Pioneers for 2020. This award is given in humble gratitude for their life long service, leadership and generosity. They have pioneered their way through life finding and exploring as pioneers do, while improving the world as they go. The award was presented on July 24, 2020.



Dixie and Anne Leavitt have spent their lives creating a legacy of love, devotion to family and community and of creating pathways of opportunity for thousands of people throughout the world.

Dixie and Anne would be quick to note that their greatest legacy is represented by their family. They have raised six sons who have brought them six exceptional daughters-in-law and thirty-eight grandchildren. They currently have 53 great-grandchildren with that number increasing nearly weekly. Dixie and Anne have watched with pride as their descendants have adopted many of the same values they were taught and have sought to carry on their very impactful legacy.

### SEPTEMBER

#### 'SAVE THE CHILDREN' RALLY HELD IN CEDAR

Nearly 100 people gathered together on the steps of the Cedar City office building on Main St. with a clear message, "Save The Children." Following a national trend, organizers Preston Davis, Bri Rae, and Keeley set off with a goal to bring awareness to the unfortunate truth that kids fall victim to all kinds of atrocities, particularly sexual crimes, and child trafficking.

Children are our future and extraordinarily little on this earth is more precious than a child. As one attendee Chris stated, "It is a cause that anyone can get behind. We have democrats standing next to republicans getting behind one idea."



Advocating for organizations like "Operation Underground Railroad" who has been an outspoken voice on the subject, the participants of Saturdays rally also feel that there needs to be reform for Utah's sexual crimes; claiming that it is too easy for one to be set free after misconduct with a child.

For now, the voices defending the children will remain loud into the future and will not rest until there is justice.

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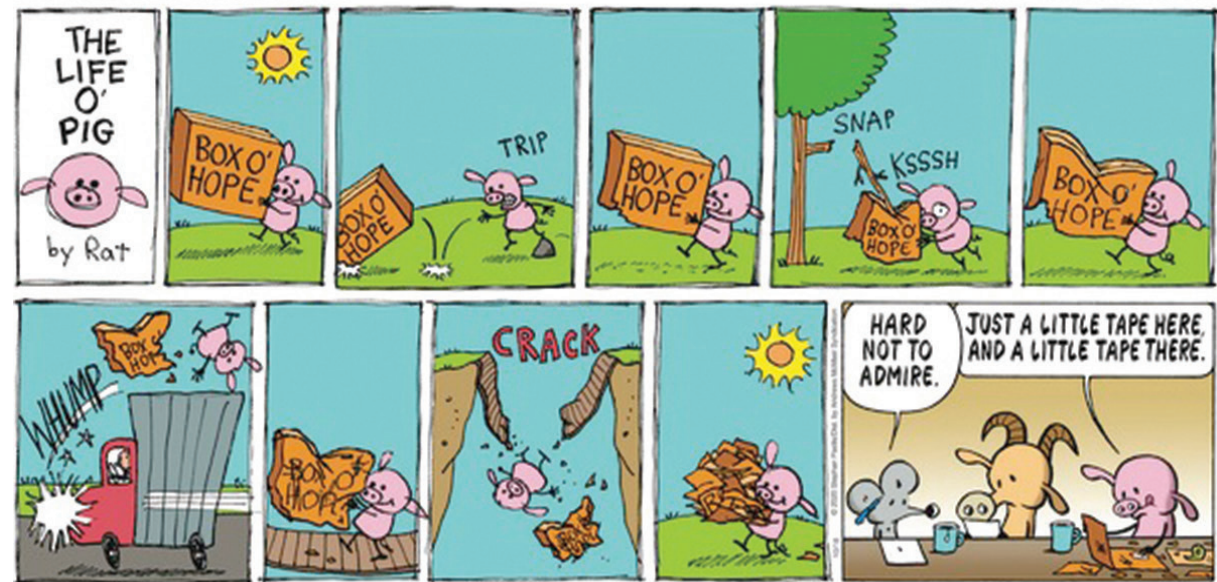
## OPINION

**Thought  
of the Week**from the desk of R. Gail  
Stahle, publisher

**"On New Year's Eve the whole world celebrated the fact that a date changed. Let us celebrate the dates on which we change the world."**

» Akilnathan  
Logeswaran

## PEARLS BEFORE SWINE



BY STEPHAN PASTIS

# Different names, same games

*The opinions stated in this article are solely those of the author and not Iron County Today.*

**T**he presidential election and the worldwide pandemic colored most of 2020, but the year was also known for another issue that ushered up an equal amount of cheering and grumbling: the call for removing Native American-themed mascots from sports teams.

In the past year, the Washington Redskins became the Washington Football Team, the Cleveland Indian baseball team announced it would change its mascot for upcoming seasons, Bountiful High School dropped its "Braves", and a main issue in a school board race centered on Cedar City High School's flight from the Redmen to the Reds.

Traditionalists cried the alterations were the result of a frenzied political correctness. Those championing the renaming saw it as a long overdue recognition that mascots demeaned Native American culture.

I sympathize with both camps. While I agree that "Redskins" relayed a violent, scalp-hungry stereotype and "Redmen" was inappropriate in an age when no team would call itself the "Blackmen", I saw nothing derogatory about "Braves" or "Indians" and few are complaining about the Kansas City Chiefs.

I guess I don't put a lot of stock in mascot names. The Davis Darts don't

conjure up a bunch of drunks at a dartboard in the local pub...The Jordan Beetdiggers don't reflect a particularly ferocious temperament...The Utah Jazz play in a city where jazz music is as popular as Japanese kabuki...The Utah State

Or how about the fans in Pasco, Washington who show their loyalty to the "Tri-City Dust Devils"? (Maybe that's why the Orem Owlz relocated to Colorado; an owl is better associated with a high IQ chess club than it is a down-and-dusty baseball team.)

Insulting names should be removed as should demeaning, tone-deaf practices like the Bountiful Braves' "Trail of Tears" tradition which glossed over a horrific episode in American history. But erasing any mention of Native Americans is a knee-jerk reaction, just as (in my opinion) obliterating "Dixie" in St. George.

Those clamoring for change (and equally those fighting for things to stay the same) should spend an equal amount of time contributing to Native American causes aimed at eliminating white-imposed poverty on reservations. If the



## Cyclops

by Bryan GRAY

COLUMNIST

Aggies are located in a county where even 30 years ago less than 2,000 workers had agricultural jobs in a 35,000-employee labor force.

**" I guess I don't put a lot of stock in mascot names...The Utah Jazz play in a city where jazz music is as popular as Japanese kabuki.**

It could be a lot worse. The Los Angeles Angels are affiliated with the Madison, Alabama "Rocket City Trash Pandas", and I have a difficult time imagining a fan proudly declaring that he or she was a "Trash Panda for life!"

Atlanta Braves were forced to change their mascot, the prime beneficiary would be the manufacturer of new logo merchandise, not a Native American student in a poorly-funded school with no running water.

## OPINION

From the Editor

## Thank You

Each week's calendar includes a fun addition noting what "National Day" is being celebrated. This week's calendar includes special days for Law Enforcement, Pharmacist's, Korean Americans and even pets. While these dedicated professions and people (including four-legged family members) should be honored every day, I hope we'll each take a moment to say and to give thanks to the people in our community who make a difference—whether they're on a payroll, prayer roll, or just rolling around in the dirt. We need to have and to live an attitude of gratitude even more in this coming year.

As such, to each person of every race, religion, color, creed, career and calling that helps to make our community and neighborhoods better—by making the people within them better—and helping to keep each of us safer, smarter and happier, thank you. You don't hear it, or see it enough, but your abilities and dedication to your daily responsibilities (at home, work, school, businesses, sidewalks, stores, parks, streets) are greatly needed and appreciated in Iron County and beyond. Truly, thank you.

To the Editor

## The demoting of voting

Let's see, with the speed of an oncoming express train, our entire voting system is fast derailing. Over 11,483 people (thus far) have made sworn affidavits knowing full well the severe penalties of perjury.

Dead people voting, illegal aliens voting, ballots being forged, destroyed, changed, "lost", uncounted, burned, flipped and again for the third time military ballots excluded. Contrary to vehement denials by Dominion voting machine users, National Election Defense Coalition were able to prove that in excess of 35 such and similar devices had been connected to the internet without adequate security which made them vulnerable to hacking by Communist China, Russia and any other bad actors.

Poll watchers were prevented from watching the proceedings. Videos of suitcases full of ballots (4 in one locale alone), showed deliberate tampering. Months before the "election" mainstream media (in the tank for the Democrats) and Big Media oligarchs Jack Dorsey ("Twitter") and Mark Zuckerberg ("Facebook") bragged how easy it would be to flip the election electronically.

Every day new outrages threatening to our nation are revealed, and we are supposed to believe that "there is no evidence of widespread fraud"? Next week's report will be even more astonishing. Stay tuned.

R.B. Warke



COREY BAUMGARTNER  
MANAGING EDITOR

## Romney makes statement on Election Results Certification

SALT LAKE CITY — U.S. Senator Mitt Romney (R-UT) released the following statement in response to an announcement that several Republican senators plan to oppose certification of the presidential election results:

"The egregious ploy to reject electors may enhance the political ambition of some, but dangerously threatens our Democratic Republic. The congressional power to reject electors is reserved for the most extreme and unusual circumstances. These are far from it. More Americans participated in this election than ever before, and they made their choice. President Trump's lawyers made their case before scores of courts; in every instance, they failed. The Justice Department found no evidence of irregularity sufficient to overturn the election. The Presidential Voter Fraud Commission disbanded without finding such evidence.

"My fellow Senator Ted Cruz and the co-signers of his statement argue that rejection of electors or an election audit directed by Congress would restore trust in the election. Nonsense. This argument ignores the widely perceived reality that Congress is an overwhelmingly partisan body; the American people wisely place greater trust in the federal courts where judges serve for life. Members of Congress who would substitute their own partisan judgement for that of the courts do not enhance public trust, they imperil it.

"Were Congress to actually reject state electors, partisans would inevitably demand the same any time their candidate had lost. Congress, not voters in the respective states, would choose our presidents.

"Adding to this ill-conceived endeavor by some in Congress is the President's call for his supporters to come to the Capitol on the day when this matter is to be debated and decided. This has the predictable potential to lead to disruption, and worse.

"I could never have imagined seeing these things in the greatest democracy in the world. Has ambition so eclipsed principle?"

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# LOOKING BACK // the Top Stories of 2020

## SEPTEMBER

### CEDAR CITY AMERICAN LEGION POST CELEBRATES 100 YEARS

Nearly one year after the armistice was signed ending World War I, a banquet was held in Cedar City on November 10, 1919 honoring the men who had served in the military during the war. About 50 men attended the feast.

Afterwards, focus shifted to the organization of a post of the American Legion. It was reported that "The boys appeared to be better posted on war tactics than on parliamentary laws and usages, and the proceedings were, to say the least, very informal." Some of the officers were declared duly elected following a nomination and a second, if there were no objections.



American Legion organization in the state of Utah include the following phrases: "To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America; to maintain law and order; . . . to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy."

The Cedar City American Legion Post is still active in promoting patriotism and honoring those who have served our country. Veterans interested in local American Legion activities can call Dennis Robison at 435-586-8852 for more information.

### CEDAR CITY'S ALZHEIMER'S WALK INSPIRES HOPE FOR A CURE

Cedar City Motor Company hosted and sponsored the second annual Alzheimer's Walk in Cedar City. The dealership featured a Promise Garden highlighting information regarding Alzheimer's disease. Mike Miller, with the Alzheimer's Association, provides services like caregiver and patient support groups in Cedar City, Utah. Currently these support groups have moved to a virtual platform due to the difficulties of the current pandemic.

Robin McIntyre with the Alzheimer's Association stated, "Alzheimer's is among the top 10 causes of death in the US, affecting at least 5 million people in the US and that number is expected to grow exponentially by 2025 because of the baby boomer population. There is currently no cure or way to slow the disease down. It is important to do your part to spread awareness. Education is a very important part of walks like this." McIntyre emphasized that Alzheimer's can happen to anyone. Her mother passed away in her 50's from early onset Alzheimer's.

Many people only consider the disease something to worry about later in life, but this isn't necessarily the case. Alzheimer's research is very far behind compared to other diseases. Walks and events like this one raise awareness and funds for research which will help progress the science behind Alzheimer's therapies. Visit: <https://www.alz.org>.



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## LOOKING BACK // the Top Stories of 2020

### OCTOBER

## CEDAR CITY HOLDS LIVESTOCK & HERITAGE FESTIVAL



When it comes to celebrating our historic heritage in Iron County, Cedar City can be a little "sheepish"...literally. One of the yearly traditions is the shepherding of a large flock of sheep right down Main Street. This main event completes a parade filled with people and floats and begins an educational, fun festival honoring those who have and continue to provide a better quality of life for their families and for each of us who glean from their dedication to planting, growing, raising, harvesting and delivering their wooly, fruity, vegetable goods for our use and enjoyment every day.

### NOVEMBER

## GOV. HERBERT DECLARES STATE OF EMERGENCY

Governor Herbert declared a new state of emergency for all of Utah and issued an executive order with the following requirements.

