



CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK

Schools to stay shut

Remainder of academic year to be remote; state has single-day high in cases



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Chairs are stacked on tables Friday at Emerson Elementary School in Berwyn. Because of the pandemic, Gov. J.B. Pritzker ordered schools to remain closed through the end of the academic year. Schools statewide, public and private, have been closed since March 17.

BY JAMIE MUNKS, GREGORY PRATT AND JOHN BYRNE

Gov. J.B. Pritzker on Friday ordered schools to remain closed through the end of the academic year as his administration reported the largest single-day number of known cases of the new coronavirus and said the pandemic has yet to peak in Illinois.

"Folks, I've said time and time again my decisions are hard ones, but they will follow the science and the science says our students can't go back to their normal routine," Pritzker said Friday during his daily news conference.

"We know that there are many school districts with unique challenges, and we will work with them on any issues that may arise. I know that many have felt that this was inevitable," Pritzker said. "But trust me when I say this was not a decision I made lightly."

Schools statewide, both public and private, have been closed since March 17 and students will now finish out the remainder of the school year with remote learning.

Pritzker expressed empathy for students, especially high school seniors, having end of year rituals such as prom and even student pranks taken away from them.

Students gathering in large groups at schools and for extracurricular activities and events "is a source of joy for so many, but also opens up a nearly limitless opportunity for potential COVID-19 infection in a time when our health care workers, our researchers, our scientists and our first responders need us to bend the curve downward," Pritzker said.

Pritzker's office and the Illinois State Board of Education are recommending that any grades given to students during the pandemic "reflect the unprecedented circumstances in which students are attempting to continue their studies." Students should not be given a poor grade because they have a spotty internet connection at home that interferes with remote learning, for instance, he said.

"Grades should deliver feedback and not be used as a tool for compliance," Pritzker said. "COVID-19 is forcing far too many of our students to deal firsthand with concepts that even adults find nerve-racking, let's recognize that and be supportive of all of our students."

The school shutdown came as Pritzker's

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Trump pushes states to lift virus restrictions

President Donald Trump urged supporters Friday to "LIBERATE" three states led by Democratic governors, apparently encouraging the growing protests against the stay-at-home restrictions aimed at stopping the coronavirus. "LIBERATE MINNESOTA!" "LIBERATE MICHIGAN!" "LIBERATE VIRGINIA," he said in a tweet-storm. **Nation & World**, Page 5

■ The first truckloads of General Motors-made medical ventilators from a central Indiana factory began arriving at Chicago-area hospitals Friday morning, with subsequent deliveries planned through Saturday. **Chicagoland**, Page 3

■ With federal paycheck funds depleted, Chicago-area small businesses are turning to city and state emergency programs. But the checks aren't coming out fast enough, with only a fraction of the loans processed. **Business**, Page 7

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A down note for founder of Bon Jovi singalong



HEIDI STEVENS
Balancing Act

Al Spinner liked to tuck notes inside the cards he sent his kids for their birthdays and Christmas, not content to let the greeting card companies do all the talking for him.

"When I look at you, here is what I see," he wrote to his daughter, Jenni, at Christmas 2019. "A well-rounded, educated, smart, clever, funny, caring and involved adult person."

When Jenni's dog, Willie, was getting old and struggling to jump onto the bed at night, Al Spinner built a set of stairs (carpeted, no less), to ease Willie's way. He used the wood from an old cornhole set he'd built a few years back.

"He loved to work with his hands, and he loved to do favors," Jenni told me Friday.

Al Spinner died Thursday from COVID-19. He was 71.

He started to feel ill March 28. Jenni's younger sister, Sara, texted Jenni at 7 p.m. to tell her their dad was going to the hospital. Jenni and her wife, Rebecca Kell, were just about to launch into the second week of the citywide

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FAMILY PHOTO

David Boden, from left, with his daughters Mariel Boden and Alexa Boden, and his wife Nancy Frohman, at Alexa's graduation from Stevenson High School in 2019.

With parents in ICU, sisters turn advocates

BY KAREN ANN CULLOTTA

When sisters Mariel and Alexa Boden learned their universities were shutting down due to the coronavirus last month, the college freshman and senior were frustrated at the prospect of finishing the spring semester at their family home in Vernon Hills.

But within days of their arrival home, the sisters' angst over having their college experiences cut short was swiftly replaced with fear and anxiety.

Their parents, Nancy Frohman and David Boden, who are in their 50s, have tested positive for COVID-19, and this week, the Bodens both remain in critical condition in the intensive care unit at

Advocate Condell Medical Center in Libertyville.

Just weeks since their arrival home in mid-March, Mariel, 20, and Alexa, 19, now find themselves acting as patient advocates for their parents, who are on ventilators and prohibited from having their daughters visit due to contagion concerns.

"We can't change what has happened to our parents," said Mariel Boden, a senior at McGill University in Montreal, who expects to graduate next month. But she said that by speaking out, it might "prevent this from happening to other families."

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Questions over total number of base cases

At Naval Station Great Lake, with 500 recruits to start boot camp, there's secrecy

BY DAN HINKEL

Next week, about 500 new recruits are expected to report to Naval Station Great Lakes near North Chicago, the first to arrive since the Navy stopped sending future sailors late last month as the coronavirus pandemic spread around the world.

But a significant question remains unanswered as the recruits are about to arrive in the north suburbs: How many people on the base have had COVID-19?

Military officials won't say, citing security reasons.

"Our adversaries employ trained intelligence agents who are constantly watching everything we do to build intelligence estimates of our readiness," Defense Department spokeswoman Jessica Maxwell wrote in an email.

What's clear is that the virus has come to the Lake County base. Last month, Navy officials confirmed cases in a recruit and a civilian employee. Then, the Defense Department put out a news release March 30 saying the military would no longer give case counts at individual bases.

That secrecy leaves the public guess-

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Outbreak at Lincoln Park nursing home leaves 4 dead, 10 sickened

By ELVIA MALAGÓN AND CECILIA REYES

An outbreak of COVID-19 at a Lincoln Park nursing home has left four residents dead and 10 other people ill with the coronavirus, including six other residents and four workers, according to the religious order that runs the facility.

The virus seemed to spread quickly at St. Mary's Home, operated by the Little Sisters of the Poor at 2325 N. Lakewood Ave., according to Sister Constance Veit, communications director for the order. The facility consists of two connected buildings and contains 76 beds in the nursing home section and 50 independent living apartments.

The facility had tried practicing social distancing for weeks, including serving dinner at individual rooms. But within days, residents started to become sick with

COVID-19, Veit said. All four residents who died were in the nursing home, she said. They were between 71 and 97 years old.

The sisters haven't had time to trace how the outbreak started, Veit said. None of the residents had left the facility and the sisters had stopped allowing visitors.

"I'm not sure how much the tracking would be helpful in the case of nursing homes," she said. "The people in our homes are fragile. They need around the clock assistance from getting out of bed to the toilet. You can't have employees telecommuting."

Nearly 300 Illinois nursing home patients and staff have died from COVID-19, according to the state Department of Public Health.

The Tribune has identified 52 skilled nursing facilities homes in Cook County with at least one resident whose death was

linked to the coronavirus, according to data from the Cook County medical examiner's office. While the facilities were scattered throughout Chicago, more deaths were traced to facilities in the south suburbs.

Most facilities had one death among its residents, but several had two or three. The medical examiner data does not include deaths of nursing home staff since their place of residence does not match the nursing home address.

At St. Mary's Home, workers have protective masks but they are running low on protective gowns and sanitizing wipes, Veit said. The state health department has not visited the facility since the outbreak, Veit said Thursday evening.

Veit said the facility decided on its own to publicly discuss the cases to provide information to donors and the families of residents.

Veit said she thinks more widespread testing for workers at nursing homes could curb the spread among the elderly.

"Even now in Chicago and in our other homes where we had outbreaks, even though we had numerous cases, the respective states still have not provided means of testing everyone in the building," she said. "That's just the way it is."

Veit said she hopes the pandemic will spotlight changes needed in the funding of nursing homes. She noted many workers at these facilities work second jobs. Because of that, many might go to work even if sick.

"They are really working hard to make ends meet," Veit said. "This is going to be really difficult for them."

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Recruits

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ing about the disease's impact at a busy military hub that employs some 25,000 people, houses about 15,000 and is roughly five times the size of Grant Park. Great Lakes officials pointed to cleaning, physical distancing and other measures designed to stop the virus.

Still, many operations continue at a base that houses the Navy's only boot camp. On Tuesday, personnel in camouflage fatigues and backpacks could be seen marching in formation wearing black face coverings.

Attempts to reach the parents of Great Lakes recruits were unsuccessful. But Recruit Training Command Facebook posts have provided a place for future sailors' loved ones to voice both pride and concern.

"I'm a proud parent. My daughter is set to graduate May 1st. God bless them all and keep them safe and healthy," one man wrote.

Added a woman: "I sent some letters to my daughter, just don't know if she received it because they were quarantined for two weeks."

Nationally, the coronavirus has worked its way into the Navy's ranks while providing the backdrop for political controversy.

As of early Wednesday morning, the Navy had reported 1,187 cases and six deaths among military personnel, their families, civilian employees and contractors.

About half of those cases and one death were from the USS Theodore Roosevelt, an aircraft carrier now in Guam. As the virus swept through the ship, Capt. Brett Crozier was fired from his command after an email he sent pleading for help be-



STACEY WESCOTT/CHICAGO TRIBUNE

Sailors drill Tuesday at the Naval Station Great Lakes near North Chicago. The Lake County base is the home of the U.S. Navy's only boot camp.

came public. Acting Navy Secretary Thomas Modly flew to the ship, where he berated the crew and said Crozier was "naive" or "stupid." Amid the ensuing backlash, Modly resigned.

Locally, the disease's impact on Great Lakes might be reflected in numbers from the hospital near the base, the Captain James A. Lovell Federal Health Care Center. The facility, jointly operated by the Defense Department and the Department of Veterans Affairs, had reported 95 cases as of Wednesday.

It's unclear how many of those cases involved people who live or work at Great Lakes, as the hospital also serves area veterans, said Julie Ewart, a Lovell spokeswoman. Ewart also noted that civilian employees and contractors on the base generally are not treated there, and that family members of military personnel might get medical help elsewhere.

Lake County health officials confirmed that the

base's case numbers were being reported to state officials. The Tribune requested that data from the state but had not received it.

There is historical precedent for a virus taking hold at Great Lakes.

In September 1918, as an influenza outbreak spread, the Tribune reported that Capt. William A. Moffett said the base had about 800 cases and a "correspondingly low" death rate. The next day, however, the Tribune reported some 4,500 cases and more than 100 deaths. Scholars have written that the numbers grew from there.

During the current pandemic, Great Lakes officials have mandated physical distancing, the use of cloth face coverings and home screening for those who work there, among other measures, base spokesman John Sheppard told the Tribune. He added that the base has canceled various events and started virtual religious services.

New recruits are being asked to voluntarily self-isolate for two weeks before coming to the base, said Cmdr. Dave Hecht, a Navy spokesman. Upon arrival, recruits are being isolated for another two weeks, he said.

Meanwhile, 900 or so staff members who work with recruits and live off-base are being kept on the installation full time for most of April to prevent the spread of disease, Hecht said.

For future sailors who arrived before the pause in new recruits, work has gone on, Hecht said.

"We continue the essential task of training new sailors and, upon graduating, sending them to their follow-on training assignments," he wrote in an email.

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Sisters

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"It would be a lie to say that Alexa and I weren't disappointed that we weren't going to be able to celebrate our birthdays at college with our friends, and my graduation ceremony was canceled," Mariel Boden said. "But after our parents got sick, we quickly realized, 'OK, this is what we have to do for our parents, and what we have to do for the good of everyone else.'"

Now, Mariel and Alexa, who is completing her freshman year at the University of Connecticut, are juggling their online coursework with monitoring their parents' illnesses, which began just days after the sisters arrived back home, when their father was diagnosed with the flu and told to get plenty of fluids and rest.

A few days later, their mother felt ill and was prescribed antibiotics for what was believed to be a sinus infection.

But both of their conditions quickly worsened, and by March 23, David Boden was sent from an urgent care center to the hospital's ICU. Two days later, Nancy Frohman was also hospitalized in critical condition, Mariel Boden said.

After their hospitalizations, both tested positive for COVID-19, the family said.

Frohman, who works for a nonprofit organization, and David Boden, who is in sales and plays guitar with two local bands, are healthy and active, Mariel Boden said, so the hospitalizations came as a shock to their friends and family, including their daughters, who within 48 hours became responsible for their mother and father, and running a household.

"I didn't even know you had to pay to have the trash picked up," said Mariel Boden, who on a recent afternoon fielded a call from the hospital, reminding her that she and Alexa still needed to complete the power of attorney paperwork authorizing them to act on behalf of their parents.

Having spent most of their childhoods in Singapore, where their parents were professionals, the sisters were raised in a close-knit family, where they were taught to think of community as not only those in your neighborhood, but people across the world.

"Our parents always remind us that we're really lucky, and we have a responsibility to give back and do everything we can to make the world a better place," said Mariel Boden, who hopes to have a career in public health.

"I want to develop health system structures so we are better prepared for emergencies and disasters, ironically," Boden said.

Indeed, with the family having lived in Singapore during the SARS pandemic of 2003, Boden said her parents were well aware of the importance of social distancing and sheltering in place, and both had been scrupulous about following public health guidelines in the weeks before they were diagnosed with COVID-19.

While Mariel and Alexa, who are Stevenson High

School graduates, have completed their recommended quarantine period, they are still not straying from home these days, and only walking the dog or wandering to the end of the driveway to say "thanks" to the many visitors who have dropped off meals and provided financial support.

"We wanted to tell our story so we could emphasize how important it is for everyone to be following the public health guidelines, and also to show our appreciation for our local community ... all of the health care providers at the hospital, and the essential workers, like people working at grocery stores," Mariel Boden said.

"These people are putting their health at risk, and their lives on the line. People we've never met have called to make sure Alexa and I are OK. ... It's so hard to put into words. But without all of them, we truly could not have survived the last three weeks."

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Teacher denied paid maternity leave loses case

Ill. Supreme Court rules Margaret Dynak had time to recover over summer break

By ELYSSA CHERNEY

A four-year legal battle that pitted a suburban teacher against her employer ended Thursday when the Illinois Supreme Court sided with the school district, ruling the teacher was not entitled to all of her paid sick leave because she gave birth just before summer break and had ample time to recover before her job resumed.

The ruling, which sets a precedent for most of the state's public school teachers, held that Wood Dale District 7 doesn't have to let teachers carry over benefits to the new school year for births that occurred during or right before summer break. Nothing precludes teachers, however, from taking unpaid time off through the federal Family and Medical Leave Act.

In the majority opinion, Chief Justice Anne Burke wrote that a measure in the Illinois School Code granting 30 days of paid sick leave to male and female teachers for "birth, adoption, or placement for adoption" must be used immediately.

The Supreme Court deci-

sion upheld lower rulings in DuPage County and appeals courts.

"We find the most reasonable and consistent reading of the statute is that it allows an employee who experiences a qualifying event to use accumulated paid sick leave at the time of that event, not later at the employee's discretion," Burke wrote.

But the union representing elementary school teacher Margaret Dynak, the plaintiff who filed the lawsuit, said it is prepared to bring the issue before lawmakers and petition for a change the courts did not supply.

"We are disappointed in the Supreme Court's decision, and wish that the Court gave more serious consideration to Margaret's position," Illinois Education Association President Kathi Griffin said in a statement. "That said, this isn't the last stop for our members and their families. ... IEA will advocate for language that confirms what we believe was always in the school code: an affirmative right to take paid leave for the birth of a child regardless of

when the child is born."

When the IEA argued the case before the justices in January, attorneys said the School Code did not explicitly prohibit a teacher from taking sick leave connected to childbirth, even if the period was interrupted by a school break. The union also contended the law addressed more than solely the medical need to recover from childbirth since it mentions adoption and seems to consider time that a parent needs to bond with a child.

Unconvinced, Burke pointed to a key provision in the School Code she said undermined the union's analysis: a requirement that teachers obtain written authorization from a doctor if they need to take sick leave for longer than 30 days following birth.

"If, as plaintiff, contends, an employee can take 30 days of paid sick leave 'for birth' months or even years after the birth, it would be illogical to require a medical certificate in order to extend that 30-day period," Burke wrote. She continued, saying "there is no evidence in the text that the legislature intended to create a vested right in an employee to take paid sick leave on any days the em-



FAMILY PHOTO

Margaret Dynak, a teacher in Wood Dale, gave birth to one of her children in the spring and wanted to save her paid time off for fall. Her district denied it, and the Supreme Court just sided with the district.

ployee chooses."

In an emailed statement, the school district said it was "pleased" with the ruling, which now makes clear how administrators should interpret the sick leave provision. In January, Superintendent John Corbett told the Tribune that while the "legislature is free to change the law, and the union is free to bargain for such a benefit, the present law does not support Ms. Dynak's claim to paid parental leave, as the lower courts have held."

The ruling represents the conclusion to a case that began in June 2016 when

Dynak gave birth to a daughter, her second child. At the time, Dynak notified the school district that she was scheduled to have a C-section a day before school let out for the summer, according to her lawsuit.

Though Dynak had accumulated enough sick time to cover the 30-day maximum allowed, she was only permitted to use 1½ days to cover the time she was excused for the procedure, the lawsuit said. She was told she could not take the remaining paid time off when school resumed in the

fall, according to her lawsuit. As a result, she took 12 weeks of unpaid leave instead, under FMLA, at the start of the year.

Many teachers use the paid sick time and FMLA leave simultaneously, allowing them to collect a paycheck for the first month of being home. Since Dynak could not do that, her attorneys estimate she lost about \$8,000 in wages.

The lawsuit sought to recoup those wages and asked justices to grant Dynak money to cover attorney's fees. Since the ruling was not in her favor, she will not receive any monetary relief.

Though the case did not turn out her way, Dynak hopes changes can be achieved another way so new parents don't have to go through the saga that she did.

"After the district denied my request, I chose to take unpaid leave to spend time with my new daughter, even though it was an extremely difficult time to go without a paycheck," she said in a statement. "I felt very strongly that I needed to spend that time with my daughter. It's irreplaceable."

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DISTRIBUTING FREE MASKS

Kala Hardy, a member of St. Sabina church, hands out free masks Friday at Racine and 79th Street in Chicago.

Bail denied for second suspect charged with Red Line attack that killed former Marine

By WILLIAM LEE AND MEGAN CREPEAU

A Humboldt Park man was held without bail Friday on charges he attacked a former Marine who was shoved between Red Line train cars and dragged to his death earlier this month.

Fajour Hodges, 19, of the 1200 block of North Artesian Avenue, was arrested on a murder warrant Thursday and charged with first-degree murder for the April 6 death of Mamadou Balde, according to Chicago police.

Prosecutors have already charged Ryan Balde Munn in Balde's death, a crime that shocked the city trying to cope with the COVID-19 outbreak and stay-at-home order. The attack was captured on CTA surveillance cameras, and three witnesses identified Munn and Hodges as the assailants, prosecutors have said.

Prosecutors said Near North District police officers recognized Munn and Hodges from prior contact they'd had with both. Police

had been seeking Hodges since shortly after the attack, but the arrest warrant was issued this week after he missed a hearing at the Skokie courthouse on an unrelated retail theft case, according to records.

In court Friday, prosecutors said Hodges was standing on the platform with Munn when Balde, who was intoxicated, struck up a conversation with him. During the brief exchange, Balde appeared to be smiling and joking with Hodges, despite momentarily raising his fists to his chin "as if he was jokingly putting up his dukes," Assistant

State's Attorney James Murphy said. As Balde was smiling, Hodges allegedly punched Balde in the face, knocking him backward toward a stopped train. Prosecutors said Munn joined in, throwing punches and shoving Balde until he fell between the cars of the slow-moving train.

Balde struggled to free himself as he was dragged along the platform and into



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Al Balde, left, father of Mamadou Balde, and Mamadou's sister, Fatoumata Balde, speak with a TV crew April 8 outside the Cook County medical examiner's office.

a tunnel, where his head and upper body violently struck a metal partition, according to authorities. Following his arrest last Friday, Munn admitted taking a swing at Balde out of loyalty to his friend, but said he was only trying to push the victim to the ground.

Hodges' attorney William Wolf said in court Friday that first-degree murder was an inappropriate charge, since there was no indication of "an intention or even a knowledge

that they were taking an action that was going to kill him."

Hodges has asthma, Wolf said, indicating that he had "medical concerns" about keeping him at the jail during the COVID-19 pandemic.

But Judge Arthur Wesley Willis ordered Hodges held without bail, saying it seemed Hodges initiated the contact when he started punching the victim. Munn was also held without bail over the weekend.

Shipment of GM ventilators arrives in area

More deliveries to hospitals planned through Saturday

By DAVID HEINZMANN

The first truckloads of General Motors-made medical ventilators from a central Indiana factory began arriving at Chicago-area hospitals Friday morning, with subsequent deliveries planned through Saturday.

A shipment arrived Friday morning at Franciscan Olympia Fields Health in the south suburbs, with a second shipment scheduled to arrive Friday afternoon at Weiss Memorial Hospital in the Uptown neighborhood on Chicago's North Side, GM officials said. A third shipment is to arrive Saturday at the Gary/Chicago International Airport, which will serve as a distribution center for other hospitals in need, according to GM spokesman James Cain.

By the end of the weekend, GM will have sent 54 new machines to Chicago hospitals via United Parcel Service trucks, with more to come later, he said. Each shipping pallet holds two ventilators and supplies to operate the machines for 10 weeks, the automaker said.

The agreement to use GM's large Kokomo manufacturing plant to build ventilators designed by a Seattle-based medical device company, Ventec Life Systems, is the only instance where President Donald Trump has used the Defense Production Act to compel an American corporation to immediately manufacture equipment the country needs to combat the COVID-19 outbreak.

Many experts have begged for Trump also to use the authority to address shortages of masks and other personal protective equipment and the lack of comprehensive testing to determine who has been infected by the coronavirus.

Trump announced March 27 that he was invoking the Defense Production Act to force the companies to make ventilators. The Seattle Times reported at the time that

corporate insiders viewed the president's statements as political posturing because they had been moving forward with plans for weeks.

GM and Ventec executives first discussed a partnership in phone calls on March 17, Cain said. Production began this week, with the companies working to fill an initial order for 30,000 machines from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Ventilators are critical to caring for the most severe cases of COVID-19. The machines do not cure the illness, but they can buy a patient time while the body's immune system fights off the virus.

When the virus infects the lungs, it can cause acute respiratory distress syndrome, which impedes the sick patient's ability to transfer sufficient oxygen into the bloodstream through unassisted breathing. Without a ventilator pushing oxygen into the lungs, a patient can die by what medical experts have called a form of drowning.

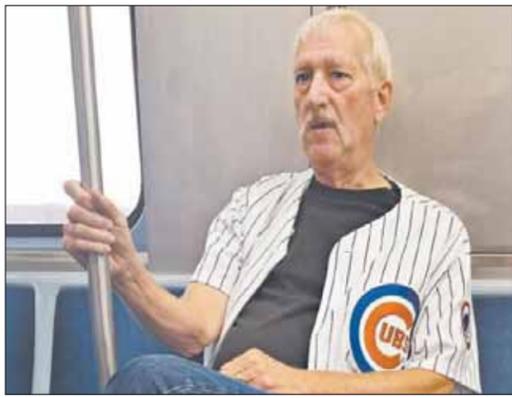
"Until there is a vaccine, critical care ventilators give medical professionals the tools they need to fight this pandemic and save lives," Ventec CEO Chris Kiple said in a statement.

Illinois Gov. J.B. Pritzker and other governors have tangled with Trump over the federal government's response to the demand for more ventilators. Pritzker said he and other state officials, as well as individual hospital administrators, have had to scramble to locate and buy ventilators on the open market. The governor has complained that a lack of national coordination has resulted in Illinois often losing out to higher bidders, including the federal government.

As of Wednesday, the state's ventilator inventory had increased by 403 over the week before, according to the Illinois Department of Public Health. With a total of 3,194 ventilators in the state, 62% of them are still available for use, according to IDPH.

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JENNI SPINNER

"He loved to do favors," Jenni Spinner said of her father, Al, who succumbed Thursday to COVID-19. He was 71.

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sing along they started a week prior — the one where people from all over Chicago and the suburbs and other states took to their windows and balconies and porches and belted out "Livin' on a Prayer" by Bon Jovi. The one where Jon Bon Jovi even hopped on Instagram to say he was joining the effort, eager to spread a little joy and connect communities during a global pandemic.

Jenni sat out the sing-along that second week.

She and her dad texted shortly after he was admitted to the hospital, but he fell unconscious shortly afterward and she never got to talk to him again. She watched him slip away through the glass in the intensive care unit at St. Alexius Medical Center in Hoffman Estates.

She lost her mom in the same hospital — same intensive care unit — three years ago to cancer.

Al Spinner had a tattoo of his wife's signature.

"One of the last times I visited, he told me, 'I miss her every day,'" Jenni recalled. "Still, he kept busy after her death, playing cards at the local senior center and occasionally playing pool."

Jenni and her wife and sister would meet him for pool at Streamwood Bowl, near Al's house. He always won.

Allen Joseph Spinner grew up in Naperville, the second of four kids. His parents were both raised on farms and taught Al and his siblings how to garden and can the surplus vegetables. Al was known for making use of his mom's favorite recipes and sharing them with family and friends.

"He also took up the Christmas cookie tradition of a large tin of cookies from recipes passed down from our grandmother and then baked yearly by our mom," Carol Miller, Al's older sister, told me. "Ten different recipes."

Al had two younger brothers as well: Dave and Ralph. Ralph died from cancer. Al and his sister were especially close and shared frequent phone conversations.

"They were long and we laughed a lot and tried to solve the world's problems," she told me.

Al served in the U.S. Army after college and was stationed in Germany for a time.

He made a career in human resources, doing stints at Sara Lee and Northern Telecom.

He loved the Chicago Cubs. (That was his other tattoo.)

I asked Jenni to tell me some stories about her dad. She's spending Friday contacting relatives and making arrangements with a funeral home in Bartlett. She agreed to email with me.

"He was a very funny guy," she wrote. "He loved to don Groucho glasses, tell jokes (sometimes not-so-clean jokes), occasionally play pranks. He also loved to laugh himself. When he would laugh so hard he'd cry, and no sound would come out except little wheezy sounds when he was trying to catch his breath — that was one of my favorite sounds."

She wishes she had a recording of it.

"My parents, especially my dad, encouraged me to be an individual, to the point of weirdness," she wrote. "I was Jenny with a 'y' until the first day of

second grade, when Mrs. Wilhelmi asked all the kids how to spell their names, I decided on the spot that I was now Jenni." I went home and told my dad that I was now a different person, at the age of 7. He nodded and smiled and said, "OK," and only later did I find out that he found it utterly hilarious."

She asked for a ventriloquist doll as a kid and carried it everywhere she went, like a teddy bear.

"My parents must have heard all sorts of comments about their weird kid," she wrote, "but he and my mom supported it."

Jenni sent me a copy of the note her dad tucked inside that 2019 Christmas card.

"I talk about you often," he wrote. "You have character and a personality that is JENNI, not Jenny. I finally got that. I finally figured out why you would wear two different socks to school. That used to drive me crazy. Now I get it! Good for you! Love, Dad!"

That final exclamation point slays me. *Love, Dad!*

"When I see the people protesting the stay-at-home rules or refusing to wear masks and social distance when they're out, it makes me furious," Jenni wrote. "Those people are pretty much guaranteeing that they or someone they love will contract the disease, and then they or their kids or spouses or other family members will have to stare at them through the cold, hard glass of their ICU room, not able to talk to them or even hold their hand, for 18 days until they waste away and die. If my dad were able, he'd tell them, 'Cut the crap and get the hell back inside!'"

Miller said she's been following news stories about coronavirus.

"Watching stories of the families who have lost a loved one made me tear up," she wrote to me. "Now, I really understand what makes these deaths so hard. No hugs, no last 'I love you.' You cannot even hug those left behind."

The family will gather for a memorial service — "equal laughs and tears," Miller predicted — when it's safe. Meanwhile, Jenni is doing what she can over the phone.

"Most funeral homes are trying to avoid human-to-human contact, including meetings with families, to keep their staff and customers safe," she wrote. "It makes sense, but I don't think it makes the process of grieving and taking care of your deceased family members any easier. Being able to see and talk to human beings in person, even in a situation like this, makes the terrible stuff a little easier, and this is just one more thing the virus has taken away."

If you want to make a donation in Al Spinner's honor, Jenni suggests JDRF, formerly known as Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. Al had diabetes and was a huge fan of Chicago Cubs Hall of Famer Ron Santo, who was diagnosed with diabetes as a child. JDRF was a favorite charity of both Al and Santo.

And if you're joining your neighbors in song one of these evenings, if you're finding other ways to connect with your community or spread a tiny bit of joy or even if you're rooting for the Cubs to return soon, consider doing so in honor of Jenni and Al Spinner. They've touched and improved a lot of lives.

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Alderman proposes benefits fund for essential workers who die in a disaster

BY JOHN BYRNE

A Chicago alderman wants to create a fund to pay benefits to the families of city workers who die because they're required to work during a disaster such as the COVID-19 pandemic.

Southwest Side Ald. Raymond Lopez, 15th, said city workers deemed essential during a catastrophe should get benefits like police and firefighters who die in the line of duty. He plans to introduce an "Essential Municipal Employees' Death Benefit Fund" ordinance at Wednesday's City Council meeting.

Lopez, a critic of Mayor Lori Lightfoot, wants an initial \$1 million payment into the fund. That would cover an \$8,000 payment for the employee's funeral expenses, plus payments of between \$20,000 and



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Ald. Raymond Lopez, 15th, said benefits should go to families of city workers who die because they're required to work during a disaster such as the coronavirus pandemic.

