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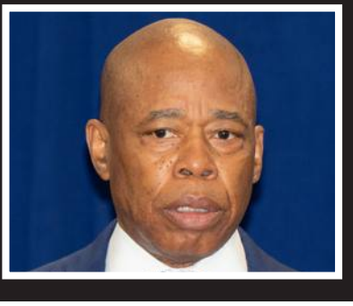
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As Don looms over NYC race, Cuomo denies phone call, Mamdani attacks







President Trump could be a key figure in City Hall race, with Andrew Cuomo (top r.) Zohran Mamdani (above) and Mayor Adams the leading contenders.

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3 MORE WTC VICS ID'D AFTER 24 YRS.

Advances in DNA tech brings total to 1,653



BY LEONARD GREENE
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

The remains of three more of the thousands of victims killed during the 9/11 attacks have been identified, nearly 25 years after terrorists flew commercial airliners into Manhattan's iconic twin towers.

Using advancements in DNA technology, forensic scientists in the city medical examiner's office gave some measure of closure to several families still reeling from the deadly attack in 2001.

Added to the roster of identified victims were Ryan Fitzgerald of Floral Park, L.I., Barbara Keating of Palm Springs, Calif., and a woman whose name is being withheld at the request of family.

"The pain of losing a loved one in the Sept. 11 terror attacks echoes across the decades," Mayor Adams said in a statement. "But with these three new identifications, we take a step forward in comforting the family members still aching from that day."

The identification of Fitzgerald was confirmed through DNA testing of remains recovered in 2002, Graham said. The identification of Keating was confirmed through DNA testing of remains first recovered in 2001. The identification of the unnamed woman was confirmed through DNA testing of remains first recovered in 2001.

The three identifications are the first new identifications of World Trade Center victims since 2024.

The new DNA matches brings the number of World Trade Center victims identified to 1,653, officials said.

The remains of nearly 1,100 victims – 40% of those who died – are still unidentified. The attack killed 2,753 at the World Trade Center.

"Nearly 25 years after the disaster at the World Trade Center, our commitment to identify the missing and return them to their loved ones stands as strong as ever," Chief Medical Examiner Dr. Jason Graham said in a statement.

"Each new identification testifies to the promise of science and sustained outreach to families despite the passage of time. We continue this work as our way of honoring the lost."



Barbara Keating of California and Ryan Fitzgerald of Long Island (insets) were recently identified as victims of Sept. 11, 2001, terror attacks on the World Trade Center. Officials credited advances in DNA technology with making the identifications possible. Some 1,100 victims are still unidentified.

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Slashing of woman in subway is second in 2 days as NYPD scales back patrols in system

BY THOMAS TRACY
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

A 29-year-old woman was slashed in the arm and back during a mugging on a lower Manhattan No. 3 train — just a day after a woman was stabbed during an unprovoked attack at a Chelsea subway stop, officials said.

The back-to-back assaults on woman straphangers in the subway system comes as police scale back the number of cops underground from 300 overnight patrols to 200, officials said.

The latest victim was riding a northbound No. 3 train entering the Wall St. station from Brooklyn around 11:15 p.m. Wednesday when a man in his 20s sporting a white surgical mask pulled a knife and tried to rob her, cops said.

The mugger slashed the victim in the arm and back as he stole her cell phone, cops said.

He jumped off the train at Wall St. and ran out of the exit, where he was recorded leaving the station, cops said.

The woman suffered injuries to her left arm, left elbow, both hands and back, cops said. EMS rushed her to Bellevue Hospital, where she was treated for her wounds.

Cops on Thursday released surveillance images of the mugger, hoping someone would recognize him. He's described as Black and about 5-feet-11 with a slim build. At the time of the incident, he was wearing a blue hoodie and carrying a gray backpack, cops said.

In the earlier incident, on Tuesday around 6:30 p.m., a 25-year-old woman was stabbed in an unprovoked attack as she was going down the stairs at the 23rd St. stop near Eighth Ave.

The stabber, who wore a white T-shirt and blue pants, appeared out of nowhere and stabbed her before running off. No arrests have been made.

EMS took the victim to Bellevue Hospital where she remained in stable condition Thursday.

In January, Gov. Hochul pledged to put NYPD officers on every overnight subway train to bring down ballooning crime numbers on the rails. The overnight deployments were, in part, bankrolled by $77 million Hochul announced during her annual State of the State speech.

The city matched the $77 million to help pay for additional patrols.

Since then, a two-officer team has patrolled each subway train between 9 p.m. and 5 a.m. as part of an effort to increase visibility of law enforcement.

While millions of dollars still exist for the additional patrols, questions have arisen over the last few months if the state or the city was going to foot the bill



Police are seeking a mugger (suspect, above) they say slashed a 29-year-old woman on a No. 3 train entering the Wall St. station from Brooklyn at around 11:15 p.m. on Wednesday. NYPD

for the extra patrols once the money ran out.

As crime in the subways dwindled, the NYPD scaled back its overnight patrols from 300 to 200, an NYPD spokesman confirmed last month.

The drop in patrols was going to be bolstered by precision policing, where cops would send additional patrols to high-crime subway hubs.

"We'll continue making the subways safer by using our data-driven approach to deploy officers to the areas we know are problematic – ensuring cops are on the right trains, at the right stations and at the right times," the department said in a statement last month.

An email requesting the current overnight deployments for transit was not immediately returned.

As of Sunday, overall crime in the subway system had dropped by 2%, down from 1,273 crimes at this time last year to 1,246.

Assaults on the subway remain a concern and have jumped 7%, from 325 this time last year to 349, NYPD statistics show.

Cops are asking anyone with information regarding the two blade attacks in transit to call Crime Stoppers at (800) 577-TIPS. All calls will be kept confidential.

With Evan Simko-Bednarski



Subway theft suspect Justine Randal-Pizarro (left) with Legal Aid lawyer Margaret Olsen in Brooklyn courtroom, where she was ordered held on bail Thursday for a psych exam. NY1/POOL

Serial subway theft suspect held on bail; psych exam ordered

BY EVAN SIMKO-BEDNARSKI AND JOHN ANNESE
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

A teenager accused of repeatedly taking city subway trains on high-speed joyrides will have to spend more than a month at Rikers Island, or make bail, as she awaits a court-ordered mental health evaluation.

A Brooklyn Supreme Court judge ordered Justine Randal-Pizarro be held on $50,000 cash bail and $75,000 bond Thursday, after determining that an earlier psychological exam, ordered by a Bronx court in May, was out of date.

Randall-Pizarro's lawyer, Margaret Olsen of the Legal Aid Society, wanted the judge to use that earlier test to get the 18-year-old committed in the hopes of sparing her a stay in the troubled city jail complex.

"Ms. Randall, who is 18 years old, who has these disabilities, who also is transgender, is particularly vulnerable at Rikers," Olsen said Thursday, asking the judge remand her to a psychiatric facility.

"Rikers is a dangerous place for everyone to be at. It is especially dangerous for Ms. Randall. … I don't want her to spend any more time there than absolutely necessary, because it's not going to help her."

Prosecutors were asking she be held without bail, since she repeatedly went back to stealing trains, or MTA workers' bags and keys, almost immediately after her release on multiple past arrests.

"She's even on video standing on top of a moving train," Assistant District Attorney Olivia Mittman said.

Judge Herbert Moses set her next court date for Sept. 22, and ordered she be marked as female on all her paperwork, to try to ensure she's not placed into a male housing unit. Transgender detainees have reported being targeted for assault and rape on Rikers Island over the past several years.

Randall-Pizarro pleaded not guilty Wednesday to a slew of charges stemming from four separate transit break-ins in the past four months, after she was hauled into court for skipping an appearance on those charges a day earlier.

She's accused of stealing MTA workers' gear from parked trains on two separate occasions, hijacking a parked subway train in East New York and driving it at speeds of 40 mph, and pepper-spraying a transit worker while attempting to break into a parked R train in southern Brooklyn.

MTA President Demetrius Crichlow said he was "grateful" the judge ordered her held on bail.

"If this were an airplane, there's no question – the person would be facing severe penalty and punishment. It should be no different for a train," Crichlow said. "Whether they get the person the help that they need or keep her in jail, as long as she is not on the train, as long as she is not affecting our customers, as long as she is not affecting my employees, we are safe again."

Randall-Pizarro's mother and her defense lawyer declined comment as they left the courthouse Thursday.

CUOMO: DID NOT CHAT

Denies report of phone call, says he doesn't





Andrew Cuomo says he would not "seek" or "accept" support of President Trump in the race for mayor against Zohran Mamdani (above left).

BARRY WILLIAMS / NYDNS; AP

BY JOSEPHINE STRATMAN AND CHRIS SOMMERFELDT
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

Andrew Cuomo called reports that he talked over the phone to President Trump about his mayoral bid "false" and dismissed it as "gossip" at a press conference on Thursday.

Cuomo also said at the Midtown press conference he would not "seek" or "accept" Trump's endorsement.

"I've never spoken to him about the mayor's race," Cuomo said, adding that he "could not remember" the last time he spoke to Trump but that he had called and left a voicemail for the president after the assassination attempt last year.

The New York Times reported Wednesday that Trump spoke recently to Cuomo and a pollster who worked for a pro-Cuomo super PAC as the president considers getting involved in the mayoral race to try to defeat Democratic nominee Zohran Mamdani.

"We're confident in the accuracy of our reporting," said Danielle Rhoades, a spokeswoman for The Times.

The former governor said that, as mayor, he'd be open to working with the president when their interests aligned.

"I will defend New York against any policy that I think hurts New York, New York State or New York City, but I will put my hand out to work in any way that he could be helpful to New York State or New York City," Cuomo said, naming health care and sanctuary city status as two areas he'd confront Trump on.

Earler Thursday, Mamdani blasted the former governor for "conspiring with President Trump about the fate of this city" in response to the reporting. He said at a Thursday morning press conference that the phone call "builds on a history that we have seen with this former governor."

"We know that Andrew Cuomo will sell working people out for his interests, for the interests of the billionaires that supported him, for the interests of Donald Trump, because all of those interests are lining up as one and the same," Mamdani said in his appearance with labor leaders.

There was overlap between Cuomo's donor base in the primary with Trump supporters, including billionaire Bill Ackman.

From the Oval Office, Trump denied speaking to Cuomo. The president has previously called Mamdani a "communist" and said his election would be a disaster for the city.

Mamdani said that while he hasn't spoken to Trump, he'd be willing to, but that he would repeat to the president that his leadership has betrayed Americans and failed to deliver on the cost of living promises that got him to office.

Trump is an unpopular figure in the city, and it's unlikely his endorsement or promotion of a candidate would help their candidacy. Mayor Adams faced widespread backlash and dropping approval ratings as he courted Trump for months. The mayor has also been accused of entering into a corrupt deal to get his federal corruption indictment dropped.

"New Yorkers do not want a mayor who is working in tandem with the president to subvert the will of the people of this city," Mamdani said Thursday.

WITH TRUMP

want Don's backing in mayoral race



Asked at an unrelated press conference in Brooklyn about The Times' report, Adams said he hasn't spoken to the president about his campaign.

"My conversations with the president is about bringing resources to the city," he said, later saying he couldn't recall the last time he spoke with Trump.

The mayor added he believes Trump "loves New York" and, without mentioning Mamdani by name, suggested the president's potential involvement is about stopping the Democratic nominee.

"I think everyone sees, you know, the threats we're facing," Adams said.

Zoh details why he now doesn't want to scrap special HS exam

BY CAYLA BAMBERGER
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

As an alum of the Bronx High School of Science, one of New York City's elite specialized high schools, Zohran Mamdani had advocated ditching the controversial single test that decides admissions to the programs.

But after changing his stance on that during the primaries, the Democratic mayoral nominee went into greater depth Thursday on why he will no longer push to scrap the SHSAT, which critics blame for disproportionately low numbers of Black and Hispanic students accepted into the schools.

Mamdani said the debate over the SHSAT is part of a broader challenge regarding school segregation.

"My change is a recognition of the enormity of the task at hand with regards to our school system," he told WNYC's Brian Lehrer, "and the need to focus on how we can … transform the conditions that then are the basis of that specialized high school test."

While Black and Hispanic students represent two-thirds of the city's public school enrollment, they received only 3% and 6.9% of this year's test-based specialized high school offers, according to figures released last week. The results continued a long trend of uneven access to the schools, widely considered the crown jewels of the education system, and erased progress made the year prior to help diversify them.

"I took that test myself," Mamdani said. "I attended Bronx Science. I graduated, and am very much aware of both what those schools offer New Yorkers and the limitations of the manner in which New Yorkers are able to get into those schools. I struggle with it. The statistics that you've cited – and also these are statistics that we've seen in the past – they are jarring."

"This is part of a larger crisis of segregation. Here in our city, we have the most segregated school system in America, and what my focus has been over the course of this campaign has been one that ensures every single public school, not just specialized high schools, get the resources and support that they need."

Mamdani offered few concrete plans to reform the specialized high schools themselves, but said he would revisit a set of recommendations under former Mayor Bill de Blasio to diversify the city's elementary and middle schools.

He added that if the city fails to address problems outside the classroom like child hunger, "We will continue to see these kinds of struggles."

During the primary, Mamdani called for an analysis of the SHSAT for racial and gender bias, but did not mention the proposal on Thursday.

His campaign said Mamdani would still back such a study and that the omission did not represent an evolving position for the Democratic nominee on the test, which has been a key concern for Asian voters who helped propel him to victory.

Mamdani is not the only mayoral candidate to have changed his tune: Mayor Adams, who before his election had likened the specialized high schools to a "Jim Crow school system," has focused instead on opening more accelerated programs in overlooked neighborhoods.

Andrew Cuomo supports keeping the SHSAT as the single means of admission, with some expanded test prep.

Ultimately, many changes to the admissions process would require signoff from the state, which passed the law requiring the test at three of the eight specialized schools that use it.

Adams opens campaign office in Brooklyn, says it's base for reelex bid

BY CHRIS SOMMERFELDT
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

Mayor Adams opened a new campaign office in Brooklyn Thursday, saying he'll use it as a base for his reelection team as they seek to shore up support for his reelection bid in the borough.

"This office here will be (manned) by dedicated New Yorkers, and thousands of New Yorkers will hit the streets, make phone calls, give our message out that has never been told," Adams, who's facing a difficult path to reelection as an independent in November's mayoral contest, said outside the new office in Old Mill Basin.

Nestled in between a smokeshop and a Chinese restaurant in a retail strip, the Avenue T storefront office is a bit remote, more than 3 miles away from subway connections. The sleepy, mostly residential southeastern Brooklyn neighborhood has a relatively small population.

Adams, the former borough president, is looking to ramp up his ground game comes as he faces political headwinds in seeking a second term, especially in Brooklyn, where Democratic mayoral nominee Zohran Mamdani made serious inroads in June's primary.

Still facing fallout over the controversial dismissal of his federal corruption indictment, Adams' approval ratings are at historic lows while polls show him well behind Mamdani and Andrew Cuomo, who's also running as an independent in November.

Adams' reelection team, meantime, was again denied millions of dollars in public matching funds this week because the Campaign Finance Board still believes he "has violated the law."

"Obstacles, bumps in the road, that's what a kid from Brownsville is used to," Adams said when asked if he's frustrated by the CFB's latest matching funds denial, which his campaign has vowed to contest. "My life has been bumps in the road, but I'm still here."

The office itself is housed in the headquarters of the Thomas Jefferson Democratic Club, an organization headed by Frank Seddio, a longtime Adams ally who used to be the Brooklyn Democratic Party boss. Inside the office, there were still signs Thursday the space is being used by the club, including framed portraits of Seddio and Meade Esposito, the group's late ex-boss.

Adams is required to pay market rate rent for the space as it would otherwise amount to an illicit in-kind contribution. Adams campaign spokesman Todd Shapiro said his team is paying rent to the same landlord Seddio's club leases the space from, but wouldn't share how much they're being charged.

With Graham Rayman

Andy pushes own affordability agenda, vows he'll ease fares & boost food aid

BY JOSEPHINE STRATMAN AND CHRIS SOMMERFELDT
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

Andrew Cuomo proposed an affordability agenda on Thursday targeting transit and food – but said his plan was more realistic than the ideas being pressed by Democratic nominee Zohran Mamdani.

Mamdani, in advocating for free buses, groceries and child care, has pushed affordability to the center of this year's mayoral campaign. Cuomo Thursday proposed expanding the city's Fair Fares program to cover free buses and trains for those at 150% of the federal poverty level and expanding subsidies for food to those just above the SNAP eligibility line.

He said these proposals, announced at a Midtown press conference, are more realistic and effective versions of Mamdani's campaign promises of free buses and city-run grocery stores.

The ex-governor has previously hinted at these proposals, but this is the finest level of detail he's offered voters yet on them.

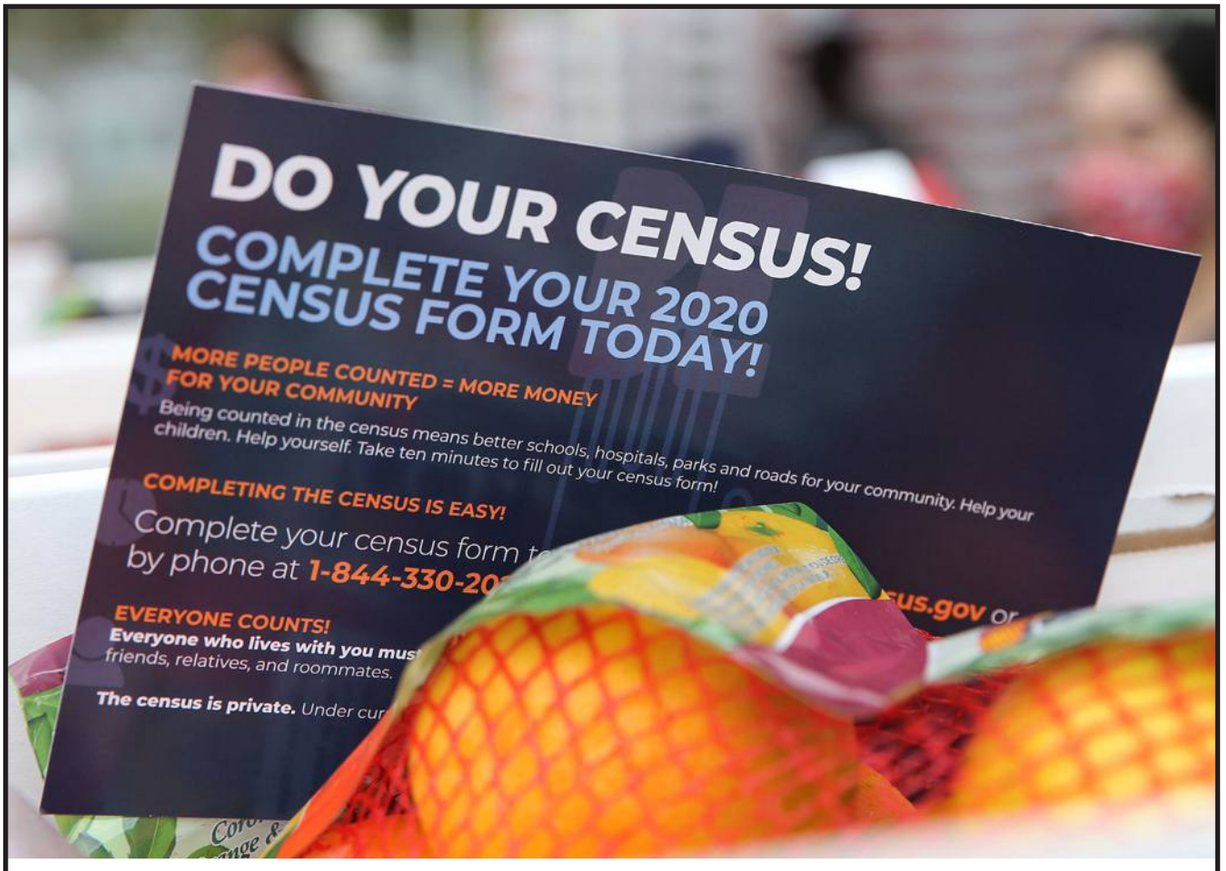
He attacked Mamdani's campaign proposals, calling them pie-in-the-sky ideas that go too far and would only serve to help subsidize the lives of already wealthy city dwellers. Mamdani's proposals lean on increasing taxes on companies and wealthy New Yorkers.

"Why are you coming up with proposals that, once again, have taxpayers subsidizing rich people?" Cuomo said. "Why would you subsidize rich people's purchase of food? Why would you do that? Well, that's the socialist ideology."

Cuomo, who is running an independent, lost in the Democratic primary to Mamdani, now the favorite to win in November.

In response to Cuomo's proposals, Dora Pekec, a spokeswoman for Mamdani, said that Cuomo has undertaken a "lifelong assault" on working-class New Yorkers and as mayor would take cues from Republican billionaires.

