



Federal charge in missing Aurora boy claim

Ohio man learned about case from TV show, authorities say

BY MEGAN JONES AND SARAH FREISHTAT
The Beacon-News

Suspicious arose quickly, officials said Friday, when a person found on a street in a Kentucky town claimed to be Timmothy Pitzen, an Aurora boy who went missing in 2011 when he was 6.

One of the early red flags was raised when the person refused to be fingerprinted at a hospital

where he had been taken, said Ben Glassman, U.S. attorney for the Southern District of Ohio. A local coroner, whose office was part of the investigation into the matter, also was quickly skeptical.

Still, officials had to probe all leads and at the same time ensure the person, who claimed to be 14, received appropriate medical care, Glassman said.

Ultimately, the investigation, which included analyzing DNA evidence, revealed that the person was not 14, but 23, and he was not Timmothy Pitzen, of Aurora, but Brian Rini, of Ohio, a convicted felon who was recently released

from prison.

Rini was charged Friday with lying to a federal agent, Glassman and other officials announced at a news conference in Cincinnati.

According to an FBI affidavit, Rini, after admitting his true identity, told agents he learned about Timmothy from watching an episode about the case on the TV show "20/20."

"(Rini) stated that he wanted to get away from his own family," Mary Braun, a detective with the Cincinnati Police Department and a task force officer with the FBI, wrote in an affidavit. "When questioned further, Rini stated

that he wished he had a father like Timmothy's."

At the news conference, law enforcement officials gave more details about how Rini allegedly tried to pass as Timmothy Pitzen.

Police in Newport, Ky., which is near Cincinnati, on Wednesday encountered a "youngish" man "walking on the streets, seemingly confused," authorities said.

He allegedly said he was Timmothy Pitzen, was abducted when he was 6 years old and had just broken free of captors, Glassman said.



HAMILTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
Brian Rini claimed to be missing Aurora boy Timmothy Pitzen.

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WHITE SOX HOME OPENER



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SMILES ON THE SOUTH SIDE

Brittany Emerson, of Valparaiso, Ind., cheers after Yoan Moncada's two-run double in the first inning of the White Sox's 2019 home opener Friday against the Seattle Mariners at Guaranteed Rate Field. Moncada's two-run single in the seventh proved to be the game-winner as the Sox came from behind to beat the Mariners 10-8 in a three-hour-plus marathon. **Full coverage in Chicago Sports**

Major league friendship and a minor league quest

A Cubs fan and a Sox fan — each 86 — hope to visit their 100th ballpark in the minors



HEIDI STEVENS
Balancing Act

It all began in August 1994, when Major League Baseball players went on strike over a salary cap proposal.

Team owners canceled the rest of the season. For the first time in baseball's history, there would be no World Series.

The strike ended in March 1995, and players returned to the field in April. Fans (mostly, sometimes reluctantly) returned to the parks.

But something had changed, especially for long-time pals and avid baseball enthusiasts Steve Mullins (a Cubs fan) and Ed Chainski (a White Sox fan).

"We just said to ourselves, 'Why should we keep paying

this big money when there are minor league teams out there?" Mullins said.

"We wanted to see baseball," Chainski said. "Where they really like baseball. Where they really hustle. Where they wanted to get to the big leagues."

In summer 1996, they took a road trip to Fort Wayne, Ind., to see the minor league Wizards. (They became the Fort Wayne Tincaps after the 2008 season.) From Fort Wayne, the pair drove to Grand Rapids, Mich., to see the Lugnuts, and to South Bend, Ind., to see the Silverhawks (who are now the South Bend Cubs).

Every year since, they've taken a similar trip: four different minor league parks over a stretch of a week. They've thrown in a handful of nearby single-stands along the way — Kane County

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STACEY WESCOTT/CHICAGO TRIBUNE

Stacy Ellis, wife of Illinois State Trooper Gerald Ellis, and their daughters, Kaylee and Zoe, receive flags after his funeral service Friday.

Trooper remembered for laugh, dedication to duty

Ellis third to die this year in line of duty

BY FRANK ABDERHOLDEN
News-Sun

The stage at the funeral for Illinois State Police Trooper Gerald "Jerry" Ellis on Friday at the James Lumber Center for the Performing Arts in Grayslake included a giant portrait, his uniform, flags, flowers and family pictures of him with his wife and two daughters.

The 600-seat auditorium was packed with uniformed officers and speakers, which included Gov. J.B. Pritzker, acting state police Director Brendan Kelly, and fellow troopers Sgt. Nick Severson and Thomas Brengel, all of whom spoke of his dedication to duty, his family and, most of all, his sense of humor.

"To Trooper Ellis' family — Stacy, Zoe and Kaylee — Jerry Ellis was special," Pritzker said. "A big-hearted, kind person who

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President declares U.S. 'is full'

Trump says migrants overwhelming system

BY ZEKE MILLER AND JONATHAN LEMIRE
Associated Press

CALEXICO, Calif. — Declaring "our country is full," President Donald Trump on Friday insisted the U.S. immigration system was overburdened and illegal crossings must be stopped as he inspected a refurbished section of fencing at the Mexican border.

Trump, making a renewed push for border security as a central campaign issue for his 2020 re-election, participated in a briefing on immigration and border security in Calexico before viewing a two-mile see-through steel-slat barrier that was a long-planned replacement for an older barrier — and not new wall.

"There is indeed an emergency on our southern border," Trump said at the briefing, adding that there has been a sharp uptick in

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ARMANDO L. SANCHEZ/CHICAGO TRIBUNE

Ed Chainski, left, and Steve Mullins, both 86, hold baseballs from minor league stadiums the two have visited. They plan to visit their 100th minor league park during the summer.

Stevens

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Cougars, for example. They estimate they’ve driven around 20,000 miles and shared 35 flights, traveling as far as Wappinger Falls, N.Y. (to see the Hudson Valley Renegades) and Great Falls, Mont. (to cheer on the Voyagers).

“You hear the ump’s call, ‘Ball one! Strike one!’ ” Mullins said. “You sit anywhere in the park and see. I remember once seeing a guy coming down the third-base line — slide, a lot of dust, ‘You’re out!’ ”

This year, the 86-year-old friends, both of whom live in Evanston, are scheduled to visit their 100th minor league baseball park. Mullins was diagnosed with spinal cancer a few months ago. The radiation has numbed his legs and weakened his larynx. They’re still planning the trip. Which, if all goes as planned, will be rather epic.

First, let’s back up. It all really began in 1955, when Mullins and Chainski met at Oktoberfest in Munich.

Both were stationed in Germany and came to the festival at the urging of a mutual friend. They hit it off. Had a couple of beers, which Chainski ended up sleeping off in Mullins’ parked car.

After their military service ended in 1956, Chainski enrolled in law school at Northwestern University. Mullins went to the University of Michigan to earn an MBA.

Both had grown up in and around Chicago — Mullins on the North Shore, Chainski in Chicago until fourth grade and then in Lake Forest. Back in the Midwest as adults, they rekindled the friendship that began at Oktoberfest.

They stood up in each other’s weddings — Chainski’s in 1961, Mullins’ in 1963.

They went to a lot of Cubs and White Sox games. “Baseball is a thinking man’s game,” Mullins said. “It’s so different than any of the other sports. It is, I think, the hardest thing to do in sports, to hit a baseball with a bat.”

“I agree very much,” Chainski said. “It’s a cerebral game,” Mullins said. “You have a lot of time between pitches and innings. You can debate what the next pitch is going to be. What the next hit needs to be. It’s just a wonderful game.”

Both men loved the game as kids.

“The first game I ever saw was the first All-Star Game, and that was the summer of 1933,” Chainski said. “I had a very nice seat in my mother’s lap. I wasn’t even 1 year old yet.”

Chainski was born in December 1932. The first All-Star game was the following July at Chicago’s Comiskey Park. (The American League won.)

That could easily explain Chainski’s loyalty to the White Sox, but he credits the doorman and the elevator operator in the North Side high-rise of his youth for turning him on to the South Siders.

“When the boss wasn’t there, they’d play catch with me,” Chainski said. “We were pretty close to Wrigley Field. Seats in the bleachers were 55 cents apiece.”

No matter. He was a White Sox guy, thanks to those games of catch. The summer after seventh grade, when his family moved to Lake Forest, Chainski’s favorite Sundays were the ones when he could get up early, walk to Mass, hop on a train to Chicago, switch to another

train to the South Side, watch a doubleheader, train back to Lake Forest and walk about 2 miles home.

“I left the house at 8:30 in the morning and got home maybe 9:30 or 10,” he said.

The last couple of decades, these minor league adventures have renewed some of the beauty and magic of baseball that Chainski and Mullins felt slipping away.

Mullins and Chainski like to play major league scouts from their seats, predicting which players are destined for the big leagues. Mullins said they spied — and predicted big things for — a 19-year-old outfielder named Carlos Beltran during their 1996 trip to see the Lansing Lugnuts. Beltran, of course, became a nine-time All-Star before retiring in 2017 from the Houston Astros.

What could be better? “What I remember is Ed calling me and saying, ‘You can hear the crack of the bat!’ ” Mary Jane Chainski, Ed’s wife, said.

“Steve spends hour after hour after hour researching who’s going to play on which day that will match their schedule,” Carol Mullins, Steve’s wife, said. “He knows every statistic that ever was.”

“Carol and I were never invited,” Mary Jane Chainski said.

“Which is good,” Carol Mullins added. “After about three innings, I’m ready to leave.”

The trip this summer, the one that will culminate with the 100th park, will be a family affair.

Mullins and Chainski plan to fly into Salt Lake City and drive to two games in Utah — the Ogden Raptors and the Orem Owlz. From there, they’ll hit a Grand Junction Rockies game in Colorado before

heading to their final — and 100th — destination: a Reno Aces game in Reno, Nev.

The Mullins’ son, who lives just outside Reno, will join them. So will their godson. Mary Jane Chainski’s son from her previous marriage will join them.

“We’ll have a big celebration,” Mullins said. “We’re going to alert the stadium we’re doing this. We’re hoping we’ll get something on the scoreboard — Chainski/Mullins’ 100th game.”

Underneath the baseball, of course, is an enduring friendship. The two things feed each other.

“The games are far and away the thing that’s kept us together,” Mullins said. “Women have all this stuff they get together to do. Men don’t have that sort of thing. For us, baseball is it.”

“The trips give us a chance to talk about things we don’t normally talk about,” Chainski said. “History. Presidents.”

Along the way, they’ve stopped at 39 presidential libraries, museums and birthplaces: Woodrow Wilson’s family home in Columbia, S.C., the Benjamin Harrison Presidential Site in Indianapolis, the Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum in Hyde Park, N.Y.

They’ve hit 31 state capitals.

They’ve had front-row seats (or seventh-row seats, or 14th-row seats) to a game they grew up studying and playing and loving, and they’ve been by each other’s side through it all.

How do you top the beauty and magic in that?

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City vows suit after Smollett refuses to pay

Attorney says actor 'will not be intimidated'

BY MEGAN CREPEAU
Chicago Tribune

Mayor Rahm Emanuel's administration says it is drafting a lawsuit after "Empire" actor Jussie Smollett failed to meet the city's self-imposed deadline to pay \$130,000 to cover the cost of the police investigation into his allegedly staged attack on himself.

A defiant letter by Smollett's lawyer warned the city against suing him, saying the actor "will not be intimidated into paying the demanded sum."

Meanwhile, a second petition in as many days was filed seeking the appointment of a special prosecutor to investigate last week's sudden dismissal of charges against Smollett by Cook County State's Attorney Kim Foxx's office.

The petition by Sheila O'Brien, a former Illinois Appellate Court judge, said Foxx's actions "create an appearance of impropriety, a perception that justice was not served here, that Mr. Smollett received special treatment."

Also Friday, Emanuel, who last week condemned the stunning dismissal of charges as a "white-wash of justice," spoke out against

calls for Foxx's resignation, saying she was "democratically elected to serve" — and "that's what she should do."

The outgoing mayor's support came a day after the president of the Chicago Fraternal Order of Police and some 30 police leaders from throughout the suburbs gave a vote of no confidence on Foxx.

The city's planned lawsuit against Smollett will pursue "the full measure of damages" allowed by city law, a statement issued by the Law Department said.

In response, celebrity attorney Mark Geragos, who represents Smollett, vowed a vigorous defense, warning that Emanuel, police Superintendent Eddie Johnson and other key players in the whirlwind legal saga would be required to give sworn testimony.

"Mr. Smollett's preference remains, however, that this matter be closed and that he be allowed to move on with his life," Geragos wrote in the letter made public Friday.

Smollett, who is African-American and openly gay, found himself at the center of an international media firestorm after he reported in late January being the victim of an attack by two people shouting racist and homophobic slurs.

But after Chicago police investi-



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"Empire" actor Jussie Smollett refuses Chicago's demand to pay the city \$130,000.

16 felony counts of disorderly conduct alleging he staged the attack. In a stunning about-face last week, however, Foxx's office abruptly dropped all charges against him, sparking furious public backlash from Johnson and Emanuel.

Two days later, the city notified Smollett's attorneys by letter of its demand that he pay \$130,106 — the cost of the police overtime hours expended in the investigation into his allegations.

The letter warned that the city might sue if Smollett did not pay by Thursday.

In response, Geragos wrote that Smollett "vehemently denies making any false statements," echoing the actor's public assertions of innocence after charges were

dropped March 26.

"Your claim that Smollett filed a false police report and orchestrated his own attack is false and defamatory," the letter said.

O'Brien's petition comes on the heels of a similar filing Thursday from Saani Mohammed, who served as a Cook County prosecutor from November until last month, when he left to start his own practice.

Both seek a hearing May 2 before the Criminal Division's presiding Judge LeRoy Martin Jr.

In her petition, O'Brien homed in on how Foxx said she recused herself in the early stages of the Smollett investigation — only to claim last week that it was not a recusal "in the legal sense" that would have required the entire office to withdraw from the prosecution.

"She is our lawyer. We are her clients. We should be able to rely upon our lawyer's word," the petition said. "To find that Foxx's clear statement of recusal was something other than a recusal would indicate that she was being less than truthful in her handling of the Smollett case and in her statements to the public."

O'Brien declined to comment on her petition Friday but wrote in the filing that she had no agenda "other than seeking the truth and

restoring public confidence" in Foxx's office and Cook County courts.

Foxx has faced calls for her resignation from some quarters after the perplexing decision to drop the charges at an unannounced court hearing on March 26 without the actor acknowledging guilt.

Prosecutors insisted that day that the evidence against the actor was solid, but then Foxx backpedaled in a Tribune op-ed, writing that unspecified aspects of the case would have made a conviction "uncertain."

Emanuel, caught by surprise by the decision, blasted the reversal at the time, saying, "It is not on the level from beginning to end and there needs to be a level of accountability throughout the system."

On Friday, the mayor tried to tamp down calls for Foxx's resignation, noting that she held an elected position.

"As she has said herself and I have said and others, that we as a city deserve answers to the questions that remain unanswered, and there will be a process to get to the bottom of that," he told reporters.

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Agreement reached, ending strike at UIC

Teaching assistants will return to work Monday

BY DAWN RHODES
Chicago Tribune

After three weeks, teaching and graduate assistants at the University of Illinois at Chicago have ended their strike after reaching a tentative agreement with the administration for a new contract, union leaders announced Friday afternoon.

Jeff Schuhrke and Anne Kirkner, co-presidents of the Graduate Employees Organization, said they have a three-year contract proposal to be reviewed and voted on by the union's more than 1,500 members. The contract would secure pay raises, slash mandatory fees and reduce costs for university-provided health care.

Union members continued their strike Friday after the two sides could not immediately finalize an agreement allowing the graduate student workers, who had been on strike since March 19, to return to work without being docked pay.

The two sides settled that issue after another bargaining session Friday afternoon, according to union leaders, who said their members have agreed to return to work Monday.

"The settlement forbids retaliation for participation in the strike and it allows TAs and GAs the opportunity to make up any work hours they missed during the strike by May 3rd," GEO leaders posted on Facebook.

"What this means is nobody will have pay docked in the April paycheck and everyone will have the right to make up lost hours between now and May 3rd to avoid

having pay docked in May."

UIC confirmed the end of the strike in a campus announcement from Chancellor Michael Amiridis, Provost Susan Poser and Vice Chancellor Robert Barish.

"We have always valued our graduate employees and their contributions to our academic mission," the administrators said. "This agreement will help ensure a solid foundation for the future of our graduate workers while supporting all students as they pursue their educational goals at Chicago's public research university."

Union leaders said they will have a meeting Monday with members to discuss the terms of the contract and begin voting to ratify it. Administrators said details will be available once both parties approve it.

Graduate workers resumed picketing Friday morning and joined a rally organized by undergraduate students in the afternoon. About 200 students and faculty members — themselves in the midst of contract negotiations — gathered to criticize university leadership while also celebrating significant improvements in the proposed contract.

"We just won the best contract that our union has ever bargained," Kirkner said.

Ariana Antonelli, a junior studying English, said she has joined the graduate workers on the picket lines throughout the strike.

"Many classes have been thrown into a panic, trying to resume instruction without a majority of its instructors," Antonelli said. "The graduate students are the backbone of our university, and the administration has been treating them as if they were the appendix."

The agreement Friday marks a rapid resolution to a dispute that



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Students file into a negotiating room after a rally to support graduate and teaching assistants who were on strike at University of Illinois at Chicago on Friday. The strike ended later in the day.

showed few signs of compromise until late this week.

After daylong sessions Wednesday and Thursday, the union says the two sides were prepared to agree to a \$2,550 increase to minimum salaries over the three-year contract, equating to a 14 percent pay bump overall for those who are paid the minimum of \$18,065, which is for 20 hours of work per week, nine months per year. Union leaders said that would represent the largest raise in the union's history.

About half the graduate assistants earn the minimum salary, union leaders said.

A sticking point in negotiations had been the union's desire to offset fees that are charged to graduate students. The fees are increasing from \$431 to \$481 per semester in the fall.

Student employees were seeking to waive at least part of that charge, saying it is a major strain on their income, but university officials were steadfast that fees are a critical source of income for the campus.

The planned fee increase was approved to help support the expansion and remodeling of the campus student centers, according to Michael Ginsburg, the associate vice chancellor for human resources.

The tentative agreement also would halve the added fee for international students from \$130 to \$65 per semester, the union said.

Student employees also would see reduced prices for health insurance over the contract and, for the first time, could have the university cover a portion of the

cost for dependents.

Though one week of the strike overlapped with spring break on campus, it affected academic operations.

At least 550 classes were canceled in the first week of the walkout, March 19-22, according to documents obtained by the Tribune. Students complained of a backlog of assignments not being graded and confusion over how to complete coursework, a particularly stressful situation as students are gearing up for final exams.

The spring terms ends May 3. The graduate student union has been working without a contract since September. Thursday's bargaining session was the 30th between the two sides.

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Pritzker puts Jahn-designed Thompson Center on market

Building served as state headquarters in Loop

BY DAN PETRELLA
Chicago Tribune

Gov. J.B. Pritzker cleared the way for Illinois to sell the James R. Thompson Center, the controversial state government building in the Loop that opened in 1985 and in recent years has fallen into disrepair.

Pritzker's predecessor, Republican Gov. Bruce Rauner, pushed for years to sell the Thompson Center to help stabilize the state's finances, and lawmakers even counted on \$300 million in revenue from selling the Helmut Jahn-designed building in the current state budget. But until Friday, the state hadn't established a process for selling it.

A bill the Democratic governor signed Friday lays out a two-year process for selling the building through a competitive sealed

process. The eventual buyer will have to enter into an agreement with the city of Chicago and the CTA to maintain operation of the Clark/Lake CTA station that occupies part of the building.

If the building is sold, state employees will be moved across LaSalle Street to the Michael A. Bilandic Building and to other state-owned or rented offices, according to the governor's office.

The legislature approved the bill while Rauner was still in office but waited until Pritzker was sworn in to send it to the governor's desk. Unlike Rauner, Pritzker has said he isn't counting on revenue from the sale to fund day-to-day state operations. Instead, his administration has said it wants to use proceeds from the sale of assets such as the Thompson Center to infuse cash into the state's severely underfunded pension systems. The Pritzker administration hasn't said how much it expects to bring in from the building's sale.

Pritzker spokeswoman Jordan Abudayyeh said the sale of the building "is long overdue and will allow the state to leverage one of our biggest assets to help stabilize the pension system."

The state plans to enter into discussions with the city and Mayor-elect Lori Lightfoot in the next six months over the CTA station and possible zoning changes needed to attract a developer to the site. A Lightfoot spokeswoman did not respond Friday to a request for comment.

Rauner and outgoing Mayor Rahm Emanuel wrangled over the issue for years, with Emanuel attempting to use zoning changes as leverage to gain Rauner's support for a bill that would have allowed the city to restructure some pension payments. However, the city and state did agree to include the building as part of one of the proposed sites in their failed joint bid for Amazon's planned second headquarters.

It will be more than a year

before the state accepts proposals from companies interested in redeveloping the site, but there are several issues aside from zoning and the transit station that could complicate the process.

For one, the retail space in the 17-story building's glass-enclosed atrium and lower-level food court is controlled by Boston's Winthrop Realty Trust and Chicago's Marc Realty through a master lease that doesn't expire until 2034. The state likely would have to buy out the lease before the space could be redeveloped, and it's unclear what that would mean for existing tenants.

Abudayyeh did not respond Friday to questions about the master lease and other issues.

The state also is certain to face public backlash against the possibility of tearing down a well-known building designed by a world-famous architect.

Advocacy group Preservation Chicago has included the Thompson Center, completed in 1985 as

the State of Illinois Building and later renamed for former Gov. James R. "Big Jim" Thompson, on its annual list of the city's most endangered buildings several times in recent years.

Ward Miller, the group's executive director, said he hopes the state will sell the building to a developer who will honor its postmodern design and possibly protect it by seeking landmark status.

"There are so many aspects of the building that are very important," Miller said. "It has a huge plaza and open space that should be preserved."

Like many state facilities, the Thompson Center has suffered from years of deferred maintenance and neglect as the state struggled through one financial crisis after another. "That's not to say it can't be restored," Miller said.

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was one of the few people who could make you laugh from the tips of your toes to the top of your head. People say you didn't know laughter until Jerry made you laugh."

"We all wish we had Jerry Ellis in our lives," Pritzker added, "someone whose kindness inspires you to live better. Someone who has a knack for making you feel good about yourself just by being around."

The governor recounted how Ellis first became interested in law enforcement.

"Jerry was blessed in that he knew what he wanted to do in life from his earliest days," Pritzker said. "He was with his mother, Debbie, when he was just a few years old, and she was pulled over by a police officer. Instead of feeling sorry for his mother, he was in awe of the officer who wrote her a ticket."

Ellis, 36, was an 11-year veteran of District 15, which patrols the Illinois Tollway system.

According to authorities, he was heading north on the Tri-State Tollway around 3:25 a.m. March 30 just south of Route 176 when a wrong-way driver came down the road.

He and the other driver, 44-year-old Dan Davies, of Calumet City, were killed in the ensuing head-on collision. According to an unconfirmed report that circulated on social media this



The casket of Illinois State Trooper Gerald Ellis is carried after his funeral Friday in Grayslake. Ellis, 36, was killed March 30 by a driver going the wrong way on the Tri-State Tollway.

week, Ellis maneuvered into the oncoming vehicle's path to protect another vehicle.

Ellis is the third state trooper to die in the line of duty this year.

Trooper Brooke Jones-Story, 34, a 12-year veteran of the force, was killed March 28 while conducting a traffic stop west of Rockford, and in January, Trooper Christo-



Ellis

pher Lambert, 34, was killed while responding to a traffic crash on Interstate 294 in the Northbrook area.

Kelly said it has been 22 years since the Illinois State Police lost two troopers in as many days, and 66 years since losing three in one year, "and it's only April."

"Who will risk life and limb to keep safe the highways and byways of our

state? You answer, 'Send me,'" he said, quoting a Bible verse from Isaiah.

"Who will get hit in their squad car and survive serious injuries and go right back to patrol like Trooper Ellis did in 2009? You answer, 'Send me.' Who will drive head on into danger to protect others? The answer was and is, all troopers," he said, referring to an incident on 2009 where Ellis was blocking traffic because of someone threatening to jump off a tollway bridge

when he was hit.

Ellis grew up in Macomb, where he hunted deer with his father and made the National Honor Society at West Prairie High School, where he was also a member of the Future Farmers of America.

He joined the U.S. Army in September 2000 and served in Iraq, Germany and El Salvador.

When he returned from military service, he attended Western Illinois University, where he re-

ceived a four-year degree in law enforcement and justice administration and interned for District 15 before becoming a state trooper.

During his remarks on Friday, Severson recalled his friend of 11 years.

"Jerry loved to be happy and loved to laugh — he had no filter," he said, adding that everyone had a favorite Ellis story, "although 99 percent of the stories can't be shared here."

"So take those stories and hold them close to your heart and remember, for Jerry, to love, to laugh to be happy," he said.

Brenger recounted how Ellis loved trucks, and he recently met him for lunch and Ellis was dirty from head to toe. Severson said he told Ellis, "You're an absolute mess. And you got that silly grin on your face. ... 'It was an honest day's work, Tom.'"

"Yes, Jerry, that it was. For you, a productive day was getting as dirty as you could by climbing under big, loud, stinky trucks," he said as people laughed.

The governor's remarks also touched on the death of the three state troopers this year.

"From the bottom of my heart, I grieve with you this week," Pritzker said. "I promise our work together in the year ahead will be equal to the memory of those we've lost, and I thank all of you and your families for the sacrifices you make for the people of Illinois."

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illegal crossings. "It's a colossal surge, and it's overwhelming our immigration system. We can't take you anymore. Our country is full."

As Air Force One touched down in the state, California and 19 other states that are suing Trump over his emergency declaration to build a border wall requested a court order to stop money from being diverted to fund the project. But Trump, who ratcheted up his hard-line immigration rhetoric in recent weeks, declared that his move, which included vetoing a congressional vote, was necessary.

Also Friday, House Democrats filed a lawsuit seeking to prevent Trump from spending more money than Congress has approved to erect barriers along the southwestern border. Congress approved just under \$1.4 billion for work on border barricades. Trump has asserted he can use his powers as chief executive to transfer an additional \$6.7 billion to wall construction.

Trump, who earlier in the week threatened to shut down the border over the high numbers of migrants trying to enter the country, appeared to walk back his comments Thursday. He said Friday that it was because Mexico had gotten tougher in stopping an influx of immigrants from moving north.

"Mexico has been absolutely terrific for the last

four days," Trump said as he left the White House. "I never changed my mind at all. I may shut it down at some point."

The president's visit came a day after he withdrew his nominee to lead U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement. Longtime border official Ron Vitiello appeared to be cruising toward confirmation, but Trump said Friday that he wanted to go in a "tougher direction."

Trump, as he often does, mixed fact with fiction when warning of the threat at the border. When complaining about the Flores legal settlement that governs treatment of migrant children and families, he blamed "Judge Flores, whoever you may be."

Flores was an unaccompanied 15-year-old girl from El Salvador.

He also downplayed the claims of people seeking asylum at the border, declaring without evidence that many are gang members while comparing their efforts to find safety in the U.S. to special counsel Robert Mueller's investigation of Russian interference in the 2016 elections.

"It's a scam, it's a hoax," Trump said. "I know about hoaxes. I just went through a hoax."

As the president showed off the renovated section of the barrier to reporters, a balloon depicting Trump as a baby floated farther down the border. And as Trump landed in California, the state's governor ripped the president's push for Congress to pass

legislation that would tighten asylum rules to make it harder for people to qualify.

"Since our founding, this country has been a place of refuge — a safe haven for people fleeing tyranny, oppression and violence. His words show a total disregard of the Constitution, our justice system, and what it means to be an American," said Democratic Gov. Gavin Newsom.

Trump has been increasingly exasperated at his inability to halt the swelling number of migrants entering the country, including thousands who have been released after arriving because border officials have no space for them. Arrests along the southern border have skyrocketed in recent months, and border agents were on track to make 100,000 arrests or denials of entry in March, a 12-year high. More than half of those are families with children, who require extra care.

The southern border is nearly 2,000 miles long and already has about 650 miles of different types of barriers. Most of the fencing was built during George W. Bush's administration, and there have been updates throughout other administrations.

Trump has yet to complete any new mileage of fencing or other barriers anywhere on the border, though he declared Friday that at least 400 miles of the border barrier would be erected over the next two years. His administration has only replaced existing fencing.

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Newport police then contacted FBI officials, who contacted several other law enforcement agencies. They responded "exactly as you would hope they would," Glassman said. Ultimately, officials started missing children and interstate sex trafficking investigations, he said.

Meanwhile, the person had complained of abdominal pain, Glassman said. Officials also expected someone who had been missing and abducted for several years would have experienced trauma, so the person was taken to Cincinnati Children's Hospital for treatment, interviews with a forensic psychologist and to confirm his identity, authorities said.

There, he told officers working with an FBI task force that he was Timmothy Pitzen and gave details about what he said was his abduction. He said he had been suffering from physical and sexual abuse, and only recently escaped from a location in Cincinnati, Glassman said. He later repeated the claim that he was Timmothy to FBI agents.

The person declined to provide fingerprints while he was at the hospital, but did agree to a swab for DNA testing, Glassman said. The sample was compared with Timmothy's parents' DNA, and the results indicated he was not related. Instead, the sample matched Rini, a known felon who had been released from prison March 7 following a conviction for burglary and vandalism. Officers confronted Rini with the DNA results, and he then said he was not Timmothy, Glassman said.