\$40,000 to the surviving family members based on how many children are in the household and whether another parent is still alive.

Families would be eligible for benefits if a family member who works for the city dies "during any cur-

rent, continuing or future crisis, regardless if it is a natural or man-made phenomenon," according to Lopez.

While Lightfoot has ordered many members of the city's huge workforce to work from home, those providing services deemed

essential, such as garbage pickup, parts of the water department and various other agencies, have remained on the job.

"It is important that our employees know we have their back during times of crisis, especially when we are asking them to put their safety & well-being on the line in order to keep Chicago moving forward," Lopez said in a news release announcing his plan.

Lightfoot in recent weeks has announced the deaths of several city workers from the coronavirus, among them a parking enforcement aide and a water department plumber.

The Lightfoot administration did not immediately respond to questions about Lopez's plan.

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Rows of school buses are idle in a fenced lot Friday at First Student Inc. in the 4100 block of West Chicago Avenue in Chicago. Gov. J.B. Pritzker announced Friday that all schools will remain closed statewide to combat the spread of COVID-19.

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administration reported 1,842 new known COVID-19 cases statewide, including 62 additional deaths. That's the highest number of additional cases reported in a 24-hour period since the pandemic began.

Friday's tally brings the statewide number of known cases to 27,575, including 1,134 deaths, affecting 92 of the state's 102 counties. On Thursday, Pritzker's administration announced the largest number of coronavirus-related deaths in a 24-hour period, 125.

While the numbers of new cases and deaths have been consistently high, Pritzker and other officials have maintained the state is "bending the curve," meaning the numbers are no longer on a steep upward trajectory.

"It's flattening, the curve is bending, but it isn't flat yet," Pritzker said Friday. "I would like it to be flat, and then we know at least or we can have some confidence that it may start falling."

Illinois Department of Public Health Director Dr. Ngozi Ezike said that more widely available testing is likely a factor in the rise in high case counts, also noting that different numbers of tests are being done on different days.

"We did not think we were at our peak yet, so given that, we do expect cases to rise, Ezike said.

The administration is also considering the slowing rate of hospitalizations and people infected with the new coronavirus needing intensive care and ventilators, as well as the state's "doubling times," the amount of time it takes to double the number of cases and the number of

fatalities in the state.

"We have seen the length of time that it takes to double increase significantly, even more than I reported the other day, it's actually increasing, that doubling time, and that's a very good thing," Pritzker said.

Fatalities are often a "lagging indicator," Pritzker said, while hospitalizations are "the most definite indicator of where you are in the curve."

Pritzker's initial school closure order was first set to end March 30, then extended into April.

The governor said he will waive the student teaching requirement for future educators who have finished all other requirements needed to become licensed, so that districts are able to hire qualified teachers. He also has amended graduation requirements for high school seniors, allowing them to graduate without the normally required participation in consumer education and physical fitness assessments.

Illinois is slated to receive \$569 million in federal funding for schools, which will be used in part to address the "digital divide," the gaps in technology resources and internet access across districts. Public school districts in the state will receive federal dollars in proportion to the number of low-income students they have, Pritzker's office said.

"This pandemic has altered the fabric of how we teach, learn, and connect, but it has not shaken the core of what our schools do, which is take care of Illinois' children and prepare them for what's next," Illinois schools Superintendent Carmen Ayla said.

Teachers unions — including the Chicago Teachers Union and the Illinois Federation of



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"Trust me when I say this was not a decision I made lightly," Gov. J.B. Pritzker said of keeping schools closed.

Teachers, praised the decision to close for the year though CTU also said the city must find ways to make remote learning equitable for all students, including those who don't have internet access at home.

"Every epidemiologist worth his or her salt has identified Cook County, the city of Chicago, as a hot spot," CTU Vice President Stacy Davis Gates said. "We can make up learning, we can figure out curriculum. We cannot figure out how to make up lost lives."

Pritzker said Friday "no decision has been made" about extending the stay-at-home order, but he's hinted this week that it will be extended, with possible modifications.

The statewide stay-at-home order is in effect until the end of this month. The order took effect March 21, and has been extended once so far.

Chicago Mayor Lori Lightfoot, speaking at an unrelated news conference earlier Friday, said Chicago Public Schools had been "working on contingency plans really since the very beginning of this pandemic."

The mayor said the city "will come out with some communications to help students and parents, obviously faculty and staff, adapt to the latest phase of

this very long and complicated process."

Illinois schools will not have to make up the academic days lost to the coronavirus shutdown, but are required to have remote e-learning available for pupils.

West Side Ald. Michael Scott Jr., 24th, who chairs the City Council Education Committee, said he was disappointed by Pritzker's announcement, "but obviously the governor has more information about the curve and the health of the state of Illinois."

Students do better on several fronts if their teachers can see them, Scott said. "I'm not saying the e-learning isn't sufficient, but you get a better educational experience in person," Scott said.

"And then, for students in Chicago Public Schools in particular, it's easier to fall through the cracks with some of the issues they face if the teachers aren't seeing them," Scott said. "If a teacher can't see a student and say 'You look malnourished,' that makes it tougher, obviously, to be certain those students are getting what they need."

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Trump urges states to 'LIBERATE!'

He aims tweets at Democratic-led Minn., Mich., Va.

BY ZEKE MILLER AND MATT SEDENSKY
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump urged supporters to “LIBERATE” three states led by Democratic governors Friday, apparently encouraging the growing protests against stay-at-home restrictions aimed at stopping the coronavirus.

A day after laying out a road map to gradually reopen the crippled economy, Trump took to Twitter with the rhetoric some of his supporters have used in demanding the lifting of the orders that have thrown millions of Americans out of work.

“LIBERATE MINNESOTA!” “LIBERATE MICHIGAN!” “LIBERATE VIRGINIA,” he said in a tweet-storm in which he also lashed out at New York Gov. Andrew Cuomo for criticizing the federal response. Cuomo “should spend more time ‘doing’ and less time ‘complaining,’” the president said.

Responding to pleas from governors for help from Washington in ramping up testing for the virus, Trump put the burden back on them: “The States have to step up their TESTING!”

Trump’s tweets began moments after a Fox News report by Mike Tobin about protests in Minnesota and elsewhere. The report featured a protester from Virginia saying “those of us who are healthy and want to get out of our house and



Protesters demanding the reopening of businesses and government in Florida march Friday in Orlando.

JOHN RAOUX/AP

do business, we need to get this going again. It's time.”

On a phone call between Vice President Mike Pence and Senate Democrats, Sen. Tim Kaine of Virginia asked why Trump was trying to incite division in the middle of pandemic, in reference to Trump’s “LIBERATE” tweets, according to a person familiar with the call.

When Pence said that the administration was working respectfully with governors, Kaine noted that the tweets in question were not respectful.

Trump has repeatedly expressed his desire to see businesses reopen quickly and claimed this week that he possesses total authority

over the matter, even though the lockdowns and other social-distancing measures have been imposed by state and local leaders.

On Thursday, the president detailed a three-step set of guidelines for easing restrictions over a span of several weeks in places that have robust testing and are seeing a decrease in COVID-19 cases, assuring the nation’s governors: “You’re going to call your own shots.”

In Florida, GOP Gov. Ron DeSantis gave the green light for municipalities to reopen beaches and parks if they could do so safely. In Texas, Republican Gov. Greg Abbott said

stores could begin selling curbside, nonessential surgery could resume and state parks could reopen.

But governors of both parties Friday suggested they would be cautious in returning to normal, with some of them warning that they can’t do it without help from Washington to expand testing.

“The federal government cannot wipe its hands of this and say, ‘Oh, the states are responsible for testing,’” Cuomo said. “We cannot do it without federal help.”

West Virginia Gov. Jim Justice, a Republican ally of Trump’s, said he would listen to medical experts in deciding how to move for-

ward.

“I am not going to do something that I feel in my heart is the wrong thing that’s going to endanger our people,” he said.

Washington Gov. Jay Inslee, a Democrat, went further Friday, saying Trump’s tweets about “liberating” states put millions of Americans at risk of contracting COVID-19.

“His unhinged rantings and calls for people to ‘liberate’ states could also lead to violence,” Inslee said. “We’ve seen it before. The president is fomenting domestic rebellion and spreading lies even while his own administration says the virus is real and is deadly.”

The clash between Trump and Cuomo was personal, with the president complaining the governor hasn’t said thanks for the help he has received from Washington. Cuomo countered by saying: “I don’t know what I’m supposed to do, send a bouquet of flowers? ‘Thank you to the federal government for participating in a federal emergency.’”

Even in largely rural states with small populations, such as Wyoming, Maine and South Dakota, governors said they were not anxious to quickly resume business as usual.

“Until we’ve got the testing up to speed — which has got to be part of the federal government stepping in and helping — we’re just not going to be there,” said Wyoming Gov. Mark Gordon, a Republican.

More than a month after Trump declared, “Anybody who wants a test, can get a test,” people report being unable to get tested. Labs and public officials say critical supply shortages are making it impossible to increase testing to the levels experts say is necessary to keep the virus in check.

Trump has denied that the U.S. has fallen short, asserting that the nation has the “most expansive and accurate testing system anywhere in the world.”

The official death toll in the U.S. surpassed 36,000, with over 690,000 confirmed infections, according to a tally by Johns Hopkins University.

The New York Times contributed.

GOP signals some wiggle room in virus aid standoff

Dems want more federal funding to go to hospitals

BY ANDREW TAYLOR
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Republicans signaled Friday they are willing to accept Democratic demands for additional federal funding for hospitals as part of an effort to break a stalemate over the Trump administration’s \$250 billion emergency request for a small-business paycheck subsidy program that’s out of money.

House GOP Leader Kevin McCarthy told The Associated Press he is also willing to meet a demand by House Speaker Nancy Pelosi, D-Calif., to set aside some of the requested “paycheck protection” funding for community lenders.

But he said Republicans would draw the line at Democratic demands for additional tens of billions of dollars in new funding for state and local governments suffering from plummeting tax revenues. McCarthy also said Republicans also want replenishment of another Small Business Administration program that

offers disaster loans.

“I think it’ll be (paycheck protection), the other SBA, the disaster portion. And probably some hospital money,” McCarthy said in an interview Friday with AP. “I don’t think you’ll see any money for states in there because states already have it.” State and local governments were awarded \$150 billion last month.

The House met in a pro forma session on Friday in which no business was conducted. A Senate session quickly adjourned Thursday without any progress. The next meeting of either House or Senate is a Senate session on Monday that could be used for legislative action if all sides agree.

Negotiations are continuing into the weekend and pressure is mounting since the SBA announced Thursday it has reached its \$349 billion lending limit and is no longer accepting applications.

At issue is a \$349 billion Paycheck Protection Program that is a centerpiece of last month’s massive rescue bill. The program gives grants to businesses with fewer than 500 workers so that they can maintain payroll and pay rent while shutting down their busi-

nesses during social distancing edicts.

But it has been swamped by businesses applying for loans and has reached its appropriations limit. Frustrated businesses are demanding more help, and pressure is intense on Democrats to deliver more.

“They can’t sustain this any longer,” McCarthy predicted, citing unrest among rank and file Democrats like Dean Phillips, a freshman from Minnesota.

“Many of these businesses — which together comprise the backbone of our economy — are on the precipice of insolvency. Congress must cast aside partisan affiliations and pass relief for these companies NOW. No delay. No excuses,” Phillips said in a statement. “This is for our country’s small business owners, their employees, and their families. We simply cannot afford to let them down.”

Thursday’s Senate session featured a short speech by a frustrated majority leader, Mitch McConnell, R-Ky., who said he had cleared the \$250 billion package on the GOP side but that Democrats would have stopped it.

“Democrats would not



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House Minority Leader Kevin McCarthy speaks before Speaker Nancy Pelosi signed the \$2.2 trillion aid package that passed the House on March 27 in Washington.

let us reopen the program,” McConnell said. “This really should be above politics.”

On Friday, Trump added his voice, tweeting that the “Do Nothing Democrats” should immediately return to Washington and approve the legislation. “END ENDLESS VACATION!” he wrote.

The Capitol is largely shuttered, requiring consensus from all sides for any legislation to pass, and top GOP leaders are vowing to stick closely to Trump’s request despite Democrats’ additional demands.

The Senate is away from Washington through May 4,

but it convenes twice each week for pro forma sessions that could be used to pass more coronavirus aid — though only if no senator objects.

The next Senate pro forma is Monday afternoon; no action is expected at a brief Friday House session.

McConnell, asked by a reporter whether he could support any agreement reached by Schumer and Mnuchin, was noncommittal.

“Well, look, we’d take a look at it. My members want to plus up the small-business program. We think the need is obvious,” he told reporters. “And all the mon-

ey for the other programs is not yet out the door. It doesn’t mean we won’t be dealing with them later, but we have an emergency, we ought to deal with it.”

Democrats want money for hospitals burdened under COVID-19 caseloads and additional funding for states and local governments straining as the economy slides into recession.

They also want to make sure the Paycheck Protection Program is opened up more to businesses that don’t have established relationships with banks that have been accepting applications for rescue funding.



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Some beaches in Jacksonville, Florida, welcomed back beachgoers on a limited basis Friday.

Some Fla. beaches, parks allowed to reopen

Associated Press

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — Florida Gov. Ron DeSantis on Friday gave the green light for some beaches and parks to reopen if it can be done safely, and north Florida beaches became among the first to allow beachgoers to return since closures because of the coronavirus.

Mayor Lenny Curry said Duval County beaches reopened Friday with restricted hours. He said the beaches can only be used for walking, biking, hiking, fish-

ing, running, swimming, taking care of pets and surfing.

The beaches will be opened from 6 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. to 8 p.m., Curry said in a video posted to

social media.

Gatherings of 50 or more people are prohibited and people must practice social distancing.

“Folks, this could be the beginning of the pathway back to normal life, but please respect and follow these limitations,” Curry said. “We’ll get back to life as we know it, but we must be patient.”

Florida officials were criticized for leaving beaches open during part of the spring break period last month. Most counties

closed their beaches in response or kept them open under restrictive conditions.

Other more high-profile beaches in South Florida, including Miami Beach, were closed by state order.

At a news conference in Fort Lauderdale, DeSantis said some municipalities should feel free to start opening up parks and beaches — if that can be done safely — with distancing guidelines remaining in place.

“Do it in a good way. Do it in a safe way,” DeSantis said.

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The death toll in Wuhan, where the outbreak first took hold and where daily life is getting back to normal, added nearly 1,300 deaths after China acknowledged an undercount.

'Tip of the iceberg:' Nations struggle to count virus toll

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Associated Press

BEIJING — China acknowledged Friday that the coronavirus death toll in the one-time epicenter city of Wuhan was nearly 50% higher than reported, underscoring just how seriously the official numbers of infections and deaths around the world may be understating the dimensions of the disaster.

The undercount stemmed from several factors, according to a notification issued by Wuhan's coronavirus response headquarters and published by the official Xinhua News Agency.

The reasons included the deaths of people at home because overwhelmed hospitals had no room for them, mistaken reporting by medical staff focused on saving lives and deaths at a few medical institutions that weren't linked to the epidemic information network, it said.

In Italy, Spain, Britain, the United States and elsewhere, similar doubts emerged as governments revised their death tolls or

openly questioned the accuracy of them.

"We are probably only seeing the tip of the iceberg," said Barcelona University epidemiologist Antoni Trilla, who heads the Spanish government's expert panel on the crisis.

Worldwide, the outbreak has infected more than 2.2 million people and killed over 148,000, according to a Johns Hopkins University tally based on figures supplied by government health authorities around the globe. The death toll in the U.S. topped 33,000, with more than 690,000 confirmed infections.

Authorities say infections and deaths have been underreported almost everywhere. Thousands have died with COVID-19 symptoms — many in nursing homes, which have been ravaged by a disease that hits the elderly the hardest — without being tested.

Four months into the outbreak, nations are still struggling to increase their testing capacity, and many are still far from their goal.

In Italy, officials have acknowledged that the country's official death toll of more than 22,000 under-

states the true number, primarily because it doesn't include those who died in nursing homes and were not tested.

A government survey released Friday of about one-third of Italy's nursing homes found more than 6,000 residents have died since Feb. 1. It was unclear how many were a result of COVID-19.

And in Spain, the country's 17 autonomous regions were ordered to adopt uniform criteria on counting the dead. The country has recorded more than 19,000 deaths, but the system leaves out patients who had symptoms but were not tested before they died.

"There is a general feeling that the epidemiologists don't have a clue of what's going on, that experts know even less and that governments are concealing information, but I don't think that's true," said Hermelinda Vanaclocha, an epidemiologist on Spain's top virus advisory panel. "It's simply not easy."

China raised its overall death toll to over 4,600 after Wuhan, where the outbreak first took hold, added nearly 1,300 deaths.

Ex-Trump fixer to serve rest of prison sentence at home

BY MICHAEL BALSAMO
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump's former lawyer and longtime fixer Michael Cohen will be released from federal prison to serve the remainder of his sentence in home confinement because of the coronavirus pandemic.

Cohen is locked up at FCI Otisville in New York after pleading guilty to numerous charges, including campaign finance fraud and lying to Congress. He will remain under quarantine for 14 days before he is released. Federal statistics show 14 inmates and seven staff members at the prison have tested positive for the coronavirus.

After he is released, Cohen will serve the remainder of his sentence at home, according to a Justice Department official and another person familiar with the matter. They spoke on condition of anonymity.

Prison advocates and congressional leaders have been pressing the Justice Department for weeks to release at-risk inmates ahead of a potential outbreak, arguing that the public health guidance to stay 6 feet away from other people is nearly impossible behind bars.

Attorney General William Barr ordered the Bureau of Prisons earlier this month to increase the use of home confinement and expedite the release of eligible high-risk inmates, beginning at three prisons identified as coronavirus hot spots. Otisville is not one of those facilities.

As of Thursday, 473 federal inmates and 279 Bureau of Prisons staff members had tested positive for the coronavirus at facilities across the country. Eighteen inmates have died since late March.

Many federal inmates have been seeking home



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Michael Cohen began serving his sentence in May and was scheduled to be released from prison in November 2021.

confinement as the number of coronavirus cases grows in the federal prison system, but advocates have accused the Bureau of Prisons of moving too slowly to release inmates.

The Bureau of Prisons said it had moved more than 1,000 inmates to home confinement since March 26, when Barr first issued a directive to increase its use in late March. The agency said it is a "tremendous logistical lift that was accomplished through the marshaling of all of BOP's resources."

The Justice Department official said Barr had told senior officials at the Bureau of Prisons when he first issued his directives that they must apply the same criteria to all inmates and not give anyone special treatment.

On Friday, the Bureau of Prisons said it was moving about 111 inmates — most of whom are likely to qualify for home confinement or furlough — from the prison camp at Otisville into the medium-security prison at the facility so they could begin a quarantine period, which would be required before they could be released, as their records are reviewed.

A federal judge had denied Cohen's attempt for an early release to home confinement after serving 10 months in prison and said

in a ruling earlier this month that it "appears to be just another effort to inject himself into the news cycle."

But the Bureau of Prisons can take action to move him to home confinement without a judicial order.

Cohen, 53, began serving his sentence last May and was scheduled to be released from prison in November 2021.

Other high-profile inmates have also been released as the number of coronavirus cases soars.

Last week, a judge ordered Michael Avenatti — the attorney who rose to fame representing porn star Stormy Daniels in lawsuits against Trump — to be temporarily freed from a federal jail in New York City and stay at a friend's house in Los Angeles.

Avenatti had said he was at high risk of getting the coronavirus because he had a recent bout with pneumonia and his cellmate at the Metropolitan Correctional Center in Manhattan was removed due to flu-like symptoms.

Former New York state Senate leader Dean Skelos, 72, who was also serving a sentence at Otisville, is also expected to be released soon from prison to home confinement after testing positive for the coronavirus, prosecutors told a judge Wednesday.

NEWS BRIEFING

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Report: Africa could see up to 3.3 million deaths from virus

JOHANNESBURG — Africa could see 300,000 deaths from the coronavirus this year even under the best-case scenario, according to a report released Friday that cites modeling from Imperial College London.

Under the worst-case scenario with no interventions against the virus, Africa could see 3.3 million deaths and 1.2 billion infections, the report by the U.N. Economic Commission for Africa said.

Even with "intense social distancing," under the best-case scenario the continent could see more than 122 million infections, the report said.

Any scenario would overwhelm Africa's largely fragile and underfunded health systems, experts have warned. Under the best-case scenario, \$44 billion would be needed for testing, personal protective equipment and treatment, the report said, citing UNECA estimates.

Disagreement causes migrant aid groups to halt cooperation

BERLIN — Aid group Doctors without Borders said Friday it is ending its cooperation with partner SOS Mediterranée amid disagreement over the continued rescue of migrants.

Doctors without Borders, also known by its French acronym MSF, wants to continue operations in the Mediterranean Sea, despite attempts by some European governments to block rescued

migrants from being brought ashore because of the coronavirus pandemic.

SOS Mediterranée said it was temporarily suspending its operations "until the circumstances allow us to safely resume our work."

The two groups have jointly conducted rescue operations on the vessel Ocean Viking, rescuing thousands of people in distress at sea.

4 employees at Georgia poultry plant dead due to coronavirus

SAVANNAH, Ga. — Four employees of a major poultry producer's operations in rural southwest Georgia have died due to the coronavirus, a company spokesman said Friday.

Tyson Foods spokesman Gary Mickelson said three of the employees worked at the company's processing plant in Camilla, while the fourth person worked in a supporting job outside the

plant. He declined to say how many workers there have tested positive for COVID-19.

American workers who process the nation's meat have proven especially susceptible to the new virus, as they work closely on production lines. Several U.S. plants have closed because of outbreaks.

Mickelson said two other Tyson Foods workers have died from the virus at an Iowa plant.



ANDREY SHELEPIN/GAGARIN COSMONAUT TRAINING CENTER, ROSCOSMOS SPACE AGENCY

Welcome home to a new world: After more than 200 days in space, U.S. astronauts Andrew Morgan, left, Jessica Meir, right, and Russian cosmonaut Oleg Skripochka sit in their space capsule shortly after landing Friday near Dzhezkazgan, Kazakhstan.

Arms control treaty discussed as US, Russian diplomats meet

MOSCOW — U.S. Secretary of State Mike Pompeo and Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov discussed arms control and other issues Friday as Moscow has signaled readiness to include some of its latest nuclear weapons in the last remaining arms control pact between the countries if Washington accepts the Kremlin's offer to extend it.

The State Department said the diplomats discussed the next steps in the bilateral strategic security dialogue. Pompeo emphasized that any future arms control talks must be based on U.S. President Donald

Trump's vision for a trilateral arms control agreement that includes China, the State Department said.

Russian President Vladimir Putin has offered to extend the New START arms control treaty that expires in February 2021. The Trump administration has pushed for a new pact that would include China as a signatory. Moscow has described that goal as unrealistic given Beijing's reluctance to discuss any deal that would reduce its much smaller nuclear arsenal.

During Friday's call with Pompeo, Lavrov reiterated Moscow's offer to extend

New START, saying that Russia is ready to discuss possible new agreements but considers it important to preserve the existing treaty as a "cornerstone of global security," the Russian Foreign Ministry said. It added that the top diplomats agreed to intensify the U.S.-Russian arms control dialogue.

The New START Treaty, signed in 2010 by then-President Barack Obama and then-Russian President Dmitry Medvedev, limits each country to 1,550 deployed nuclear warheads and 700 deployed missiles and bombers.

College bribery scandal parent to get early release

BOSTON — A parent sentenced to six months in prison for participating in the college admissions bribery scheme will go home early because of the coronavirus pandemic, a federal judge has ruled.

Toby Macfarlane, a former real estate executive from Del Mar, California,

will be released to home confinement after his lawyers argued the conditions behind bars put him at serious risk of contracting the virus. He will be released after he completes a 14-day quarantine in prison on Tuesday, U.S. District Judge Nathaniel Gorton said.

Macfarlane was sentenced in November after admitting to paying \$450,000 to get his children into the University of Southern California as fake athletic recruits.

Macfarlane is among nearly two dozen parents who have pleaded guilty in the case.

Lawmakers urge police to be vigilant on racial bias

NEW YORK — Democratic lawmakers want police departments to be vigilant about racially biased policing during the coronavirus pandemic, as people in communities of color express fears of being profiled while wearing masks or face coverings in public.

In a letter sent Friday to Attorney General William Barr and FBI Director Christopher Wray, members of the Senate Judiciary Committee urged federal law enforcement agencies to provide anti-bias training and guidance to police officers.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommended that people who go out in public wear a surgical mask or a cloth to prevent the spread of the virus.

Some black men have reported incidents of racial profiling while following the recommendations from the federal agency.

Deadly clash: Philippine troops clashed with dozens of Abu Sayyaf militants allied with the Islamic State group in the country's south Friday, leaving 11 soldiers dead and 14 others wounded, military officials said.

Regional military commander Lt. Gen. Cirilito Sobejana said army scout rangers were maneuvering for an assault when they engaged about 40 Abu Sayyaf fighters in the forested mountains in Sulu province. The gun-battle raged for an hour before the militants withdrew.

A report said the militants were believed to be led by Abu Sayyaf commanders Radulan Sahiron and Hatib Hajan Sawadjaan, who have been blamed for kidnappings and beheadings.

Chicago Tribune BUSINESS

Small businesses can get emergency loans locally

BY ROBERT CHANNICK

Chicago-area small businesses shut out by the depleted federal Paycheck Protection Program may look to the city and state for emergency relief during the coronavirus pandemic, but they shouldn't expect a check anytime soon.

Established last month, the \$100 million Chicago Small Business Resiliency Fund has received more than 8,000 applications, but has approved only 124 loans for about \$4.7 million as of Friday, the city said.

"It is going to be a long process, we're moving as quickly as we can," said Rosa Escareno, commissioner of the Department of Business Affairs and Consumer Protection. "But we certainly understand that quick is just not quick enough for somebody who is really hurting right now."

The resiliency fund, backed by a \$25 million grant from the city, provides low-interest loans of up to \$50,000 for a five-year term, based on revenues before the COVID-19 outbreak. At least 50% of the

proceeds must be applied to payroll and a commitment to retaining employees.

The Chicago Community Catalyst Fund is providing \$50 million for the loan program. Other funding includes \$10 million from Goldman Sachs' Urban Investment Group, \$1 million from Fifth Third Bank, \$250,000 from development and construction firm Clayco and \$15 million from other private funding sources.

The loans prioritize neighborhood diversity and small business owners who may not have the banking relationships that proved so crucial in securing the short-lived federal paycheck program.

To date, about two-thirds of the loans have been disbursed to businesses in low- and moderate-income neighborhoods, Escareno said. "This loan has equity at its core," Escareno said. "This loan is intended to be in every neighborhood of the city."

That means first-come, first-served is a factor, but each day new loan applications from underserved

neighborhoods may rise to the top of the pile, which slows down the approval process even more.

It's clear the city doesn't have enough funding for the applications already in hand. The approved loans averaged about \$37,900 each, which at the current rate would mean fewer than 3,000 small businesses receive funding.

The application deadline for the resiliency fund is April 24. While "there just isn't going to be enough" money to meet demand, Escareno said the program is intended to supplement federal relief.

"This is the federal government's responsibility," she said. "This \$100 million is a lot but when the need is so great, it's just not going to be enough, and we need the federal government to continue to step in."

The federal paycheck program offered businesses with fewer than 500 employees forgivable loans of up to \$10 million to cover eight weeks of payroll. The Small Business Administration approved more than 1.6 million loans worth \$349



TED SLOWIK/DAILY SOUTHTOWN

Signs informing customers that the store is closed are taped to windows at Norman's Cleaners in Homer Glen.

billion before the funding ran out Thursday.

In Illinois, the SBA approved 69,893 paycheck loans worth nearly \$16 billion as of Thursday, with an average loan of \$228,529.

Nikkita Randle, who owns Twisted Eggroll, a five-year-old catering business based in Hyde Park, was among the frustrated applicants shut out of the federal paycheck program. She applied for a \$7,500 loan through her bank on April 3, but did not receive

notice of approval before the funding dried up.

She did, however, receive a \$10,000 loan Thursday through the city's program.

"It was a blessing for our business," said Randle, 36. "We've actually had to close because 90% of our business was corporate. This will help sustain us."

Like the city, the state is moving slowly in awarding its own emergency small business loans.

Illinois is offering \$90 million in emergency assist-

ance, including a \$60 million fund with low-interest loans of up to \$50,000 each for small businesses in every industry outside of Chicago. The loans are funded by banks and other lending institutions, backed by a \$30 million loan loss reserve, which includes \$20 million in state funds.

As of this week, the program has received about 2,500 applications requesting nearly \$140 million, according to Michael Negron, assistant director of the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity. The state has approved about 130 loans for less than \$4.5 million.

"I think it is not moving as fast as we would want it to move," Negron said.

Both the city and state loan programs are primarily processed through Accion Chicago, a nonprofit lending organization that focuses on underserved businesses.

Speeding up the approval process is a priority for Accion.

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Working from home a possible glimpse of virtual future

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The lockdown gripping much of the world economy has spurred a real-time stress test of the long-heralded digital future.

Virtual brown bag lunches have replaced office gatherings; schools have rushed out internet-based learning; the International Monetary Fund will this week hold its spring meetings online; and the U.S. Supreme Court for the first time will hear arguments by telephone and allow live audio broadcasts.

Virus lockdowns have seen millions lose their jobs as waiters, flight attendants, Pilates instructors and other service providers are shuttered.

That means sustaining those sectors that can function online has never been more important for a global economy facing one of its darkest periods since the Great Depression.