"Trusting Andrew Cuomo to address New York's affordability crisis is the equivalent of tasking an arsonist with putting out a fire – he created this crisis," Pekec said.



Count-ing change

It's not constitutional, but Don wants new census

BY DAVE GOLDINER
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

President Trump Thursday called for creation of a new census that would count only U.S. citizens despite the Constitution's edict that all people living in the country should be included.

Trump also hinted he might not wait until 2030 for the next census and said the count that is used for dividing up congressional seats and federal budget dollars should be based on "information gained from the Presidential Election of 2024," without elaborating.

The government should "immediately begin work on a new … census based on modern day facts and figures," Trump wrote on his social media site. "People who are in our country illegally will not be counted in the census."

Trump tried during his first term to exclude undocumented immigrants and other noncitizens from the 2020 census, which was carried out while he was in the White House.

Federal courts rejected his effort, citing the Constitution, which says the census should take place every 10 years and count "the whole number of persons in each state," without mentioning citizenship. The Supreme Court never ruled on the issue.

Any changes to the census could have enormous political and economic impact.

Most importantly, the population of each state is used to determine how many seats it gets in the House of Representatives. Within states, the figures are used to draw districts of roughly equal population, although state lawmakers of both parties draw the lines to favor either Democrats or Republicans.



President Trump wants to have a census of the U.S. population that only counts citizens, contrary to what it says in the Constitution.

The figures are also widely used by government agencies to allocate funds for a host of programs to states and regions, meaning places where more noncitizens live might lose funding if the census excluded those people from the count.

Trump did not specifically say if he is proposing a shift for the forthcoming 2030 census or a new unprecedented mid-decade count, which would not be authorized by the Constitution.

If he tries to launch a mid-decade count, it could be aimed at aiding his unprecedented effort to get several Republican-run states, including Texas, to redraw their congressional maps ahead of schedule to help elect GOP candidates in the 2026 midterm elections.

Democrats are threatening to retaliate by rejiggering the district lines in blue states, most notably vote-rich California.

Gov. Hochul says she's open to doing something similar to New York's congressional delegation, which is split 19-7 for Democrats, but any changes in the Empire State would likely not take effect till 2028 at the earliest.

AP; GETTY

Trump axes FBI big who fought for agents' jobs

BY DAVE GOLDINER
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

A top FBI official who resisted President Trump's purge of agents who participated in investigations of the Jan. 6 attack has reportedly been ousted.

Brian Driscoll, a veteran agent who served as acting director of the FBI in the first weeks of the Trump administration, has been forced out of the bureau with Friday being his last day on the job, two people familiar with the situation told The Associated Press.

Driscoll (photo) made headlines in late January when he resisted demands from the incoming Trump administration for information about FBI agents who participated in investigations into the 2021 attack on the Capitol by thousands of Trump supporters.



Emil Bove, Trump's one-time personal lawyer who was then serving as a senior Justice Department official, wrote a memo at the time accusing Driscoll and other top FBI officials of "insubordination."

The FBI eventually relented and provided personnel details about several thousand employees, albeit identifying them by unique employee numbers rather than by their names.

It wasn't immediately clear why Driscoll was ousted now and if the firing is part of a larger purge.

Spokesmen for the FBI and Director Kash Patel declined to comment.

Driscoll, a veteran agent who has worked on international counterterrorism investigations in New York and once led the bureau's Hostage Rescue Team, was named acting director in January after Christopher Wray quit at Trump's behest and while Patel's controversial nomination was pending.

After Patel was confirmed by the Republican-controlled Senate, Driscoll was reassigned to lead an FBI division that deploys manpower and resources to crisis situations.

The news comes amid a broader personnel purge that has unfolded over the past several months under the leadership of Patel and Deputy Director Dan Bongino, both MAGA loyalists.

Several senior officials including top agents in charge of field offices have been pushed out of their jobs, and some agents have been subjected to polygraph exams, moves that have roiled the nation's premier law enforcement agency.

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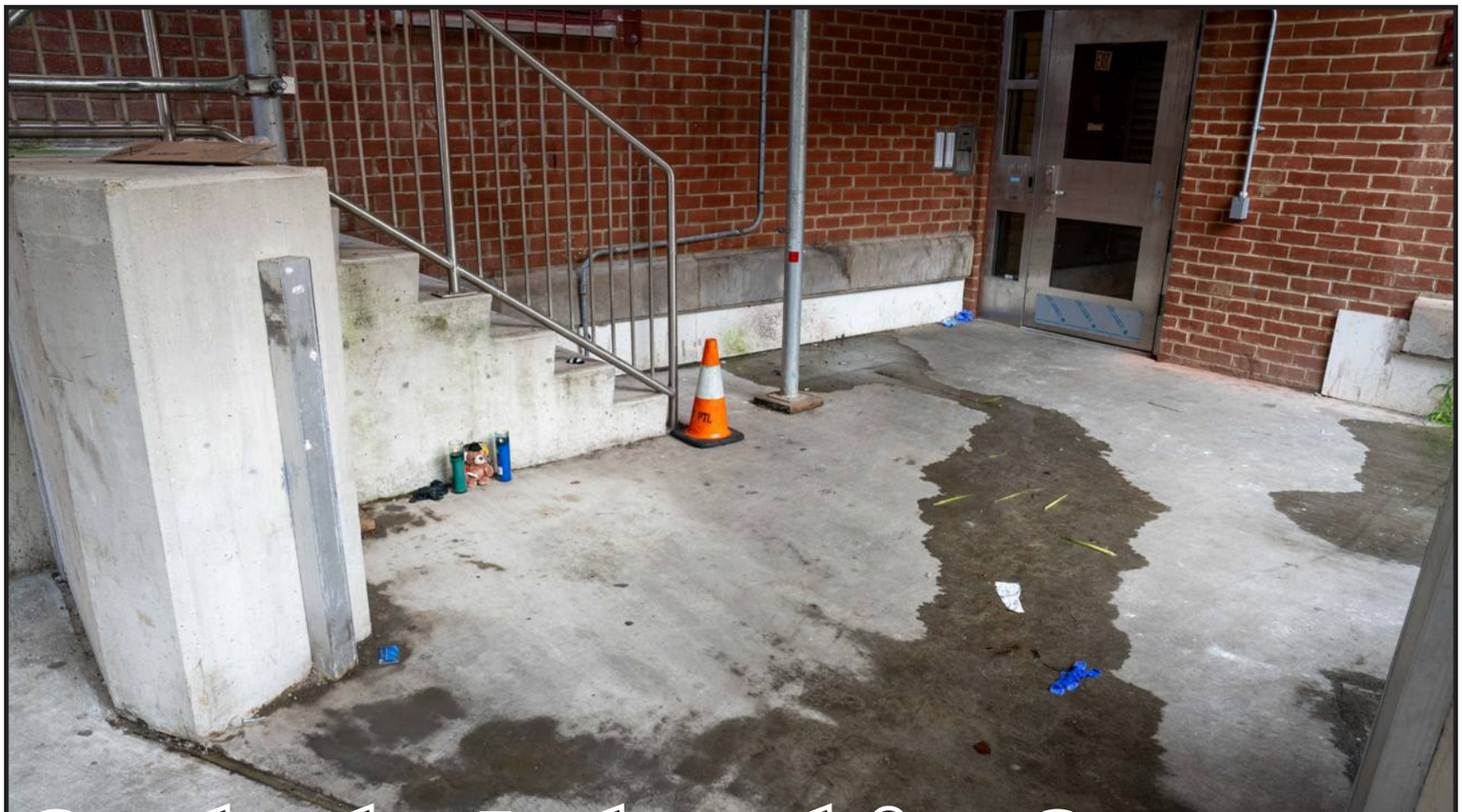


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2 shot, 1 dead in Queens

Dog lover slain; another man wounded 6 hrs. later at same NYCHA complex

BY JULIAN ROBERTS-GRMELA, THOMAS TRACY AND LEONARD GREENE
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

A man shot to death outside a Queens NYCHA complex was an avid dog lover who walked up to six of his pets at the same time, a family friend said Thursday.

The slain animal lover, whose name has not yet been released, owned seven dogs in all, including at least one already affected by his absence, the friend said.

"She knows something," said the friend, who was walking one of the victim's dogs Thursday, the day after the resident was shot outside the Hammel Houses in the Rockaways. "She's been looking out the window all day, all day, trying to find him – because she's not used to him not being there."

The 39-year-old man was shot multiple times in the abdomen in front of the housing complex on Rockaway Beach Blvd. near Beach 86th St. at about 7:45 p.m. Wednesday, cops said. Less than six hours later, another man was shot and wounded on the other side of the same complex.

Medics rushed him to Brookdale University Hospital but he could not be saved.

At about 1:15 a.m. Thursday, a 37-year-old man was shot in the stomach and left leg inside the lobby of a Hammel Houses apartment building on the other side of the complex, near Rockaway Beach Blvd. and Beach 81st St.

That victim was conscious and alert when medics rushed him to Jamaica Hospital, where he was expected to recover. He has so far refused to cooperate with police, officials said.

It is not yet certain if the two incidents are related, police said.

No arrests have been made. NYPD detectives were scouring the area for surveillance footage that could help them identify any suspects.

Before the most recent bloodshed, there were two people shot this year through Aug. 3 in the 100th Precinct, which covers the neighborhood, down from seven victims during the same time frame last year.

The murder was the precinct's first this year, matching the same number by this time last year.

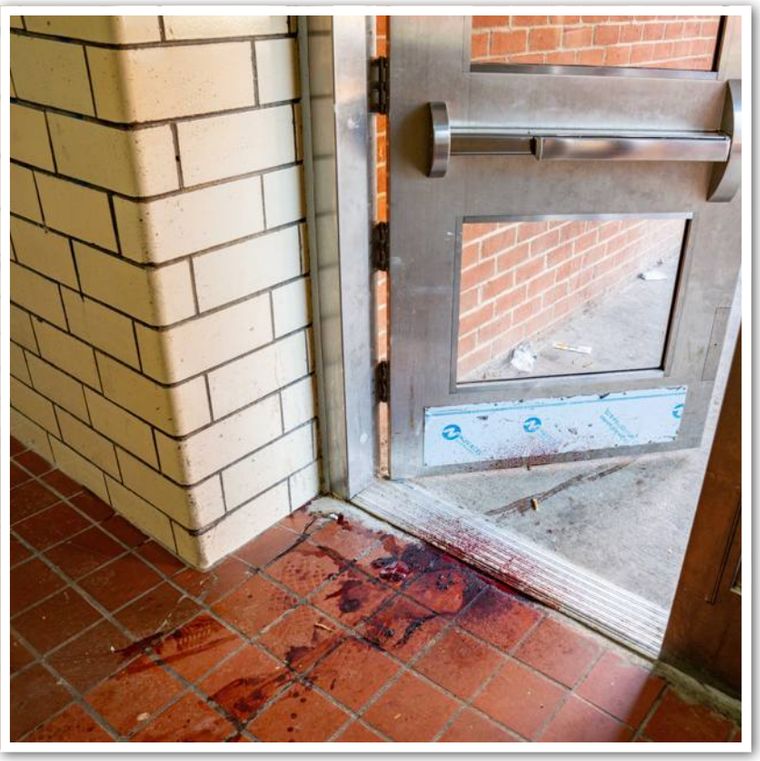
A makeshift memorial of candles and pages of somber messages for the slain man grew by a building entrance.

The dog-walking friend said the victim had no children but was helping his girlfriend raise her two kids.

"He was a good person. He was a good guy," she said. "He loved his dogs. He loved his family."

A resident said she witnessed the shooting while walking outside her building.

"I stood right there and watched it," she said. "This is pathetic and it's sad and it's hurtful ... I am frustrated. I'm tired of it. They need to get these projects together."



Blood stains doorway after 37-year-old man was shot and wounded early Thursday at the Hammel Houses near Beach 81st St. in Rockaway Beach. Top, scene at other side of building where a 39-year-old man was killed about six hours earlier. THEODORE PARISIENNE/NYDN

NAB IN DEADLY HIT-RUN



Livery cab driver Robert Godwin (above) was killed in June 2022 when SUV allegedly driven by Imani Williams (r., in police custody) slammed into his car.

Woman charged with manslaughter in '22 Bronx crash that killed cabbie

BY ROCCO PARASCANDOLA AND THOMAS TRACY
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

A woman was arrested on manslaughter charges Thursday for a high-speed 2022 hit-and-run crash in the Bronx that killed a 45-year-old livery cab driver, police said.

Imani Williams is accused of going more than triple the speed limit in a bus lane and blowing a red light in the June 5, 2022, crash that killed Robert Godwin.

Williams, 26, surrendered with a lawyer at the 44th Precinct stationhouse Thursday morning and was charged with manslaughter, criminally negligent homicide, leaving the scene of a fatal accident and reckless driving, police said.

NYPD collision investigation squad detectives recovered DNA from the driver's side seat, police sources said. After two years, detectives were able to link the DNA to Williams, who has a criminal record.

Williams, 26, was behind the wheel of a Chevrolet Traverse SUV speeding north in a bus lane on Webster Ave. in the South Bronx when she blew a red light at E. 168th St. and T-boned Godwin's Toyota Camry at about 4:30 a.m., according to cops.

Godwin was driving the Camry with TLC plates down E. 168th St. and had the right of way, officials said.

Cops determined Williams was going 77 mph in a 25-mph zone when she allegedly slammed into Godwin, who had the light, according to cops. The SUV pushed the Camry about 70 feet before both vehicles slammed into a row of parked cars.

Williams was about half a mile from home, when she crashed, according to cops.

After the crash, Williams managed to get out of the mangled SUV and stumble away, leaving Godwin to die, according to cops. Her two passengers also ran off, including a woman witnesses saw vomit after escaping the wreck.

"[Godwin] was all covered in blood," a witness to the crash, David Torres, said at the time. "He was already dead from the hit. He wasn't gonna make it. No way in hell."

Medics rushed Godwin to Lincoln Hospital, but he could not be saved. He lived in Astoria, Queens, and was about to wrap up his night shift when he was killed, friends said.

Mike Marzoa, Godwin's roommate and childhood friend, said the victim also worked for app-based services like Uber and Lyft and enjoyed learning about the people he drove around.

"He was very good with people, very social with them," Marzoa, 42, told the Daily News in 2022. "He always comes home and tells me. He's like, 'I talked to this one guy, talked to this couple or this guy from Brazil who's in town for this or that.'"

"He loved to mix it up with people and get to know them," he added.

Williams was awaiting arraignment in Bronx Criminal Court Thursday.

The abandoned SUV was owned by another woman, cops said. In the three years before the crash, the Traverse racked up eight parking violations, six school zone speed-camera violations and one ticket for blowing a red light. It is not clear who was behind the wheel when those tickets were issued.

COURTESY OF FAMILY; BARRY WILLIAMS/NYDN



A memorial for Angel Mendoza (inset) at the Williamsbridge Oval Playground, where he was fatally stabbed on Tuesday evening.

SHEETAL BANCHARIYA/NEW YORK DAILY NEWS; COURTESY OF FAMILY

Boy's slaying on video

14-year-old pistol-whipped, stomped, stabbed in Bronx park

BY SHEETAL BANCHARIYA, ROCCO PARASCANDOLA AND THOMAS TRACY
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

The four teens accused of stabbing a 14-year-old boy to death during a crazed brawl in a Bronx playground were recorded on a cell phone camera pistol-whipping, punching and kicking the unarmed youth before one of them plunged a blade into his chest and stomach, prosecutors said Thursday.

Details of the grisly killing come as law enforcement sources said the victim, Angel Mendoza, was collateral damage in the playground clash and not part of the original fight that sparked the bloodshed.

Angel was friends with one of the two initial brawlers inside Norwood's Williamsbridge Oval Playground, a regular hangout spot for the young teen, but didn't participate in the outset of the violence.

One source described Angel as an "innocent bystander."

But when battle lines were drawn and pals of the initial brawlers began fighting, up to six teens jumped Angel before beating, pistol-whipping him and then stabbing him in the heart about 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, cops said.

"I want my son back!" the boy's inconsolable mother cried Wednesday at the family home, hugging the pillow her son slept on.

Cops have arrested four of the six suspects and are searching for the remaining two.

All of the arrested teens are charged with murder, manslaughter, gang assault and weapons possession.

Andrew Ansah, 18, was arraigned in Bronx Criminal Court Wednesday night while Jordan Williams, also 18, was arraigned Thursday. Both were ordered held without bail.

The violence began when two teens got into an argument inside the playground, law enforcement sources said.

The teen who instigated the fight pulled a knife and tried to stab his rival, but his opponent managed to grab the blade and stab him with it, sources said.

Within a few moments, the teen wounded with his own knife reached out to friends to gang up on the person who stabbed him. Angel, sources said, was a friend of the stabber and was already in the park when the fight escalated.

It it not clear if Angel was trying to protect his friend when the six suspects attacked him, officials said.

Cell phone video shows one of the suspects "struck (Angel) in the face with a Taurus 9-mm. pistol," then he and the others "repeatedly struck and kicked him about his head, face and body, as well as stabbed him one time in the chest and one time in the abdomen with a sharp object," according to court documents.

Medics rushed Angel to Jacobi Medical Center Tuesday evening, where he died a little over an hour later. He lived three blocks away from the playground.

A 17-year-old boy stabbed twice in the stomach and once in the right shoulder walked to Montefiore Medical Center, where he was expected to recover. It's believed that teen is the initial combatant who was wounded with his own knife.

The Taurus pistol and a knife blade with no handle attached were recovered by cops at the scene. One of the two younger teens, a 16-year-old boy, admitted to bringing the gun to the park and pistol-whipping Angel with it, prosecutors said.

That teen was also arraigned in Bronx Criminal Court Thursday as his tearful family looked on. The Daily News is not using his name because he is underage.

"This case involves the murder of a 14-year-old boy in a public park in broad daylight," Assistant District Attorney Patrick Kenny told Judge Laurence Busching. "He went to the park with a gun in hand."

Bushcing ordered the boy held without bail.

"We love you," the suspect's mom told her son, bursting into tears, as he was led away, also in tears, after his court appearance. "Keep your head up."

A 15-year-old boy was still awaiting arraignment Thursday.

On the night he died, Angel said he was going to a friend's home after eating plantains and salami lovingly prepared by his mother.

His family did not know the ninth-grader was going to the playground but said he often went there to play basketball.

"He was really lovely, really calm and friendly, but he always wants to be behind his friends," his heartbroken father, Miguel Mendoza, said in Spanish. "And whatever his friend does, he was gonna do."

The father told Gothamist his son had recently become rebellious, refusing to go to school and going out whenever he wanted. The family reached out to the Bronx district attorney, Family Court and even cops in an attempt to get Angel back on the straight and narrow but were unable to connect him with the sort of programs they felt he needed.

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INTERNATIONAL NEWS

A plan to occupy Gaza

Bibi says it's needed for security, but military big rips goal

BY MURI ASSUNÇÃO
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS



Israeli soldiers organize military equipment while standing on armored personnel carriers near the border with the Gaza Strip.

GETTY

Benjamin Netanyahu confirmed Thursday that Israel intends to fully occupy Gaza despite fierce opposition from the chief of the Israeli military and growing resistance from the international community.

The Israeli prime minister convened his security cabinet at 6 p.m. local time to discuss a proposal for a full military occupation of the Gaza Strip, according to the Times of Israel.

Shortly before the meeting, Netanyahu was asked in a Fox News interview if he would "take control of all of Gaza."

He replied, "We intend to, in order to assure our security, remove Hamas there (and) enable the population to be free of Gaza, and to pass it to civilian governance that is not Hamas and not anyone advocating the destruction of Israel," Netanyahu said.

While he said Israel wouldn't want to control the area forever, Netanyahu aims to establish a "security perimeter."

"We want to hand it over to Arab forces that will govern it properly without threatening us and give Gazans a good life," he said in the interview.

The plan was sharply criticized by IDF Chief of Staff Eyal Zamir, who said the lives of the remaining hostages held by Hamas would be "in danger if we embark on a plan to occupy Gaza," according to Israel's Channel 12.

"There is no way to guarantee that we will not be harmed by (Hamas)," Zamir is quoted as saying. "Our forces are worn out, the military equipment needs maintenance, and there are humanitarian and sanitary problems."

Fifty hostages remain in Gaza following Hamas' 2023 attack on Israel, during which militants killed about 1,200 people and abducted 251. Since then, more than 60,000 Palestinians have been killed in the conflict, including more than 18,500 children.

Israel's 22-month military campaign has forced more than 90% of Gaza's population from their homes and triggered a catastrophic humanitarian crisis.

Earlier on Thursday, European Commission Executive Vice President Teresa Ribera told Politico that the Israeli offensive in Gaza "looks very much" like genocide.

"What we are seeing is a concrete population being targeted, killed and condemned to starve to death," Ribera said.