Timmothy was 6 when his father dropped him off at Greenman Elementary School in Aurora on May 11, 2011. He was picked up shortly after by his mother, Amy Fry-Pitzen, who took him on a three-day trip to a zoo and water parks before she was found dead by suicide in a Rockford motel room. Notes she left behind stated her son was safe but would never be found.

"There is no greater win for law enforcement than to be able to find a missing child and return that child to their family," said Hamilton County, Ohio, Coroner Lakshmi Sammarco, whose office analyzed Rini's DNA. "You can imagine — I can't, actually, imagine how horrible it is for (Timmothy's) family."

When Sammarco saw a photo circulating Thursday of Rini, she said she knew there was no way he was 14 years old but estimated he was older than 20.

In the photo, Sammarco saw a man with wavy, curly



SHARON HALL

Brian Rini, whom authorities said claimed he was Timmothy Pitzen, was photographed Wednesday in Newport, Ky.

hair who looked physically different from the photo she had of Timmothy with very fine, straight hair.

The earlobes also were different. Rini's nose and nostrils also looked very different, with a more downward and curved nose, she said.

"It was radically different from what you'd expect," Sammarco said. "It is highly unlikely, but the bottom line is that it's so important to chase all the leads, especially on a case with a child whose family is desperate to get him back."

"You can't just go on a hunch. You need to have scientific means. God forbid you tell the family one way or another and it turns out wrong, you are putting them through torture."

"He had a lot of specific information, and at the time, we didn't know how he got it," Sammarco said. "He made that claim over and over again to federal authorities, so we have to take that seriously."

Glassman also said the matter had to be handled seriously.

"One can imagine that if you were actually a child who had been abducted since 2011 and subjected to who knows what, if those allegations were true, who knows what kind of condition that person would be in?" he said. "So it's incumbent on law enforcement doing the investigation to make sure that if this person does turn out to be the victim, you're giving them the care they need."

But, he said, "It is not OK to make false claims to law enforcement about serious matters like this. It diverts law enforcement from doing their jobs. You can see that when this kind of claim is made, law enforcement at the federal, state and local levels moved heaven and earth to try to determine if they had, in fact, found this missing child, and it's not OK to do it because of the harm it causes, the pain it causes the family of that missing child."

In response to an open records request, Medina, Ohio, police provided The Beacon-News 85 pages of reports involving Rini dating back to 2012. In some cases, officers are responding to allegations made against Rini, and in other

reports, officers are investigating allegations made by Rini against others. In the reports, officers often question Rini about whether he's being truthful.

Rini had twice previously claimed to be a victim of juvenile sex trafficking, Glassman said, citing an FBI affidavit. The Medina police records show Rini made such a claim in November 2013.

"Brian (later) indicated that he made everything up," Officer Joshua Grusendorf wrote in his Nov. 13, 2013, report. "I explained to Brian the importance of being truthful about these incidents and the seriousness of reporting crimes that did not happen."

Another report states Rini served time in a juvenile detention center after falsely claiming in October 2013 that someone was going to bomb a school.

Rini was convicted of passing bad checks in 2015 and later sentenced to 55 days in Medina County Jail after violating his probation in that case, according to Medina County court records.

Aurora police Sgt. Bill Rowley said Friday the police department is disappointed, but he does not think Rini's alleged hoax will harm their continuing investigation into Timmothy's disappearance.

"Sure, we're disappointed, obviously," he said. "We're all parents, and in this case in particular we would all think of ourselves as surrogates to Timmothy on a certain level. But we understood from the onset that there was no assurance that this was going to be him, and we can't let this disappointment cloud or diminish our ability to work the next lead just as hard."

From the get-go, Aurora police treated the situation as an informational tip, albeit a tip larger in scope than previous tips, Rowley said. The police department is still asking people to call them or the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children with tips. Rowley said he is not aware of any new, significant tips in the case.

Robert Brown, special agent in charge of the FBI's Louisville field office, estimated more than 50 officers and health officials took part in efforts to identify the man who turned out to be Rini.

If convicted on charges of lying to a federal officer, Rini could face up to eight years in prison because the charges involve lying about a material matter related to an investigation that involves sex trafficking of children, Glassman said.

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May again asks EU for a Brexit delay

There are concerns abrupt departure from bloc could fuel chaos, hurt economy

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LONDON — British Prime Minister Theresa May on Friday again sought to delay Brexit until June 30 to avoid a chaotic withdrawal from the European Union in one week, although a key leader of the bloc suggested an even longer pause in the difficult divorce proceedings.

The question over timing is vital because Britain is set to leave the EU without a withdrawal deal in place on April 12 unless an agreement is reached at a Brussels summit set to take place two days earlier.

In a letter to European Council President Donald Tusk, May asked for an extension until the end of June and agreed to make contingency plans to take part in European Parliament elections on May 23-26 if necessary.

An earlier British request for a delay until June 30 was rejected last month, amid rising irritation from EU leaders about the political chaos in London. There also have been increasing fears that the longer the U.K. stays, the more it will obstruct EU policies and plans.

Tusk proposed a longer time frame Friday and he urged the 27 remaining EU nations to offer the U.K. a flexible extension of up to a year to make sure the nation doesn't leave the bloc in a chaotic way that could



European Council President Donald Tusk urged the EU nations to offer the U.K. a flexible extension of up to a year. He hopes to get it approved at the EU summit Wednesday.



Prime Minister Theresa May asked for an extension to June 30 to avoid chaos.

undermine commerce and hurt many EU nations.

Two EU officials said Tusk wants a one-year period, which has been dubbed a "flexextension," and hopes to get it approved at the EU summit scheduled for Wednesday.

The officials spoke on condition of anonymity because they weren't authorized to disclose information

before it was made public.

Such a move would mean that the U.K. would need to take part in the elections to the European Parliament, something May has long argued would not be in either side's interest.

The elections pose a substantial stumbling block because Britain would be expected to take part, if it is still an EU member, so its people have representation in the European Parliament.

Officials worry that the legitimacy of European institutions could be jeopardized if the population of a member state is not involved in the process.

EU nations already have watched nearly three years of political anxiety over Brexit.

French President Em-

manuel Macron has thus far seemed cagey about giving Britain more time, saying the bloc cannot be held hostage by Britain's political deadlock over Brexit.

There are also concerns in Europe that some British politicians who want to provoke a "no-deal" Brexit might try to make trouble from inside the bloc, a course that outspoken Brexit advocate Jacob Rees-Mogg suggested Friday.

He tweeted that "if a long extension leaves us stuck in the EU, we should be as difficult as possible."

The Conservative Party lawmaker suggested using Britain's position to veto any EU budget increases, block the establishment of an EU army, and make it impossible for Macron to

push further EU integration.

One EU diplomat said that there was rising concern among member states that they would not get "sincere cooperation" from Britain, which could hurt how the bloc functions.

"There are important decisions to be taken after EU elections," said the official, who spoke on condition of anonymity to comment on closed-door meetings preparing for next week's summit.

There also were fears about a chaotic Brexit on April 12.

There are concerns that such an abrupt exit without a deal could lead to economic slowdown and a breakdown in food and medical supplies as border checks and tariffs are added overnight. Massive traffic jams could also be expected on highways leading to major ferry ports.

The complex maneuvering on dates comes as Britain's Parliament considers legislation designed to prevent such a "no-deal" departure.

Britain's upper House of Lords is set to resume debate on the measure Monday. It was endorsed earlier by the lower House of Commons by just one vote.

Despite the apparent support in Parliament for a new law to prevent a no-deal exit, the decision is in the hands of the EU, not Britain. It is the first country to try to leave the bloc, and the formal "Article 50" exit procedure has never been tested before. All 27 nations have to agree unanimously on an extension.

The Europeans would prefer that Britain not take part in the European Parlia-

ment elections if it is going to leave. April 12 is the last day for Britain to signal whether it will field candidates.

May said in her letter that Britain is reluctantly ready to begin preparations for the European elections if no Brexit deal is reached in the interim.

She said she is making the preparations even though she believes it is not in the interest of either Britain or the EU for her country to participate because it is leaving the bloc.

May's withdrawal plan, reached with the EU over more than two years of negotiations, has been rejected by the U.K. Parliament three times.

She is now seeking a compromise in a series of talks with Labour Party leader Jeremy Corbyn and his deputies, with hopes of winning opposition support for a new divorce deal.

The talks do not seem to be advancing. The Labour Party said in a statement Friday it is "disappointed" that May's team is not offering real change.

"We do need change if we're going to compromise," said Keir Starmer, the party's Brexit spokesman, adding that Labour wants the talks to continue.

If the talks don't work, May plans a series of votes in Parliament to see if a majority-backed plan can emerge.

Ideas being discussed include keeping Britain in a customs union with the EU after it leaves the bloc, as well as the possibility of a second referendum.

There is fierce opposition from Brexit backers in the Conservative Party to these options.

NEWS BRIEFING

Staff and news services

Government watchdog to study Medicare chief's publicity costs

WASHINGTON — A government watchdog said Friday that it will review costly outside contracts to provide publicity for Medicare chief Seema Verma, whose agency oversees health insurance programs covering more than 100 million Americans.

The Health and Human Services inspector general's office said it will examine several publicity contracts, following a request by congressional Demo-

crats. The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services stopped work on the contracts this week while HHS, its parent agency, conducts its own review.

Democrats complained that Verma has steered taxpayer money to political allies at the same time her agency slashed the ad budget for the Affordable Care Act, hindering enrollment.

There was no immediate response from Verma.

U.S. adds oil-sector companies, ships to Venezuela sanctions list

WASHINGTON — The U.S. added two companies involved in shipping oil from Venezuela to Cuba, along with nearly three dozen ships, to a financial sanctions list aimed at increasing pressure on Venezuelan President Nicolas Maduro to step down. The firms are Ballico Bay Shipping Inc. of Liberia and ProPer Management Inc. of Greece.

Meanwhile, Vice President Mike Pence said in

Houston that Maduro "must go" because of the "suffering he has brought" to the people of that country. The U.S. and other countries contend Maduro's election last year was illegitimate.

Also Friday, the State Department said Switzerland has agreed to represent U.S. interests in Venezuela after the Trump administration decided to withdraw its staff from the U.S. Embassy in Caracas.

Man kills 2, self after shooting pair of Georgia police officers

ATLANTA — A standoff that began when two Georgia police officers were shot and wounded Thursday ended with a 16-year-old boy and his pregnant mother both killed by a gunman who then killed himself, authorities said Friday.

The officers were responding to a domestic disturbance Thursday when they came under fire by the gunman, who then barricaded himself

inside the house. A standoff ensued for the next 15 hours in Stockbridge, south of Atlanta.

By late Thursday, the gunman would not "provide proof of the well-being" of the teen and the woman. In the pre-dawn hours, police forced their way into the home and found three bodies.

The victims were identified as Arkeyvion White, 16, and his mother, Sandra White.



A van with images of WikiLeaks founder Julian Assange and former U.S. Army soldier Chelsea Manning on its side Friday drives near the Ecuadorian Embassy in London. WikiLeaks said Assange could be expelled from the building within "hours to days."

Pair of U.S. citizens among 11 detained in Saudi crackdown

ISTANBUL — Saudi Arabia detained two dual U.S.-Saudi citizens this week during a roundup of activists, intellectuals and writers, including supporters of Saudi feminists and advocates for Palestinian rights, human rights groups and people briefed on the arrests said Friday.

The detentions, of at least 11 people, signaled a revival of a crackdown on dissent by Crown Prince Mohammed bin Salman. The campaign, marked by waves of arrests, had quieted somewhat in the months since the killing of journalist Jamal Khashoggi

by Saudi agents in Istanbul. Many of the latest arrests occurred Thursday.

Those detained included Salah al-Haidar, a dual U.S.-Saudi citizen and son of feminist Aziza al-Yousef. Yousef, who is on trial with other Saudi women's rights advocates on charges related to their activism, was temporarily released from custody last week.

Al-Haidar has a family home in Vienna, Va., and lives with his wife and child in Saudi Arabia.

Another detainee, Badr al-Ibrahim, a doctor and writer, also holds dual U.S. and Saudi citizenship, ac-

cording to people briefed on the arrests, who spoke on the condition of anonymity because they feared retaliation by Saudi authorities.

A State Department spokeswoman confirmed Friday that two U.S. citizens had been arrested and that the U.S. had "already engaged the Saudi government" on the matter, but she declined to comment further, citing privacy considerations.

A Saudi government media office did not reply to an email requesting details about the detentions and the charges.

W.Va. mother charged in false abduction report

CHARLESTON, W.Va. — A woman who told police that an Egyptian man had tried to kidnap her 5-year-old daughter from a shopping mall was jailed Friday after the accusation unraveled, a police detective said.

Barboursville Police Detective Greg Lucas said Santana Renee Adams, 24,

was charged with falsely reporting an emergency incident, a misdemeanor that carries up to six months in jail and a \$500 fine.

A magistrate judge set bail at \$20,000, Lucas said.

The story started to crumble when no witnesses could be found and mall video didn't match the

woman's statement.

On Thursday, authorities announced they were dropping charges against the man, Mohamed Fathy Hussein Zayan, 54, an engineer from Alexandria, Egypt, who was in the area for work. He cried as he greeted family members upon his release from jail.

Weiner ordered to register as a sex offender

NEW YORK — Former U.S. Rep. Anthony Weiner has been ordered to register as a sex offender as he nears the end of a 21-month prison sentence for having illicit online contact with a 15-year-old girl.

A New York City judge Friday designated Weiner a Level 1 sex offender, meaning he's thought to have a low risk of reoffending.

Weiner must register for a minimum of 20 years. He's required to verify his address every year and visit a police station every three years to have a new picture taken.

Weiner didn't attend Friday's court hearing. He's in a halfway house after serving most of his sentence at a prison in Massachusetts.

He's due to be released May 14.

Before being sentenced, Weiner, a Democrat, said he had been a "very sick man."

Cosby settlement: Bill Cosby, 81, has agreed to settle lawsuits filed by seven women who say he defamed them when he accused them of lying about sexual misconduct allegations.

Court documents filed Friday in Springfield, Mass., show the sides have negotiated a settlement since Cosby went to prison last fall in a separate Pennsylvania sex assault case. The comedian is serving a three- to 10-year prison sentence there.

The judge overseeing the defamation case in Massachusetts must still approve the settlement. The terms are confidential.

A Cosby spokesman says an insurer authorized the settlement and that the comedian did not sign off on them.

Biden 'putting everything together' for campaign

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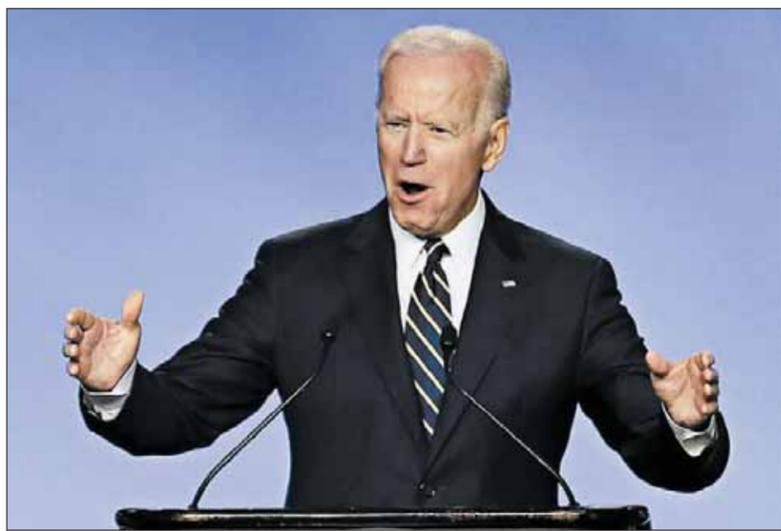
WASHINGTON — Former Vice President Joe Biden on Friday made light of his recent controversy about crossing physical boundaries with women, and he signaled in a resolute speech to union activists that he's ready to run for president as a moderate Democrat in a party that has been drifting left.

Biden, 76, opened his speech to a conference of electrical workers joking that he had "permission" to hug the union leader who introduced him. The remark won cheers from the overwhelmingly male audience, but provoked some of the activist women Biden has sought to convince he "gets" their concerns about his famously touchy-feely, and some say dated, style.

During his speech and after, Biden defended his focus on the "personal connection" in politics.

"I'm sorry I didn't understand more. I'm not sorry for any of my intentions," he told reporters. "I'm not sorry for anything I've ever done — I've never been disrespectful, intentionally, to a man or a woman."

Biden all but declared he



MANUEL BALCE CENETA/AP

Former Vice President Joe Biden speaks at the IBEW conference on Friday.

intended to join the race for the Democratic presidential nomination, telling reporters he's "putting everything together, man." He noted his lawyers had warned him to speak carefully about his intentions but said he expected to "be standing before you all relatively soon."

He also suggested his strategy. In a nostalgia-soaked speech, Biden made clear he would position himself outside the progressive wing of the party and seek

support from traditional Democrats and the working-class voters who backed Donald Trump in 2016.

Biden said criticism of his bipartisan leanings was coming from the "far left" and reupped his appeal for compromise — a sometimes unpopular view in the Trump-era.

"The vast majority of the members of the Democratic party are still basically liberal to moderate Democrats in the traditional sense," Biden said. As to where he

falls on ideological lines, he said, "I'm an Obama-Biden Democrat, man. And I'm proud of it."

Signs of shifts in feelings in the party have been evident in recent complaints about Biden's history of publicly affectionate behavior with women. Nevada politician Lucy Flores said she was uncomfortable when Biden kissed her on the back of the head backstage at a 2014 campaign event. Her account was countered by scores of

women — from prominent lawmakers to former staffers — who praised him as a warm, affectionate person and a supportive boss. But several other women have also come forward to recount their own awkward interactions with him.

Flores panned Biden's remarks Friday, tweeting: "To make light of something as serious as consent degrades the conversation women everywhere are courageously trying to have."

Ultra Violet, a women's rights group that initially urged Biden to do better, also reacted sharply:

"Joe Biden's 'jokes' were shameful, and not how a so-called 'champion of women' should act," the group posted on Twitter. "He sent a very clear signal to women today — he just doesn't respect them."

Biden did say the controversy "is going to have to change somewhat how I campaign."

That controversy aside, Biden's address seemed intended to highlight how he could win back white, blue-collar workers like those who supported Trump in 2016. He seemed to criticize his own party for walking away from the demographic.

He recounted a time when, he said, the dignity of

teachers, sanitation and electrical line workers was treasured and the nation felt it had a common purpose. Saying his father, a salesman, told him to respect everyone, Biden alluded to various "sophisticated friends" who don't get the significance of treating blue-collar laborers as equals.

"All you're looking for is to be treated fairly, with respect, with some dignity," Biden said. "Because you matter."

Biden also noted he'd gotten criticism from the left for saying Democrats should work with Republicans to get things done, and in defending President Barack Obama's signature law, the Affordable Care Act, which some Democratic presidential aspirants want to replace with a single-payer health care system.

"We need to build on it," Biden said of the law. "What we can't do is blow it up."

Shortly after Biden was finished speaking, Trump hit back. "I've employed thousands of Electrical Workers," the president tweeted as his plane flew toward the Mexican border with California. "They will be voting for me!"

However, the IBEW endorsed Hillary Clinton over Trump in 2016.



SUSAN WALSH/AP

Gen. Thomas Waldhauser ordered a new review that shows a woman and a child were killed in a U.S. airstrike that targeted al-Shabab insurgents last year.

Military review reveals civilian deaths in U.S. Somalia strike

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WASHINGTON — Just weeks after insisting that American airstrikes in Somalia had killed no civilians, U.S. Africa Command said Friday that new information reveals that a woman and a child died last April when a U.S. strike targeted al-Shabab militants.

The revelation comes on the heels of a report by Amnesty International that charged last month that as many as two dozen civilians had been killed or wounded in U.S. airstrikes in Somalia.

Military officials at the time rejected Amnesty International's conclusions. But the report, combined with questions from Congress and a recent spike in U.S. strikes in Somalia, prompted Gen. Thomas Waldhauser, head of Africa Command, to order an in-depth review of the matter.

Earlier this week, that ongoing audit uncovered the April 2018 drone strike near El Burr that killed four al-Shabab militants along with the woman and the child in a vehicle.

Air Force Col. Chris Karns said information about their deaths was never sent to Africa Command headquarters, so commanders were unaware of them until this week. He said that the reporting error is being addressed and that commanders believe the two civilian deaths were an "isolated situation," but the audit is continuing.

"Credibility, transparency and accountability are fundamental to military operations," Waldhauser said in a statement. "It is critically important that people understand we adhere to exacting standards and when we fall short, we acknowledge shortcomings and take appropriate action."

In its report last month, Amnesty International said it analyzed satellite imagery and other data and interviewed 65 witnesses and survivors of five airstrikes, which were detailed in the report. The report concluded there was "credible

evidence" that the U.S. was responsible for four of the airstrikes and that it's plausible the U.S. conducted the fifth strike. It said 14 civilians were killed and eight were injured.

U.S. Africa Command at the time said it looked at the five strikes and concluded there were no civilian casualties in four of them. In the fifth case the command said there were no U.S. strikes in that area on that day.

The April 2018 strike that officials said they learned about this week was not one of those detailed by Amnesty International.

According to Karns, Waldhauser launched the audit soon after the Amnesty International report came out in an effort to make sure the command was doing everything possible to investigate potential civilian casualties. He said Lt. Gen. James Vechery, a deputy commander at Africa Command, is leading the audit team and received information about the new civilian deaths on Tuesday, as the review was progressing.

This year there have been 28 U.S. airstrikes in Somalia, compared with 47 in all of last year, and about 800 al-Shabab militants have been killed. Al-Shabab is linked to al-Qaida and is the deadliest militant group in the region.

The extremist group holds large parts of rural central and southern Somalia and carries out deadly attacks in the capital, Mogadishu, as part of its violent campaign to establish an Islamic state in the long-chaotic Horn of Africa nation.

Military leaders have repeatedly said they rigorously assess targets to ensure no civilians will be hurt or killed.

Amnesty International and Africa Command officials have said that the strikes usually take place in hostile areas controlled by al-Shabab militants. Those conditions make it difficult for civilians or military troops to conduct on-site investigations, do interviews and gather evidence.



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Programmer's fate in Chicago jury's hands

Software developer accused of helping trader make illegal profits

BY ROBERT CHANNICK
Chicago Tribune

As stock market crashes go, the so-called flash crash in May 2010 holds a notorious place in financial history. Within minutes, billions of dollars in wealth were wiped out when equities markets mysteriously plunged before rebounding.

The episode rattled investors around the world, shaking faith in the integrity of equities markets. It also showed the power of an emerging area of finance called high-frequency trading.

But for Navinder Sarao, the rogue trader whose algorithm set off the flash crash, the episode was a lesson learned.

He needed a better way to manipulate the market — and, federal prosecutors say, he found the answer in Jitesh Thakkar, an obscure programmer from Naperville who is now facing trial on charges that he helped Sarao secure millions in illicit profits.

On Monday, a Chicago federal jury will begin deliberations on Thakkar's future after he was charged last year with conspiracy and aiding and abetting an illegal trading practice known as spoofing. The trial has been playing out this week in a Chicago courtroom.

Thakkar's small Chicago-based consulting firm, Edge Financial Technologies, created a customized pro-



A GoFundMe page raises money for the defense of Jitesh Thakkar, a Naperville software developer who allegedly helped a British trader manipulate financial markets and reap millions in illegal profits.

gram that allegedly helped Sarao reap millions through spoofing — a type of financial chicanery that leverages market movement by placing and canceling large orders at warp speed.

Spoofing tries to convince unwitting investors that the market is doing one thing, while the spoofer then jumps in and profits off the movement.

The tactic uses electronic high-speed computer trading to flood the market with bogus large orders designed to create a false sense of supply or demand, triggering price movement. Ideally, the false orders are canceled before they are filled, while the trader fills a real, usually much smaller order, taking advantage of the artificial price blip on the other

side of the trade.

Sarao, who said he made \$40 million over six years trading financial instruments called E-Mini S&P 500 futures through the CME from his parents' suburban London home, pleaded guilty in 2017 to federal spoofing and wire fraud charges. He agreed to forfeit \$12.8 million in ill-gotten gains and faces up to 30 years in prison.

While the flash crash incident predates his association with Thakkar and Edge Financial, Sarao also agreed to testify against his software provider in the hopes of getting a reduced sentence. A status hearing is set for July.

Thakkar "created a computer program for me which made it more effi-

cient for me to spoof the market," Sarao said Monday during the trial in a Chicago federal courtroom.

On Thursday, U.S. District Judge Robert Gettleman acquitted Thakkar, 42, on a conspiracy charge. But final arguments in the trial are scheduled for Monday morning on two counts of aiding and abetting Sarao's spoofing scheme.

When Sarao approached Thakkar in 2011, he said he had already worked with two other software developers, but had yet to find someone who could create the right high-speed trading program to properly execute his strategy. Specifically, he needed a feature that would automatically tweak his spoof orders so they never got filled.

Communicating through emails and over the phone, Sarao and Thakkar refined a function, known as a "back-of-the-book" order, that minutely changed the size of the order to keep moving it to the back of the line behind other orders. If it got partially filled, the program would instantly cancel the rest of the order, preventing Sarao from fully completing the bogus transaction.

Sarao paid Thakkar's firm \$24,200 for the software, which he used until April 2015, making millions before he was arrested for spoofing and wire fraud. Thakkar retained the rights to resell the customized software, but never actually found another buyer, defense attorney Renato Mari-

otti told the Tribune Friday.

At the core of Thakkar's case is whether he knew the software he designed for Sarao would be used to commit securities fraud.

"While Sarao came up with the idea for this automated back-of-the-book function to trick and cheat other traders and investors, he couldn't build it," U.S. Attorney Michael O'Neill said during opening statements. "He needed a sophisticated programmer who understood trading. He needed the defendant. And the defendant was all too willing to join in this scheme and build and refine this program for Sarao."

Mariotti, a former U.S. attorney in Chicago who successfully prosecuted the first federal spoofing case in 2015 against a New Jersey futures trader, Michael Coscia, said that Thakkar had no knowledge that his software would be used for illegal trading.

Thakkar was just "doing his job" for a client, Mariotti said during the trial.

"What if a used car salesman could be charged with a crime because the car he sold turned out to be the getaway car in a bank robbery?" Mariotti asked the jury during opening statements, according to court transcripts.

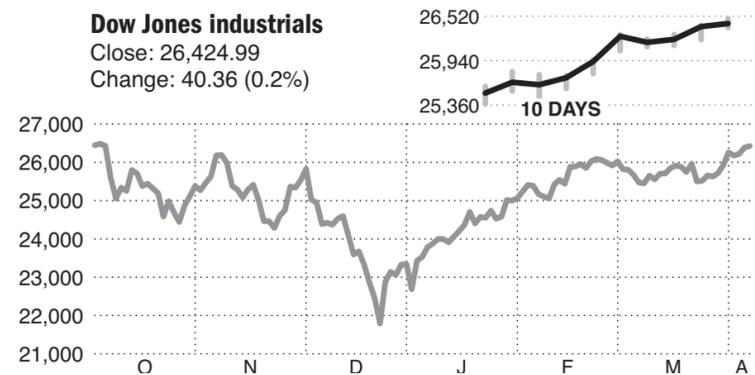
As part of the judge's ruling to throw out the conspiracy charge Thursday, Gettleman called it a "thin case" against Thakkar, but agreed to let the jury decide the remaining counts.

Edge Financial remains a going concern.