Gauging the exact size of the digital economy isn't easy: The United Nations Conference on Trade and Development estimates a range of 4.5% to 15.5% of global gross domestic prod-

uct. While that varies by country, it's clear the companies and nations which can migrate the most commerce online will go some way to cushioning the damage.

"The futurists are going to have a field day," said Mark Herlach an international lawyer at Eversheds Sutherland LLP in Washington D.C. "It will change the way we build our cities, the way we move around in those cities and that in turn changes our energy use. A whole series of knock on effects are coming."

Herlach — who has had

to steer negotiations between clients and government from his home and has used video happy hours and dinner parties to stay in touch with colleagues and friends — is positive on the experience so far, but worries about a lingering sense of isolation if more opt to work remotely once the lockdowns ease.

Cheaper internet connectivity has enabled explosive growth in online tools, allowing many white collar roles to be done at home and keeping managers and business owners in touch with their staff.

Users of Microsoft Teams soared to a new daily record of 2.7 billion meeting minutes in one day, a 200% increase from 900 million on March 16, the company said on April 9. Even amid security concerns, Zoom has gone from being used by 10 million office workers a day to more than 200 million people.

"Zooming" has become a new verb," said Michael Bowes, a barrister and joint head of Outer Temple Chambers in London. He and his colleagues hold a 'Virtual Tea Zoom Group' at 4 p.m. every Wednesday,

where everyone brings their own tea and cake for a general chat about nonwork issues.

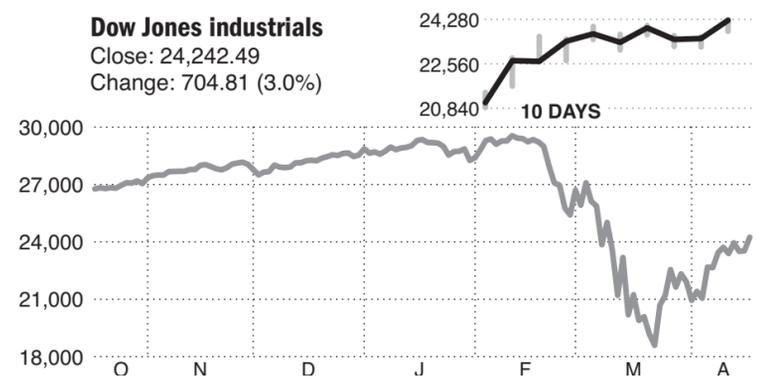
Already, some companies have an eye on how they'll change operations even when the virus dissipates.

Some are looking at cutting expensive travel and real estate budgets in favor of investing in better technology and home office set ups, said Satish Shankar, regional managing partner of Bain & Co. Asia-Pacific.

"We are poised for a dramatic wanton increase of the digitalization of our economies," he said.

MARKET ROUNDUP

Dow High: 24,264.21 Low: 23,817.15 Previous: 23,537.68



Nasdaq	S&P 500	Russell 2000
+117.78 (+1.38%)	+75.01 (+2.68%)	+51.01 (+4.33%)
Close: 8,650.14	Close: 2,874.56	Close: 1,229.10
High: 8,670.30	High: 2,879.22	High: 1,231.93
Low: 8,531.69	Low: 2,830.88	Low: 1,191.85
Previous: 8,532.36	Previous: 2,799.55	Previous: 1,178.09

10-yr T-note	Gold futures	Yen	Euro	Crude Oil
+0.04 to .65%	-31.20 to \$1,689.20	-0.05 to 107.58/\$1	-0.0019 to .9202/\$1	-1.60 to \$18.27

Major market growth and decline

5-day % change			30-day % change			1-year % change		
DOW +2.21	NASD +6.09	S&P +3.04	DOW +26.43	NASD +25.74	S&P +24.71	DOW -8.72	NASD +8.15	S&P -1.05

COMMODITY	AMOUNT-PRICE	MO.	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	SETTLE	CHG.
WHEAT (CBOT)	5,000 bu minimum- cents per bushel	May 20	528.50	536	524.50	533.50	+3.75
		Jul 20	529	535.75	525	533.75	+3.25
CORN (CBOT)	5,000 bu minimum- cents per bushel	May 20	319.75	325.50	319.50	322.25	+2.50
		Jul 20	326.50	332	326.25	329.25	+3
SOYBEANS (CBOT)	5,000 bu minimum- cents per bushel	May 20	839.25	842.75	831.75	832.50	-4.25
		Jul 20	848.75	851.75	841.50	842.25	-3.75
SOYBEAN OIL (CBOT)	60,000 lbs- cents per lb	May 20	26.30	26.61	26.23	26.29	-.01
		Jul 20	26.68	27.01	26.61	26.67	-.01
SOYBEAN MEAL (CBOT)	100 tons- dollars per ton	May 20	292.90	294.10	287.60	288.20	-3.60
		Jul 20	297.20	298.30	292.40	293.10	-3.00
LIGHT SWEET CRUDE (NYMX)	1,000 bbl.- dollars per bbl.	May 20	20.00	20.22	17.31	18.27	-1.60
		Jun 20	26.42	26.78	24.57	25.03	-.50
NATURAL GAS (NYMX)	10,000 mm btu's, \$ per mm btu	May 20	1.689	1.806	1.661	1.753	+0.67
		Jun 20	1.852	1.960	1.819	1.903	+0.58
NY HARBOR GAS BLEND (NYMX)	42,000 gallons- dollars per gallon	May 20	.7135	.7387	.6844	.7107	+0.0556
		Jun 20	.7591	.7900	.7389	.7646	+0.077

Source: The Associated Press

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.
Abbott Labs	N	96.01	+0.1	Dover Corp	N	88.49	+4.34
AbbVie Inc	N	83.45	+1.59	Envestnet Inc	N	57.52	+3.87
Allstate Corp	N	104.92	+4.99	Equity Commonwlt	N	33.89	-23
Anixter Intl	N	89.09	+2.8	Equity Lifesty Prop	N	63.40	+1.52
Aptargroup Inc	N	102.94	+1.09	Equity Residential	N	69.79	+4.56
Arch Dan Mid	N	37.19	+1.53	Exelon Corp	O	38.44	+1.34
Baxter Intl	N	92.95	+2.42	First Indl RT	N	35.57	+1.14
Boeing Co	N	154.00	+19.76	Fortune Brds Hm&Sec	N	46.60	+2.81
Brunswick Corp	N	38.86	+3.15	Gallagher AJ	N	83.60	+2.81
CBOE Global Markets	N	102.00	+4.06	Grainger WW	N	280.22	+30
CDK Global Inc	O	35.20	+1.02	GrubHub Inc	N	42.50	+2.20
CDW Corp	O	108.82	+4.57	Hill-Rom Hldgs	N	112.97	+0.7
CF Industries	N	28.29	+1.37	Hyatt Hotels Corp	N	57.06	+3.11
CME Group	O	191.62	+4.28	IAA Inc	N	33.84	+1.97
CNA Financial	N	32.73	+1.65	IDEX Corp	N	152.73	+5.90
Cabot Microelect	O	119.07	+6.55	ITW	N	158.58	+5.26
Caterpillar Inc	N	116.30	+4.11	Ingredion Inc	N	80.69	+4.84
ConAgra Brands Inc	N	33.58	+1.1	Jones Lang LaSalle	N	107.00	+1.0
Deere Co	N	138.46	+8.51	Kemper Corp	N	69.95	+3.67
Discover Fin Svcs	N	35.04	+3.35	Kraft Heinz Co	O	29.33	+1.0

MOST ACTIVE STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE	STOCK	CLOSE	CHG.
GEN	Gen Electric	6.84	+6.0
BAC	Bank of America	23.28	+1.86
F	Ford Motor	5.12	+1.8
C	Carnival Corp	12.56	+7.1
MFA	MFA Financial	1.78	+2.2
DLA	Delta Air Lines	24.27	+1.49
B	Boeing Co	154.00	+19.76
O	Occid Petl	13.63	+1.43
M	Marathon Oil	4.35	+4.6
W	Wells Fargo & Co	28.38	+1.49
E	Energy Transfer LP	6.16	+4.7
C	Citigroup	45.45	+4.93
EXX	Exxon Mobil Corp	43.22	+4.07
F	Freeport McMoran	8.34	+7.6
P	Petrobras	6.45	+3.1
AT	AT&T Inc	31.23	+1.07
N	Nokia Corp	3.48	+0.2
H	Halliburton	7.58	+9.1
M	MGM Resorts Intl	14.08	+2.6
S	Schlumberger Ltd	15.28	+1.23
U	Uber Technologies	28.00	+9.7
A	Aurora Cannabis Inc	.69	+0.2
C	Callon Petrol	.44	+0.1
K	Kinross Gold	6.06	-.08

LARGEST COMPANIES

STOCK	CLOSE	CHG.
Alibaba Group Hldg	209.50	-3.16
Alphabet Inc C	1283.25	+19.78
Alphabet Inc A	1279.00	+21.57
Amazon.com Inc	2375.00	-33.19
Apple Inc	282.80	-3.89
Berkshire Hath B	191.20	+3.24
Facebook Inc	179.24	+2.99
HSBC Holdings prA	25.58	+0.5
Home Depot	209.42	+9.57
Intel Corp	60.36	-4.3
JPMorgan Chase	95.18	+7.85
Johnson & Johnson	152.02	+2.35
MasterCard Inc	259.97	+13.21
Microsoft Corp	178.60	+1.56
Procter & Gamble	124.69	+3.19
Unitedhealth Group	290.56	-7.87
Verizon Comm	58.46	+8.0
Visa Inc	169.54	+7.12
WalMart Strs	132.12	-2.1

LARGEST MUTUAL FUNDS

FUND	NAV	CHG	1-YR
American Funds AmrcnBalA	m	26.90	+3.8
American Funds CptWldGrncA	m	44.85	+1.03
American Funds CptIncBldrA	m	55.84	+1.11
American Funds FdmIntInvSA	m	53.79	+1.28
American Funds GfAmrcA	m	48.62	+9.3
American Funds IncAmrcA	m	20.55	+4.6
American Funds InvCmrcA	m	35.16	-8.1
American Funds NwPrspctV1	m	42.49	+1.12
American Funds WAMtinvsA	m	41.64	+1.16
Dodge & Cox Inc		14.20	+8.0
Dodge & Cox IntlStk		31.28	+1.03
Dodge & Cox Stk		147.66	+5.66
DoubleLine TlRetBdl		10.51	+4.0
Fidelity 500IdxPrm		99.70	+2.61
Fidelity Contrafund		13.14	+2.1
Fidelity InvMktAdmrl		11.81	-0.1
Fidelity TlMktIdxPrm		79.28	+2.21
Fidelity USBdlIdxPrm		12.44	-0.3
Franklin Templeton IncA1	m	2.04	+0.4
Metropolitan West TlRetBdl		11.35	-0.1
PGIM Investments TlRetBdZ		14.26	-0.2
PIMCO IncI2		11.16	+0.2
PIMCO IncIstl		11.16	+0.2
PIMCO TlRetIns		10.64	-0.2
Schwab SP500Idx		44.21	+1.16
T. Rowe Price BCGR		121.08	+1.81
T. Rowe Price GrStk		69.71	+1.29
Vanguard 500IdxAdmrl		265.58	+6.95
Vanguard BalIdxAdmrl		36.89	+5.9
Vanguard DivGrv		27.70	+8.0
Vanguard GrdAdmrl		90.88	+1.73
Vanguard HAdmrl		85.65	+1.94
Vanguard Int'ngAdm		10.16	-0.1
Vanguard Int'ngAdm		14.38	-0.1
Vanguard InslIdxIns		256.64	+6.71
Vanguard InslIdxInsPlus		256.65	+6.71
Vanguard InslTSMlInPls		59.64	+1.67
Vanguard IntlGrAdmrl		95.69	+2.02
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EDITORIALS

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

Vermont couple inspired by Pritzker

Because our son now lives in Chicago, we watched a recent address to Illinois by its governor, J.B. Pritzker. He began with humor at his own expense, laughing about how some people watch his telecasts with libation in hand, sipping the “Pritzker spritzer.”

Then Pritzker leapt into the heavy matters at hand, a woman to his right signing for the hearing-impaired, as he cited recent data of cases and casualties, but emphasized signs of hope from the actions of individuals and organizations in the state. Rather than take credit, he dealt it out like aces to many organizations that, often despite the dangers, were ministering to the oft-neglected and the nearly invisible. Over and over, he lauded efforts on behalf of the elderly, the disabled, underserved youths, those in behavioral health care, those in need of shelter and of food, sweeping the state from Murphysboro (a locus for immigrants) to Chicago, naming counties and honoring leaders and volunteers.

Rather than beginning with “I,” he used phrases triggered by “fighting for,” until they became a torrent of goodwill and of unselfishness, on the parts of nearly too many to name. Never once did he tout his own office, nor wax political. He never stooped to deflect criticism by demeaning or attacking others. Instead, he used the podium to deliver a positive message, backed by fact and by medical science, underpinned by the many heroic acts statewide. Near the end, he cited several celebrities — a rapper, a Cubs player, an actress — who had joined All In Illinois to lend their expertise or influence for the good of others, to uplift spirits however they could.

Was Pritzker’s intent to lay down guidelines for how a leader leads at times of such a deadly crisis, like a Scout oath? No, but that is how it came off to my wife and me, in a tiny, store-less rural Vermont town. “That is what a leader looks like!” exclaimed my wife, wiping her eyes. Indeed, Pritzker’s pitch was a spritzer. Here was a leader who showed compassion, humility and the power of communal action; who sought no praise but lavished it on others; who used his position not to politicize a pandemic but to emphasize all that was being done to counteract it, for his citizens — all of his citizens — by his citizens. We will drink to that.

— *Geoff Marchant, Belvidere, Vermont*

Let us mourn on Memorial Day

My wife and I listened to the sirens wailing for the dead and said a prayer from our apartment window in Beijing. The moment marked the start of Qingming, or Tomb-Sweeping Day, which honors passed ancestors. The poignancy of the moment among those of us living should not be denigrated, but given due measure of appreciation.

It had me thinking to remember the few moments of silence that commemorated 9/11 for a few years afterward. How a people honor their dead speaks much of their culture, and in many ways we are left wanting in the United States. Certainly, there are manifold individual acts of graveside work done with solemn care to revere our passed family.

However, this virus and the quarantine conditions it necessitates have robbed so many families of sharing the final, precious moments before a loved one passes. Even less the chance for funerals to mark the life that was lost.

This year, our country should mark Memorial Day, in a way similar, to provide national grief and shared pain the unfortunate deaths of those taken. We should also mark the life we the living still breathe in their memory. It is a chance to offer the best of ourselves for each other. Perhaps to be, as Robert Kennedy spoke on the dark night of April 4, 1968, following the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr.’s assassination, a country united in “love and wisdom, and compassion toward one another.”

By Memorial Day, if we’re lucky, we may see the infection curve settle into a downward trajectory. If not, the date will likely mark the halfway point in our efforts to contain and defeat the virus. Both deserve a moment to reflect upon loss and then rejoice in life.

What say you?

— *Jeffrey Thornton, Beijing, formerly of Marquette, Michigan*

Why we can’t go back ‘to normal’

Lately, it has been said that people just want to “go back to normal.” The coronavirus has upended everything we know to be “normal.”

But let’s consider what “normal” looks like to some people.

“Normal” is having your health insurance tied to your job and suddenly losing both, plus housing. “Normal” is driving hours back and forth to a job that doesn’t pay you enough, doesn’t care if you drop dead or become ill, and doesn’t properly protect you from hazardous conditions. “Normal” means that our politicians don’t warn of an impending pandemic but will dump their stocks after a closed-door meeting regarding said pandemic. “Normal” means that billionaires, many who have paid zero in taxes, will not help us or will give laughable amounts of money compared to what they are worth just to say they helped. “Normal” is having a half a million homeless people, half of whom have a serious mental illness. “Normal” is having the largest prison population in the world. And “normal” has gotten us 2 million confirmed cases of the coronavirus and nearly 131,000 deaths worldwide, as of Thursday.

So, no. I do not want to go back to “normal.” I want this to upset our society to the point where things will change exponentially. If these hardships brought on by the coronavirus are new to you, do not despair. Let this radicalize you. We can bring about change; we can bring about a new normal. Enough is enough. The status quo is no longer an option.

— *Rosemary Callahan, Northbrook*



GLEN STUBBE/AP

A cardboard cutout of President Donald Trump is propped up outside Minnesota Gov. Tim Walz’s official residence Friday in St. Paul, Minnesota. Trump tweeted his support for a protest outside Walz’s residence.

Pritzker, Trump and the path back from COVID-19

Thursday was one of the grimmest days of the coronavirus pandemic. A total of 4,591 Americans died of the disease in a 24-hour period, according to The Wall Street Journal — nearly double the previous daily high. That afternoon, Illinois reported that the previous 24 hours were the deadliest day yet for Illinois, with 125 fatalities, breaking the previous record of 82. On Friday the tally rose again.

Thursday also brought glimmers of hope. There has been plenty of disagreement and sniping between President Donald Trump and many of the nation’s governors on an assortment of issues related to the outbreak. Now we are seeing a welcome convergence on how to move forward.

On Thursday, Gov. J.B. Pritzker and six other Midwestern governors announced the formation of a coalition to coordinate steps they will take to ease restrictions while trying to prevent the spread of the deadly virus. Pritzker said each state will make its own decisions, “but with shared priorities,” following a “data-driven approach.”

Wisconsin Gov. Tony Evers took one step Thursday, extending his state’s stay-at-home order until May 26, but allowing some “nonessential” businesses to undertake basic operations, “including deliveries, mailings, and curbside pickup,” starting April

24. Golf courses will be allowed to reopen with some limits. Ohio Gov. Mike DeWine said he plans to start a new phase May 1.

Pritzker isn’t going there yet. He announced Friday that schools will stay closed for the rest of the current academic year. He hasn’t said when he’ll ease other rules.

Meanwhile, the White House released its “Opening Up America Again” guidelines, outlining a three-stage process that sounds compatible with what most governors seem to have in mind. The first phase would commence once a state or region documents a decline in new cases or positive tests and hospitals implement “robust” testing programs for their employees. Large venues could resume operation with strict social distancing.

In Phase Two, nonessential travel would be allowed, schools, day care and camps would reopen, and bars could operate “with diminished standing-room occupancy.” In the third phase, senior care facilities would allow visitors, and employers could go back to “unrestricted staffing.”

Though these latter stages may be months away, the president said he thinks some states could start Phase One now. Crucially, Trump told governors, “You’re going to call your own shots.”

So we now have a road map for

getting from the current shutdown to a recognizable world and functioning economy. Expect setbacks along the way, warned Dr. Anthony Fauci, the government’s top infectious disease expert.

That’s the right strategy, one Trump supports, except at those moments when his frustrations overwhelm self-control. On Friday he lent his support to an anti-stay-at-home protest targeting Michigan’s Democratic Gov. Gretchen Whitmer. “LIBERATE MICHIGAN!” he tweeted. He said the same thing about Minnesota and Virginia.

Governors have an obligation to pay attention to the needs of their constituents, and to demand no more inconvenience than necessary. But they also need to resist the temptation to ease up prematurely, which could undo the progress made so far. The erratic signals from Trump undermine the very policies the president and his coronavirus task force have advocated.

The broad consensus on coping with the crisis, however, should help ensure that every level of government proceeds in a careful, deliberate fashion. As that process unfolds, it will be essential to continually reassess what everyone’s doing as new evidence emerges. But for Americans chafing in their constricted new environment, it should be heartening to see the pathway out of it.

WHAT OTHERS ARE SAYING

As his name suggested, Weird Al Yankovic’s comedy operated right at the hot spot of my childhood agonies: weirdness versus normalcy, insider versus outsider. What a Weird Al parody did was enact a tiny revolution. It took the whole glamorous architecture of American mainstream cool — Michael Jackson’s otherworldly moves, Madonna’s sexual taboos — and extracted all of the coolness. Into that void, Weird Al inserted the least cool person in the world: himself. And by proxy, all the rest of us weirdos, along with our uncool lives. “Beat It,” a ubiquitous superhit about avoiding street violence, became “Eat It,” a nasally monologue about picky eating. (“Have a banana, have a whole bunch — it doesn’t matter what you

had for lunch. Just eat it.”) “I Love Rock ‘n Roll,” a churning anthem of hard living and the devil’s music, became “I Love Rocky Road,” a squawking paean to stuffing your face with ice cream. It is no accident that much of Yankovic’s music was about food — everyone ate food, every day, celebrities and nerds alike. It was the great equalizer.

This switcheroo was, for me, thrilling. I would sit there with my brother in our unglamorous living room, in a town where Michael Jackson would never even consider performing, and I would feel dorkily empowered. Weird Al had flipped the polarities of weirdness and normalcy. We had made it into the TV. We were normal.

Sam Anderson, The New York Times Magazine



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Making an impact together

How Lady Gaga helped Global Citizen's charity special come alive

BY CHRIS WILLMAN
 Variety

Saturday night's "One World: Together at Home" special will mark one of the few times in history that three top U.S. broadcast networks have joined together to air the same charity-focused entertainment special — and the first time there've also been so many ancillary digital platforms on board, too, from Apple Music to Twitter to YouTube. The coronavirus-related cause looms large, of course. But it's also not such a hard sell to bring huge blocks of cable networks and streaming services on board for a simulcast when the talent lineup includes Lady Gaga (who gets a "curated in collaboration with" credit), Taylor Swift, Paul McCartney, Lizzo, Billie Eilish, Elton John and dozens more.

Variety caught up with Hugh Evans, the Australian-bred philanthropist who is the co-founder and CEO of Global Citizen, an organization that is campaigning in support of the WHO's efforts to combat COVID-19.

(It should be noted that our latest conversation with Evans took place before the president of the United States declared that he planned to pull future funding for the World Health Organization, something that may add an extra note of urgency to Saturday's apolitical show in support of the WHO.)

A six-hour web pre-telecast show with dozens of artists will begin Saturday at 2 p.m. ET before the two-hour special gets underway at 8 p.m. ET on CBS, ABC, NBC and many other networks.

Q: When the show goes out for those two hours of prime time, will everything be prerecorded or is there any live component happening in the moment?

A: It's going to be all prerecorded live, but we are going to record some of it that day, because we want to make sure that it covers the beats of what's happening in real time. Because, you know, 12 hours is a long time right now, and we need to make sure that we have the best data on how to fight COVID.

Q: When this was announced April 6 with the hosts and top artists and almost every network we could think of on board, it looked like something that had had months of work go into getting to that point, but we know that's possible. How long was this in the planning stages?

A: Well, quite amazingly, it's not been in the works as long as you would anticipate. In fact, when we last spoke to you (March 24), we hadn't at all given it the green light to happen. Soon after that, we got another phone call from the United Nations' deputy secretary general, Amina Mohammed, and also from Dr. Tedros of the WHO (World Health Organization director-general Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus). Dr. Tedros had also spoken to Lady Gaga, because Lady Gaga's mum, Cynthia, is a WHO official goodwill ambassador. Everyone was seeing the immense momentum of what Chris Martin and John Legend



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Lady Gaga has helped raise \$35 million for "One World: Together at Home." The money will go toward providing protective personal equipment to front-line health workers.

built (in starting Global Citizen's daily music livestreams), and Lady Gaga said that she was willing to step up and help build this platform. So we all got together and we said, how can we have the biggest impact?

Q: It's not a fundraising telethon, right?

A: We don't want to ask people for their money, because people have lost jobs, and that's not the right thing to do right now. And so we said, OK, let's see if corporate America — plus philanthropists, plus world leaders — will step up at this time to play a bigger role to help support the WHO's urgent needs. And let's also see if we can also get them to support local charities here in the U.S. that are supporting the most vulnerable people who are on the front lines with food, shelter, health care, etc. So we convened a phone call with Lady Gaga and the CEOs of many companies, and the response was instant. All of a sudden, Procter & Gamble, Verizon, Johnson & Johnson, Cisco, IBM, Pepsi — they all literally in the next few days all agreed to be part of it, which was phenomenal. And then NBC had signed on already, and Doug Vaughan reached out to his colleague Jack Sussman at CBS, and then they reached out to Bob Iger at



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Teneo CEO Declan Kelly and Global Citizen CEO Hugh Evans spoke with Lady Gaga and several corporations to support the WHO.

ABC, and all of a sudden all the networks were on board.

Q: When you announced the show April 6, you said that \$35 million had already been raised in conjunction with the show before the general public had heard a word about it, with Gaga's help. How did that unfold?

A: Since I spoke to you last, that's a great

guy by the name of Declan Kelly from Teneo, who's one of our partners. He helped convene a teleconference call with Lady Gaga, myself and the leaders of many corporations and philanthropists. It was like just a Zoom call like you and I are on all the time every day. I think Cisco teed it up with their WebEx and everyone dialed in and we just had a conversation and we said, "Listen, we want to try to pull this off, but we know we need everyone to step up if it's going to be possible."

Q: Is it easy to say in a nutshell what those tens of millions of dollars already raised will go toward?

A: It's going to go towards providing protective personal equipment to front-line community health workers. Already the WHO has given over 2 million PPE supplies to over 120 countries, including 1.5 million diagnostic kits, and has also trained over 1 million community health workers on how to prevent COVID-19. And then also we've got a list of accredited charities — charities like Covenant House, like Feeding America and others, and we're encouraging the corporations and the philanthropists to also give some of their money locally as well. Having worked on this all my life, I can say the one silver lining in such a tragic situation is that people have been so generous.

Q: Some of the TV specials that have already been done during this crisis have gotten mixed reactions for having a mixed tone, trying to find the right balance between solemnity and sheer entertainment. Where do you see this one landing? Can people just have fun with their performances, or is this not the right occasion for that?

A: I think the tonality is we wanted it to be supportive of the community health workers. That's been our guiding light. We wanted it to highlight acts of kindness. You know, it is a hard time. There are record deaths a day in the United States, and they say that there's a real potential that in the days before the special, that'll be when peak deaths occur in the United States, which is obviously devastating. So we're very mindful that anything like that has to keep the focus on the mission, and has to keep the focus on the real heroes, which are the community health workers. And I think you can see that already in the way that Lady Gaga talked about it with Jimmy Fallon and Stephen Colbert and Jimmy Kimmel (the three late-night personalities who will be co-hosting the special).

Q: The word "curating" was used in reference to Gaga in the initial announcement. Is she helping with the music lineup, or is the fundraising really more her thing?

A: Oh, no, she's been helping with everything. She's been helping with the curation of the lineup, helping with the music, and with the artist engagement. Yeah, she's very much involved creatively. So, too, is Chris Martin. Chris, as you know, came up with the (initial livestream) idea, very organically, and also John Legend has been involved, and Priyanka Chopra, and great industry leaders like Michele Anthony and Julie Greenwald. It's no exaggeration that this is like one hell of a team effort. The amount of Zoom calls and WebEx calls ... it goes all night.

'EARTH' ★★★★★

A stunning doc about how we rough up our planet every day

BY MICHAEL PHILLIPS

There are sights in the calmly enraging documentary "Earth" — the furthest thing from an Earth Day-friendly Disney nature doc imaginable — so gorgeous yet so sobering, you may not quite know how to process what you're seeing.

Austrian filmmaker Nikolaus Geyrhalter and crew visit seven strange wonders of the world in a visual study of strip mining, tunnel-boring, marble extraction and other extreme topographical makeovers. These work sites are engineered, for one kind of profit and another kind of loss, by mankind on and under the planet's surface.

A copper miner in Spain puts it this way: "Earth offers us limited resources in a generous manner. Everything else needs to be won in a pretty violent way."

It's well worth seeing, for both cinematic and sociological reasons, and here's how. Facets Cinematheque offers fresh work by way of its newly launched streaming initiative, Facets Virtual Cinema. "Earth" is first up, available through May 1, with proceeds from the \$12 digital admission fee (good for a three-day period) being split between the distributors, Icarus Films/KimStim, and the exhibitor.

Each of the seven chapters in "Earth" begins with a staggering overhead establishing shot, rendering the earth-moving equipment, if you can make it out, in classic

No MPAA rating

Running time: 1:55. In English, German, Hungarian, Italian and Spanish with English subtitles.

ant-sized dimension. In California's San Fernando Valley, workers level the hills and create the roads for a massive suburban development. "Sometimes I feel bad," one man says. (The on-screen interview subjects, observed at close quarters doing their jobs, are not identified until the closing credits.) Then again, "everything was bought. And moved. And it is what it is."

At the Austrian/Italian border, a gargantuan tunnel-boring project drills into the base of a mountain, 17 meters at a time, for a future railway. In Hungary, an insectlike "dump-generating bucket-wheel excavator" 16 stories tall strip-mines coal out of 5-million-year-old rock. The project yields a startling discovery: fossilized trees, largely intact. In a nearby Gyöngyös, Hungary, museum, a curator discusses the findings. Humans, she predicts with a slightly mad smile, will have their run of this place and then die off.

"It is rather unlikely that we are on the right path," she says.

The men (plus a minority quotient of women) doing all this work view their day-to-day in very different ways, some



FACETS CINEMATHEQUE

A scene from the documentary "Earth," now streaming via Facets Virtual Cinema.

speaking as machine-obsessed conquerors, others as humble, conflicted participants in a game they know will not last forever. A Hungarian strip miner reflects on the changed landscape around him and talks about his need to "unwind" on long cycling trips. Recently he traveled north, to an unspecified glacier. To see the glaring effects of global warming and industrial pollution close-up, he says, left him "devastated," not unwound.

"Earth" moves on from there to Carrara, Italy's pearly white marble harvests; to Wolfenbuttel, Germany, where radioactive nuclear waste is being rescued from an abandoned salt mine; and to Ford Mckay, Canada, where First Nation residents report on the despoiling of the local rivers.