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Putin-Trump meet possible, but far from set

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Russian President Vladimir Putin said Thursday that he hopes to meet next week with President Trump, possibly in the United Arab Emirates, although a White House official cast doubt on the summit occurring unless the Kremlin leader also agreed to a meeting with Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy.

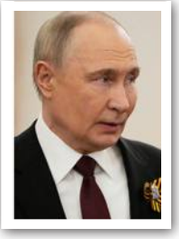
Putin's announcement came on the eve of the White House's deadline for Moscow to show progress on ending the 3-year-old war in Ukraine or suffer additional economic sanctions.

The U.S. is still expected to impose those sanctions Friday on Russia, according to a White House official who was not authorized to speak publicly. The official said a U.S.-Russian summit would not happen if Putin does not agree to meet with Zelenskyy but did not specify whether the condition was for Zelenskyy to attend that meeting or a subsequent one.

Speaking of possible direct talks with Zelenskyy, Putin (photo) said he has mentioned several times that he was not against it: "It's a possibility, but certain conditions need to be created" for it to happen.

The Kremlin previously said Putin and Zelenskyy should meet only when an agreement negotiated by their delegations is close.

Although Putin said the United Arab Emirates is one possible venue, no location or other details had been determined Thursday morning, according to the White House official.



Ukraine fears being sidelined by direct negotiations between Washington and Moscow, and Zelenskyy said he had phone conversations with several European leaders Thursday amid a flurry of diplomatic activity. European countries have pledged to back Ukraine for as long as it takes to defeat Russia's invasion.

Putin's foreign affairs adviser, Yuri Ushakov, earlier brushed aside the possibility of Zelenskyy joining the summit, something the White House said Trump is ready to consider. Putin spurned Zelenskyy's previous offers of a meeting to clinch a breakthrough.

"We propose, first of all, to focus on preparing a bilateral meeting with Trump, and we consider it most important that this meeting be successful and productive," Ushakov said, adding that U.S. special envoy Steve Witkoff's suggestion of a meeting including Ukraine's leader "was not specifically discussed."

The meeting would be the first U.S.-Russia summit since 2021, when then-President Joe Biden met Putin in Geneva.

It would be a significant milestone toward Trump's effort to end the war, although there's no guarantee it would stop the fighting because Moscow and Kyiv remain far apart on their conditions for peace.

Months of U.S.-led efforts have yielded no progress on stopping Russia's invasion of its neighbor. The war has killed tens of thousands of troops on both sides and more than 12,000 Ukrainian civilians, according to the United Nations.

Western officials have repeatedly accused Putin of stalling in peace negotiations to allow Russian forces time to capture more Ukrainian land.

Putin has offered no concessions and said he will accept a settlement only on his terms.

At the start of his second term, Trump was conciliatory toward Putin, for whom he has long shown admiration, and even echoed some of his talking points on the war. But he has expressed increasing exasperation with Putin, criticizing the Kremlin leader for his unyielding stance on U.S.-led peace efforts and threatening Moscow with new sanctions.

Zelenskyy said European countries must be involved in finding a solution to the war on their own continent.

A ceasefire and long-term security guarantees are priorities in potential negotiation with Russia, he said on social media.

Securing a truce, deciding a format for a summit and providing assurances for Ukraine's future protection from invasion – a consideration that must involve the U.S. and Europe – are crucial aspects to address, Zelenskyy said.

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BY KARU F. DANIELS
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

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Rumsey Playfield, E. 71st St. Manhattan (Central Park)

Sat. Aug. 9, 7-10 p.m.

In celebration of late salsa music legend Celia Cruz's centennial (Oct. 21), SummerStage is bringing out the best to channel her spirit for an early birthday party fit for a queen.

Contemporary Cuban musicians such as Issac Delgado, Aymee "La Sonera del Mundo" Nuviola (who portrayed Cruz in the Colombian telenovela "Celia," Alain Pérez, Brenda Navarrete and Melvis Santana will set the stage ablaze with an all-ages concert.

There will also be a free salsa class, conducted by Talia Productions dancers Adriel Flete and Jordyn Lurie, just as the music gets going.

Free

ART

The Public Theater's Shakespeare Costume Exhibit



Shiva Theater, 425 Lafayette St., Manhattan (East Village)

Through Aug. 31, various times.

The Public Theater has opened up its vast wardrobe archives to celebrate the return of Shakespeare in the Park to the newly renovated Delacorte Theater, which kicked off this week with the Lupita N'yongo-headlined "Twelfth Night."

Curated by Vanessa Watters and Melinda Basaca, the exhibition honors the award-winning arts institution's origin as the New York Shakespeare Festival and its ongoing commitment to breathing new life into Shakespeare's work.

Featuring a costume from each of the bard's 38 plays, produced over the past six decades, the storied Shiva Theater is all decked out with drag worn by the greatest of the greats.

Fans can get an up-close glance at costumes worn by performers such as Meryl Streep, Al Pacino, Raul Julia, Viola Davis, Patrick Stewart, Angela Bassett and more.

Free

FILM

"Stans"



AMC DINE-IN Staten Island 11, 2655 Richmond Ave., Staten Island (New Springville)

Through Aug. 11, various showtimes.

The Steven Leckart-helmed documentary "Stans," about rapper Eminem's fans, hits the big screen this weekend before heading to Paramount+ at a date to be announced.

The two-hour film takes its title from "Stan," the hip-hop superstar's 2000 song about an obsessed fan who goes off the deep end with his parasocial admiration. But "Stans" isn't the typical, self-aggrandizing ego bath; the director explores the psychology of hardcore fans from all walks of life and what drives them. It's also worth noting that the word coined by Eminem was added to Oxford English Dictionary in 2017 and remains current in pop culture.

The Emmy, Grammy and Oscar-winning Detroit native – who admitted to being a stan of rap pioneer LL Cool J – is seen throughout the film in brutally honest interviews about his life, music and substance abuse recovery alongside rare archival footage. But the fans are front and center, telling sincere stories of how they developed their deep affinity for the rap music industry trailblazer.

Some of the most compelling confessionals include a woman who became a waitress at Gilbert's Lodge where Slim Shady once worked; a passionate Parisian doppelganger; a British woman who set the Guinness record for having the most Eminem tattoos (22!); a transgender man named Marshall; a Russian woman who embarked on a career in fanfiction about the "unwilling cult leader" – and even Grammy-winning pop star Ed Sheeran (a self-described stan). Definitely worth watching.

Tickets are $18, plus fees.

FAMILY

"Monster Jam"



Prudential Center, 25 Lafayette St., Newark (downtown)

Fri. Aug. 8 through Sun. Aug. 10, various times

The whole family can come out to experience "the most action-packed motorsports event on four wheels," for this series of intense shows and interactive pit parties at Newark's Prudential Center.

Attendees will see daredevil driver athletes "tear up the dirt and compete in intense competitions of speed and skill" as the arena is transformed into a dirt-filled track with obstacles that can withstand the stunts of massive monster trucks.

This year's truck lineup is expected to include fan favorites such as Grave Digger, El Toro Loco, Sparkle Smash, Black Pearl, Over Bored, Wild Side and the brand-new Bailey Circuit truck – inspired by Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus' Robo Puppy.

Tickets start at $35, plus fees.

FREE

Summer Jazz: Ghanniyya Green

Brooklyn Museum, 200 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn (Crown Heights)

Sun. Aug. 10, 2-4 p.m.

Ghanniyya Green (upper right) will serenade the audience with an afternoon of jazz in the museum's lobby.

With a repertoire that includes standards and classics such as "My Funny Valentine," "In a Sentimental Mood" and "Here's To Life, the "I Sing For Freedom" star will deliver her signature style – which has been likened to "a diva's sense of high drama" by the American Review of Jazz and Blues – at the event presented in partnership with with Jazz Foundation of America.

Free

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FREE

"Pickleball in the Hall"

Vanderbilt Hall at Grand Central Terminal, 89 E. 42nd St., Manhattan (Midtown East)

Aug. 8 through Aug. 10, Various times.

In celebration of National Pickleball Day (Aug. 8), CityPickle has partnered with DoorDash and Major League Pickleball to host a free popup in the world's famous train station.

Although its popularity is fairly recent, the tennis-badminton hybrid sport marks its 60th anniversary this year. The event kicks off Friday morning with Major League Pickleball Champion Zane Navratil, NFL star-turned-podcaster Chad "Ochocinco" Johnson and former Wimbledon finalist Genie Bouchard. It serves as a prelude to the Major League Pickleball Finals on Aug. 22-24 in Central Park.

Free, with reservations.



THEATER

"Josh Sharp's ta-da!"

Greenwich House Theater, 27 Barrow St., Manhattan (Greenwich Village)

Through Sept. 11, various times.

Josh Sharp of "Dicks: The Musical" fame is making his off-Broadway debut in the autobiographical solo show directed by Tony Award winner Sam Pinkleton – fresh off a 2025 win for Cole Escola's Broadway smash "Oh, Mary!"

In the 80-minute set, the child magician-turned-Upright Citizens Brigade alum is a standout in this unique production that has been described in press notes as "a one-man comedy show inside of a manic, 2,000-slide PowerPoint."

Sharp introduces audiences to his bawdy style of humor as he recounts his life – and near death last year in Puerto Vallarta – delivered in a profanity laced, fast-talking presentation.

"Sometimes I'm not even sure it is a show or just a thing I designed to torture myself," the funnyman says early on as he goes all-in remembering a 180-page script and clicking onto a new slide approximately every 2.4 seconds.

Tickets start at $50.

HAMPTONS HAPPENINGS



Stars shine for charity

Glittering galas, benefits draw Brinkley & daughter, Andy Cohen

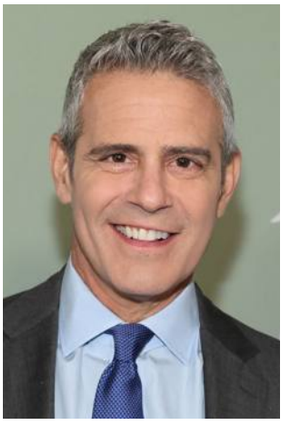
BY NANCY KANE
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

The Hamptons were lit last weekend with glitz, galas and glamour.

Things kicked off Thursday night with a scene straight off of an Italian postcard. Brunello Cucinelli and Wölffer Estate teamed up for a chic dinner at the Wölffer Estate in Sagaponack. Brunello's Riccardo Stefanelli joined Joey Wölffer and Marc Wölffer to host the stylish crowd, which included Alexandra Daddario, Christie Brinkley and daughter Sailor, Don Lemon, Nicky Hilton Rothschild and Katie Lee Biegel, among others.

On Friday, Guild Hall kept the cultural crowd happy, throwing its annual benefit under an elegant tent on the grounds of the museum. The Summer Gala raised more than $1 million for its museum, theater and learning programs with over 350 guests previewing two buzzed-about new exhibitions – "Mary Heilmann: Water Way" and "Joel Mesler: Miles of Smiles" – and to honor longtime supporters Louise and Howie Phanstiel. Boldface names included Ross Bleckner, Almond Zigmund, Bastienne Schmidt, Stewart Lane and New York Times food and wine writer Florence Fabricant.





Kristin Eberstadt (top) speaks at East Hampton's Guild Hall on Friday. Christie Brinkley and Sailor Brinkley Cook (above) attended chic dinner at Wölffer Estate in Sagaponack on Thursday. TV personality Andy Cohen (r.) helped raise funds for LGBTQ youth at the home of Christi Offutt and Soraida Bedoya on Saturday.

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After cocktails, dinner was served and Chief Philanthropy Officer Kristin Eberstadt brought the house down – and the paddles up – with a lip-synced, interpretive dance to Queen's "Don't Stop Me Now," resulting in a spontaneous $150,000 in paddle-fan-raising donations.

Saturday featured a doubleheader. Southampton Hospital's gala – the 67th Annual Summer Party – went full Moroccan fantasy under a tent on Wickapogue Road. "A Night in Marrakesh" raised more than $1.6 million for Stony Brook Southampton Hospital and the new East Hampton Emergency Department. Sarah Wetenhall (of The Colony Hotel in Palm Beach and the newly hot Hedges Inn in East Hampton) chaired the bash. The guest list was pure Hamptons power: Kate and Andrew Davis (honorees), John and Margo Catsimatidis, Wendy and Howard Cox, Fern Mallis, Julie and Billy Macklowe, Jimmy and Margo Nederlander, Robert and Joyce Giuffra, John Paulson and "Below Deck" Captain Kerry Titheradge.

Also on Saturday, the Hetrick-Martin Institute's "School's Out" benefit turned up the volume – and the fundraising – at the home of Christi Offutt and Soraida Bedoya. It was a blowout for the books, smashing fundraising records in support of LGBTQ youth. Andy Cohen, Countess Luann, Rufus Wainwright, Darren Star and fitness phenom Isaac Boots turned out for the disco-fueled evening, which featured aerialists, human-flower greeters, disco ball dancers, and a live set from pop powerhouse Kelsie Watts, currently starring on Broadway in "Six."

This Saturday, The Daily Summer will toast the East End's best-dressed at its annual Hamptons "Most Stylish" soirée. Held at a private estate, the exclusive bash will be hosted by glam goddess Molly Sims and will draw a fashion-forward crowd that includes Candace Bushnell, red carpet stylist Micaela Erlanger and real estate power player Noble Black. Expect flowing rosé and standout summer looks – with fashion label Milly dressing the evening's sartorial stars.

On Friday, Aug. 15, it's high style for a higher cause. The East End's philanthropic A-list will gather for a swanky evening supporting Made By Dyslexia, the global charity backed by Richard Branson, Erin Brockovich and HRH Princess Beatrice. The setting is the waterfront home of powerhouse attorney David Hryck and the evening is co-hosted by Filthy Food founder Daniel Singer.

The headliner is none other than Wyclef Jean, who's set to bring down the house with a live performance under the stars.

CLARKSON EX DIES AT 48

Kelly's former husband, Brandon Blackstock, battled cancer

BY JAMI GANZ
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS



Brandon Blackstock and Kelly Clarkson (in 2020) have two children.

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Kelly Clarkson's ex-husband Brandon Blackstock, who was also once the singer's manager, has died. He was 48.

The news comes a day after Clarkson postponed her remaining Las Vegas shows citing Blackstock's "ill" health and her need to be with their kids: 11-year-old River and Remington, 9.

Blackstock, who also managed Blake Shelton, had cancer at the time of his death, a family representative said in a statement to the Daily News Thursday. People was the first outlet to report the news.

"It is with great sadness that we share the news that Brandon Blackstock has passed away," said the spokesperson. "Brandon bravely battled cancer for more than three years. He passed away peacefully and was surrounded by family. We thank you for your thoughts and prayers and ask everyone to respect the family's privacy during this very difficult time."

On Wednesday, Grammy winner Clarkson said she needed to be "fully present" for her young family and would postpone her residency given that "this past year, my children's father has been ill."

A representative for Clarkson did not immediately respond to the News' request for comment.

The "Kelly Clarkson Show" host and Blackstock married in 2013. She filed for divorce in June 2020, with the contentious proceedings finalized in early 2022.

The "Breakaway" singer was ordered to pay monthly child support and, until early last year, monthly spousal support. She was also ordered to fulfill a one-time payment of more than $1 million.

In late 2023, Blackstock was ordered to repay more than $2.6 million he'd allegedly overcharged Clarkson as her manager.

She revealed to People early last year that she had "never wanted to get married."

"[Brandon] had children, a religious background, and it was important, I think, for him. But I've never been that person. Because I've been through a couple divorces in my family, I just don't like to put any weight on it. It can happen; it doesn't have to happen," said Clarkson.

During their marriage, the "American Idol" alum was also stepmother to Savannah and Seth, Blackstock's kids from a prior marriage. Blackstock's own former stepmother was Reba McEntire.

The country star, 70, and Blackstock's father, producer Narvel Blackstock – also Clarkson's former manager – wed in 1989 and share a son, Shelby. They divorced in 2015.

Blackstock's daughter Savannah welcomed his first grandchild, Lake, in 2022, per People.

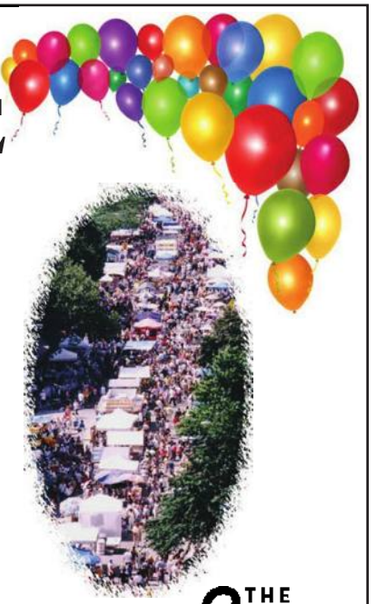
He is also survived by siblings Shawna and Cassidy.

At the time of publication, neither Clarkson nor McEntire has publicly remarked on Blackstock's death.



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I didn't shoot the pols

Minn. man pleads not guilty of killing 2 people, wounding 2

BY JESSICA SCHLADEBECK
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

Vance Boelter, the man accused of shooting two Minnesota lawmakers and their spouses, killing one couple, pleaded not guilty during his arraignment in federal court on Thursday.

Boelter (photo) was indicted last month on six counts of murder, stalking and firearms violations in connection with the politically motivated shootings of state Rep. Melissa Hortman, state Sen. John Hoffman – both Democrats – and their spouses.

Investigators have said Boelter was posing as a police officer when he knocked on the door of Hoffman's Champlin home in the early hours of June 14. When the senator opened the door, the gunman opened fire, striking Hoffman nine times.

His wife, Yvette Hoffman, was shot eight times in Boelter's overnight rampage, while she shielded their daughter, Hope, from the gunfire.

Some 90 minutes later, Boelter turned up at Hortman's home in Brooklyn Park about 8 miles away, still wearing his disguise.

Both Hortman and her husband, Mark Hortman, were struck in the subsequent gunfire and pronounced dead on the scene. Their family dog, Gilbert, was also shot dead.

The Hoffmans, meanwhile, were rushed to an area hospital, where they both underwent surgeries. The couple has since been released and continue to recover at home.

Police noted the gunman also stopped at two other legislators' homes before turning up in Brooklyn Park, but he did not make contact, police said.

For days after the shooting, Boelter managed to evade law enforcement, but he was eventually taken into custody following what Brooklyn Park Police Chief Mark Bruley described as "the largest manhunt in state history." He said Boelter, wearing a tactical vest at the time of the shootings, drove a black SUV with emergency lights to trick the victims into thinking he was law enforcement.

A search of his fake cop cruiser turned up flyers for the nationwide No Kings protest, a manifesto and a hit list some 45 names long.

Prosecutors have also released a rambling handwritten confession letter they say Boelter addressed to FBI Director Kash Patel.

He did not however reveal his motive in the missive.

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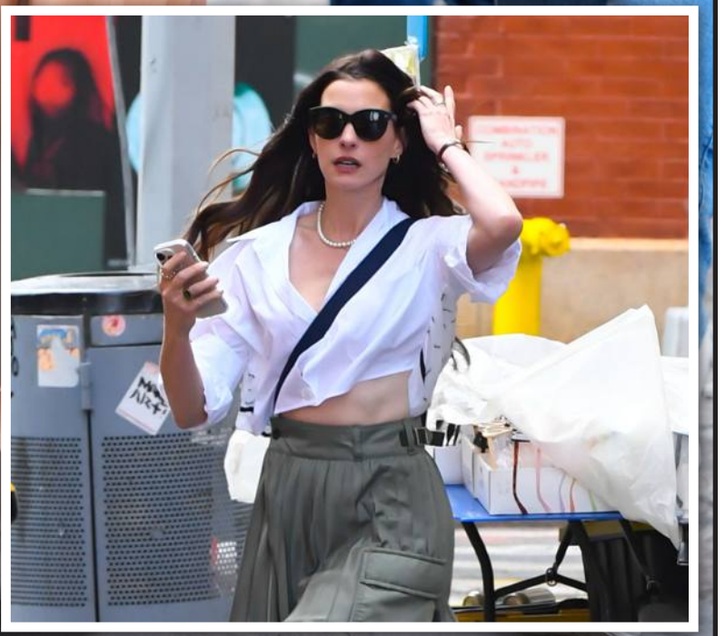
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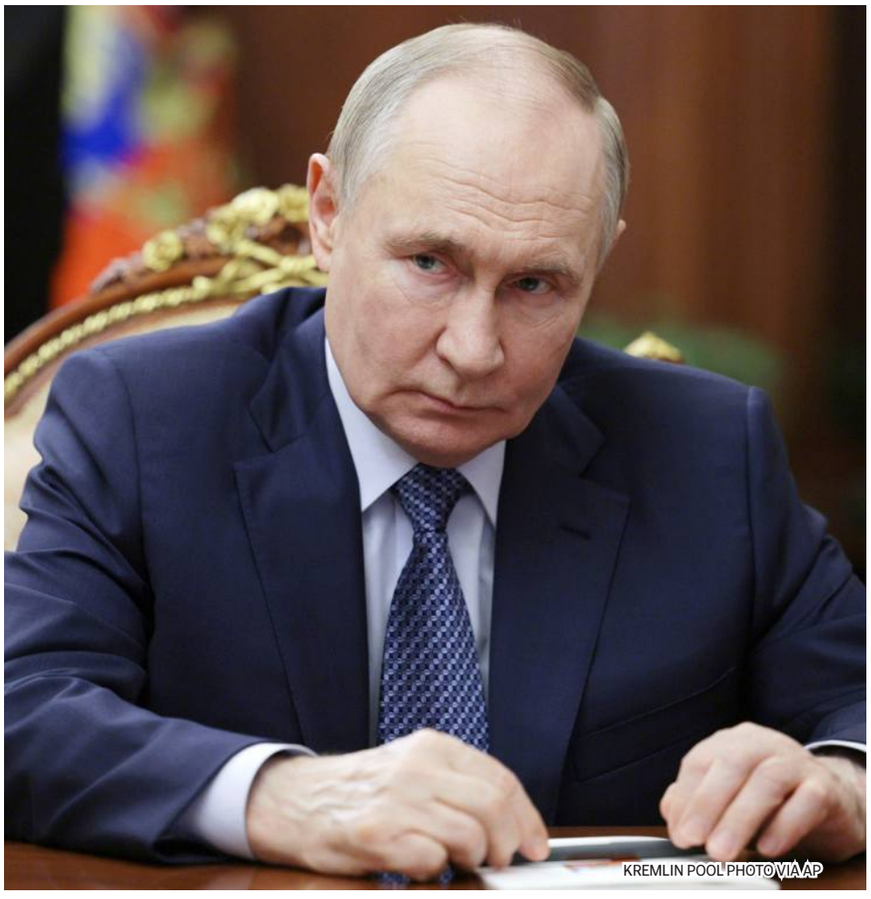
Meryl is having 'Devil' of a good time, again – 'Prada 2' on way



Meryl Streep and Anne Hathaway (inset) on the set of "The Devil Wears Prada 2" on Thursday.