The Governor's executive order enacts state-wide COVID-19 restrictions which:



"Place the entire state under a mask mandate. Meaning that you must wear a mask in public and when within six feet of anyone you don't live with. Please note that even after the orders issued expire, the mask mandate will be extended for the foreseeable future.

Despite these new challenges, it is imperative that we continue to work together as neighbors, co-workers and communities—with increased patience and compassion—to help each other stay safe, encouraged and to see this through."

## KOREAN WAR PEACE MEDAL AWARDED ON M.I.A. BROTHER'S BEHALF

The Korean War is frequently referred to as the "Forgotten War." As such, in early 2008, a new Korean War memorial was dedicated in Cedar City's Rotary Centennial Veterans Park. Cedar City was the "home of record" for Air Force First Lieutenant Thiel Reeves. He was Cedar City's only MIA from the Korean War.



On January 11, 1952, his fighter jet was shot down by a Soviet MIG fighter over North Korea. His remains were never found and there was no grave-side closure for his family. He was then, and is today, Missing In Action—MIA from the Korean War, but NOT Forgotten.

Then, on September 29, 2020, members of the Thiel Reeves family gathered at the home of Parowan, Utah resident Eva Dean Reeves Francisco, who lives with Lloyd & Helena Mortensen in Parowan. Theil Reeves' sister, Eva Dean Francisco, was then presented with the Korean Ambassador for Peace Medal.

The residents of Iron County are grateful for the service and sacrifice of First Lieutenant Thiel Reeves and every other brave member of the United States Armed Forces—past, present and future—for their dedication, sacrifice, and even the giving of their lives so that we can live ours.

### DECEMBER

## SUU GEOLOGY MAJOR DISCOVERS TYRANNOSAURUS FOSSIL

After discovering it earlier this year, Southern Utah University geology major Jonathan Ginouves has begun the preparation of a tyrannosaur jawbone fossil. Ginouves discovered the fossil while doing fieldwork with the paleontology crew during one of his last weeks on the job.

"The fieldwork required me to camp for three to five days at a time and dig big holes in the ground," said Ginouves. "It is pretty demanding but it is always very rewarding to see the fossils come out of the ground. This time, we were out surveying and I didn't have the highest hopes when I saw a rock that had tumbled down into the streambed. It had a row of teeth imprints which is immediately exciting because it's not every day that you find a tyrannosaur face."

"Jon is an exceptional student who combines his boundless enthusiasm for paleontology with intelligence and dedication to science," said SUU geology professor Grant Shimmer. "He is extremely knowledgeable and is rapidly gaining skills and connections with the paleontological community, so he has a bright future ahead of him."

"When I was finally done and I picked up my pack and this hiss turned into a rattle," said Ginouves. "There was a rattlesnake behind the rock the fossil was in and it couldn't get out because I'd blocked it. I've found some cool stuff out there but this probably takes the cake."



## LOOKING BACK // the Top Stories of 2020

### DECEMBER

## CEDAR POLICE OFFICERS RECEIVE MEDAL OF VALOR

Officer Zac Banz and retired Sergeant Dave Bulloch of the Cedar City Police Department were each awarded the Utah Medal of Valor on Wednesday on December 9, 2020. Del Schlosser of the Utah Peace Officer Association presented the medals to the officers, who were surrounded by friends, family, fellow officers, attendees of the council meeting and the mayor.



As Officer Banz and Sergeant Bulloch held their medals, the story was told of their heroics. On November 11th of 2019 the two officers responded to a domestic disturbance call. When they arrived a woman and her adult son told them that there was a man that had threatened them, and any police officer that got involved, with violence.

Officer Banz quickly noticed that the suspect had his right arm extended and was holding a pistol with his finger on the trigger pointed right at him. Officer Banz discharged his weapon three times to eliminate the threat.

Lt. Del Schlosser remarked that, "Officer Banz and Sergeant Bulloch's courage and action prevented possible serious injury or death to the mother, son, and both officers."

Recognizing acts of selflessness and dedication to the community, the Utah Medal of Valor is the highest award that the state has to offer. Iron County is grateful to our first responders who help keep our community, friends and family safe.

## LOCAL VETERANS HONORED WITH WREATHS AND CEREMONY

Hundreds of people were gathered at both the Cedar City and Enoch cemeteries on Saturday to take part in the Wreaths Across America ceremony to pay their respects to the veterans who lay there.

"We are all proud to be Americans living in a free society, made up of many people, made up of many walks of life. The freedoms we enjoy today have not come without a price," said R. Scott Phillips.

Cedar City's Honorable Mayor Maile Wilson-Edwards spoke next, "The United States of America was founded on the ideals of freedom, justice and equality. Our nation stands as a shining beacon of liberty and freedom to the world. We thank those who gave their lives to keep us free and we shall not forget; we shall remember."

She added, "Many of you here have answered that call and have served our country well. We are here today to say thank you and to offer our deepest gratitude."

Enoch Mayor Geoffrey Chesnut shared, "I believe these wreaths are super important to help our children understand the sacrifices that have been made on our behalf." This event is something that we can as adults, families and loved ones pass on, along with great respect, through this ritual."

Finally, as the special wreaths were laid upon each veteran's grave, the name of the veteran was spoken out loud to honor their memory. Beyond this Saturday ceremony, these veterans' names and

memories will not be forgotten or go in vain as shown by those they made free in Cedar City, Enoch and many other cities around our great nation. Truly, they will never be forgotten.



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# Stewart Named Negotiator for Defense Bill

from Madison **SHUPE**

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

**WASHINGTON, D.C. —** Congressman Chris Stewart (UT-02), a senior Member of the House Budget Committee, was chosen to serve on a conference committee for the House

and Senate versions of the Fiscal Year 2021 National Defense Authorization Act (FY21 NDAA). This committee is charged with getting our national defense policy signed into law to ensure that Department of Defense has the resources and authorities needed to defend the United States

and our national security interests.

Following the announcement and the committee's first meeting, Rep. Stewart released the following statement:

"I am honored to be a part of finalizing this legislation, which will keep America safe and promote peace

around the world. Over the coming weeks, I will be fighting to ensure that our men and women in uniform have our full support and to guarantee the continued strength and longevity of Hill Air Force Base, Utah Test and Training Range, and other critical military resources in Utah."

## SOUTHERN UTAH UNIVERSITY NEWS

# Learning opportunities in the Animal Services Profession beginning in 2021

from Barb **WILLIAMSON**

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

Best Friends Animal Society and Southern Utah University (SUU) recently hit their one-year mark as partners in providing contemporary animal services and leadership education opportunities for creating pathways in this evolving lifesaving profession. Two of these learning opportunities start now in January and include entry points for those considering a career in animal services or those already working in the field.

"Our goal is to offer such a variety of pathways, that there is something for everyone. Whether an individual is already a part of the field or desires to enter it, no matter where they are on their journey, we would like to have an entry point for them to boost their skills and enhance their career," said Aimee Charlton, Senior Manager of Learning Advancement at Best Friends Animal Society.

The Principles of Contemporary Animal Services (POCAS) online certificate program offers an introduction to modern-day animal services for anyone who wants to prepare for a career in the field or advance in the profession. This six-week program is designed for working professionals and features content curated with Best Friends Animal Society and leading practitioners and researchers in the field.

"This certificate is probably what I'm most proud of producing in our partnership with SUU thus far because it is accessible to anyone and creates a doorway for students to learn more about lifesaving

animal services. It's a great way to introduce new professionals into this noble field," said Tawny Hammond, National Director of Learning Advancement at Best Friends Animal Society.

Successful completion of the six-week POCAS certificate program results in university credits that can be articulated into an undergraduate or master's degree at Southern Utah University. Participants may apply earned credits toward one of more than 40 SUU bachelor's degrees or participating master's degrees including Master of Interdisciplinary (MIS) Studies, Master of Public Administration, and Master of Business Administration.

For those interested in graduate work in animal services, SUU now offers an emphasis of study in Contemporary Animal Services Leadership within the MIS degree. This emphasis of study is one of more than 18 MIS areas of study offered through the program; notably ranked third best Online MIS degree in the nation by Best College Reviews.

"One of my favorite parts about the MIS Contemporary Animal Services Leadership learning block is there is now a master's degree option, on the national level, in animal services," said Dr. Cynthia Kimball Davis, MIS program director. "Particularly since students can now choose to study from 9-18 credits to help prepare them for positions in animal services. This is a game-changer in this field."

Forty years ago, over twenty million cats and dogs were being killed in animal shelters across our nation. Today that number is under one mil-

lion and the field of animal services continues to evolve rapidly from one of enforcement and punishment to one of community wellness and a resource center. This partnership and the educational opportunities provided will help continue to bring legitimacy to the field and continue to help save animal lives.

For more information about offerings curated in partnership

with Best Friends Animal Society (Executive Leadership Certificate, SUU Institutional Certificate in Principles of Contemporary Animal Services, or MIS learning block, and Best Friends Professional Development Symposium), visit [suu.edu/prodev/best-friends](http://suu.edu/prodev/best-friends), call SUU Community & Professional Development at (435) 865-8259, or email them at [prodev@suu.edu](mailto:prodev@suu.edu).

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# Report finds 4.3% of Utah driving deaths related to snow or ice

from Kyle **FRETWELL**

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

As the winter months usher in colder weather, dangerous road conditions await drivers everywhere. Researchers ranked U.S. states according to the share of all driving fatalities related to snow or ice. Drivers would be wise to take extra care when traveling in these places this winter season.

Travel has been severely impacted by COVID-19. Those who do plan a trip will likely take to the roads rather than the air, in part, to avoid crowds of people. Even though traveling by car reduces contact with other people, it still comes with its own dangers, especially when driving in winter weather conditions such as snow and ice.

“**Nationwide, there were 3,760 snow-related driving fatalities between 2014 and 2018**

roads are located in regions that receive at least five inches of snowfall annually. Winter weather is dangerous for drivers because it can reduce visibility, obstruct roads and lanes, and increase the risk of

variation at the state level. To find which states have the most snow-related driving fatalities, researchers at CoPilot analyzed data from the NHTSA's Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) for the period of 2014 to 2018. They calculated the percentage of all vehicle occupant fatalities that occurred on roads with snow or ice at the time of the crash.

Not surprisingly, states with lower average winter low temperatures tend to have higher percentages of driving fatalities related to snow and ice. These include Northern and Midwestern states such as Alaska (-3.6 degrees), North Dakota (0.6 degrees), and Minnesota (0.6 degrees). Colder average winter low temperatures for the months of December, January, and February also indicate longer winters, or larger portions of the year when a driver is likely to encounter winter road conditions. By contrast, Southern states with warmer and shorter winters, such as Florida (47.4 degrees) and Louisiana (40.5 degrees), have very few snow-related driving fatalities. In the worst states, the fatality rate is between two and ten times higher than the national average, while in the best states, the snow-related fatality rate is below 1 percent.

The analysis found that in Utah, 4.3% of all driving deaths are related to snow or ice. Here is a summary of the data for Utah:

- » Share of all driving fatalities related to snow/ice: 4.3%
- » Snow/ice-related driving fatalities per 1B vehicle-miles: 1.5
- » Snow/ice-related driving fatalities: 48
- » Total driving fatalities: 1,114
- » Average winter low temperature (°F): 17.1

For reference, here are the statistics for the entire United States:

- » Share of all driving fatalities related to snow/ice: 2.6%
- » Snow/ice-related driving fatalities per 1B vehicle-miles: 1.2
- » Snow/ice-related driving fatalities: 3,760
- » Total driving fatalities: 146,004
- » Average winter low temperature (°F): 21.7

For more information, a detailed methodology, and complete results, you can find the original report on CoPilot's website: <https://www.copilotsearch.com/posts/states-with-most-snow-related-driving-fatalities/>



GETTY IMAGES

Despite a gradual recovery since late March, air travel still remains well below 2019 levels. According to data from the Transportation Security Administration, total traveler throughput dropped precipitously in March 2020 from about 2.3 million travelers per day to fewer than 200,000. As of late October 2020, total traveler throughput across U.S. airports was hovering around 700,000 per day, more than 60 percent lower than the same time last year.

While air travel has declined, driving has become a more attractive mode of transportation. But with the arrival of winter, many drivers are likely to face adverse road conditions due to snow and ice. In fact, research from the Federal Highway Administration shows that more than 70 percent of the nation's

collision due to skidding.

Nationwide, there were 3,760 snow-related driving fatalities between 2014 and 2018. Data from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) shows that young drivers are most at risk of getting into a fatal accident during snowy and icy conditions. Between 2014 and 2018, drivers under the age of 21 experienced a snow-related fatality rate of 55.7 per million licensed drivers. This is almost twice the fatality rate of the second-most at-risk age group (drivers over the age of 75) and about five times higher than the fatality rate of the least at-risk group (drivers aged 35-44).

While winter road conditions are only responsible for 2.6 percent of road fatalities nationally, there is significant

## Bookings

Below are bookings as reported by the Iron County Sheriff's Department and Cedar City Police Department. Those arrested are innocent until proven guilty.