This is a film, and a director, whose methods are deceptively simple. A fixed camera; long, gradually revealing compositions; and the tact and grace to let the audience draw its own conclusions based on the evidence.

Geyrhalter made, among others, "Our Daily Bread," an equally arresting visual essay on industrial food production. We need filmmakers such as this one very badly these days. We need to know what we're up to as a species, in the name of comfort, convenience, attractive home furnishings and hazardous disregard for the global house we live in.

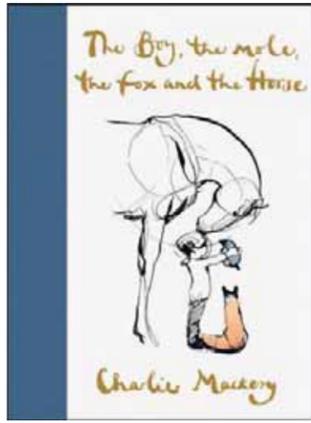
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NATIONAL BESTSELLERS

HARDCOVER FICTION

1. **"The Boy, the Mole, the Fox and the Horse"** by Charlie Mackesy (HarperOne) *Last week: 2*



- 2. **"Texas Outlaw"** by James Patterson and Andrew Bourelle (Little, Brown) *Last week: 1*
- 3. **"The Boy from the Woods"** by Harlan Coben (Grand Central) *Last week: 3*
- 4. **"American Dirt"** by Jeanine Cummins (Flatiron) *Last week: 5*
- 5. **"Redhead by the Side of the Road"** by Anne Tyler (Knopf) *Last week: —*
- 6. **"The Book of Lost Friends"** by Lisa Wingate (Ballantine) *Last week: —*
- 7. **"Valentine"** by Elizabeth Wetmore (Harper) *Last week: 4*
- 8. **"The Giver of Stars"** by Jojo Moyes (Viking/Dorman) *Last week: 7*
- 9. **"The Glass Hotel"** by Emily St. John Mandel (Knopf) *Last week: 11*
- 10. **"Blindside"** by James Patterson and James O. Born (Little, Brown) *Last week: 8*

HARDCOVER NONFICTION

1. **"Magnolia Table, Volume 2: A Collection of Recipes for Gathering"** by Joanna Gaines (Morrow) *Last week: —*



- 2. **"Untamed"** by Glennon Doyle (Dial) *Last week: 2*
- 3. **"The Splendid and the Vile: A Saga of Churchill, Family, and Defiance During the Blitz"** by Erik Larson (Crown) *Last week: 1*
- 4. **"Fortitude: American Resilience in the Era of Outrage"** by Dan Crenshaw (Twelve) *Last week: —*
- 5. **"Hidden Valley Road: Inside the Mind of an American Family"** by Robert Kolker (Doubleday) *Last week: —*
- 6. **"The Last Book on the Left: Stories of Murder and Mayhem from History's Most Notorious Serial Killers"** by Ben Kessel, et al. (HMH) *Last week: —*
- 7. **"Arguing with Socialists"** by Glenn Beck (Threshold) *Last week: —*
- 8. **"More Myself: A Journey"** by Alicia Keys (Flatiron) *Last week: 7*
- 9. **"Nothing General About It"** by Maurice Benard (Morrow) *Last week: —*
- 10. **"Open Book"** by Jessica Simpson (Dey Street) *Last week: 10*

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— Publishers Weekly



ASK AMY

By AMY DICKINSON

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Mom of 5 tires of reproductive queries

Dear Amy: I have five young sons. Everywhere I go, people ask me if I'm "done having kids" or if I'm "going to try for a girl." I get these questions from friends, acquaintances and complete strangers.

I feel that the topic of future reproductive plans is a personal one. But I am a friendly person, and I end up answering some pretty personal questions, so as not to hurt the feelings of the person asking. Honestly, I would rather steer clear of the matter entirely!

Sometimes I just say, "We love boys!" when people ask if I'm going to try for a girl, especially when my kids are listening. People still like to push the question further. I know I've hurt at least one person's feelings by trying to change the subject.

I understand people are curious about our family, but I would rather not discuss whether I'm done having kids unless I choose to bring it up, myself. What is a friendly way I can steer the conversation?

— A Mom

Dear Mom: You sound quite patient and understanding — great qualities in a mom of five young boys. ("We love boys!" is a fantastic answer when this intrusive question is raised in front of your children, by the way.)

I'm trying to comprehend how a person asking you about your reproductive plans could possibly have their feelings hurt when you deftly try to change the subject, but I take it as a given that sometimes people who are insensitive (or merely thoughtless) toward others

are extra-sensitive about themselves.

One way to respond to this sort of query would be to say, "Haha — aren't you sweet?" This is sort of a catch-all (Southern-born) phrase that you can plug into almost any awkward conversational gap.

You could put the inquisitor a little more on the spot by saying (with a smile), "Well, that's a pretty personal question, don't you think?"

Dear Amy: I am divorced from my ex-husband, "Barry," but he and I remain friends.

He is very open with me. He has been dating a nice woman for about a year now. She has some serious health issues, which I can sympathize with because I also have serious health issues.

Barry has been complaining about his girlfriend and the problems she has. He makes remarks about finding "a healthy woman." He told me that a woman he has had a "crush" on has asked him out. Barry says he is planning on "hanging out" with his crush.

I'm angry that he would even consider doing this! I think his girlfriend should be made aware of this, but I'm torn. She is preparing to have major surgery soon. The last thing she needs is a boyfriend that is not there for her and who is out with someone else.

What are your thoughts?
— Annoyed

Dear Annoyed: One advantage of moving a spouse into the "ex-files" is that you don't necessarily have to engage with them when

they are displaying their less attractive qualities.

Your being divorced doesn't give your ex license to display his awfulness to you without consequence. His choice to complain about his current partner and their relationship means that he is being more emotionally intimate with you than with her.

No, I don't think you should warn his girlfriend about him. Unless you and she are close friends, your warning would likely be dismissed by her — and dismantled by him. If you and Barry are truly friends, then as his friend, you get to deliver an occasional challenging truth. You could start with, "Barry, you are acting like a low-life. If we weren't already divorced, I'd divorce you all over again."

Dear Amy: I was deeply offended by your response to "No Thanks." This was a woman who didn't want to date men of different races. You called her a racist. That's not being racist.
— Offended

Dear Offended: It would have been very easy for this woman to simply tell any man who approached her, "No thank you," or "I'm not interested." According to her question, she was only looking for a response to repel men of other races.

I don't know the racial identity of the woman who asked this question, but "I stick to my own kind" is a racist trope, at least in my opinion.

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A Note from Brett Williams 6 Generation owner of Williams Ski and Patio.

"During these trying times, we are all looking for some hope. We are all looking for something to do. We are all trying to look towards a day when things seem to go back to normal.

Much is still unclear about what the future holds. How long will social distancing need to be practiced? Our family has been taking the same recommended precautions that experts have been giving.

With all of that said, my family and I are looking forward to the weather warm up in Chicagoland. The prospects of warm weather to get outside after being cooped up for quite a while is what we are hoping for. Not only have the kids gotten restless, but us adults have too.

We are very much looking forward to breath the fresh air and take in some rays of sun.

We know how important that is to our mental health. We know that having a place to spend time comfortably outside is critical for our

mental health. As we navigate through this uncertain time, we plan to take things one day at a time. We want to also be there as much as we can for people who want to create their own backyard retreat and safe-space.

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—Brett Williams



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Major Frida Kahlo exhibit rescheduled for next year

By STEVE JOHNSON

"Frida Kahlo 2020" is now going to take place in 2021. The new title? "Frida Kahlo: Timeless."

Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, the College of DuPage's Cleve Carney Art Museum is pushing back by almost exactly a year what it says will be the largest exhibition of the iconic Mexican painter's work in the Chicago area since the 1970s.

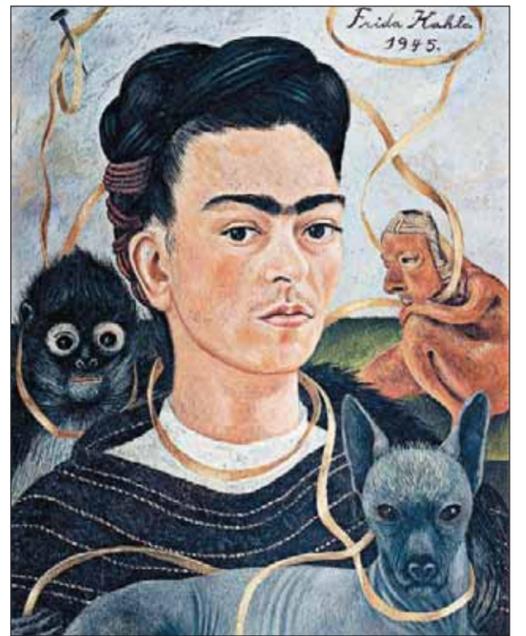
Originally scheduled for June 1 to Aug. 31 of 2021, the show will run June 5 to Sept. 6, 2021.

"This will give us the best opportunity to bring Frida's artwork to the widest community possible, and to present her legacy in the celebratory spirit with which it has always been intended," exhibition Executive Director Diana Martinez said in a statement.

The decision was approved by the college's board Thursday night. Ticket holders can use their 2020 tickets for corresponding dates next year according to a schedule at theccma.org/rescheduled. Or, beginning Tuesday, they can email the box office at themac@cod.edu to work out other arrangements, said the museum, which is part of the college's McAninch Arts Center.

The centerpiece of the show is 26 pieces that will be loaned by Mexico City's Museo Dolores Olmedo, work that will still be available to travel next year, officials at the west suburban museum said.

Set to be on display are famous paintings including "Portrait of Alicia Galant," which Kahlo identified as her first artwork, the self-portrait "The Mask," and "Broken Column," which references the artist's lifelong health struggles, according to Justin Witte, curator and director of the gallery.



MUSEO DOLORES OLMEDO
Frida Kahlo's "Self-Portrait with Small Monkey" (1945).

"This will give us the best opportunity to bring Frida's artwork to the widest community possible, and to present her legacy in the celebratory spirit with which it has always been intended."

— Diana Martinez, exhibition executive director

The show will also include a multimedia timeline, scores of photos from the artist's life, and a Kahlo-inspired garden.

The curator said this many Kahlo works have not been shown together in Chicago since the exhibition "Frida Kahlo" at the MCA in 1978.

Before her death in 1954, Kahlo traveled and showed in international art circles before her death in 1954, but it was a rediscovery and reevaluation of her work in the 1970s that began her rise to become one of the most famous artists of the 20th century.

Contributing to her popularity was the 2002 Hollywood biopic "Frida," starring Salma Hayek.

When the college announced the exhibition, it explained that it was happening because of a friendship between a key COD backer and the family that runs the museum, which says it has the world's largest trove of Kahlo works. Subsequently, the museum enacted an expansion and updating ahead of the Kahlo opening.

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WATCH THIS: SATURDAY



Emilie Ullerup

"Nature of Love" (8 p.m., Hallmark): Big-city girl Katie Ryan (Emilie Ullerup) has never had much of a taste for the great outdoors, but when the usual travel writer at the magazine where Katie works breaks her leg, Katie asks to take over a piece on a luxury resort where glamorous camping — aka "glamping" — is the order of the day. Christopher Russell stars as a wilderness guide.

"Tempted by Danger" (7 p.m., 11:01 p.m., Lifetime): Happily married with a baby on the way, Angela wishes her sister Nicole, a rising attorney, could find time for a better work-life balance, so when Angela hires Michael, a bright new executive, she also sets him up with her sister. The relationship seems to be going great guns, too, until Nicole starts picking up unsettling signals that Michael is acting too rashly and obsessively for her comfort.

"Goldfinger" (7:30 p.m., SUN): Sean Connery's third James Bond film introduces Harold Sakata as Oddjob, who enforces his boss's orders with a razor-edged bowler hat. Goldfinger (Gert Frobe) is the rich villain who, after buying up all the world's private gold, plans to contaminate the contents of Fort Knox. Honor Blackman stars as Pussy Galore, Goldfinger's private pilot — and one of Agent 007's romantic conquests. Shirley Bassey belts out the classic title song.

"Doctor Strange" (7:30 p.m., Syfy): Benedict Cumberbatch already had become a global superstar via his blockbuster TV success with "Sherlock" when he tapped into another huge fan base with this 2016 Marvel Comics-based smash, which casts him as gifted yet arrogant surgeon Stephen Strange, whose career is cut short by a near-fatal car crash. Subsequently, he becomes a master of the mystic arts. Chiwetel Ejiofor, Rachel McAdams, Benedict Wong and Tilda Swinton also star.

"Love Goals" (8 p.m., 11 p.m., 2 a.m., OWN): A new episode called "The Power of the Group" finds tensions starting to spike when Spirit leans on the group members to hold one another accountable. A heated verbal argument erupts after Benzino feels triggered when some of his peers call him out directly. That clash has Theresa nervously trying to leave before Dwayne makes things even worse by confronting Benzino himself.

"The Magnificent Ambersons" (9 p.m., TCM): Orson Welles' 1942 film based on Booth Tarkington's Pulitzer Prize-winning saga is the tale of two families at the turn of the 20th century. One is on the ground floor of a new industry, automobiles; the other is clinging to the horse and buggy. But romance intervenes in a multigenerational pair of Romeo and Juliet stories. Joseph Cotten, Dolores Costello, Anne Baxter and Tim Holt star.

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SATURDAY EVENING, APR. 18

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	NBC 5	One World: Together at Home (N) (Live) © HD				Saturday Night Live (N) © HD		NBC 5 News at 10pm (N)
	ABC 7	One World: Together at Home (N) (Live) © HD				The Baker and the Beauty: "Pilot." © HD		News at 10pm (N) ♦
	WGN 9	Friends ©	Friends ©	Friends ©	Friends ©	WGN Weekend News at Nine (N) (Live) © HD		WGN News (N)
	Antenna 9.2	It's a Living	It's a Living	It's a Living	It's a Living	It's a Living		It's a Living
	Court 9.3	Forensic	Forensic	Forensic	Forensic	Crimes	Crimes	Crimes
	PBS 11	Father Brown: "The Scales of Justice." (N) ©		Death in Paradise (N) ©		Shakespeare and Hathaway -- Private		Frankie Drake (N) ♦
	CW 26.1	One World: Together at Home (N) (Live) ©				Family Guy Burgers		Burgers
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	H&I 26.4	Tour of Duty ©		Combat: "A Day in June." ©		Rat Patrol		Rat Patrol
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ANIM	Bindi's Wedding (N)				The Zoo (N)		Saved By The Barn (N)	
BBCA	Seven Worlds, Planet				Life Story: "Home - Extended." (N) ©		Seven Worlds, Planet	
BET	Kobe Bryant's Muse ©				Get Rich or Die Tryin' (R,'05) ♦♦♦ © ♦			
BIGTEN	Football		Football		BTN Football in 60 ©		BTN Football in 60 ©	
BRAVO	♦ Fifty Shades Fifty Shades of Grey (R,'15) ♦♦ Dakota Johnson, Jamie Dornan. ©						One World	
CNN	Situation Room (N)				Situation Room (N)		Coronavirus: Facts and Fears ♦	
COM	One World: Together at Home (N) ©						Talladega Nights: Ricky Bobby ♦	
DISC	Homestead Rescue ©				Homestead Rescue: "Ohio Tire Bale Rescue." (N) ©		Rescue ♦	
DISN	Big City		Big City		Owl Hse.		Sydney-Max	
E!	♦ Monster		(7:45) Maid in Manhattan (PG-13,'02) ♦♦		Jennifer Lopez. ©		One World	
ESPN	♦ (6) Boxing				Boxing From Jan. 28, 1974.		Boxing	
ESPN2	♦ (6) The Race All-Star Series						SportCtr (N)	
FNC	Watters' World (N) ©		Justice With Jeanine (N)		Greg Gutfeld (N)		Watters ♦	
FOOD	Diners, Drive		Diners, Drive		Diners, Drive		Diners, Drive	
FREE	One World: Together at Home (N) ©						Despicable Me 2 (PG,'13) ♦♦♦ (SAP) ♦	
FX	Kingsman: The Golden Circle (R,'17) ♦♦ Colin Firth, Julianne Moore. ©						Breeders ♦	
HALL	♦ (6) Fashionably Yours				Nature of Love (NR,'20) Christopher Russell. ©		Royally ♦	
HGTV	Love It or List It ©				Love It or List It ©		Nate and Jeremiah (N)	
HIST	Ancient Aliens ©				Ancient Aliens (N)		The UnXplained (N)	
HLN	Death Row Stories ©				Death Row Stories ©		Forensic	
IFC	Training Day (R,'01) ♦♦♦ Denzel Washington, Ethan Hawke. ©				(9:45) Homefront ♦♦♦			
LIFE	Tempted by Danger (NR,'20) Keshia Knight Pulliam.				(9:03) My Nightmare Landlord ('20) ♦			
MSNBC	One World: Together at Home (N) ©						The Last Word	
MTV	One World: Together at Home (N) ©						Ridiculous. Ridiculous. Ridiculous.	
NATGEO	One World: Together at Home (N) (Live) ©						The 80's: Decade/Made	
NBCSCH	White Sox Rewind From June 17, 2005.						The 80's ♦	
NICK	Danger (N) All That (N)		One World: Together at Home (N) ©				Friends ©	
OVATION	Sneakers (PG-13,'92) ♦♦♦ Robert Redford, Dan Aykroyd.						Talented ♦	
OWN	Love Goals		Love Goals (N)		COVID-19: Black America		Love Goal ♦	
OXY	♦ (6) Snapped ©		To be announced		TBA		Oxygen Investigates ♦	
PARMT	One World: Together at Home (N) ©						Men in Black 3 (PG-13,'12) ♦♦♦ © ♦	
SYFY	♦ Pitch Black Doctor Strange (PG-13,'16) ♦♦♦ Benedict Cumberbatch. ©						One World	
TBS	Black Panther (PG-13,'18) ♦♦♦ Chadwick Boseman, Michael B. Jordan. ©						Last O.G.	
TCM	Casablanca (PG,'42) ♦♦♦ Humphrey Bogart.						The Magnificent Ambersons ♦♦♦ ♦	
TLC	Say Yes to the Dress: Atlanta (N)				Say Yes: ATL		Gypsy ♦	
TLN	Prayer		Pacific Garden Mission		In Grace		Wretched	
TNT	We're the Millers (R,'13) ♦♦ Jennifer Aniston. ©						50 First Dates ('04) ♦♦♦	
TOON	Dragon		Dragon		Amer. Dad		Amer. Dad	
TRAV	Paranormal 911 ©				Paranormal 911 (Season Premiere) (N) ©		The Alaska Triangle (N)	
TVL	One World: Together at Home (N) ©						Two Men Two Men Two Men	
USA	♦ John Wick		John Wick: Chapter 2 (R,'17) ♦♦♦ Keanu Reeves. ©				One World	
VH1	One World: Together at Home (N) ©						Wild 'n Out Wild 'n Out Wild 'n Out	
WE	Criminal Minds ©		Criminal Minds ©		Criminal Minds ©		Criminal ♦	
WGN America	Blue Bloods ©		Blue Bloods ©		Blue Bloods ©		Blue Blood ♦	
HBO	Stuber (R,'19) ♦♦ Dave Bautista.		(8:35) Westworld ©		(9:35) Westworld © ♦			
HBO2	(7:05) Mr. & Mrs. Smith (PG-13,'05) ♦♦ Brad Pitt.				(9:05) The Town (R,'10) ♦♦♦ ♦			
MAX	♦ (6:55) Unfaithful (R,'02) ♦♦♦ Richard Gere. ©						Revolutionary Road (R,'08) ♦♦♦ ♦	
SHO	Billions ©				The Holiday (PG-13,'06) ♦♦ Cameron Diaz. ©		Poms ♦♦♦ ♦	
STARZ	Outlander ©				(8:05) Once Upon a Time... In Hollywood (R,'19) ♦♦♦ ♦ ♦			
STZNC	♦ Butch Cassidy				The French Connection (R,'71) ♦♦♦♦ Gene Hackman.		Untouch ♦	

Free services to enjoy while stuck at home

How to access HBO, SiriusXM and Headspace

BY KARLA PETERSON
The San Diego Union-Tribune

During yet another bewildering week of sheltering in place, we can find solace in small blessings. Like sidewalk chalk hearts. And noise-canceling headphones. And carbs.

Let us also add our thanks to the honchos at HBO, SiriusXM and Headspace, who have responded to the COVID-19 crisis by offering some of their entertaining and comforting subscription wares for free. Here is a look at how to take advantage of your shut-in swag.

HBO

How it works: For the first time ever, HBO is making almost 500 hours of its premium-cable programming available to stream for free, with no subscription required. The free service runs through the end of April. If you want to watch on your laptop or other device, download the HBO Now app or go to hbonow.com on your computer. Look for the row of titles labeled "Stream for Free." The free programming is also available on the Roku Channel through May 15, but 20 free Warner Bros. movies go away April 30.

What's there (and not there): Not surprisingly, this special offer does not include such blockbusters as "Game of Thrones" or "Westworld." But why waste time quibbling when you can dive into every season of classics like "The Sopranos" "Veep" "Six Feet Under," "True Blood" and "Barry"? You also get free access to 10 documentaries and documentary series, including the riveting "The Inventor: Out for Blood in Silicon Valley," about Elizabeth Holmes and the horrific downfall of her Theranos medical-



Sonja Sohn, from left, Wendell Pierce and Dominic West appear in a scene from "The Wire," which is among the 500 hours of programming available for free through the HBO streaming service until the end of April.

technology fake empire.

Must-watch tips: If "The Wire" has always been on your Sometown Watch List, that day is now, my friend. And if the prospect of five seasons is too daunting, treat yourself to its towering first season at the very least. Television does not get any better than this. The sublime tech-nerd comedy "Silicon Valley" will have you doing ice cream spit takes, and there might not be a better distraction than the rich people shenanigans captured in the soapy, black-humored "Succession."

Pro tip: As they did in nonvirus times, Netflix, Showtime, Hulu, Amazon Prime and other streaming services are offering free 30-day trials. Make sure to set a calendar reminder to avoid the auto-pay blues should you decide not to become a paid subscriber.

SiriusXM Premier streaming

How it works: Now through May 15, the SiriusXM streaming radio service is offering free in-home access to more than 300 channels covering every era and genre of music imaginable, as well as news, faith-based content, comedy, sports, Howard Stern and the return of the Billy Joel and Dave Matthews Band channels. Download the SiriusXM app or go to SiriusXM.com/streamfree and click on "Start Streaming." Ignore the "Free Preview" button and the request to set up an account with a credit card. You don't need to do either.

Listen up: I can't vouch for any of the talk, sports or entertainment stations, but as a longtime subscriber and music fiend, I will happily put in a worshipful word for these rock-the-



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Howard Stern's radio show is among 300 channels SiriusXM is offering for free in-home access through May 15.

house channels: Little Steven's Underground Garage (a joyfully eclectic mix of soul, punk, pop and rock); the Bridge ('70s comfort from Steely Dan, Seals & Crofts and Fleet-

wood Mac); Sirius XMU (indie-rock from Beach House, TV on the Radio and Clairo); 1st Wave ('80s classic alternative); and the many mellow and/or happy channels under the "Work-

ing From Home" banner. If Taylor Swift can't make us feel better, maybe Beethoven will. And we'll always have Wham!

Headspace

How it works: To help anxious humans cope during this stressful time, the Headspace meditation app has created "Weathering the Storm," a collection of free content to help you decompress, stretch and sleep. After downloading the app to your iOS or Android device, you will be asked to provide an email address and create a password. Ignore the request to start a free trial and look for the "Explore" icon at the bottom of the screen. Click there, and you will find the "Weathering the Storm" category. You will not be asked to provide credit card information. At the moment, this free content has no expiration date.

What you get: This collection features two 10-day meditation courses, one covering the basics and one devoted to navigating change; five short meditations on pandemic-appropriate topics; two sleep-aiding meditations; and two of Headspace's signature cheerful animated videos. People on iOS systems also get two short video workouts dedicated to stress-releasing stretching.

Why it's worth a try:

According to my Headspace app, I have spent 196 hours meditating since I joined five years ago. Most of it has been in 10-minute increments, and those little slivers of time have added up to an ability to roll with life's punches that I didn't have before. This approachable app makes concepts like visualization easy to grasp, and resident meditation expert (and Headspace co-founder) Andy Puddicombe is like a security blanket in human form. Start with the charming "Remembering the Blue Sky" animation and just keep breathing.

Horoscopes



Today's birthday (April 18): Luck shines on your career this year. Nurture collaborative efforts with talented partners. An obstacle redirects your summer travels, inspiring focus on home and family. Resolve professional challenges before winter misunderstandings require attention, whetting your appetite for an incredible journey. Take your work to new levels.

Aries (March 21-April 19): Today is a 6. Review plans and adjust for recent changes. Communication can save you time and trouble. Share information, resources and solutions from your peaceful hideaway.

Taurus (April 20-May 20): 8. Friends help you navigate unexpected conditions. Make brilliant connections. Your team generates the solutions needed. Network and collaborate.

Gemini (May 21-June 20): 8. Buckle down for a professional test. You're up to the challenge. Follow the advice of a respected mentor or elder. Get approvals. Increase stability.

Cancer (June 21-July 22): 7. Explore a fascinating subject at a deeper level. Monitor travel conditions carefully before embarking. Costs may be higher than expected.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22): 8. Let your partner know that they're appreciated. Rely on each other to generate the necessary funds for your shared benefit. Provide encouraging words.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): 8. Together, you can really make things happen. Coordinate actions and put your plans in motion. Discuss practicalities and logistics. Adapt in real time.

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): 8. Practice exercise and fitness routines for strength, endurance and health. Talk with trusted coaches or friends about technique and raising performance levels.

Scorpio (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): 9. Share your heart with someone who makes it skip a beat. Talk about impossible dreams. Imagine what could be possible. Arrange a romantic tryst.

Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): 7. Household projects pull you in. Clean messes, and sort and organize papers and possessions. Let your home reflect your heart.

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): 8. Creativity abounds. Develop brilliant ideas into a concept worth sharing. Edit carefully. Copy what worked in the past, while adapting the story for current situations.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): 9. Manage financial obligations. Keep generating positive cash flow. Maintain an advantage. You're learning valuable tricks. Adjust expenses for income.

Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20): 9. You're growing stronger. Assertiveness can be effective. Ask for what you want, and you might get it. Talk over your ideas. Make a brilliant discovery.

— Nancy Black, Tribune Content Agency

The Argyle Sweater



Bliss



Bridge

East-West vulnerable. North deals

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

South's three-diamond bid was natural and game forcing. North's three-spade bid was ambiguous. Did he have a big hand for diamonds or was he worried about clubs? South couldn't bid three no trump with two little clubs so he bid four diamonds. North's five-club cue bid showed slam interest in diamonds so South bid the slam. A good auction.

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1NT	Pass	2♣*	Pass
2♥	Pass	3♦	Pass
3♠	Pass	4♦	Pass
5♣	Pass	6♦	All pass

*Transfer to hearts
Opening lead: 10 of ♣

Should he play on spades or hearts? The spade suit seems to offer the best chance, as there are more missing spades than hearts — hence less chance of an enemy ruff. The fall of the jack of diamonds, however, changed South's focus from spades to hearts.

A ruff by East wouldn't hurt, as it would be with the king of trumps presumably. Should West have both missing diamonds, however, he would be ruffing in front of dummy and that could be handled. Declarer led a heart to dummy's queen, a heart back to his ace, and then the king of hearts. Had West ruffed high, dummy's club would have been discarded. West ruffed low, so dummy over-ruffed and South switched to spades. The third high spade provided a parking place for the losing club and West was held to one trump trick. Nicely played!