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MARKET ROUNDUP

Dow High: 26,487.57 Low: 26,370.82 Previous: 26,384.63



| Nasdaq | S&P 500 | Russell 2000 |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| +46.91 (+.59%) | +13.35 (+.46%) | +15.07 (+.96%) |
| Close: 7,938.69 | Close: 2,892.74 | Close: 1,582.56 |
| High: 7,940.45 | High: 2,893.24 | High: 1,582.61 |
| Low: 7,909.14 | Low: 2,882.99 | Low: 1,568.23 |
| Previous: 7,891.78 | Previous: 2,879.39 | Previous: 1,567.49 |

| 10-yr T-note | Gold futures | Yen | Euro | Crude Oil |
|---------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| -.01 to 2.50% | +1.40 to \$1,290.40 | +13 to 111.71/\$1 | +0.0003 to .8915/\$1 | +98 to \$63.08 |

Major market growth and decline

| 5-day % change | | | 30-day % change | | | 1-year % change | | |
|----------------|------------|-----------|-----------------|------------|-----------|-----------------|-------------|------------|
| DOW +1.91 | NASD +2.71 | S&P +2.06 | DOW +3.83 | NASD +7.16 | S&P +5.46 | DOW +10.41 | NASD +14.80 | S&P +11.07 |

| COMMODITY | AMOUNT-PRICE | MO. | OPEN | HIGH | LOW | SETTLE | CHG. |
|----------------------------|------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| WHEAT (CBOT) | 5,000 bu minimum- cents per bushel | May 19 | 469 | 469.50 | 464.25 | 467.75 | -3 |
| CORN (CBOT) | 5,000 bu minimum- cents per bushel | May 19 | 364.50 | 364.75 | 360.50 | 362.50 | -2.75 |
| SOYBEANS (CBOT) | 5,000 bu minimum- cents per bushel | May 19 | 904.50 | 904.75 | 896.25 | 899 | -7.50 |
| SOYBEAN OIL (CBOT) | 60,000 lbs- cents per lb | May 19 | 29.20 | 29.40 | 29.06 | 29.15 | -.05 |
| SOYBEAN MEAL (CBOT) | 100 tons- dollars per ton | May 19 | 311.30 | 311.60 | 307.10 | 308.00 | -3.90 |
| LIGHT SWEET CRUDE (NYMX) | 1,000 bbl.- dollars per bbl. | May 19 | 62.18 | 63.34 | 61.82 | 63.08 | +98 |
| NATURAL GAS (NYMX) | 10,000 mm btu's, \$ per mm btu | May 19 | 2.644 | 2.678 | 2.632 | 2.664 | +0.021 |
| NY HARBOR GAS BLEND (NYMX) | 42,000 gallons- dollars per gallon | May 19 | 1.9338 | 1.9743 | 1.9216 | 1.9687 | +0.0288 |

LOCAL STOCKS

Stocks listed may change due to daily fluctuations in market capitalization. Exchange key: N=NYSE, O=NASDAQ

| STOCK | XCHG. | CLOSE | CHG. | STOCK | XCHG. | CLOSE | CHG. | STOCK | XCHG. | CLOSE | CHG. |
|---------------------|-------|--------|-------|---------------------|-------|--------|-------|-----------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| Abbott Labs | N | 79.00 | +38 | Equity Commonwlt | N | 32.70 | +22 | Mondelez Intl | O | 49.68 | +0.3 |
| AbbVie Inc | N | 83.45 | +64 | Equity LifeSty Prop | N | 116.40 | +07 | Morningstar Inc | O | 127.68 | -40 |
| Allstate Corp | N | 96.31 | +24 | Equity Residential | N | 75.61 | +33 | Motorola Solutions | N | 140.66 | -02 |
| Apptgroup Inc | N | 108.74 | +64 | Exelon Corp | N | 49.90 | +26 | NISource Inc | N | 28.26 | +35 |
| Arch Dan Mid | N | 42.93 | +20 | First Indl RT | N | 35.83 | +26 | Nthn Trust Cp | O | 95.06 | +32 |
| Baxter Intl | N | 80.67 | +12 | Fortune Brds Hm&Sec | N | 50.26 | +134 | Old Republic | N | 21.14 | +06 |
| Boeing Co | N | 391.93 | -3.93 | Gallagher AJ | N | 78.30 | -37 | Packaging Corp Am | N | 102.20 | -88 |
| Brunswick Corp | N | 52.32 | +69 | Grainger WW | N | 316.50 | +2.86 | Paylocity Hldg | O | 85.48 | -05 |
| CBOE Global Markets | N | 95.85 | +10 | GrubHub Inc | N | 71.18 | +91 | Stericycle Inc | O | 57.92 | +51 |
| CDK Global Inc | O | 58.90 | -12 | Hill-Rom Hldgs | N | 104.76 | +31 | TransUnion | N | 68.12 | -02 |
| CDW Corp | O | 100.79 | +23 | IDEX Corp | N | 156.26 | -08 | TreeHouse Foods | N | 61.85 | +06 |
| CF Industries | N | 43.48 | +30 | ITW | N | 152.20 | +44 | Tribune Media Co A | N | 46.18 | -01 |
| CME Group | O | 170.09 | +73 | Ingredion Inc | N | 94.06 | -22 | US Foods Holding | N | 35.27 | +19 |
| CNA Financial | N | 43.86 | +07 | Jones Lang LaSalle | N | 155.96 | +77 | USG Corp | N | 43.36 | +02 |
| Cabot Microelect | O | 121.26 | +2.11 | Kemper Corp | N | 79.01 | +41 | Ultra Salon Cosmetics | O | 353.63 | +34.9 |
| Caterpillar Inc | N | 140.36 | +23 | Kraft Heinz Co | O | 33.17 | +48 | United Contl Hldgs | O | 84.91 | +27 |
| ConAgra Brands Inc | N | 28.29 | +50 | LKQ Corporation | O | 30.05 | +29 | Ventas Inc | N | 63.18 | +78 |
| Deere Co | N | 165.03 | +79 | Littelfuse Inc | O | 194.43 | +237 | Walgreen Boots Alli | O | 54.69 | +54 |
| Discover Fin Svcs | N | 74.95 | +72 | McDonalds Corp | N | 190.71 | +84 | Wintrust Financial | O | 72.71 | +132 |
| Dover Corp | N | 96.54 | -34 | Middleby Corp | O | 138.06 | +60 | Zebra Tech | O | 218.33 | +432 |

MOST ACTIVE STOCKS

| STOCK | CLOSE | CHG. |
|----------------------|--------|-------|
| Chesapeake Energy | 3.41 | +20 |
| Snap Inc A | 11.84 | +56 |
| Bank of America | 29.08 | -07 |
| Gen Electric | 10.01 | -02 |
| AT&T Inc | 32.35 | +37 |
| Ford Motor | 9.25 | +01 |
| ICI Bank Ltd | 11.25 | +10 |
| EnCana Corp | 7.16 | +22 |
| Wells Fargo & Co | 48.78 | -39 |
| Aurora Cannabis Inc | 9.17 | +22 |
| Petrobras | 16.50 | +33 |
| Ambev S.A. | 4.49 | -01 |
| Rite Aid Corp | .58 | +03 |
| Babcock&Wilcox Ent | .39 | +16 |
| Denbury Res | 2.37 | +18 |
| Alibaba Group Hldg | 185.35 | +4.28 |
| Dow DuPont Inc | 37.90 | +12 |
| Dow Inc | 57.24 | -2.47 |
| Weatherford Intl Ltd | .69 | +02 |
| CenturyLink Inc | 12.55 | +16 |
| ENSCO PLC | 4.03 | +01 |
| Brist Myr Sq | 46.64 | -03 |
| Annaly Capital Mgmt | 10.01 | -02 |
| Pfizer Inc | 42.99 | +25 |

NASDAQ STOCK MARKET

| STOCK | CLOSE | CHG. |
|----------------------|--------|-------|
| Vital Therapies | .51 | +31 |
| Adv Micro Dev | 28.98 | -11 |
| Yangtze River Port | 1.30 | -30 |
| Sirius XM Hldgs Inc | 5.94 | -02 |
| Comcast Corp A | 40.42 | +01 |
| Micron Tech | 43.32 | +43 |
| Caesars Entertain | 9.19 | +11 |
| Pinduoduo Inc ADS | 21.60 | -1.00 |
| Intel Corp | 55.60 | -32 |
| AVEO Pharmaceuticals | 1.08 | +15 |
| Apple Inc | 197.00 | +1.31 |
| JD.com Inc | 31.24 | +99 |
| Jaguar Health Inc | .32 | +02 |
| Marvell Tech Grp | 21.30 | +33 |
| Microsoft Corp | 119.89 | +53 |
| Bed Bath & Beyond | 18.35 | +76 |
| Altaba Inc | 74.01 | +77 |
| Cisco Syst | 55.21 | +07 |
| Tesla Inc | 274.96 | +7.18 |
| Huntgtn Bancshs | 13.31 | -01 |
| Office Depot | 2.72 | -16 |
| Qualcomm Inc | 57.99 | +13 |
| Nvidia Corporation | 190.95 | +2.69 |
| JMU Ltd | 2.13 | +21 |

FOREIGN MARKETS

| INDEX | CLOSE | CHG./% |
|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Shanghai | 3246.57 | +30.3/+0.9 |
| Stoxx600 | 388.23 | +4/+1.1 |
| Nikkei | 21807.50 | +82.6/+0.4 |
| MSCI-EAFE | 1910.80 | +5/+0.3 |
| Bovespa | 97108.19 | +802.6/+0.8 |
| FTSE 100 | 7446.87 | +44.9/+0.6 |
| CAC-40 | 5476.20 | +12.4/+0.2 |

LARGEST COMPANIES

| STOCK | CLOSE | CHG. |
|---------------------|---------|--------|
| Alibaba Group Hldg | 185.35 | +4.28 |
| Alphabet Inc C | 1207.15 | -7.85 |
| Alphabet Inc A | 1211.45 | -8.00 |
| Amazon.com Inc | 1837.28 | +18.42 |
| Apple Inc | 197.00 | +1.31 |
| Bank of America | 29.08 | -07 |
| Berkshire Hath B | 205.33 | +1.23 |
| Exxon Mobil Corp | 82.49 | +44 |
| Facebook Inc | 175.72 | -30 |
| HSBC Holdings prA | 26.16 | +10 |
| Intel Corp | 55.60 | -32 |
| JPMorgan Chase | 105.31 | -25 |
| Johnson & Johnson | 136.18 | +61 |
| Microsoft Corp | 119.89 | +53 |
| Procter & Gamble | 103.65 | +22 |
| Royal Dutch Shell B | 65.94 | +69 |
| Royal Dutch Shell A | 64.52 | +55 |
| Visa Inc | 157.65 | +01 |
| WalMart Strs | 98.83 | +72 |

TREASURY YIELDS

| DURATION | CLOSE | PREV. |
|--------------|-------|-------|
| 3-month disc | 2.38 | 2.38 |
| 6-month disc | 2.38 | 2.38 |
| 2-year | 2.34 | 2.32 |
| 10-year | 2.50 | 2.51 |
| 30-year | 2.91 | 2.92 |

SPOT METALS

| | CLOSE | PREV. |
|----------|-----------|-----------|
| Gold | \$1290.40 | \$1289.00 |
| Silver | \$15,043 | \$15,041 |
| Platinum | \$901.00 | \$900.00 |

INTEREST RATES

| | CLOSE | PREV. |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Prime Rate | 5.50 | 5.50 |
| Discount Rate Primary | 3.00 | 3.00 |
| Fed Funds Target | 2.25-2.50 | 2.25-2.50 |
| Money Mkt Overnight Avg. | 0.59 | 0.59 |

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

| A U.S. Dollar buys ... | | |
|------------------------|---------|--|
| Argentina (Peso) | 43.9309 | |
| Australia (Dollar) | 1.4078 | |
| Brazil (Real) | 3.8652 | |
| Britain (Pound) | .7675 | |
| Canada (Dollar) | 1.3390 | |
| China (Yuan) | 6.7179 | |
| Euro | .8915 | |
| India (Rupee) | 69.166 | |
| Israel (Shekel) | 3.5772 | |
| Japan (Yen) | 111.71 | |
| Mexico (Peso) | 19.0740 | |
| Nikky | 3.82 | |
| So. Korea (Won) | 1137.37 | |
| Taiwan (Dollar) | 30.80 | |
| Thailand (Baht) | 31.91 | |

LARGEST MUTUAL FUNDS

| FUND | NAV | CHG | 1-YR %RTN |
|------------------------------|-------|-----|-----------|
| American Funds AMCPA m | 32.13 | +19 | +9.1 |
| American Funds AMCRBA m | 27.06 | +08 | +8.8 |
| American Funds CptWldGrncA m | 61.03 | +20 | +2.0 |
| American Funds CptWldGrncA m | 61.03 | +14 | +4.1 |
| American Funds FdmtInvsvA m | 59.65 | +26 | +6.6 |
| American Funds GrfAmrcA m | 49.71 | +27 | +9.2 |
| American Funds IncAmrcA m | 22.35 | +06 | +5.0 |
| American Funds InvAmrcA m | 38.31 | +20 | +6.8 |
| American Funds NWPrsptvA m | 43.83 | +18 | +6.7 |
| American Funds WAMTInvsvA m | 45.98 | +16 | +9.5 |
| DFA EMktCorEq | 21.42 | +09 | -7.3 |
| DFA IntlCorEq | 13.19 | | |

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EDITORIALS

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

No to elected school board

State government is considering a bill to give Chicagoans the elected school board provision that many locals think would be an improvement over our mayor-appointed board. I say be careful what you wish for. A truly representational elected school board assumes election conditions we just do not have in Chicago.

For it to be effective and representational, a majority of eligible voters would have to participate in elections. But Chicago has embarrassingly low voter turnout in local elections. Therefore, only an extremely small slice of the population affected by board decisions would be making this very important choice.

Second, this process assumes that voters take time to educate themselves about their choices, review candidate records and policies, and choose school board candidates based on knowledge. How many voters will devote time and energy to researching 21 or more school board candidates?

Third, a truly representational elected school board requires candidates drawn from across a broad spectrum of the population. Chicagoans are very familiar with the power and reach of the Chicago Teachers Union. It seems clear to me that this powerful union will devote huge resources to fielding and promoting candidates who are sympathetic to its causes, whether this is best for Chicago Public Schools. I am skeptical that an elected school board would be truly independent in its thinking and make decisions in the best interests of CPS students.

— Nancy Wulkan, Chicago

Elected board a bad idea

I am in complete agreement with the Tribune's editorial ("Why an elected CPS board would be worse than the flawed status quo," April 5) calling for the legislature to not allow an elected school board to happen.

This is, of course, not what the Chicago Teachers Union wants, and by allowing it to happen will sadly hurt public education and charter schools going forward, not to mention the taxpayers of Chicago who will have to underwrite this fiasco. While CTU favors good schools, it also favors eliminating competition like private and charter schools and also thinks its teachers are grossly underpaid. Chicago taxpayers would be in for a really rough ride.

— Howard Kirschner, Morton Grove

CTU would hijack process

An elected school board? Brilliant! The biggest single stakeholder, the Chicago Teachers Union, will ensure that only its supporters will be elected. What's next? Teachers will be able to retire at age 45? Teachers won't have to contribute any money toward their retirement? Free health care forever? This proposed move is blatant pandering to a powerful special interest.

— Larry Zawilenski, Chicago

Schools would get worse

Regarding the editorial on the elected school board measure: Of course the Chicago Teachers Union will push hard to elect its people! And with the low voter turnout, Chicago Public Schools will deteriorate even further.

— Jim Kindel, Chicago

New course under Lightfoot?

Our teachers and schools in Chicago have been struggling for a long time. But the reason is really more about failed Chicago Teachers Union leadership and its chronic inability to recognize the truth about what needs to be done to put students and teachers ahead of politics. Too many opportunities have been lost because CTU leaders have placed their own interests above the needs of children and quality education.

Perhaps now that voters have elected reform-minded candidate Lori Lightfoot, we can chart a new course of action that will force CTU representatives (and other elected officials) to be held fully accountable for their failed leadership and inefficient policies. Our children and their teachers have suffered long enough.

There must be accountability and transparency at every level to successfully meet the many challenges facing our schools. We need to carefully re-examine every source of education funding, operating expenditures at every school in the district, executive compensation packages including retirement benefits, and other administrative practices to identify areas of possible waste, fraud or mismanagement.

This critical review must be completed before asking taxpayers to reach into their pockets once again.

— Bill Schandelmeier, Chicago

Taxpayers not 'on hook'

I agree with columnist John Kass ("Skip the honeymoon and stop Lincoln Yards deal," April 4) about 99.9% of the time. However, he has it wrong with respect to the characterization of the tax increment financing plan that is critical to the Lincoln Yards project.

I'm a real estate developer and have worked on a number of projects that involve TIF funds. The taxpayers are not "on the hook" for taxes that will be used to repay Lincoln Yards developer Sterling Bay for its investment in infrastructure.

Sterling Bay will invest its own money upfront in infrastructure, and then the increase in taxes, due to higher assessed values within the district boundaries above the current taxes (the increment), will be used to repay that investment.

If the tax increment generated from the proposed development falls short, then Sterling Bay will not receive a return on its investment as originally projected.

— Dean Kelley, St. Charles



CHRIS SWEDA/CHICAGO TRIBUNE

Migrating birds need a helping hand as they fly through Chicago

Chicago has long aimed to be a friendlier milepost for migrating birds. Since 1995, conservationists and building managers have collaborated on a voluntary program to turn off decorative outdoor lights on downtown buildings after 11 p.m. Birds do fly at night, so going dark reduces the chances of them being lured by the glow, only to smash into glass. Most building owners comply.

Still, the birds come and they die. As many as 1 billion birds are killed in building collisions each year. Chicago, located along a major migratory highway, ranks No. 1 in the United States for deaths in both spring and fall, according to a new report by the Cornell Lab of Ornithology.

Two reasonable proposals, one in Chicago and one in the U.S. House, would make the winged journey less deadly.

The Chicago ordinance brought by Ald. Brian Hopkins would require certain new construction to limit the use of glass from ground level to 36 feet or employ etched or frosted glass to avoid inviting reflections of sky or water. Nonessential

outdoor lights would be automatically turned off between 11 p.m. and sunrise. The law would apply to newly built large-scale buildings, not homes or residential buildings with six units or less.

This effort is supported by Bird Friendly Chicago, a coalition of groups including the Chicago Audubon Society, and by Chicago architect Jeanne Gang. The House bill, introduced by U.S. Rep. Mike Quigley of Chicago, would apply similar rules to federal buildings nationwide.

Not all developers welcome the potential restrictions. But the Chicago ordinance doesn't demand costly retrofitting — it addresses only new construction and significant renovations, when bird-friendly features can be considered at the planning stage. Builders might consider that the startling thud of a creature colliding with a window isn't pleasant for tenants, nor is stepping over the tiny corpses of colorful songbirds in the morning.

Apple made national news, not the kind it wanted, in 2017 when its

glassy new store on Michigan Avenue at the Chicago River drew birds to their deaths. It soon agreed to dim lights overnight. The same year, Northwestern University invested in safety film for its sparkling new lakefront Kellogg School of Management Global Hub after its bird body count ratcheted up. Sterling Bay's plan for the riverside Lincoln Yards development includes bird-friendly design.

There are other ways to help. At Cornell, researchers can predict the heaviest migration periods down to days and weeks by using radar and weather data. This opens up the possibility for narrowly timed, targeted controls on light pollution and other killers, including wind turbines.

Bird populations face other threats, including climate change and habitat loss, that are much harder to solve than lethally transparent windows. No one set out to build perfect bird death traps, but expanses of reflective glass have turned out to be just that. Giving winged creatures a helping hand is the right response.

WHAT OTHERS ARE SAYING

Like so many entrepreneurs who have transformed ordinary American life — like Steve Jobs, like Henry Ford — Howard Schultz is first and last a salesman. (Jobs couldn't write a line of code, and Ford couldn't replace a carburetor, and I don't think you'd want Schultz fussing with your Mr. Coffee.) Leave aside the mechanical difficulties that likely doom any third-party presidential run. From the Ground Up and Schultz's few political speeches show a candidate who is neither one thing nor the other — a peddler with an empty sample case.

He shimmies his way between vague and imaginary caricatures — the "extreme left," for example, that wants to confiscate all private firearms and the "extreme right" that opposes all restrictions on gun ownership — and emerges at the other end boldly in favor of "common sense gun control," details to come. In this way Schultz hopes to define himself as the political equivalent of a jackalope: the "fiscally conservative social liberal" ... though no one has ever seen one in the flesh.

Andrew Ferguson, Commentary

Did you know that roughly 40 percent of the cost of every beer is due to taxes? That's right, and it's clear an overwhelming majority of Americans are unaware of that concealed cost. In fact, according to new polling from the Job Creators Network and ScottRasmussen.com, only 4 percent of people are familiar with the additional charge. Plane tickets are another great example of where extra taxes can jack up costs. Built into the price of every airline ticket is about a 20 percent tax — a figure that 57 percent of Americans underestimate. Don't fly regularly or enjoy the occasional beer? That won't stop the government from springing hidden taxes on you. An extra tax-induced cost is even added to your cellphone bill — pushing the price tag up by about 15 percent.

These are only a few examples of the hidden taxes Americans face on a daily basis, a situation that should both emphasize the need to improve the tax codes and better educate the public. ... Not only should we continue to fight for lower taxes, but the codes should be simplified and made more transparent. That way, on one hand, consumers can enjoy cheaper goods and, on the other, businesses can attract more customers.

Elaine Parker, RealClearPolicy

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IN PERFORMANCE

Ravi Coltrane stretches out

By HOWARD REICH
Chicago Tribune

To say that saxophonist Ravi Coltrane covered a wide expressive range Thursday night at the Jazz Showcase would greatly understate the case.

But whether he was conjuring an air of stillness and contemplation or churning up great waves of rhythmic energy, whether his sound was softly introspective or as big as all outdoors, Coltrane showed the breadth of his vision and the acuity of his thoughts. Joined by three comparably focused musicians, the saxophonist turned in one of the more gripping sets he has given Chicago, the standing-room-only crowd attesting to the following he has built here through the years.

The evening's most moving music came near the end, after the audience had experienced a great deal of busy interaction among Coltrane, guitarist Adam Rogers, bassist Robert Hurst and drummer Johnathan Blake. Having already delivered considerable fireworks, the musicians settled into Charlie Haden's "First Song," a profoundly reflec-

tive piece that brought forth intensely lyrical playing from Coltrane. His opening solo on tenor saxophone was large in scope and gauzy in tone, a sure indication that romantic melody-making was in the offing.

The extraordinary slowness of Coltrane's vibrato underscored the point, but this was no mere throwback to the era of tenor eminences Ben Webster and Coleman Hawkins. For Coltrane's characteristically translucent timbre and questing, plaintive phrases cast "First Song" as something unmistakably personal and distinctive. Guitarist Rogers also offered simple, poetic, beautifully sculpted single-note lines. Add to this drummer Blake's delicate brushwork and bassist Hurst's darkly resonant low notes, and it's easy to understand why a crowded room fell to a hush.

Ralph Towner's "The Glide" preceded this reverie, Coltrane's soprano saxophone tracing mercurial, circuitous lines that defied predictability. With his colleagues providing plenty of rhythmic bounce, Coltrane combined buoy-



CHRIS SWEDA/CHICAGO TRIBUNE

Saxophonist Ravi Coltrane put on a gripping set at Jazz Showcase in Chicago on Thursday.

ant music-making with uninterrupted melodic flow.

Coltrane captured the ebullience of Ornette Coleman's "Round Trip" via fast-flying notes but also cut to the blues undertone of much of the composer's music with wailing, long-held pitches. The alternation between rhythmic agitation and free-wheeling, soaring melodies shed light on the nature of Coleman's genius.

Coltrane, famously the son of Alice and John Coltrane, closed the set with his mother's "Los Caballos," from her album "Eternity." Here the saxophonist reveled in the composition's spirit of dance and exultation. What started as a medium tempo jaunt inexorably gathered speed, Coltrane's phrases on soprano saxophone becoming faster, fiercer and more ecstatic. And yet, after drummer Blake's virtuoso

solo, Coltrane dared to turn down the dial, ending with softly intimate phrases, as if a kind of resolution had been achieved.

That last piece summed up the nature of a set that segued between exclamatory, wholly extroverted music — some of the biggest statements Coltrane has made here in a small-group setting — and more incantatory, meditative sounds. It all pointed to the continuing maturation of

Coltrane's work, which becomes increasingly rewarding over time.

The Ravi Coltrane Quartet plays through Sunday at the Jazz Showcase, 806 S. Plymouth Court; \$25-\$40; 312-360-0234 or www.jazzshowcase.com.

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'THE BRINK' ★★★ 1/2

Revealing portrait of Trump ally Bannon

By KATIE WALSH
Tribune News Service

"Know thine enemy." It's an aphorism that may come to mind for a viewer of a certain political tendency while watching "The Brink," Alison Klayman's engrossing documentary about conservative operative and former Trump Svengali Steve Bannon. It's at least a justification for watching this portrait, which is as troubling as it is revealing about the man, who seems hellbent on disrupting the establishment by mobilizing white working-class voters through dog-whistle identity politics. But one has to question Bannon's motivation. Is it wealth? Power? Anarchy? Frustratingly, it seems to be just because he can.

Klayman's film is subtle and nuanced, not something one would associate with Bannon, a proud propagandist who learned the art of war at Goldman Sachs and honed his media skills in narrative filmmaking in Hollywood. At first, Klayman's film humanizes him, which can be unsettling, pitted against the image of him as a hate-spewing monster. But Klayman doesn't hesitate to introduce us to Bannon as a man who is vulnerable, self-aware and even funny. He speaks to the horrors of the Holocaust and is con-



MAGNOLIA PICTURES

Steve Bannon is the focus of the documentary "The Brink."

No MPAA rating

Running time: 1:31

cerned with his appearance, sipping green smoothies and kombucha.

Klayman shows us his charm because charm is what makes Bannon so, so dangerous. Deep into "The Brink," he wins over a hostile Toronto crowd at a debate with wry, self-deprecating jokes, and you realize just how likable this guy is. It's a chilling thought, after we've watched him amass power and money to fuel his "populist movement" across Europe.

Klayman follows Bannon's breakneck schedule from 2017 to 2018, after his resignation from the White House in the wake of violent protests in Charlottesville, Va., to the most recent midterm elections. He's busy networking with a coalition of far-right European leaders, setting his sights on influencing elections while attempting to coalesce the populist movement. It's meetings, phone calls and private jet flights as Klayman pulls back the curtain on how

the sausage gets made — the wheeling and dealing with international leaders, the careful back and forth with the media, and the constant bickering within the organization.

Many will want to highlight the juicier moments of "The Brink," such as Bannon texting New York Times reporter Maggie Haberman a link to the trailer for his self-labeled propaganda film "Trump @ War," or Sam Nunberg claiming the border wall was his idea. But the most fascinating moments in "The Brink" are when the filmmaking apparatus is most apparent. Klayman often queries Bannon from offscreen, pushing back on his oft-repeated rhetoric.

Bannon even guffaws that the film is going to ruin him. This may come as a surprise, but "Sloppy Steve" always knows how he looks. The truly enlightening element of "The Brink" is these small moments of cynicism. Bannon may think he's constantly manipulating the media, but in this film, Klayman uses the tools of documentary filmmaking to reveal his inherent emptiness.

IN PERFORMANCE

'The Absolute Brightness of Leonard Pelkey' ★★ 1/2

Tragic one-man crime story is powerful, but lacks tension

By CHRIS JONES
Chicago Tribune

Joe Foust, a distinguished and versatile Chicago actor, is alone on the stage in "The Absolute Brightness of Leonard Pelkey," an 80-minute monologue that begins with a detective from a small town on the Jersey Shore describing an investigation of a horrific murder.

The victim is one Leonard Pelkey, a 14-year-old boy known for his flamboyance and, as a consequence, was a frequent target of local bullies.

"Absolute Brightness," which premiered on the East Coast in 2015, is the work of James Lecesne, the founder of the Trevor Project, a support and suicide prevention network for LGBTQ+ youth. Lecesne's play relies on the hard-boiled crime genre for its conceits — Foust plays suspects, cops, witnesses and hangers-on, all the while gruffly going about his business as a standard-issue middle-age detective.

But at the same time, Lecesne also wants to subvert a dramatic genre, beloved in film, TV and theater, that typically has focused on the criminal, the violence of the crime, and the whodunit investigative process. He is interested in the boy, and his legacy on a small town. All of that makes this a very powerful piece of writing.

There is much to like in this Chicago production,



MICHAEL BROSILOW PHOTO

Joe Foust in "The Absolute Brightness of Leonard Pelkey."

When: Through April 27

Where: American Blues Theater at Stage 773, 1225 W. Belmont Ave.

Running time: 1:20

Tickets: \$19-\$39 at 773-654-3103 or americanbluestheater.com

including some smart choices from the director Kurt Johns, the richness of Foust's characterizations and a lovely jewel-box like setting from Grant Sabin.

But overall, you don't get enough of the arcing emotional tension of the detective's transformation, his growing realization that a kid who was different made a small but meaningful change in the

world, even though it required his own sacrifice. To put that another way, the show is rather too rooted to the traditional convention, when it needs to open up more to the way in Lecesne is subverting the very style he is using.

What's missing, I think, is a palpable trajectory of the heart. The production is too much in the thrall of character and comedy when this fundamentally is a work about a man's journey toward change. The discovery of empathy, you might say, which just happens to be the key to all of our futures.

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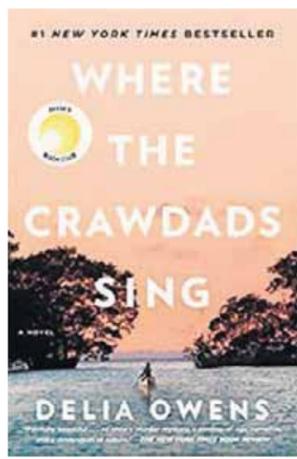
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ASK AMY

By AMY DICKINSON

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Dad ponders leaving his marriage

Dear Amy: My marriage is not a particularly happy one. My wife and I were both older when we met and running out of time to have children, so we probably settled.

My wife presented herself for years as someone with a strong moral character. She demonstrated that she had class, but when we married, she turned into a whining, nagging, disrespectful (in public, to me) and selfish person almost overnight. Recently, she threw a tantrum hours after a close family member of mine had tragically passed away. (It ruined her plans for the day!) I realized she will never change back to the old her. This is it.

My eldest child senses something is amiss and has become super clingy. We spend precious time together every evening. I feel as though taking this away from her would be selfish and that I should just suck it up. My girl just needs her father. Every day.

Counseling has been a waste of time. My wife is constantly on the verge of a meltdown over little things and has no resilience. This is a learned behavior and not a physical condition (i.e., postpartum depression). She won't go to therapy or a doctor anyway.

I am sorta done. I don't want to be with her anymore. What is the conventional wisdom on staying together for the kids?
— Stuck

Dear Stuck: The conventional wisdom is that you should try mightily to repair your marriage for the sake of the entire family (including you) before declaring yourself "done."

I can't say whether staying together for the kids works, or whether it would work for yours. Every family has a different dynamic. But kids never benefit from living in a combative home. Your daughter may be clinging to you because she senses you are on your way out. Or because you offer her a haven from your wife's volatility.

When you accuse your wife of not having "class," it is a bit of a hot button, because this "class" concept is a tricky one. It is appropriate (and "classy") to review your behavior to see what you might do differently to increase the harmony in your household and to take ownership for your own failings.

You also need to get a handle on your emotions. You have lost respect for your wife. You are angry and resentful. You say she is refusing counseling or that counseling doesn't work for her, but what about you? Counseling could help you clarify your options and intentions.

Yes, your kids benefit greatly from daily daddy time. But divorce does not mean you will disappear from their lives. If you and your wife split, they might do better with you as the primary parent.