### Dec. 28

**JOSEPH M SANDOVAL**

WEST COVINA, CA

DRUG - Poss w/Intent to Dist. C/S, Unlawful Purch/Poss Dangerous Weapon, Driving on Denied

**TREASA A TAYLOR**

CEDAR CITY, UT

DRUG - Poss w/Intent to Dist C/S, Poss C/S Marijuana/Spice, Sched I/II/Analog, Drug Paraphernalia

### Dec. 29

**CHRISTOPHER M EWANKO**

CEDAR CITY, UT

Theft

**PATRICIA L JOHNSON**

CEDAR CITY, UT

Retail Theft

**KENNETH A PITTSER**

CEDAR CITY, UT

DRUG - Poss. C/S Marijuana/Spice, Drug Paraphernalia

**JOE K SANDBERG**

CEDAR CITY, UT

DRUG - Poss. C/S Sched I/II/Analog, Marijuana/Spice, Drug Paraphernalia, Forged Prescription

**DANIEL R KLAPPOTH**

CEDAR CITY, UT

DRUG - Poss C/S Sched I/II/Analog

### Dec. 30

**RICKY M GENTRY**

ANABELLA, UT

Aggravated Assault

### Dec. 31

**CLARENCE J WALLACE**

CEDAR CITY, UT

Violate Exparte or Protective Order, DV Case

**DANIAL J ATWOOD**

CEDAR CITY, UT

Animal At Large - Sterilized (1st Offense)

**TOBY L MILNE**

CEDAR CITY, UT

DRUG - Poss C/S Sched I/II/ANALOG, Disorderly Conduct

### Jan. 1

**KEVIN L PRICE**

CEDAR CITY, UT

DRUG - Poss C/S I/II/Analog, Drug Paraphernalia

**MICKAYLA A CACHO**

CEDAR CITY, UT

DRUG - Poss C/S Sched I/II/Analog

**AMY F HAMMON**

CEDAR CITY, UT

Alcohol Restr DL

**FELIX C KANOSHI-MARTINEZ**

CEDAR CITY, UT

Criminal Trespass, Intoxication

### Jan. 3

**PATRICK ELEMILE**

ST. GEORGE, UT

Retail Theft, Criminal Trespass

**NATASHA K STONES**

PARAGONAH, UT

DRUG - Poss C/S I/II/Analog, Drug Paraphernalia

by Ashley H. **POLLOCK**

SUU COLLEGE OF PERFORMING &amp; VISUAL ARTS

It's that time of year again when Southern Utah University's Music Department hosts the High School Honor Band. While this is an annual event, things are going to look different this year. Precautions are being taken to ensure the safety of all involved. The concert will be live-streamed with no audience on January 9, 2021 at 4:00 p.m. and can be viewed at [suu.edu/sutvlive](http://suu.edu/sutvlive).

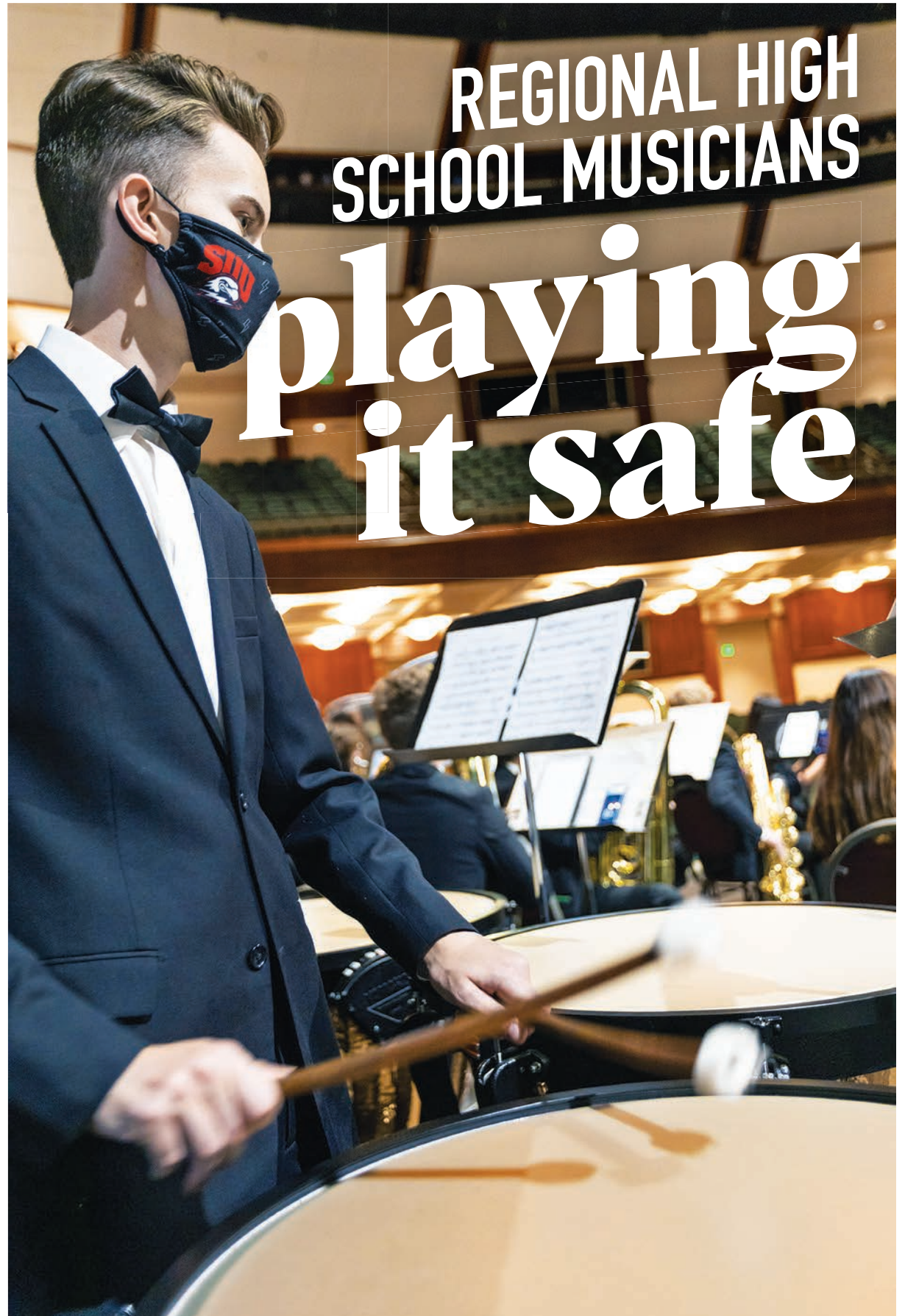
Students were selected by audition to rehearse and perform outstanding wind band literature under the direction of Dr. Adam Lambert, Director of Bands at Southern Utah University. Students selected for the SUU High School Band participate in two days of rehearsals and activities culminating in a concert at the end of the second day at the beautiful Heritage Center Theater in Cedar City, Utah.

Dr. Adam Lambert, Director of Bands at SUU, shared, "Students will be coming to the event in person with student safety as our top priority. There will be social distancing throughout the event and covers for brass instruments. The groups are much smaller to accommodate social distancing and efforts to remain safe. In spite of the challenges, responses remain positive and we look forward to hosting some of the strongest musicians from Utah, Nevada, and Northern Arizona."

SUU's Music Department is committed to providing a safe and healthy environment for all participants. The following are the adjustments made to ensure success for this annual event during the pandemic. This year's festival will feature two ensembles of 45 wind players each instead of one large band. Chairs and stands will be placed six feet apart on stage and in all rehearsal spaces. Temperature checks will be done at the first rehearsal on Saturday. As mandated by the state of Utah, participants are required to wear a face mask indoors at all times, except when playing during rehearsals and performances. Bell covers for all brass and saxophone instruments will be provided. At the end of rehearsals and sectionals, musicians will wipe down their chairs and stands with provided sanitizing wipes. Hand sanitizer will be provided in each rehearsal space. Musicians are required to bring their own music or device and their own water bottle. A 15-minute break is scheduled between rehearsals to allow rooms to ventilate.

Trevor Walker, Band Director at Parowan High School who is bringing several students to the event, says, "As a teacher, the goal is for my students to learn from a world-class director like Dr. Adam Lambert and to have a few days of top tier rehearsal. It's important for students to participate in honor bands because it gives them an experience outside of their own program. Many of them are playing this level of music for the first time and it helps them grow."

Support these talented high school musicians from the comfort and safety of your own home. For more information about the Department of Music at SUU, please visit [www.suu.edu/pva/music](http://www.suu.edu/pva/music).



# REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL MUSICIANS playing it safe

COURTESY SUU MUSIC DEPARTMENT

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# 50% on those resolutions for 2020

by Mary Anne **ANDERSEN**

CEDAR CITY ARTS COUNCIL

I would bet a lot of money that two of my resolutions for 2020 were very different from most other people's. The first one was to gain, not lose, weight. That one didn't work out so well, so I get to try again. The second one was to watch more, not less, television. And that one has been more successful, especially with the virus keeping us at home since March.

There were two reasons for my goal to spend more time on the couch. One was that I knew I was missing out on an important part of American culture. (This will make you gasp: I have never watched even one episode of "Downton Abbey".) So, I wanted to seem not quite so clueless when I talked to family and friends. (Another series I missed out on: "Schitt's Creek," apparently the funniest thing since "Mash".)

The second reason was to have more shared experience with my roommate (aka husband). I was afraid we were going our separate leisure ways with no live concerts, plays, etc. to attend, so I decided I would join him in his TV watching. Now we have only basic cable, so our playbill is somewhat limited. (Honestly, those premium channels could nickel and dime you to death.) We don't even stream Netflix. You know, those little red envelopes that used to fill the postal bags? Well, I just read an article about how the only people who receive those anymore live in the hinterlands on the

fringes of society. Maybe, but include us in that crowd.

We always watch the movies in two sections, which gives us something to talk and conjecture about after the first night. We can spend a whole meal discussing our different ideas about the probable outcome and our feelings about the various characters. Our choice of movies has to be deliberate and sometimes entails some negotiation. (That is fun, too, even though his preferences are a little weird.)

We are supporting fans of PBS and could hang out there every night. The PBS offerings are very compelling, but I need to read in the evenings, so we mostly watch the series. A recent four-episode series called "Cobra" gave us conversation material for a month. And if you haven't watched "The Durrells in Corfu", you have missed one of the joys of life. "All Creatures Great and Small", the charming and hilarious adventures of a British country veterinarian, will begin on January 10th; our whole family is excited about that. Six episodes!

Finally, we have watched our share of the Hallmark Christmas movies. I get so restless that I usually don't see the ending, but that doesn't matter. It is the same story told in slightly different ways: a widow or widower with an adorable child meets someone who is trying to get back to a life of wealth and fame in the big city. After a few missteps, the couple realize they were meant to be together in wholesome, small-town America. Great to be watched just before bedtime.




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# THREE STEPS FOR A Happier Life in 2021

**S**o, how was your Christmas/New Year's? Did you travel or opt to actually stay close to home? Were you involved in festive activities or enjoy a low-key holiday with immediate family only? Did you use technology to keep in touch with relatives and close friends? While most of us may have found ways to connect with our loved ones in one way or another, it was anything but a typical holiday season this year and most of us felt no remorse wishing 2020 farewell and good riddance.

Despite the dark hanging cloud of the coronavirus, the holidays may have still been joyful. On the other hand, you may think some help and intervention may be needed before the next family gathering. Even within the normally close-knit family, for example, where some probably wore face coverings while others determined to simply take their chances, either decision may have caused a feeling of tension or uncomfortable teasing throughout a typically happy time of year.

According to Dr. David Schramm, family life specialist at Utah State University Extension, following three basic steps can not only lead to a happier life for you personally in the year to come but also promote happier relationships. The information below is shared from the USU publication titled, "Three Steps for a Happier



## Kathy's CORNER

by Kathleen RIGGS

UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION

Life" available at: [https://digitalcommons.usu.edu/extension\\_curall/1779/](https://digitalcommons.usu.edu/extension_curall/1779/)

### Step 1 Notice the good in every day

**PAST:** Taking a deep look into the past can often bring up painful, depressing, or other uncomfortable emotions. Whatever the feeling attached to these memories, they are the experiences that made you, you. What did you learn from those experiences? How did they shape you into who you are now? How are you a stronger person because of those experiences?

Re-labeling is a powerful tool for finding the good in the past. Take a negative experience, think about the above questions, and find the positive

in the situation. Dr. Schramm further suggests forgiving someone who has wronged you can be worth working through the challenge to do so. He suggests using the five-step process for forgiving others developed by Dr. Everett Worthington which uses the acronym REACH:

- R-** Recall the hurt: In order to heal, you need to acknowledge you have been hurt and make the decision to fully forgive.
- E-** Empathize: Try to understand why whoever hurt you, did what they did.
- A-** Altruistic gift: Remember a time when you transgressed and were forgiven.
- C-** Commit: Write a note of forgiveness or forgive publicly.
- H-** Hold onto forgiveness: Remind yourself that you have decided to forgive; re-read notes of forgiveness when feeling doubt.