— Bob Jones
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Dilbert



Baby Blues



Zits



Mr. Boffo



Frazz



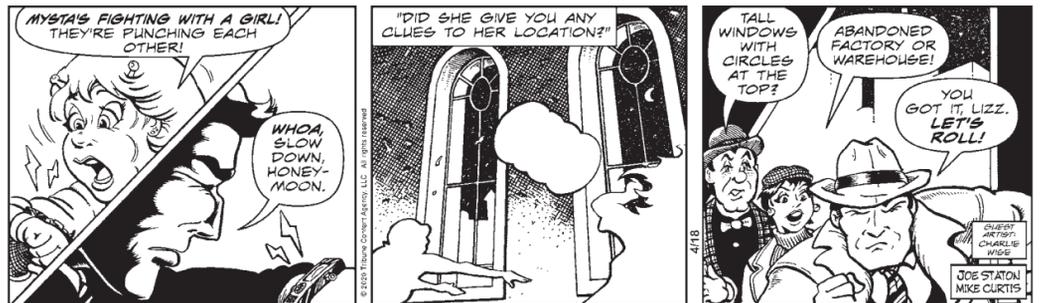
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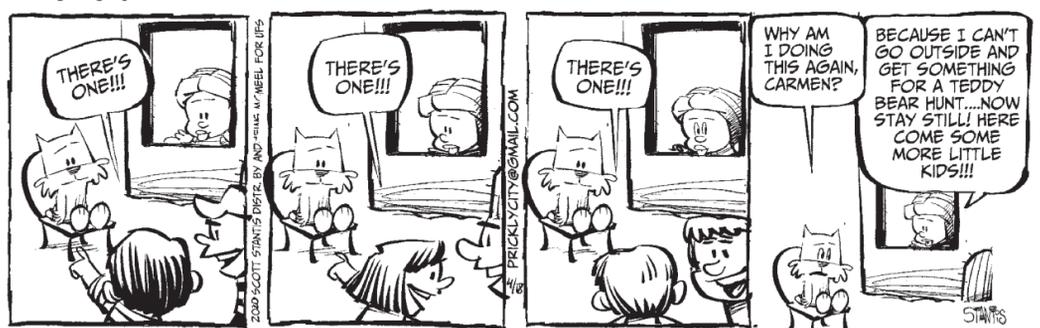
Dick Tracy



Animal Crackers



Prickly City



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For Better or for Worse By Lynn Johnston



Blondie By Dean Young and John Marshall



Hägar the Horrible By Chris Browne



Mutts By Patrick McDonnell



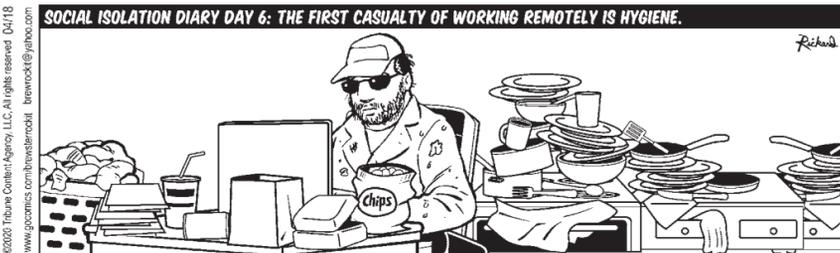
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Sherman's Lagoon By Jim Toomey



Brewster Rockit: Space Guy! By Tim Rickard



Broom-Hilda By Russell Myers

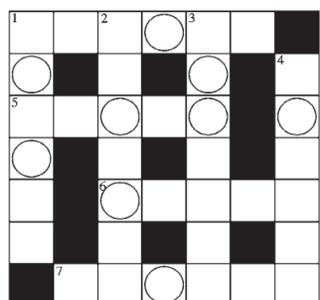


Trivia Bits

Tibetan momo, Mongolian buuz and Chinese ha gow are types of what?
 A) Dumpling
 B) Flower
 C) Goat
 D) Tent

Friday's answer: Taraji P. Henson won four consecutive NAACP Image Awards for her role as Cookie Lyon on "Empire."
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Jumble Crossword



ACROSS
 CLUE ANSWER
 1. ___ door GGREAA
 5. Last MANSE
 6. Course, way UERTO
 7. ___ shower TEROME

DOWN
 CLUE ANSWER
 1. Type of ale or beer INRERG
 2. Guilt, penance ERESRMO
 3. Nod, for example SGEREUT
 4. Captivate AREEDN

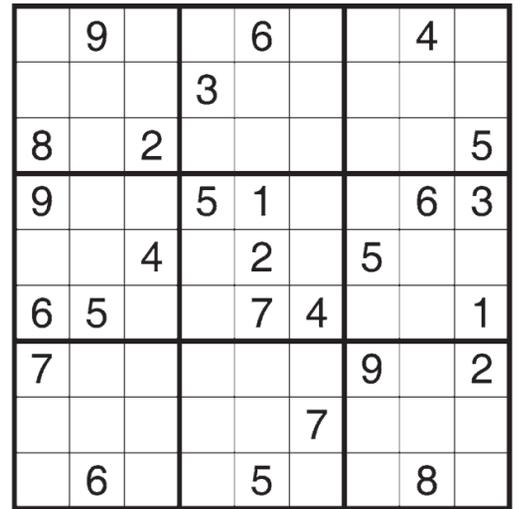
How to play - Complete the crossword puzzle by looking at the clues and unscrambling the answers. When the puzzle is complete, unscramble the circled letters to solve the BONUS.

4-18-20

DOUBLE BONUS
 The circled letters can be unscrambled to form two different BONUS answers.
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Sudoku 1 2 3 4

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

Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box in bold borders contains every digit 1 to 9.

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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PTYREO

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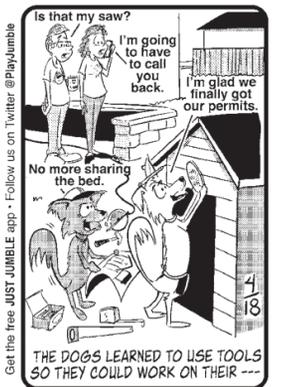
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Friday's answers

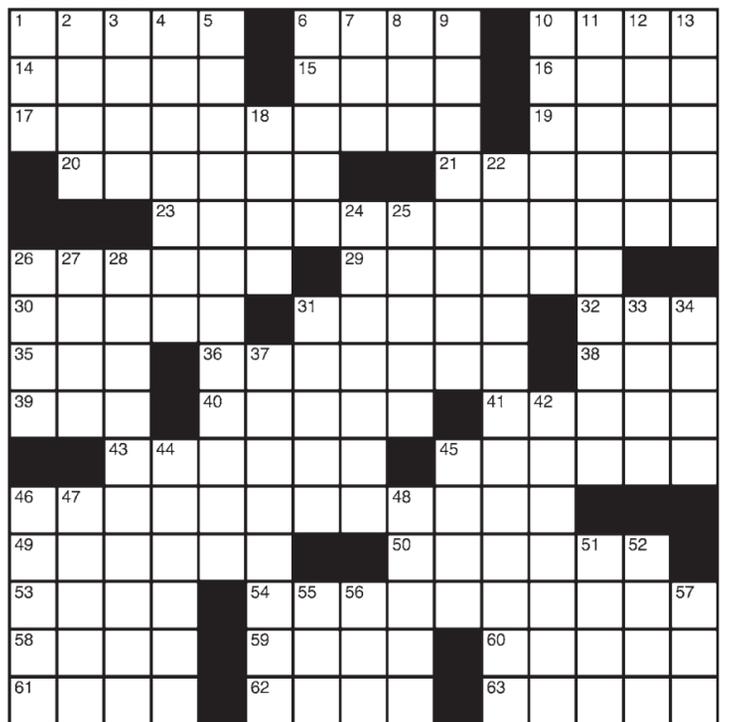
Jumbles: MUSIC SLANT QUENCH WOODEN
 Answer: The store's window featured all-female life-size figures. One could call them — "WOMANNEQUINS"

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Crossword

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Across

- 1 Joe ___
- 6 Exude
- 10 Classified times
- 14 Distant
- 15 Foam footwear
- 16 Place for a grinder
- 17 Metropolis nickname
- 19 2004 International Tennis Hall of Fame inductee
- 20 Liqueur flavoring
- 21 "Wrong!"
- 23 Money layouts, say
- 26 Engaged
- 29 John Wayne film set in Tanganyika
- 30 15th-century ruler Axayácatl, e.g.
- 31 Sean who played Samwise
- 32 Trip-taking aid
- 35 She plays Watson on "Elementary"

- 36 Medalworthy acts
- 38 ___ Day: Hawaii celebration
- 39 ISP choice
- 40 Watts on the keys
- 41 Absconds
- 43 Sharper-tasting
- 45 Mall booths
- 46 Nokia portrayer in "Black Panther"
- 49 Melodic pieces
- 50 Doesn't toss
- 53 ___ waiting
- 54 The better of a familiar pair
- 58 Wells' Weena et al.
- 59 Nevada city straddling the Humboldt River
- 60 Uplift
- 61 Old swift fliers
- 62 Cannon of Hollywood
- 63 Newton parts

- 11 Pre-revolution French royal residence site
- 12 African antelope
- 13 Sieves
- 18 Rough end?
- 22 Altered for the better
- 24 "My bad"
- 25 "Mercure" composer Erik
- 26 Skin soother
- 27 Israeli weapons
- 28 Aerial daredevil
- 31 "As You Like It" forest
- 33 Strive for
- 34 Ph.D. hurdle
- 37 Necessitated
- 42 How a blown-open door may have been closed
- 44 Pungent spreads
- 45 One may be replaced
- 46 Ties
- 47 Eurasian range
- 48 "Ender's Game" author ___ Scott Card
- 51 John in Wales
- 52 Surfer's stop
- 55 English cathedral town
- 56 Jamaican music
- 57 Guitarist Paul

Down

- 1 "In the Lonely Hour" singer Smith
- 2 Refuse to talk, with "up"
- 3 Sharpen
- 4 Heavily dessert?
- 5 Beyond expectations
- 6 String group
- 7 Bank deposit?
- 8 Kazan of "Olive Kitteridge"
- 9 Like a much-watched 8/21/2017 alignment
- 10 More out-there

Friday's solution



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Bears cut Burton despite dollars

Team owes TE \$4 million guaranteed for this season

BY BRAD BIGGS

The Chicago Bears are more comfortable betting on 33-year-old Jimmy Graham than Trey Burton, who is five years younger but hasn't been able to stay on the field since a mysterious groin injury sidelined him for a playoff game in January 2019.

The Bears released Burton late Friday afternoon despite the fact they still owe him \$4 million guaranteed.

Burton was one of the first free agents

general manager Ryan Pace and Matt Nagy targeted in 2018. They said as much, recounting their discussion of the tight end on the flight from Kansas City, Mo., to Chicago when the coach was hired.

Burton, 28, had been the third and fourth tight end with the Eagles and a special teams standout. But he took advantage of his opportunities on offense during the 2017 season and became part of Eagles lore when he threw a touchdown pass to quarterback Nick Foles on a play called "Philly Special" in the Super Bowl LII victory over the Patriots.

Burton hit the free-agent market as a player teams were projecting on, and the Bears went big, signing Burton to a

four-year, \$32 million contract with \$22 million guaranteed in March 2018. At the time, the \$8 million annual average made Burton the fifth-highest-paid tight end in the NFL, with the Bears figuring he'd fit nicely at the U position in Nagy's offense.

Burton's addition came a year after the Bears made a projection on another tight end, signing Dion Sims to a three-year, \$18 million contract, betting he had untapped potential as a receiver while being one of the league's better blockers at the position. Sims never panned out in the passing game, and concussions shelved him midway through the 2018 season.

Turn to **Burton, Page 2**

WHEN SPORTS STOOD STILL

Keeping an eye on the impact of the coronavirus crisis:



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NBA cutting players' pay 25%

Commissioner Adam Silver, above, said it remains impossible for the NBA to make any decisions about whether to resume this season and that it is unclear when that will change.

But in a clear sign that at least some of the 259 remaining regular-season games that were not played because of the coronavirus pandemic will not be rescheduled, the league announced Friday it will withhold 25% of player pay starting with their May 15 checks.

Silver, speaking after the league's regularly scheduled April board of governors meeting — one that took place through video conferencing and not the usual in-person setting in New York — said all options remain on the table for trying to resume play and eventually crowning a champion.

"I think there is a sense that we can continue to take the leading role as we learn more in coming up with an appropriate regimen and protocol for returning to business," Silver said. "There's a recognition from (owners) that this is bigger than our business; certainly, bigger than sports."

The salary decision was made in concert with the National Basketball Players Association, the league saying it would "provide players with a more gradual salary reduction schedule" if games are officially canceled or the rest of the season is totally lost.

Players will be paid in full on May 1. The cutback in salary has been expected for some time in response to the NBA's shutdown that started March 11, and has no end in sight.

Silver said the league will weigh several factors as it continues to try to save the season, among them whether the infection rate of COVID-19 comes down nationally, the availability of large-scale testing and progress on the path toward a vaccine.

Taking 25% out of checks on May 15 — and, presumably, checks on June 1 and June 15 should play not resume by then — would amount to players across the league missing \$40 million in each pay period.

— Associated Press

THE QUOTE

"These games are a very positive opportunity for an economic stimulus. These games can help kick start the economy again."

— IOC member John Coates, who oversees planning for next year's Tokyo Olympics

THE NUMBER

7 USA Track and Field has laid off seven people from its 65-person staff and CEO Max Siegel is taking a 20% pay cut to offset lost revenue due to the coronavirus pandemic.

NBA Season suspended indefinitely	NHL Season suspended indefinitely	MLB Opening day delayed until at least mid-May
MLS Season suspended until at least June 8	NFL Draft set for April 23-25	NCAA Spring sports schedule canceled

Others: PGA Tour suspended until June 11. NASCAR suspended until at least May 16. WTA, ATP suspended through at least July 13.



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The Bears drafted both offensive guard James Daniels (68) and center Cody Whitehair (65) in Round 2 of the NFL draft.

Going back for 2nds

In a virtual NFL draft, Pace could be wheeling and dealing to add picks

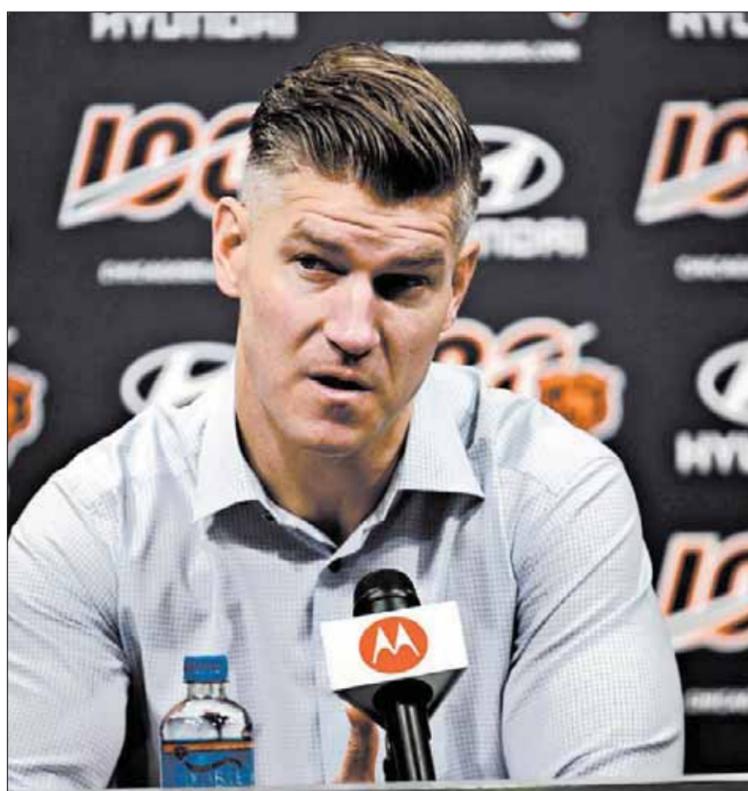


BRAD BIGGS
On the Bears

One of the first things Ryan Pace said after swinging the trade to land Khalil Mack 19 months ago was that the second-round pick the Bears are receiving from the Raiders in this year's draft was key.

Pace acknowledged that the two first-round picks, on top of the record-setting \$141 million contract the Bears gave Mack, was a high price to pay for Mack. The feeling was it was a no-brainer because Mack is an elite edge rusher, and the 2020 second-round pick would be a good one with the Raiders still in the throes of a rebuild. Had last season gone more according to plan, the Bears would have been swapping a low first-round pick for a high second-round pick — a small price to pay as a final part of the trade, right?

One thing the Bears have done well under Pace is find Round 2 talent. Nose tackle Eddie Goldman, center Cody Whitehair, left guard James Daniels and wide receiver Anthony Miller all were second-round picks. Daniels looked more



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Bears general manager Ryan Pace has a history of finding quality draft picks in Round 2.

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A GOOD TIME TO LOOK BACK

We're all missing sports these days. So with the games on hold, we're offering a daily dose of memorable moments as chronicled through sports history:

The great goodbye

(APRIL 18, 1999)

This column published after Wayne Gretzky, the NHL's all-time leading scorer, closed his career with an assist in a 2-1 overtime loss to the Penguins on April 18, 1999.

By **BERNIE LINCICOME**
Chicago Tribune

Wayne Gretzky did it right. That's the proper way to go out. That's the way Michael Jordan should have gone, even in a loss, in a meaningless schedule-ender, but in the arena.

Jordan never got to feel that final love, from the world, from friends, from foes, from teammates. We never got to give it. Gretzky did not cheat his legend, his game or his believers. He used up the last trace of himself, years after he redrew the rules of hockey, years beyond his best, playing his final shift in defeat, not always able to keep the puck on his stick.

Does that make him less than he ever was? No, it merely makes him accessible.

Still, as did Jordan, Gretzky left on his terms, the difference being that Gretzky allowed us to share. Gretzky has always been easier to touch.

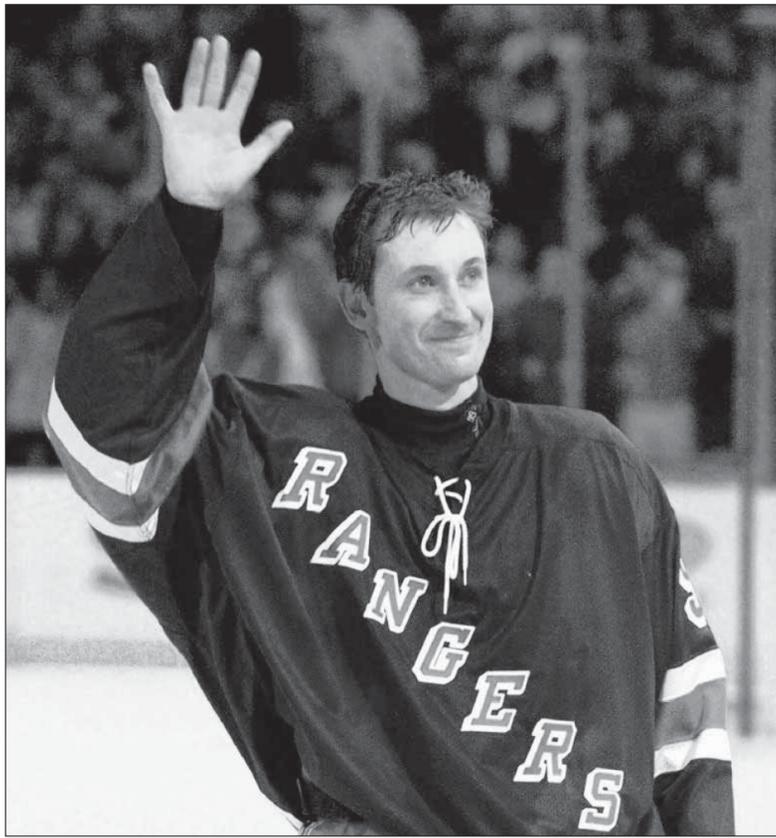
Jordan's final shot against Utah, to win a game and a title, may be the preferred method of departure, going out at the very top, except that we didn't know that's what it was until later. Gretzky gave us four days' notice, kept his word and allowed us time to set our VCRs.

Gretzky has done most things right in a life both simple and complicated, celebrated and triumphant. With dignity, with grace, with style, with modesty. The finish was fitting and fine.

Having once classified the Great Gretzky as merely the Good Gretzky, I have since come to understand that this was like misidentifying the Good Wall of China or regarding Muhammad Ali as the Goodest.

Some things are what they are and no amount of impudent columnizing can change nature, though I did give the matter two full periods and considerable thought.

So I offer my apologies now that he is the Gone Gretzky. He was all the hockey most



PAUL CHIASSON/AP

Wayne Gretzky smiles as he waves to the crowd following his last game in the NHL.

of the world was aware of before Canada's national game began migrating, like the Canadians themselves, into places with palm trees and sunblock, where ice is as artificial as a forechecker's front teeth.

Gretzky has a lot to answer for. He is almost entirely responsible for tropical hockey, and probably for European and Oriental hockey as well. The game before Gretzky was a border diversion, requiring growing seasons and evergreens and customs agents.

Gretzky drove the merger of two leagues into one, a Julius Erving/Joe Namath-sized achievement.

Oh, sure, there were all those goals and all those records, but as with Jordan, the Gretzky Effect was much greater than the game he played. The game is more than it was when he got there, meaning Gretzky more than Jordan.

It is natural to argue who was the greater of the two — Jordan or Gretzky — who meant more to his game and his time, and I have

OTHER APRIL 18 MOMENTS

1962: Boston's Bill Russell scores 30 points and grabs 40 rebounds to lead the Celtics to a 110-107 overtime win over the Lakers and their fourth consecutive NBA title.

1966: Bill Russell is named the coach of the Celtics to become the first African American head coach of an NBA team.

2001: A.C. Green plays in his 1,192th consecutive game, which remains the NBA record. His streak began on November 19, 1986.

2007: Mark Buehrle of the White Sox faces the minimum 27 batters in a 6-0 no-hit victory over the Rangers.

always resolved it this way. Which is harder, Jordan walking on air or Gretzky walking on water? My answer is that only one of them needed to have it frozen.

It seems necessary to fit Gretzky into some comparison of greatness and that is, of course, because he played a game not at the front of everyone's curiosity. How does Gretzky translate into more familiar games and more familiar names?

The same question used to be raised about Pele, the soccer player. It is probably more promising to compare those two rather than Jordan and Gretzky.

Here is my answer to that. Pele's effort to bring soccer to America ended with failed and folded franchises littering the countryside. Since Gretzky came from Edmonton, they've had to freeze water in the Everglades to keep up with the demand for hockey.

Clearly, this is truer of Gretzky than Jordan or Pele or Ali or Joe Montana. Gretzky was the best who ever played his game.

You can argue Wilt Chamberlain over Jordan, or Magic Johnson or Oscar Robertson.

Ali would not have beaten Joe Louis. Ali had all he could handle with Joe Frazier. Montana is no John Unitas and neither of them was Jim Brown.

Argue Willie Mays over Roberto Clemente or Sandy Koufax over Bob Gibson, but there is no room for discussion about Gretzky. There has never been a better hockey player.

The Great One. Indeed.

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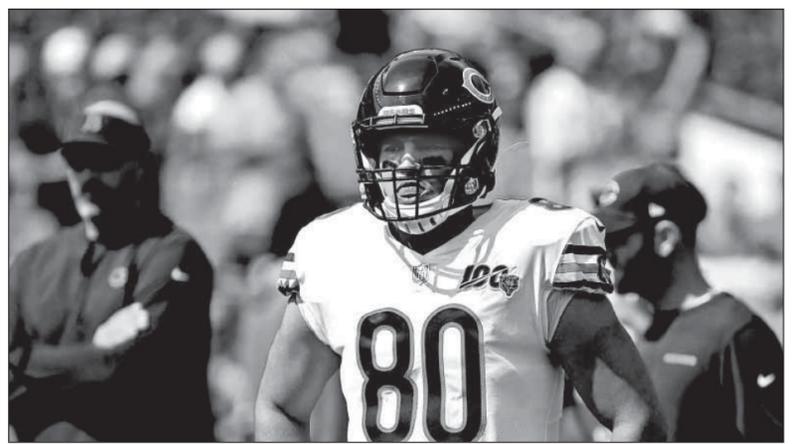
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Trey Burton was placed on injured reserve on Nov. 16 after catching only 14 passes in 2019.

Burton

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The Bears got solid production from Burton during the 2018 season. He caught 54 passes for 569 yards and six touchdowns. It was nothing like Nagy was accustomed to in Kansas City with Travis Kelce, but the Bears and quarterback Mitch Trubisky were still learning the offense.

Burton woke up the day before the wild-card-round playoff game against his former team and informed the Bears he would be unable to play. He eventually underwent sports hernia surgery during the 2019 offseason, which sidelined him until training camp.

The team declared him ready to go in Bourbonnais, but soon he was back on the sideline and was never himself last season, appearing in eight games with five starts. He totaled 14 catches for 84 yards and was placed on injured reserve Nov. 16 after he suffered a calf injury.

Pace announced Dec. 31 that Burton had undergone hip surgery, something they believed was the root cause of his groin issues. The Bears expressed optimism he would be fine, and because of his salary, the chances of him sticking around appeared to be at least decent.

While the Bears typically design contracts so they will not be a hindrance for more than two years, Burton's deal was different. As part of his \$22 million guarantee, the team owes him \$4 million of what was supposed to be a \$6.7 million base salary for this season. Add a \$100,000 workout bonus and Burton's release clears \$2.8 million in cash for the Bears. His release also will create \$2.8 million in cap space if the team processes it as a post-June 1 cut, meaning he'll count more against the team's cap in 2021.

In contrast, wide receiver Allen Robinson no longer has guaranteed money remaining in the three-year contract he signed as a free-agent in 2018. While Robinson was worked out wonderfully for the Bears, other

members of that free-agent class, wide receiver Taylor Gabriel and kicker Cody Parkey, were cut before their deals ended.

When the Bears added Graham on a two-year, \$16 million contract with \$9 million guaranteed in free agency, he and Burton appeared repetitive — two pass-catching tight ends who don't offer a lot as blockers. A month later, Burton is gone, and the Bears are more comfortable betting on Graham, who caught 38 passes for 447 yards and three touchdowns playing with Aaron Rodgers and the Packers last season.

The Bears have nine tight ends under contract: Graham, Ben Braunecker, Darion Clark, Demetrius Harris, J.P. Holtz, Jesper Horsted, Dax Raymond, Eric Saubert and Adam Shaheen. The team fired Kevin Gilbride, the tight ends coach for the last two years, after 2019, but he's hardly to blame for Burton's issues.

The Bears hired veteran Clancy Pendergast to coach replace Gilbride, and it remains to be seen if they will add a tight end in the draft. Harris projects as a capable blocker who knows the offense, having played for the Chiefs.

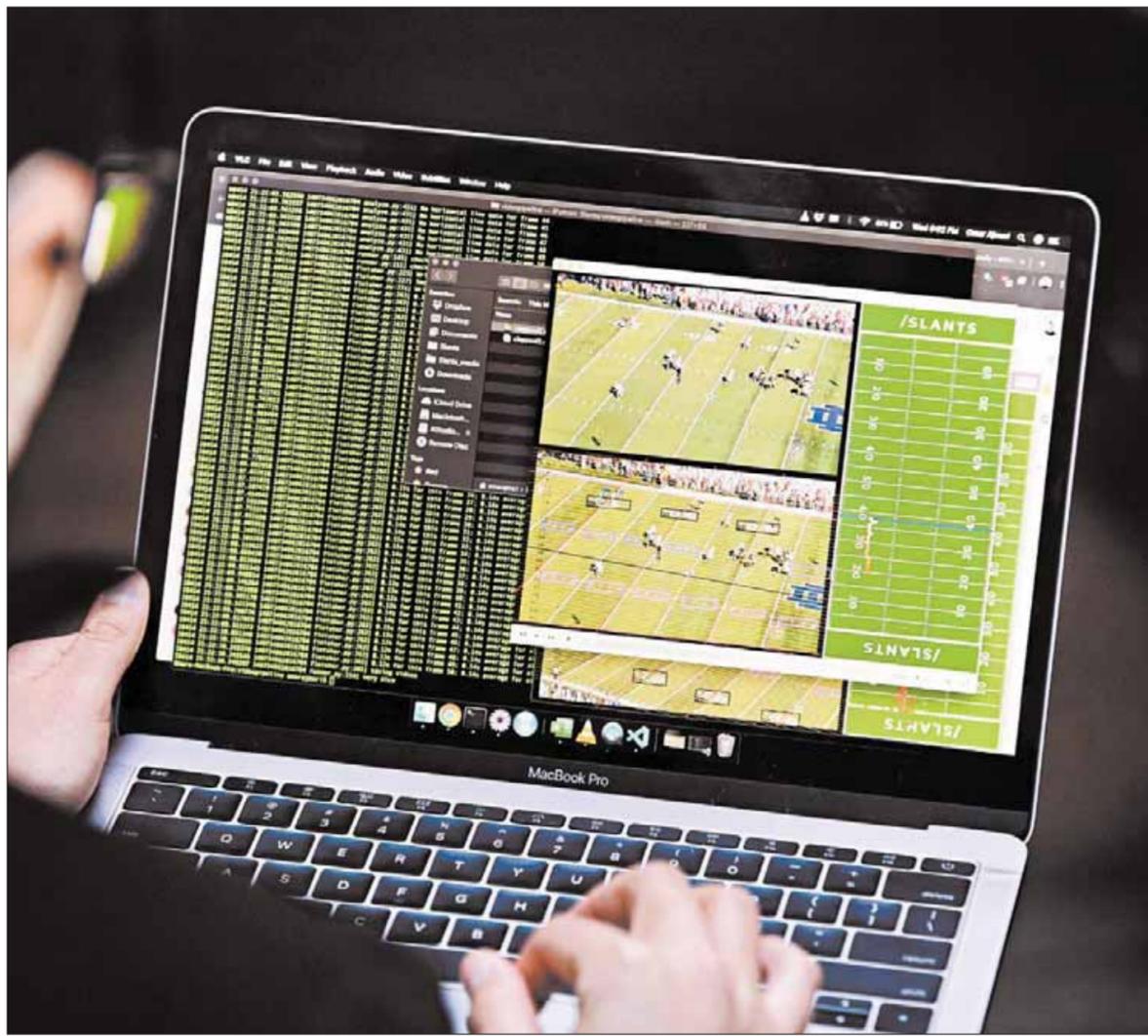
Entering his 11th season, Graham will be only a temporary solution if he can produce as Nagy envisions.

■ The Bears are signing former Packers offensive lineman Jason Springs to a one-year deal, ESPN reported. The 6-foot-6, 301-pound Spriggs adds depth at tackle after free agent Cornelius Lucas left for the Redskins. Spriggs, a 2016 second-round pick, started just nine games in four seasons with the Packers. He spent 2019 on injured reserve with back and elbow issues. The Bears on Thursday re-signed Sherrick McManis to a one-year deal. The defensive back and special teams standout will be entering his ninth season with the organization. McManis, 32, missed the final four games in 2019 with a groin injury. Defensive end Roy Robertson-Harris signed his restricted free-agent tender on Wednesday. He will earn \$3.259 million this season. Robertson-Harris, 26, had 30 tackles, 10 quarterback hits and 2½ sacks in 15 games last season.

SPORTS

Day 38

Since the sports world went mainly dark



ANDREW WHITE/THE NEW YORK TIMES

Ahead of the NFL draft teams are reaching out to the three-man team at Slants to provide tracking data based on college video footage.

With new game ahead, NFL to hold practice remote draft

By BARRY WILNER
Associated Press

The NFL will hold a practice remote draft Monday, three days before the real thing is done in the same way.

Lions general manager Bob Quinn on Friday did not provide details on the proceedings — except what his team has planned.