Dear Amy: Can you comment on this sort of rudeness? On a 2½-hour plane ride, the nicely dressed, middle-aged woman next to me continually snorted her "mucus" back up her nose. She needed to blow her nose but chose this "solution" instead. Most grade-school children have better manners. Unbelievable!

I thought of sweetly telling her, "Honey, if you go into the bathroom, there is tissue in there so you can blow your nose and you won't have to keep doing that," but I chickened out. What should I have done?
— Flabbergasted

Dear Flabbergasted: Many people experience allergy attacks or other sinus problems during a flight. Dismissively addressing a stranger as "honey" is not cool (although it's totally cool to do it in your head). Good for you that you restrained yourself.

One polite response would have been to say, "Can I help you get a tissue?" This might have prompted her to take care of it. Then it's time to reach for those handy earbuds.

Dear Amy: "Reluctant Wedding Guest" was upset to be invited to an out-of-town wedding but not to ancillary events (outside of the wedding).

I don't get it. People hosting a wedding are not obligated to provide additional entertainment for their guests. The rehearsal dinner, for instance, is for the wedding party, not all of the guests.
— Upset

Dear Upset: As weddings become ever more elaborate, guests' expectations seem to have expanded, too. Mature and polite guests entertain themselves without burdening the wedding hosts.

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'THE WIND' ★★★

Feminist mashup of horror in Wild West

By JESSICA KIANG
Variety

The doorway shot in John Ford's "The Searchers" is one of the most influential cinematic frames of all time. But it's not often we really parse the meaning of that iconic image, or seek to understand the way it has shaped our understanding of the Western as an outdoorsy, masculine genre. Emma Tamm's feature debut, a clever if low-boil horror-Western, provokes such ruminations by being, essentially, a reverse of that shot: Instead of our eye following John Wayne walking off into a bright rectangle of scrubby land framed by the dark silhouette of a cabin doorway, "The Wind" imagines a Wild West where the man walks off into darkness and we stay inside the brightly lit cabin, where the women are.

That's not to suggest there's anything cozily domestic about Tamm's vision of the feminine West. In fact, in "The Wind," the agoraphobic loneness of the cowboy on the hilltop has nothing on the claustrophobic isolation of his wife, alone in a cabin with just a few guttering candles holding the swamping darkness at bay. You'd have to be a pretty resilient type to survive this kind of existence, but that's exactly what Lizzie (Caitlin Gerard) seems to be — a capable, practical German immigrant married to loving but frequently absent husband Isaac (Ashley Zukerman); she unstintingly goes about the business of making this treeless, featureless patch of prairie feel like home.

Still, she's glad when Emma (Julia Goldani



Caitlin Gerard struggles to survive the Wild West — and maybe the supernatural — in "The Wind."

MPAA rating: R (for violence/disturbing images, and some sexuality)

Running time: 1:28

Playing: The Music Box, 3733 N. Southport Ave., www.musicboxtheatre.com

Telles) and Gideon (Dylan McTee) arrive and set up in a cabin not too far away. Their marriage may not be as halcyon as her own — pretty, flirtatious city-girl Emma is openly contemptuous of Gideon's talents as a homesteader, especially compared with Isaac's frontiersy aptitude — but the women bond nonetheless.

Yet, this chronological reconstruction of the narrative is not how Tamm and screenwriter Teresa Sutherland tell their nonlinear tale. They deliberately obfuscate and confuse the timeline so that the shocking, gruesomely evoked opening scene can cast its pall over the rest of the film, even if the bloody event it portrays happened later. But then, maybe horror is just tragedy told in a different order, and here the manipulations may be obvious, but that doesn't make them less effective. From the start, this arid and forbidding plot of land, hauntingly evoked in Lyn Moncrief's lean, spare Ford-indebted cinematography and Ben Lovett's airy but portentous score, is, despite Lizzie's best efforts, explicitly a place of death nested inside other deaths.

Absent company, society and even the comforts of

organized religion, there's nothing to stop the incessant wind from blowing dark thoughts into a household. Tamm atmospherically evokes this emptiness, but sometimes at the cost of the film's pacing, especially amid the tumbleweed of its middle third. The progressively more unkempt Gerard is excellent, cutting a subtly subversive figure as her neatly corseted, plainly dressed Lizzie becomes increasingly attached to her shotgun. But it's a lot to ask to have her carry the film with little to act against except the demon that stalks the prairie — which may or may not be a phantom of her own imagining. Horror hounds may find themselves getting a little impatient with "The Wind," especially when Tamm begins on such an unflinchingly nasty note (the effects team deserves credit for delivering a most credible corpse) but then elects to keep the gore to a minimum until the grisly climax.

A convincingly feminist melding of Western legend and cabin-in-the-woods horror, but not in the way one might initially think, "The Wind" doesn't seek to make infallible heroes of its women, but to understand and empathize with even their most unforgivable acts. And it's a hugely promising debut in terms of Tamm's steady, assured directorial craft. It's only the story's pacing that frustrates, its narrative writhed like a shotgun loaded, cocked and aimed far too long before the trigger is pulled.

WATCH THIS: SATURDAY



Kit Harington

"Saturday Night Live" (11:29 p.m., NBC): You know nothing about hosting a late-night comedy show, Jon Snow: That may be true of one of the most popular characters on "Game of Thrones," but his real-life alter ego, actor Kit Harington, fearlessly takes center stage as "SNL" host for the first time, a week before his HBO blockbuster returns for its eighth and final season.

"2019 NCAA Basketball Tournament" (5 p.m., CBS): A brilliant NCAA Men's Basketball Tournament, thus far, offers up an unexpected Final Four. In the first game, the Virginia Cavaliers, the top seed in the South, square off against the Auburn Tigers, the No. 5 seed from the Midwest bracket. In the second game, the No. 3 seed Texas Tech Red Raiders of the West face the Michigan State Spartans, the No. 2 seed in the East. The winners advance to Monday's championship game.

"True Love Blooms" (7 p.m., Hallmark): Vicki (Sara Rue, "American Housewife"), an urban gardener, has put a lot of time, not to mention sweat equity, into transforming bleak city lots into welcoming green spaces, and she takes understandable pride in her efforts. Needless to say, then, she's not happy when a real estate developer (Jordan Bridges, "Rizzoli & Isles") poses a threat to her community garden via his latest project.

"The Nun" (7:15 p.m., HBO): Corin Hardy's 2018 horror film, the fifth installment in "The Conjuring Universe" movie franchise, may have taken a hellish beating from many critics, but it proved blessed at the global box office, earning nearly \$400 million on a modest \$22 million production budget. The story follows a priest, Father Burke (Demian Bichir), and a young nun, Sister Irene (Taissa Farmiga), as they uncover an unholy secret in 1952 Romania.

"The Book of John Gray" (8 p.m., 11 p.m., OWN): Pastors John and Averter Gray are wrapping up life in Houston, where they work at one of the largest churches in America, as they return with new episodes aimed at counseling those in need of hope, grace and healing. In the new episode "The Chapter on Dealing With Hate," John helps a 14-year-old girl who is confronting racism at her school for the first time in her life. He also meets a style blogger who is dealing with insecurities.

"Native Son" (9 p.m., 1:05 a.m., HBO): Suzan-Lori Parks penned the screenplay for this original HBO adaptation of Richard Wright's classic novel, which chronicles the story of Bigger Thomas (Ashton Sanders), a young black Chicagoan who lands a job as chauffeur to wealthy businessman Will Dalton (Bill Camp). That gig provides Bigger with a ticket into a seductive new world of money and power, as well as a dangerous relationship with his employer's daughter (Margaret Qualley).

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| | LIFE | | My Killer Client (NR, '19) Tammin Sursok. © | | | | (9:03) Suburban Swingers Club ('19) ♦ | | | |
| | MSNBC | | All In With Chris Hayes | | Rachel Maddow Show | | The Last Word | | 11th Hour ♦ | |
| | MTV | | Ridiculous. Ridiculous. Ridiculous. Ridiculous. Ridiculous. Ridiculous. | | | | | | Ridiculous. | |
| | NBCSCH | | NHL Hockey: Chicago Blackhawks at Nashville Predators. (N) (Live) | | | | Blackhawks Postgame (N) | | | |
| | NICK | | Game (N) | Cousins (N) | Knight (N) | SpongeBob | The Office | The Office | Friends ♦ | |
| OVATION | | ♦ (6:30) Next of Kin (R, '89) ** | Patrick Swayze. © | | | Riviera (N) | | Karate Kid ♦ | | |
| OWN | | Family or Fiancé | | Book, J. Gray (N) | | Family or Fiancé © | | Family or ♦ | | |
| OXY | | Snapped © | | Killer Couples © | | Snapped © | | Snapped ♦ | | |
| PARMT | | Friday After Next (R, '02) * Ice Cube, Mike Epps. © | | | | Friday (R, '95) *** | | Ice Cube. © ♦ | | |
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| TBS | | Big Bang | Big Bang | Big Bang | Big Bang | Big Bang | Big Bang | Full Frontal | | |
| TCM | | East of Eden (PG, '55) **** | James Dean. © | | | (9:15) The Night of the Hunter *** ♦ | | | | |
| TLC | | Trading Spaces (N) © | | While You Were Out (Season Finale) (N) | | Nate & Jeremiah (N) | | Trading ♦ | | |
| TLN | | Exalted | | Pacific Garden Mission | | In Grace | | Humanitarian | | |
| TNT | | Batman v Superman: Dawn of Justice (PG-13, '16) ** | Ben Affleck. © | | | | | Lone Rngr ♦ | | |
| TOON | | Dragon | Dragon Ball | Rick, Morty | Rick, Morty | Family Guy | Family Guy | Dragon Ball | | |
| TRAV | | Ghost Adventures © | | Ghost Adventures (N) © | | Ghost Adventures © | | Ghost ♦ | | |
| TVL | | Two Men | Two Men | Two Men | Two Men | Two Men | Two Men | King | | |
| USA | | Iron Man (PG-13, '08) *** | Robert Downey Jr., Terrence Howard. © | | | | | Mod Fam | | |
| VH1 | | ♦ (5:30) Bad Boys ('95) ** | Bad Boys II (R, '03) ** | Martin Lawrence, Will Smith. © ♦ | | | | | | |
| WE | | Criminal Minds © | | Criminal Minds © | | Criminal Minds © | | Criminal ♦ | | |
| WGN America | | Blue Bloods: "Your Six." | | Blue Bloods © | | Blue Bloods © | | Gone © ♦ | | |
| PREMIUM | HBO | (7:15) The Nun (R, '18) ** | Demian Bichir. © | | | Native Son (NR, '19) Margaret Qualley. ♦ | | | | |
| | HBO2 | Wyatt Cenac (7:35) Déjà Vu (PG-13, '06) *** | Denzel Washington. | | | Real Time, Bill Maher ♦ | | | | |
| | MAX | Murder on the Orient Express (PG-13, '17) ** | | | | (8:55) The 15:17 to Paris ('18) ** | | | | |
| | SHO | The Chi © | | The Dark Tower (PG-13, '17) ** | | | Desus | Billions ♦ | | |
| | STARZ | Tron: Legacy (PG, '10) ** | Jeff Bridges. © | | | (9:08) American Gods | | Now ♦ | | |
| STZNC | (7:09) The Lost World: Jurassic Park (PG-13, '97) ** © | | | | | (9:20) Jurassic Park III ♦ | | | | |

'THE PUBLIC' ** Homeless dramedy too cute for reality

By DENNIS HARVEY
Variety

In the U.S., homeless populations have increasingly turned for daytime shelter to public libraries, which provide not just relief from the elements and a relatively safe, calm environment, but also internet access that may be the only available means of job/housing networking for most of them. Their presence is an annoyance to some, and a frequent trial to staff — but so far no one has tried to revoke general access to this last bastion of free indoor public space.

Emilio Estevez's "The Public" savvily deploys this circumstance for a commentary on up-to-the-moment social issues that's also a curiously old-fashioned, uplifting dramedy. With the writer-director himself as a fed-up Average Joe who leads a crew of lovable misfits (i.e., homeless people) in a largely comic rebellion against The Man, this somewhat anachronistic crowd-pleaser-cum-"message movie" at times seems too cute and simplistic for the harsh realities it touches on.

Nonetheless, it largely works. As in Estevez's not-dissimilar, starrer ensemble piece "Bobby" 12 years ago, this conventionally crafted expression of "Hollywood liberal" empathy consistently engages despite the relative obviousness of its tactics.

During a brutal Midwestern winter, librarian Stuart (Estevez) doesn't mind going to work at all — the heating system is on the fritz in his apartment building. The same impulse draws much of Cincinnati's homeless to the



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Michael K. Williams (far left) and Emilio Estevez play the leaders of a library protest movement in "The Public."

MPAA rating: PG-13 (for thematic material, nudity, language, and some suggestive content)

Running time: 1:59

library every day, where they can escape the sub-zero temperatures that are literally freezing some of them to death each night.

Things take a turn, however, when a group of homeless men led by sly Jackson (Michael K. Williams) decide they won't be leaving at the close of public hours today. With city shelters full, they see no reason why this institution can't become an emergency refuge from the cold for one night.

Of course, the authorities get wind very quickly. Sympathetic to the men's cause are Jeffrey Wright's

library chief and Alec Baldwin as a police negotiator. Definite foes are Christian Slater as a city prosecutor-slash-mayoral candidate running on a "law and order" platform, and Gabrielle Union as a local TV reporter who sees this story as her big break.

Estevez has been writing-directing sporadically for more than three decades, and his movies in that role have steadily improved. Still, there's a self-conscious, awards-baiting quality to them that he'll have to lose before arriving at an organic result that transcends the sum of its conspicuous good intentions. Nonetheless, "The Public" is eventful and entertaining, with a pace too brisk to overindulge some flamboyant support turns that might otherwise overstay their welcome.

Navy Pier gearing up for free summer programs

By JESSI ROTI
Chicago Tribune

Navy Pier announced its free summer programming Thursday, boasting weekly live performances, cultural festivals, family-friendly activities and more.

Kids get to dive into the fun first with the new-for-the-season Palm Tree Pajama Party before regular festivities get started May 25. Popular favorites returning this year include the Live on the Lake! music showcase, Wave Wall Wax DJ series, Water Colors live jazz nights and Old Town School of Folk Music's celebrated early childhood music program Wiggleworms. Water Flicks, movies on the lake, is also back with its "summer of superheroes" —

showing films "Black Panther," "Avengers: Infinity War," "Wonder Woman," "Aquaman" and others.

In addition to these recurring events, the Pier is once again hosting the second annual LatinXt Latin Music Festival June 14-15, Chi-Soul Music Fest June 21-22, Make Music Chicago June 21 and three quinceañera photo shoots offering local Latinas turning 15 an opportunity to commemorate their special milestone June 15, July 15 and August 15. An all-day celebration of LGBTQ+ pride featuring music, dance, arts and crafts, storytelling and more, is scheduled for June 29.

Noche Caribeña, organized alongside the Puerto Rican Arts Alliance, will

take over Polk Bros. Park Aug. 10. Fresh Fest, a two-day showcase of local talents in music and dance, is set for July 12-13; Tap Fest, presented by the Chicago Human Rhythm Project, July 24 and an After School Matters showcase Aug. 6.

Chicago Shakespeare Theatre in the Park will also be starting its traveling season in the Pier's Polk Bros. Park — catch the Bard's "A Comedy of Errors" July 18-20 at the City Stage.

And of course there will be fireworks. Tons of fireworks.

For the complete schedule, visit www.navy pier.org.

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Aries (March 21-April 19): Today is a 9. You're in the money for the next few days. Take advantage of breaking news. Turn a surprising circumstance to your favor.

Taurus (April 20-May 20): 9. You're especially confident and powerful today and tomorrow. Consider your dreams, visions and desires. Make plans for what you want to create.

Gemini (May 21-June 20): 7. Look at the world from a higher perspective. Make plans to realize a dream or vision for the common good. How can you contribute?

Cancer (June 21-July 22): 8. Teamwork gets the job done. Collaborate over the next two days with people who share your goals and commitments. Make a brilliant revelation.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22): 8. Focus on professional priorities for a few days. Schedule business trips, conferences and meet-ups. Make long-distance connections.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): 7. Study your options. Travel entices through tomorrow. Explore a fascinating subject in person or through the eyes of another. What you're learning could get profitable.

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): 8. Discover a rounding error in your favor. Plug a leak in your budget. Find an unexpected opportunity that leads to shared profits. Collaborate together.

Scorpio (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): 8. Let someone else direct the show for a few days. Collaborate with a partner to get farther. Support each other's health and wellness.

Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): 8. Focus on your work and physical activities today and tomorrow. Prioritize health and fitness. Nourish your body, mind and spirit.

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): 8. Your luck is on the rise. Relax and enjoy time with family, friends and someone special. Share your dreams and passions with people you love.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): 7. Domestic comforts draw you in. Conserve resources and cook at home. Discover an unexpected treasure. Find creative ways to reuse something from the past.

Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20): 8. Write down your brilliant ideas. Your research produces valuable results. Keep digging. Follow the money trail. Profit through creative communications. Share your discoveries.

— Nancy Black, Tribune Content Agency

The Argyle Sweater By Scott Hilburn



Bliss By Harry Bliss



Bridge

Both vulnerable, South deals

- North**
 - ♠ 9 4 3
 - ♥ J 6
 - ♦ K J 10 8 5 2
 - ♣ K 5
- West**
 - ♠ A Q J 10 7 5
 - ♥ 5 4
 - ♦ A 7
 - ♣ Q 9 3
- East**
 - ♠ 8
 - ♥ Q 9 8 7
 - ♦ Q 9 6 4 3
 - ♣ 8 4 2
- South**
 - ♠ K 6 2
 - ♥ A K 10 3 2
 - ♦ Void
 - ♣ A J 10 7 6

South in today's deal was American expert Eddie Wold, from Texas. The opening heart lead went to the six, seven, and 10. Wold led a club to dummy's king, a club back to his ace, and ruffed a club — pleased to see the suit split evenly. He ruffed a diamond back to his hand and cashed the two top hearts before taking a moment to think.

West was known to have six spades from the auction, and had followed to two trumps, three clubs, and one diamond. He had one diamond remaining, likely the ace. At this point, Wold made the inspired play of leading a low spade from his hand toward dummy's nine. West couldn't duck, as the nine would win and Wold would ruff a diamond back to his hand, felling the ace. He would run clubs until East ruffed, and East would then have to lead a diamond into dummy's king-jack. Declarer would end up with 11 tricks.

West won the low spade with his 10, but he had no answer. A spade would set up the king of spades for Wold's tenth trick, and the ace of diamonds would eventually lead to East's being endplayed, just as if West had let the nine of spades win. West decided to cash the ace of spades, holding Wold to 10 tricks. Nicely played!

— Bob Jones
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Dilbert By Scott Adams



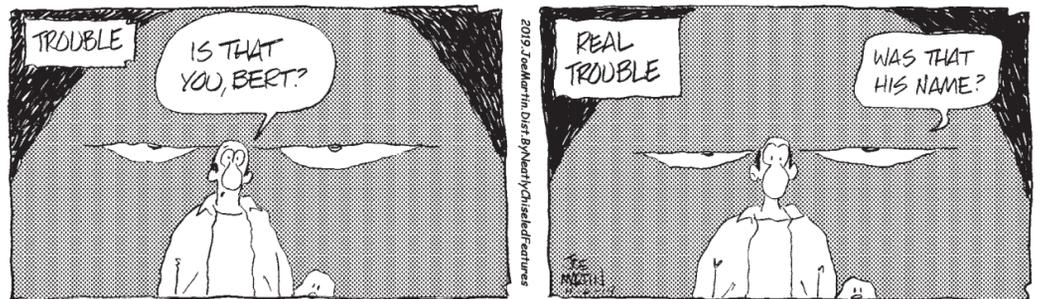
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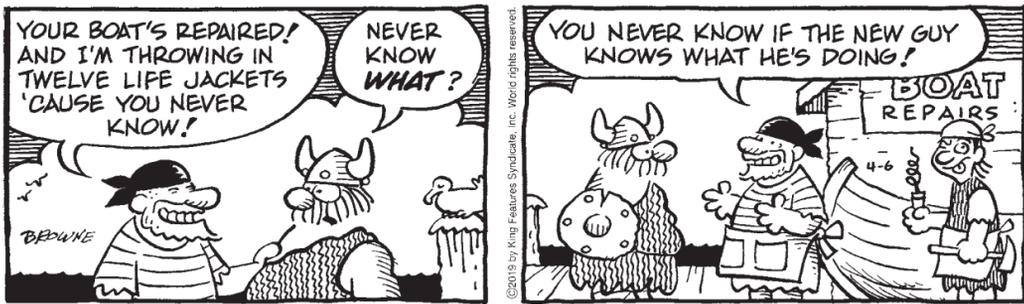
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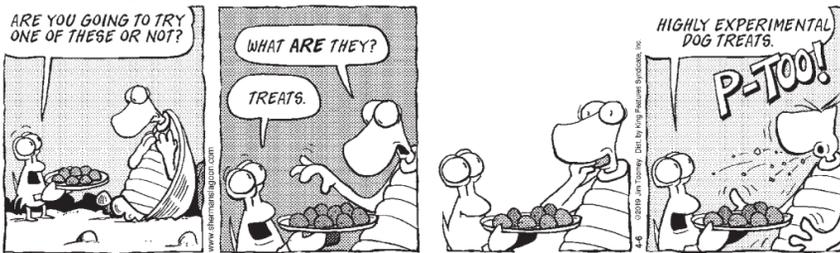
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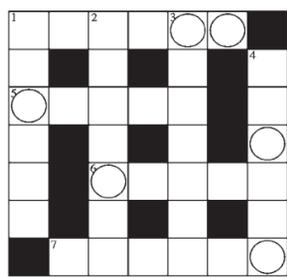
Broom-Hilda By Russell Myers



Trivia Bits

The planet NASA calls Kepler-16b, located about 200 light-years from Earth, has what unique feature?
 A) Blue soil
 B) Krypton gas atmosphere
 C) Saltwater core
 D) Two suns
 Friday's answer: Pitman and Gregg developed shorthand writing systems.
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Jumble Crossword



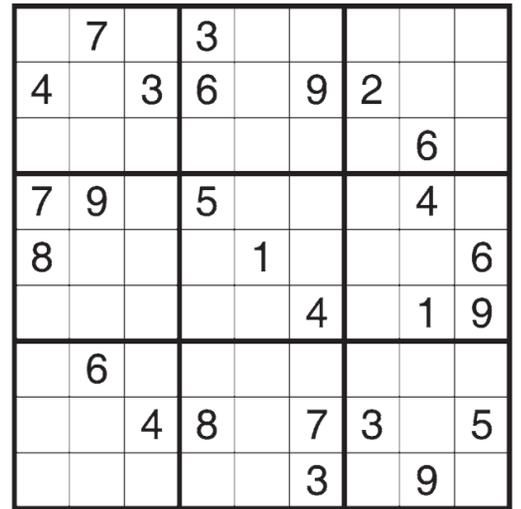
- CLUE ACROSS**
- Cheese
 - Wedding
 - Precise
 - Capital of Greece
- CLUE DOWN**
- Consecrate
 - Periodic table entry
 - Trap
 - Rank

TRIPLE BONUS
 The circled letters can be unscrambled to form three different BONUS answers.
 CLUE: Ushered
 CLUE: Calm
 CLUE: Needled

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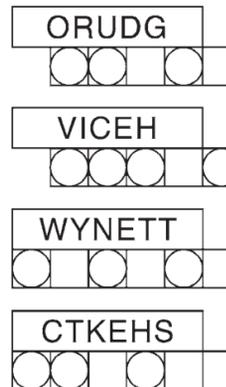
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Friday's solutions

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Jumble

Unscramble the four Jumbles, one letter per square, to form four words. Then arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by this cartoon.



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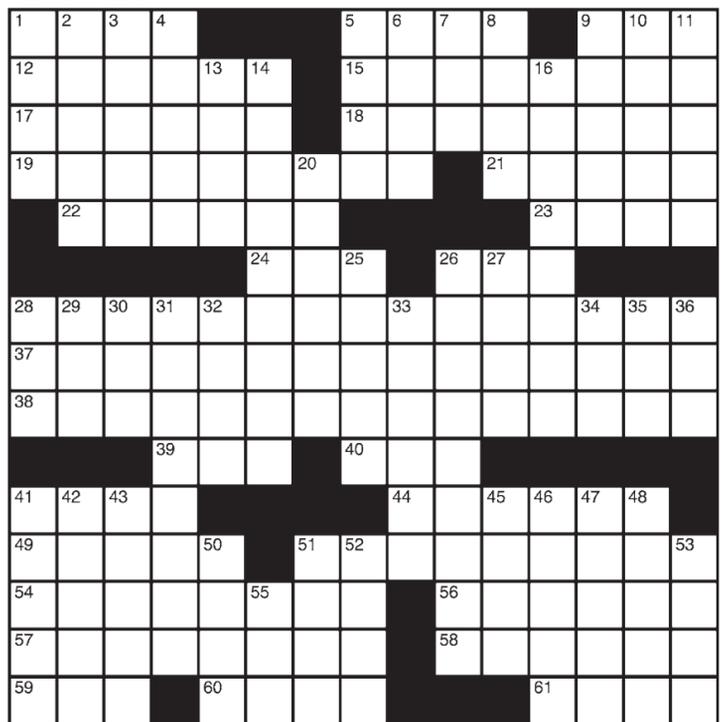
Friday's answers

Jumbles: ALIBI DITTO FOSSIL PRIMER
 Answer: When Magellan rounded South America headed for the Pacific, he was in — DIRE STRAITS

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Crossword

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- Across**
- Risk evaluation
 - Sch. paper
 - High points on a European itinerary
 - Naval post
 - Stands for meetings
 - Opposite of mouthed
 - The Platters' genre
 - Opposite of mouthed
 - "Six Feet Under" occupation
 - Chicago critic
 - Creator of the language Newspeak
 - Act sycophantically with
 - JFK but not LAX
 - Psychological attempts at one-upmanship
 - Internet initialism
 - Head of Britain?
 - Part of a flooring metaphor
 - Good way to wrap things up
 - Reasons for Word getting around?
 - Belief system
 - Sch. paper
 - Naval post
 - Stands for meetings
 - Opposite of mouthed
 - "Six Feet Under" occupation
 - #80 on AFI's 100 Years... 100 Movie Quotes
 - Make possible
 - With a #2, say
 - "Feel So High" R&B artist
 - Classic two-seated roadsters
 - "That's a surprise!"
 - Dost own
 - Order in the court
 - Work involving recall
 - Badger relative
 - Rose magically
 - Seven-week period in Judaism that begins during Passover
 - Terminal type. Abbr.
 - Antacid brand since the 1800s
 - Agency under the Secy. of Defense
 - Talent
 - Tough times
 - More with it
 - Deep-fried snack, familiarly
 - Polished off
 - Argonne article
 - Actress — Bialik of "The Big Bang Theory"
 - During
 - Serial guilty pleasures for many
 - Wave
 - Bitcoin, e.g.
 - Heavenly scales
 - Retail draws
 - First in a long series of movies
 - Severely injure
 - Child
 - Former Nair competitor
 - I, in Erfurt

Down

- Tony winner Leslie — Jr.
- Andrea — ill-fated vessel
- Snuggle competitor
- Nobel, for one
- Huber of tennis
- Perry's ambitious reporter
- Scoring nos.
- Mailer in a mailer, briefly
- Graceful runner
- Eccentric
- Record spoilers
- Contemporary of Nadia
- Start of #28 on AFI's 100 Years... 100 Movie Quotes

Friday's solution



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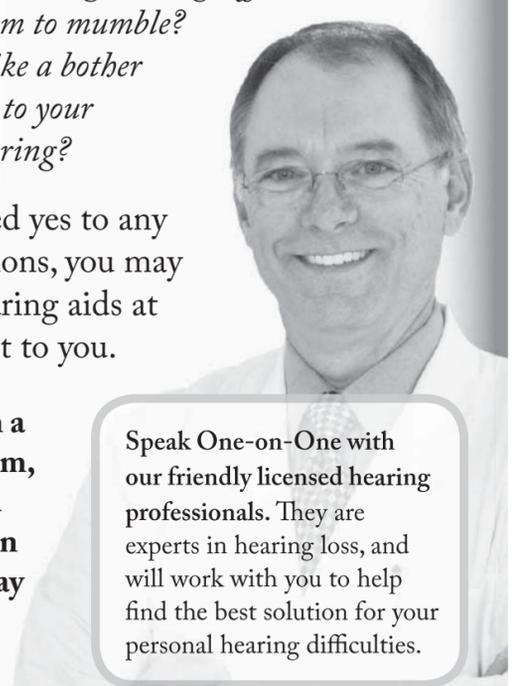
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HOME OPENER WHITE SOX 10, MARINERS 8



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Yoan Moncada lays into a two-run single in the seventh inning of the White Sox's home-opening victory over the Mariners on Friday. The red-hot Moncada drove in four runs.

Reversing roles

White Sox looking like team of future, Cubs a thing of the past



TEDDY GREENSTEIN
On the White Sox

Divide 6 by 162 and you get a number that's so small, it's like a stitch on a baseball — 3.7 percent.

If we were judging the Bears on 3.7 percent of their season, we'd barely be past halftime of their first game.

And yet as White Sox general manager Rick Hahn put it before Friday's home opener: "Overreact away."

Thanks, here goes: Through six games it seems as if the Cubs are the team of the past and the Sox are the

team of the future.

The 2016 world champions have been an unmitigated disaster.

The Sox not only are showing competence, they're doing it with several players who will form their core. Guys such as Yoan Moncada, Tim Anderson, Carlos Rodon and Lucas Giolito.