**PRESENT:** One of the best ways to be optimistic about the present is to keep a journal. Writing down positive experiences often leads to increases in overall happiness. At the end of the day, take time to write down three things you were grateful

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# CALENDAR

## Support Groups

### ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

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Meetings at KKCB Club (203 E. Cobblecreek Dr, Cedar City) unless otherwise listed

**Steps and Traditions** • M – Su, 7 am

**Speaking From The Heart** • M – Sa, Noon

**Misfits** • M – F, 6 pm

**Cedar Group** • Tues, 8 pm

**Thank God it's Sunday Spiritual** • Sun, 11 am

**My Story** • Sat, 8 pm

**Women's Meeting** • Sat, 10:30 am

**What a Way to Start the Day** • Su, W, F

7-8 am • All are welcome

**Red Road to Sobriety** • Mon, 6 pm Paiute Indian Tribe of Utah, 440 N Paiute (435) 586-1112 Ext. 307

**The Great Fact** • T, F, Noon. • Call for location • (702) 802-1332 or (702) 533-7856

**Red Creek Group** • Wed, 7 pm • Canyon Park, Lions Pavilion • (435) 477-8925

**The Great Fact** • T, Fri, Noon. Call (435) 559-7777 for location.

### AL-ANON

Meetings at KKCB Club (203 E. Cobblecreek Dr, Cedar City) unless otherwise listed

**Easy Does It** • Tues, 7-8 pm Community Presbyterian Church, 2279 N. Wedgewood, Cedar City. (435) 559-3333

**Al-Anon** • 1st, 3rd Tues, 7-8 pm, Parowan Senior Center, 685 N 300 E (435) 477-8925

**Hope for Today** (Family Groups) Thurs, 6 pm • (435) 559-3333

### NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

www.nasouthernutah.org • (435) 635-9603 Most classes meet at 203 E Cobblecreek Dr, unless otherwise listed

**Basic Text Study** • Mon, 8 pm

**Just for Today** • Wed, 8 pm

**Hope Without Dope** • Thurs, 8 pm

**Live and Let Live** • Fri, 8 pm

**Candle Light Meeting** • Sat, 9:30 pm (Small room)

**Women Only** • Sun, 11 am

**Dopeless Hope Fiends** • Sun, 8 pm

The Meeting Hall, 1067 S Main St, Cedar (877) 865-5890.

### ALZHEIMER'S CAREGIVER

Online Meetings: 2nd Fri, 5:30 pm  
4th Mon, 5:30 pm • RSVP to mjmillar@alz.org or (435) 238-4998 x8773

### PARKINSON'S

2nd Thurs, 3 pm • Cedar City Library

### CAREGIVERS

1st Tues, Noon • Five County Aging Offices, 585 N Main St, Ste. 1, Cedar City

### ARP—ADDICTION RECOVERY

1st Wed, 7 pm • Parowan Seminary building, Main & 300 N, Parowan

### SENIOR BLIND/VISUALLY IMPAIRED

3rd Thurs, 1:30 pm • Cedar City Library

### NAMI BRIDGES & FAMILY TO FAMILY

Thurs, 7 pm • SW Behavioral Health Center, 245 E 680 S, Cedar. Free • (435) 590-7749

### PREGNANCY, INFANT LOSS

1st Wed, 7:30 pm • Share Families of So. Utah • 565 N Main Street, Ste. 6, Cedar City www.southernutahshare.com

### MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS

3rd Thurs, 6-8 pm • Cedar Visitor's Center (581 N Main) Caregivers and those with MS

## Service Clubs

### LION'S CLUB

Tues, 12 pm • Call Pres. Roger Shurtz for mtg. info. Everyone welcome! (435) 590-2896

### ROTARY CLUB

Tues, 12:15 • Southwest Tech 757 W 800 S, Cedar City • (435) 233-0244

### CEDAR CITY ELKS LODGE #1556

111 E Freedom Blvd. Cedar City (435) 586-8332

### MARINE CORPS LEAGUE

Detachment 1315, 2nd Wed, 6 pm Elks Lodge, 111 E 200 N, Cedar City.

### AMERICAN LEGION AUX

3rd Wed, 6 pm, Cedar Library, 303 N 100 E Amer. Legion Conf. Room • (435) 704-6654

### DAR – BALD EAGLE CHAPTER

2nd Tues, 4 pm, Cedar City Library ajsball@aol.com

### BIKERS AGAINST CHILD ABUSE

1st Thurs 7 pm • 593 N 1450 W, Cedar City. Helpline: 435-559-4505

## Classes/Activities

### ADULT BARRE/MODERN DANCE

Wed, 11 am-noon, Spirit Wellness Club, 1615 N Main, Cedar City • All levels, Free to members, or \$8 drop-in fee.

### ARTHRITIS FOUNDATIONS EXERCISE

Wed, 1 pm, Cedar City Senior Center 489 E 200 S • 435-586-0832. FREE. Trained instructors. Range-of-motion exercises, endurance-building activities, relaxation techniques, and health education topics.

### AWANA BIBLE CLUB

7th-12th grade, Mon, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm  
3 yrs-6th grade, Wed, 6:30 pm - 8 pm  
Valley Bible Church, 4780 N Hwy 91, Cedar City • (435) 586-0253 or (435) 990-1638

### BOOK CLUB

2nd Thurs, 7 pm • Cedar City Library 303 N 100 E. Next month (Jan) we will discuss "The Zookeeper's Wife" by Diana Ackerman

### CEDAR CHEST QUILTERS' GUILD

Thurs, 10 am • Cedar City Senior Center 489 E 200 S • (435) 586-0832

### CEDAR CITY RADIO CONTROL CLUB

4th Thurs, 7 pm • Cedar City Library 303 N 100 E.

### CEDAR CITY TOASTMASTERS

Thurs, 7 am • The Pastry Pub 86 W University Blvd. Find your voice & shape your future. Be the leader and speaker you want to be. (603) 731-0116

### CEDAR PROFESSIONALS

Tues, 7:30 am • Springhill Suites, 1477 S Highway 91, Cedar City. An organization of business people. Stimulate business for members through exchange of ideas, information and business referrals. www.cedarprofessionals.org

### COLOR COUNTRY WINDS

Wed • Come brush up on your band skills to share with the community. Call Debbie at (435) 559-9609 for time and location.

### COLOR COUNTRY PICKLEBALL

M-F, 7-10 am • 155 E 400 S (Cedar Stake Ctr) Paddles & balls supplied. (435) 586-6345

### HEY CEDARS SQUARE DANCE

Wed • Beginner's, 6 pm, Mainstream Dancers, 7-9 pm • Cedar City Senior Center 489 E 200 S. (435) 531-6811 or (435) 669-4867

## Government

### IRON COUNTY COMMISSION

2nd & 4th Mon, 9 am  
Commission Chambers  
68 S 100 E, Parowan.

### CEDAR CITY COUNCIL

Wed (except 5th), 5:30 pm • City Hall  
10 N. Main St (435) 586-2950

### ENOCH PLANNING COMMISSION

2nd & 4th Tues, 5:30 pm • City Hall  
900 E Midvalley Rd • (435) 586-1119

### ENOCH CITY COUNCIL

1st & 3rd Wed, 6 pm • City Hall  
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## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6

### CUDDLE UP DAY

**PRECEPT UPON PRECEPT BIBLE STUDY – 8:30** to 8:30 pm (Thurs 1-3 pm), Cedar City Library (303 N 100 E). A 6-week study (Thru Feb 10) of 2nd Peter. Precept Bible studies are nondenominational. Call 435-267-2234 or 435-238-3078 for info and to register. The cost of the workbook is \$18. www.precept.org.

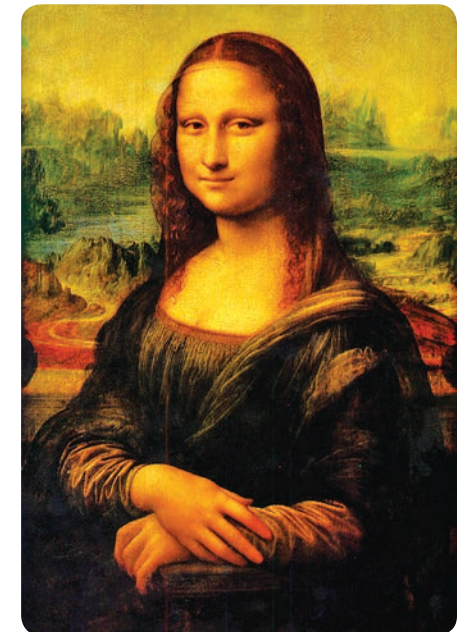
## THURSDAY, JANUARY 7

### BOBBLEHEAD DAY

**HISTORY (1929) – INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC. THE NUMBER OF DEATHS** rose to over 200,000. Guidelines were issued to avoid crowds and persons infected with the disease and to spend time in bed until any fever passed. The government did not believe this epidemic would reach catastrophic proportions of 1918 which killed more than half a million Americans and 20 million people worldwide. (www.thepeoplehistory.com)

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 8

### BUBBLE BATH DAY



**HISTORY (1963) – THE MONA LISA. FOR THE FIRST TIME IN HISTORY,** Leonardo da Vinci's masterpiece was exhibited at the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D.C. The loan of painting was made by the government of the French Republic at the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D.C. and at the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York. During its brief time in the US over 1 million people viewed the painting in Washington and New York. (www.thepeoplehistory.com)

# CALENDAR

## SATURDAY, JANUARY 9

**LAW ENFORCEMENT APPRECIATION DAY**



**BRIDAL EXPO (11AM – 3PM) IRON SPRINGS ADVENTURE RESORT** (3196 N Iron Springs Rd, Cedar City). Fashion Show, Vendors, Prizes & More! Everything you need in one place for Weddings, Quinceaneras, Proms & Special Occasions. Info: Lesle Dodge (435)851-6434, Les@ironspringsutah.com.

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**RENTWAPO-WORKS FARMERS MARKET – 9AM TO 1PM**, (4871 N Enoch Rd.) Eggs, Fruit, Vegetables, Hand-crafted items, Jewelry, Clothing, Homeopathic items and Home Décor. Good weather – Inside. Bad weather – Outside. Info: 435-559-1657 (Linda).



**CEDAR CITY YEAR-ROUND DOWNTOWN FARMERS MARKET**, 10am to 1pm, Every Saturday rain or shine, in parking lot behind the Stratford Hotel, (18 S Main Street) or inside the building behind the parking lot in the cold weather months. Definitely worth stopping by for artwork, baked goods, crafts, custom semi-precious stone and costume jewelry, farm fresh produce, homemade brownies & candies, home style treats, homemade jams & jellies, homeopathic items and 100% real honey. Admission is FREE.

**SATURDAY FARMER'S MARKET, 9AM TO 1PM**, Saturdays @ IFA, 905 S Main. Good weather outside, bad weather inside. Farmers with vegetables, fruits, eggs, honey, baked goods & breads, meats, tamales, food vendors, hand-crafted items including soaps, lotions, jewelry, clothing, home décor and gifts for all ages. For info call (435) 463-3735.

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 10

**HOUSEPLANT APPRECIATION DAY**



**HISTORY (1917) – BUFFALO BILL. ON THIS DAY**, Wild West legend commonly known as Buffalo Bill passed away. He died in his sister's home in Denver. His real name was William F. Cody. It is said that his spirit lives on in the gentle cooing of doves in Arizona. (www.thepeoplehistory.com)

## MONDAY, JANUARY 11

**HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS DAY**

**“IT [HUMAN TRAFFICKING] OUGHT TO CONCERN EVERY PERSON** because it is a debasement of our common humanity. It ought to concern every community because it tears at our social fabric. It ought to concern every business because it distorts markets. It ought to concern every nation, because it endangers public health and fuels violence and organized crime. I'm talking about the injustice, the outrage, of human trafficking, which must be called by its true name - modern slavery.” – Barack Obama

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 12

**NATIONAL PHARMACIST DAY**

**HISTORY (1984) – THE GREAT PYRAMIDS. IT WAS A STRUGGLE** for quite a few years to restore some of the Great Pyramids in Egypt. However, when pyramid restorers began to use the method of interlocking blocks, as the ancient Egyptians did, the project progress quite a bit more smoothly. The decision to revert back to the historic Egyptian building practices was more than likely inspired by the fact that the modern-day brick-and-mortar method did not hold up against water damage. (www.thepeoplehistory.com)

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13

**KOREAN AMERICAN DAY**



**HISTORY (1968) – JOHNNY CASH AT FOLSOM PRISON.** Johnny Cash performs live for the second time at Folsom Prison in the prison cafeteria which was recorded as the live album, “Johnny Cash at Folsom Prison.” (www.thepeoplehistory.com)

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 14

**5TH ANNUAL UTAH FARM & FOOD CONFERENCE** – A unique opportunity for smaller-acreage producers, small commercial farmers, and homesteaders to gain insight and unite for 2 days to engage in conversations, workshops, activities, farm tours, and meals. Info: utahfarmconference.org.

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**THE MCMORRIS FAMILY (TERESSA AND JOSHUA)** celebrated the New Year by welcoming a new member to their family, Juliana.

COURTESY

## New Year's Baby born at Intermountain Medical Center

from Holly **NELSON**

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

The first baby born on New Year's Day 2021 at an Intermountain Healthcare hospital was a baby girl born at 12:09 a.m. at Intermountain Medical Center to Teressa (pronounced Tressa) McMorris and Joshua Harden of South Jordan. The baby's name is Juliana Harden. She weighed 6 lbs. 11 oz. and is 20.8 inches long. This is Teressa's second baby.