“We’re going to do a couple internal tests and trial runs here,” Quinn said in a Zoom meeting to preview the draft. “The league is having a mock draft, mock trial run on Monday that we’ll participate in.”

Commissioner Roger Goodell ordered all team facilities closed in March, and later required club personnel to conduct the draft from their homes. Because of the reliance on free-flowing communication, the league decided to stage a mock draft to ensure all goes smoothly next Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The draft originally was scheduled for Las Vegas, but the NFL canceled all public events last month as a safeguard against the coronavirus. On April 6, Goodell instructed teams on how they should plan to make selections.

“After consulting with medical advisers, we cannot identify an alternative that is preferable from a medical or public health perspective, given the varying needs of clubs, the need properly to screen participants, and the unique risk factors that individual club employees may face,” he wrote.

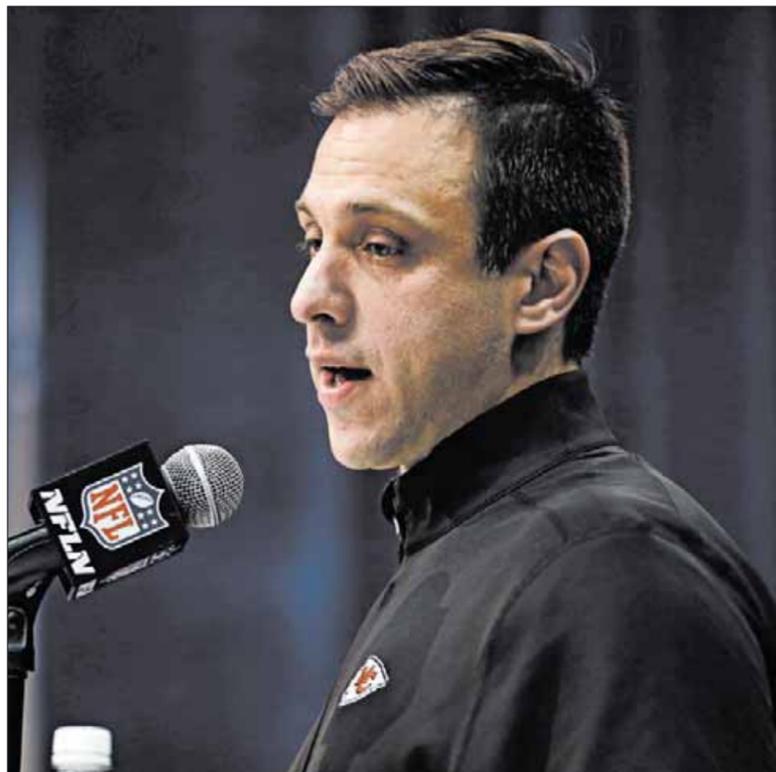
Among the technologies needed for the actual draft are team web meetings and a web hookup with the league itself. There also will be phone lines for communicating with other teams for trades, which must be approved by the NFL central office.

“I’m at my house, I have a home office that I use occasionally during the season and occasionally during the offseason — not very much,” Quinn said. “But I’m staring at a TV to my right. I have three monitors to my left, I have two laptops. I have a huge what we would call our ‘draft phone.’ I have my home phone. I have two cell phones, and I have a printer. So that’s kind of my setup that I’m looking at right now.”

“We can’t obviously replicate our draft board in my office here, so all the draft boards, needs boards, all of those things will be emailed, printed, they’ll probably be screen-shared on some platform that we’re still evaluating to use next week. Then we’ll have redundancies on everything.”

Security will be paramount, considering the possibility of crossed communication lines that allow one club’s personnel to hear discussions of another team’s decision makers.

“The league allows an IT person to be present at your house and a security guy there just in case people don’t like your picks, they’re not knocking on your door or ringing the doorbell,” said Brett Veach, general manager of the Super Bowl champion Chiefs.



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One logistical concern involves the flow of information and ability to communicate when teams are on the clock. There could be complications if a team has settled on a player and is about to make a selection to end a round.

“The scenario that we’re all kind of playing through our mind is when you’re on the clock and you’re about to turn a card in,” Veach said. “And then with 45 seconds left, a team comes in and presents a really interesting trade. When you’re in the office, you can look to a guy (and quickly discuss the offer).”

The NFL is planning to give teams some options in such scenarios, as well as for any technical difficulties that arise.

“I don’t think they’re trying to have teams be in a compromised position where they’re losing picks or teams are jumping up ahead of them,” Veach added.

AP’s Larry Lage in Detroit contributed.

IN BRIEF

NASCAR extends its shutdown

Associated Press

NASCAR has postponed the May 9 race at Martinsville Speedway in Virginia, which is under a stay-at-home order into June.

NASCAR suspended its season four events into the year when sports shut down because of the coronavirus pandemic. It listed Martinsville as its first race to resume but acknowledged Friday it will not be able to hold the event.

NASCAR said it is still committed to running all 36 Cup Series races this year and will consider holding events without fans. To date, eight races have been postponed.

NASCAR has privately given teams a revised schedule in which racing would return with the Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte Motor Speedway on May 24. The revisions call for some weeknight races and doubleheaders through the summer.

“Our intention remains to run all 36 races with a potential return to racing without fans in attendance in May at a date and location to be determined,” NASCAR said. “We will continue to consult with health experts and local, state and federal officials as we assess future scheduling options.”

The next event on the NASCAR calendar is the All-Star race on May 16 at Charlotte.

Colleges: San Diego State G Malachi Flynn, a consensus All-American and the Mountain West Conference player of the year, will forgo his senior season and enter the NBA draft. Flynn, who led the Aztecs to a 30-2 record, averaged 17.6 points, 5.1 assists and 4.5 rebounds. He failed to score in double digits in only one game. ... North Carolina freshman PG Cole Anthony is entering the NBA draft. The 6-foot-3 Anthony — son of former UNLV and NBA player Greg Anthony — averaged a team-high 18.5 points.

Golf: Marion Hollins was elected into the World Golf Hall of Fame through the contributor’s category, joining a 2021 class that so far includes Tiger Woods. Hollins financed and developed a golf course for women in New York and was the brains behind two fabled golf courses in California.

NFL: The Bears released veteran TE Trey Burton after his injury-riddled season. Burton dealt with a groin injury all last season and went on injured reserve in November after a calf injury. He had 14 receptions for 84 yards in eight games. And when the Bears signed former All-Pro Jimmy Graham last month, that put his future in question. ... The Patriots re-signed restricted free-agent DL Adam Butler. He had a career-high 26 tackles and six sacks in 2019.

NHL: Dustin Byfuglien and the Jets agreed to mutually terminate his contract, potentially marking the end of a playing career for “Big Buff.” The agreement ended a lengthy dispute between Byfuglien and the organization over his absence this season. Because there was no financial settlement as part of the termination, the 14-year veteran defenseman walked away from the \$14 million remaining on his contract with no guarantee he’ll play again.

Soccer: MLS is pushing back restarting the season to at least June 8 and says it is also discussing possible salary cuts with the players’ union. Teams had played two matches before the season was suspended on March 12 because of the coronavirus pandemic and the league had been looking at possibly resuming play in mid-May. The league would still like to play a full season. MLS also said it is exploring possible “changes to player compensation” because of the financial hit the league and teams are facing. Possible salary cuts of as much as 50% for some players were first reported by ESPN, which cited sources. ... English Premier League clubs discussed how the season can be completed when the government declares it is safe for sports to resume during the coronavirus pandemic. Britain’s national lockdown was extended on Thursday for another three weeks, making it unclear when players can resume training or matches will be permitted, even without fans as is expected. ... Norman Hunter, a former Leeds defender who was part of England’s World Cup-winning squad in 1966, died with COVID-19. He was 76.

WNBA: The New York Liberty selected Oregon G Sabrina Ionescu as the top overall pick in the WNBA. Her teammate with the Ducks, F Satou Sabally, was selected No. 2 by the Dallas Wings.

ON THE CLOCK

5 Days until the NFL draft, which will be held in a virtual setting from April 23-25.

The top 5



Complete first-round order

1. Bengals	12. Raiders	23. Patriots
2. Redskins	13. 49ers	24. Saints
3. Lions	14. Bucs	25. Vikings
4. Giants	15. Broncos	26. Dolphins
5. Dolphins	16. Falcons	27. Seahawks
6. Chargers	17. Cowboys	28. Ravens
7. Panthers	18. Dolphins	29. Titans
8. Cardinals	19. Raiders	30. Packers
9. Jaguars	20. Jaguars	31. 49ers
10. Browns	21. Eagles	32. Chiefs
11. Jets	22. Vikings	

NFL DRAFT

Should the Bears pick a QB?

Here are options for them at No. 43, No. 50 and on Day 3

BY COLLEEN KANE

As the NFL draft approaches, the Chicago Bears have bigger immediate needs than a quarterback.

After all, they have two potential starters after they acquired Nick Foles from the Jaguars last month to compete with incumbent Mitch Trubisky.

But that doesn't mean they can't weigh the idea of drafting a Day 2 or 3 quarterback with an eye on the future.

General manager Ryan Pace has drafted only one quarterback in five years with the Bears: Trubisky at No. 2 in 2017. He said in December he places importance on drafting and developing the position, but circumstances have taken him in other directions.

"To be honest, when we got here, we had so many needs, there were so many holes to fill throughout the roster, you're doing whatever you can to fill those holes," Pace said. "And so sometimes when you look at the draft and you have more talented players on the board that are also hitting major positions of need and major holes on this offense, it doesn't always line up.

"But I do think that drafting a quarterback, developing quarterbacks, that's important for the franchise for a lot of different reasons. You've seen teams do that to their advantage to flip them for draft picks. It's something we talk about. It just hasn't been something that's lined up in recent drafts."

The Bears have limited draft capital this year with only two picks in the top 150, though they could increase that number by trading back.

With that in mind, here's a look at their options at quarterback.

Early options

Four quarterbacks are considered consensus first-round possibilities: LSU's Joe Burrow, Alabama's Tua Tagovailoa, Utah State's Jordan Love and Oregon's Justin Herbert.

The Bears options likely start with the next trio of quarterbacks: Georgia's Jake Fromm, Washington's Jacob Eason and Oklahoma's Jalen Hurts. Many mock drafts have all three lasting at least beyond the Bears' first pick at No. 43, if not beyond their second pick at No. 50.

The Bears seem more likely to focus on filling needs at cornerback, offensive line, wide receiver or safety in the second round.

But would they scoop up one of the quarterbacks if they believe he can be a starter a year or two down the road?

Fromm, who passed for 8,236 yards and 78 touchdowns with 18 interceptions over three seasons as Georgia's starter, is lauded for his smarts and leadership, but his arm strength is the big question mark.

"When you visit with him, you're immediately impressed just talking with him," NFL Network's Daniel Jeremiah said. "He's very mature. He's engaging. You can see how he's won over the locker room there at Georgia. He's going to be impressive when you get in the room and get on the board and talk X's and O's, very sharp.

"The knock on him has really been pure arm strength. When I've watched him, I've seen throws, I've seen him make deep outs from the far hash in the Florida game. You see examples of it, but there's other times where the ball hangs and the ball dies. Mechanically he can help with some things there to get his lower body more involved."



KEVIN C. COX/GETTY

Georgia's Jake Fromm passes against Notre Dame at Sanford Stadium in Athens, Ga.

Eason has imposing size at 6-foot-6, 231 pounds and a "rocket arm," according to Mel Kiper Jr. — strong enough that some predict he could rise into the first round. But Kiper and Jeremiah pointed to inconsistency, including from quarter to quarter as teams contained him later in games. Eason transferred to Washington after Fromm supplanted him at Georgia, and he threw for 3,132 yards and 23 touchdowns with eight interceptions in his only season there.

"He's got some really good tape," Jeremiah said, "but then he's got some bad habits where you get him off of his spot, he's got a bad habit of trying to wheel out, turning his back on the defense. That's something he's going to have to clean up, which is something you can fix. ... And then you just want to see him be a little bit of a playmaker instead of just being a pure thrower. I want to see him create some plays and extend some plays."

Hurts, the Heisman Trophy runner-up in 2019, started two seasons at Alabama and played one as a backup after he was benched at halftime of the 2017 national championship game in favor of Tagovailoa. He transferred to Oklahoma, where he completed 69.7% of his passes for 3,851 yards and 32 touchdowns with eight interceptions and also rushed for 1,298 yards and 20 touchdowns.

He is lauded for his toughness, poise, speed and athleticism. But some analysts point to processing and decision-making as areas that need improvement.

Kiper said he likes the idea of a team using Hurts in a Taysom Hill-type role as he develops and doesn't think Hurts will drop beyond the second round.

Day 3 picks

This might be the likelier route for the Bears, especially if Pace doesn't trade back for more picks.

While the odds are greater the Bears would get a backup from the late rounds, there are always exceptions, with the 2019 example being the reason Foles was available to the Bears this offseason. Jaguars rookie Gardner Minshew, a sixth-round pick, took over for Foles because of injury, kept the job and could get another shot at starting in 2020.

Beyond the top seven quarterback prospects, ESPN's Todd McShay ranks Washington State's Anthony Gordon, Iowa's Nate Stanley and Hawaii's Cole McDonald as the next three. The Athletic's Dane Brugler has Florida International's James Morgan and Oregon State's Jake Luton in the top 10.

Gordon, a junior-college transfer, backed up Luke Falk and Minshew for his first three seasons at Washington State and has only one year of starting experience. But he led the nation with 429.2 passing yards per game and finished with a 71.6% completion rate and 48 touchdown passes under coach Mike Leach.

Morgan, from Green Bay, transferred to FIU from Bowling Green after two seasons. He started 24 games over two seasons at FIU, completing 61.5% of his passes for 5,287 yards and 40 touchdowns with 12 interceptions.

Kiper singled out Morgan as "an intriguing" Day 3 pick.

"He can make the throws," Kiper said. "He moves well in the pocket. Very competitive, very smart, great football IQ, great kid, works hard, loves the study of the

game, very passionate about football."

Stanley was a three-year starter at Iowa with 8,302 passing yards, 68 touchdown passes and 23 interceptions. He completed 59.4% of his passes in 2019.

"He was protected by a really good offensive line," Kiper said. "He does run hot and cold. Some of the head-scratching throws are still there. ... But he's got the arm talent. He's got a ton of experience in that Iowa offense, which is going to prepare him very effectively for the NFL."

Luton, a transfer from Idaho and Ventura Community College, started 21 games over three seasons at Oregon State. The 6-6, 224-pounder was named Mayo Clinic Comeback Player of the Year as a senior, when he completed 62% of his passes with 28 touchdowns and just three interceptions.

McDonald started two seasons at Hawaii, throwing for 8,010 yards and 69 touchdowns with 24 interceptions. He ran the 40-yard dash in 4.58 seconds at the combine, fastest among quarterbacks, but there are questions about his delivery. McShay said last month McDonald has been working on tightening his delivery and could be "a real value pick" in the fifth or sixth round.

"From watching tape, it is very obvious that he is on his toes and the throw takes a split second longer than you'd like to see get the ball out," McShay said. "But he has a lot to work with."

Beyond the four projected first-rounders, that's eight quarterbacks for the Bears to consider, and there are plenty of other potential late-round picks or unrestricted free agents to evaluate. None is likely to be the Bears' 2020 starter, but any of them would make their quarterback room more interesting.

Biggs

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comfortable at guard during the second half of last season, and Miller has emerged as a physical slot receiver, although he's dealing with rehabilitation from another left shoulder surgery. The only Round 2 miss on Pace's report card is tight end Adam Shaheen.

Which brings us to the present, a week away from Day 2 of the 2020 draft. The Bears own the 43rd and 50th picks in Round 2, then will not pick again until Day 3 during the middle of Round 5 at No. 163.

The virtual draft — Pace will be situated in the dining room of his north suburban home — will be a test of teams' ability to communicate via social media platforms and process information that normally is handled by a team of front-office executives, scouts and coaches in a war room. Pace will have one Bears IT professional at his home in the event something goes awry and will be connected with coach Matt Nagy and the rest of his staff from their respective homes while on an encrypted Microsoft Teams conference call with the other 31 teams and the league office. It's quite a departure from the glitz and glamour that was scheduled for a Las Vegas-staged event, plans the league scuttled March 16.

"The draft going forward allows us to provide fans with a respite and a bit of an escape," said Peter O'Reilly, the NFL executive vice president of events. "Allows us to do some good via the draft-a-thon platform (the league is supporting six charities tied to COVID-19 relief) and probably just as importantly, the focus on role modeling the right behavior and the right behavior is a fully remote virtual draft."

The league's vice president of player personnel, Ken Fiore, will be the point man for selections and trades from his home in Garden City, N.Y., then the information will be available in real time for Commissioner

BEARS PICKS

- Round 2, Pick 11 (No. 43 overall)
- Round 2, Pick 18 (50)
- Round 5, Pick 18 (163)
- Round 6, Pick 17 (196)
- Round 6, Pick 21 (200)
- Round 7, Pick 12 (226)
- Round 7, Pick 19 (233)

Roger Goodell in the basement of his Westchester County, N.Y., home for him to announce the picks and deals as they're made.

The league considered expanding the time for each pick but decided to keep its normal schedule — 10 minutes for Round 1 picks, seven minutes for picks in Rounds 2 and 3 and five minutes for picks from Rounds 4-7.

Conventional thinking has Pace seeking to engineer a trade down with at least one of his second-round picks to restore some depth to the middle of the draft. A strong case can be made for that because the more volume of picks a team has, the greater chance for success. If the Bears don't move down, it's going to be a class of two second-round picks and five late-round fliers.

Of course, Pace can't make a trade without a partner, and there is upside in staying put as it would give him the best chance of finding two first-year contributors for a team hopeful of returning to contention immediately.

Contract negotiator Joey Laine traditionally mans the phone line for draft trades — a process that can be hectic with teams constantly putting out feelers about potential moves. That's an added twist to the process, but with NFL facilities closed, clubs have become accustomed to communicating with Microsoft Teams for weeks, and the league is conducting a mock-draft test run Monday.

"We'll have fun making some mock trades," Eagles general manager Howie Roseman told Philadelphia media Thursday.

He doesn't believe the virtual format will

put a damper on the wheeling and dealing.

"I don't think there's going to be a lack of communication because we are communicating on the phone during the draft anyway," Roseman said. "We all have each other's phone numbers and we all have multiple phone lines. There will be the same level of communication because that doesn't change. That's one thing that is not going to change."

Pace has made nine pick-for-pick trades, not including player(s) in the five drafts he has led. Six of those deals have been to move up, most notably in Round 1 for Mitch Trubisky in 2017 and Leonard Floyd in 2016. He also traded up for David Montgomery in 2019, Anthony Miller in 2018, Eddie Jackson in 2017 and Nick Kwiatkowski in 2016. The Jackson and Kwiatkowski trades are interesting because both were made in the middle of Round 4 with the Bears climbing five spots to get Jackson and only four spots to choose Kwiatkowski. Obviously, Pace and the Bears really liked each player and didn't want to risk they would last just a few more selections. That's something that has been a consistent storyline during his tenure — he aggressively pursues prospects he wants.

The three occasions Pace has traded down all have come in Round 2, perhaps a harbinger. He did so twice in 2016, flipping the 41st pick to the Bills for No. 49, a fourth-round pick and a 2017 fourth-round pick. Then he flipped the just-acquired 49th pick to the Seahawks for No. 56 and another fourth-round pick. The Bears wound up with Whitehair. Those trade-downs did more than recapture the fourth-round pick Pace had to package with the 11th pick to send the Buccaneers for the ninth pick used on Floyd at the start of that draft.

Pace traded down in Round 2 in 2017, again trying to recapture draft capital spent in the Round 1 trade up for Trubisky. The Bears sent the 36th pick to the Cardinals for No. 45, fourth- and sixth-round picks and a fourth-rounder in 2018. The Bears wound up with Shaheen.

What kind of value can the Bears get if they explore trade-back possibilities?

In the last 10 years, the No. 43 pick has been traded for picks three times:

- 2018 Patriots sent No. 43 to Lions for No. 51 and Round 4, Pick 117
- 2015 Browns sent No. 43 and 7-229 to Texans for No. 51, 4-116 and 6-195
- 2012 Seahawks sent No. 43 to Jets for No. 47, 5-154 and 7-232

The No. 50 pick has been traded twice in the last decade:

- 2016 Falcons sent No. 50 to Texans for No. 52 and 6-195
- 2014 Dolphins sent No. 50 to Chargers for No. 57 and 4-125

The Bears need a cornerback who can come in and, at minimum, compete for a starting spot opposite Kyle Fuller. They'd be negligent not to take advantage of a wonderfully deep class of wide receivers and could use an offensive lineman. If Pace can successfully add a pick or two by trading down, perhaps a tight end becomes a target.

Pace will have to draw a line before things start — a point he's not willing to go below by trading down. Adding 2021 draft picks will not help a team operating in a win-now mode. The Bears believe they can improve the roster even with a shortage of draft capital.

The league sent draft kits to 58 prospects and a camera for them to be included in the broadcast, and New Era provided a hat from all 32 teams so players can put on the cap of the club that selects them.

"The core process is not that different," O'Reilly said. "The team table area and writing the cards and getting them up to the league player-personnel folks is part of the show. At the end of the day, it's not that different in terms of the flow of information."

Perhaps once that information has traveled through the cyber world, we'll see Goodell get off his couch or bar stool in his man cave and announce a Bears trade.

BASKETBALL

WNBA DRAFT

Sky select Oregon's Hebard at No. 8

Chicago native (technically) was a 1st-team All-American

By PHIL THOMPSON

The Chicago Sky selected Oregon forward Ruthy Hebard, a Chicago native, with the eighth pick in the WNBA draft Friday night. Hebard, a first-team All-American, joined teammates Sabrina Ionescu and Satou Sabally in a Ducks-dominant first round.

On a draft night that had a different look and feel because of the coronavirus pandemic, ESPN aired the event for the first time. It also was the league's first virtual broadcast, with the picks observing quarantines at home and analysts practicing social distancing in studio.

Commissioner Cathy Engelbert played emcee from her home, and the draft picks shared their reactions through remote feeds, surrounded by relatives.

However, Hebard's big moment thwarted by some technical difficulties.

At first, it appeared her Zoom connection in Alaska was delayed, so she sat silently after her name was called. When news finally reached her, the feed cut out just as she and relatives jumped up from their seats.

Hebard did get a shoutout from Olympic gold medal gymnast Simone Biles: "You're amazing and you'll have a great career."

According to the WNBA, the last Alaskan to be drafted was Nebraska's Kelsey Griffin, the No. 3 pick in 2010 chosen third overall by the Lynx in 2010.

"I was just really excited ... but when I saw that it was Chicago, I got super excited," Hebard said. "I talked to the coach (James Wade), and he's a great person and there's really great players and people on the team. I'm really ... proud that Chicago picked me and can't wait to be able to work with my new teammates."

Earlier this week, Wade gushed about the 6-foot-4 Hebard, whom he called an underrated prospect.

"I think (it's) because she's boring — she just catches the balls and finishes," the coach/general manager said. "She just scores."

The Sky had two third-round picks, drafting 5-foot-7 UCLA guard Japreece Dean and Florida State sharpshooter Kiah Gillespie, a forward who dropped from a first-round projection.

Hebard averaged 16.4 points, nine rebounds and a block per game in her Oregon career. She averaged 17.3 points and 9.6 rebounds as a senior and led the nation with a career-best 68.5% field-goal percentage.

She shot 65.1% in her four years with the Ducks, finishing as the Pac-12's all-time leader in field-goal percentage.

Her 33-consecutive field goals made in February 2018 set an NCAA record — male or female.

"I've never seen that before: a player that, over the span of four games, make 33 straight baskets," Wade said. "I remember back in college we used to go crazy over somebody making 33 straight free throws."

"She made 33 straight baskets — contested."

Hebard was born in Chicago, but a couple from Fairbanks, Alaska, adopted her when she was a few days old. She was a three-time Alaska Gatorade Player of the Year and was West Valley High School's first player to have her jersey retired.

Ionescu was the No. 1 pick in the draft, going to the New York Liberty in an Oregon sweep of the top-two picks.

Ionescu set the NCAA record for triple-doubles and was the first college player to surpass 2,000 points, 1,000 rebounds and 1,000 assists in her career. Ionescu was one of three first round picks for New York, which also had Nos. 9 and 12.

Ducks teammate Sabally went second to the Dallas Wings. It's the third time in the history of the draft that the top two picks were from the same program.

Sky's Dolson has coronavirus

By PHIL THOMPSON

Sky center Stefanie Dolson revealed she tested positive for the novel coronavirus during Friday night's broadcast of the WNBA draft on ESPN.

Dolson becomes the first known Chicago professional athlete and the first known WNBA player to have contracted COVID-19.

In a video aired on ESPN, Dolson said: "This virus has hit pretty close to home. About a month ago, my whole family and I, we all tested positive for the virus and it hit us pretty hard. My mom, she ended up being admitted into the hospital for about four days. She had severe symptoms, pneumonia. But because of the team of healthcare workers that was there, she's home safe now and healthy."

"So I just want to say thank you to all the healthcare workers out there. What you're doing is inspirational and amazing, putting your lives at risk for us, and helping the community and the county."

Dolson didn't share details about her own condition.

How to watch and stream the Bulls doc

By PHIL ROSENTHAL

Want to know how to watch ESPN's "The Last Dance," the 10-part documentary on Michael Jordan and the 1997-98 Chicago Bulls?

Let's try to answer your questions about this much-anticipated, long-awaited series.

Whoa, whoa, whoa. What is "The Last Dance"?

"The Last Dance" is an epic documentary from a consortium that includes Mandalay Sports Media, Jordan's Jump 23, NBA Entertainment, ESPN and Netflix (which holds international rights). Jason Hehir is the director. It focuses on the last of six Bulls championship seasons for Jordan, Scottie Pippen and coach Phil Jackson and also takes into account Jordan's 14-year run with the team, general manager Jerry Krause and Chairman Jerry Reinsdorf. Part of the anticipation is rooted in behind-the-scenes material a documentary crew captured at the time but kept under seal for 22 years.

Is there a narrator?
No.

Who is interviewed?

Too many to list here. Even a pair of former U.S. presidents — Bill Clinton and Barack Obama — plus Air Jordan shoe fan Justin Timberlake and erstwhile Dennis Rodman wife Carmen Electra show up. The short answer is not everyone you could imagine but a lot ... and then some.

How long have I been hearing about for this thing?

The project was publicly announced in May 2018, so close to two years now.

Wasn't this originally scheduled to run in June?

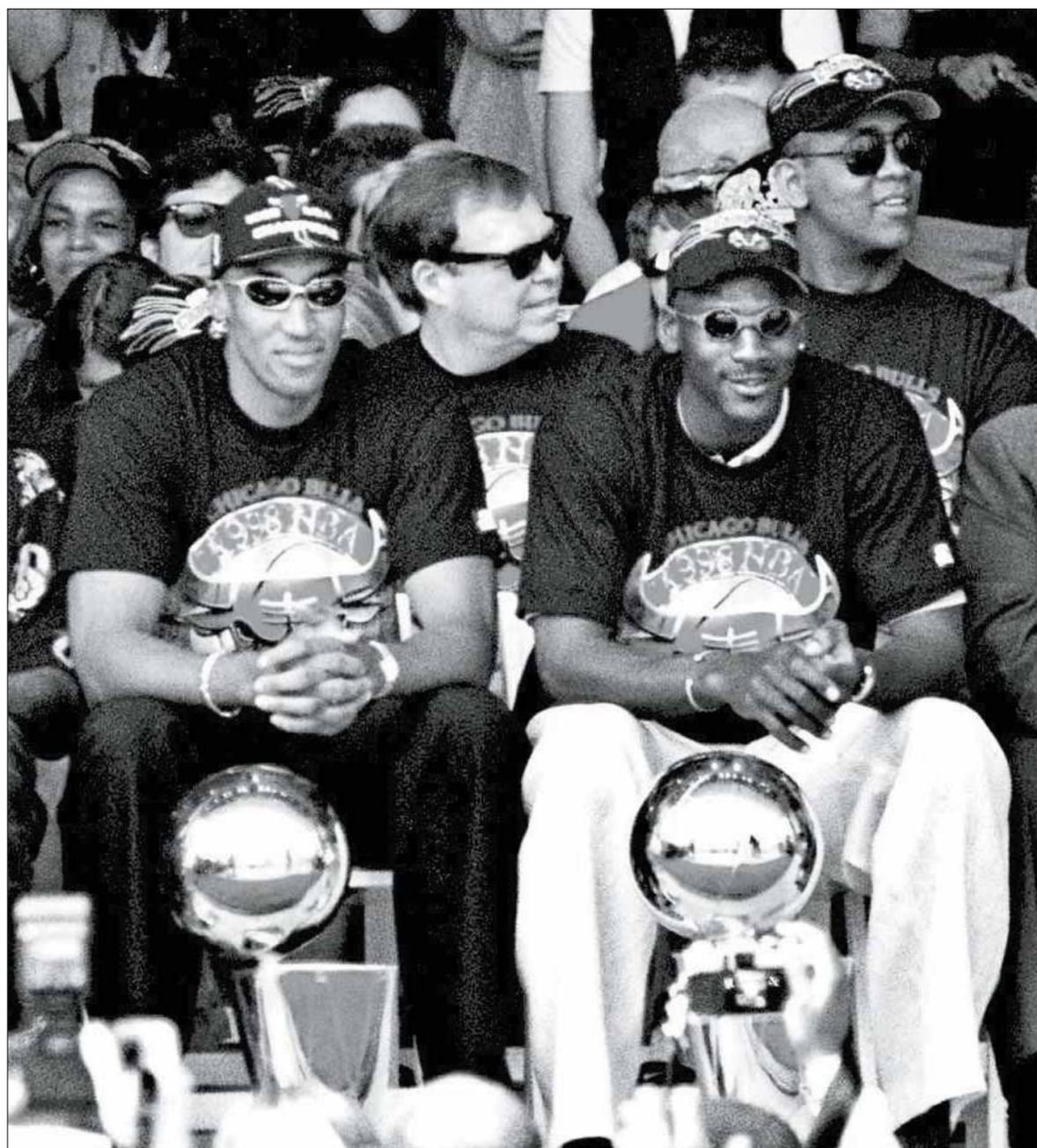
When the project first was announced, it was expected to debut in 2019. By the end of 2018, it was clear it wasn't coming out until 2020. Eventually it was scheduled to launch June 2 around the NBA Finals, but the coronavirus pandemic threw all of that into limbo. ESPN needed programming with no games to present, and fans almost immediately called for the series' rollout to be moved up. Just one problem: Production had to be rushed to finish it.