Moncada brought the thunder Friday during the Sox's adventurous 10-8 victory over the Mariners. He barely missed a grand slam when his first-inning

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E. JASON WAMBSGANS/CHICAGO TRIBUNE

The family of Sox outfielder Eloy Jimenez — mother Ade-laida, brother Cesar and father Luis Arturo — before his home debut at Guaranteed Rate Field on Friday.

MORE COVERAGE

New Goose Island section gets rave reviews from fans at White Sox home opener. **Page 5**

Struggling Eloy unfazed — just like his family

BY **TEDDY GREENSTEIN** | Chicago Tribune

Some universal baseball terms transcend language. Home run, for example.

So when Eloy Jimenez's parents were asked when they think the White Sox's top prospect will hit his first home run, no interpreter was needed.

Same for his father's response: Pronto.

The interview came before Jimenez made his first home start in a Sox uniform Friday against the Mariners, going 0-for-4. Through six games, Jimenez is batting .167 with nine strikeouts, one walk and no home runs.

But it's early, and Luis Arturo Jimenez believes Eloy will go deep soon.

For one thing, Jimenez has yet to play in anything resembling tropical temperatures.

Asked Friday morning how he was doing, Jimenez smiled and replied: "Cold."

Said the father: "Because of his competitiveness, he knows the things he needs to do to perform and be the guy we know he can be. He will adjust."

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CUBS AT BREWERS

There's no need to panic — Cubs aren't

Maddon, players not ruffled by team's unexpected poor start



PAUL SULLIVAN
On the Cubs

MILWAUKEE — The Cubs had a chance to put their foot on the Brewers' necks the last time they came to Miller Park, holding a five-game divisional lead on Labor Day.

Spoiler alert: They didn't, and the Brewers ultimately wound up as Central Division champions after winning Game 163 at

Wrigley Field. The end-of-the-season let-down led to Cubs President Theo Epstein's "October begins in March" proclamation on

opening day. The Cubs responded with a 1-5 start that looked even worse than the record indicated.

So with a 4 1/2-game lead on the Cubs heading into their three-game series in Miller, was this a "go-for-the-throat" weekend for the Brewers?

"Baiting me already?" Brewers general manager David Stearns asked. "It's Game 8 and you're already baiting me?"

Kicking a team when it's down is a baseball tradition. And when

the opposing team's fans have been occupying your ballpark for years, it has to be on everyone's minds in the land of cheese.

"It's an early-season matchup between two teams that are probably going to be pretty good and probably going to see a lot of each other over the course of this year," Stearns said. "We know every game in this division and this is certainly one of them."

Stearns clearly wasn't paying
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THE FINAL FOURS

Women | Friday, Tampa, Fla.

- #1 Baylor 72,
- #2 Oregon 67

- #1 Notre Dame vs. #2 UConn, late

Final: 5 p.m. Sunday, ESPN

Men | Saturday, Minneapolis

- #1 Virginia (33-3) vs. #5 Auburn (30-9), 5:09 p.m., CBS-2
- #2 Michigan State (32-6) vs. #3 Texas Tech (30-6)

7:49 p.m., CBS-2
Final: 8 p.m. Monday, CBS-2

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TOP OF THE SECOND

BULLS

In need of some lottery luck

Balls bouncing Bulls' way would salvage rough season

By K.C. JOHNSON | Chicago Tribune

In a perfect world, Jim Boylen is sitting on the dais at the NBA draft lottery May 14, his heart pure and "Bulls" across his chest.

Then again, little has been perfect about this Bulls season, which began with legitimate optimism for progress and devolved into an injury-filled, lack-of-chemistry trial.

The Bulls were creative enough last season to consider having everybody's favorite chaplain, Loyola's Sister Jean Dolores Schmidt, represent them at the draft lottery. But league rules dictate it must be a team representative, so President and COO Michael Reinsdorf sat for the TV show as the Bulls dropped from sixth to seventh.

That the Bulls landed promising big man Wendell Carter Jr. from that seventh slot seems pertinent now that they need only the Cavaliers' likely loss to the Warriors late Friday to secure the fourth-worst record and a 12.5 percent chance at the No. 1 pick.

May 14 represents the next big story for this franchise, particularly because Carter, fellow first-round pick Chandler Hutchison, former lottery pick Denzel Valentine, trade-deadline acquisition Otto Porter Jr. and all three acquisitions from the Jimmy Butler trade — Zach LaVine, Kris Dunn and Lauri Markkanen — have been out for several games, weeks or the season.

With the Bulls all but assured of entering the first draft lottery under the league's reform rules with the fourth-worst record, a primer of their odds is in order. Not to mention some lighthearted suggestions for their representative if Boylen's trademark intensity isn't on stage.

It's well-documented that the teams with the three-worst records own identical 14 percent odds of winning the lottery and Zion Williamson — er, the No. 1 pick in the June 20 draft. And that the fourth-worst team has a 12.5 percent chance at that prize.

What's talked about less is that the third-worst team at worst can drop to the seventh pick and has only a 7 percent chance to do so. The Bulls as the fourth-worst team could drop to eighth and would have a 19 percent chance to pick seventh or eighth.

Here are the Bulls' odds as the fourth-worst team:

- 12.5 percent for No. 1.
- 12.2 percent for No. 2.
- 11.9 percent for No. 3.
- 11.5 percent for No. 4.
- 7.2 percent for No. 5.
- 25.7 percent for No. 6.
- 16.8 percent for No. 7.
- 2.2 percent for No. 8.

General manager Gar Forman is fond of saying there's opportunity in any draft. The Bulls have lived up to that belief with recent acquisitions of Carter and Markkanen from the No. 7 slot and long-ago examples such as Butler from No. 30 and Taj Gibson at No. 26.

But most scouts and draft experts cite a drop-off from Williamson to the presumed No. 2 pick, Murray State point guard Ja Morant, and another drop from Morant to the likely No. 3 pick, Duke wing RJ Barrett. Even with Texas Tech wing Jarrett Culver rising on many draft boards, those same scouts see an even larger drop-off after the first three picks.

Like all lottery teams, Forman, executive vice president John Paxson and other Bulls brass have scouted extensively. Individual interviews at the draft combine in May and private workouts afterward will continue to shape the Bulls' draft board, but there's already a strong internal sense for picks Nos. 1-8.

As for the Bulls representative at the lottery, if it's not Boylen, here are some other ideas:

Carter. He is, after all, from Duke. And in late January, he donned his GM hat.

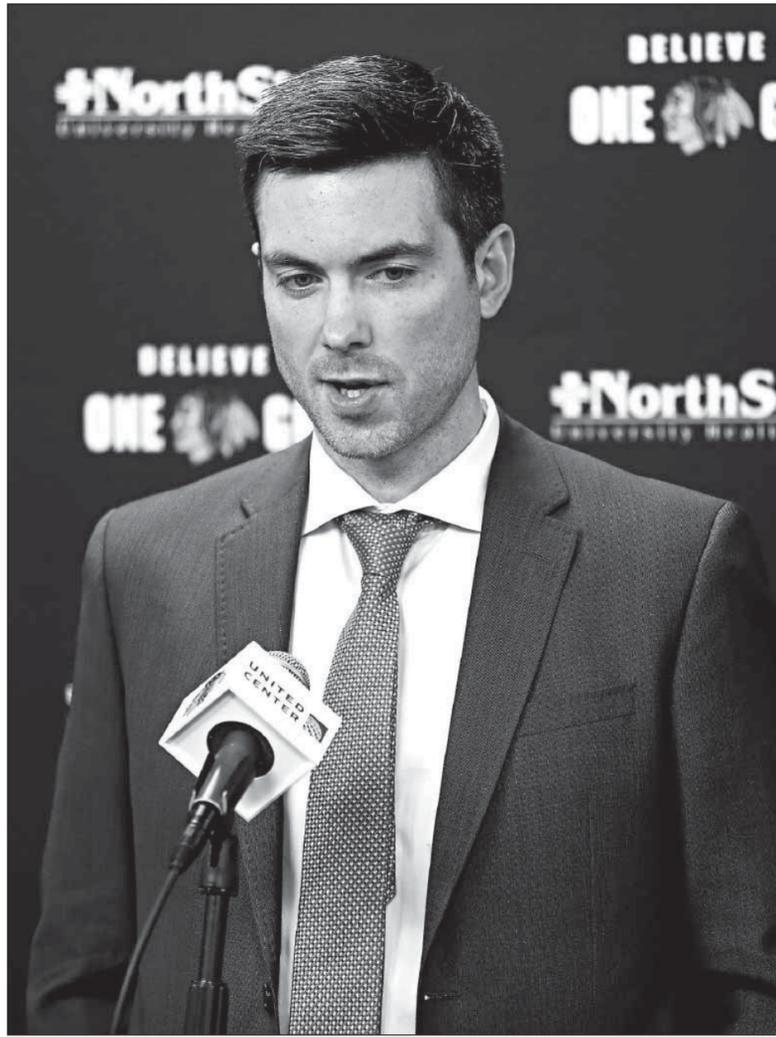
"I don't understand how anybody can pass up his athleticism, his potential," Carter said, calling him the for-sure No. 1 pick. "That's a freak of nature, a once-in-a-generation-type player."

Jon Diebler. The former Ohio State guard has never played in the NBA. But the Bulls acquired his draft rights in the late-January acquisition of Carmelo Anthony, one of three cash-related moves they made this season. He has to be good luck, right?

Benny the Bull. Calling the draft lottery TV show boring may be kind. But, hey, a little Silly String and perhaps the team mascot's beloved popcorn trick and you've got some entertainment.

Williamson would provide the most entertainment. Whomever the Bulls place on the dais would forever be remembered for cashing in on 12.5 percent odds.

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The Blackhawks went 4-13-3 in the first 20 games after the coaching change to Jeremy Colliton, putting them in a hole they couldn't climb out of.

STARS AT BLACKHAWKS

Positive vibes after rocky start

Hawks hoping for 2nd-half success to carry over

By JIMMY GREENFIELD | Chicago Tribune

A Blackhawks season marked by the jarring interruption of switching from Joel Quenneville to Jeremy Colliton is nearly complete.

After Saturday's season finale against the Predators, players will disperse throughout the world to heal their worn bodies, regroup mentally and ponder retirement.

As happens with every team during every offseason, some players won't remain in the organization. Those who return are likely to enjoy a much more stable environment than the one that followed the coaching change.

Whether early November was the right time to make the move remains subject to debate. But the fact is the Hawks were terrible in the first 20 games after the change, going 4-13-3. It's also true that entering Friday's home finale against the Stars, they have played on a 102-point pace over their last 45 games.

There is far more hope than despair coming from the Hawks locker room despite missing the playoffs for a second straight season.

"We had a pretty good record in the second half of the season, so there's something you can build on for next year," Dylan Strome said. "But every year's a new year, so you've got to take it in stride. A full offseason, full training camp and then preseason is just going to help our team start off really good and we'll be a top team throughout the year. That's what we're trying to do."

The Hawks were 6-6-3 when the change was made but had lost five straight, including one overtime loss. There was talk during camp of the need to get off to a fast start, which they did with a 3-0-2 record.

That disappeared in the blink of an eye,

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and by the time mid-January rolled around, the Hawks had the league's worst record. Instead of settling for a top draft pick, they didn't quit and became a surprise playoff contender. But treating every game like a playoff game for two months can have an impact — and not a good one.

"It does take a toll," Colliton said. "We had to scratch and claw for everything we got. Sometimes you maybe don't have as much juice. I'm not sure that that was the issue. We still have played really well over a long stretch. I think the issue was the hole we were in to begin with."

"We have been getting points lately, maybe not at the clip we were in January and February, (but) we still have been getting points. It's just that the hole we were in was too big."

Entering Friday's game, the Hawks were 8-5-3 since the start of March. Not a bad record but not strong enough to overcome a miserable first half.

"Some of the games that we lost were tight games where it could have gone either way," Drake Caggiula said. "That's just the way it is, but those teams that solidified their playoff spots, they were able to get the wins when they needed them. We just weren't able to do it as often as we'd like."

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BEARS

Ex-AAF kickers to get tryouts at Halas Hall

By BRAD BIGGS | Chicago Tribune

The premature demise of the Alliance of American Football has given the Bears a chance to look at possibilities for their kicking competition earlier than expected.

Multiple sources told the Tribune the Bears will host Younghoe Koo and Nick Rose in a tryout Wednesday at Halas Hall. It's believed they might bring in at least one additional kicker that day.

The Bears have two kickers under contract, and neither Chris Blewitt nor Redford Jones has NFL experience. Koo and Rose have both kicked in the NFL and were two of the best in the short-lived AAF season.

Koo, 24, spent four games with the Chargers in 2017, when he made 3 of 6 field-goal attempts and 9 of 9 extra points. The Georgia Southern alumnus hit eight of his 14 kickoffs for touchbacks.

Koo was 14 of 14 on field goals for the Atlanta Legends in the AAF with a long of 38 yards.

Rose, 24, spent two games with the Chargers in 2017 and eight games with the Redskins that season. He was 11 of 14 on field goals with a long of 55 and made 23 of 26 extra points. The Texas alumnus hit 32 of his 47 kickoffs for touchbacks.

Rose was also 14 of 14 on field goals for the San Antonio Commanders in the AAF with a long of 54 and another from 50 yards.

Koo and Rose will try out Tuesday for the Vikings, who have one kicker on their roster, veteran Dan Bailey. He was re-signed to a one-year, \$1 million contract this offseason that includes \$250,000 guaranteed, so it's possible the Vikings will challenge him by signing another kicker.

It would not be surprising if the Bears also look at AAF kicker Elliott Fry. He was 14 of 14 on field goals for the Orlando Apollos with a long of 47. Fry, who kicked in college at South Carolina, has not been on an NFL roster. He had a tryout with the Buccaneers in 2017.

Bears general manager Ryan Pace said the team is keeping all options open in the

LET'S PLAY 2

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| | Saturday @Brewers 6:10 p.m. NBCSCH+ | Sunday @Brewers 1:10 p.m. NBCSCH |
| | Saturday Mariners 1:10 p.m. WGN-9 | Sunday Mariners 1:10 p.m. WGN-9 |
| | Saturday 76ers 7 p.m. WGN-9 | Tuesday Knicks 7 p.m. WGN-9 |
| | Saturday @Predators 7 p.m. NBCSCH | Season over |
| | Saturday @Toronto 2 p.m. ESPN+ | April 12 Whitecaps 7:30 p.m. ESPN+ |

SATURDAY TV/RADIO

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| MLB | Noon Nationals at Mets | MLBN |
| | 1 p.m. Mariners at White Sox | WGN-9 WGN-AM 720 |
| | 3 p.m. Rangers at Angels | FS1 |
| | 6 p.m. Cubs at Brewers | NBCSCH+, FS1 WSCR-AM 670 |
| | 9 p.m. Dodgers at Rockies | MLBN |
| COLLEGE BASEBALL | 7 p.m. Texas A&M at LSU | ESPN2 |
| | 10 p.m. CS Full. at Cal Poly-SLO | ESPN9 |
| NBA | 4 p.m. Nets at Bucks | NBA TV |
| | 7 p.m. 76ers at Bulls | WGN-9 WIND-AM 560 |

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| MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL | 5 p.m. Auburn vs. Virginia | CBS-2 |
| | 7:30 p.m. Texas Tech vs. Mich. St. | CBS-2 |

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| WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL | 2 p.m. Northwestern vs. Arizona | CBSSN |
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| HORSE RACING | 4:30 p.m. Wood Memorial | NBCSN |
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| GOLF | 11 a.m. Augusta National Amateur | NBC-5 |
| | Noon Valero Texas Open | Golf |
| | 2:30 p.m. Valero Texas Open | NBC-5 |
| | 4 p.m. ANA Inspiration | Golf |

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| COLLEGE GYMNASTICS | 7 p.m. Big Ten championships | BTN |
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| NHL | 3 p.m. Canucks at Blues | NHLN |
| | 6 p.m. Rangers at Penguins | NHLN |
| | 7 p.m. Blackhawks at Predators | NBCSCH WGN-AM 720 |
| | 9 p.m. Jets at Coyotes | NHLN |

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| AHL | 7 p.m. Eagles at Wolves | WPWR-50 |
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| COLLEGE LACROSSE | 9 a.m. Northwestern at J. Hopkins | ESPN9 |
| | 10 a.m. Lehigh at Loyola (Md.) | CBSSN |
| | 11 a.m. Notre Dame at Duke | ESPN9 |
| | 1 p.m. Michigan at Maryland | BTN |
| | 1 p.m. Rutgers at Johns Hopkins | ESPN9 |
| | 4 p.m. Michigan at Maryland | BTN |
| | 4 p.m. Villanova at Denver | CBSSN |

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| SOCCER | 8:20 a.m. Leverkusen vs. Leipzig | FS2 |
| | 8:55 a.m. Newcastle vs. Crystal Pal. | NBCSN |
| | 11:30 a.m. Bayern Mun. vs. Bor. Dort. | FOX-32 |
| | 2 p.m. LAFC at D.C. United | FOX-32 |
| | 10 p.m. Tijuana vs. Club America | FS1 |

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| COLLEGE SOFTBALL | 4 p.m. UCLA at Arizona St. | ESPN2 |
| | 5 p.m. Alabama at South Carolina | ESPN |
| | 5 p.m. LSU at Mississippi St. | ESPN9 |
| | 7 p.m. Baylor at Oklahoma | ESPN |

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| TENNIS | 9:30 a.m. Volvo Car Open | Tennis |
| | Noon Volvo Car Open | Tennis |
| | 6 p.m. Abierto GNP Seguros | Tennis |

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NCAA TOURNAMENT

Fraternal quadruplets

Four unique-looking teams ready to pop in Twin Cities

#1 Virginia
vs. #5 Auburn
5:09 p.m. Saturday, CBS-2MEN'S FINAL FOUR
U.S. Bank Stadium in Minneapolis
Championship: 8 p.m. Monday, CBS-2#2 Michigan St.
vs. #3 Texas Tech
7:49 p.m. Saturday, CBS-2

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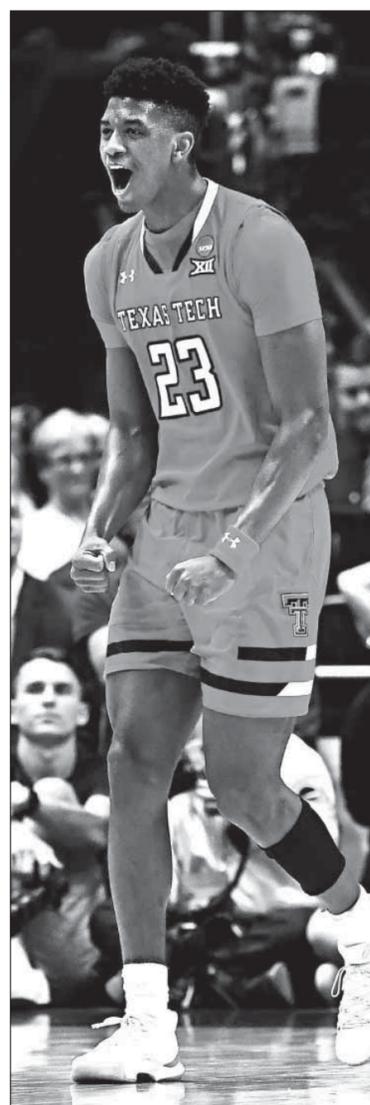


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De'Andre Hunter and Virginia will try to lean on a deliberate offense, while Bryce Brown and Auburn hope the game turns on their transition game and 3-point shooting.



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HARRY HOW/GETTY

Cassius Winston and Michigan State play a physical brand of basketball, while Jarrett Culver and Texas Tech put a premium on guarding the opposition "at a high level."

Up to speed: Pace of play key for Cavaliers, Tigers

BY RALPH D. RUSSO | Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS — Virginia and Auburn meet at the Final Four in the latest installment of a long-running competition in basketball: slow and steady vs. fast and furious.

The top-seeded Cavaliers are rarely in a hurry, playing a style as deliberate and methodical as the Supreme Court. The Tigers take a frenetic approach, more like Judge Judy.

The first national semifinal Saturday at U.S. Bank Stadium is likely to be decided by whether Auburn or Virginia dictates the pace of play.

"We're not going to compromise on how we play, but at the same time, our style of play is just to win," Virginia guard Kyle Guy said.

Uncompromising is a good way to describe Cavaliers coach Tony Bennett's philosophy, which was passed down by his father, longtime coach Dick Bennett. The Cavaliers' pack-line defense and milk-the-clock offense can lead to ugly games. When Virginia became the first No. 1 seed ever to lose an NCAA Tournament game to a 16-seed last season, critics of the style were quick to pounce.

The Cavaliers owned the upset loss to UMBC and came back stronger this season — better than ever offensively under Bennett, but still steadfast in their approach.

According to KenPom metrics measuring pace of play, Virginia is among the slowest team in Division I.

"To be honest I feel like we just have to keep playing the way we've been playing, pushing the ball in transition," Auburn

guard Bryce Brown said. "We may have to make more 3s than usual."

While facing Virginia is a test of patience, Auburn wants to make the opposition feel rushed.

The Tigers rank 153rd in the country in KenPom's pace-of-play metric, and 69th in average length of offensive possession at 16.9 seconds. Bruce Pearl's team will take some chances defensively. That could lead to a forced turnover or a quick basket. Either way, the Tigers keep it moving.

"We turn people over almost 25 percent of the possessions," Pearl said. "They don't turn the ball but nine times in a game, and the more you try to turn them over, the better you make their offense."

As much as Virginia has become synonymous with stifling defense, the Cavaliers come into this game as the third-most efficient offense in the country based on points per possession.

"I think we have not only more people that can score, but more people that can shoot the ball," said Guy, who snapped out of a postseason shooting slump by going 5 of 12 from 3-point range in the overtime thriller against Purdue in the Elite Eight.

Only Savannah State shot more 3-pointers this season than Auburn. Led by Brown and fellow star guard Jared Harper, the Tigers have hoisted 1,083 attempts, making 37.9% of them.

Brown is Auburn's career leader in 3s made with 378.

"We just have to get to the shooters," said the Cavalier's third-team All-American, De'Andre Hunter. "We have to get to them quick, possibly run them off their line and make them make plays."

Spartans, Red Raiders value 'toughness,' defense

BY EDDIE PELLIS | Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS — Hunker down, hoops fans. This one might be ugly.

The Final Four's second semifinal Saturday features Texas Tech, the team with the best defense in a generation, against Michigan State, the nose-in-the-dirt team whose coach used to put helmets and shoulder pads on his players for practice.

It's a non-glamour pairing pitting two teams that thrive on the grind.

Texas Tech (30-6) has allowed more than 70 points only five times this season and not at all in the tournament.

Michigan State (32-6), with the ninth-best defense in the country, got here by shutting down more-talented, more-star-studded Duke.

The over/under on the game is 132.5, meaning there's a good chance the first team to 65 will win.

"We try to guard at a high level," Red Raiders coach Chris Beard said. "It's been the identity of our teams at all different levels, and currently at Texas Tech. It's something we try to recruit to. We certainly coach and emphasize it."

His players are listening.

Jarrett Culver is the team's leading scorer (18.9 points a game) and main NBA prospect, but the defensive help comes from all places.

Matt Mooney and Tariq Owens were named to the All-Big 12 defensive team. Owens was also a semifinalist for the Naismith defensive player of the year. His swoop-in rejection of Rui Hachimura was the game-sealer in the Elite Eight victory over Gonzaga last week.

Texas Tech's defense has the best points allowed-per-100 possessions ratio (84) since stat guru Ken Pomeroy started tracking the figure in 2002. The Red Raiders have held teams to 36.9 percent shooting this year, second-lowest in the country.

"The defense, you don't know until you go out there," Michigan State guard Cassius Winston said.

"You've got to feel it out, but it doesn't take that long to figure out what you can and can't do at this point."

Michigan State's defense isn't bad, either.

It's built around the hard-nosed lessons coach Tom Izzo has been teaching for years.

Back when Izzo was making his first of eight appearances in the Final Four, he would suit his players up in helmets and shoulder pads for rebounding drills.

Yes, the Spartans can be physical.

"This team isn't as physically tough, but they might be as mentally tough as any team I've ever had," Izzo said. "So the word 'toughness' is still there."

Guard Matt McQuaid is considered the team's best defender. In its media guide, Michigan State unfurls a long list of top players — including Purdue's big-scoring Carsen Edwards and pretty much all of the Big Ten — he has held under their season average.

The Spartans were fourth in the nation in blocked shots (203) this season.

"This team is very connected," Izzo said. "It's like, when they move, they all move together, and that's why we've been pretty good defensively ourselves."

Baylor wins 28th in row, heads to women's title game

Associated Press

TAMPA, Fla. — Kalani Brown scored 22 points and Lauren Cox added 21 as Baylor held off Final Four newcomer Oregon 72-67 on Friday night to reach the NCAA women's championship game for the first time since 2012.

The top-seeded Lady Bears (36-1) won their 28th straight game, exerting themselves defensively down the stretch. Chloe Jackson delivered a go-ahead layup with 39 seconds left, and Brown and Cox finished out the victory with free throws.

Baylor will play the winner of the UConn-Notre Dame semifinal for the title Sunday night.

All-American Sabrina Ionescu led No. 2 seed Oregon (33-5) with 18 points, but

WOMEN'S FINAL FOUR

Amalie Arena in Tampa, Fla.

First semifinal
#1 Baylor 72
#2 Oregon 67Late game
#1 Notre Dame vs.
#2 Connecticut

Final: 5 p.m. Sunday, ESPN

didn't score in the fourth quarter. She missed a layup that would have given her team the lead in the final minute, and the Ducks misfired on 11 of their last 12 shots.



MIKE EHREMAN/GETTY

Sophomore DiDi Richards and junior Juicy Landrum celebrate after Baylor's victory Friday.

BASEBALL

American League

| EAST | W | L | PCT | GB | WCGB | L10 | STR | HOME | AWAY |
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| Tampa Bay | 6 | 2 | .750 | — | — | 6-2 | W-1 | 5-2 | 1-0 |
| Baltimore | 4 | 3 | .571 | 1½ | ½ | 4-3 | L-2 | 0-1 | 4-2 |
| New York | 3 | 4 | .429 | 2½ | 1½ | 3-4 | W-1 | 2-4 | 1-0 |
| Toronto | 3 | 6 | .333 | 3½ | 2½ | 3-6 | L-2 | 3-4 | 0-2 |
| Boston | 2 | 6 | .250 | 4 | 3 | 2-6 | L-1 | 0-0 | 2-6 |

| CENTRAL | W | L | PCT | GB | WCGB | L10 | STR | HOME | AWAY |
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| Minnesota | 4 | 1 | .800 | — | — | 4-1 | W-3 | 2-1 | 2-0 |
| Detroit | 5 | 3 | .625 | ½ | — | 5-3 | W-3 | 1-0 | 4-3 |
| Cleveland | 4 | 3 | .571 | 1 | ½ | 4-3 | W-2 | 3-1 | 1-2 |
| Chicago | 3 | 3 | .500 | 1½ | 1 | 3-3 | W-2 | 1-0 | 2-3 |
| Kansas City | 2 | 4 | .333 | 2½ | 2 | 2-4 | L-4 | 2-3 | 0-1 |

| WEST | W | L | PCT | GB | WCGB | L10 | STR | HOME | AWAY |
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| Seattle | 7 | 2 | .778 | — | — | 7-2 | L-1 | 5-1 | 2-1 |
| Texas | 5 | 2 | .714 | 1 | — | 5-2 | W-3 | 4-2 | 1-0 |
| Oakland | 6 | 4 | .600 | 1½ | — | 6-4 | W-1 | 6-4 | 0-0 |
| Houston | 2 | 5 | .286 | 4 | 2½ | 2-5 | L-2 | 0-0 | 2-5 |
| Los Angeles | 1 | 6 | .143 | 5 | 3½ | 1-6 | L-5 | 0-1 | 1-5 |

Late games noted below

SATURDAY'S PROBABLE PITCHERS

PROBABLE PITCHING MATCHUPS

| NATIONAL LEAGUE | 2019 | 2018 VS. OPP. | LAST 3 STARTS |
|-------------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------|
| TEAM PITCHER | TIME W-L TR | W-L IP ERA | W-L IP ERA |
| Was Corbin (L) | 0-0 3.00 1-0 | 0-1 11.1 5.56 | 0-0 6.0 3.00 |
| NY Matz (L) | 12:10p 0-0 1.69 1-0 | 0-3 26.0 5.88 | 0-0 5.1 1.69 |
| Cin Roark (R) | 0-0 6.23 0-1 | 1-0 7.0 2.57 | 0-0 4.1 6.23 |
| Pit Williams (R) | 12:35p 1-0 0.00 1-0 | 2-0 12.0 1.50 | 1-0 6.0 0.00 |
| SD Paddack (R) | 0-0 1.80 1-0 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 0-0 5.0 1.80 |
| SIL Wachu (R) | 1:15p 0-0 1.50 0-1 | 0-0 6.0 1.50 | 0-0 6.0 1.50 |
| Chi Hamels (L) | 0-0 9.00 0-1 | 0-0 6.0 3.00 | 0-0 5.0 9.00 |
| Mil Burnes (R) | 6:10p 0-0 7.20 1-0 | 0-0 4.1 4.15 | 0-0 5.0 7.20 |
| Mia Alcantara (R) | 1-0 0.00 1-0 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 1-0 8.0 0.00 |
| AH Wright (R) | 6:20p 0-1 6.23 0-1 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 0-1 4.1 6.23 |
| LA Buehler (R) | 0-0 15.00 1-0 | 1-1 37.2 2.15 | 0-0 3.0 15.00 |
| Col Gray (R) | 7:10p 0-1 4.05 0-1 | 0-1 11.2 9.26 | 0-1 6.2 4.05 |

| AMERICAN LEAGUE | 2019 | 2018 VS. OPP. | LAST 3 STARTS |
|------------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------|
| TEAM PITCHER | TIME W-L TR | W-L IP ERA | W-L IP ERA |
| KC Lopez (R) | 0-1 7.20 0-1 | 0-1 1.0 63.00 | 0-1 5.0 7.20 |
| Det Moore (L) | 12:10p 0-0 0.00 1-0 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 0-0 7.0 0.00 |
| Sea Leake (R) | 1-0 3.00 1-0 | 0-1 3.1 21.60 | 1-0 6.0 3.00 |
| Chi Gjolito (R) | 1:10p 1-0 2.70 1-0 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 1-0 6.2 2.70 |
| Tex Smyly (L) | 0-0 3.00 0-1 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 0-0 3.0 3.00 |
| LA Skaggs (L) | 3:05p 0-1 3.86 0-1 | 2-0 11.0 0.82 | 0-1 4.2 3.86 |
| Tor Pannone (L) | 0-1 1.80 0-0 | 1-0 6.1 2.84 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 |
| Cle Carrasco (R) | 3:10p 0-1 12.46 0-1 | 0-0 13.1 4.73 | 0-1 4.1 12.46 |
| NY Happ (L) | 0-1 9.00 0-1 | 3-0 29.0 1.55 | 0-1 4.0 9.00 |
| Bal Bundy (R) | 6:05p 0-0 7.36 1-0 | 0-2 9.0 0.00 | 0-0 3.2 7.36 |
| Oak Brooks (R) | 1-0 0.00 1-0 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 1-0 6.0 0.00 |
| Hou Miley (L) | 6:10p 0-1 4.50 0-1 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 0-1 6.0 4.50 |

| INTERLEAGUE | 2019 | 2018 VS. OPP. | LAST 3 STARTS |
|-------------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------|
| TEAM PITCHER | TIME W-L TR | W-L IP ERA | W-L IP ERA |
| Min Pineda (R) | 0-0 0.00 1-0 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 0-0 4.0 0.00 |
| Phi Arrieta (R) | 1:05p 1-0 1.50 1-0 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 1-0 6.0 1.50 |
| TB TBD | — — — | — — — | — — — |
| SF Samardzija (R) | 3:05p 0-0 0.00 0-1 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 0-0 5.0 0.00 |
| Bos Price (L) | 0-1 6.00 0-1 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 0-1 6.0 6.00 |
| Ari Weaver (R) | 7:10p 0-0 8.31 0-1 | 0-0 0.0 0.00 | 0-0 4.1 8.31 |

TR: Team's record in games started by today's pitcher.