"I'm very excited. I can't wait to

take her home and introduce her to her two-year-old sister. I'm looking forward to the pandemic getting better in 2021 and things getting back to normal," said McMorris.

"Being pregnant during the pandemic was stressful, since pregnant women are more at risk of the COVID-19 virus. There were unexpected stressors. I followed all of the pandemic guidelines to stay healthy and luckily avoided COVID-19. I'm looking forward to getting the COVID-19 vaccine," she added.

# Take Your Medicine

**W**elcome back to the Rut! I'm sure we could each share a rut or two from 2020.

While there are more ruts to avoid in 2021, I hope we'll each live 2021 (and beyond) with greater purpose, passion and joy. To help with such transformative goals, I would like to use the works of Norman Rockwell to help inspire any of you who need a reminder that life is worth living.

Speaking of living, growing up my Grandpa Ray used to say, "It'll be good for you" whenever there was an uncomfortable and/or difficult choice (usually a chore) to be done; the kind of chore you knew wasn't going to be as fun as doing something (anything) else. Isn't that how we feel about all chores when we're young (sometimes even when we're older)? Nevertheless, they must be done and how grateful I am I was taught (and learned) how to not only work hard but work well.

While at this point and perspective in my life, I would certainly like another chance to do any chore with my grandpa, the point is that sometimes life doesn't taste good. Even things that are "good for us" don't always taste good. However, I've learned that, more often than not, it's not because the good things taste bad as much as I've let my tastebuds forget what good things really taste like. Every now and then I need (and appreciate) a spoonful of "mortal medicine," to help get me back on my feet.

In Rockwell's illustration, "Take Your Medicine" or "Medicine Giver" the grimacing child is about to be given a dose of magical elixir that he already knows will taste worse than he feels. I'm sure we can each remember that moment of dread right before a nasty spoonful of cough syrup or other medicine was dutifully and lovingly administered, often by our dear mothers and grandmothers. While their calming counsel,

"It will be over soon" wasn't quite the spoonful of sugar that helped the medicine go down, we still trusted their wisdom and opened wide.

You can also tell from the woman's face (the cat doesn't care) that she understands, but knows it must be done and it will help. I know that for each of us in 2020, in some way or another, we had several spoonful's of bad tasting experiences. We put our hopes and trust in family, friends, pharmacists, politicians, doctors and Deity to help us find some way to avoid and/or endure the illness



## The Rut LESS TRAVELED

by Corey **BAUMGARTNER**

IRON COUNTY TODAY

and madness caused by the yucky side-effects of COVID-19—always thinking hope was on the horizon, only to be given another spoonful of opposition.

Hope is still on the horizon! And even if our challenges won't be "over soon" we've dutifully, grudgingly and/or gracefully taken our medicine. So, now it's time to throw off the comfy quilts and throw down the gauntlet for 2021. Here's to a happy, healthy 2021...even if it doesn't always taste as good.



NORMAN ROCKWELL, 1936

## 2021

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for that day, or something that went well that day (Goddard & Marshall, 2013). This helps keep the mind focused on the positives of each day.

**FUTURE:** Be optimistic about the future. Optimism and hope not only buffer against depression when negative events occur, but they are related to higher performance at work, and better overall physical health (Seligman, 2002). A continual optimistic view will help you battle whatever challenges come into your path.

Being optimistic does not come naturally to most of us. It requires courage to face the future, accepting what you can't change and controlling and/or dismissing the urge to think, "But what if" which tends to move our thinking to negative possibilities.

## Step 2 Find and use your strengths

We all have our quirks and personalities that make us unique and valuable. Recognizing and using our individual strengths will help us live joyfully, be more productive, and continue to progress. One way to identify your strengths is to take a free strengths test. There are several versions available online which may require access to your email. Otherwise, simply ask a trusted friend or family member to share with you what they consider your personal or even professional strengths.

## Step 3 Make time for service

Serving others is an important part of a happy life. For many of us, we either think we are too busy to serve others or we fail to think about it at all. However, service doesn't need to be a large activity to be meaningful. Even being the recipient of service yourself can allow service in return by simply expressing a "Thank you." If you are having trouble thinking of ways to serve, there is a website designed to help people become involved in service, [www.justserve.org](http://www.justserve.org). It was developed to help people find ways to serve in their community according to the amount of time they have to do service.

Best of success to you as you envision a better tomorrow and a brighter, happier 2021.

## Christmas COLORING CONTEST WINNERS

### INFOWEST

1st: Lydia, 11 2nd: Olivia Gunter, 10 3rd: Avery Randall, 6

## PEOPLE



### BIRTH

#### Waylon Hayden Roberts

Waylon Hayden Roberts was born at 4:09 pm on December 9, 2020, to Hayden and Elizabeth

Roberts of Cedar City, UT. Waylon weighed 7lbs. 12oz. and was 20in. in length. Waylon is the first grandbaby to the father's parents, Dave and Stephanie Roberts (Henrieville, UT) and to the mother's parents, Todd Hall and Robin and Dave Smith (Antimony, UT).

### WEDDING

#### Joseph & Abigail

Joseph Ray Palmer of Enoch, Utah, and Abigail Rose Chilson of Rochester, New York, are excited to announce their marriage on January 8, 2021, in the Palmyra Temple in Palmyra, New York. Joseph is the son of David and Latanna Palmer. Abigail is the daughter of Jonathan and Alissa Chilson.

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## FAITH

# “Broken Things” by Matthew West

EPHESIANS 4:22-24

Welcome to 2021! You may notice that this is not God’s Porch. The Porch still exists, I just wondered what music the Maestro of Miracles might listen to if there was music playing on the Porch. Nevertheless, the most important thing is that whether you imagine being on the Porch, listening to a Playlist, praying in your Closet, Car, or the Wilderness of daily life, may each of our eyes, ears and hearts be opened to God’s beauty that surrounds us and is within us.

While there are thousands of songs to choose from for this new series, these are my favorites. If I miss some of yours, please let me know. I’ll add them the Divine DJ mix. And hopefully, one song will lead you to many others to help you create your own mortal magnificent music collection.

Matthew West is one of my favorites. His songs do more than inspire me when I listen to them. They tell powerful stories that renew hopes, dreams, make me cheer, cry and shout for joy. I hope they will do the same and even more for you. Time to push play.

Each of us stand at the gate of 2021. Some are ready to run confidently through them into a new year full of promise, while others hesitate—their confidence has been crushed and their potential paralyzed by the fears and failures of 2020. Some of you may feel broken by the mistakes of 2020, even that you don’t expect 2021 to be any better because you don’t deserve to be blessed and happy after all the mistakes you’ve made.

If you’ve read the stories in the Bible, you know that it is most often the “rebels, prodigals, the humble, the weak, misfit heroes” that God has used to bless this world! So,



whoever and wherever you are in life, that should give you give you hope for a better, brighter future! There’s still hope “for sinners like me and you” because that’s who hope is for! Here’s another secret—God’s grace isn’t for perfect people!

We all make mistakes, but the worst mistake is believing that you are no longer loved and needed in God’s kingdom. You may feel you

don’t have anything to give God that’s not already broken. Give it to Him anyway. Let the pages of your history, the ones full of scars and brokenness, be turned and re-written by the Lord’s pen of penance.

Because whatever gates of doubt, despair and brokenness that are keeping you isolated from the happiness God wants to bless you with, it’s time to let the light and love of Jesus Christ throw them open so you can live and love again.

There’s still a seat at the Table for you, right next to God. May it be vacant no more. Listen for His whisper of hope...and when you hear it shout back, through your tears of brokenness, “Here I am Lord, I’m all yours.”

## Asking Difficult Questions and Truth 101.1

by Edy MEREDITH

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

In talking to many young people, I have been told by them that when they question older people about facts and beliefs, the young people are told to be quiet, keep their questions to themselves, and to question their questions. Now, as an “old” person, that response does not make sense to me because when I look back at my life, I realize that asking questions and looking for truthful answers is part and parcel of living life to the fullest. Of course, the answers we find need to be verifiable, that is, checked out and demonstrated to be true, accurate, and justified. Even the scriptures say in Hebrews 11:1 say that faith is based on substance and evidence, substance meaning essence and physical properties, while evidence refers to an available body of facts and information indicating whether a belief or proposition is true or valid.

Looking back at the age of almost 79, I find that many authorities I knew were incorrect, even wrong, in the beliefs they were promoting and practicing. For example, both my older sister and younger brother died in their mid-forties of cancer when they accepted the authoritative recommendations of their medical doctors without doing their own research. Of course, forty years ago when those illnesses and treatments occurred there was no internet, Google, or other search engines so it was difficult for them to check out their medical doctors’ recommendations. Today we have no excuses because the internet brings a world of verifiable information in every category to us: political, religious, historical, medical, and other subjects. Healthy skepticism is useful as we ask and search for answers to difficult questions.

Today, we are going to look at one historical man who went “against the grain,” against the scientific and religious orthodoxy of his time. He paid a high price yet still he persisted. He was determined to go where the evidence led him to know truth. He exemplified continuing steadily in his pursuits despite problems and difficulties.

His research has paid marvelous dividends to humanity.

He is Galileo. Born February 15, 1564, in Pisa, Italy, died January 8, 1642, near Florence, Italy. He was a scientist who made major contributions to the sciences of motion, astronomy, and to the development of the scientific method. His discoveries with the telescope revolutionized astronomy and paved the way for the acceptance of Copernican’s sun-centered (heliocentric) system, with the sun as the center of our planetary system. His advocacy of that resulted in an inquisition trial against him in 1615, so that until his death in 1642 he was sentenced to house arrest.

The opposition to the sun-centered planetary system was based on religious beliefs, and Galileo was found “vehemently suspect of heresy,” although he was never formally charged which saved him from the death penalty. The predominant religious belief at that time was that the earth was the center of the universe. He was required to “abjure, curse and detest” his helio-centered beliefs. Publication of his writings was forbidden. He was sentenced to formal imprisonment at the pleasure of the Roman Inquisition. His sentence was commuted to house arrest, where he remained for the remaining 27 years of his life. The good news is that Galileo was able to receive guests in his home. He is also known as the father of modern physics, observational astronomy, and the scientific method. Please go to Wikipedia for more details about his marvelous questions and challenging life. Although you may have studied his life before, please think about the character traits he and other early scientists exemplified.

Next week we will look at the life of a modern scientist, James P. Allison, and how his persistence and questioning have led to blessings for millions of people living today. Asking questions leads to knowledge and truth. Be on the alert for those who want to stifle your inquisitiveness. Treat them kindly because they probably do not know any better, but you keep questioning, reading, and studying. See you next week.



## GOD'S Playlist

by Corey BAUMGARTNER

IRON COUNTY TODAY

# OBITUARIES

## William Charles Sommers



William Charles Sommers passed away in his home with family on December 22, 2020. He was born 4-4-1940, to John and Dallas Rae Sommers. Bill had two brothers who pre-deceased Bill, Mike at age 50, and John at age 68. Graduate of Lew Wallace High School and of Chaffey College, worked as a journeyman welder in the steel mill.

Bill was always interested in public service, beginning as a Boy Scout and ending as a volunteer with the Iron County Sheriff's Department.

A member of the Gary Reserve Fire Force where he rose to the position of Assistant Chief. Bill was a Deputy Sheriff in Lake County, Indiana before he married Judy Lobody in 1959. They had three great kids, Brenda (Marcus), Bill junior, and Terry. In 1967 they moved to California, then separating in 1981. Terry pre-deceased Bill at age 56 in 2020.

Bill retired from Ontario Police Department in 1986 as a Sergeant. During tenure at OPD he developed an expertise in traffic accident investigation and impaired driving detection. Bill oversaw two grant funded impaired driving programs, D.A.R.T. and R.I.D.E. During the R.I.D.E. program Bill and his crew apprehended 1001 impaired drivers in 73 days. He served with the San Bernardino County Sheriff as a Level One Reserve Deputy Sheriff, and formed the Major Accident Investigation Team. Bill taught accident investigation and Drug Recognition Expert courses at the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Training Academy. He saved the lives of three people, one of whom was a nine-year-old drowning victim, who is a mom herself today. Bill was a Fully Accredited Traffic Accident Reconstructionist, passing the very stringent testing procedure of A.C.T.A.R. He wrote several newspaper and magazine articles on traffic safety.

Bill married Charlotte (Pope) 12-14-2002. He said he could not possibly be happier than Charlotte made him. They moved from Victorville, California to Cedar City, Utah in 2009. Bill maintained his accident reconstruction business, Vector Analysis LLC in Cedar City, and volunteered at the Iron County Sheriff's Department, handling the fabrication of specialized equipment, assisted with vehicle maintenance, and served as Commander of the volunteer unit. Bill was an advisor and provided specialized training.

He is survived by his wife and partner forever, Charlotte, children; Brenda, and Bill (Krista). Grandchildren Sydnee, Michael, & Jonathan Sommers; Joseph Loyens. Step-children, Jenny Simpkins (James) & Norman Johnston, grandson Levi. Bill has surviving family in several states.

Online condolences can be sent at [www.sumortuary.com](http://www.sumortuary.com).