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Putin blocks Trump's peacemaking

Donald Trump's deadline of today for Vladimir Putin to agree to a ceasefire deal between Russia and Ukraine seems ready to come and go with no deal. We wish the president's desire for peace was fulfilled, for as Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy says: "the war must end. And it must be done honestly," meaning a complete withdrawal of invading Russian troops.

But this is Putin's war and Putin has not achieved his war aims, namely to conquer Kyiv.

Trump's envoy Steve Witkoff met with Putin at the Kremlin this week and now there are plans that Trump will sit down with Putin and Zelenskyy in what could be a matter of days.

We hope that Trump, a salesman for more than half a century, can put on the charisma and win over Vlad, but the ex-KGB lieutenant colonel is probably immune to the Donald's charms.

Having been back in the White House for six months now, Trump must finally be realizing that he can't end this war "in 24 hours," as he boasted when he was out of office.

Putin will respond only to military defeats and economic pressure. The Ukrainians will bloody him on the battlefield and the U.S. and our allies must keep on the sanctions to blunt Putin's power and his vision of an imperial Russia retaking its place in the firmament of global powers.

Putin's withdrawal and ending this war will not be pleasant for him. But his failure to quickly capture Kyiv following the February 2022 invasion set the stage for the grinding conflict that is draining both Russia and Ukraine of blood and treasure.

In an ideal world, Putin's recalcitrance to end his folly will at least finally convince Trump that there is not and was never going to be a quick and easy solution that he could be seen to personally mediate in his apparent quest to get a Nobel peace prize.

We hope that it's become clear to Trump that the only reason any negotiations are even happening as opposed to a Putin puppet already calling the shots in Ukraine is that the Ukrainian forces have continued to receive the support of the international community, including necessary arms replenishment and supplies from the United States.

Despite his missteps and confusion, Trump is right about one thing: the only way out of this mess is dialogue until the sides can reach a resolution, which must happen from a position of strength for Ukraine.

A final deal rests on having each side feel like it can claim some measure of victory, which may entail some concessions to Russia, although there should be some clear nonnegotiables. Among those, the most important is the crux of this entire mess in the first place: Ukraine's territorial integrity, which must be preserved at least to the borders that existed as of the time of the invasion. Beyond being moral, this is for practical reasons.

As much as Putin has lost in this campaign – military capability, economic strength and hundreds of thousands of lives – he may well consider it a template worth repeating if he ultimately gets the chunk of territory he so desperately desires.

For the sake of Europe's – and our – continued security, it must be made crystal clear to Putin that his objectives of territorial expansion have failed absolutely. Perhaps this debacle might also temper some of Trump's own stated territorial ambitions; the age of military annexations is over, for good reason.

Budget law puts NYC queer legacy at risk

BE OUR GUEST

BY AMY HARCLERODE AND MARTI G. CUMMINGS

New York has always been a city of arrivals. A sanctuary for those seeking safety, dignity, and a future they couldn't find at home. That same promise has drawn LGBTQ people here for decades. From Midwestern towns, sterile suburbs, and countries where queerness is criminalized, they've come not just to survive, but to be seen, cared for, and free.

That promise wasn't just rhetoric. It was made real through policy. Federal support for Medicaid, the ACA marketplace, and mental health programs like the 988 crisis line laid the groundwork.

Local and state leaders built on it with some of the strongest LGBTQ protections in the country. And community institutions – from the Hetrick-Martin Institute to Callen-Lorde to Ali Forney Center – filled in the gaps, offering affirming care, housing, and healing for thousands.

But that delicate ecosystem is now buckling under the weight of new federal policy.

The recently passed One Big Beautiful Bill Act (OBBBA) threatens to dismantle the very systems that help LGBTQ New Yorkers survive. Framed as a budget package, it slashes Medicaid, strips ACA subsidies, bans federal coverage for gender-affirming care, and eliminates targeted mental health funding – including LGBTQ-specific crisis support.

More than 1.5 million New Yorkers are expected to lose insurance, including many of the city's 569,000 LGBTQ residents – the largest queer population in the country. This city isn't just a sanctuary in name. It's a lifeline.

Many rely on Medicaid or ACA plans for PrEP, hormones, puberty blockers, therapy, and HIV treatment. Under OBBBA, premiums will spike. Coverage will lapse. And care will vanish.

At the Hetrick-Martin Institute, we've seen a 200% spike in mental health service requests since January – despite receiving no federal funding. The youth coming through our doors are already falling through the cracks: uninsured, off their meds, or barely holding on. When this bill takes full effect, we won't just be a safety net – we'll be the only net left.

This isn't theoretical. This is your city. Your neighbors. A 17-year-old trans girl in the Bronx forced off HRT. A Black queer 21-year-old in Crown Heights who lost access to therapy. A recently out teen sleeping on the F train, waiting for a shelter bed that may never come.

We talk a lot about culture in this city – about what makes New York New York. The truth is, our cosmopolitan reputation has been held together by queer brilliance for decades. This is the city that gave the world ballroom, where vogueing became a global export.

This is where Greer Lankton sculpted trans bodies into reliquaries, David Wojnarowicz smeared rage and desire across gallery walls, and Cookie Mueller spun downtown chaos into sacred text. Where Marsha P. Johnson and Sylvia Rivera marched while Studio 54 and Paradise Garage became temples of transcendence. Where queer fashion, theater, and visual art collided in a cultural Big Bang.

That culture still pulses through basements and backrooms across the boroughs. But it's no longer just underground – it's the brand. Queer expression is now a cornerstone of New York's economy and identity.

So what happens when our community can no longer afford to live here or even stay alive?

New York must treat OBBBA not as a distant federal fight, but as a local emergency – and respond accordingly.

We must fully fund a state-level Essential Plan to replace lost federal dollars and cover all current enrollees, including immigrants. OBBBA is set to cut 730,000 New Yorkers from the program, leaving at least 224,000 without affordable coverage.

We need a NYC Medicaid guarantee for gender-affirming care. The federal ban directly targets trans New Yorkers. The city must step in with legislation to fund and expand access through clinics like Callen-Lorde and Apicha.

We need an emergency fund for frontline health providers. Clinics and public hospitals are bracing for deep cuts to pediatrics, OB/GYN, and behavioral health. A local fund could soften the blow and preserve services.

And we must expand LGBTQ-focused crisis care and housing. With LGBTQ-specific 988 support ending in 2025, New York must invest in culturally competent crisis teams and convert vacant city buildings into affirming shelters and long-term housing.

These aren't aspirational fixes. They're survival strategies. If New York wants to remain a queer sanctuary, we must match that promise with policy. Because right now, lives are on the line.

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BRAMHALL'S WORLD



Vanderbilt in Chelsea is a big win for the city

BE OUR GUEST

BY ERIK BOTTCHER

New York, while a global hub for business, is also a college town. We are home to an exceptional constellation of colleges and universities that fuel our workforce, drive discovery and innovation, and prepare and inspire the next generation of leaders, thinkers, and changemakers. At a time when the landscape of higher education is changing, New York is doubling down on its commitment to higher ed, fueling economic growth.

For more than two centuries, General Theological Seminary has been a beloved institution in the heart of Chelsea. But, like many cultural and education institutions, the Seminary, after 207 years, has faced challenges that limited resources available to preserve and restore its historic campus.

When it became clear that the Seminary would need to engage a long-term tenant, the community came together. Residents, advocates, and local leaders rallied to advocate for an outcome that could be celebrated by the community. My office, in close collaboration with Rep. Jerry Nadler and other elected officials including Borough President Mark Levine, state Sen. Brad Hoylman-Sigal and Assemblyman Tony Simone, worked to ensure that any path forward would reflect the neighborhood's values, preserve its history, and welcome progress.

That solution is now taking root and serves as a testament to what we can achieve through community-led vision. Vanderbilt University, one of the most respected academic institutions in the world and a name steeped in NYC's history, will activate the Seminary's campus, ensuring that it remains an intellectual hub and anchor institution for generations to come.

Already, our region is home to the largest Vanderbilt community outside of Tennessee, and there has been a sustained growth trend of students from New York enrolling at Vanderbilt's Nashville campus. This new physical presence, in many ways, is a manifestation of the fact that Vanderbilt has been part of the NYC community for years.

We know that when students attend a New York college or university, they stay here after graduation. Vanderbilt's proposed academic programming on the campus, which is currently under review by the New York State Education Department (NYSED), fits perfectly to advance New York's position as a global magnet for talent.

The university is planning a "study-away" opportunity for undergraduate students to come to NYC for immersive, hands-on learning experiences in coursework, research, internships, and capstone projects. At the graduate level, Vanderbilt will launch a Master's of Science in Business and Technology that blends curriculum from Vanderbilt's Owen Graduate School of Management and School of Engineering to expand the city's pipeline of talented professionals who have both the business and technical skills needed to drive our innovation economy forward.

Together, this campus will complement Vanderbilt's operations in Nashville and serve as a powerful model that blends rigorous academics with real-world impact, directly connecting with our city's emerging and thriving business sectors.

As I said during the public announcement at the campus last September, this partnership isn't just about preserving a set of historic buildings; it's about preserving purpose. This is a vibrant renewal of one of the most special blocks in Manhattan.

Vanderbilt's presence is a commitment to the city's long-term future and to people, possibility, and shared purpose. It's also a demonstration of what good governance and collaboration can accomplish. Congressman Nadler, along with other local leaders, shared my commitment to finding a solution that would honor the Seminary's legacy while securing its future. Our collective advocacy helped ensure that this deal would serve not just the institutions involved but the city and state as a whole.

We don't have to choose between honoring the past and building the future. In Chelsea, we're doing both. Vanderbilt has already welcomed the community in, holding an inaugural lecture series this past spring – Vanderbilt in the City – that brought scholars and experts from Nashville and around the world together to discuss some of the big ideas and issues of our time. And I look forward to continued cultural and intellectual enrichment opportunities that celebrate diverse perspectives and meaningful engagement.

I, and my neighbors in Chelsea, eagerly await the finalization of the New York attorney general's review of Vanderbilt's lease and NYSED's review process and approval by the Board of Regents so we can welcome the first cohort of students to this newly reimagined campus as early as next fall. And for Vanderbilt to join the exceptional constellation of higher education institutions that have shaped our city and state and ensured we remain at the cutting edge of innovation and opportunity.

Bottcher represents Chelsea in the City Council.

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The U.S. Army Center of Military History (CMH) is crying poor in keeping its 31 museums open (total budget for all 31 is $35 million). So, totally under cover, its been sneakily planning to close some 19 museums across the nation without the public's input. However, it claims no relation to the massacre of federal agencies by Herr Muskrat of DOGE.

Yet, of the 12 states lucky to keep their Army museums open, most are red, while of the nine states losing theirs, almost all are blue!

The Harbor Defense Museum at Brooklyn's Fort Hamilton (photo) has only one employee, four dedicated volunteers and a yearly budget of less than $130,000. We are very popular with NYC public school teachers and host about 1,000 schoolchildren on average a year. We serve a critical role with the NYC Recruiting Battalion to enlighten new enlistees about the Army's vast military history. We are also an official annex to the West Point Museum. Yet, CMH cries, "Too expensive! Close it!"

However, $45 million was blown on that birthday salute for you-know-who! To paraphrase an old saying: Millions for a ho-hum parade, a few pennies for valued museums! Help us fight the good fight to keep us open! *Kevin Hanley*



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Chaos reigns

Portsmouth, N.H.: Doesn't it seem odd how many shootings are occurring at schools, malls and now military installations ("5 soldiers wounded in shooting at base in Ga.; sgt. captured," Aug. 6) since President Trump was elected? It seems that a lot of people are protesting like never before. Once again, Trump will leave his footprint when he's gone, but not in a good way. *Elizabeth Smith*

Planned devastation

Ithaca, N.Y.: Trump's firing the head of the Bureau of Labor Statistics for lousy job growth is sparking an appropriate amount of outrage, especially "Trump's war on reality" (editorial, Aug. 6). But federal data demonstrating climate change was eliminated by plan early in the regime, along with the jobs of thousands of civil servants, as well as scientists who collected and analyzed it and put it into action for our health and safety. Facts have no place in an authoritarian regime like ours, which operates on a pay-to-play basis. Oil companies have spent $1 billion for advantageous treatment. Gov. Hochul can make sure the funds for clean energy and improved energy transmission are available to New York by releasing the Cap-and-Invest plan. She can also say hell no to Trump and not let him run polluting fracked gas pipelines through our lands and waterways in exchange for allowing Empire Wind to stay on track. *Christine Sheppard*

Goodbye, free world

Holbrook, L.I.: Recent developments have shown the world that the America it knew is dead. Trump wrongly firing the head of the BLS – no Republicans push back; he demands that Democrats be gerrymandered out of Congress as he tries to outlaw the Democratic Party, and states comply; he tries to destroy the 14th Amendment; he ordered the FBI to illegally round up Texas Democratic state lawmakers; and so much more. Meet Germany, 1933. *Michael L. Wilson*

Into dystopia

Manhattan: When are our government employees going to stop bending to a bully? It's "The Emperor's New Clothes" in real life. Trump is not a great negotiator; he's not a negotiator in any aspect. It's his way or you are fired. He has stacked his inner circle with the biggest bunch of yes men, none of whom have represented the American people. Talk about a swamp – it's only getting bigger and more corrupt. *L. Duzant*

Running cover

Red Bank, N.J.: This is in reference to the subpoenas issued in the Jeffrey Epstein case for former President Bill Clinton and others. What will happen should Clinton use the "executive privilege" excuse that Trump has cited? Isn't what's good for one good for all? It's curious that Trump's former personal attorney questioned Ghislaine Maxwell about those files. Was Todd Blanche sent purposely so an outsider wouldn't be informed of Trump's alleged involvement? After all, what Trump says to his attorney is privileged information. Are they trying to contain what's in those files? The public will not be fooled by these distractions. I predict immunity and a full pardon in Maxwell's future so that she's prohibited from testifying. Does anyone else smell a cover-up? *A.M. Clarke*

Major turn-off

Whitestone: What is wrong with you, Andrew Cuomo? Do you have any idea how many votes you've just handed Zohran Mamdani by "conferring" with Trump? Strunz. *Robin Mazzia*

Stick with enterprise

Tamarac, Fla.: There are so many things to consider when choosing socialism over what should be a healthy two-party political system. This is not about Trump, this is about the country you live in, your individual freedom and your self-respect. Socialism has always presented the threat of limited personal choices. Aligning with that, socialistic authoritarianism presents significant challenges because of dampened individual pursuits and opportunities. For Democrats young and old, it is important to keep in mind that while free health care and free college or universities are enticing, these entitlements will make it necessary to increase not only your taxes but myriad other governmental functions. The system will lead to inefficient allocation of resources and economic stagnation. Clean up your party instead! Seek political leaders who don't yell, scream, complain and oppose the American way. *Roberta Chaleff*

Deepest condolences

Bronx: It is with a broken heart that I remember little River Wilson ("Pain, but no answers in baby's drowning," Aug. 6). I do not know the family personally, but I grieve for them when I see the beautiful, laughing face of their precious baby. She was a river of love and joy. Please, everyone, do not let toddlers out of your sight for one minute. They move fast because of their curiosity for discovering the world around them. Rest in peace, darling baby girl. Condolences to her parents. I can't imagine the pain you are going through. *Pauline Graham Binder*

Led by thugs

Manhattan: To Voicer Jim Carney, who believes that I am "delusional": Sadly for all of us, I am not. You claim that prior to Hamas' barbaric war (started by freely elected terrorists), Gazans were a horribly oppressed people. You believe this because you likely absorbed your Middle East current events reading propaganda rather than facts. Prior to Hamas' most recent war, Gaza had three- and four-star hotels, French restaurants, beautiful beaches visited annually by tourists, and more. Gazans, despite being overtly racist, misogynistic and homophobic, would be a much wealthier people today if not for the gang of armed thugs (Hamas) elected to represent them. These depraved mass-murderers used billions of dollars stolen from their people to purchase guns, explosives and rockets and to build hundreds of miles of underground tunnels. Encouraging depraved Palestinian terrorists and their supporters in any way will not work out well for anyone. *Lloyd Litwak*

Kill or be killed

Hempstead, L.I.: Kudos and thanks to Paul L. Newman for "Harry Truman's tough decision to bomb Hiroshima" (op-ed, Aug. 6). The choice was a zero-sum game: 500,000 Japanese people or 1 million American soldiers. Newman notes, "The atomic bombing of Hiroshima on Aug. 6 did not immediately force Japan to surrender." It took two atom bombs, not one. Truman's decision, for which he never looked back (as shown in the movie "Oppenheimer"), saved millions of American lives, including mine. *Leslie Feldman*

Toughen up

Valhalla, N.Y.: People calling to get rid of Aaron Boone should relax! He's fine and very sincere, and wants to win like all of us fans. We would like to see him be a little more aggressive and firm with his guys. What's happened the last few days are perfect examples. Jazz Chisholm Jr. watching a second baseman about 12 feet in front of him catching a pop fly and then getting thrown out at first base! Totally inexcusable! Also, Devin Williams? Time to sit him! Jasson Dominguez, despite the fact it was a difficult catch, still should have made it! He's a professional baseball player. Boone should have discussed with his coaches and realized Williams was upset and not in control anymore. Pull him out! *Michael Grisanti*

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The back-to-school season is always a mix of excitement, anxiety, and seemingly endless to-do lists. From buying supplies to setting routines and managing healthcare check-ups, it can feel like a full-time job. And in 2025, with rising prices on school essentials due to tariffs and ongoing inflation issues, families need to be savvier than ever when preparing for the new academic year.

Here are some tips to help keep your back-to-school season organized, stress-free—and on budget.

Shopping Smart in 2025

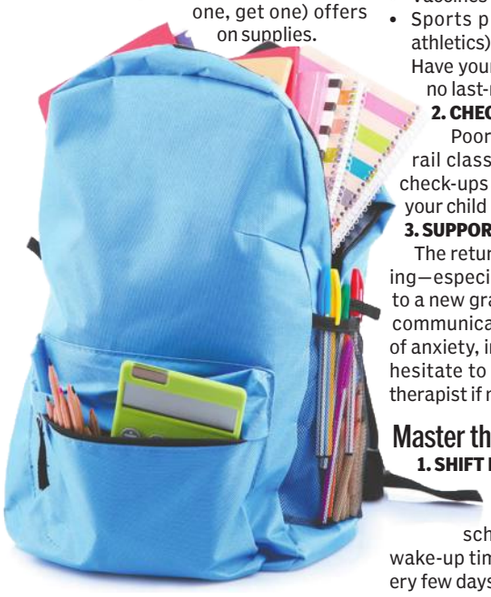
1. MAKE A LIST—AND A BUDGET

Start with your school's official supply list, then add extras like lunch gear, tech accessories, and sports equipment. Assign a budget to each category and track spending to avoid sticker shock at the checkout line.