RESULTS, SCHEDULE

AMERICAN LEAGUE

FRIDAY'S RESULTS
 Chi. White Sox 10, Seattle 8
 Tampa Bay 5, San Francisco 2
 Cleveland 3, Toronto 2
 Minnesota at Philadelphia, late
 Boston at Arizona, late
 Oakland at Houston, late
 Texas at L.A. Angels, late

SUNDAY'S GAMES
 N.Y. Yankees at Baltimore, 12:05 p.m.
 Minnesota at Philadelphia, 12:05 p.m.
 Kansas City at Detroit, 12:10 p.m.
 Toronto at Cleveland, 12:10 p.m.
 Seattle at Chi. White Sox, 1:10 p.m.
 Oakland at Houston, 1:10
 Tampa Bay at San Francisco, 3:05 p.m.
 Texas at L.A. Angels, 3:07 p.m.
 Boston at Arizona, 3:10 p.m.

BOX SCORES

WHITE SOX 10, MARINERS 8

| SEAATTLE | AB | R | H | BI | SO | AVG |
|---------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------------|
| Smith cf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | .250 |
| Haniger rf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | .282 |
| Santana lf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | .297 |
| Bruce 1b | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | .152 |
| Beckham ss | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .353 |
| Narvaez c | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .276 |
| Healy 3b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | .286 |
| Vogelbach dh | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | .364 |
| Gordon 2b | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .281 |
| Martinez 1b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .167 |
| TOTALS | 35 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 9 | .000 |

PADRES 5, CARDINALS 3

| SAN DIEGO | AB | R | H | BI | SO | AVG |
|----------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-------------|
| Kinsler 2b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .185 |
| Bauer 1b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .267 |
| Machado 3b | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .259 |
| R.F. Reyes rf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .105 |
| Margot cf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .222 |
| Byers lf | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | .221 |
| Cordero c-rf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | .357 |
| Tatis Jr. ss | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | .241 |
| Mejia c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .250 |
| Marguevicius p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .240 |
| a-Renfroe ph | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | .313 |
| c-Garcia ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .200 |
| TOTALS | 35 | 5 | 9 | 5 | 10 | .000 |

RAYS 5, GIANTS 2

| TAMPA BAY | AB | R | H | BI | SO | AVG |
|---------------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|-------------|
| Meadows rf | 5 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | .250 |
| Pham lf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .267 |
| Choi 1b | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | .348 |
| Lowe 2b | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | .200 |
| Diaz 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | .360 |
| Kiermaier cf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | .250 |
| Adames ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .037 |
| Heredia rf | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .500 |
| Peretz c | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .300 |
| Giesnon p | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| a-Arroyo ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .200 |
| Robertson ss | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .176 |
| TOTALS | 38 | 5 | 11 | 5 | 8 | .000 |

DODGERS 10, ROCKIES 6

| LOS ANGELES | AB | R | H | BI | SO | AVG |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Hernandez 2b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .370 |
| Seager ss | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | .185 |
| Turner 3b | 5 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .233 |
| Bellinger rf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | .417 |
| Pollock cf | 5 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | .324 |
| Municy 1b | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 0 | .208 |
| Taylor lf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .136 |
| a-Pederson ph-1f | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | .350 |
| Martin c | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | .417 |
| Maeda p | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .053 |
| c-Freese ph | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .200 |
| Stewart p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .333 |
| e-Verdugo ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .417 |
| TOTALS | 37 | 10 | 13 | 10 | 5 | .000 |

PIRATES 2, REDS 0

| CINCINNATI | AB | R | H | BI | SO | AVG |
|---------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-------------|
| Winker cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .053 |
| d-Casali ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .286 |
| Volto 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .200 |
| Puig rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .125 |
| Suarez 3b | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .227 |
| Kemp lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .200 |
| Peraza 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .227 |
| Barnhart c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .263 |
| Iglesias ss | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .313 |
| Gonzalez 1b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .158 |
| b-Schebler ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .048 |
| TOTALS | 28 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 10 | .000 |

CHICAGO

| AB | R | H | BI | SO | AVG | |
|-----------------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|-------------|
| Garcia rf-c | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .348 |
| Anderson ss | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 0 | .438 |
| Abreu 1b | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | .280 |
| Castillo c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | .286 |
| Moncada 3b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 1 | .458 |
| Rendon 2b | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .176 |
| Alonso dh | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .176 |
| Rondon 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .167 |
| a-Palka ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Jimenez lf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .167 |
| Engel cf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .143 |
| b-Sanchez ph-2b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .048 |
| TOTALS | 34 | 10 | 9 | 8 | 6 | .000 |

ST. LOUIS

| AB | R | H | BI | SO | AVG | |
|----------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-------------|
| Carpenter 3b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .200 |
| Goldschmidt 1b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .259 |
| DeJong ss | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .233 |
| Bader cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .227 |
| Molina c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .071 |
| Fowler rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .111 |
| d-Martinez ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .071 |
| Myers lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .227 |
| Wong 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .417 |
| Flaherty p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .333 |
| b-Gyorko ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| O'Neill rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .250 |
| TOTALS | 31 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 7 | .000 |

SAN FRANCISCO

| AB | R | H | BI | SO | AVG | |
|---------------|---|---|-----|----|-----|------|
| Duggar rf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .273 |
| Belt 1b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .214 |
| Longoria 3b | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .214 |
| Possey c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | .227 |
| Crawford ss | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .259 |
| Parra lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | .217 |
| Pillar cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .080 |
| Kiermaier (6) | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .227 |
| Rodriguez p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| b-Sandoval ph | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | .400 |
| c-Solaris ph | 0 | 0 | 0</ | | | |

WHITE SOX HOME OPENER



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"The Goose Island" at Guaranteed Rate Field was a huge hit among attendees on Friday's first home game of the season.

'This view is amazing'

Goose Island section debuts to (mostly) rave reviews at White Sox home opener

BY PHIL THOMPSON | Chicago Tribune

Photographer Craig Shimala has taken shots of buildings, athletes and other subjects from some unusual angles. But sitting eye level behind a right fielder and fence with warning-track dirt inches from his feet was "unique" — even for him.

"So far I haven't seen any up-close action," the 39-year-old Chicagoan said from his cushioned chair in the first row of "The Goose Island" premium seats, situated to the left of the visitors bullpen at Guaranteed Rate Field. "I'm waiting for a moment for a shot to come right here with a player jumping up for a catch or something like that — a home run. It's crazy to be on field level."

In true Chicago fashion — the city of big shoulders and rubbing elbows — Shimala knew a Goose Island employee who got him his prime perch. The remodeled namesake section on the 100 level of right field debuted to a sold-out crowd at Friday's home opener against the Mariners — because the Chicago-based brewery bought all the tickets.

The Goose Island section has 326 "seats" — a combination of leather chairs, bleachers and standing-room-only spots — set off by running water features (thus the "island"), a 10-foot goose head (the company's symbol), TV monitors, storage cabins and a train-car bar. But planners may have overlooked one detail — at least as far as



Fans were amazed with the view at "The Goose Island" at Guaranteed Rate Field.

fan Jeremy Lanni is concerned.

"I can't get no damn Cracker Jack at a baseball game," the 39-year-old restaurant manager from Lakeview said. "So we're in this nice section, brand new, where I can have food delivered, drinks delivered, I can charge my phone, there's leather seats, but you can't get the most staple item in baseball history: Cracker Jack."

"It's the one thing served at baseball games longer than any other food item and I can't get it in this section."

Jason Krasowski, 42, brought his wife, Katie Whiting, but even though he works

as a brewer for the company, the couple expected to find just a simple bleacher section.

"I'm a Cubs fan," Krasowski said. "Even me, coming here, this view is, like, amazing. I'm seriously taken back by it."

Added Whiting: "It reminds me of when you go to one of those fancy movie theaters and you get to have a server and you have a nice seat. ... It's different from any ballpark (experience) I've ever had."

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WHITE SOX 10, MARINERS 8

Moncada stays hot for .500 Sox

BY TEDDY GREENSTEIN | Chicago Tribune

The White Sox's home opener lasted so long, it should be broken up by chapters.

Chapter 1: The Sox get lucky, benefiting from three errors — in one inning — by Mariners shortstop Tim Beckham.

Chapter 2: Reynaldo Lopez and the Sox bullpen implodes.

Chapter 3: The Mariners bullpen gives it all back, with Yoan Moncada coming through with a two-run single.

Chapter 4: New father Tim Anderson goes yard, celebrating his blast with a 360-degree turn and point to his buddies in the home dugout.

The shorter summary: The Sox won 10-8 in 3 hours, 36 minutes to even their record at 3-3.

Moncada stayed hot, going 2-for-4 to raise his batting average to .458. He drove in four — two on his go-ahead single and two on a first-inning double that nearly cleared the center-field fence for a grand slam — and has 10 RBIs in six games.

The Mariners, who entered with baseball's best record at 7-1, showed extreme generosity by issuing five walks and plunking Wellington Castillo with the bases loaded in the seventh.

Eloy Jimenez had a quiet game in his home debut, going 0-for-4 and striking out in the first with runners at second and third and none out.

A solid crowd of 32,723 showed up to Guaranteed Rate Field on a chilly day. And those who stayed were rewarded in the end, as Alex Colome closed it out for his second save.



ARMANDO L. SANCHEZ/CHICAGO TRIBUNE

Closer Alex Colome prepares to pitch in the ninth inning of the White Sox's home-opening victory over the Mariners.

Skid can't faze Eloy, family

Jimenez, from Page 1

Manager Rick Renteria said Jimenez has shown no signs of frustration: "He's not coming in and breaking helmets and shattering bats. You can see he's very calm. He's a bright young man and using these experiences to put him in a better position."

Jimenez can learn from his first at-bat. He stepped to the plate with Mariners lefty Yusei Kikuchi in a daze, having allowed the first five Sox hitters to reach, two by error.

With none out and runners are second and third, a fly ball to the right of center field would have sufficed. But Jimenez whiffed on a slider.

He grounded out sharply to short in his second at-bat.

Jimenez said he has felt more comfortable since signing the richest deal ever for a player with no service time before his major-league debut. Jimenez is guaranteed \$43 million, and that figure could hit \$75 million if the Sox exercise team options in 2025 and 2026.

The elder Jimenez and his wife, Adelaida, said Eloy has been very generous — "too much" — since his first payday, in 2013. The Cubs paid him \$2.8 million to sign.

"He hasn't stopped buying us stuff," Luis Jimenez said via Sox interpreter Billy Russo. "Actually he tells us: 'Hey, there it is. It's all yours.'"

Eloy Jimenez gets his size and athleticism from his father, who coaches basketball.

The smile comes from the other side. "The mommy," Adelaida said with, you guessed it, a huge smile.

They took in the game from Suite 437 at Guaranteed Rate Field. Nice to be inside on a chilly day.

"Of course," the elder Jimenez said, adding: "Our focus is to see him happy. And his focus is to play the sport he loves."

Jimenez arrived Friday to a locker sandwiched between fellow Spanish speakers Yoan Moncada and Wellington Castillo. What advice has he received from veterans? "They always tell me just slow your game down and keep working because you're here for a reason," he said. "They just told me: Control your emotions and just enjoy the game."

Jimenez grounded out to third in his final two at-bats and had a quiet game in the field.

But, hey, the Sox are .500 and Jimenez hasn't contributed much. That could change pronto.

Sox looking like team of future

Greenstein, from Page 1

drive to center found the glove of a leaping Mallex Smith — and then the ball came loose when Smith smashed into the wall.

Moncada also delivered the game-winning hit, a bases-loaded, two-run single.

A year after setting a franchise record with 217 strikeouts, Moncada is batting .458 with 10 RBIs.

"You learn from your mistakes," he said. "It was all the experience of my first year at this level, and because of that experience that I gained, I'm in a much better place right now."

Anderson provided the lightning. He put the exclamation mark on a three-hit day by lining a homer to left in the eighth. But it was all about *how* he did it.

Anderson pointed to his crew in the home dugout and did a 360 spin after smoking the ball.

"I was trying to catch my balance," he joked. "I played it off real well, I guess."

Among those enjoying Anderson's show was Eloy Jimenez, who has yet to make an impact.

"When he pointed to the dugout," Jimenez said, "we felt really good."

The Sox lost 100 games last season and might struggle to go .500 this season. The win total will matter but not as much as which players are helping to produce the victories.

"Let's say we win more than we lose," general manager Rick Hahn said. "It's going to be much more important how we win those 82 than that number 82. Is it because Moncada took that step forward and Eloy made an impact, and Giolito and (Reynaldo) Lopez, and Tim Anderson, and Rodon and whoever else comes up



ARMANDO L. SANCHEZ/CHICAGO TRIBUNE

Tim Anderson points up before crossing home plate after hitting a home run in the eighth inning of the White Sox's home opener against the Mariners on Friday.

this year (from the minors)?

"Or is it more on the backs of veteran-type guys like Iván Nova and (Wellington) Castillo? Ideally it's contributions from everybody, young and old, and it's a great summer. Hopefully it's also one that puts us in a position, entering 2020, feeling very good about how this young core is coming together and what we're capable of doing over the next couple of seasons."

Top outfield prospect Luis Robert homered in his first two at-bats Thursday for Class A Winston-Salem. Catcher Zack Collins hit two bombs in his season debut with Triple-A Charlotte.

Lopez, meanwhile, really struggled Friday. Staked to a 6-1 lead, he immediately walked two batters. After manager Rick Renteria gave him a pep talk on the mound, Lopez gave up a game-tying homer to Ryon Healy in the sixth.

"I wasn't locating or commanding my pitches," he said.

The Sox bullpen delivered mixed results, with the fine work of Alex Colome, Kelvin Herrera and Ryan Burr helping to overcome the struggles of Jace Fry.

The Sox went up 6-1 and down 8-6 before rallying for the win.

"A good comeback," Anderson said. "We had a lot of fun with it."

Anderson twirled. Infielder Jose Rondon flossed (as in the dance move) on second base after a double. And the stadium fireworks went off to signify a win.

"A lot of exciting things are happening," Anderson said.

Anderson took a brief paternity leave after wife Bria gave birth to the couple's second daughter, Paxton.

His postgame answers were brief. Diaper duty?

"I'm headed to it right now," he said.

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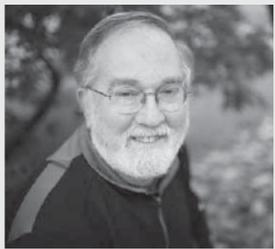
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SCOREBOARD

GOLF

PGA TEXAS OPEN

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|---|-------|
| 2nd of 4 rds; at TPC San Antonio (AT&T Oaks); 7,435 yds; Par 72 | |
| 132 (-12) | |
| Si Woo Kim | 66-66 |
| 136 (-8) | |
| Corey Connors | 69-67 |
| Jordan Spieth | 68-68 |
| Harold Varner III | 70-66 |
| Adam Schenk | 70-66 |
| Kyung-Hoon Lee | 69-67 |
| Rickie Fowler | 68-68 |
| 137 (-7) | |
| Brian Stuard | 67-70 |
| Josh Teater | 69-68 |
| Matt Jones | 69-68 |
| Byeong Hun An | 69-68 |
| Rory Sabbatini | 69-68 |
| Scott Stallings | 68-69 |
| Jim Knous | 70-67 |

138 (-6)

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|-------------------|-------|
| Ryan Moore | 68-70 |
| Jhonattan Vegas | 67-71 |
| Graeme McDowell | 69-69 |
| Hank Lebioda | 68-70 |
| Scott Brown | 71-67 |
| 139 (-5) | |
| Abraham Ancer | 67-72 |
| Peter Malnati | 71-68 |
| Beau Hossler | 69-70 |
| Scottie Scheffler | 71-68 |
| Robert Diaz | 68-71 |
| Charley Hoffman | 71-68 |
| Sam Ryder | 73-66 |
| Jimmy Walker | 70-69 |
| 140 (-4) | |
| HaoTong Li | 70-70 |
| Ryan Armour | 69-71 |
| Zack Fischer | 71-69 |
| Ernie Els | 71-69 |
| Matt Kuchar | 69-71 |
| Kyle Stanley | 70-70 |
| Danny Lee | 68-72 |
| Fabian Gomez | 73-67 |

141 (-3)

| | |
|-------------------------|-------|
| Nick Taylor | 69-72 |
| Kevin Streelman | 72-69 |
| Ollie Schniederjans | 70-71 |
| Joost Luiten | 72-69 |
| Curtis Luck | 73-68 |
| Aaron Baddeley | 71-70 |
| Hunter Mahan | 70-71 |
| Mackenzie Hughes | 70-71 |
| Ted Potter | 68-73 |
| J.T. Poston | 67-74 |
| Jose de Jesus Rodriguez | 71-70 |
| Sam Burns | 72-69 |

142 (-2)

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|--------------------|-------|
| J.B. Holmes | 69-73 |
| Andrew Putnam | 72-70 |
| K.J. Choi | 73-69 |
| Lucas Glover | 72-70 |
| Robert Streb | 74-68 |
| Martin Laird | 74-68 |
| Max Homa | 68-74 |
| Adam Svensson | 73-69 |
| Jim Furyk | 70-72 |
| Jonas Blixt | 72-70 |
| Brendan Steele | 70-72 |
| Sungjae Im | 73-69 |
| Wyndham Clark | 69-73 |
| 143 (-1) | |
| Tray Mullinax | 71-72 |
| Padraig Harrington | 72-71 |
| Morgan Hoffmann | 68-75 |
| Sung Kang | 70-73 |
| Russell Henley | 71-72 |
| Chip McDaniel | 74-69 |
| Vaughn Taylor | 70-73 |
| Sam Saunders | 72-71 |
| Jason Kokrak | 70-73 |
| Richy Werenski | 72-71 |
| Martin Kaymer | 72-71 |
| Tony Finau | 72-71 |
| Martin Trainer | 70-73 |
| Joel Dahmen | 70-73 |
| Brian Gay | 71-72 |
| Cameron Tringale | 69-74 |
| Anders Albertson | 73-70 |
| Kyle Jones | 76-67 |
| Dylan Frittelli | 71-72 |
| Kristoffer Ventura | 71-72 |

LPGA-ANA INSPIRATION

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|---|-------|
| 2nd of 4 rds; at Mission Hills CC (Dinah Shore Tournament Course); Rancho Mirage, Calif.; 6,763 yds; Par 72 | |
| a-denotes amateur | |
| 136 (-8) | |
| In-Kyung Kim | 71-65 |
| 139 (-5) | |
| Katherine Kirk | 71-68 |
| 140 (-4) | |
| Jin Young Ko | 69-71 |
| Alyk McDonald | 68-72 |
| 141 (-3) | |
| Danielle Kang | 72-69 |
| Charley Hull | 72-69 |
| Sung Hyun Park | 70-71 |
| Jing Yan | 71-70 |
| Lexi Thompson | 69-72 |

142 (-2)

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| Jeongeun Lee6 | 71-71 |
| Amy Yang | 70-72 |
| 143 (-1) | |
| Jodi Ewart Shadoff | 73-70 |
| Jenny Shin | 72-71 |
| Alison Lee | 72-72 |
| Brooke M. Henderson | 71-72 |
| Lizette Salas | 70-73 |
| Jessica Korda | 70-73 |
| Mi Hyang Lee | 70-73 |
| 144 (E) | |
| Brittany Lincicome | 75-69 |
| Georgia Hall | 74-70 |
| Anna Nordqvist | 73-71 |
| Jennifer Song | 73-71 |
| Carla Ciganda | 72-72 |
| Mo Martin | 71-73 |
| Stacy Lewis | 71-73 |
| Lauren Stephenson | 70-74 |
| Xiyu Liu | 70-74 |
| 145 (+1) | |
| Ariya Jutanugarn | 75-70 |
| Jaye Marie Green | 74-71 |
| Kristen Gillman | 74-71 |
| Inbee Park | 73-72 |
| Nasa Hataoka | 73-72 |
| Cristie Kerr | 72-73 |
| Eun-Hee Ji | 72-73 |
| Gaby Lopez | 71-74 |
| Angel Yin | 71-74 |
| Hee Young Park | 71-74 |
| Lydia Ko | 70-75 |
| Hyo Jo Kim | 69-76 |
| Linnea Strom | 69-76 |

146 (+2)

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| Alena Sharp | 76-70 |
| Morgan Pressel | 76-70 |
| Marina Alex | 75-71 |
| Yu Liu | 73-73 |
| Beatriz Recari | 72-74 |
| Mariajo Uribe | 72-74 |
| Megan Khang | 71-75 |
| 147 (+3) | |
| Amy Olson | 76-71 |
| Brittany Altomare | 76-71 |
| Ayako Uehara | 75-72 |
| a-Albane Valenzuela | 75-72 |
| Moriya Jutanugarn | 74-73 |
| Sandra Gal | 73-74 |
| Caroline Masson | 73-74 |
| Minjee Lee | 73-74 |
| Ryann O'Toole | 73-74 |
| Marissa Steen | 72-75 |
| Madeline Sagstrom | 72-75 |
| Mi Jung Hur | 72-75 |
| 148 (+4) | |
| Pornanong Phatlum | 77-71 |
| a-Patty Tavatanakit | 75-73 |
| Cristie Kerr | 70-78 |
| 149 (+5) | |
| Sakura Yokomine | 76-73 |
| Sarah Schmelzel | 76-73 |
| Mariah Stackhouse | 75-74 |
| So Yeon Ryu | 75-74 |
| Jiyai Shin | 75-74 |
| Nanna Koerstz Madsen | 74-75 |
| Sarah Jane Smith | 74-75 |
| Nelly Korda | 74-75 |
| Jacqui Concolino | 74-75 |
| Haeji Kang | 74-75 |
| Wei-Ling Hsu | 73-76 |
| Ashleigh Buhai | 73-76 |
| Azahara Munoz | 72-77 |
| Austin Ernst | 71-78 |
| Jane Park | 70-79 |

LPGA TOUR STATISTICS

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| Scoring | |
| 1, Mi Jung Hur, 68.25, 2, Nelly Korda, 68.35, 3, Jin Young Ko, 68.6, 4, Sung Hyun Park, 68.75, 5, Jing Yan, 69.0, 6, Eun-Hee Ji, 69.05, 7, Hyo Jo Kim, 69.188, 8, Brooke M. Henderson, 69.444, 9, 3 tied with 69.5. | |
| Driving Distance | |
| 1, Anne van Dam, 290.2, 2, Angel Yin, 284.7, 3, Elizabeth Szokol, 281.9, 4, Sung Hyun Park, 281.8, 5, Suzuka Yamaguchi, 280.0, 6, Linnea Strom, 278.4, 7, Joanna Klatten, 278.2, 8, Nanna Koerstz Madsen, 277.5, 9, Pavarisa Yoktuan, 277.0, 10, Yani Tseng, 276.2. | |

ODDS

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| MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL | |
| NATIONAL LEAGUE SATURDAY | |
| Washington | -118 at New York +108 |
| at Pittsburgh | -120 Cincinnati +110 |
| at St. Louis | -115 San Diego +105 |
| at Milwaukee | -115 Chicago +105 |
| at Atlanta | -159 Miami +149 |
| LA Dodgers | -139 at Colorado +129 |
| AMERICAN LEAGUE SATURDAY | |
| at Detroit | -119 Kansas City +109 |
| Seattle | -113 at Chicago +103 |
| at LA Angels | -122 Texas +112 |
| at Cleveland | -178 Toronto +166 |
| New York | -172 at Baltimore +160 |
| at Houston | -150 Oakland +140 |
| INTERLEAGUE SATURDAY | |
| at Phila. | -146 Minnesota +136 |
| at San Fran. | Off Tampa Bay Off |
| Boston | -133 at Arizona Off +123 |

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| at Milwaukee | Off Brooklyn |
| at Chicago | Off Philadelphia |

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

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| NCAA FINAL FOUR SATURDAY | |
| Michigan St | 2½ Texas Tech |
| Virginia | 6 Auburn |

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| SATURDAY | |
| at Boston | Off Tampa Bay Off |
| at St. Louis | -250 Vancouver +220 |
| at Ottawa | Off Columbus Off |
| Carolina | -133 at Phila. +123 |
| at Detroit | -121 Buffalo +111 |
| at Montreal | Off Toronto Off |
| at Washington | Off NY Islanders Off |
| at Pittsburgh | -280 NY Rangers +250 |
| at Florida | -205 New Jersey +185 |
| at Nashville | -230 Chicago +210 |
| at Dallas | Off Minnesota Off |
| at Calgary | Off Edmonton Off |
| Winnipeg | -120 at Arizona +110 |
| at San Jose | Off Colorado Off |
| at Los Angeles | Off Vegas Off |

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

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| COLLEGE BASKETBALL INVITATIONAL | |
| Championship Series / (Best-of-3) | |
| SOUTH FLORIDA WINS SERIES 2-1 | |
| April 1: South Florida 63-61 | |
| April 3: DePaul 100, South Florida 96 (OT) | |
| Friday: South Florida 77, DePaul 65 | |

PAST CBI CHAMPIONSHIPS

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| Year: Champion; Runner-Up Series |
| 2018: North Texas; San Francisco 2-1 |
| 2017: Wyoming; Coastal Carolina 2-1 |
| 2016: Nevada; Morehead State 2-1 |
| 2015: Loyola Chi; La Monroe 2-0 |
| 2014: Siena; Fresno State 2-1 |
| 2013: Santa Clara; George Mason 2-1 |
| 2012: Pittsburgh; Washington State 2-1 |
| 2011: Oregon; Creighton 2-1 |
| 2010: VCU; Saint Louis 2-0 |
| 2009: Oregon State; UTEP 2-1 |
| 2008: Tulsa; Bradley 2-1 |

AP PLAYER OF THE YEAR VOTING

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| (Selected by the 64-member national media panel that selects the weekly Top 25) | |
| Player, School | VOTES |
| Zion Williamson, Duke | 59 |
| R.J. Barrett, Duke | 2 |
| DeAndre Hunter, Virginia | 1 |
| Ja Morant, Murray State | 1 |
| Cassius Winston, Michigan State | 1 |

RECENT AP COLLEGE

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| PLAYERS OF THE YEAR | |
| 2019: Zion Williamson, Duke | |
| 2018: Jalen Brunson, Villanova | |
| 2017: Frank Mason III, Kansas | |
| 2016: Denzel Valentine, Michigan State | |
| 2015: Frank Kaminsky, Wisconsin | |
| 2014: Doug McDermott, Creighton | |
| 2013: Trey Burke, Michigan | |
| 2012: Anthony Davis, Kentucky | |
| 2011: Jimmer Fredette, BYU | |
| 2010: Evan Turner, Ohio State | |
| 2009: Blake Griffin, Oklahoma | |
| 2008: Tyler Hansbrough, North Carolina | |
| 2007: Kevin Durant, Texas | |
| 2006: J.J. Redick, Duke | |
| 2005: Andrew Bogut, Utah | |
| 2004: Jameer Nelson, Saint Joseph's | |
| 2003: David West, Xavier | |
| 2002: Jason Williams, Duke | |
| 2001: Shane Battier, Duke | |
| 2000: Kenyon Martin, Cincinnati | |
| 1999: Elton Brand, Duke | |
| 1998: Antawn Jamison, North Carolina | |
| 1997: Tim Duncan, Wake Forest | |