## Spencer Mark Francisco



Spencer Mark Francisco, 35, of Saratoga Springs, Utah passed away in Provo, UT, after a short but valiant fight with cancer. Born May 23, 1985 in Cedar City, Utah, the son of Donald Francisco and Donna Johnson Francisco. He married Katherine Schell Francisco and had a beautiful daughter, Elouise; they later separated. Spencer graduated with his bachelor's degree in geology from Southern Utah University in 2014 and enjoyed conducting geology field camps and hikes. He married Karlie

Reanne Ransdell on October 15, 2015 in St. George, Utah.

Spencer loved hiking, rock climbing, geology and video gaming with his siblings. He was an easy person to talk with and enjoyed debates and discussions. He loved entertaining and hosting BBQ's and made the best apple pies.

Survivors include his wife Karlie, daughter Elouise Francisco, his parents Donald Gene and Donna Johnson Francisco, siblings, Donna Daneal Wooldridge (Shemai), Donald Paul Francisco (Melissa), Nicole Charity Hackler (Phil), Steven McKay Francisco, and Ryan Paul Francisco, his in-laws Steven James and Bonnie Ruth Ransdell and his grandmother Sharon Francisco.

## Mary E. Schaidt



Mary E. Schaidt, 87, passed away December 26, 2020, in Milford, Utah, of metastatic breast cancer.

She was born August 10, 1933, in Chelan, Washington to Clifford and Matilda Steele, where she grew up. She married George Daulton Schaidt on July 15, 1950, in Pateros, Washington.

Together they moved to Los Angeles where they raised 4 daughters. In June 1970 they moved to Milford, Utah. She was a member of Eastern Star. In later years, she joined the Desert Hand Bell choir. She also served on the Counsel for Aging. In 2008 for her services in the Counsel of Aging she received the Silver Bowl Award by the State of Utah for Beaver County.

She is survived by her 4 daughters, Kathy (Rodney) Lister in Cedar City, Utah; Sandee (Jay) Walker in Milford, Utah; June Aldous in Denver, Colorado and Joan Owen in Salt Lake City, Utah; 10 grandchildren; 8 great grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her spouse, George, and both sisters Joann Lang and Jean Stone.

Due to the COVID-19, a private family graveside funeral was held Wednesday, December 30, 2020 in Milford, Utah under the direction of Southern Utah Mortuary. Online condolences can be sent at [www.sumortuary.com](http://www.sumortuary.com)

Ladies, please get your mammograms.



## David White Brown



David White Brown, age 56, passed away peacefully while sleeping on December 31, 2020, in St. George, UT. He was born on January 9, 1964 to David Warren Brown and Nora White Brown in Cedar City, UT. He attended Cedar High School where he was involved in music and drama. He served a mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Los Angeles, California and later attended Southern Utah State College, graduating with a bachelor's degree in Communications.

He married Karen Wauneka on June 14, 1986, in the St. George temple. He was employed as head postmaster at Southern Utah University for many years until his health did not allow him to continue in this role. David was a true people person. He was kind, loving, and non-judgmental towards all people. He was also quick to forgive and willing to see the potential in everyone he knew. He loved to dress up as Santa and delivered many presents during the years at family and ward Christmas parties. He loved music, animals, movies, puzzles, and Disneyland. He and his wife Karen served for many years in the Iron Mission Branch of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. They loved spending time with the branch members.

David is survived by his parents, 5 siblings, 2 nieces, 6 nephews, 6 great nieces and 2 great-nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife Karen, and sister Rachael.

The family would like to thank Merv Nugent, Julie Towner, and other staff and residents at Rosecrest Temple View Assisted Living for loving David and taking good care of him the past several years. We know he considered you all his family.

Due to COVID, there will be no viewing or public services. Interment will be in the Cedar City Cemetery under the direction of Southern Utah Mortuary. Online condolences can be sent at [www.sumortuary.com](http://www.sumortuary.com).

## Barbara J. Imlay



Barbara June Patterson was born in Beaver, Utah, on June 17, 1933, to Bowen Dee Patterson and Verle LaRee Patterson. She married Lloyd Grimm on September 20, 1951, and after his death in 1980, she married Frank D. Imlay on December 4, 1982. Their marriage was later solemnized in the St. George Temple. He preceded her in death on April 29, 2001.

She managed her parent's café in Beaver and obtained a driver's license at age 14 when her father suffered a serious heart attack. Her hard work ethic served her throughout her life. She worked for many years at the Sugar Loaf Café in Cedar City, and later for Rymal Williams, MD. She was the lone rural mail carrier south of Cedar City until she could no longer lift the 50 lb. mail bags and retired at 72 years of age.

Barbara had many hardships in her life, and her solution was always the same: "When your burdens seem heavy, serve others and they will become light." She lived by this principle her whole life. She was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and served faithfully in many church callings.

She is survived by her 3 children: Dee Grimm (Katherine), Wade Grimm, and Lori Ann Grimm Bundy (Cory).

She is also survived by 14 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husbands, and her granddaughter, Cassie Roberts. A graveside service will be held at the Cedar City Cemetery on January 9th at 2:00pm for members of the family, under the direction of Southern Utah Mortuary.

In lieu of flowers the family asks that contributions be made to Care & Share in Cedar City, or your local food bank. Online condolences can be sent at [www.sumortuary.com](http://www.sumortuary.com).

## Barbara Warren Russ/Harris



Barbara Warren Russ/Harris died 12-21-2020. Barbara was the sixth child of Eugene and Monta Lister Warren born in Cedar City, Iron, Utah, 7-17-1939. Barbara loved riding horses, gardening, climbing trees, skiing, skating and working with her father. Barbara sang beautifully.

Barbara was employed at Grand Canyon then moved to Las Vegas. She was a nanny for Maurice Wayne Russ's daughters, Julia, Linda and Maurine, whom she loved and cared for. In time, Wayne and Barbara

married and Barbara adopted Wayne's daughters.

At retirement they moved to La Verkin, Utah. Wayne passed away 12-2-2001 in Hurricane, Washington, Utah. Barbara loved cooking for Hurricane Schools and the children.

Barbara was content and at peace when she caught the eye of V. Russell Harris. Russell and his special needs son, Zach, loved Barbara. They became a family on July 5, 2003. They lived in Heron, Montana. They had animals and an airstrip and hanger for Russ's plane. With Russ as pilot and Barbara as navigator they loved flying and visiting Russ's mother, Grace, in California. Zach passed away 7-23-2010 and Russell 11-16-2019 in Heron, Montana.

Barbara was recuperating in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho from a fall when she contracted COVID. She passed away 12-21-2020 in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. Barbara is survived by her daughters, Julia Tracey, Maurine King, 8 grandchildren, her siblings Dorothy Robinson, Helen Cartwright, Frank L. and Kaye Warren and Gladys Harris. She was preceded in death by her parents, her beloved Wayne, daughter Linda and granddaughter Sandra, Russell and Zach; siblings Donald and Etta Louise. Her ashes reside in Montana.

# CV girls win two at Hodson

by Tom ZULEWSKI

IRON COUNTY TODAY

The Canyon View girls basketball team had to put in extra work in its final game of 2020, but they made it pay off in a 45-41 victory over the Tooele Buffaloes in three overtimes at the Steve Hodson Cancer Classic on Dec. 30, winning two of the three games and improving to 3-5 overall.

It was a defensive struggle throughout as Canyon View trailed after each of the first three quarters but was able to tie the game at 30-30 with a minute left in regulation. Once the overtimes came around, the defensive intensity went up another notch.

Tooele forced a second overtime with a steal and layup with 14 seconds left to knot the score at 34-34, then came through again after a three-point play from the Falcons had given them a two-point lead with 10 seconds to play. The Buffaloes drove the length of the floor and hit the tying jumper with less than a second on the clock to force a third overtime tied at 41-41.

CV would only score four points in the final four-minute period, but was able to shut Tooele out and come away with the victory. Addie Newman led all scorers with 19 points for the Falcons in the win and Harlee Nicoll added 13.

Canyon View beat Juab on Dec. 29 for its other victory at the Classic, 43-22, behind 12 points from Newman. The Falcons outscored the Wasps 16-2 in the second quarter to take control of the game.

In its opening game, the Falcons dropped a 57-35 decision to Grantsville on



**CANYON VIEW FALCON HARLEE NICOLL TAKES FLIGHT** over her defender in an epic 3-overtime battle and victory for CV.

Dec. 28. Led by 26 points from Emily Backus, the Cowboys outscored CV 23-10 in the second quarter and led by 23 points in the third before cruising to the win.

Newman and Jaden Johnson each had 11 points for Canyon View in the loss. They opened Region 9 play on Tuesday at Desert Hills in a game that was too late for press deadline and will travel to Dixie for a game Thursday starting at 7 p.m.

Canyon View's boys team fell in its three games at the Hodson Classic, starting with a 72-44 defeat to future 3A rival Grand on Dec. 28. The Red Devils came up big in the second and fourth quarters, outscoring the Falcons by a combined margin of 49-23 to secure the win.

Brenden Greenhalgh led CV with 17 points in the loss.

The Falcons struggled in the second quarter of its second game as Stansbury posted a 58-47 win. The Stallions fell behind 10-3, but went on a 21-5 tear after that to lead by nine, 24-15, at the break. David Spaulding led four Stansbury players in double figures with 13 points in the win.

Cole Farrow led Canyon View with 13 points, Greenhalgh added 12 and Tyler Maine chipped in with 10.

CV finished the three-day holiday tournament with a 63-44 loss to South Sevier on Dec. 30. Trey Allred was the lone Falcon in double figures with 12 points as Canyon View fell to 1-7 on the season. They will open Region 9 play with a home game against Desert Hills tonight starting at 7 p.m.



**CV'S ADRIAN WARD PULLS UP FOR A TIMELY JUMP SHOT** over his defender during a difficult day for the Falcons at the Hodson Classic.

# CEDAR TEAMS SWEEP 3 AT HODSON CLASSIC

by Tom ZULEWSKI

IRON COUNTY TODAY

It took a quarter for the Cedar girls basketball team to get started in its Steve Hodson Cancer Classic opener Dec. 28, but by the time they were done, the Lady Reds had a three-game winning streak in the books.

Abby Davis led the way with 15 points, including a trio of 3-pointers, and Cedar erased a first-quarter deficit to rally past the Stansbury Stallions, 57-40, for its first win of the season after an 0-4 start. Cedar outscored Stansbury 16-5 in the second quarter to take a 23-16 lead at the break, then put the win away with an 18-10 edge in points in the fourth. Braylee Peterson added 14 points in the win and Haylee Campbell chipped in 12 along with two of Cedar's six 3-pointers.

In Game 2 of the Classic, Cedar led most of the way but had to hold on down the stretch for a hard-fought 35-33 win over the Tooele Buffaloes on Dec. 29. In a game that proved to be a defensive struggle, the Lady Reds led 24-9 at halftime, but saw the visitors claw back by cutting down a 27-17 deficit to as little as the final margin before surviving at the end.

McKell Kearns led all scorers with 15 points in the win for Cedar, its second straight.

Cedar completed the three-game sweep of the Classic with a 50-29 win over the Juab Wasps on Dec. 30. The Lady Reds led 18-4 after the opening quarter and pulled away steadily after that behind 15 points from Davis, 12 from Peterson and 11 from Kearns.

"We had a tough preseason, probably the toughest we've had," said Cedar head coach Corry Nielsen, entering his fourth season leading the Lady Reds. "That's what our team wanted. Coming here, we wanted to get better. Our whole focus for the whole 32 (minutes against Juab) was to play Cedar High basketball – in-your-face, pressure defense."

The Lady Reds opened Region 9 play Tuesday with a road game at Snow Canyon and will travel to Hurricane for a game Thursday night at 7 p.m.

Despite missing two key players and their head coach, Cedar's boys team played through the adversity and extended its winning streak to four straight games overall after sweeping through the Hodson Classic. Behind 21 points from Utah State-bound Dallin Grant, the Reds raced out to a 16-point halftime lead and finished with a 75-48 rout over Stansbury on Dec. 28.

Cedar led 46-30 at the break and held the visiting Stallions to just 18 points in the second half. Treyton Tebbs added 19 points and Luke Armstrong helped the cause with 10.

After a back-and-forth first half, Cedar used a 13-2 third-quarter run and pulled away to a 70-52 victory over Tooele on Dec. 29. The Reds led 30-27 at the half.

Tebbs led all scorers with 30 points for Cedar in the victory.

On the final night of the Classic, Tebbs finished with 23 points as Cedar cruised to a 75-60 win over Juab to improve to 5-2 on the season. In his first game back from illness, senior Gaige Savage added 12 points, and Aaron Munson added 11, including a 3-pointer that beat the third-quarter buzzer and gave the Reds a 55-36 lead heading to the fourth.

"To get three in a row like that is obviously good," said Cedar assistant coach Tyler Monks. "It's like the state tournament with three games in three days. Tonight, we did it with different guys after Luke (Armstrong) and Dallin (Grant) got in foul trouble. We fought through things tonight, and if you can win three in a row, you feel like you're in a good spot."

Cedar opens Region 9 play with a home game against Snow Canyon tonight at 7 p.m. They will follow with another home game against Hurricane on Friday at the same start time.