2. HUNT FOR DEALS—ONLINE AND OFF

With tariffs driving up prices on many imported goods (like electronics and backpacks), deal-hunting is a must this year. Here are a few proven strategies:

- Use price comparison apps like Honey, Rakuten, or Google Shopping.
- Sign up for retailer emails to get early access to coupons and clearance sales.
- Look for bundle deals, such as backpacks with matching lunchboxes or BOGO (buy one, get one) offers on supplies.
- Shop secondhand or swap—local parent groups, Facebook Marketplace, and community swaps can yield big savings on gently used clothes, calculators, and even laptops.



3. TIME IT RIGHT

Back-to-school sales typically peak in late July through mid-August. But some of the best clearance prices can be found in early September, especially for non-urgent items.

Watch for tax-free shopping days in your state, where you can skip sales tax on eligible items like clothing, shoes, and supplies.

4. BUY QUALITY WHERE IT COUNTS

With prices up, focus your spending on items that will last the whole year (or longer). A well-made backpack, durable binders, and reusable water bottles are smarter long-term investments than cheap throwaways.

Conversely, don't overspend on items your child will quickly outgrow—like trendy clothes or shoes if they're in a growth spurt.

Health & Wellness Prep

1. SCHEDULE PHYSICALS AND IMMUNIZATIONS EARLY

Back-to-school is peak time for pediatric appointments. Book early for:

- Annual physical exams
- Vaccines and booster shots
- Sports physicals (required for school athletics)

Have your paperwork ready so there are no last-minute enrollment delays.

2. CHECK DENTAL AND VISION

Poor eyesight or tooth pain can derail classroom focus. Schedule routine check-ups to catch issues early and send your child back feeling their best.

3. SUPPORT MENTAL WELLNESS

The return to school can be overwhelming—especially for students transitioning to a new grade or school. Keep the lines of communication open and watch for signs of anxiety, irritability, or withdrawal. Don't hesitate to involve a school counselor or therapist if needed.

Master the Routine Before Day One

1. SHIFT BEDTIMES GRADUALLY

Begin easing into the school schedule two weeks before school starts. Push bedtime and wake-up time earlier by 15–30 minutes every few days.

2. STREAMLINE MORNINGS

Establish a morning routine that includes time for hygiene, breakfast, and packing up. Prepare the night before—lay out clothes, pack lunch, and charge devices.

3. CREATE A HOMEWORK ZONE

Choose a distraction-free area at home with good lighting and supplies at the ready. Set a daily homework time to create consistency.

4. AVOID OVERSCHEDULING

While extracurriculars are valuable, balance is key. Too many commitments can lead to burnout—for kids and parents alike. Leave room for free play and family time.

Stay Organized, Stay Ahead

1. KEEP A SHARED FAMILY CALENDAR

Use a dry-erase board or a shared app (like Cozi or Google Calendar) to track:

- School events
- Deadlines
- Sports practices
- Doctor appointments

This helps prevent double-booking and forgotten obligations.

2. STAY IN THE LOOP

Check school emails, newsletters, and parent portals weekly. Join your school's PTA or parent communication group to stay informed and connected.

3. LABEL EVERYTHING

From lunchboxes to jackets and chargers, labeling reduces the risk of loss—especially for younger kids. Try waterproof, dishwasher-safe sticker labels, iron-ons, or good old permanent marker.

Academic Warm-Up

1. GET READING EARLY

Many schools assign summer reading, and waiting until the last week is a recipe for stress. Get started early, and let your child pick additional books that spark their interest.

2. REVIEW AND REFRESH

A quick review of last year's core subjects—especially math and reading—can boost confidence. Try workbooks, educational games, or learning apps like Khan Academy or Prodigy.

3. SET ACADEMIC GOALS

Talk with your child about what they'd like to achieve this year—better grades, improved organization, or making the honor roll. Goal setting builds motivation and ownership over their learning journey.

Emotional & Social Prep

1. TALK THROUGH THE TRANSITION

Whether your child is entering kindergarten or high school, it helps to discuss what to expect. Acknowledge any worries and focus on the positives—new friends, fun activities, and fresh opportunities.

2. VISIT THE SCHOOL

If your school offers a back-to-school night or open house, go! Let your child walk the halls, find their classroom, and meet their teachers ahead of time.

3. ENCOURAGE INDEPENDENCE

Let your child help pack their backpack, choose their outfits, and organize their workspace. The more control they feel, the more confident they'll be.

Staying Connected

1. BUILD RELATIONSHIPS WITH TEACHERS

Introduce yourself early in the school year and stay in touch through emails, conferences, or school events. Teachers appreciate parents who are engaged and supportive.

2. CONNECT WITH OTHER PARENTS

You don't have to go it alone! Network with other families through school events, social media, or carpool groups. It's a great way to share info, tips, and rides.

3. STAY INVOLVED

Ask about their day. Show up for school plays. Help with projects. Your interest shows your child that education matters.

Final Tips for 2025

1. FLEXIBILITY IS YOUR FRIEND

Even the best-laid plans will go sideways at times. Be patient and adaptable—it's all part of the back-to-school journey.

2. CELEBRATE THE WINS

Whether it's a smooth first day or a new friendship, acknowledge successes. Positive reinforcement goes a long way in building confidence and motivation.

3. DON'T FORGET SELF-CARE

Back-to-school stress hits parents, too. Schedule some downtime, get enough sleep, and don't be afraid to ask for help. You can't pour from an empty cup.

With thoughtful planning and a few budget-conscious strategies, your family can take on Back-to-School with confidence and calm—even in the face of rising costs. Here's to a fresh start and a fantastic year ahead!

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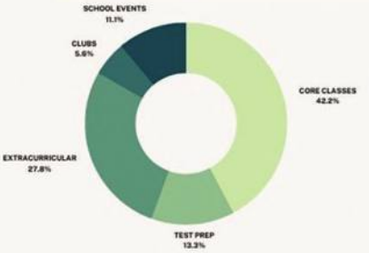
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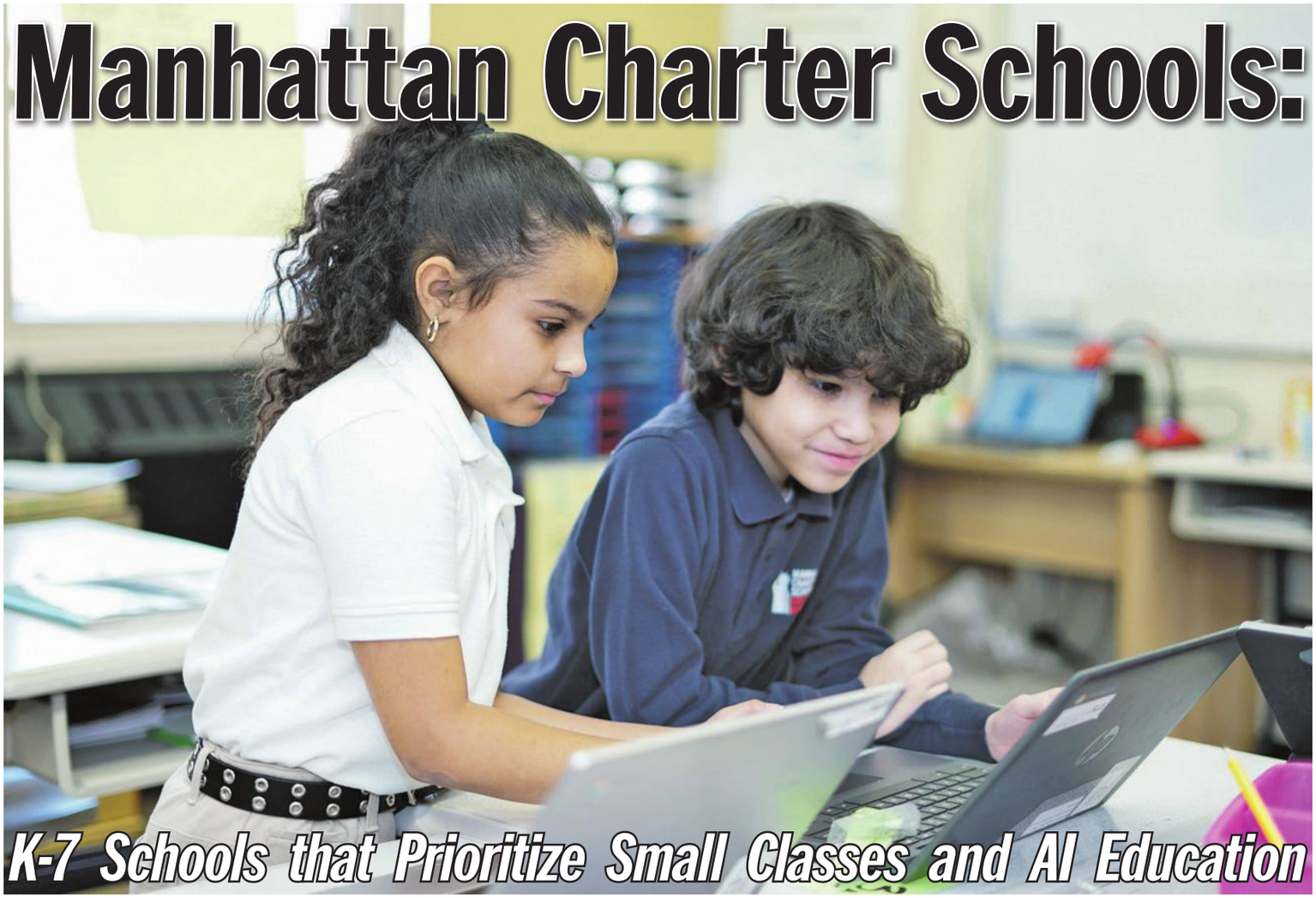


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Back to School Food Allergy Guide: What Parents Need to Know



Children spend anywhere from 800 to 1,100 hours at school each year. For those with food allergies, that time comes with added risks. From cafeteria meals to classroom snacks, the risk of a food allergy exposure is an everyday concern.

And with good reason: The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) estimates that 1 in 13 children - roughly two per classroom - are affected by food allergies. Of those, 42% have experienced at least one severe allergic reaction, known as anaphylaxis. For children at risk, even a small exposure can be life-threatening.

The good news? With the right preparation, you can help your child manage food allergies with care and consistency. Discover how to educate, plan and confidently communicate with school staff and other parents to support your child throughout the school year.

Awareness and education are key

What is a food allergy? Simply put, it's an allergic reaction that occurs after eating a food allergen. Your body's immune system mistakenly responds to a certain food as if it were a harmful germ, causing an allergic reaction.

In children, the most common food allergies are to peanuts, tree nuts, milk, eggs, fin fish and shellfish.

A serious allergic reaction involves two or more body organs - the skin, lungs, stomach and/or heart. Symptoms may include:

- Hives on the skin, sometimes on several parts of the body
- Shortness of breath, wheezing, repetitive cough
- Tightness in the throat, hoarse, trouble swallowing
- Swelling of the tongue, lips or throat
- Stomach discomfort such as abdominal cramps, diarrhea or vomiting
- Blood pressure changes
- Pale, faint, dizzy, confused

Epinephrine is the only medication that can stop anaphylaxis. Administer it as soon as possible. Remember the rule: "Epinephrine First, Epinephrine Fast."

10 tips for a safe school year

Here are 10 essential tasks to help ensure your child with food allergies is safe, supported and included at school.

- Schedule a back-to-school health checkup. Obtain updated medication forms, epinephrine prescriptions and an emergency care plan. Discuss whether new food allergy therapies - such as biologics - might offer added protection in case of accidental exposure.
- Meet with school staff. Discuss food allergy accommodations in the cafeteria and classroom. Review the emergency plan. This is especially important if your child starts a new school.
- Teach your child how to stay safe. Help your child recognize signs of an allergic reaction and understand when and how to ask for help. Make sure your child knows who to turn to and what steps to take in an emergency.
- Be ready for the first day of school. Submit all required school health forms, drop off your child's epinephrine and share a copy of the emergency care plan.
- Pack allergy-safe meals and snacks. Make sure your child only eats what is safe based on his or her dietary restrictions.
- Plan for snacks and special events. Confirm school policies for snack times and meals during field trips. Encourage no sharing of food.
- Ensure epinephrine is easy to access. Find out if the school stocks epinephrine, where it's stored, and if the staff is trained to administer it in an emergency. Remember, your child is permitted by law to self-carry an epinephrine device.
- Address bullying and exclusion. Talk with your child about speaking up if they are being excluded, teased or bullied due to food allergies. Encourage talking with a trusted adult.
- Check in with your child. Make it a habit to ask your child how things are going at school, including if there's any difficulty managing food allergies.
- Keep the conversation going. Communication between home and school is key. Keep teachers, school nurses and staff informed of any changes in your child's health or needs.

Food allergies don't have to get in the way of a safe, fun school year. With a little planning and teamwork, you can help your child thrive in and out of the classroom. For more information, tools and resources, visit AllergyAsthmaNetwork.org.

—BPT

Trend Report: Back to School!

Sharpen those pencils and pack those book bags, back-to-school season is upon us. Before the first day, study up on this shoe style study guide for the hottest looks to hit the hallway this year.

1. Mocha Mousse: Earthy hues just became the next big thing. This sumptuously soft look feels like a well-deserved treat from PUMA, adidas and Nike.

2. Y2K 2.0: Take a course in Just Do It-osophy with the Nike V5 to truly embrace the early 2000s distinctive chunky silhouettes and an innovative mix of materials.

3. Color Theory: Look to adidas to find every 3-stripe in the rainbow. Let your toddlers, teens and in-betweens play with every crayon in their box to help them stand out this year.

4. Classic Culture Studies: New Balance has earned its place as the home for truly classic styles over decades and across generations.

Find the perfect pair for everyone by visiting rackroomshoes.com. For one-stop shopping, visit Rack Room Shoes in your area for more fun and exclusive accessories only available in-store.

Heading back to classes is a fresh start, and the right shoes can help students of all ages confidently step into the new school year with comfort and style.

—StatePoint



Protecting Kids' Mental Health This School Year

From schoolwork and homework to friendships and extracurriculars to potentially dealing with difficult situations like bullying, there is a lot for kids to navigate during the school year.

Fortunately, efforts are being made to provide tools that help protect kids' mental health—and parents and teachers can be proactive about getting involved.



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Preventing Bullying

Bullying is a direct cause of mental health issues and can be one of the major stressors kids face both at school and after hours due to the rise in cyberbullying. It's important that children treat each other with compassion, as unkind words and actions can have devastating effects on the long-term wellbeing of classmates.

Celebrating 10 years, Pilot Pen's "Erase Bullying for Good" initiative helps students, parents and teachers understand and stop bullying. Sales from Pilot's FriXion Clicker erasable gel pens support STOMP Out Bullying, the nation's leading nonprofit dedicated to this issue. In fact, Pilot's contributions to anti-bullying organizations between 2015-2025 will equal over $650,000, helping fund a variety of initiatives that are making communities a safer place for students.

The campaign recommends these tips to help erase bullying before it starts at your child's school:

- Advocate for the adoption of bullying prevention programs. This might include special teacher and faculty training, peer mentoring and "Bullying Boxes," where students can file anonymous reports of bullying.
- Institute wellness rooms, which are safe spaces where students experiencing distress can retreat and relax.
- Ensure your school actively celebrates both diversity and differences, and that all students are respected and valued. Establish programs that teach empathy, tolerance, kindness, acceptance and conflict resolution.
- Ask your school to establish internet use guidelines to educate students and help stop after-hours cyberbullying.
- Teach kids about the difference between being a bystander – someone who watches bullying happen – and being an upstander – someone who intervenes when bullying is taking place. Encourage them to be an upstander when it feels safe to do so and to report bullying when they witness it.

If you're experiencing bullying, or if you have a friend, child or student who is, lean on resources designed to help. Pilot's "Erase Bullying for Good" campaign and STOMP Out Bullying provide tools to help you react effectively to bullying when it happens and learn what to do next. To access these resources, visit powertothepen.com/erase-bullying.

Navigating Emotions

It's easy for students to get overwhelmed by the demands of their classes. Be sure that kids have the time and space outside of schoolwork to have fun, cultivate friendships and practice self-care.

Encourage hobbies like exercise, meditation, team sports and outlets for their creative expression like journaling, drawing and music. These activities can help kids build self-confidence and manage relationships; skills they need to be resilient in the face of stressful situations.

Parents can help by establishing open lines of communication and equipping kids with tools that can encourage them to express themselves more freely and help eliminate some homework-related frustration. FriXion erasable pens made with thermo-sensitive ink technology write smoothly and erase cleanly, giving students the power to write, erase and rewrite anything from term papers to poetry, without tedious rewrites and with less stress.

Cultivating kindness and compassion in communities and giving kids the tools they need to build their self-confidence helps protect students' mental health and helps ensure everyone has a safe, healthy and successful school year.

—StatePoint

Protecting Children in a Digital Age

Keeping a watchful eye on your kids requires an increasing level of tech savvy many parents find intimidating. Not only are your kids vulnerable to bad actors online, but your family's personal information could be at risk, as well.

Learn how to protect your children and family in this digital age with these tips:



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Elementary-Age Children

- Encourage open communication. Have conversations about what your kids see and do online and talk with them about potential dangers. Avoid lecturing in favor of an open exchange of information.
- Make their inherent interest in privacy work in your favor. Kids in this age group, particularly toward the middle school years, understand the concept of privacy and value it immensely. Use that context to help them understand what goes online is there to stay. Talk about what kinds of information should always be kept private, including identifying details like addresses and social security numbers.
- Stay on alert. Not all apps are completely safe (even the ones you can access from trusted stores) and not all filters are foolproof. Keep close tabs on what your kids are downloading by reading comments and reviews, and regularly monitoring what kind of content they see.

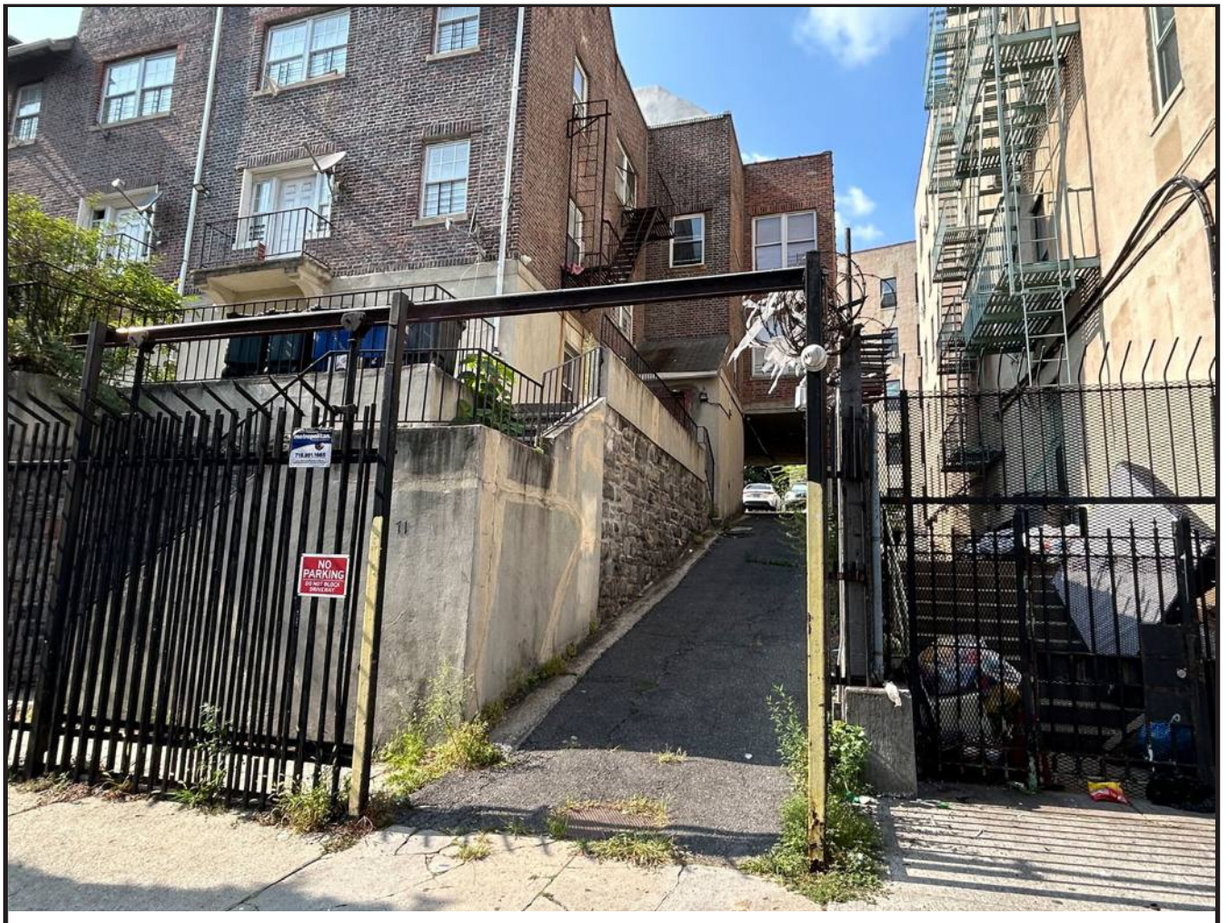
Middle School & High School Kids

- Continue talking about privacy. You can never have too many conversations about privacy. What seems like harmless sharing on social media can be quite revealing. For example, frequent posts about visits to a favorite store or restaurant can allow a predator to begin tracking behavior patterns that make your child a target. It's also important for kids to understand how their privacy settings work. For example, settings that allow exposure to friends of friends make their visibility to strangers much broader than they may realize.
- Help manage their online reputation. Behaviors that once resulted in a day or two of hallway chatter can now live forever. Documenting mischief online is only fun until it spills over into real life and everyone sees those mistakes in full color - including prospective future employers.
- Be clear about your position on bullying. From the safe distance of a screen, it's easier for kids (and adults) to say things they'd never say in person. Teach your kids to handle problems constructively offline and avoid engaging in attacks on others through social media, email and other platforms.