WOMEN'S NIT

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| SATURDAY'S CHAMPIONSHIP | |
| Northwestern (21-14) at Arizona (23-13), 2 p.m. | |

NCAA CONFERENCE RECORDS

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|---------------------------|----------|----------|-------------|
| Conference | W | L | Pct. |
| Atlantic Coast (7) | 13 | 6 | .684 |
| Southeastern (7) | 12 | 6 | .667 |
| Big Ten (8) | 13 | 7 | .650 |
| West Coast (2) | 3 | 2 | .600 |
| Pac-12 (3) | 7 | 5 | .583 |
| Pac-12 (3) | 4 | 3 | .571 |
| Ohio Valley (2) | 2 | 2 | .500 |
| Atlantic Sun (1) | 1 | 1 | .500 |
| Big West (1) | 1 | 1 | .500 |
| Mid-American (1) | 1 | 1 | .500 |
| Northeast (1) | 1 | 1 | .500 |
| Southern (1) | 1 | 1 | .500 |
| Summit League (1) | 1 | 1 | .500 |
| American Athletic (4) | 3 | 4 | .429 |
| Big East (4) | 1 | 4 | .200 |
| America East (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Big Sky (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Big South (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Colonial (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Conference USA (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Horizon (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Ivy League (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Metro Atlantic (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Mid-Eastern Athletic (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Missouri Valley (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Patriot League (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Southland (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Southwestern Athletic (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Sun Belt (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Western Athletic (1) | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Mountain West (2) | 0 | 2 | .000 |
| Mountain West (2) | 0 | 2 | .000 |

TENNIS

WTA VOLVO CAR OPEN

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| QF at Family Circle Tennis Center; Charleston, S.C.; clay-outdoor | |
| #8 Madison Keys d. | |
| #1 Sloane Stephens, 7-6 (6), 4-6, 6-2. | |
| #5 Caroline Wozniacki d. | |
| #15 Maria Sakkari, 6-2, 6-2. | |
| Monica Puig d. | |
| #11 Danielle Collins, 6-3, 6-2. | |
| #16 Petra Martic d. | |
| #9 Belinda Bencic, 6-3, 6-4. | |
| WTA ABIERTO GNP SEGUROS | |
| QF at Club Sonoma; Monterrey, Mexico; hard-outdoor | |
| #6 Kirsten Flipkens d. | |
| #1 Angelique Kerber, 6-2, 6-3. | |
| #2 Garbine Muguruza d. | |
| #7 Kristina Mladenovic, 6-1, 6-2. | |
| #5 Victoria Azarenka d. | |
| #3 Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova, 6-0, 6-4. | |
| #8 Magdalena Rybarikova d. | |
| Sachia Vickery, 6-4, 6-4. | |

DAVIS CUP

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| ZONAL GROUP II | |
| First Round | |
| No automatic promotion or relegation from Group II | |
| Europe/Africa: Romania 1, Zimbabwe 1 | |
| At Sala Polivalenta Piatra Neamt; in Piatra Neamt, Romania; hard-indoor | |
| Benjamin Lock d. Marius Copil, 6-4, 7-5. | |
| Dragos Dima d. | |
| Takanyi Garanganga, 6-3. | |
| At Royal Tennis Club de Marrakech; outdoor-clay | |
| Ricardas Berankis d. | |
| Adam Moundir, 6-2, 7-6 (5). | |
| Lamine Ouahab d. | |
| Laurynas Grigelis, 6-2, 6-0. | |
| At Complejo Polideportivo de Ciudad Meritot; hard-outdoor | |
| Juan Pablo Varillas Patino-Samudio d. | |
| Alberto Embianuel Alvarado-Larun, 6-3, 6-4. | |
| Marcelo Arevalo-Gonzalez d. | |
| Nicolas Alvarez, 6-4, 6-2. | |
| At The National Tennis Development Center; hard-outdoor | |
| Palaphoom Kovapitukted d. Jeson Pamtorn, 6-3, 2-6, 6-4. | |
| Wisahaya Trongcharoenchaikul d. | |
| Alberto Lim, 6-4, 7-6 (4). | |

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

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| ATLANTIC | |
| y-Toronto | 56 24 .700 -- |
| x-Philadelphia | 49 30 .620 6½ |
| x-Boston | 48 32 .600 8 |
| Brooklyn | 39 40 .494 16½ |
| New York | 15 64 .190 40½ |
| SOUTHEAST | |
| Orlando | 40 40 .500 -- |
| Miami | 38 41 .481 1½ |
| Charlotte | 42 468 2½ |
| Washington | 32 48 .400 8 |
| Atlanta | |

CUBS

CUBS AT BREWERS

Cubs know Brewers' threat is here to stay

'They've got winners,' Kintzler acknowledges

BY MARK GONZALES | Chicago Tribune

MILWAUKEE — After being a part of a Brewers team that fell short of a 2014 National League Central title despite leading the division for 150 days, Cubs reliever Brandon Kintzler has a keen sense of what a firm takeover of a competitive division would mean for his former team.

"Definitely now as part of a visiting team and seeing how good they are, you can see what kind of edge they have here," Kintzler said before the Cubs opened a three-game series Friday night against the Brewers at Miller Park.

"It almost feels like when you go to Wrigley Field. You give up a single and all of a sudden it seems it's getting loud and turning fast. It's a fun environment."

The Brewers' late surge in September that won them the NL Central further fueled their long-term confidence with NL Most Valuable Player Christian Yelich signed through 2021 and young but playoff-tested power arms in Josh Hader, Brandon Woodruff, Corbin Burnes and Freddy Peralta.

"We felt it last year," Cubs right-hander Kyle Hendricks said. "We saw what they did beating us at the end of the year. It will be very interesting to feel what the atmosphere is like. They're going (into the series) with a lot of confidence."

"But so are we. Regardless of what's happened, we know what we have in this room — the talent and capabilities we have — and it's about going out and playing the right way. We're just excited to get closer to home, but we know these intradivision games will be a battle all year. So every one of these will mean a lot."

Surprisingly, there were plenty of empty seats Friday night. But several thousand Brewers fans infiltrated Wrigley Field for Game 163 last season and took great delight in seeing the Cubs eliminated in the NL Central tiebreaker.

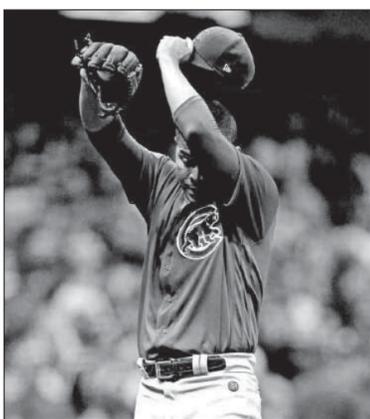
"My major-league debut was against the Cubs in Milwaukee (in 2010), and it felt like the Cubs fans took over," Kintzler recalled. "As players, you're pretty annoyed by that. And I'm sure the Brewers fans have been pissed off by that."

The Brewers didn't add many reinforcements this offseason but strongly believe they can contend for another division title and not fade like some past Brewers teams.

In 1987, the Brewers started 13-0 and built a three-game lead, only to suffer losing streaks of 12 and six games in May and finish third in the American League East with a 91-71 record.

Twenty-seven years later, Kintzler posted a 3.24 ERA in 64 games for a Brewers team that held at least a share of first place through Aug. 31, only to finish eight games out of first in the NL Central.

Ryan Braun and Jeremy Jeffress endured a Brewers rebuild that started in



JEFFREY PHELPS/AP

Cubs starter Jose Quintana wipes his face during the second inning of Friday night's game against the Brewers in Milwaukee.

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2015 — Kintzler's last season in Milwaukee — with the acquisition of Hader from the Astros and accelerated quickly with shrewd moves from former general manager Doug Melvin and successor David Stearns, who traded four prospects to the Marlins before the 2018 season for Yelich.

"I know they were restocking with a lot of talent in the minors when I was rehabbing (in 2015)," Kintzler said. "It happens fast. I know (shortstop) Orlando Arcia was supposed to be one of their main guys coming up. But Yelich and (Lorenzo) Cain changed a lot of things around here."

"They've got winners. They've got guys who know how to win. Cain has been a guy who won a World Series. He makes them go."

"Yelich was an underrated player in Miami. No one knew much about him. I knew when I played for Washington that he was a very solid player in a really good lineup."

As of now, this series carries more importance for the Cubs because of their rough start — and the fact they play only six division games this month.

"That's all right," said Hendricks, who is scheduled to start Sunday's series finale. "The intradivision games are going to be important, but so are every one of these."

"We saw it when it came back to get us at the end of last year. Every single one at the beginning can mean a lot, as well as at the end of the season — regardless of the opponent."

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Cubs not in panic mode

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attention to the outcry back in Chicago, where Cubs fans are building ledges to jump off. After spending most of their lives being denied a winner, they seemingly have forgotten what it's like to watch a Cubs team that looks awful, although the sample size is smaller than those free dessert helpings placed in Dixie cups and handed out at your local Jewel.

This malady has no known name, though I call it "Cubsnesia," or the complete loss of memory of decades of Cubs futility before the Joe Maddon era.

Informed of the mass hysteria across the border, Stearns replied: "I don't know what the fans' reaction would be one way or another. I would venture to guess there's not a whole lot of panic in that clubhouse right now."

"I think those guys are pretty good players and are pretty confident in themselves. Both teams realize these are two good teams, and you need to play well to beat the other guy."

Well, that was what you'd expect him to say. Brewers manager Craig Counsell echoed those comments for good measure, pointing out where the season is by using football terminology.

"We're at halftime in Week 1 (of the NFL)," he said. "Nothing has happened yet. We're still at the beginning. We've got quite a ways still to go."

That's why Cubs players weren't overly alarmed by their worst start since 2012, when they lost 101 games in the first year of the rebuild.

"I don't think it's the first time the Cubbies have lost four or five in a row," Kyle Schwarber said. "It just happens to be right now. Obviously it's not an ideal start, but I think we all know what we've got."

The Cubs front office isn't panicking either, or else they'd ask Chairman Tom Ricketts for an advance to sign closer Craig Kimbrel. Maddon isn't too worried either because, well, he's Maddon.

"I've been involved in both good and bad starts," he said. "What we're going through right now would've happened at some point during the season. When it happens during the year, it's disguised more readily by your record. When you don't have a record, it stands out like a neon flashing sign."

"Overall, we've played well enough to win several games by now. We've done a lot of good things. Actually (the) starting pitching has done a pretty good job. We've just had a hard job coming out of the bullpen."

"It's like anything else. When you're going through adversity, read it properly, or at least attempt to, as opposed to overreact. Everyone has a tendency to overreact, and I get it, and that's OK. But I'm just saying, once we get our bullpen nailed down we'll be fine."

The Cubs bullpen was worst in the majors entering Friday with a 9.70 ERA and 8.02 walks per nine innings, according to FanGraphs. With many of the same relievers in 2018, they ranked second with a 3.35 ERA despite being fourth-worst with 4.18 walks per nine innings.

The Cubs managed to get away with the lack of control last year and rolled the dice they could do so again.

Snake eyes — so far.
Steve Cishek, who walked the three batters he faced during Wednesday's blown game in Atlanta, was one of their most reliable relievers in 2018 with a 2.18 ERA. Cishek said the weekend "feels like a bigger series than it is" because of the traditional invasion of Cubs fans and the fact the Brewers are red-hot.

But he also noted everyone in the clubhouse is treating it "like any other game."

"You've just got to flush it," Cishek said the Braves series. "We play so many games a year. If you dwell on that, then. ... That's the thing about this team. We've got a good, veteran group."

"A lot of these guys won a World Series just a couple years ago. They know how to handle adversity, so no one is really panicking here."

Cishek believes the bullpen issues were just "bad timing," though he admitted they have to be fixed.

"We don't want it to go that way," he said. "Obviously we're the ones that have to live with it. Hopefully pretty soon we're able to make those fine adjustments to be where we were last year."

The Cubs had better be able to make those adjustments quickly or else December begins in April.

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June 30, 1972 - April 6, 2014

Missing Brad, and remembering with love, his radiant smile & the smiles he brought to others. Mom-Barbara, brother & family-Don, Amy, Quinn
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Cimaglia, Barbara Therese

Loving mother of Anthony (Phyllis) Cimaglia, Carl (Joan) Cimaglia, and Gary Cimaglia; proud grandmother of Christopher (Amanda) Cimaglia, Stephen Cimaglia, and Cory Cimaglia; fond aunt, cousin, and friend of many. Preceded in death by her husband, the late Tony Cimaglia, her daughter, the late Colleen Therese Cimaglia, and her mother, the late Sophie Zapal. Barbara was a proud Carl Schurz High School alumni. She will always be remembered for her sense of humor and love for cats. She will greatly miss her cat, Peggy Sue. Barbara was a proud employee of both Time Warner and the Maurice Lenell Cookie Factory. She was known for her love for cooking, and for her beloved family. Barbara was a devout member of her Catholic faith. Funeral services will be held on Monday, April 8th, at 9:15am from Malec & Sons Funeral Home, 6000 North Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60646, to St. Eugene Catholic Church for funeral mass at 10:00am. Interment Fairview Memorial Park. Visitation will be held on Sunday, April 7th, from 3:00pm to 8:00pm. For more information, please call 773-774-4100 or visit www.malecandsonsfnh.com

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Farrington, Robert H.

Robert H. Farrington, preceded in death by his beloved wife, June I. Farrington, loving father of Robert (Ann), Thomas (Nancy), Julie (Robert) Farmer, Mary (Robert) Bertram; beloved grandfather of Timothy, Jonathan, Matthew, Samantha, Brett, Zachary and Rebecca; also many nieces and nephews and special friends; Robert is preceded in death by his parents, Miles F. and Ida E. Farrington, his brother, Francis M. Farrington, and his sisters, Elaine Stapleton and Dolores White. Robert had a long career in the newspaper business which started with a printer's apprenticeship in 1944. He held various positions including Typesetter and Composing Room Manager at the Chicago Tribune from late 1960's to his retirement in 1991. Funeral will be Monday, 10:30am, from Modell Funeral Home, 7710 S. Cass Ave., Darien, to St. Patrick Church, Lemont, Mass at 11:00am. Interment at Queen of Heaven Cemetery. Visitation Thursday, 3:00pm- 9:00pm.

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Glassberg, Maureen Marcia

Maureen Marcia Glassberg, née Frank, 82, loving daughter of the late Ira and Rose Frank; beloved wife and best friend for 48 years of the late Donald Alan Glassberg; devoted mother of Kevin Frank (Ellen) Glassberg; proud "Gram" of Noah Harrison and Ariel Rose Glassberg; dear sister of Anne (William) Goldstein; cherished aunt of Deborah, Cathy, Heather, Daniel and Deborah; treasured friend of many - she loved a beautiful, diverse mix of people, and they all loved her. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Kellogg Cancer Center, www.northshore.org OR The Night Ministry, www.thenightministry.org. A funeral service will be held on Sunday, April 7th at 12:00 pm at Weinstein & Piser Funeral Home, 111 Skokie Blvd., Wilmette, IL. Interment to follow: Memorial Park Cemetery, Skokie, IL. For info: 847-256-5700.



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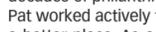
Kaye, Adrienne (Yemina)

Adrienne (Yemina) Kaye nee Stelmaszek, age 78, passed away on April 3, 2019. Devoted wife to late husband Paul, loving mom to Judi (Chris) Johnson, Eric Zencka and Dawn Zencka; and attentive neighbor to many in Albany Park. Adrienne was a familiar face in the community as she enjoyed getting to know people and learn their stories. Her curiosity to learn also made her a constant figure at the Harold Washington Library. A public visitation will take place at Drake & Sons Funeral Home, 5303 N Western Ave, Chicago IL 60625 from 3 to 9pm on Sunday, April 7. In lieu of flowers please make donations in her name to the Chicago Public Library Foundation cplfoundation.org

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Koldyke, Patricia

Patricia Blunt Koldyke "Pat" passed away peacefully at her winter home in the Village of Golf, Florida. She was born the middle of three daughters to Carleton and Rebecca Blunt and grew up in Winnetka, Illinois. Pat married the love of her life Martin "Mike" Koldyke in September 1960. They raised four children in Kenilworth, Illinois where she began her



decades of philanthropic work. Pat worked actively to make Chicago and the world a better place. As a volunteer, board member, and philanthropist she has supported a variety of civic causes in Chicago, most notably the Illinois Coalition for Handgun Control which she co-founded; the Chicago Council on Global Affairs where the Koldyke Global Teachers Program was established in her honor. She was a long-standing director of Children's Memorial Hospital, Northwestern Memorial Hospital and The Brain Research Foundation.

She and Mike co-founded the Golden Apple Foundation and the Golden Apple Scholars Program to promote excellence in teaching; and the Academy for Urban School Leadership (AUSL). Her dedication to improving the quality of educators made a profound impact on hundreds and hundreds of teachers and students.

Pat attended North Shore Country Day School and graduated with a degree in psychology from Vassar College ('58). Following graduation, Pat worked in publishing for Harper's Bazaar as an assistant shoe editor in Manhattan.

Pat is survived by her husband Mike, her four children, Laird Koldyke and his wife Deirdre of Chicago, Illinois; Carl Koldyke of Clear Lake, Iowa; Elizabeth Koldyke Boolbol and her husband Robert of Greenwich, Connecticut; and Ben Koldyke of Los Angeles, California; her two loving sisters, Fran Steinwedell and Carlene Blunt of Village of Golf, Florida; and eight grandchildren whom she cherished.

Pat's Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, April 13th, 2019, at 2:00 p.m. The service will be held at Fourth Presbyterian Church located at the corner of Michigan Avenue and Delaware Street.

For those wishing to donate in Pat's honor, please direct gifts to the Golden Apple Foundation (www.goldenapple.org) which can be reached at 312-407-0006.

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McCarroll, Berton

Berton McCarroll was born July 4, 1925 to Ella Christina MacGregor and John Joseph McCarroll, Sr. in North Providence, RI. He died March 30, 2019 in Glen Ellyn, IL. He studied engineering at Brown University on the GI bill. In 1952 he married Florence Marie Smith. He worked for Brown & Sharpe Mfg., Fram Corporation, and Facet Enterprises. After 43 years in RI, he lived in Tulsa, OK, Detroit, MI, Elmira, NY, and Glen Ellyn, IL.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Florence; his brothers Jack and David; his nephews, BobMcCarroll and Peter Smith. He is survived by daughters, Colleen (Michael Fontana) of Glen Ellyn, IL and Janet (Lee) Baggett of Griffin, GA; five grandchildren, Catherine (Kevin) Malone, Alice and David Fontana, Sarah (Jordan) Poole, and Jennifer (Trey) Davis; five great-grandchildren, Ellie and Jack Malone, Colin and Lyra Poole, and Sloane Davis; nieces, Susan McGregor (Michael Gloor) and Annelle (Craig) Covell and nephew, Bill (Pat) McGregor.

Visitation will be Tuesday April 9 from 4 - 6 PM at Leonard Memorial Home (565 Duane St, Glen Ellyn IL, 60137). Funeral Mass will be Wednesday, April 10 at 10 AM at St. Petronille Catholic Church (420 Glenwood Ave, Glen Ellyn IL, 60137).

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Muirhead, James Marshall 'Jim'

Age 102, of New Berlin, Wisconsin, formerly of Elgin, IL, passed away on Friday, February 8, 2019 at Grand Hills Castle Assisted Living Facility. Please see www.hartsonfuneralhome.com for more information.

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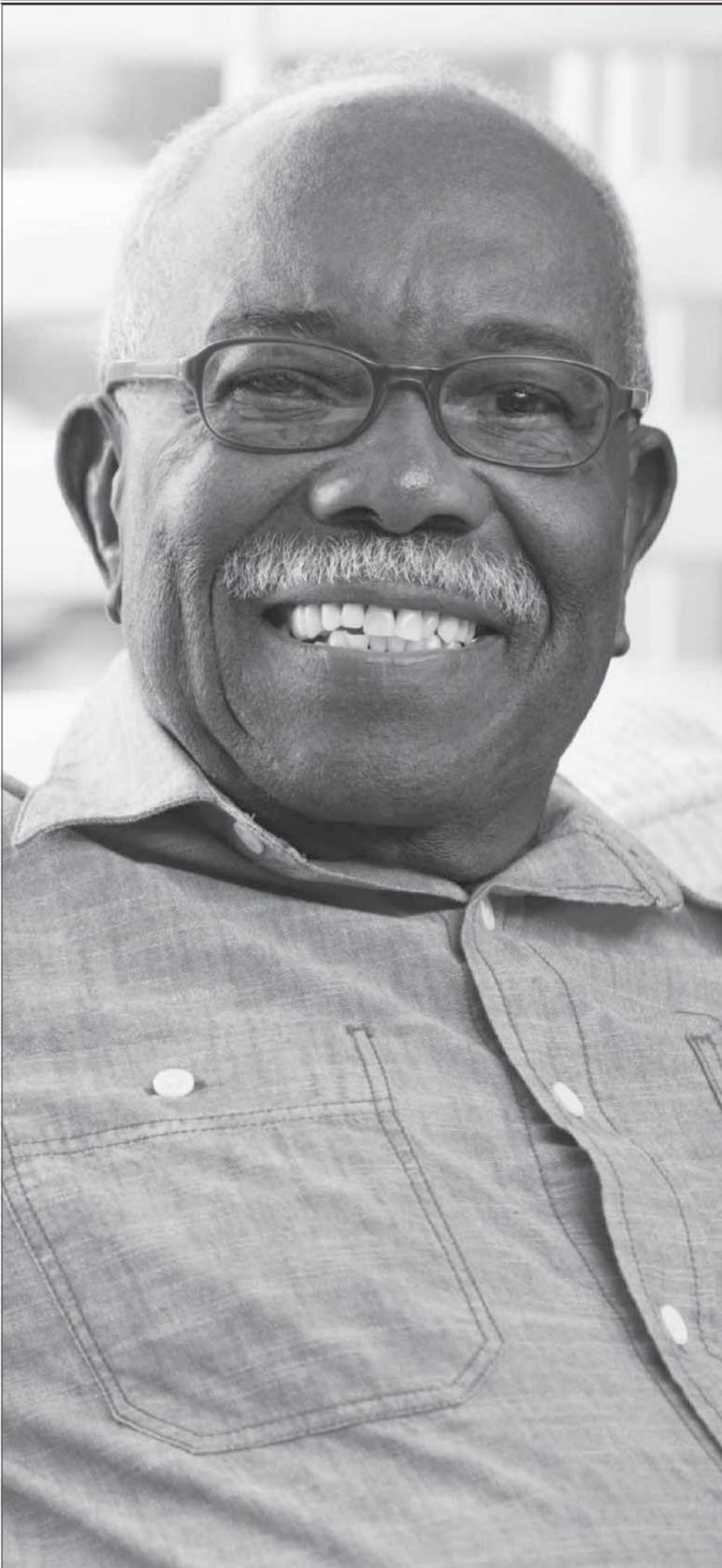
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Application Filing Period: April 12, 2019
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of Examination: Knowledge of safety manager
practices. **Nature of Position and Duties:**
Under general direction, manages the safety
programs for the District. **Pay:** \$109,991.70 per
year

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Application Filing Period: April 12, 2019
through to be announced. **Examination Date:**
To be announced. **Location:** To be announced.
Scope of Examination: Knowledge of senior
structural engineer practices. **Nature of**
Position and Duties: Performs supervisory
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SATURDAY, APRIL 6 NORMAL HIGH: 55° NORMAL LOW: 36° RECORD HIGH: 84° (1929) RECORD LOW: 15° (1982)

Warmer weekend, T-storms possible Sunday

LOCAL FORECAST

HIGH 67 **LOW** 51

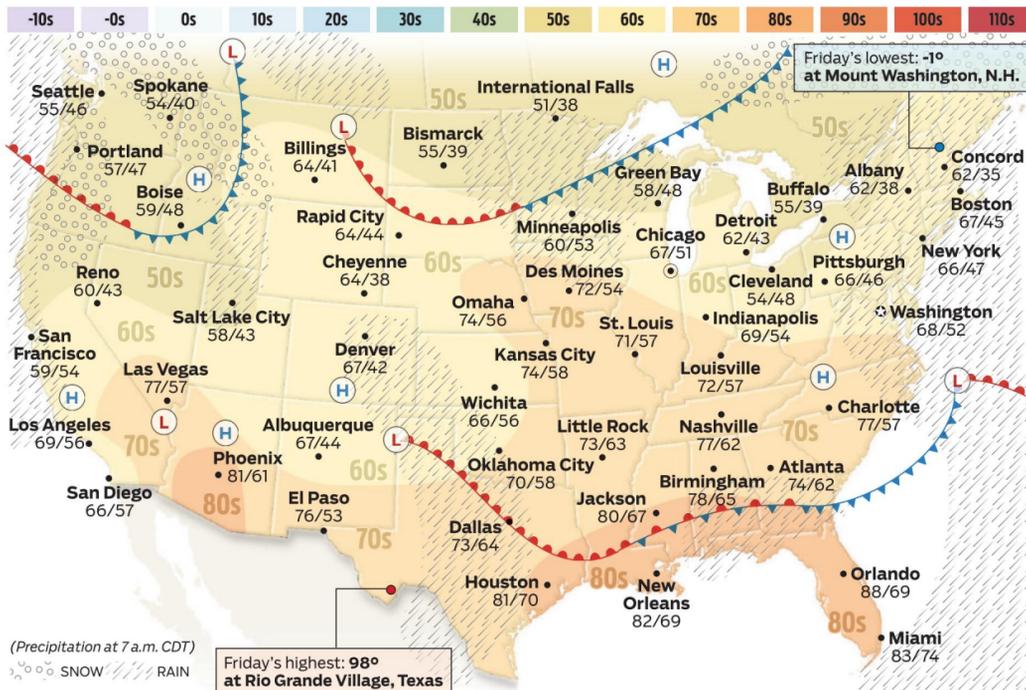
■ The first of a string of 4 consecutive 60 degree plus days.

■ Partly cloudy and much warmer with a high of 67, except near the lakeshore where the high will struggle to reach the mid 50s.

■ Wind south-southeast 6-10 mph early, increasing in the afternoon.

■ Partly cloudy as night falls, then increasing clouds. Milder overnight with a low in the low 50s and south-southeast winds 6-14 mph.

NATIONAL FORECAST



Saturday will bring the first 60 degree day of April, followed on Sunday with potentially our first 70 degree day since Oct 10, 2018. Temperatures continue warm and above normal through Tuesday before dropping quickly late Tuesday into Wednesday. The forecast calls for the next four days to have a high temperature greater than 60. The last time four consecutive days with a high of 60 degrees or warmer was recorded at O'Hare was October 7th through October 10th, 2018.

Sunday's warmth will come with a chance for rain and isolated thunderstorms. T-storms will be possible from Sunday afternoon through Sunday evening.

Weather looks very favorable for the Cubs home opener Monday afternoon with a temperature in the low 60's, mostly sunny skies and light west for the first pitch.

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

HIGH 71 **LOW** 54

Peaks of sun early give way to clouds. Chance of light morning rain. Scattered afternoon/evening t-storms possible. High near 70. SSE winds 8-18 mph to 30 mph. Isolated rain and t-storms in the evening. Low 54.

MONDAY, APRIL 8

HIGH 72 **LOW** 48

Decreasing clouds. Mostly sunny in afternoon for Cubs home opener. High of 72. West wind 6-9 mph. Partly cloudy overnight with a low in the upper 40s. Evening southwest winds turn west overnight 7-10 mph.

TUESDAY, APRIL 9

HIGH 68 **LOW** 39

Partly cloudy, mild. Turning colder in afternoon. Winds shift to NW at 12-17 mph. Gusts to 25 mph. Clouds increase overnight. Chance of light rain. Low of 39. Winds become NNE at 8-12 mph with gusts to 18 mph.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

HIGH 43 **LOW** 38

Cloudy. Chance for light rain in morning. Rain chance in afternoon. High of 43, below normal. ENE winds 10-15 mph to 20 mph. Overnight rain/snow showers. E winds 18-22 mph gusting to 30 mph. Low 38.

THURSDAY, APRIL 11

HIGH 48 **LOW** 35

Cloudy. Chance of mix of rain/snow, especially in morning. Rain/snow may linger into afternoon. High mid to upper 40s. NE winds 15-20 mph to 25 mph. Mostly cloudy overnight. Low 35. Winds N 10-15 mph.

FRIDAY, APRIL 12

HIGH 44 **LOW** 30

Mostly cloudy. High in mid 40s. Chance for light snow or flurries, especially near the lake. NNW winds 5-10 mph. Skies clear overnight allowing the temperature to drop to 30. Winds become light and variable.

ASK TOM

Dear Tom,
How many White Sox openers have been played in 60-degree or warmer temperatures?
Fran Foley

Dear Fran,
We passed your question on to Chicago climatologist Frank Wachowski who painstakingly checked the weather for all 118 Sox home openers dating to 1901. Wachowski found that while many of the games have been played in cool, chilly or downright cold weather, a surprising number were on mild or warm days. In fact, more than half played on days when the temperature reached at least 60 degrees. The most recent warm opener was on April 10, 2015, when the mercury peaked at 62 degrees, following a 68-degree opener the previous year on March 31. The warmest Sox home openers were in 1977 and 1985, with highs of 86, while three consecutive opening games from 1936-1938 logged highs around 80.