## Parowan girls keep improving

by Tom ZULEWSKI

IRON COUNTY TODAY

Like most basketball programs across Utah, the Parowan girls team has seen limited practice time to get acquainted with its new system and each other. After its performance at the Steve Hodson Cancer Classic, the Rams have turned many of their lessons into positive results.



PAROWAN'S KARLEE WOOD EVADES THE DEFENSE on her way the hoop with hopes of helping her team stay in the fight.

In its final game of the holiday tournament, Parowan rallied with 22 fourth-quarter points and beat American Heritage, 49-45 on Dec. 30

at the Canyon View gym. The Rams had trailed by nine, but outscored the Patriots 22-9 over the final eight minutes to earn its fifth win of the season (5-6), already better than the last three seasons combined.

Brooklyn Hulet led the Rams with 14 points and Madison Mathews helped out with 12 in the victory.

Parowan's other victory at the Classic came in a 56-51 win over Juab in the opener Dec. 28. The Rams built a 17-point lead after three quarters before holding on in the fourth despite scoring just four points. Mathews led the way with 11 points and Danika Jones added 10.

The Dixie Flyers from Region 9 handed Parowan its only loss at the Hodson, coming away with a 54-40 win over the Rams on Dec. 29. Parowan led by as many as five midway through the second quarter, but Dixie scored six quick points in the final minute to take a 34-28 lead at the half.

The Flyers outscored the Rams 16-7 in the third quarter to extend the lead and cruise to the win. Despite going scoreless for six minutes in the final period, Parowan outscored Dixie 5-4 to finish off the effort. Kealah Faumuina led all scorers with 22 points for Dixie. Hulet led Parowan with nine points in the loss.

The Rams will be idle until they start Region 18 play Jan. 14 with a road game at Enterprise starting at 7 p.m.

The Parowan boys team came up empty in its three games at the Hodson Classic, starting with a 56-47 loss to Grantsville on Dec. 28. The Cowboys didn't shoot a free throw in the game, but drilled 12 of its 21 field goals from 3-point range in the win.

Krue Stubbs was the only Rams player in double figures with 23 points in the loss.

In its second game, Parowan couldn't slow down Moroni and Malachi Roberts, who combined for 43 points as Grand beat the Rams, 68-57 on Dec. 29. Moroni scored 26 points for Grand and Malachi added 17.

Krue Stubbs led three Rams in double figures with 17 points in the loss, while Shaydon Benson added 13 and Easton Jense had 10.

On the final night of the Classic, Tooele got 25 points from Justin Rogers and pulled away in the fourth quarter for a 58-45 win over the Rams, who fell to 2-3 on the season. The Buffaloes outscored the Rams 15-7 in the final period.

Parowan will play a non-region game at home tonight against Valley in a 7 p.m. tipoff.



COURTESY SUU ATHLETICS

# T-Bird men's basketball pauses all program related activities

by Bryson **LESTER**

SUU ATHLETICS STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION

**CEDAR CITY** — The Thunderbird men's basketball program has paused all activities following a positive COVID-19 test result amongst their Tier 1 individuals.

As a result, the team did not make their scheduled road trip to Montana State last weekend. At this time, Big Sky Conference basketball games that

are canceled will not be rescheduled.

"While we are sad that our men's basketball team will not be able to head out on the road this weekend, I am glad that we are putting the health and safety of our student-athletes, coaches and opponents first," SUU Director of Athletics Debbie Corum said. "Our team has had the best start we've ever seen here at Southern Utah, and we're very anxious to get them back on the court as soon as possible,

but will make sure we're taking all the necessary precautions to do so."

Southern Utah will aim to continue their season on January 7, as they'll host the Idaho Vandals inside the America First Event Center. Updates on these contests will be available at a later time.

Follow the Thunderbirds all season @SUUBasketball on Twitter and Instagram and by liking the Southern Utah Basketball page on Facebook.

## Thunderbird women's basketball pauses activities

by Kyle **BIRNBRAUER**

SUU ATHLETICS STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION

**CEDAR CITY** — The Thunderbird women's basketball program has paused all activities following multiple positive COVID-19 tests amongst their Tier 1 individuals.

As a result, the team did not host Montana State on December 31 or January 2. At this time, Big Sky Conference basketball games that are canceled will not be rescheduled.

"We knew that this might be something that we would be dealing with following the holiday season, so we are not surprised, but we are disappointed that our women's team will be unable to play this weekend," SUU Athletic Director Debbie Corum said. "Obviously, our main concern right now is taking care of the individuals that tested positive. Our top priority is that these student-athletes receive the proper care."

Fans who purchased tickets for those contests were offered a full



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refund or the option to exchange their tickets for a future home contest.

Stay up to date during the 2020-21 Lady T-Bird Basketball season by

following @SUUWBasketball on Twitter and Instagram and liking the Southern Utah Women's Basketball page on Facebook.

## Scoreboard

### SCORES

#### High School Boys Basketball

STEVE HODSDON CANCER CLASSIC

12/28	Cedar 75, Stansbury 48 Grand 72, Canyon View 44 Grantsville 56, Parowan 47
12/29	Cedar 70, Tooele 52 Stansbury 58, Canyon View 47 Grand 68, Parowan 57
12/30	Cedar 75, Juab 60 South Sevier 63, Cyn. View 44 Tooele 58, Parowan 45

#### High School Girls Basketball

STEVE HODSDON CANCER CLASSIC

12/28	Cedar 57, Stansbury 40 Grantsville 57, Canyon View 35 Parowan 56, Juab 51
12/29	Cedar 35, Tooele 33 Canyon View 43, Juab 22 Dixie 54, Parowan 40
12/30	Cedar 50, Juab 29 Canyon View 45, Tooele 41, 3 OT Parowan 49, Amer. Heritage 45

### STANDINGS

(RPI ranking in parenthesis)

#### Region 9 Boys Basketball

	REGION	OVERALL
Crimson Cliffs (1)	0-0	8-0
Desert Hills (2)	0-0	8-0
Snow Canyon (4)	0-0	7-1
Dixie (6)	0-0	6-2
<b>Cedar (8)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>5-2</b>
Pine View (16)	0-0	1-5
<b>Canyon View (17)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1-7</b>
Hurricane (21)	0-0	1-7

#### Region 9 Girls Basketball

	REGION	OVERALL
Pine View (1)	0-0	7-0
Desert Hills (2)	0-0	4-2
<b>Cedar (8)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>3-4</b>
<b>Canyon View (14)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>3-5</b>
Crimson Cliffs (10)	0-0	2-4
Dixie (21)	0-0	2-4
Hurricane (12)	0-0	2-5
Snow Canyon (15)	0-0	1-5

### SCHEDULE

#### High School Boys Basketball

1/6	Snow Canyon at Cedar Desert Hills at Canyon View Pine View at Crimson Cliffs Dixie at Hurricane
1/8	Hurricane at Cedar Canyon View at Dixie Crimson Cliffs at Desert Hills Pine View at Snow Canyon

#### High School Girls Basketball

(scores will appear in the Jan. 13 edition)

1/5	Cedar at Snow Canyon Canyon View at Desert Hills Crimson Cliffs at Pine View Hurricane at Dixie
1/7	Cedar at Hurricane Canyon View at Dixie Desert Hills at Crimson Cliffs Snow Canyon at Pine View

# A ray of hope as 2021 begins

The new year isn't quite a week old, and it feels different. Sports are still undergoing challenges, from COVID protocols to injuries that reduce rosters to barely acceptable levels, to games being cancelled. Somehow, we're still playing. With Region 9 play under way, Cedar and Canyon View have tasted varied levels of success so far.

On the boys side, the Reds played without their head coach, Mark Esplin, and two of their best players, but still won four in a row and are 5-2 on the year. The Falcons are on the opposite side of the coin, having lost six in a row

have been a pleasant surprise. Despite limited practice and COVID issues that didn't allow the team to practice as a full unit, the Rams won two of three at the Hodson and are 5-6 overall with Region 18 play on deck next week.

What stands out the most is how quickly Parowan has turned things around. The five wins by the Rams is one more than it earned in its previous 50 games dating back to the 2017-18 season. With the world being what it is right now, that makes the achievement special.

The only bad news is Parowan plays in a very competitive region that's been winning a lot. Everyone else — Enterprise, Beaver, Kanab and Millard — is well over .500, led by the Wolves at 10-1.



## RANDOM Thoughts

by Tom ZULEWSKI

SPORTS WRITER

“Seeing gyms without spectators in them has been weird, but at least the seniors can finish out their high-school careers with pride in jobs well done.”

with a group searching for an identity.

But even with the struggles, the best part is the games have continued without interruption. Seeing gyms without spectators in them has been weird, but at least the seniors can finish out their high-school careers with pride in jobs well done.

Cedar's girls basketball team had to fight through a tough preseason, but won its first three games of the season by sweeping the Hodson Classic. While the Lady Reds are 3-4, Canyon View is making competitive noise of its own, highlighted by a triple-overtime win over Tooele that capped a 2-1 performance at the annual tournament.

Right now, the Falcons are 3-5. As Region 9 play begins, Pine View has a 7-0 record and is the only team with an unbeaten preseason. With the RPI in place, seeding for everyone else is up for grabs.

On the 2A side, the Parowan girls

### » Reaching out to pop culture,

I am very happy to recommend “Answers In The Form of Questions.” Written by Claire McNear. Her debut book takes a deep dive into the history of Jeopardy and features one particular section that caught my eye.

Although not an actual chapter, McNear delivers a mini-essay titled, “A Brief History of Jeopardy Contestants Knowing Nothing About Sports.” One legendary game that was highlighted featured a category from the Jeopardy round called “Talking Football” in 2017. All three players let all five clues pass

without attempting to ring in for even a guess.

The moment went viral on YouTube and other social media, and it's laugh-out-loud funny. Full disclosure here: If I was on the stage in that moment, it would have been an easy \$3,000 — the total value of the five clues in the category — and the buzz of the moment would not have existed.

McNear's book has been out since early November, and it's honestly worth the read. With only three more episodes to go this week hosted by the late Alex Trebek, “Answers” leaves no question to how much impact “Jeopardy” has had on sports and pop culture.

I'm here for all of it, and you should be, too.

Follow Tom Zulewski on Twitter @TommyZee81 or email tominator19@yahoo.com.

## TOM'S SPORTS TRIVIA

For the first official trivia test of 2021, it's all about a salute to women in sports. Start the year off right...please keep your wagers in your pockets.

- The WNBA began as a league in 1997. Which team won the first four championships?
  - Houston Comets
  - New York Liberty
  - Phoenix Mercury
  - Los Angeles Sparks
- Utah had a WNBA franchise known as the Starzz. How many seasons did the team last in Salt Lake City before moving to San Antonio?
  - Four
  - Five
  - Six
  - Seven
- Which Detroit Pistons member of the “Bad Boys,” winner of NBA titles in 1989 and 1990, is the head coach of the WNBA Las Vegas Aces?
  - Isiah Thomas
  - Joe Dumars
  - Vinnie Johnson
  - Bill Laimbeer
- Including the Aces, how many of the 12 WNBA franchises do NOT play in an NBA city?
  - One
  - Two
  - Three
  - Four
- In 1996, who became the first female golfer to win over \$1 million in an LPGA season?
  - Karrie Webb
  - Annika Sorenstam
  - Michelle Wie
  - Juli Inkster
- In Women's World Cup soccer history, the U.S. has reached the top four in all eight tournaments, winning four titles. Which country is second on the list with five top-4s and two titles?
  - Norway
  - Germany
  - Sweden
  - Japan
- Which U.S. player has scored the most goals in World Cup play, ranking second on the all-time list?
  - Carli Lloyd
  - Abby Wambach
  - Michelle Akers
  - Brandi Chastain
- Which NCAA women's basketball coach moved to the top of the career wins list with her 1,099th as Stanford beat Pacific on Dec. 15?
  - Pat Summit
  - Geno Auriemma
  - Tara VanDerveer
  - Muffet McGraw
- Among the celebrities we lost in 2020, which former Miss America became the first to join an NFL pre-game studio show when she was hired by CBS for NFL Today in 1975?
  - Hannah Storm
  - Gayle Gardner
  - Robin Roberts
  - Phyllis George
- When Serena Williams won her 23rd Grand Slam singles title at the 2017 Australian Open, which player did she move past to the top of the career list?
  - Steffi Graf
  - Venus Williams
  - Billie Jean King
  - Chris Evert
- While Jack Nicklaus holds the record for most men's golf majors won with 18, Patti Berg has the women's mark — which has lasted since 1958 — with how many major wins?
  - 13
  - 14
  - 15
  - 16
- Who was the first woman to compete as a registered runner in the Boston Marathon?
  - Kathrine Switzer
  - Joan Benoit
  - Bobbi Gibb
  - Cathy Freeman

### Dec. 23 Answers:

- C: 1998. The season lasted 50 games
- B: 2011. The season lasted 66 games
- D: Miami Heat. The Heat improved to 11-2 after beating the New Orleans Pelicans 111-98 on Dec. 25.
- A: Memphis Grizzlies
- B: Baltimore Colts. The Colts moved to Indianapolis starting with the 1983 season.
- A: Los Angeles Chargers.
- C: 20.
- C: 18. The Minnesota Vikings played the Cincinnati Bengals on Christmas Day in 1989.
- D: Fiesta Bowl. The Rose Bowl and Sugar Bowl are the CFP semifinal games, and Hard Rock Stadium will host the National Championship.
- C: Wisconsin
- A: Camelia Bowl
- B: Virginia Tech

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### THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL UNKNOWN DEFENDANTS:

An action has been filed in the Fifth Judicial District Court in and for Iron County, Utah, which seeks, among other things, to quiet title to certain real property and improvements located in Iron County, Utah, Serial No. C-0845-0001-0000, more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING AT THE EAST QUARTER CORNER OF SECTION 9, TOWNSHIP 34 SOUTH, RANGE 9 WEST, SALT LAKE BASE AND MERIDIAN, AND RUNNING THENCE SOUTH 40 RODS, THENCE WEST 80 RODS, THENCE NORTH 40 RODS, THENCE EAST 80 RODS TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM THAT PORTION LYING WITHIN THE EXISTING COUNTY ROAD.