College Students

- Reinforce the risks. Once they're on their own, kids may feel more liberated to make their own choices online. However, college students are easy prey for identity theft and worse. Remind them what's at stake if they fail to protect their identity and private information, like where they live and what they do on a regular basis.
- Teach smart practices. With all the independence that comes with college life, this is an ideal time for your student to take personal responsibility for his or her online security, including learning about virus protection, updating software, avoiding scams and backing up data.

If you're looking for more practical advice for everyday family matters, visit eLivingtoday.com. *—Family Features*



A 44-year-old homeless woman who had been picking through trash for bottles and cans was fatally struck at about 11:45 p.m. Wednesday after she fell asleep or passed out on the edge of this driveway on W. 174th St. in Morris Heights. KERRY BURKE/NYDN

Bronx mowdown horror

Homeless woman lying by driveway killed by SUV; driver hunted

BY KERRY BURKE, RONI JACOBSON AND THOMAS TRACY
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

An SUV driver turning into the driveway of a Bronx apartment building fatally struck a 44-year-old homeless woman, police said Thursday.

Tragically, as seen in surveillance video reviewed by the Daily News, the woman appeared to have fallen asleep or possibly passed out right on the edge of the driveway entrance – or possibly even partly in the driveway entrance itself – right next to a pile of garbage that she had just earlier been picking through for cans and bottles.

The driver of the dark-colored SUV was turning into the driveway, on W. 174th St. near McCombs Road in Morris Heights, when they struck the woman around 11:45 p.m. Wednesday, cops said. The motorist then drove off through a rear entrance.

Medics rushed the woman to St. Barnabas Hospital, where she died. Her name was not immediately disclosed.

The News reviewed two videos taken from a nearby apartment building that show the incident and the leadup to it. In the first clip, the victim is seen collecting cans and bottles from a pile of garbage at the curb right next to the driveway. At this video segment's end, for some reason, the woman slowly sinks down to her knees on the spot and becomes motionless.

In the second video, which occurs sometime later, the woman is still seen sleeping or unconscious at the same spot by the curb on the driveway's edge, right next to the trash pile. The SUV is then seen slowly making a right turn into the driveway, running over the woman on its right side – causing the car to visibly slightly bump up – and then continuing up the driveway.

The second video then shows a neighbor, Dawn Harvin, 55, come walking down the street, quickly glance toward the stricken woman to her right, then look up the driveway to her left and raise her arm, in an effort to get the driver's attention.

"I looked over, and he just rolled over that woman and killed her," Harvin told The News early Thursday evening, still visibly rattled.

Harvin was walking to get cigarettes when she witnessed the gruesome scene.

"His big old truck rolled over her midsection," she said. "She was on the ground, dying before my very face."

"They didn't stop. They kept going," Harvin said.

The driveway the woman was killed in loops around to a parking lot in the building's rear and emerges on the other side. Police said the SUV driver continued through the parking lot and exited it from the rear side.

According to Harvin and other neighbors, the woman who was run over was homeless and is well known in the area.

Harvin immediately dialed 911.

"I told the EMTs to take her bags, so there might be some ID for someone who might know her," she said. "Once the ambulance came, I left. I couldn't take it no more. I still I dream about it. I can't get it out of my mind."

"She was up here last night," said Michael Ferqurson, 63, who lives in the next-door building. "She was sleeping on the sidewalk. She had a little cart with her clothes and stuff in it."

Ferqurson, who was familiar with the victim, said, "She was hungry and always asking for food. She went up the driveway, and when I came back, I saw ambulances. They said she was dead, and that [the driver] was gone."

The driver had not been found as of Thursday evening.

Cops were scouring the area for surveillance footage to track the movements of the SUV after it left the driveway.

The deadly incident occurred just hours before the NYPD announced an arrest in a fatal hit-and-run crash that occurred a mile and a half away in 2022.

In that case, Imani Williams, 26, was charged with manslaughter for allegedly blowing a light and killing a livery cab driver at Webster Ave. and E. 168th St.

Guilty in slay of his son, 3, at Qns. shelter

BY RONI JACOBSON
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

A Queens father has been convicted of murdering the 3-year-old son named after him, brutally beating the little boy in 2022, the Queens district attorney's office announced Thursday.

In November 2022, first responders found little Shaquan Butler unconscious – his body and head covered in bruises and with only a faint heartbeat – covered in cold water on the floor at the family shelter on Queens Blvd. near Hillyer St. in Elmhurst, where he was living with his mother, father and siblings after his mom called 911. The child died a short time later at Elmhurst Hospital Center.

On Wednesday evening, a jury convicted the 29-year-old father, also named Shaquan Butler, of depraved indifference murder, assault and other charges for the boy's death and for separate injuries inflicted on his younger brother.

"At 3 years old, Shaquan Butler Jr. had 23 fractures to his ribs, three lacerations to his liver, bruises from head to toe along with other injuries and an empty stomach," Queens District Attorney Melinda Katz said in a statement. "His father is now facing 32 years to life for his murder and the assault of the boy's brother. I want to thank the ADAs and all the agencies involved in this prosecution."

The jury deliberated for just three hours before reaching a verdict, according to the district attorney's office.

Butler initially told authorities the boy was choking on a chicken nugget when he ran into a pole and struck his head on the floor. But doctors found evidence of prolonged abuse, contradicting what Butler said happened. The medical examiner's office determined the little boy died of a heart attack and had a punctured lung from broken ribs, as well as bruises in various stages of healing.

According to police sources, the family was already under investigation by the Administration for Children's Services on another allegation at the time of little Shaquan's death. ACS had removed Shaquan and his siblings – then ages 2 and 11 months – from their parents' custody in late September, but returned them to the home on Oct. 6. The children's speedy return to their parents' custody a little over a month before Shaquan was murdered prompted questions about why the parents got their kids back so quickly.

"Something is wrong here," a police official said at the time. "She gets the kids back. A month later, one of them is dead."

In a statement then, ACS said it was investigating the case with the NYPD, but would not comment on the family's history with the agency.









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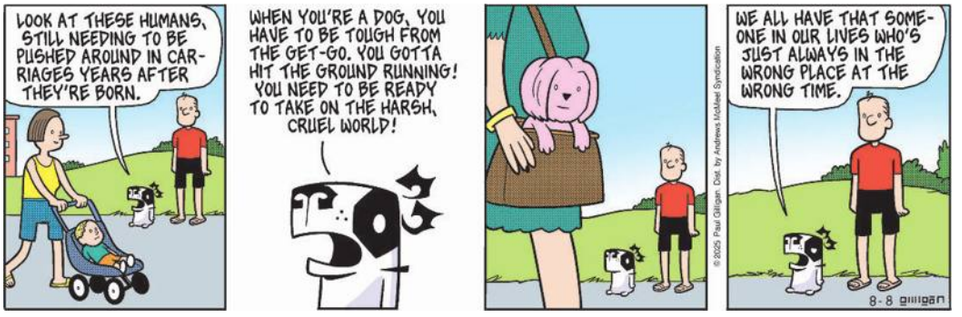
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Hagar the Horrible



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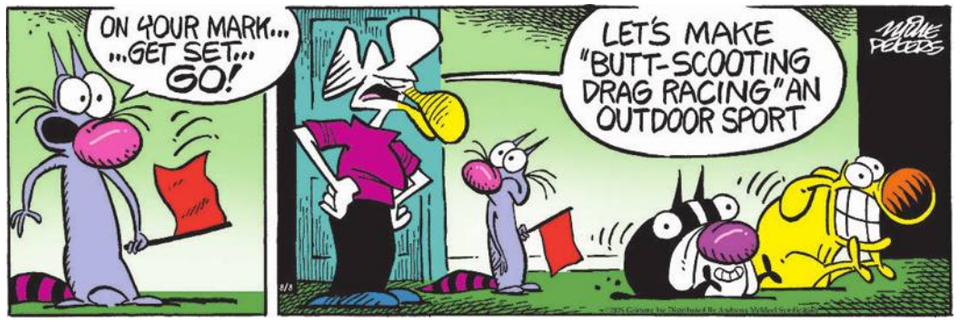
One Big Happy



Zits



Mother Goose & Grimm



Red & Rover is on vacation.

Sudoku

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	7		9					

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How to Play

Each row must contain the numbers 1 to 9; each column must contain the numbers 1 to 9; and each set of 3 by 3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 to 9.

Previous Puzzle

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

The Argyle Sweater



Kubok 16 By Davide Coppo

Difficulty: EXPERT

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Solution to Thursday's puzzle

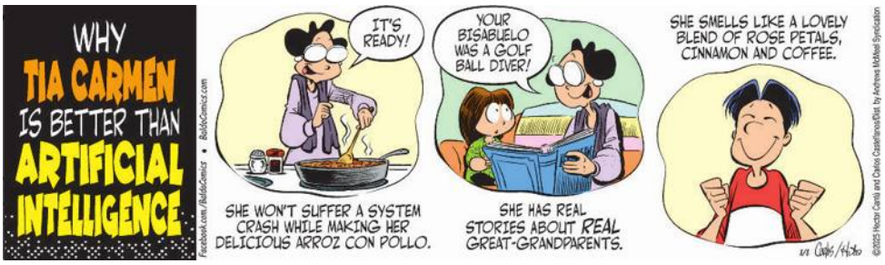
13	16	2	7
6	9	5	15
12	4	1	14
3	8	11	10

Enter the missing numbers from 1 to 16 without repetitions so that the sum of the four numbers in each row and column is the same as the corresponding circled number

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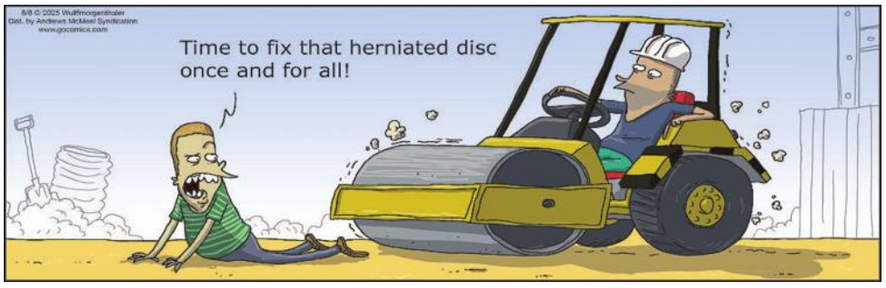
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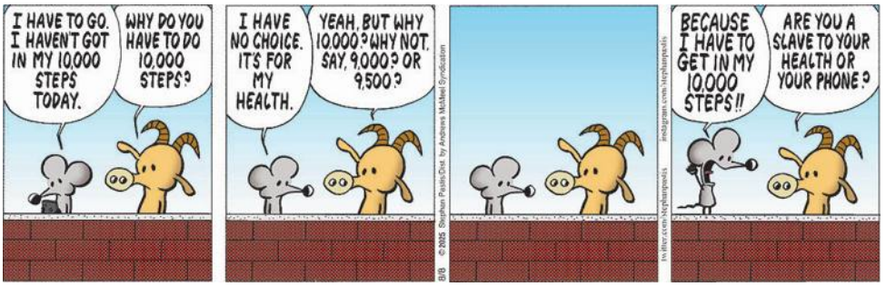
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Grand Avenue



Pearls Before Swine



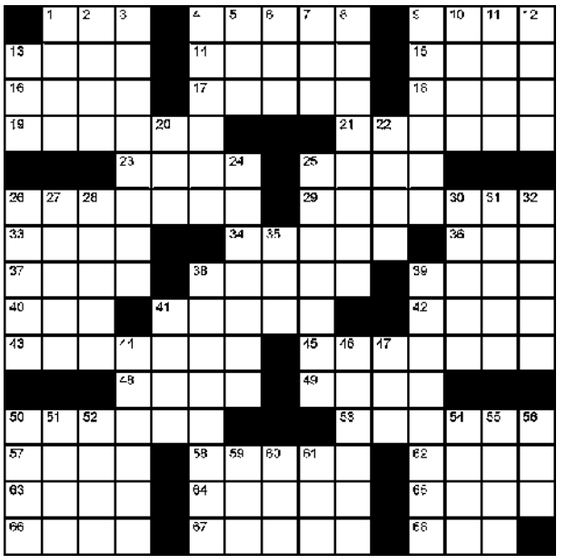
Blondie



Mutts



Today's Crossword



ACROSS
1 Dandy
4 Meadow
9 Coffee-filled vessels
13 Small monkey
14 Leg bone
15 Hit the — on the head
16 Go out
17 Foe
18 Cut into cubes
19 Delicious drink
21 Praised
23 "— Misbehavin'"
25 Pickle spice
26 Unknown person (2 wds.)
29 Yellow (2 wds.)
33 Actor — Guinness
34 Coffee variety
36 Prohibit
37 Distance measure
38 Wet impact sound
39 Fruit with a hard rind
40 Genesis name
41 Private room
42 "Play It — — Lays"
43 Legislator
45 Eternal
48 Kind of '50s lamp
49 College building
50 Fierce
53 Parting word (Hyph.)
57 Sheep genus
58 Complete
62 Duck
63 52 cards
64 Deliver a speech
65 Gossip
66 Neighborhood
67 "For — sake!"
68 Work in verse

DOWN
1 Prix — menu
2 Ear-related
3 Little money
4 Canned heat brand
5 Gain
6 Honest —
7 Wheel part
8 Part of DST
9 Excessively
10 Police action
11 "No more Mr. — Guy"
12 Luge
13 Sawbuck
20 — and abet
22 Marine plant
24 Japanese battered seafood dish
25 Rotted
26 Actor — Gandolfini
27 Green shade
28 — of Troy
30 Far too heavy
31 — lazuli
32 Tangles
35 Past sell-by date
38 Cooking surface
39 South Carolina, the — State
41 Male deer
44 Sitka's state
46 Aristocrats
47 Lacking rainfall
50 Bubbly water
51 Affirm
52 Immoral behavior
54 Droplet
55 Lock maker
56 Creature with antlers
59 Mineral
60 Make lace
61 Stopped a fast

PREVIOUS PUZZLE SOLVED

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JUMBLE by David L. Hoyt & Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square to form four ordinary words.

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UGSES

SNELET

TXFAIE

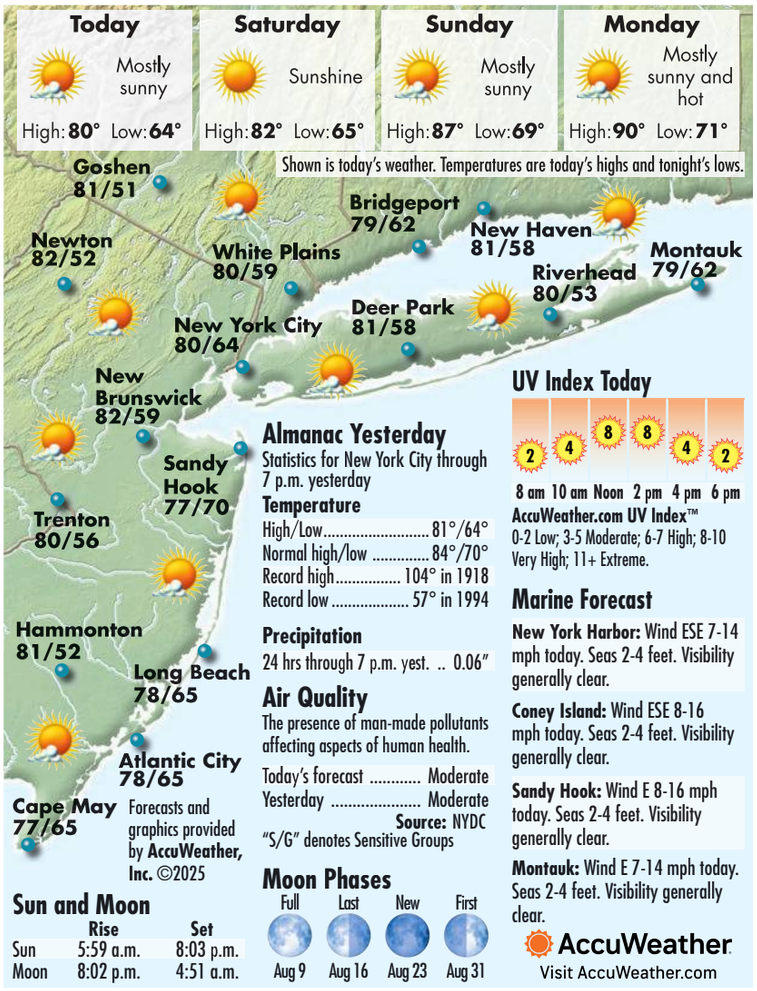
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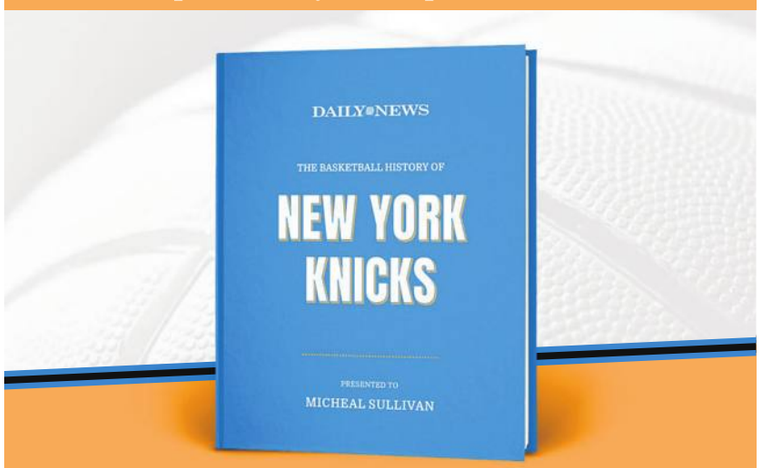
Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer as suggested by the cartoon.

ANSWER

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CARTOON — The bread loaves being baked in the ovens at 4 a.m. were — EARLY RISERS



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Aries (March 21-April 19): A confrontation with another could push you to clarify something about yourself. Once the conversation gets going, you might ultimately be grateful for the insights it brings you. Shedding what no longer serves you involves loss, but it can also sharpen your sense of purpose.



Taurus (April 20-May 20): Your efforts to please someone may seem to fall short no matter what you do. You might have to investigate the chance that a manipulative power dynamic has taken root. Don't make it a battle of egos – do your best to prioritize what practically has the best outcome.



Gemini (May 21-June 20): Expressing yourself in an unexpected way could be tempting. Your peers might not get the point you're trying to communicate, but ask yourself how much you really want them to understand you. Maybe you'd rather have the excitement of being seen as outside the norm.



Cancer (June 21-July 22): A strict authority figure could have you working your hardest to meet their demands. Still, maybe there's a part of you that doesn't mind this situation. You may be amazed by the clever schemes that are somehow flowing out of you. Sometimes constraints can produce an inspirational outcome.



Leo (July 23-Aug. 22): A thrilling story might be burning a hole in you. Unfortunately, your eagerness to share it could run into resistance from someone who insists on fact-checking. Their effort probably isn't about finding accurate information – it's more likely a power trip.



Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Making major decisions about some of your possessions is necessary. Someone else who has a say in the situation might resist your efforts. Whether you agree with their reasons, feeding this conflict isn't the best use of your energy. Whoever you're trying to influence is likely to notice.



Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You might lock horns with someone else today. Leaving your usual environment might get you a break from them. At that point, you'll have to see which of your frustrations remain. Some of your turmoil is probably coming from within, but you'll see that more clearly with distance.



Scorpio (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Digging into a hidden matter can lead you to transformative insights. You're in a position to pin down the facts of whatever happened. The hardest work might be the emotional labor necessary to weave it into a coherent story. You'll wind up with a different view of your background.



Sagittarius (Nov. 22- Dec. 21): The person you really need to meet might not wind up on your doorstep today unless you put yourself out there and socialize widely. Don't plan any conversation you might anticipate. Let your interaction with others flow as naturally as possible.