It wasn't finished?

No. Still isn't. Hehir and his crew had to work from their homes to put it together. It's expected the final episode won't be completed until shortly before it makes its debut in mid-May.

When and where will "The Last Dance" make its debut?

If you live in the United States, it will debut on ESPN, two one-hour episodes at a time, each Sunday at 8 p.m. Central beginning April 19 through May 17. There's also another version on ESPN2.



NANCY STONE/CHICAGO TRIBUNE

The Bulls with their six NBA trophies during a rally on June 16, 1998, in Grant Park.

Did you just say there will another version on ESPN2?

Yes. Some of the interviews include vulgarities. Basic cable is outside Federal Communications Commission purview, so ESPN is free to run the raw unedited material — complete with F-bombs, barnyard epithets and the like. But recognizing that viewers of all ages may wish to watch "The Last Dance," a version of the documentary with that colorful language bleeped or removed will run simultaneously on ESPN2.

What if I don't live in the United States?

Netflix owns the international rights and will make episodes available the day after their ESPN premieres at 7:01 a.m. GMT from April 20 through May 18. But that is only outside the United States.

How do I stream the episodes if I live in the United States?

Once an episode has premiered on ESPN, it

will be made available to authenticated subscribers on the ESPN app via mobile and connected TV devices, ESPN.com and ESPN on Demand via cable, satellite and digital multichannel video programming distributors.

"Authenticated subscribers"?

To have access to the stream, you need to be paying someone for access to ESPN. You'll find when you try to watch that you need to sign in first, showing ESPN that you're a subscriber and it's getting its carriage fees.

What if I don't have access to ESPN via cable, satellite or streaming?

For now, you're out of luck. The series should eventually find its way to home video, but there are no details available yet.

Who is Michael Jordan?

OK. Now you're just messing with us. Go make some popcorn and set your DVR or something.

What about the ESPN schedule?

Sunday, April 19

8 p.m. — Premiere of Episode 1
9 p.m. — Encore of Episode 2

Sunday, April 26

6 p.m. — Encore of Episode 1
7 p.m. — Encore of Episode 2

8 p.m. — Premiere of Episode 3
9 p.m. — Premiere of Episode 4

Sunday, May 3

6 p.m. — Encore of Episode 3
7 p.m. — Encore of Episode 4

8 p.m. — Premiere of Episode 5
9 p.m. — Premiere of Episode 6

Sunday, May 10

6 p.m. — Encore of Episode 5
7 p.m. — Encore of Episode 6

8 p.m. — Premiere of Episode 7
9 p.m. — Premiere of Episode 8

Sunday, May 17

6 p.m. — Encore of Episode 7
7 p.m. — Encore of Episode 8

8 p.m. — Premiere of Episode 9
9 p.m. — Premiere of Episode 10

LaVine wins all-Chicago semifinals but falls in HORSE final

By JAMAL COLLIER

The rules prevented Zach LaVine from dunking, but his athleticism took him to the final of the HORSE tournament between stars from the NBA and WNBA on Thursday night on ESPN.

The Bulls guard advanced past the Sky's Allie Quigley in an all-Chicago semifinal to start the night, using his combination of trick layups to get past the sharpshooting Quigley, a two-time winner of the WNBA 3-point contest. But LaVine lost in the final

to Jazz guard Mike Conley Jr.

Shooting from his home gym with a bag of trick shots in his arsenal, Conley and his ambidextrous shooting prevailed over LaVine, who endured a light drizzle on his outdoor court in suburban Seattle.

LaVine's strategy was clear from the start of the tournament, when he defeated Paul Pierce in the quarterfinals Sunday. The former back-to-back winner of the dunk contest dipped into some of his more acrobatic moves, and that continued against Quigley. In the semifinal matchup, he went

between the legs and hit a reverse layup and also hit a reverse layup after tossing the ball off the backboard.

Before the start of LaVine's matchup against Conley, ESPN brought in referee Steve Javie to determine whether LaVine was breaking the no-dunking rule.

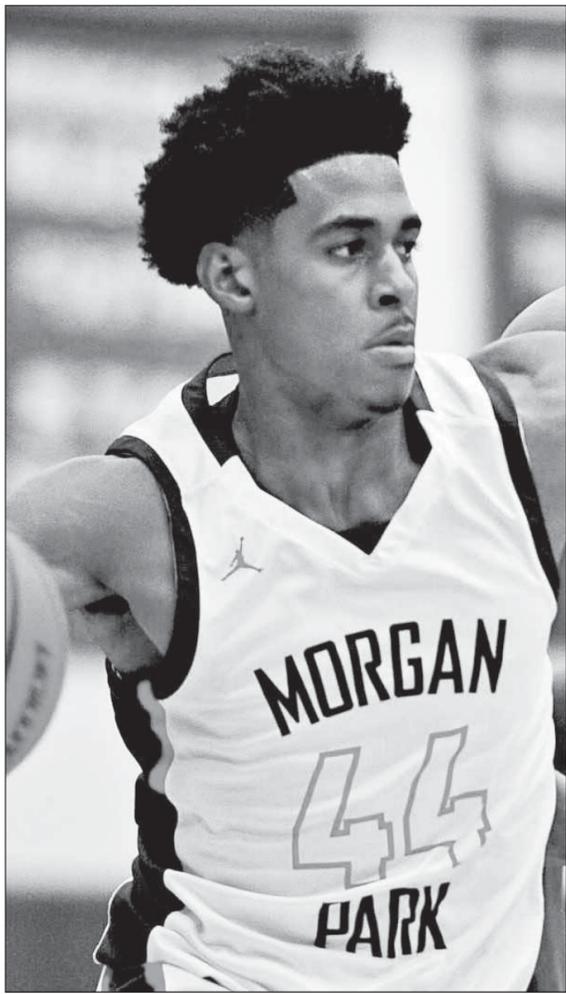
Quigley also got a chance to shine.

She eliminated Chris Paul in her matchup Sunday with the most creative shot-making in the tournament. The three-time WNBA All-Star also took a lead on LaVine, knocking down another shot while

sitting on the ground before LaVine rallied. In the background of Quigley's shots, her wife and Sky teammate, Courtney Vander-sloot, held a phone to film the competition.

"It's definitely a unique situation; not many spouses go to work together, come home together 24/7," Quigley said. "It's just kind of all we've known and it's really amazing actually. We get to live our dreams together, travel the world together. We've been to so many different countries together and experience so much. So (I'm) really lucky to be able to do this with her."

HIGH SCHOOLS



GARY MIDDENDORF/DAILY SOUTHTOWN

Morgan Park's Adam Miller makes his way to the basket against Simeon on Jan. 23. Miller is Mr. Basketball of Illinois for 2020.



H. RICK BAMMAN/LAKE COUNTY NEWS-SUN

Maine West's Angela Dugalic drives to the hoop Feb. 25, 2019, at Palatine High School. Dugalic is Ms. Basketball of Illinois for 2020.

MR. AND MS. BASKETBALL OF ILLINOIS

Miller and Dugalic rule over the courts

BY DEANTAE PRINCE

Morgan Park's Adam Miller and Maine West's Angela Dugalic took different paths to winning the Mr. and Ms. Basketball of Illinois awards for 2020.

Miller, a senior committed to Illinois, received 142 points and 21 first-place votes to edge Young's DJ Steward, who finished with 140 points and 19 first-place votes. Rolling Meadows junior Max Christie was third with 37 points.

"Being a kid growing up in Illinois, you always heard about Mr. Basketball," Miller said. "There are a lot of great players who won it, so me being able to win it is all graced by God. I just had to put in the work and God put me in the right predicaments."

Morgan Park coach Nick Irvin said a Mr. Basketball award always was part of the plan for Miller.

"He wanted to be remembered as the best player in the state of Illinois his senior year," Irvin said. "That's how he wanted to go out."

Dugalic, meanwhile, had nearly twice as many points as the runner-up. The senior received 24 first-place votes and 166 points. Lake Park's Darrione Rogers was second with 84 points and Simeon's Aneesah Morrow third with 72.

The awards are voted on by the state's coaches and media and presented by the Chicago Tribune in conjunction with the Illinois Basketball Coaches Association.

Miller, the No. 2 senior in the state (behind Steward) and No. 33 nationally in the 247Sports.com composite rankings, wasn't surprised the voting came down to the two players. But while they've had battles over the years — including a 61-59 Morgan Park win this season — Miller doesn't view Steward as a rival.

"People create a rivalry between us," Miller said. "We're none of that. We're just great basketball players that grew up in the same state. We're great friends and we've battled so many times. We don't do the comparisons, and it's just an honor to be able to play against him."

Miller put together a stellar season that was cut short because of the coronavirus outbreak. The 6-foot-4 guard averaged 23.9 points, 6.5 rebounds, 5.8 assists and 2.3 steals for Morgan Park (22-9), which advanced to a Class 3A sectional final before the IHSA canceled the rest of the state tournament amid the pandemic.

Miller finished with 2,076 career points and grabbed national attention while doing so. He was selected to the Jordan Brand Game and named the Illinois Gatorade Player of the Year the last two seasons, becoming only the fourth player to win the award back-to-back since 1985.

Dugalic, No. 22 in ESPN's HoopGurlz rankings, averaged 20.6 points, 10.3 rebounds, 2.7 assists and 2.7 steals for the Warriors (30-6), who lost to eventual Class 4A champion Fremd in the Elite Eight. Dugalic led Maine West to a 35-0 record and the 4A championship in 2019 and was named a Second Team All-State selection as a junior.

Dugalic's list of accolades don't end there. The 6-foot-4 forward is part of a historic recruiting class at Oregon in which all five five-star players were named to the McDonald's All-Americans. She was also named the Illinois Gatorade Player of the Year for the 2019-20 season.

2020 Mr. Basketball of Illinois voting

63 ballots cast, first-place votes in parentheses; 5-3-1 vote value.

Top 10

1. Adam Miller, Morgan Park, senior, 142 points (21)
2. DJ Steward, Young, senior, 140 points (19)
3. Max Christie, Rolling Meadows, junior, 37 points (3)
4. Ray/Sean Taylor, Collinsville, senior, 30 points (3)
5. Bryce Hopkins, Fenwick, junior, 27 points (2)
6. Dom Martinelli, Glenbard South, senior, 25 points (3)
7. Ahron Ulis, Marian Catholic, senior, 15 points (1)
8. Isaiah Rivera, Geneseo, senior, 13 points
9. Ramean Hinton, Curie, senior, 11 points
- T-10. Jackson Connor, Marion, 7 points (1)
- T-10. Connor Heaton, Moweaqua Central A&M, senior, 7 points

Others receiving multiple votes: Kam Craft, Buffalo Grove, junior, 4 points; Nate Shockey, York, senior, 3 points; Troy D'Amico, Nikes Notre Dame, junior, 2 points.

Receiving one vote: DJ Williams, Thornton, senior, 5 points; Cooper Larsen, Indian Creek, senior, 5 points; Blake McKay, Woodlawn, 5 points; RJ Ogom, H-F, senior, 5 points; Beau Frericks, Cary-Grove, senior, 5 points; DaRon Hall, Glenbard East, senior, 5 points; Connor Dillon, Peoria Notre Dame, senior, 3 points; Taaj Davis, Aurora Christian, senior, 3 points; Aquan Smart, Niles North, senior, 3 points; Kaden Froebe, Lincoln, senior, 3 points; Antoine Bloxton, Bogan, senior, 3 points; Dante Maddox, Bloom, 3 points; Jaccob Dust, St. Anthony, senior, 1 point; Darius Burford, Bolingbrook, senior, 1 point; Robbie Avila, Oak Forest, senior, 1 point; Jaylin McCants, Galesburg, senior, 1 point; Ty Johnson, DePaul Prep, junior, 1 point.

2020 Ms. Basketball of Illinois voting

69 ballots cast, first-place votes in parentheses; 5-3-1 vote value.

1. Angela Dugalic, Maine West, senior, 166 points (24)
2. Darrione Rogers, Lake Park, senior, 84 points (8)
3. Aneesah Morrow, Simeon, senior, 73 points (7)
4. Lindsey Dullard, Morton, senior, 48 points (6)
5. Taylor Gugliuzza, Lincoln-Way West, senior, 33 points (4)
6. Kylie Feuerbach, Sycamore, senior, 26 points (3)
- T-7. Amber Storr, Kankakee, senior, 24 points (3)
- T-7. Halle Douglass, Lake Forest, senior, 24 points (3)
9. Erin Henze, Lanark Eastland, senior, 20 points (3)
10. Anna Heffren, Lewistown, senior, 17 points (2)

Others receiving votes: Jeniah Thompson, Carterville, senior, 11 points (2); Kayla Green, Young, senior, 11 points (1); Emily Klaczek, Fremd, senior, 8 points (1); Capria Brown, Schlarman, senior, 5 points (1); Lydia Coatney, Lanark Eastland, senior, 6 points; Brooke Schramek, Benet, senior 5 points; Erin Henze, Lanark Eastland, senior, 3 points; Peyton Kennedy, Rockford Boylan, senior, 2 points; Kendall Holmes, Benet, senior, 2 points.

Previous Mr. Basketball of Illinois winners

- 2019: EJ Liddell, Belleville West
- 2018: EJ Liddell, Belleville West
- 2017: Mark Smith, Edwardsville
- 2016: Charlie Moore, Morgan Park
- 2015: Jalen Brunson, Stevenson
- 2014: Jahliil Okafor, Young
- 2013: Jabari Parker, Simeon
- 2012: Jabari Parker, Simeon
- 2011 (tie): Ryan Boatright, East Aurora and Chasson Randle, Rock Island
- 2010: Jereme Richmond, Waukegan
- 2009: Brandon Paul, Warren
- 2008: Kevin Dillard, Homewood-Flossmoor
- 2007: Derrick Rose, Simeon
- 2006: Jon Scheyer, Glenbrook North
- 2005: Julian Wright, Homewood-Flossmoor
- 2004: Shaun Livingston, Peoria
- 2003: Shannon Brown, Proviso East
- 2002: Dee Brown, Proviso East
- 2001: Eddy Curry, Thornwood
- 2000: Darius Miles, East St. Louis
- 1999: Brian Cook, Lincoln
- 1998: Frank Williams, Peoria Manual
- 1997: Sergio McClain, Peoria Manual
- 1996: Ronnie Fields, Farragut
- 1995: Kevin Garnett, Farragut
- 1994: Jerry Gee, St. Martin de Porres
- 1993: Rashard Griffith, King
- 1992: Chris Collins, Glenbrook North
- 1991: Howard Nathan, Peoria Manual
- 1990: Jamie Brandon, King
- 1989: Deon Thomas, Simeon
- 1988: Eric Anderson, St. Francis de Sales
- 1987: Marcus Liberty, King
- 1986: Nick Anderson, Simeon
- 1985: Ed Horton, Springfield Lanphier
- 1984: Brian Sloan, McLeansboro
- 1983: Marty Simmons, Lawrenceville
- 1982: Bruce Douglas, Quincy
- 1981: Walter Downing, Providence

Previous Ms. Basketball of Illinois winners

- 2019: Brea Beal, Rock Island
- 2018: Brea Beal, Rock Island
- 2017: Brea Beal, Rock Island
- 2016: Kathleen Doyle, Benet
- 2015: Haley Goreski, Fremd
- 2014: Tyra Buss, Mount Carmel (Ill.)
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- 2012: Morgan Tuck, Bolingbrook
- 2011: Ariel Massengale, Bolingbrook
- 2010: Tricia Liston, Fenwick
- 2009: Morgan Tuck, Bolingbrook
- 2008: Sarah Boothe, Warren
- 2007: Brittany Johnson, Olney East Richland
- 2006: Theresa Lisch, Belleville Althoff
- 2005: Lindsay Schrader, Bartlett
- 2004: Candace Parker, Naperville Central
- 2003: Candace Parker, Naperville Central
- 2002: Candace Parker, Naperville Central
- 2001: Cappie Pondexter, Marshall
- 2000: Cappie Pondexter, Marshall
- 1999: Molly McDowell, Nokomis
- 1998: Allison Curtin, Taylorville
- 1997: Courtney Smith, Carlyle
- 1996: Tauja Catchings, Stevenson
- 1995: Tamika Catchings, Stevenson
- 1994: Michelle Hasheider, Okawville
- 1993: Kim Williams, Marshall
- 1992: Tammy Van Oppen, Bartonville
- Limestone
- 1991: Megan Lucid, Mother McAuley
- 1990: Courtney Porter, Hume Shiloh
- 1989: LaTonia Foster, Marshall
- 1988: Nancy Kennelly, Maine West
- 1987: Cindy Kaufman, Seneca
- 1986: Doris Carie, Teutopolis

BASEBALL

Guillen says MLB's plan can be done

Spring training stadiums OK with the former Sox skipper

BY TEDDY GREENSTEIN

Ozzie Guillen says stay-at-home life isn't so bad. The self-described homebody joked he has been doing it since he came up with the White Sox in 1985.

"I always try to stay in my house," Guillen said by telephone. "Any chance to stay in with my wife and kids, I take advantage of."

Guillen is spending tons of time in Chicago with his three sons and granddaughter, Adela.

Baseball is a popular topic, especially with son Ozney, a 22nd-round pick of the Sox in 2010, in town after winning a Winter League title in Colombia as a manager.

The Guillens go back and forth on whether they think MLB will be able to pull off its proposed plan to play games in empty spring training stadiums with players and staff living in hotels, separated from their families for months.

"You wake up one day and say: Yeah, this is a good idea," Guillen said. "Then you sit down and put everything together and say: No way that's going to happen."

"They say we're going to play baseball without fans. What? Well, there are a lot of teams that play without fans over 162 games."

And he chuckled.

Guillen said if the idea had been presented to him as a player, his response would have been simple: Let's play.

"I'd have no choice," he said. "If everybody is playing, why not me? I'm no better than the game. If MLB says we're gonna play and the president of the United States says we can play, who is one player to say no? That's your job. I don't think you can be selfish when you see a lot of people want sports because they make money out of that. That's something people have to think about."

"Players have money. The owners have money. There are a lot of people behind the scenes suffering. People who park the cars, work in the stadium. They need baseball more than anybody, more than the players. Some people live check-by-check, day-by-day."

MLB on March 12 canceled remaining spring training games and postponed the start of the season amid the coronavirus outbreak. The league and players union have had only a preliminary discussion of potential ways for the season to start if given the go-ahead by federal, state and local governments and health officials.

If baseball does return, Guillen, who does pre- and postgame White Sox studio work for NBC Sports Chicago, wants to see the Sox play for a month before opining on whether this would be their breakthrough year.

"We all know they spent money," he said. "We all know they have good players. We all know they have great talent. But we don't know if they have a good team."

"It all goes with chemistry. Winning brings you good chemistry. ... You lose a few games this year, how much fun will you be having?"

And this year's team carries a new burden of expectations.

"There are a lot of 'ifs' in the air," Guillen said. "We've never seen the manager manage a winning team. Never seen the coaches coach a winning team. Never seen those guys play where every time they hit the field, it means something. But they have great talent in there. I can't wait to see if they have a good team."

Cubs declined to be in study on coronavirus

BY MARK GONZALES

The Cubs medical staff has maintained close contact with health officials and Major League Baseball since February amid the coronavirus outbreak in the United States.

But according to an NBC Sports Chicago report Thursday night, the Cubs were one of three teams that didn't participate in a nationwide coronavirus antibodies study this week that researchers at Stanford and USC conducted.

A source stressed that the study, which involved 10,000 people and included those from corporations and MLB, was voluntary. Employees from participating MLB teams, ranging from executives to stadium employees, represented a large group throughout the country that could help gauge the number of people infected.

Kits were sent to participants, who pricked a finger to provide a blood sample to be tested for antibodies.

Tom Zimmer, a scout for the Giants and the son of former Cubs manager Don Zimmer, told the Tampa Bay Times he tested negative after taking the test Wednesday. Zimmer told the Times he mixed his blood in a few drops of a solution in a device that provided the results in 10 minutes.

Zimmer took a photograph of the test results and sent them to the Sports Medicine Research and Testing Laboratory, based in Salt Lake City.

The tests are connected to collecting data and not toward efforts to start the season.

Chicago Tribune Death Notices

Chicago Tribune extends our condolences to the families and loved ones of those who have passed.

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In Memoriam

John G. Brecka

51 Years.
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Rick Filipowski
May 10th 1959
April 18 1995

I took my love, I took it down
Climbed a mountain and turned around
And I saw my reflection in the snow covered hills
'Till landslide brought me down
Oh, mirror in the sky what is love?
Can the child within my heart rise above?
Can I sail through the changin' ocean tides?
Can I handle the seasons of my life?
(words by Stevie Nicks)
25 years ago we drove across the Michigan Ave bridge.
A cloud sat on the city as the warmth of spring fought against the last whip of winter.
This song played on the radio, you reached out to hold my hand.
I think you were saying good-bye.
Forever my brother, forever a son, forever our friend
You are forever missed.
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Death Notices

Bennett, Arlene G.

Arlene Bennett (nee Gettleman), 93, passed away on April 15 at her Chicago home with her beloved daughter Bija Bennett in Chicago, and Alice Bennett Groh (the late Trauger Groh) with her in heart and soul from Wilton, NH. Her beloved husband real estate developer Marshall Bennett, her soulmate of 70 years, preceded her in death by 18 months, and her grandchildren Nicola Groh and Theo (Holly) Groh survive her. She succumbed to natural causes.

Arlene was known for her extraordinary warmth, gracious demeanor, deep interest in others and generosity to family, friends and the greater community. She took great joy in her relationships with family and friends, and was a legendary and beloved hostess at the homes she shared with her late husband, Marshall, in Chicago and Sun Valley, Idaho. As a couple, Arlene and Marshall were both renowned for their dedication to community and tikkun olam (repairing the world), a large and diverse circle of friends, and their vibrant personalities and personal charisma.

As a couple, Arlene and Marshall were thoughtful and generous philanthropists, giving to causes that furthered important research in science, equity in education and access for all in the arts. Personally, Arlene was active with the Mary Lawrence Chapter of the Jewish Children's Bureau, Misericordia, the Catholic-Jewish Dialogue, the University of Chicago Women's Board, the Ravinia Festival Association, the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, the Weizmann Institute of Science, Hubbard Street Dance Chicago and more.

Arlene was born on the north side of Chicago on March 16, 1927, the second daughter of David and Jean (Meyers) Gettleman. She and her older sister, Laurie (Wallach), grew up in Rogers Park and attended Sullivan High School. Arlene went on to attend National College of Education, where she received a degree in early childhood education. In June, 1948 she married Marshall, and together they had three daughters—Bija, Alice and the late Carole Hope. Arlene's warmth, kindness and unswerving focus on the happiness of others was cherished and will be dearly missed by her family and friends. A graveside ceremony will be celebrated on Sunday, April 19 at 12 noon CST at Shalom Memorial Park in Arlington Heights, IL. A Zoom connection is being made available by Chicago Jewish Funerals for those who wish to participate remotely in the service; those who wish to attend virtually should contact Bija Bennett at Bija@bijab.com for the Zoom link.

A gathering to celebrate Arlene's life will be held later in the year, when it becomes possible. In lieu of flowers, donations would be appreciated and can be made to: Congregation Solel, 1301 Clavey Road, Highland Park, IL 60035, www.Solel.org; the Ravinia Festival Association, 418 Sheridan Road, Highland Park, IL 60035, www.ravinia.org; or the Marshall Bennett Institute of Real Estate at Roosevelt University, 430 South Michigan Avenue, Chicago, IL 60605, www.roosevelt.edu/centers/real-estate. Arrangements are by Chicago Jewish Funerals - Skokie Chapel, 847.229.8822, www.cjfinfo.com.

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Bones, Lynn

With profound sadness we announce the passing of Lynn Bones, our loving and devoted mother, and friend to all whose lives she touched, on April 11, 2020.

She left us while valiantly continuing her fight against the effects of a lifetime of tobacco use. We would like to recognize the many doctors, nurses, care technicians, and staff at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, and elsewhere, who have brought meaning and joy to her while in their care. Lynn was in her 78th year.

Born and raised in the Forest Glen/Jefferson Park neighborhood of Chicago, Lynn grew up surrounded by family. She often remarked how wonderful it was to 'run away' across the alley to her Grandmother's house when she needed special attention or to fuss on her Grandpa when she needed a quarter.

Lynn worked as a bank teller at First National in Chicago post high school. As a young adult she loved the routine of working downtown and carousing with her girlfriends at night. Her yellow, '58 Chevy convertible was an important player at this time and drove her love of fast cars. On a girl's night out at the NCO club at O'Hare, Lynn met George Bones. They were married on November 3rd, 1962. She was the beloved mother of Daniel (Linda) and Jennifer (Michael), proud grandmother of William, Megan, Alexandra, and Everett. Lynn is survived by her sister, Edell McKenna, whose daily phone conversations kept them close.

Predeceased by her devoted husband, George ('94), and infant son, Timothy ('64).

Lynn lived a full life as a wonderful mother, homemaker, and for a time, as the church secretary at Immanuel United Church of Christ, Streamwood. Her involvement in her church surrounded her with many wonderful lifelong friends. She loved to cook and bake, play cards, and work in her yard. Her pets were also a passion, as we often said that it would be a gift to be reincarnated as an animal in Lynn's care. Most of all, she loved her family and the solace of her home. A Schaumburg resident since 1969, Lynn was proud of the fact that she'd only lived in three places in her lifetime. She became increasingly reliant on her neighbors later in life. Her family extends so much gratitude to them. Lynn will be dearly missed and forever in our hearts.

A celebration of Lynn's life will be held at a future date. For more information, or to be notified of the details, please email Jennifer at celebratelynnbones@gmail.com

Finally, the family asks that you honor Lynn by cooking for a loved one, trying to win at a game of cards, or donating to a church or animal shelter of your choice.

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Butterfield, Terrie Sue

Terrie Sue Butterfield, 73, of Downers Grove, passed away Saturday April 11, 2020. She was born April 18, 1946 in Rhineland, WI, the daughter of the late Reynold and Lucille (Van Court) Butterfield.

In keeping with Terrie's wishes, private family services were held. Arrangements by **The Healy Chapel**, 370 Division Dr., Sugar Grove, IL 60554. For further information please call (630) 466-1330 or visit our website at www.healychapel.com to sign the online guestbook.

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Genson, Edward M. 'Eddie'

EDWARD M. GENSON "Eddie", age 78, of Deerfield, Illinois, passed away peacefully at home. He was preceded in death by his parents Morton and Sarah Genson and his in-laws Henry and Blanche Benjamin. He is survived by his beloved wife of 55 years, Susan; his children Kim (Brad) Thiriot, Melissa (Elisha) Rosenblum, and Morton David (Katherine)

Genson; his sister Myrna (the late Ralph) Dreier; and his treasured grandchildren Mollie, Rebecca, Benjamin, Sarah, Nancy, and Abigail. Eddie was born on the West Side of Chicago in 1941. He attended Marshall High School and graduated in 1958. He earned his B.A. degree in Political Science from Northwestern University in 1962 and his J.D. degree from Northwestern University Law School in 1965. Eddie practiced law and tried cases in state and federal court in Chicago and across the country for over 50 years. His legendary work ethic, trial skills, and courtroom demeanor were renowned, acknowledged, and admired by the judges he appeared before, the attorneys he litigated with and against, and the clients he zealously defended. He was generous with his time and mentored and advised law students and attorneys who sought his advice and guidance throughout their own careers. His warm smile, jovial demeanor, and easy intelligence attracted people to him, but the foundation of his many friendships was always his steady loyalty and support. When not practicing law, Eddie could be found building and running his expansive model train layout, playing his clarinet, listening to jazz music, reading, or spending time with the most cherished people in his life, his grandchildren. He was also a student of history and was an integral member of the Board of Directors of the Illinois Historic Preservation Agency where he participated in the founding of the Abraham Lincoln Library and Museum. Additionally, he was a member of the International Academy of Trial Lawyers, the Governor's Commission on Criminal Legislation, the National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, and the John Howard Association. Due to the Covid-19 crisis, a private burial service was held on April 17, 2020 at Memorial Park in Skokie, IL. A memorial service in celebration of Eddie's life will be held at a later date. Donations in his memory can be made to the Dystonia Medical Research Foundation, One East Wacker Dr., STE 1730, Chicago, Illinois 60601-1980, www.dystonia@dystonia-foundation.org. Arrangements by **Chicago Jewish Funerals** - Skokie Chapel, 847.229.8822, www.cjfinfo.com.

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Miskiewicz, Frank

Frank Miskiewicz, 94, formerly of Chicago, passed away April 15, 2020. He was born September 10, 1925 in Poland, son of the late Walter and Anniela (Sulikowski) Miskiewicz. He was a parishioner of St. Rosalie Roman Catholic Church in Norridge. He is survived by several nieces and nephews. Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Alicja Stefani Miskiewicz. Private services will be held with an entombment at St. Adalbert Cemetery, Niles, IL. Arrangements were handled by **The Healy Chapel**, Sugar Grove, IL. To sign the online guestbook please visit www.healychapel.com. 630-466-1330.