SUBJECT TO A RIGHT OF WAY OVER THE WEST 30 FEET OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED PROPERTY FOR THE PURPOSE OF A ROADWAY.

SUBJECT TO A PIPELINE RIGHT OF WAY, IN FAVOR OF THE GRANTORS, FROM THE PROPOSED WELL SITE SOUTH TO THE SOUTH PROPERTY LINE, FOR THE PURPOSE OF STOCKWATERING IN THE MONTHS OF MARCH THROUGH MAY OF EACH YEAR.

SITUATE IN IRON COUNTY, STATE OF UTAH.

(THE "Property").

The Verified Complaint is on file with the Court and is by this reference incorporated as though fully set forth herein. If you claim any estate, right, title, lien, lease, encumbrance, or other interest of any type or nature whatsoever in, on, or to the above-identified Property, you are hereby summoned and required to file an answer in writing to the Verified Complaint, Case No. 200500190, with the Clerk of the Fifth Judicial District Court in and for Iron County, Utah, 40 North 100 East, Cedar City, UT 84720, and to serve upon or mail to Jennifer E. Decker, of Fabian VanCott, 215 South State, Suite 1200, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111, Attorneys for Plaintiff, a copy of said answer within twenty-one (21) days after the date of publication of this summons by publication. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Verified Complaint. This summons by publication is published by authority of the order of the Fifth Judicial District Court in and for Iron County, Utah.

DATED this 28th day of December, 2020.

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### SUMMONS

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In the District Court of Utah  
Fifth Judicial District Iron County  
40 N. 100 E., Cedar City, UT 84720

RICHARD TANGREN SURVIVE TRUST II,  
a Nevada Trust, Plaintiff,

v.

FENCING, INC. EMPLOYEES PROFIT SHARING PLAN; FENCING INC. PENSION AND PROFIT SHARING PLAN; PARKER FAMILY LP, a Nevada limited partnership; JUEL PARKER, an individual; LARAE EARL, an individual; WOODROW WAGNER, SR., an individual; WOODROW WAGNER, JR., an individual; ANDREW SAIS, an individual; BYRON UNDERHILL, an individual; FLORIAN HOUSTON, an individual; and all persons unknown claiming any legal or equitable right, title estate, lien or interest in the property described in the complaint adverse to the complainant's ownership or clouding its title as DOES I through X, inclusive, and ROE CORPORATIONS I through X, inclusive,

Defendants.

### SUMMONS

Civil No. 200500162

Judge: Ann Marie Mciff Allen

THE STATE OF UTAH TO DEFENDANT TO FENCING, INC. EMPLOYEES PROFIT SHARING PLAN; FENCING INC. PENSION AND PROFIT SHARING PLAN; LARAE EARL, WOODROW WAGNER, SR., WOODROW WAGNER, JR., ANDREW SAIS, BYRON UNDERHILL, FLORIAN HOUSTON, and all persons unknown claiming any legal or equitable right, title estate, lien or interest in the property described in the complaint adverse to the complainant's ownership or clouding its title.

The above-entitled Court has entered an Order granting Plaintiff to serve Defendants FENCING, INC. EMPLOYEES PROFIT SHARING PLAN; FENCING INC. PENSION AND PROFIT SHARING PLAN; LARAE EARL, WOODROW WAGNER, SR., WOODROW WAGNER, JR., ANDREW SAIS, BYRON UNDERHILL, and FLORIAN HOUSTON by publication

You are summoned and required file an answer in writing to the Complaint on file with the clerk of the above-entitled Court, located at 40North 100 East, Cedar City, UT 84720. You are also required to file an Answer with the Court and serve upon or mail to, Plaintiff's attorney, a copy of said Answer within twenty-one days after the service of the Summons upon you if you reside within the State of Utah, or thirty (30) days after the service of Summons upon you if you reside outside of the State of Utah.

If you fail so to do, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in said Complaint, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court.

Please be advised that the action seeks to quiet title to certain real property and identified in Plaintiff's Complaint, which is located in Iron County, Utah, and once quieted, the land shall be titled solely in the name of the RICHARD TANGREN SURVIVOR TRUST II who is acting on behalf of a the FLYING CAL-UTE RANCHEROS PARTNERSHIP.

Please be advised that the action also seeks a declaration from the Court establishing that the RICHARD TANGREN SURVIVOR TRUST II has authority to act on behalf of the FLYING CAL-UTE RANCHEROS PARTNERSHIP and further establish the remaining partners and their percentage ownership in the FLYING CAL-UTE RANCHEROS PARTNERSHIP.

A copy of the Complaint in this action has been deposited with the Clerk of the Court, with a description of the Real Property, and can be picked up by anyone claiming an interest in the above matter at no charge.

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### ENOCH CITY MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 2021

The Enoch City Council meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month at 6:00PM.

The Planning Commission meets on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month at 5:30PM.

The Economic Development Committee meets on the 1st Thursday of each month at 6:30pm.

The Water Board meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 4:30pm as needed.

The Tree Committee meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 6:00pm.

The Recreation Advisory Board meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 6:00pm.

The Land Use Appeal Authority meets only "as needed" and will advertise their meetings in advance per State law. Some meeting dates may change due to circumstances and will be noticed per State Code requirements. All meetings will be held at the Enoch City Office, 900 E. Midvalley Road, Enoch, UT 84721. Meeting information can be viewed at cityofenoch.org.

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### SUMMONS

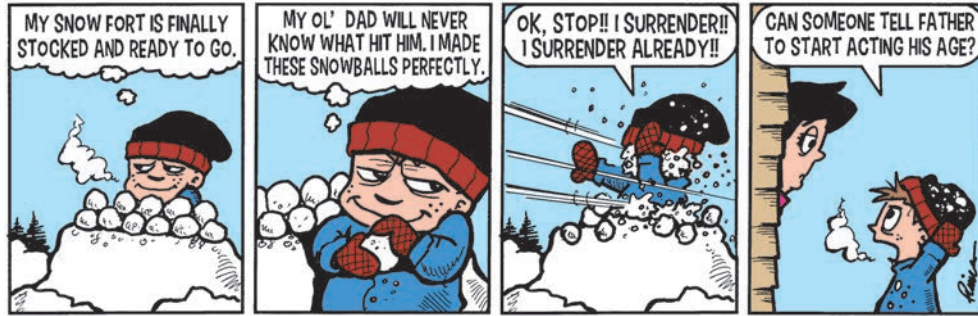
Westwood, Law, P.C., J. David Westwood, Counsel for Plaintiff, 444 S. Main Street, Suite C-8, Cedar City, Utah 84720, Telephone (435) 267-2145, david@westwoodlawfirm.com In the Fifth Judicial District Court in and for Iron County, State of Utah, Case No. 200500164, Judge Matthew L. Bell. Gretchen Merrill, Plaintiff vs. Henry C. Koch, Jr. and all persons unknown, claiming any legal or equitable right, title, estate, lien, or interest in the property rights described in the Verified Complaint which are adverse to Plaintiff's title, or any cloud on Plaintiff's title thereto. You are summoned and required to answer the Verified Complaint filed with the court in the above matter. Within 21 days after service of this summons you must file your written answer with the clerk of the court at the following address: Iron County Courthouse, 40 N. 100 E., Cedar City, Utah 84720, and you must mail or deliver a copy of the Answer to Plaintiff's attorney at the address listed above. If you fail to do so judgment by default may be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Verified Complaint. The subject matter of this Verified Complaint is to quiet title to real property. The Complaint is on file with the clerk of the court.

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# Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



# R.F.D.

by Mike Marland



# The Spats

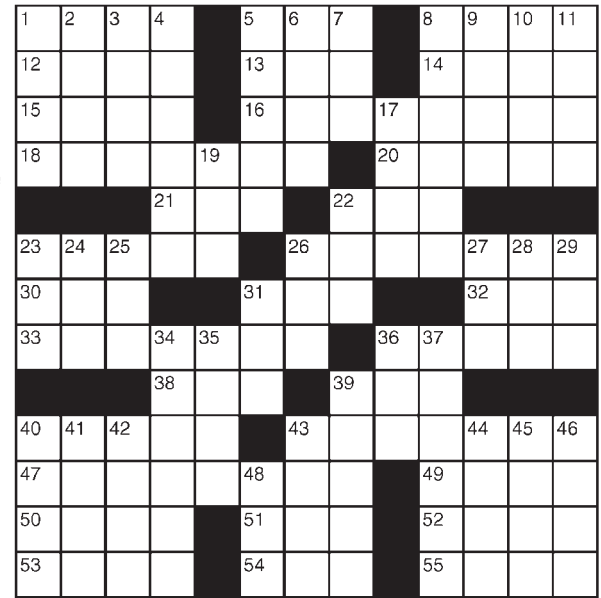
by Jeff Pickering



# King Crossword

## ACROSS

- 1 Nile vipers
- 5 Cistern
- 8 Sprint
- 12 Guitarist Atkins
- 13 — -de-France
- 14 Formerly
- 15 Antelope's playmate
- 16 Its days are numbered
- 18 Degree of excellence
- 20 Endures
- 21 "Nova" ailer
- 22 Lass
- 23 Regions
- 26 Volcanic crater
- 30 "Entourage" agent
- 31 Branch
- 32 Felon's flight
- 33 Trinidad music
- 36 Fountain drinks
- 38 Fine, at NASA
- 39 Marry
- 40 Dishonor
- 43 Actor Rory
- 47 Squid dish
- 49 Big fair, for short
- 50 "Oops!"
- 51 Drench
- 52 Peruse
- 53 Facts and figures



- 54 Guitar master Paul
- 55 Tolkien creatures
- 11 Towel word
- 17 Israeli airline
- 19 Small ammo
- 22 Leg, in slang
- 23 Efron of "Parkland"
- 24 Man-mouse link
- 25 Zero
- 26 — -Magnon
- 27 Right angle
- 28 Squealer
- 29 Early hrs.
- 31 Request
- 34 Motorcycle maker
- 35 "The Raven," for one
- 36 Actor Gibson
- 37 Stick
- 39 Is patient
- 40 Gulf War missile
- 41 "Funny!"
- 42 Oodles
- 43 Manitoba tribe
- 44 They can take a yoke
- 45 — the crack of dawn
- 46 Agrees silently
- 48 Piercing tool

## DOWN

- 1 Outlet letters
- 2 The Mets' old home
- 3 Rind
- 4 American flag feature
- 5 Bad habits
- 6 Winged
- 7 Aviv preceder
- 8 Disney duck
- 9 &&&&
- 10 Ella's style

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# Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

## DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦

- ♦ Moderate
- ♦♦ Challenging
- ♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

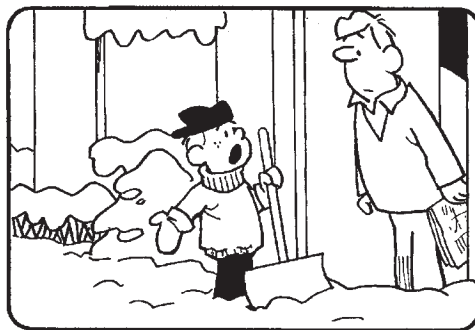
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# HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Panes are missing. 2. Cap is reversed. 3. Arm is moved. 4. Handle is shorter. 5. Neckline is different. 6. Paper is moved.

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# Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

- U.S. PRESIDENTS: The poem "O Captain! My Captain!" was written after the death of which president?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the weight of a U.S. quarter?
- MOVIES: What was the name of the skyscraper in the drama "Die Hard"?
- TELEVISION: What city was the setting for the sitcom "Mork and Mindy"?
- SCIENCE: What is the study of knowledge, reality and existence called?
- ANIMAL KINGDOM: What are male blue crabs called?
- GEOGRAPHY: What is the highest point in Japan?
- FOOD & DRINK: The acai berry is native to which continent?
- LITERATURE: Who wrote the "Winnie-the-Pooh" book series for children?
- MEASUREMENTS: What is an angstrom?

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Solution time: 23 mins.  
Answers  
King Crossword

1. Abraham Lincoln; 2. 0.2 ounces; 3. Nakatomi Plaza; 4. Boulder, Colorado; 5. Philosophy; 6. Jinnies; 7. Mount Fuji; 8. South America; 9. A.A. Milne; 10. One ten-billionth of a meter, used to measure very small distances

Trivia Test Answers