Capricorn (Dec. 22- Jan. 19): A complicated set of motivations could spur you on toward achievement. You're concerned that you won't have enough resources to support yourself without making an extreme effort. You might as well enjoy being the hero of your drama.



Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Throwing yourself into advocacy for a cause will be extra appealing today. In particular, if it doesn't require you to extend into uncomfortably intimate turf, you can then keep your focus on what the whole world needs. A little personal connection can strengthen your argument.



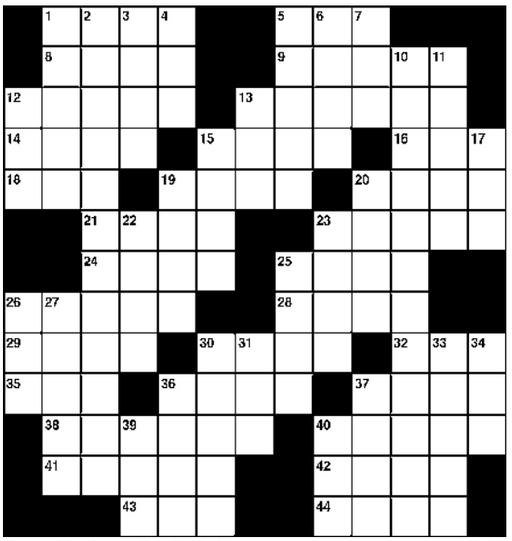
Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20): Dragging your feet may seem like the safest response to relentless pressure. You're aware that someone you're entangled with wants you to do something. You just don't want to do it. Changing the foundation of your alliance could be your best hope for lasting peace – and it'll be easier than you think.

BONUS PUZZLE PAGE

An extra array of word games, search and other tests to help you pass the time at home

TV CROSSWORD

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ACROSS
1 Carey or Barrymore
5 "Murder, __ Wrote"
8 Sophia Loren's birthplace
9 "Teenage Mutant __ Turtles"
12 Actor's first appearance
13 Sally Field sitcom
14 Shade trees
15 "Chicago __"; Adam Arkin series
16 "__ Yes to the Dress"
18 Butterfly or Bovary: abbr.
19 Actress Blanchett
20 __ of Capri
21 "The __ Housewives of Beverly Hills"
23 "Men in __"
24 Actor Malden
25 Cruise & Hanks
26 Michael or Arye
28 "__ the Wild Wind"; John Wayne film
29 Ms. Campbell
30 Durocher & Carroll
32 "This Is the __"; James Franco movie
35 Prefix for cycle or form
36 "Little House on the Prairie" role
37 Small fly
38 Iced pastry
40 Nicholson's namesakes
41 Martin or Charlie
42 As busy as __
43 Suffix for Japan or Nepal
44 Acid reflux disorder

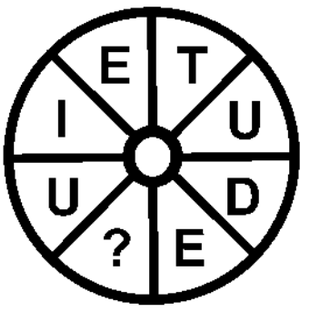
DOWN
1 "I __ of Jeannie"
2 Actor on "NCIS: New Orleans"
3 Huge birds
4 Moist
5 Shoot from hiding
6 "__ and Seek"; Robert De Niro movie
7 Jamaica's official lang.
10 Actor on "Chicago Fire"
11 "__ of Two Cities"
12 Mr. DeLuise
13 "America's __ Talent"
15 Monty or Arsenio
17 "__, Dear"
19 Lincoln & Ford
20 "__ la Douce"; Shirley MacLaine film
22 At __; relaxed
23 Foot digits
25 Actor Donahue
26 Wildebeest
27 Auberjonois & Russo
30 Pop singer Frankie
31 Slip up
33 "The __ Truth"; Téa Leoni series
34 Drunkard's woe, for short
36 West and others
37 Actor Kaplan
39 Peggy or Spike
40 Catherine Bell series



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WORD WHEEL

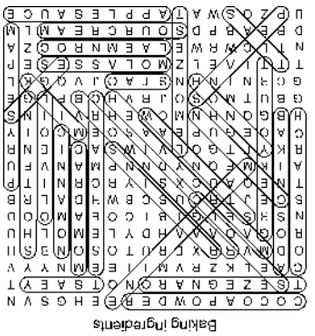
WordWheel



Insert the missing letter to complete an eight-letter word reading clockwise or counterclockwise.

QUIETUDE

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Baking Ingredients

Wordsearch: Baking ingredients

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Can you find all the words hidden in the grid? Read backwards or forwards, up or down, or diagonally. The words will always be in a straight line. Cross them off the list as you find them.

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BAKING SODA
BROWN SUGAR
CARDAMOM
CINNAMON
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HONEY
LEMON ZEST
MAPLE SYRUP
MARGARINE
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SALT
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SOUR CREAM
WALNUTS
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SUDOKU

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Level 1 2 3 **4**

Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit from 1 to 9. For strategies on solving Sudoku, visit ***sudoku.org.uk.***

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

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INSTRUCTIONS: Find as many words as you can by linking letters up, down, side-to-side and diagonally, writing words on a blank sheet of paper. You may only use each letter box once within a single word. Play with a friend and compare word finds, crossing out common words.

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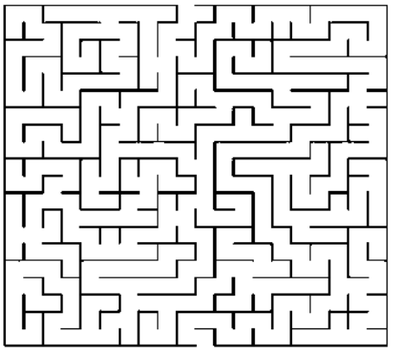
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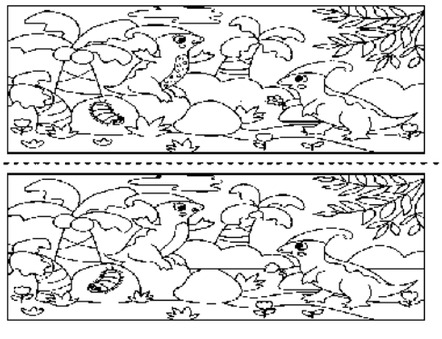
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8/8/25 7854644

Notice is hereby given a license, NYS Application ID: NA-0340-25-120769 for wine, beer, cider and liquor has been applied for by the undersigned to sell wine, beer, cider and liquor at retail in a restaurant under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law at 108 Greenwich Street, Floor 2, New York, NY 10006 for on-premises consumption.
108 Whiskey Blue LLC

Notice is hereby given a license, NYS Application ID: 0343-23-151602 for liquor, beer, wine and cider has been applied for by the undersigned to sell liquor, beer, wine and cider at retail in a hotel under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law at 130 w 46 th Street, New York, NY 10036 for on-premises consumption. NYMZ LLC and Crescent Hotel Management Services LLC dba The Muse Hotel.

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Legal Notices

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that the Annual Meeting of Lot Owners of THE WOODLAWN CEMETERY will be held in The Woolworth Chapel at The Woodlawn Cemetery in Bronx, New York at nine o'clock in the forenoon on
Thursday, September 18, 2025.
1. to elect Trustees
2. to transact such other business as may properly come before an Annual Meeting of Lot Owners.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITYOF HILL-BURTON UNCOMPENSATED SERVCES NO HILL-BURTON UNCOMPENSATED SERVICES PROGRAM IN OPERATION DUE TO APPLICATION OF EXCESS UNCOMPENSATED SERVICES FROM PREVIOUS YEARS. The BronxCare Special Care Center, Inc. Bronx, New York, will not be providing Hill-Burton uncompensated services for the period January 1, 2025 through December 31, 2025. The facility will meet its Hill-Burton annual compliance level by applying excess services from previous years. This notice is published in accordance with 42 CFR124.504, Notice of Availability of Uncompensated Services. We invite all interested parties to comment on this plan.
8/6/25 7852190

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8/8/24 7854082

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Notice is hereby given that a license, application ID number NA-0423-25-123080 for Liquor has been applied for by the undersigned to sell Liquor at retail in a restaurant under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law at 2300 Southern Blvd Bronx NY 10460 Bronx County for on premises consumption.
Wildlife Conservation Society DBA Somba Village

Legal Notices

Harlem Community Development Corporation (Harlem CDC) is now soliciting qualified contractors and vendors who wish to have their names included on Harlem CDC's Weatherization Assistance Program's (WAP) Bidders List for the 2025-2026 program year, for services not to exceed $50,000. WAP is an energy conservation program that upgrades residential buildings in order to make them more energy efficient.
Improvements may include electrical lighting upgrades/replacement, mechanical ventilation cleaning, roof insulation, heating system upgrade/replacement/clean and tune, pipe wrap, door and window replacement/repairs using lead safe practices. Equipment purchases include LED Light bulbs, smoke alarms, carbon monoxide detectors, low-flow showerheads and shower and kitchen aerators.
Funding for Harlem CDC's Weatherization Assistance Program is provided through grants issued by the U.S. Department of Energy and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and is administered by N.Y.S. Homes and Community Renewal.
To have your name included on the WAP Bidders List, please write, fax or email Ms. Maxine Ashley at (212) 961-4143 or Maxine.ashley@esd.ny.gov. Requests must be on the company's letterhead, with a contact person, company background and a description of work you perform or the equipment you provide. M/WBE's are encouraged to apply. For further information please contact Ms. Victoria A. Gordon at (212) 459-7928 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday-Friday or email: Victoria.gordon@esd.ny.gov. Harlem CDC is located at 163 West 125th Street, 17th Floor, New York, NY 10027.

Foreclosures

NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF QUEENS Wells Fargo Bank N.A., as Trustee, for Carrington Mortgage Loan Trust, Series 2006-NC1 Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Plaintiff AGAINST Kai Newkirk; et al., Defendant(s) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly entered October 11, 2019, amended October 10, 2023, I, the undersigned Referee, will sell at public auction at the Queens County Supreme Courthouse, 88-11 Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica, NY 11435, on the second floor in courtroom 25 on August 15, 2025, at 10:00AM, premises known as 186-46 139th Ave, Springfield Gardens, NY 11413. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough and County of Queens, City and State of New York, Block 13029 Lot 28. Approximate amount of judgment $581,752.80 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index# 714015/2016. Alexander Sansone, Esq., Referee LOGS Legal Group LLP f/k/a Shapiro, DiCaro & Barak, LLC Attorney(s) for the Plaintiff 175 Mile Crossing Boulevard Rochester, New York 14624 (877) 430-4792 Dated: June 24, 2025 86158

NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF QUEENS FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION ("FANNIE MAE"), A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff AGAINST MAURICE LETMAN; ET AL., Defendant(s) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly entered June 28, 2019, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Queens County Supreme Courthouse, on the second floor in Courtroom 25, 88-11 Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica, New York on September 5, 2025 at 11:00 AM, premises known as 130-58 224th Street, Springfield Gardens, NY 11413. All that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough and County of Queens, City and State of New York, Block 12901, Lot 368. Approximate amount of judgment $285,261.35 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index #712878/2016. Rhonda Lowe, Esq., Referee Gross Polowy, LLC 1775 Wehrle Drive Williamsville, NY 14221 18-003436 86532

Windham Unit 30 Putney Road 2nd Floor Brattleboro, VT 05301 802-257-2800 www.vermontjudiciary.org PROBATE DIVISION Case No. 25-PR-02395 July 25, 2025

PROBATE NOTICE OF HEARING AND ORDER FOR PUBLICATION
Estate of: Dolores Klaich
This is to notify you to appear at court in connection with the above-named case for the following:
A Testate Estate Commencement Hearing will be held on:
Petition to Open an Estate and Appoint Fiduciary

DATE: September 18, 2025
TIME: 9:30 AM DURATION: 30 Minutes

If you desire to be heard on the above matter, you must appear at the hearing.

Objections to the allowance of the will must be filed in writing not less than seven days prior to the hearing. In the event that no timely objections are filed, the will may be allowed if it meets the criteria set out in V.S.A. 14 section 107(b)(1) or (2).
This hearing will be held by WebEx only. For instructions for participating by WebEx and for the WebEx login information, please contact the Court.

Any individual with a disability requiring assistance accessing the services, programs, and/or activities at the Courthouse should contact the Clerk's office at the above address for further assistance. It is hereby ORDERED that the notice of hearing as set forth in this Order be published on two (2) successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in New York, NY. Electronically signed on July 25, 2025, at 11:47 AM pursuant to V.R.E.F. 9(d).

Jodi French, Judge
Windham Unit, Probate Division
Electronically signed by delegation pursuant to V.R.E.F. 9(d)(1)(D)

Foreclosures

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF QUEENS

US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR MASTR ASSET BACKED SECURITIES TRUST 2007-HE2, MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-HE2
Plaintiff,
Against
SCHELLA CELESTIN, et al
Defendant(s)
Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale, duly entered 04/08/2025, I, the undersigned Referee, will sell at public auction, in the Queens County Supreme Courthouse located at 88-11 Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica, NY, on the second floor in Courtroom 25, on 9/12/2025 at 10:00AM, premises known as 18710 Pineville Lane, Springfield Gardens, New York 11413, and described as follows:
ALL that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough and County of Queens, City and State of New York.
Block 12719 Lot 19
The approximate amount of the current Judgment lien is $367,232.48 plus interest and costs. The Premises will be sold subject to provisions of the aforesaid Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale; Index # 715200/2016
Joseph N. Misk, Esq., Referee.
MCCABE, WEISBERG & CONWAY, LLC, 10 Midland Avenue, Suite 205, Port Chester, NY 10573
Dated: 7/16/2025 File Number: 18-301684 CA

Foreclosures

NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION - FORECLOSURE SALE OF COOPERATIVE APARTMENT

BY VIRTUE OF A DEFAULT in a Security Agreement dated 3/16/2006, executed by LAWRENCE MAX AND AMANDA MAX to CITIMORTGAGE, INC. secured party, in accordance with its rights as holder of the Security, by Mannion Auctions, LLC c/o Matthew D. Mannion, Auctioneer DCA 1434494 and/or John O'Keefe, Auctioneer DCA 2109635, will conduct a public sale of the security consisting of 103 shares of stock of SNUG HARBOR OWNERS INCORPORATED, all right, title and interest in and to a Proprietary Lease between said Corporation and debtor for apartment A207 in the building known as 303 MERCER STREET, NEW YORK NY 10003, together with all fixtures and articles of personal property now or hereafter affixed to or used in connection with said apartment on AUGUST 29, 2025 at 2:00 PM at the portico at the top of the front steps of the New York County Supreme Court, 60 Centre Street, New York, NY, in satisfaction of an indebtedness in the principal amount of $403,042.11 plus interest, late fees, attorney fees, maintenance in arrears and all other advanced charges. Apartment is sold AS IS and possession to be obtained by the purchaser. Secured party disclaims any and all warranties under UCC §9-610(d) as allowed under UCC §9-610(e). Said sale is subject to payment of all sums due, if any, to, SNUG HARBOR OWNERS INCORPORATED and their attorneys, and the consent if necessary, of said corporation; any existing tenancy or occupancy; payment of all expenses and fees of the secured party with respect thereto; and auctioneer's fees, and execution of terms of sale and memorandum of sale.

The secured party reserves the right to bid at auction. The purchase price for the Lease and Shares of the Apartment shall be payable by certified or bank check, as follows: a ten (10%) percent deposit is required with a successful bid, payable to David A. Gallo & Associates LLP. Cash will not be accepted, and the balance of the purchase price shall be payable within thirty (30) days of auction.

DAVID A. GALLO & ASSOCIATES LLP (Attorneys for Secured Creditor) (516) 583-5330 compliance@msgrb.com

REFEREE'S NOTICE OF SALE IN FORECLOSURE SUPREME COURT - COUNTY OF QUEENS

THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE FOR CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-13, Plaintiff - against - LOTTIE YANG, et al Defendant(s).

Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered on January 23, 2020. I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Queens County Supreme Courthouse located at 88-11 Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica, NY, on the second floor in Courtroom 25 on the 29th day of August, 2025 at 10:00 AM. All that certain property situated in the Borough of Queens in the County of Queens and State of New York.

Premises known as 13713 56th Ave, Flushing, NY 11355.

(Block: 5130, Lot: 4)

Approximate amount of lien $1,024,354.23 plus interest and costs.

Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed judgment and terms of sale.

Index No. 713801/2021 FKA 9236/2010. Jiais A. Forde, Esq., Referee.

McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC
Attorney(s) for Plaintiff
420 Lexington Avenue, Suite 840
New York, NY 10170
Tel. 347/286-7409

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Dated: June 30, 2025

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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF QUEENS

DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, SOLELY AS TRUSTEE FOR NEW CENTURY HOME EQUITY LOAN TRUST SERIES 2004-A ASSET BACKED PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2004-A,
Plaintiff,
Against
JACKIE SCRUGGS A/K/A JACKIE PERRY INDIVIDUALLY AND AS ADMINTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF LELA SCRUGGS, ET AL.,
Defendant(s)

Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale, duly entered 03/05/2020, I, the undersigned Referee, will sell at public auction, at the Queens County Supreme Courthouse located at 88-11 Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica, NY, on the second floor in Courtroom 25, on 9/12/2025 at 10:00AM, premises known as 200-16 104th Avenue, Saint Albans, New York 11412, and described as follows:

ALL that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situated in the Borough of Queens, in the County of Queens and State of New York.

Block 10896 Lot 7

The approximate amount of the current Judgment lien is $433,398.92 plus interest and costs. The Premises will be sold subject to provisions of the aforesaid Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale; Index # 710456/2017

Matthew Vishnick, Esq., Referee.
MCCABE, WEISBERG & CONWAY, LLC, 10 Midland Avenue, Suite 205, Port Chester, NY 10573
Dated: 7/16/2025 File Number: 17-301620 CA

NOTICE OF SALE OF COOPERATIVE APARTMENT SECURITY BY VIRTUE OF A DEFAULT

In a Loan Security Agreement dated January 31, 2017 executed by JUDE DRATT A/K/A JUDE S. DRATT A/K/A JUDY DRATT A\K/A JUDY S. DRATT, debtor to Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., secured party via assignment, will cause a public sale of the security consisting of 312 shares of stock plus Parking Space and/or Garage, if applicable, of River Terrace Apartments, Inc. all right title and interest in and to a Proprietary Lease between said Corporation and debtor for Unit 9A in the building known as 2621 PALISADE AVENUE, BRONX, NY 10463 together with all fixtures and articles of personal property now or hereafter affixed to or used in connection with said apartment on August 22, 2025 at 10:0 0am outside the East 158 St. entrance stairs, at the Bronx County Courthouse, 851 Grand Concourse, Bronx, NY, in satisfaction of an indebtedness. Apartment is sold "AS IS" AND POSSESSION TO BE OBTAINED BY THE PURCHASER. Said sale is subject to: payment of all sums due, if any, to River Terrace Apartments, Inc. and the consent if necessary, of said corporation; any existing tenancy; payment of all expenses and fees of the secured party with respect thereto; terms of sale and auctioneers fees; flip tax; State, City and County transfer tax. The secured party reserves the right to bid. Terms: an official bank or certified check made payable to Robertson, Anschutz, Schneid, Crane & Partners, PLLC., for ten (10%) percent of the price bid. No cash accepted.

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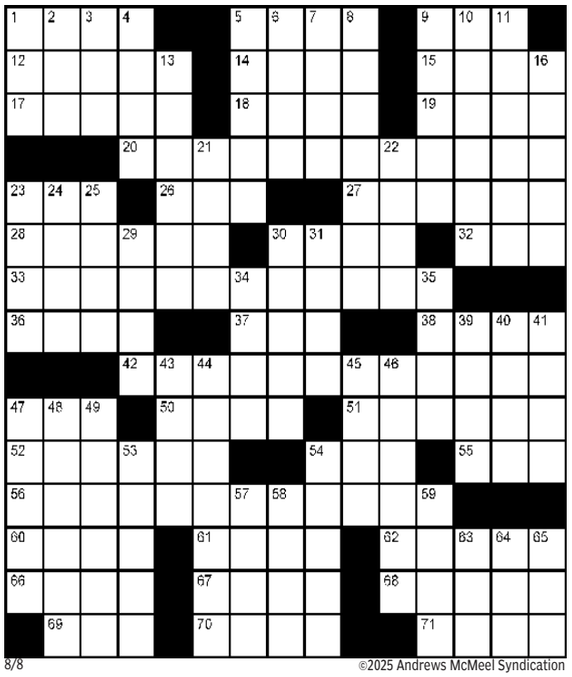
NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF QUEENS JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, Plaintiff AGAINST Morris Ginsberg; et al., Defendant(s) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly entered July 21, 2020, amended June 12, 2025, I, the undersigned Referee, will sell at public auction at the Queens County Supreme Courthouse, 88-11 Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica, NY 11435, on the second floor in courtroom 25 on August 22, 2025, at 11:00AM, premises known as 162-49 13th Avenue, Whitestone, NY 11357. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the County of Queens, City and State of New York, Block 4593 Lot 19. Approximate amount of judgment $240,691.88 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index# 716381/2017. Matthew Lupoli, Esq., Referee LOGS Legal Group LLP f/k/a Shapiro, DiCaro & Barak, LLC Attorney(s) for the Plaintiff 175 Mile Crossing Boulevard Rochester, New York 14624 (877) 430-4792 Dated: July 11, 2025 86180

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32 Foxy
33 *Become irrational
36 "Orinoco Flow" singer
37 Verbal shrug
38 iPhone programs
42 *Summer's unofficial finale
47 Writer or painter's deg.
50 Violin holder
51 Opposite of "rough"
52 The New ___ (magazine that turned 100 in February 2025)
54 Fawn's mama
55 Stitch
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62 Word after "stop" or "go right"
66 Get well
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70 European peaks
71 "If all ___ fails ..."