Write to: ASK TOM
2501 W. Bradley Place
Chicago, IL 60618
asktomwhy@wgn9.com

WGN-TV meteorologists Mark Carroll, Steve Kahn, Richard Koeneman, Paul Merzlock and Paul Dailey, plus Bill Snyder, contribute to this page.

Hear Tom Skilling's weather updates weekdays 3 to 6 p.m. on WGN-AM 720 Chicago.



Warmer weather brings severe weather risk to our south

SEVERE OUTLOOK TOMORROW
Saturday forecast

SUNDAY HIGH TEMPERATURE FORECAST
Near coast-to-coast warmth Sunday!
How much above normal?
5° or more 10° or more
60° 70° 80°

CHICAGO PRECIPITATION PROBABILITIES

| | | | | |
|----------|-----------|--------|-----------|--------|
| 0% | 12% | 52% | 27% | 5% |
| SATURDAY | SAT NIGHT | SUNDAY | SUN NIGHT | MONDAY |

Discontinuous rains/possible thunder with many rain-free hours

SEVERE OUTLOOK SUNDAY
Sunday forecast

WILL WE REACH 70 DEGREES THIS WEEKEND?

| Year | 70° (4/12) latest | 70° (3/18) earliest |
|------|-------------------|---------------------|
| 2018 | 73° (4/12) latest | 70° (3/18) earliest |
| 2017 | 70° (3/18) | 70° (3/18) |
| 2016 | 70° (3/16) | 70° (4/11) |
| 2015 | 73° (3/16) | 70° (4/11) |
| 2014 | 70° (4/11) | 70° (4/16) |
| 2013 | 70° (4/16) | 70° (3/13) |
| 2012 | 70° (3/13) | 72° (4/3) |
| 2011 | 72° (4/3) | 72° (3/31) |
| 2010 | 77° (3/31) | 72° (3/17) |
| 2009 | 72° (3/17) | |

Dates of last 32° day
2018 4/1 (to date)
2017 3/23 (earliest since 2009)
2016 4/12
2015 4/24
2014 4/16
2013 4/21
2012 4/12
2011 4/21
2010 4/9

SOURCES: Frank Wachowski, NWS archives
TOM SKILLING, BILL SNYDER, MARK CARROLL, LOGAN BUNDY AND JENNIFER M. KOHNKE / WGN-TV

CHICAGO DIGEST

FRIDAY TEMPERATURES

| LOCATION | HI | LO | LOCATION | HI | LO |
|-----------|----|----|------------|----|----|
| Aurora | 52 | 41 | Midway | 57 | 41 |
| Gary | 50 | 41 | O'Hare | 57 | 39 |
| Kankakee | 57 | 39 | Romeoville | 54 | 41 |
| Lakefront | 43 | 38 | Valparaiso | 59 | 39 |
| Lansing | 55 | 39 | Waukegan | 50 | 35 |

CHICAGO PRECIPITATION

| PERIOD | 2019 | NORMAL |
|-----------------------|-------|--------|
| Fri. (through 7 p.m.) | Trace | 0.10" |
| April to date | 0.25" | 0.52" |
| Year to date | 7.11" | 6.54" |

CHICAGO SNOWFALL

| PERIOD | O'HARE | MIDWAY |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|
| Fri. (through 7 p.m.) | 0.0" | 0.0" |
| Season to date | 41.6" | 39.1" |
| Normal to date | 35.6" | 36.5" |

SOURCE: Frank Wachowski

LAKE MICHIGAN CONDITIONS

| | SATURDAY | SUNDAY |
|-----------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Wind | SE 10-15 kts. | SE 10-15 kts. |
| Waves | 1 foot | 1-3 feet |
| Fri. shore/cree water temps | 44°/35° | |

FRIDAY PEAK POLLEN LEVEL

| POLLEN | LEVEL |
|---------|-------|
| Tree | Low |
| Grass | 0 |
| Mold | Low |
| Ragweed | 0 |
| Weed | 0 |

SOURCE: The Gottlieb Memorial Hospital Allergy Count, Dr. Rachna Shah

CHICAGO AIR QUALITY

| Friday's reading | Moderate |
|---------------------|--------------|
| Saturday's forecast | Moderate |
| Critical pollutant | Particulates |

SATURDAY RISE/SET TIMES

| | 6:26 a.m. | 7:22 p.m. |
|------|-----------|-----------|
| Sun | | |
| Moon | 7:26 a.m. | 8:47 p.m. |



SATURDAY PLANET WATCH

| PLANET | RISE | SET |
|---------|------------|------------|
| Mercury | 5:32 a.m. | 4:59 p.m. |
| Venus | 5:16 a.m. | 4:27 p.m. |
| Mars | 8:32 a.m. | 11:28 p.m. |
| Jupiter | 12:53 a.m. | 10:03 a.m. |
| Saturn | 2:39 a.m. | 11:59 a.m. |

BEST VIEWING TIME

| Mercury | Not visible |
|---------|--------------------|
| Venus | 6:00 a.m. 7.5° ESE |
| Mars | 8:30 p.m. 31° W |
| Jupiter | 5:30 a.m. 25.5° S |
| Saturn | 5:30 a.m. 22° SSE |

SOURCE: Dan Joyce, Triton College

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Jets quarterback Sam Darnold and wide receiver Quincy Enunwa model the team's new uniforms Thursday. It's the first uniform change for the Jets in 20 years.

Rebranding trend persists

With tweaked logo, new uniforms, Jets latest to mix it up

BY DENNIS WASZAK JR.
Associated Press

NEW YORK — New colors, a tweaked logo, flashy uniforms and fired-up fans and players.

The New York Jets are the latest NFL franchise to switch up their playbooks and call for a major rebranding, with the team's revamped look unveiled Thursday night during a launch party at a midtown Manhattan ballroom.

"It's just a different swagger, man," safety Jamal Adams said. "It's something that this team needed."

Gone is the familiar hunter green and white combination that graced the Jets' uniforms for the last 20 years, replaced by what the team calls "Gotham Green" and "Spotlight White." There's also a "Stealth Black" alternate uniform, along with a refreshed logo on all-green helmets.

"We wanted to create something that we think today's fans and traditional fans will like, and something that the players will like," team president Neil Glat told The Associated Press in a telephone interview. "And we also kind of were looking for that gritty, resilient New York City-area look. So, you're trying to accomplish a lot of different things."

It's a risky but potentially rewarding proposition with a thorough creative process — including lots of behind-the-scenes meetings, seemingly endless tweaks and plenty of opinions — that NFL teams, as well as franchises in other professional leagues, have attempted to varying degrees of success.

"The main reason teams do it is because fan interest has waned and you're looking to do a restart," said Marc Ganis, president of SportsCorp, a Chicago-based consulting firm, and an adviser to several team owners. "You're looking to re-energize or restart the marketing and branding of the team."

At least 10 NFL teams have tweaked their looks — Detroit, Minnesota, Miami, Cleveland — or redesigned their uniforms — Seattle, Jacksonville, Tennessee — since 2012, when Nike became the league's official apparel provider.

"I think you can tell fairly quickly by the reaction of the fans and by the reaction of the media," Ganis said of how long it typically



Tight end Chris Herndon seems to like the Jets' new uniforms.

takes for a team to know whether it has a success on its hands or a marketing dud. "And, you can tell by the reaction of the buyers for the stores. Are they buying a lot of merchandise because they are expecting big sales? Now, the problem with if you don't have a winner, there's not much you can really do about it."

"Decisions have been made. And, decisions have consequences."

Just ask the NHL's New York Islanders, whose "fisherman" logo replaced the traditional "NY" circular design before the 1995-96 season — but was absolutely despised by fans and was gone by the end of that season.

In the NFL, teams can't pivot so quickly. They have to stick with their rebranded designs for five years before they can approach the league about changing uniforms and logos again.

"The reason we do that is to kind of help the consistency of the brand from a fan's point of view," said Chris Stackhouse, the NFL's art director. "It gives every change that we make enough longevity to really see if it sticks and make sure it works. So when our clubs approach us, they know that when they're making a change, it's a big deal and they're going to be locked into it for five years."

Jacksonville found out the hard

way in 2013, when it redesigned its uniforms and included helmets that featured a two-tone finish. The new look was never fully embraced by Jaguars fans and was widely mocked. So, last year, the team unveiled an updated "no-nonsense" look that was much better received.

Merchandise revenue in the NFL is, by and large, divided equally among all 32 teams. So, franchises that make changes aren't necessarily doing it for money grabs to get new items online and on the shelves in retail marketplaces in hopes of direct financial gains.

"It's not an issue of revenue," Ganis said. "It's an issue of interest."

For the Jets, there was plenty of hype leading up to their first major uniform and logo changes since 1998. That included team CEO Christopher Johnson teasing the announcement during the NFL owners meetings in Phoenix last month by saying he thought the new uniforms were "bad-ass."

There was rampant speculation on social media during the last several months with fan-crafted uniform mock-ups causing many to wonder if they were anywhere close to what would ultimately end up on the field.

"This is the first time the Jets are changing their brand and their

how they communicate to fans in really a generation," said James Carmichael, the NFL's brand director. "So, it was really important to get this right. So you don't want to rush that. You want to make sure you're doing your due diligence exploring all your options to truly make sure that it fits who they are and who they want to be as a brand."

The process for the Jets began in 2014, when owner Woody Johnson and brother Christopher kicked around the idea of refreshing the look of the franchise. That jumpstarted several conversations between the team, Nike and the NFL, which surveyed management, employees and fans.

"Doing that diligence really kind of brings all the important pieces to the surface," Stackhouse said, "and helps my team really know how to kind of find that North Star creatively going forward."

When considering redesigning merchandise and apparel, teams typically have to measure the delicate balance between maintaining their traditions while having an eye toward the future.

"We know that fans of these teams, their colors or logos, this stuff is on shirts and apparel that are handed down from father to son from generation to generation," Stackhouse said. "These

things mean a lot to people and we're changing that. So we take it very seriously, but we have to take as much of a long view on this as we can."

There was some early internal discussion in the Jets organization about making an extensive change to the team logo. Instead, the team decided on a refresh rather than an overhaul.

The uniforms, though, were set for a complete rebranding — from the style to the color. That process included a trip to downtown Manhattan for Stackhouse and his team to sift through bolts of fabrics after not quite getting into the end zone with the right shade of green.

"We needed to refresh the process and think differently," Stackhouse said. "And sure enough, we brought back one and as soon as we rolled it out on the table, we, on our end, kind of looked at it and had a strong feeling that we knew it when we saw it. And when we brought it to Mr. Johnson and the rest of the ownership there, they felt the same way."

Once a team gets the color nailed down and the logo is in development, Nike takes on an even bigger role by designing uniforms based on the concepts that have been collected.

Next comes the tweaks. And, lots of them.

Until, eventually, a team has its new look.

"It took time and a lot of iterations and a lot of good quality work by people in this building and at the NFL and at Nike," Glat said. "And then even when you get close, then you have to start developing prototypes and you have to get the colors just right and you have to test it on the field and you have to test it with TV cameras, so it's been a deliberate process."

And, for the Jets, it comes at a time when change has swept through the franchise. There's a new coach in Adam Gase, a free-agent prize in running back Le'Veon Bell and a promising quarterback heading into his second NFL season in Sam Darnold.

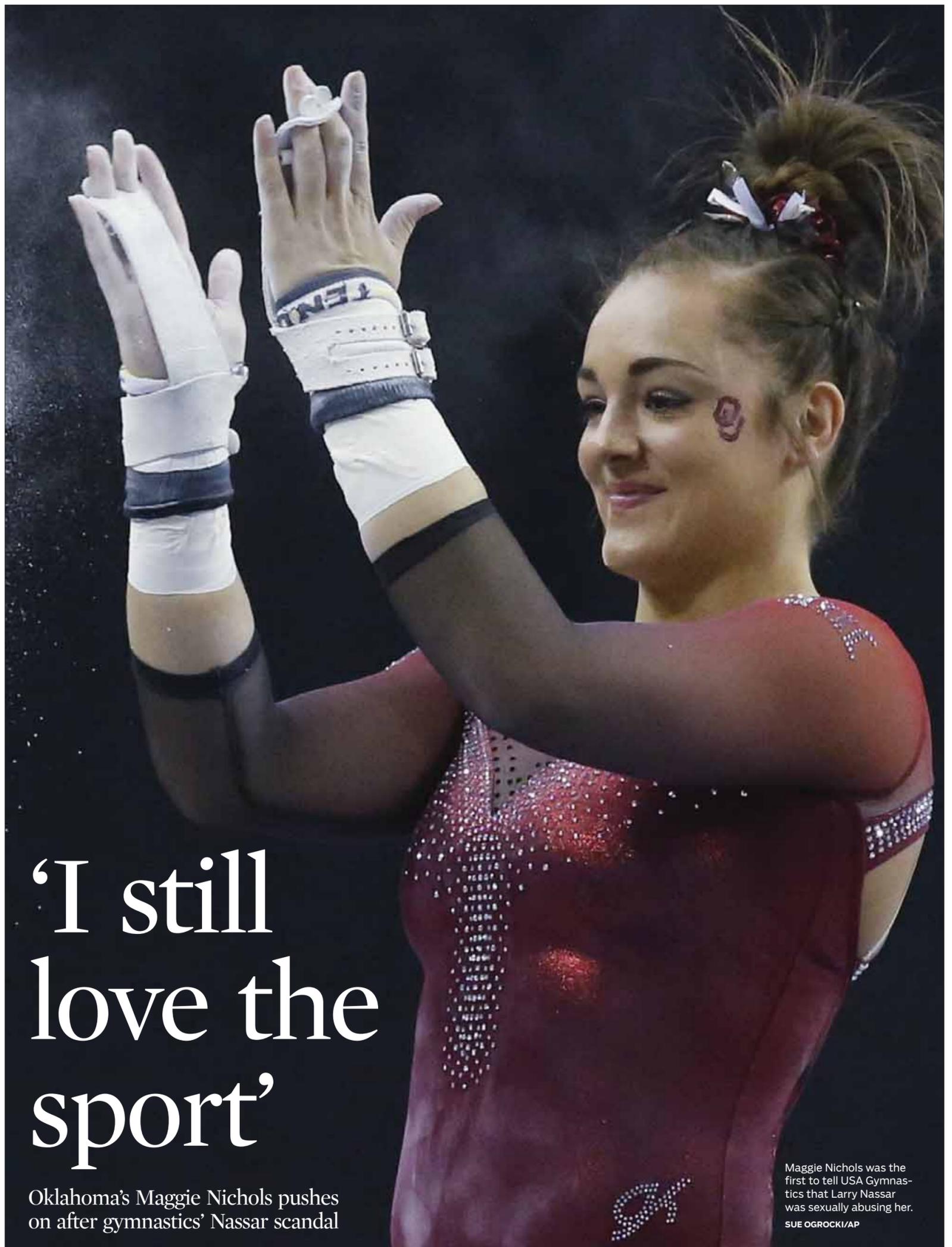
And, they'll all be sporting a new look this season.

"Look, people feel better when they're wearing cool clothes," Ganis said. "That's not just on the red carpet. That's also on the football field."

Winning or losing, however, will make for the ultimate fashion critic.

"If we don't play well," Darnold said, "the uniforms don't look good."

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‘I still love the sport’

Oklahoma’s Maggie Nichols pushes on after gymnastics’ Nassar scandal

Maggie Nichols was the first to tell USA Gymnastics that Larry Nassar was sexually abusing her.
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BY CLIFF BRUNT | Associated Press

NORMAN, Okla. — For all the work Maggie Nichols has put into becoming a world-class gymnast, some of her most important moments in the sport these days are coming far from the mat.

Like sitting at a long table at the Cox Convention Center in Oklahoma City, welcoming a steady stream of children and their equally star-struck parents seeking autographs. As a meet continued just a few feet away, she signed away, marker gripped in her left hand. Smiling and engaging with each child, she held out hope that, in those brief moments, she could convey her deep love of a sport that has brought her both great triumph and great pain.

Nichols is a superstar athlete for gymnastics power Oklahoma with four NCAA titles in hand, including the all-around title last year. To the tens of thousands of fans who follow her on social media, she is a consistently positive, ebullient personality with a touch of sass. Mags Got Swag, after all.

Nichols is also Athlete A, the first person to tell USA Gymnastics that sports doctor Larry Nassar was sexually abusing her.

The scandal that followed has rocked the sport and the U.S. Olympic movement to its core, with hundreds of girls and women somehow trying to move on with their lives as survivors — including Nichols, a Minnesotans who is a junior for the Sooners.

She knows the sport is reeling.

It is also important to her that the sport survives.

It is why it means so much to her to leave a positive impression in those brief moments with children, especially the

girls. And why she feels it’s important to somehow disconnect the scandal from the sport itself.

“For me, gymnastics is such a beautiful sport, and it brings so much joy and it’s taught me so many amazing things and has given me so many amazing opportunities,” Nichols said. “So they are definitely two separate things for me.”

Nichols wants to let it be known that though the culture of sport at its highest levels hurt her, gymnastics also has helped her heal.

“I feel like gymnastics and being able to practice and compete has been a little bit of a — gets me away from all of the bad stuff that’s happened,” she said. “I still love the sport of gymnastics.”

Nichols is one of several high-profile Nassar survivors determined to help propel the sport forward through advocacy, education and compassion. Good friend and reigning Olympic champion Simone Biles won her fifth national title last summer wearing a teal leotard, the color designated for survivors of sexual abuse.

Six-time Olympic medalist Aly Raisman started the “Flip the Switch” program designed to teach adults how to protect young athletes from predators.

While all have expressed deep concern with how USA Gymnastics allowed Nassar’s behavior to run unchecked for years, they, like Nichols, have taken great pains to make sure people don’t confuse missteps with the way her daughter has handled it all.

Gina Nichols, herself struggling to deal with the fallout, has been empowered by the way her daughter has handled it all.

“No matter what, she’s never said — and a lot of rotten things have happened to her — like, woe is me or I feel sorry for myself. She’s never once, ever since I had her, ever felt sorry for herself for anything,” Gina

Nichols said. “She always stays that way, no matter what happens to her.”

Pastor Adam Starling of Victory Family Church in Norman said Nichols’ outlook in the face of challenges is rare, especially for someone so young. He asked Nichols to tell her story at services last October, and she obliged.

“She has strength, wisdom and courage well beyond her years,” he said. “I don’t think she’s able to do this without God walking with her. To be able to go through something that’s unthinkable for anyone at such a young age and be drawn into the spotlight — I think, is a tremendous amount of pressure that very few people on the planet can relate to in any way. But I think she handled it with character, with courage, with dignity.”

Nichols wasn’t always sure that speaking out was a good idea. She actually planned to come forward a month before she did, but when the day came, she told Oklahoma coach K.J. Kindler she wasn’t ready.

She finally made it known in January 2018.

“There was a lot of things that were crossing my mind before I came forward,” Nichols said. “If it would hinder any chances with my gymnastics. Also competing in gymnastics — would it change anything like that. Also things like, would people treat me different, would people look at me the wrong way, stuff like that. After I came forward, I was awfully nervous about that kind of stuff. The feedback and the responses I got were so positive. I had so many people behind me and supporting me. It was the right decision for me. I made the right decision.”

Her support system, including her church, her teammates and her family, helped her move forward. Kindler said Nichols has come a long way.

“She’s really opened up and, I think, embraced her platform and her ability to affect people positively and make an impact on young people everywhere — not just those who are going through troubled times and things of that nature, but we all have things that we struggle with,” Kindler said.

Starling said he is especially impressed with how intentional Nichols is about taking a negative situation and becoming a light to others through it.

“I think people throw around the word hero pretty easily, but I think she probably epitomizes that word because of how she’s handled it, and also how she’s been an example to everybody else that’s conquered something similar,” he said.

Nichols may have more to conquer soon. Injury derailed her last Olympic bid, and she doesn’t know if she will try to make it in 2020.

“That would be amazing if I would be able to try out for another Olympics,” she said. “That would be so fun, but I’m kind of focusing on college gymnastics right now and kind of enjoying that part of my life right now.”

She has just one more year at Oklahoma, which is the top seed in this year’s NCAA Championship.

While the spotlight shines most brightly, she has a limited window to make the most of her platform.

“I just hope to be a role model and an inspiration to many other gymnasts and non-gymnasts as well — just to know that they can speak up and they can say what’s going on in their lives as well, and just to know that you can get through any hard time,” she said. “And they can look to me for positivity.”

AP Sports Writer Will Graves contributed to this report.

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Beefy Titan XD Pro-4X — for highway or trail

By G. Chambers Williams III, Fort Worth Star-Telegram

The first version of the new generation of Nissan's full-size Titan pickup arrived for 2016, much bigger and bolder than its predecessor — and sporting a whopper of a Cummins diesel engine, a first for the Titan.

A few months later, a smaller, lighter version of the new Titan arrived, with a choice of V-6 or V-8 gasoline engines, using a different chassis that's 14.7 inches shorter than that of the XD. Both the XD and the smaller Titan half-ton (1500) models come in three configurations: Single Cab, King Cab and Crew Cab.

Now for 2019, the beefy XD — the only heavy-duty pickup offered by a non-Detroit automaker — has a starting price of \$32,890 (plus \$1,395 freight) for the base Single Cab model with rear-wheel drive and a 5.6-liter gasoline V-8 engine, or \$38,520 for the same model with the 5.0-liter Cummins diesel.

King Cab models start at \$34,890 with the gas V-8 or \$41,540 with the diesel, while Crew Cab versions begin at \$38,170 with the gas engine or \$43,510 with the diesel. Four-wheel drive is available at all levels, but is standard on the Pro-4X off-road version, which we tested for this report. The Pro-4X is available in King and Crew cab only.

The Pro-4X line begins at \$47,110 for the King Cab gasoline model or \$52,249 with the diesel, while Crew Cab gasoline models start at \$49,390 and diesels at \$54,730.

The 2019 Titan XD tops out at \$65,310 for the fanciest and best-equipped version, the Platinum four-wheel drive with the diesel.

Platinum models come with lots of bling, including a premium leather interior with contrast stitching; and exterior chrome to give it an upscale look similar to the Ford F-series King Ranch, Chevrolet Silverado High Country and GMC Sierra Denali models.

New for 2019 in the XD is a seven-inch touch-screen audio/IT display with NissanConnect, featuring Apple CarPlay and Android Auto now standard on all models, Nissan says. Payload has been increased to a maximum of 2,990 pounds

Also new is a Fender Premium Audio System, which is included on Crew Cab SL and Platinum trim levels and optional on the Pro-4X Crew Cab and King Cab. The system has a 485-watt, nine-channel amplifier, and 12 speakers. It was included on our tester as part of the Pro-4X Utility Package (\$1,445), which also brought the Utili-track cargo tiedown system, front and rear sonar parking aids, tailgate-area lighting, power-sliding rear window with defroster, electronic-locking tailgate, rear utility bed step, and under-rail LED cargo-bed lighting.

Other XD changes for 2019 include the Rear Door Alert system, which reminds drivers to check the back seat after the vehicle is parked, now standard on all King Cab and Crew Cab models; an additional USB media port (two total); two illuminated USB-A charge ports added to Pro-4X, SL and Platinum grades; a new body-color outer grille with gloss metallic black inner trim for the SV model (replaces the previous chrome grille trim) and an optional gooseneck trailer hitch system (\$280, included on our tester).



TRUCK REVIEW: 2019 NISSAN TITAN XD PRO-4X

The package: Five-passenger, four-door, four-wheel-drive, Cummins V-8 turbo-diesel powered, heavy-duty pickup truck.

Highlights: This is Nissan's full-size pickup with special off-road features, designed to compete with Ford F-series Super Duty and GM's heavy-duty diesel-powered large trucks. It comes with a powerful Cummins V-8 diesel engine, King or Crew cab body with four doors, and a long list of standard or optional equipment.

There is also a larger DEF tank for the diesel engine, along with two new exterior paint colors: Midnight Pine Metallic (included on our tester) and Moab Sunset Metallic. Our tester also had the Monochrome Paint Package (no extra charge), which added body-color bumpers and over-fenders with black interior.

As for the diesel engine, it's a Cummins 5.0-liter turbocharged V-8, which packs 310 horsepower and a quite impressive 555 foot-pounds of torque. That gives the Titan XD a maximum trailer-towing weight of 12,200 pounds with rear-wheel drive, or 11,170 pounds with the four-wheel drive of our Pro-4X tester.

The XD is 18.2 inches longer than the previous-generation Titan Crew Cab, and about 1,800 pounds heavier.

Nissan says the XD is somewhere between the standard light-duty (half-ton) pickup class — such as the Silverado 1500 and F-150 — and the heavy-duty models (three-quarter-ton) such as the F-250/350, Ram 2500/3500 and Silverado 2500.

Driving this behemoth around felt like I was in one of the Silverado or F-series heavy duty trucks. Ram's 1500 has been bigger than the others in the light-duty segment

for some time, so the Titan XD feels more like a Ram 1500 than it does a Silverado 1500 or F-150.

The Titan XD should please consumers who crave beefy pickups, and the 5.0-liter Cummins engine will satisfy most everyone's power needs.

But other than having to negotiate tight parking spots because of its size, this truck was fun to drive, and quite powerful. It can get up to speed and beyond very quickly.

The interior of this truck is designed to feel more like that of a luxury sedan, with very comfortable bucket seats up front, and a quite roomy rear bench seat that genuinely gave three adults plenty of leg, knee and headroom. The roof is so high that you can even wear a cowboy hat while you're driving the Titan XD, so that's certainly a plus in Texas.

Front and rear are Nissan's NASA-inspired Zero Gravity seats, designed to be more ergonomic than standard seats, allowing for a comfortable ride, especially on long trips.

The large center console can serve as a mobile workstation. With the new Titan design, the shifter was moved to the steering column to free up storage space in the console, which includes two decent cupholders.

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New 2019 Chevrolet **SILVERADO**

Sale price: \$32,580*
Buy: \$394 /mo*
Lease: \$324 /mo*



STK #C190528

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Sale price: \$27,800*
Buy: \$344 /mo*
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2016 CHEVROLET **CRUZE** LT
#S4398 Priced below KBB!
\$10,995



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#S4337 Black Leather Interior!
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#S4274 Sun & Moonroof!
\$24,671



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#C181532A Towing Package!
\$30,895

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VIN: 5LMCJ1C95KUL27167



LEASE FOR **\$380**^{**} PER MONTH FOR 36 MONTHS

**\$0 Due
at Signing**

**Plus tax, title, license, & \$179.81 doc fee. Lease price based on 7,500 miles per year. All advertised prices include factory rebates. No security deposit required. Subject to Lincoln AFS and level approval.

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Air conditioning, Automatic Trans, Power Windows and Much More

\$13,995

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Air conditioning, Automatic Trans, Power Windows and Much More

LEASE FOR **\$319**^{**} PER MONTH
36 MONTH LEASE

** \$0 Due at Signing. Lease prices based on 10,500 miles per year plus tax, title, license & \$179.81 Doc. Fee. No Security Deposit.

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2018 FORD FOCUS SE 4-DOOR



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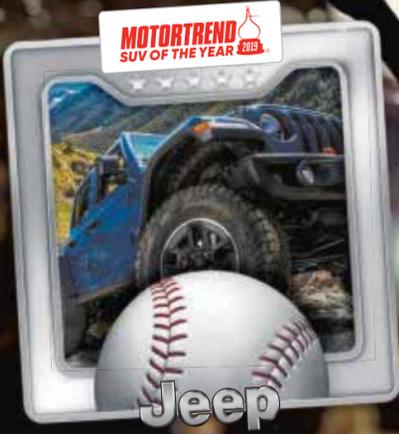
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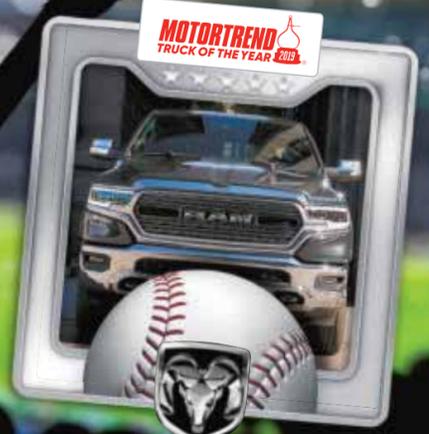


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#191448 LEASE:
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**\$1,000
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**NEW 2018
DODGE Journey**

SXT #183201 MSRP: \$25,918⁺

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\$14,662



**NEW 2018
DODGE Challenger**

SXT #182650 MSRP: \$28,640⁺

All rebates & incentives applied!
NOW ONLY:
\$19,836



**NEW 2019
CHRYSLER Pacifica**

TOURING PLUS #191143 MSRP: \$35,730⁺

NOW ONLY:
\$27,450



**NEW 2018
RAM Promaster**

3500 CARGO VAN
NAVIGATION EQUIPPED! #183422

Must Go!
MSRP: \$40,635⁺ NOW ONLY:
\$28,577



**NEW 2019
RAM 1500 PICKUP**

BIG HORN CREW CAB

#191519 LEASE:
\$239 PER MO./
36 MOS.[^]



**NEW 2018
JEEP Renegade**

LATITUDE 4X2
#181367

Only a few 2018's left!
\$11,000 OFF MSRP!

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**NEW 2019
JEEP Compass**

LATITUDE 4X4
#190679 LEASE:

\$189 PER MO./
36 MOS.[^]

Over 115 in stock!



**NEW 2019
JEEP Cherokee**

LIMITED
#190352 LEASE:

\$219 PER MO./
36 MOS.[^]

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NEW 2019 ALFA ROMEO

STELVIO TI AWD

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NEW 2019 MASERATI
LEVANTE GRAN LUSO AWD

Lease: **\$795**/mo.

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