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Montesa, Adolfo Magararu

Adolfo Magararu Montesa born on October 2, 1945, of Masaguisi Bongabong Oriental Mindoro, Philippines – passed away Monday, April 13, 2020 in Chicago, IL. He was preceded in death by his parents Efegeña & Vivencio Montesa and his sister, Emeline Montesa Rodriguez. He is survived by his siblings Nolasco Montesa, Renerio Montesa, Erwin Montesa, Annalie Montesa Maghuyop and Vic Montesa.

He is also survived by his children Sigrid Michelle Santos & her husband Dary Santos, Joy Hazel De Luna & her husband Joseph De Luna, Christopher Montesa, Adolfo J. Montesa II & his wife Candi Hughes Montesa, with grandchildren: Renae Santos, Alyssa Santos, Kamryn Santos, Sage Santos, Isabella Montesa, Madeline Montesa, Elizabeth Montesa, Adolfo J. Montesa III, Tristan De Luna and Merritt Montesa.

He was a devout Catholic. He attended St. Joseph Academy and then pursued a BA in Education and played basketball at National University in Manila. He was an elementary school teacher in his native home of the Philippines. He then immigrated to the United States in 1974 where he worked for Detroit Macomb Riverview Hospital, in computer administration, for over 20 years. As a tribute to the American dream, he started his own transportation company, which he owned and operated until his passing.

Adolfo had an insatiable appetite for good food, storytelling, oldies music and was a passionate admirer of cars and watches. He was loved by all his family and friends. Many adopted him as a brother and confidant, and he will be remembered by all the lives he touched and changed.

Due to the current public health crisis, in memoriam observation and services will be held in the Detroit metro area and the Chicagoland area, in later-2020.

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LEGAL NOTICES GOVERNMENT/EDUCATION

LEGAL NOTICE

Toni Preckwinkle, President of the Board of Commissioners of Cook County, has directed me to provide notice that the Cook County Board of Commissioners will hold its regular Board Meeting on Thursday, April 23, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

In compliance with the Governor's Executive Orders 2020-7, 2020-10, and 2020-18, attendance at this meeting will be by remote means only, instructions for how to attend this meeting and participate in written public comment will be provided on the Cook County website at www.surveymonkey.com/r/3MY285H on or before April 17, 2020. The proceedings will be able to be viewed at cookcountyil.gov/service/watch-live-board-proceedings on April 23, 2020 starting at 10:00 a.m.

Written public comment on any of the items listed on the Agenda will be accepted at www.surveymonkey.com/r/3MY285H or cookcountyboard@cookcountyil.gov Written comments provided prior to the start of the Board meeting will be read aloud at the meeting. Three minutes per comment will be allowed, though every effort will be made to read statements in their entirety.

Copies of the Agenda for the April 23, 2020 Board Meeting of the Cook County Board of Commissioners and items to be considered at this meeting will be made available electronically on the Cook County website on April 17, 2020 at <https://cook-county.legistar.com/>.

NOTE: Cook County Building, 118 N. Clark Street, Chicago, IL 60602 is closed to the public, until a date to be determined, due to the current circumstances concerning COVID-19.

Very truly yours,
/s/ KAREN A. YARBROUGH, Cook County Clerk and Clerk of the Board of the Commissioners of Cook County, Illinois
4/17-4/23/2020 6655131

LEGAL NOTICE

Toni Preckwinkle, President of the Board of Commissioners of Cook County, has directed me to cancel the Consent Calendar Meeting of the Cook County Board of Commissioners scheduled for Wednesday, April 22, 2020 at 1:00 p.m., in accordance with Executive Order 2020-7.

Very truly yours,
KAREN A. YARBROUGH, Cook County Clerk and Clerk of the Board of the Commissioners of Cook County, Illinois
4/17-4/22/20 6655113

LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF FILING OF EVIDENCE PURSUANT TO ORDER OF THE ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION
To Patrons of The Peoples Gas Light and Coke Company:
The Peoples Gas Light and Coke Company hereby gives notice to the public that it has filed with the Illinois Commerce Commission, pursuant to the Commission's order in Docket 19-1045, dated November 14, 2019, evidence relating to the reconciliation of revenues arising and costs recoverable under Rider 2 of its Schedule of Rates (Ill.C.C. No. 28) for Gas Service in Chicago, Illinois. A copy of the filed evidence may be inspected by any interested party at any business office of this Company. All parties interested in this matter may obtain information with respect thereto either directly from this Company or by addressing the Chief Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission, 527 East Capitol Avenue, Springfield, Illinois 62701.
THE PEOPLES GAS LIGHT AND COKE COMPANY
By Theodore Eidukas
Vice President - Regulatory Affairs
4/18, 4/25/2020 6656761

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Cicero School District 99, will accept sealed lump sum trade contractor bids for the following Cicero School District 99, CICERO WEST AND COLUMBUS WEST RTU REPLACEMENT.

Bid packages include the following:
BP23- MECHANICAL (A Single Prime Contract covering all aspects of The Work)

The project consists of providing all work per the Contract Documents prepared by FGM Architects Inc., 1211 W. 22nd St. Oakbrook, IL 60523, project no. 20-2816.02 dated 04/07/2020, and Bid Manual prepared by Vision Construction & Consulting, Inc., 1733 N. 33rd Ave. Stone Park, IL 60165, project no. 19-130 dated 04/22/2020. Details pertaining to the construction project are set forth in the Bid Documents available on or after 04/22/2020.

All bidders must procure a current set of drawings, specifications, bid manual and asbestos project design documents from Vision Construction and Consulting, Inc. or agents of Cicero School District 99, FGM Architects Inc., Engineers/Consultants or Vision Construction and Consulting, Inc.

Bidders may rely only on information contained in the bid documents and provided in written addenda issued by Vision Construction and Consulting, Inc. and shall not rely on any oral information or interpretations given by any representatives or agents of Cicero School District 99, FGM Architects Inc., Engineers/Consultants or Vision Construction and Consulting, Inc.

There will be a Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid meeting held on 04/28/2020 at 10:00AM located at Cicero West Elementary School, 4937 W. 23rd Street, Cicero, Illinois 60804. Contact Jim Dombrowski, 708-590-9716, email jimd@visionconstruction.us or Ashkan Mizani, 312-982-1041, email ashkan@visionconstruction.us for additional information. All bidders and their subs are invited to attend the pre-bid meeting.

Sealed bids will be received by Cicero School District 99, 5110 W 24th St. Cicero, IL 60804 until 05/07/2020 at 10:00 AM local prevailing time. Immediately thereafter the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. No immediate decision will be rendered. Bids will be tabulated, studied, and presented to the Owner. Contracts will be awarded, if at all, by the Cicero School District 99 at a subsequent Board meeting. All questions concerning the bid must be submitted to Vision Construction & Consulting, Inc. in writing.

All trade contractors must pay prevailing wages in accordance with IDOL requirements, 2020, for Cook County, Illinois.

All bidders are required to submit a bid security with their bid. The security amount shall be Ten percent (10%) of their total bid amount. The bid security may be in the form of a bid bond issued by a surety licensed to do business in the State of Illinois, a cashier's check or a certified check payable to the School District.

The District reserves the right to defer the award of the contract(s) for a period not to exceed sixty (60) calendar days from the date bids are received, and to accept or reject any or all bids, and to waive technicalities.
4/18/2020 6656275

PUBLIC NOTICE MEETING DATE CHANGE:
Notice is hereby given that the regular second quarter meeting of the Lottery Control Board scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 29, 2020, is rescheduled to 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, June 3, 2020.
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SATURDAY, APRIL 18 NORMAL HIGH: 60° NORMAL LOW: 40° RECORD HIGH: 89° (2002) RECORD LOW: 23° (1983)

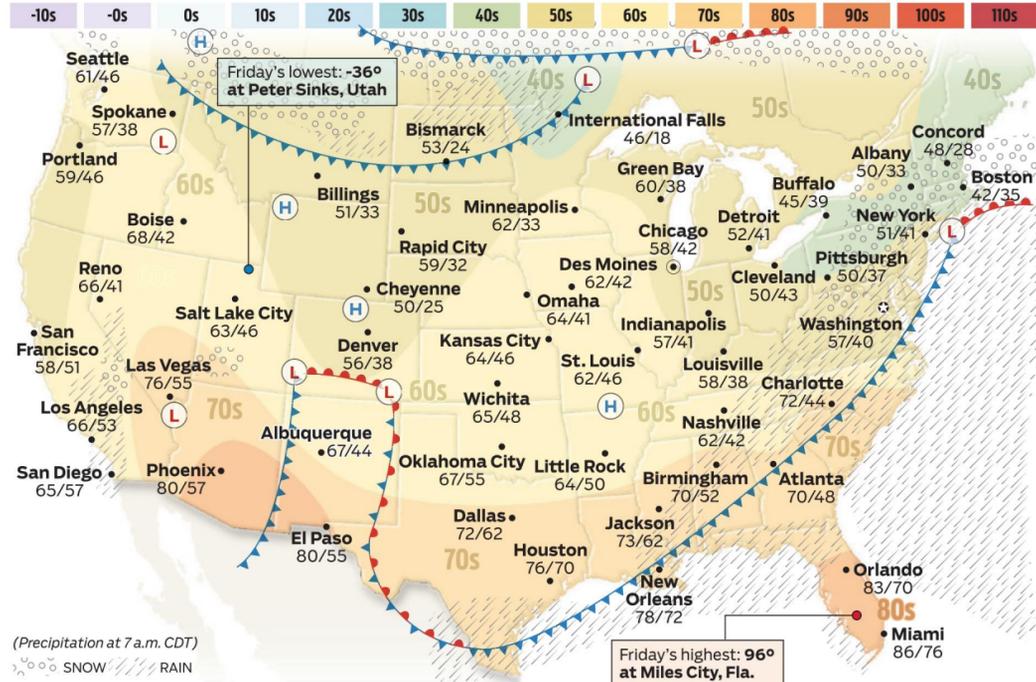
After record snow comes much needed warmup

LOCAL FORECAST

HIGH 58 **LOW** 42

- A few early morning clouds. Becoming mostly sunny, windy and much warmer.
- A high in the upper 50s will be as much as an 18 degree increase over Friday afternoon temperatures.
- Southwest morning winds increase to 20-30 mph, gusting to 40 mph in the afternoon, helping bring milder temperatures.
- Clouds increase overnight, becoming mostly cloudy.
- Southwest nighttime winds persist but weaken to 10-18 mph.
- Much warmer low in the low 40s.

NATIONAL FORECAST



A high temperature in the upper 50s Saturday will approach the normal high of 60. A warmer weekend is in the forecast after a week that saw two daily record snowfall records broken.

A downside to the quick warmup in temperature Saturday will be strong southwest winds that may gust to 40 mph or higher in the afternoon. A gale warning has been issued from noon through 10 p.m. Saturday for Lake Michigan.

The high temperature will again approach 60 on Sunday, except near the lake where winds off the lake will keep temperatures in the upper 40s as the lake temperature remains quite cold.

The high will again be near 60 on Monday. The cold weather we have experienced extended south. Freeze warnings were in place Friday night from Kansas to west central Ohio.

SUNDAY, APRIL 19

HIGH 60 **LOW** 33

Early clouds give way to partly cloudy skies. West winds turn NNE 10-15 mph. High near 60. Upper 40s along lake in the afternoon. Scattered overnight clouds. Turning much colder with a low in the low 30s.

MONDAY, APRIL 20

HIGH 60 **LOW** 42

Mostly sunny with a few scattered clouds. High near the normal of 61. Breezy WSW winds 10-15 mph with gusts to 25 mph. Mostly clear overnight with winds slowly turning NW. Warmer with a low in low 40s.

TUESDAY, APRIL 21

HIGH 56 **LOW** 40

High pressure dominates. Mostly sunny, a little cooler with brisk NNW winds 10-20 mph. High in the mid 50s. Winds diminish. Turn S overnight. A few nighttime clouds. Low near 40, a few degrees below normal.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

HIGH 62 **LOW** 44

Morning sun with clouds increasing in afternoon. Chance of an afternoon shower. Increasing rain chances evening, overnight. Warmer high in low 60s. S winds 10-20 mph weaken overnight. Low in mid 40s.

THURSDAY, APRIL 23

HIGH 61 **LOW** 42

Mostly cloudy, scattered showers. Seasonable high near 60. South winds 8-14 mph. Mostly cloudy overnight. Slight chance for a widely scattered shower. Low in the low 40s. Light east nighttime winds.

FRIDAY, APRIL 24

HIGH 53 **LOW** 43

Mostly cloudy. Persistent showers. Chance for t-storms in the afternoon and evening. Much cooler. High in the low 50s. NW winds 10-15 mph. Scattered overnight showers end by daybreak. Low in low 40s.



NOTE: Predicted high/low temps on Tribune weather page are chronological—the "high" refers to maximum reading expected during day and "low" is the minimum reading expected the following night.

ASK TOM

Dear Tom,
What date is the latest measurable snowfall in Chicagoland?
Roberta Kempfer, Orland Park

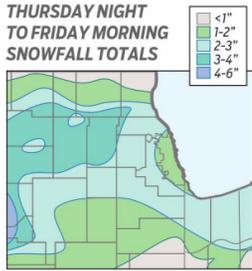
Dear Roberta,
The date is May 11, 1966, when the Chicago area officially recorded 0.2 inches of snowfall at Midway Airport. The snow fell during the opening stages of a wet, windy spring storm that eventually brought more than 3 inches of heavy, flooding rains to the Chicago area, forcing scores of people out of their homes.

The snow was heaviest north and west of the city, with 3.5 inches at Elgin, 2 inches at Barrington and Glen Ellyn and 1.6 inches at O'Hare. The storm came in the wake of a warm spell that produced a high of 84 on May 5. Cooler weather moved in May 8, with a high of just 47, and that was followed by a trace of snow on May 9. The city's latest trace of snow fell June 2, 1910.

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Gusty winds and much warmer temps follow record snow



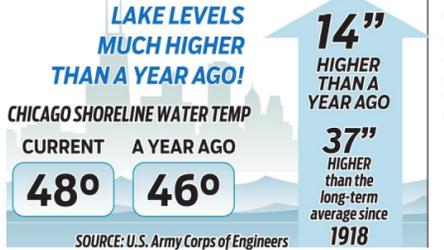
OFFICIAL CHICAGO SNOW—ONE FOR THE RECORD BOOKS

3.0"

- Eclipses old record of 0.5" in 1949
- 2nd biggest calendar day snow this late in season since 1885 (3.1" 4/23/67)

CHICAGO AREA SNOW TOTALS

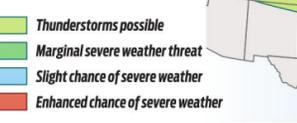
4.1" Sycamore	3.5" Elburn
4.1" Downers Grove	3.4" Romeoville
4.0" Lakewood	3.3" Yorkville
4.0" Hanover Park	3.2" Algonquin
3.9" Campton Hills	3.0" Valparaiso, Ind.
3.6" Buffalo Grove	3.0" New Lenox
3.5" Hawthorne Woods	3.0" Aurora
3.5" Plainfield	3.0" Dyer, Ind.



SOURCES: Frank Wachowski, National Weather Service archives

SEVERE WEATHER OUTLOOK

Sunday and Sunday night
Potential for severe weather covers area impacted last weekend



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CHICAGO DIGEST

FRIDAY TEMPERATURES

LOCATION	HI	LO	LOCATION	HI	LO
Aurora	41	32	Midway	42	33
Gary	39	34	O'Hare	42	34
Kankakee	38	32	Romeoville	40	32
Lakefront	42	33	Valparaiso	40	32
Lansing	37	32	Waukegan	42	33

CHICAGO PRECIPITATION

PERIOD	2020	NORMAL
Fri. (through 4 p.m.)	0.29"	0.12"
April to date	1.04"	1.87"
Year to date	8.09"	7.89"

CHICAGO SNOWFALL

PERIOD	O'HARE	MIDWAY
Fri. (through 4 p.m.)	3.0"	2.9"
Season to date	34.8"	34.7"
Normal to date	36.1"	37.0"

LAKE MICHIGAN CONDITIONS

	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Wind	SW 20-35 kts. W/NE 10-15 kts.	
Waves	2-5 feet	2-4 feet
Fri. shore/crib water temps	48°/45°	

FRIDAY PEAK POLLEN LEVEL

POLLEN	LEVEL
Tree	Moderate
Grass	0
Mold	Low
Ragweed	0
Weed	0

SOURCE: Gottlieb Memorial Hospital Allergy Count, Dr. Rachna Shah

CHICAGO AIR QUALITY

Friday's reading: Good
Saturday's forecast: Good
Critical pollutant: Particulates

SATURDAY RISE/SET TIMES

Sun	6:04 a.m.	7:35 p.m.
Moon	4:35 a.m.	3:24 p.m.



SATURDAY PLANET WATCH

PLANET	RISE	SET
Mercury	5:38 a.m.	6:06 p.m.
Venus	7:50 a.m.	11:33 p.m.
Mars	3:11 a.m.	1:00 p.m.
Jupiter	2:13 a.m.	11:37 p.m.
Saturn	2:30 a.m.	12:04 p.m.

BEST VIEWING TIME DIRECTION

Mercury	Not visible	
Venus	8:45 p.m.	27.5° W
Mars	5:00 a.m.	16.5° SE
Jupiter	5:00 a.m.	21.5° SE
Saturn	5:00 a.m.	20.5° SE

Source: Dan Joyce, Chicago Astronomical Society

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Coronavirus throwing curve at some NFL draft prospects

By Mark Long
Associated Press

GAINESVILLE, Fla. — Florida receiver Josh Hammond was “a little shocked” he didn’t get an invite to the NFL combine.

He was equally surprised he didn’t get asked to the Senior Bowl.

He settled for a spot in the East-West Shrine Game, figuring any NFL team that missed him at the second-tier all-star game would get another shot at Florida’s pro day in late March. He also was banking on one-on-one visits with teams, a chance to really put his character and football IQ on display for general managers, coaches and scouts.

But once the coronavirus pandemic wiped out most pro days and all pre-draft visits, Hammond found himself in a tough spot — with plenty of company. He is one of hundreds of pro prospects who haven’t had formal medical checks before the NFL draft, a vital look at vitals that teams consider as important as anything they see on tape.

“Not having that kind of sucks,” Hammond said. “There’s really no way to get that done on FaceTime or Zoom, either.”

Hammond has four years of highlights from his days with the Gators. He caught 87 passes for 1,138 yards and six touchdowns, most of those numbers the last two seasons under coach Dan Mullen. He was a team captain in 2019 and only missed one game (in 2017) because of injury. His older brother, Frankie, also spent two years in the league.

It should be enough, but Hammond knows it’s not. Teams want to poke and prod prospects before spending draft capital — and sometimes millions more — on them.

Five years ago the Rams drafted Missouri receiver Bud Sasser in the sixth round, then cut him five weeks later following a failed physical. Sasser had a pre-existing heart condition that prevented him from playing.

Despite catching 77 passes for 1,003 yards and 12 touchdowns in 2014, Sasser was not invited to the combine or any all-star game. So NFL teams couldn’t put him through the rigorous physical testing that combine participants undergo. His condition went undetected.

Sasser’s case still serves as a reminder in NFL circles.

“If a player was at the combine and they were a late-round guy, it’s not an issue,” Jaguars general manager Dave Caldwell said. “The biggest issue that I think we face is the medical portion of these guys that were not at the combine and having to draft a player that you are not 100 percent sure of the medical.”

“It is one thing to draft a player and not have an accurate 40 time or short shuttle time, but to have a player come in and then all of a sudden you realize he has a medical issue that disqualifies him after you draft him, that is an issue.”

Other notable players who didn’t get combine invites or pro days: Illinois defensive end Oluwole Betiku; Louisiana offensive lineman Kevin Dotson; LSU defensive lineman Breiden Fehoko; North Texas quarterback Mason Fine; Memphis defensive end Bryce Huff; Utah quarterback Tyler Huntley; Memphis tight end Joey Magnifico; Texas offensive lineman Zach Shackelford; and Temple receiver Isaiah Wright.

A little more than a dozen college programs held pro days before the NFL barred all in-person, pre-draft visits, effectively canceling pro days and prospects’ visits to team headquarters. Auburn, Clemson, Oklahoma, Oregon and Wisconsin were the most prominent programs that got pro days in.

Prospects and their agents have gotten creative since, sending teams videos of workouts. FaceTime, Zoom, Skype or Microsoft Teams are among mediums being used for interviews. Teams are working with college athletic training staffs to procure detailed medical information.



Florida receiver Josh Hammond, above, and Indiana receiver Nick Westbrook.

AP PHOTOS BY JEFF ROBERSON (HAMMOND) AND DARRON CUMMINGS (WESTBROOK)

But none of it can truly replace in-person contact.

“A lot of teams call and ask similar questions and test as much knowledge as they can through FaceTime,” Hammond said. “A lot of teams are big on character, and I think that’s something that probably would have worked in my favor. My character and my football IQ, those can’t be seen through the phone.”

Like Hammond and hundred of others, Indiana receiver Nick Westbrook was forced to find ways to train on his own to stay in shape while sending videos to teams.

“It’s kind of like the first game of the season and you’re building up and everything’s building up for this moment,” Westbrook said. “And for it not to be there, it’s kind of tough to handle, especially for a guy like me who didn’t get a combine invite. So I had a lot to prove.”

About 70 players drafted in 2019 did not attend the combine, but most of them visited NFL teams. The travel ban could reduce that number significantly.

“We feel like we have a lot of good information,” Caldwell said. “Some of the guys have done their own pro days and we have watched them. We have put a stop watch to the video, albeit not accurate and we don’t know if it is exactly 40 yards, but we have done it.”

“We have some gauge of what guys can actually really do and that has been good.”



SCOREBOARD

NBA

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
ATLANTIC	W	L	PCT	GB
Toronto	46	18	.719	—
Boston	43	21	.672	3
Philadelphia	39	26	.600	7½
Brooklyn	30	34	.469	16
New York	21	45	.318	26
SOUTHEAST				
Miami	41	24	.631	—
Orlando	30	35	.462	11
Washington	24	40	.375	16½
Charlotte	23	42	.354	18
Atlanta	20	47	.299	22
CENTRAL				
Milwaukee	53	12	.815	—
Indiana	39	26	.600	14
Chicago	22	43	.338	31
Detroit	20	46	.303	33½
Cleveland	19	46	.292	34
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
SOUTHWEST	W	L	PCT	GB
Houston	40	24	.625	—
Dallas	40	27	.597	1½
Memphis	32	33	.492	8½
New Orleans	28	36	.438	12
San Antonio	27	36	.429	12½
NORTHWEST				
Denver	43	22	.662	—
Utah	41	23	.641	1½
Oklahoma City	40	24	.625	2½
Portland	29	37	.439	14½
Minnesota	19	45	.297	23½
PACIFIC				
L.A. Lakers	49	14	.778	—
L.A. Clippers	44	20	.688	5½
Sacramento	28	36	.438	21½
Phoenix	26	39	.400	24
Golden State	15	50	.231	35

NHL

EASTERN CONFERENCE						
ATLANTIC	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Boston	44	14	12	100	227	174
Tampa Bay	43	21	6	92	245	195
Toronto	36	25	9	81	238	227
Florida	35	26	8	78	231	228
Montreal	31	31	9	71	212	221
Buffalo	30	31	8	68	195	217
Ottawa	25	34	12	62	191	243
Detroit	17	49	5	39	145	267
METRO.						
W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA	
Washington	41	20	8	90	240	215
Philadelphia	41	21	7	89	232	196
Pittsburgh	40	23	6	86	224	196
Carolina	38	25	5	81	222	193
Columbus	33	22	15	81	180	187
N.Y. Islanders	35	23	10	80	192	193
N.Y. Rangers	37	28	5	79	234	222
New Jersey	28	29	12	68	189	230
WESTERN CONFERENCE						
CENTRAL	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
St. Louis	42	19	10	94	225	193
Colorado	42	20	8	92	237	191
Dallas	37	24	8	82	180	177
Winnipeg	37	28	6	80	216	203
Nashville	35	26	8	78	215	217
Minnesota	35	27	7	77	220	220
Chicago	32	30	8	72	212	218
PACIFIC						
W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA	
Vegas	39	24	8	86	227	211
Edmonton	37	25	9	83	225	217
Calgary	36	27	7	79	210	215
Vancouver	36	27	6	78	228	217
Arizona	33	29	8	74	195	187
Anaheim	29	33	9	67	187	226
Los Angeles	29	35	6	64	178	212
San Jose	29	36	5	63	182	226

SOCCER

MLS						
Eastern	W	L	T	PT	GF	GA
Atlanta	2	0	0	6	4	2
N.Y. Red Bulls	1	0	1	4	4	3
Montreal	1	0	1	4	4	3
Toronto FC	1	0	1	4	3	2
Columbus	1	0	1	4	2	1
D.C. United	1	1	0	3	3	3
Chicago	0	1	1	2	3	3
New England	0	1	1	2	3	3
Orlando City	0	1	1	1	2	2
Philadelphia	0	1	1	1	3	5
Cincinnati	0	2	0	0	3	5
Inter Miami CF	0	2	0	0	1	3
N.Y. City FC	0	2	0	0	0	2
Western						
W	L	T	PT	GF	GA	
Sporting KC	2	0	0	6	7	1
Minnesota	2	0	0	6	8	3
Colorado	2	0	0	6	4	2
FC Dallas	1	0	1	4	4	2
Los Angeles FC	1	0	1	4	4	3
Seattle	1	0	1	4	3	2
Portland	1	1	0	3	2	3
Vancouver	1	1	0	3	2	3
Real Salt Lake	0	0	2	2	1	1
LA Galaxy	0	1	1	1	2	2
San Jose	0	1	1	1	4	7
Houston	0	1	1	1	1	5
Nashville SC	0	2	0	0	1	3

3 points for victory, 1 point for tie

WNBA

2020 DRAFT	
FIRST ROUND	
1. New York: Sabrina Ionescu, PG, Oregon	
2. Dallas: Satou Sabally, SF, Oregon	
3. Indiana: Lauren Cox, PF, Baylor	
4. Atlanta: Kennedy Carter, SG, Texas A&M	
5. Dallas: Bella Alarie, SF, Princeton	
6. Minnesota: Mikiah Herbert Harrigan, PF, South Carolina	
7. Dallas: Tyasha Harris, SG, South Carolina	
8. Chicago: Ruthy Hebard, PF, Oregon	
9. New York: Megan Walker, SF, UConn	
10. Phoenix: Jocelyn Willoughby, SF, Virginia	
11. Seattle: Kitija Laksa, SG, South Florida (TTG Riga, Latvia)	
12. New York: Jazmine Jones, SG, Louisville	
SECOND ROUND	
1. New York: Kylee Shook, PF, Louisville	
2. Indiana: Kathleen Doyle, PG, Iowa	
3. New York: Leaonna Odorn, PF, Duke	
4. Minnesota: Crystal Dangerfield, PG, UConn	
5. Atlanta: Brittney Brewer, C, Texas Tech	
6. Phoenix: Te'a Cooper, PG, Baylor	
7. Seattle: Joyner Holmes, PF, Texas	
8. Los Angeles: Beatrice Mompremier, PF, Miami	
9. Dallas: Louisa Geiselsoder, C, Gernay	
10. Los Angeles: Leonie Fiebich, PG, Germany	

MLB

2020 FORBES TEAM VALUES				
TEAM	CV	1Y	REV	OI
N.Y. Yankees	\$5B	9	\$683M	\$35 M
L.A. Dodgers	\$3.4B	3	\$556M	\$96 M
Boston	\$3.3B	3	\$519M	\$89 M
C.Cubs	\$3.2B	3	\$471M	\$68 M
San Fran.	\$3.1B	3	\$452M	\$96 M
N.Y. Mets	\$2.4B	4	\$362M	\$7 M
St. Louis	\$2.2B	5	\$383M	\$72 M
Philadelphia	\$2B	8	\$392M	\$73 M
L.A. Angels	\$1.98B	4	\$377M	\$61 M
Washington	\$1.9B	9	\$370M	\$27 M
Houston	\$1.85B	4	\$420M	\$99 M
Atlanta	\$1.8B	6	\$382M	\$92 M
Texas	\$1.8B	6	\$335M	\$61 M
C.White Sox	\$1.63B	3	\$285M	\$66 M
Toronto	\$1.63B	8	\$265M	\$16 M
Seattle	\$1.6B	2	\$315M	\$31 M
San Diego	\$1.45B	7	\$299M	\$52 M
Baltimore	\$1.4B	9	\$256M	\$57 M
Minnesota	\$1.3B	8	\$297M	\$43 M
Arizona	\$1.29B	0	\$278M	\$27 M
Colorado	\$1.28B	4	\$305M	\$29 M
Pittsburgh	\$1.26B	-1	\$273M	\$66 M
Detroit	\$1.25B	0	\$276M	\$30 M
Milwaukee	\$1.2B	2	\$295M	\$43 M
2017: Kelsey Plum, PG, San Antonio	\$1.15B	0	\$290M	\$43 M
2016: Breanna Stewart, F/C, Seattle	\$1.1B	0	\$225M	\$10 M
2015: Jewell Loyd, G, Seattle	\$1.08B	2	\$276M	\$23 M
2014: Chiney Ogwumike, PF, Connecticut	\$1.05B	4	\$264M	\$68 M
2013: Brittney Griner, C, Phoenix	\$1.03B	0	\$251M	\$27 M
2012: Nneka Ogwumike, PF, Los Angeles	\$980M	-2	\$222M	-\$5.9 M

CV-current team value; 1Y-one-year change in percentage; REV-revenue; OI-operating income; measured in B-billions; M-millions

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