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1 Judge's field
2 "Without further ___ ..."
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4 Casual affirmative
5 Elevates, or British elevators
6 Wrinkly fruit
7 1969 destination
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10 Stephen King's "___ Lot"
11 Attack vigorously
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16 From now until midnight
21 Wrongful act
22 Diarist Frank
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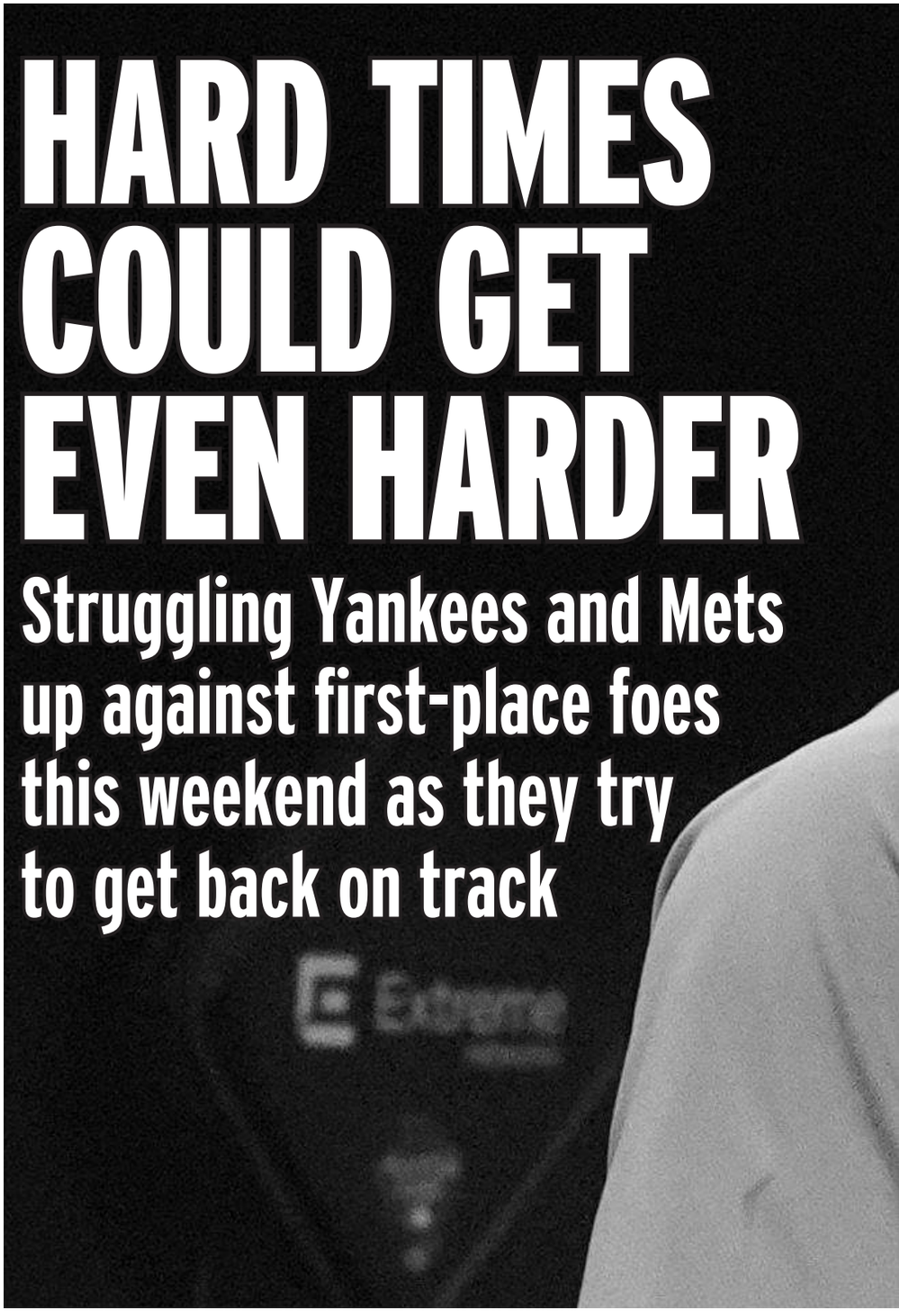
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MEMORY LANE
Pete Alonso and Mets return to scene of slugger's magical playoff moment when they visit Brewers this weekend
BY ABBEY MASTRACCO, Pages 44-45

HARD TIMES COULD GET EVEN HARDER

Struggling Yankees and Mets up against first-place foes this weekend as they try to get back on track



BY PETER SBLENDORIO
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

It's not about to get any easier for the Yankees or Mets.

Difficult opponents await the Yankees, who went cold during a road trip to Miami and Texas, and the Mets, who capped a similarly disappointing homestand by nearly getting no-hit on Wednesday.

This weekend, the Yankees are set to host the Houston Astros, who have been their biggest adversary over the past decade.

And the Mets are headed to Milwaukee to face the pitching-rich Brewers, who aren't exactly an opponent that struggling offenses typically get right against.

Here's a closer look at what awaits both clubs.

YANKEES VS. ASTROS

The Yankees (51-64) held onto the third and final American League wild card spot with Wednesday's 3-2 win over the Texas Rangers, but that was their only victory on a 1-5 road trip.

After Thursday's off day, the Yankees return to the Bronx, where they are 34-22, compared to 27-32 on the road.

The Astros (64-51), too, are trending downward of late, having lost nine of their last 13 games, but they will begin the series against the Yankees with their top two starting pitchers.

Right-hander Hunter Brown (9-5, 2.47 ERA) is scheduled to start Friday night's series opener, while Yankees rookie Cam Schlittler (1-2, 4.58 ERA) is set to make his fifth career start.

A first-time All-Star this season, Brown struggled to a 5.54 ERA over five starts in July, but he rebounded with a seven-inning, one-run gem in Boston last week.

The flame-throwing Schlittler, meanwhile, limited the Miami Marlins to two runs over five innings last weekend and posted a similar line in each of his previous three starts.

Saturday afternoon's matchup pits Houston left-hander Framber Valdez (11-5, 2.83 ERA) against Yankees right-hander Luis Gil (0-1, 13.50 ERA), who is set to make his second start of the year.

Valdez, an impending free agent, is in the midst of another stellar season, but he has not had much regular-season success against the Yankees.

His 6.50 ERA in four career starts against the Yankees is his worst against any team he's faced at least three times. Valdez did, however, hurl seven shutout innings against the Yankees in Game 2 of the 2022 ALCS in Houston.

Gil missed the first four months of 2025 due to a high-grade lat strain that cropped up during spring training.

The hard-throwing right-hander surrendered five runs in 3.1 innings against the Marlins on Sunday, struggling with his command to the tune of four walks.

"Physically, I felt really, really good, and that's what's most important," Gil said afterward through an interpreter.

"I wasn't commanding the way I wanted, but looking back, it was the first start in the big leagues since October of last year, so I'm sure we'll be able to make the adjustments."

Saturday is also Old-Timers' Day, and for the first time since 2019, the Yankees alum will compete in a traditional baseball game.

The Yankees are then set to finish the three-game series with Max Fried (12-4, 2.78 ERA), while Houston has not announced Sunday afternoon's starter.

This will be the Yankees' first time facing Houston since the Astros re-acquired star infielder Carlos Correa from the Minnesota Twins before last week's trade deadline.

Correa, 30, has not played up to his All-Star standard this season, posting a .721 OPS with eight homers.

But being back with the Astros – with whom Correa spent his first seven seasons from 2015-21 – seems to have given him a jolt. He has nine hits in 26 at-bats (.346) with a homer in six games since the trade.

The Yankees, meanwhile, welcomed Aaron Judge back to the lineup Tuesday after a 10-day stint on the injured list due to a flexor strain in his right elbow. Judge is operating as the Yankees' designated hitter until he is cleared to return to the field.

With Wednesday's win, the Yankees moved 1.5 games ahead of Texas for the final wild card spot. The Cleveland Guardians are also 1.5 games behind the Yankees, who are 19-29 since June 13.

"We've got to dig ourselves out here, but as I've said, it's there for us," manager Aaron Boone said. "We've got to go take this thing. I'm steadfast that I believe we have a great run in us. (I) believe in those guys in the room."

The Astros eliminated the Yankees from the 2015, 2017, 2019 and 2022 postseasons, with Houston's 2017 cheating scandal further fueling the rivalry.

But the Yankees got the best of Houston last year, winning six of their seven head-to-head meetings.

This weekend's series is the first between the Yankees and Astros this year. They are also scheduled to meet in Houston next month.

METS VS. BREWERS

The Mets' previous trip to Milwaukee delivered an all-time highlight, as Pete Alonso's go-ahead three-run home run in the ninth inning of Game 3 pushed the Mets past the Brewers in last year's Wild Card series.

But the momentum is decidedly different going into this weekend's series.

Milwaukee is 21-4 since July 6 and enters Friday on a six-game winning streak.

The MLB-best Brewers (70-44) boast a National League-best 3.00 ERA during that hot streak and are set to throw three strong starters at the Mets this weekend.

That's an unenviable reality for a Mets team (63-52) that went 13 innings without a hit between Tuesday and Wednesday's losses to the Cleveland Guardians. It took a one-out, ninth-inning home run by Juan Soto to break up Gavin Williams' no-hit bid on Wednesday.

"I really don't know what's going on, but definitely we have the talent and the guys that are capable to do damage here," Soto said of the Mets' offensive inconsistency. "I think, one day, it's going to turn around."

The Mets are 36-37 since May 13. During that stretch, the Mets' .229 average is the second lowest among MLB teams, while their .387 slugging percentage is the seventh worst.

The Mets have lost eight of their last nine games. After Wednesday's defeat, manager Carlos Mendoza said the Mets' offense must improve at making in-game adjustments.

"It falls on all of us. It falls on me as a manager, but we're in this together," Mendoza said. "I'm not going to point fingers here. I know we've got really good players, but if I'm going to (point fingers), I'm

THE TWEETS

I think Jaxson Dart's style has some similarities to Josh Allen. If Jaxson works hard, he could be a name in the league and not just hype. I can't wait to see what he can do. @IamEliRacks

I CAN HANDLE IT

Giants rookie Dart says 'there's no light that's too bright' for him to handle ahead of preseason debut

PAT LEONARD, Pages 46-47



Aaron Judge and Yankees face rival Astros this weekend, while Francisco Lindor (below) and Mets take on 2024 playoff opponent Brewers. Neither local team has looked up for the challenge lately, so they better turn things around quickly. AP

going to point (at) myself because I'm the manager. I'm responsible. I know how hard those guys are working, but it starts with me."

Kodai Senga (7-3, 2.31 ERA) is set to start Friday night's series opener for the Mets, with right-hander Brandon Woodruff (3-0, 2.22 ERA) slated to go for Milwaukee.

Since coming off the injured list for a hamstring strain, Senga has a 6.89 ERA with 10 walks over four starts. He is averaging four innings per outing in that stretch.

"My body's great," Senga said Saturday through an interpreter after giving up four runs in four innings to the San Francisco Giants.

"I have no issues with my body. Mechanically, I may be overcompensating in certain areas. Just not all the way back yet, maybe, but trying to get back to the best performance as quickly as possible."

The Mets have not announced a starter for Saturday night's game, while rookie right-hander Logan Henderson (3-0, 1.78 ERA) is set to pitch for Milwaukee.

Sean Manaea is scheduled to start Sunday afternoon's series finale for the Mets, while the Brewers are going with right-hander Quinn Priester (11-2, 3.15 ERA).

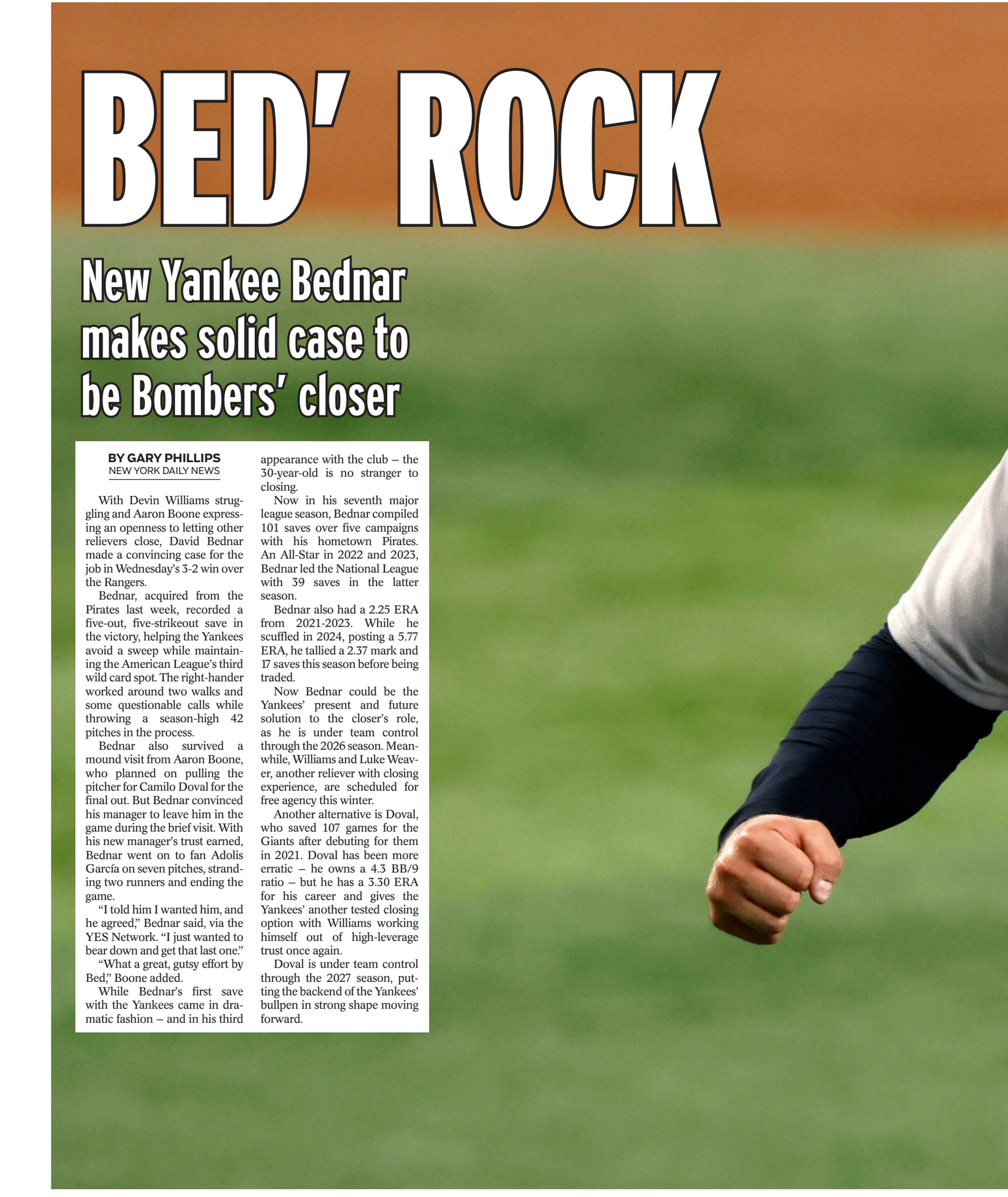
Alonso enters the weekend with 251 career home runs, one away from tying – and two away from breaking – Darryl Strawberry's franchise record.

The Mets could use some more magic in Milwaukee. They are 2.5 games behind the Philadelphia Phillies in the NL East.

"Nobody said it's going to be easy to go all the way," Soto said. "It's a challenge. We've just got to go out there and take it from them. Nobody is going to bring the trophy over here and give it to us. We've got to go out there and take it."

BED' ROCK

New Yankee Bednar makes solid case to be Bombers' closer



BY GARY PHILLIPS
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

With Devin Williams struggling and Aaron Boone expressing an openness to letting other relievers close, David Bednar made a convincing case for the job in Wednesday's 3-2 win over the Rangers.

Bednar, acquired from the Pirates last week, recorded a five-out, five-strikeout save in the victory, helping the Yankees avoid a sweep while maintaining the American League's third wild card spot. The right-hander worked around two walks and some questionable calls while throwing a season-high 42 pitches in the process.

Bednar also survived a mound visit from Aaron Boone, who planned on pulling the pitcher for Camilo Doval for the final out. But Bednar convinced his manager to leave him in the game during the brief visit. With his new manager's trust earned, Bednar went on to fan Adolis García on seven pitches, stranding two runners and ending the game.

"I told him I wanted him, and he agreed," Bednar said, via the YES Network. "I just wanted to bear down and get that last one."

"What a great, gutsy effort by Bed," Boone added.

While Bednar's first save with the Yankees came in dramatic fashion – and in his third appearance with the club – the 30-year-old is no stranger to closing.

Now in his seventh major league season, Bednar compiled 101 saves over five campaigns with his hometown Pirates. An All-Star in 2022 and 2023, Bednar led the National League with 39 saves in the latter season.

Bednar also had a 2.25 ERA from 2021-2023. While he scuffled in 2024, posting a 5.77 ERA, he tallied a 2.37 mark and 17 saves this season before being traded.

Now Bednar could be the Yankees' present and future solution to the closer's role, as he is under team control through the 2026 season. Meanwhile, Williams and Luke Weaver, another reliever with closing experience, are scheduled for free agency this winter.

Another alternative is Doval, who saved 107 games for the Giants after debuting for them in 2021. Doval has been more erratic – he owns a 4.3 BB/9 ratio – but he has a 3.30 ERA for his career and gives the Yankees' another tested closing option with Williams working himself out of high-leverage trust once again.

Doval is under team control through the 2027 season, putting the backend of the Yankees' bullpen in strong shape moving forward.



With five-out save in Texas on Wednesday, David Bednar makes case for being Yankees' full-time closer. AP

BY ABBEY MASTRACCO
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

MILWAUKEE – For much of the night, it felt as though the Mets season was coming to a close. A few days after celebrating on the field in Atlanta, of all places, to make it to the wild-card round against the Brewers last October, the Mets appeared to be headed toward yet another early offseason.

But in the top of the ninth, there was hope and there was momentum. Most importantly, there were runners on the corners with one out, and Pete Alonso coming to the plate to face closer Devin Williams with the Mets down, 2-0.

Howie Rose, the Mets' Hall-of-Fame play-by-play voice, said what many were thinking: "This may be his last Mets at-bat; he could make it his most memorable."

Everyone knows what happened next: Alonso drove a 3-1 changeup over the right-field fence for a three-run homer, and the Mets went on to win, 4-2. They eliminated the Brewers, then the Phillies, en route to their first NLCS appearance since 2015.

In what could have been his final days with the only team he had ever known, the slugger hit arguably one of the most important home runs in franchise history last October.

"We're almost on our way home," said Mets manager Carlos Mendoza. "Then before you know it, we're spraying champagne all over because of Pete."

This weekend, he'll go into Milwaukee with a chance to make history all over again, only two home runs shy of passing Darryl Strawberry for the franchise lead. Once again, the Mets season feels as though it's on the brink, with the Mets having lost eight of their last nine games.

And once again, Alonso could be headed toward free agency.

This time, there are still a few more months and a lot of baseball left to be played before the Polar Bear has to decide whether he'll pick up his player option for 2026.

With the Mets in Milwaukee for a three-game series against the league-best Brewers, Alonso and others look back on his historic home run with the possibility of another two being hit over that yellow railing this weekend.

'I BLACKED OUT'

It hadn't been a great season for Alonso. There were 172 strikeouts, the second-most of his career, and a career-low .788 OPS. A homegrown hero who had enjoyed immense popularity with the Mets since since setting a record for home runs with 53 as a rookie in 2019, Alonso spent the season fielding questions about his future while being unable to produce as he did in the past.

He was 0-for-3 to that point in the game.

"As a broadcast, you have to set up what could be a dramatic moment, and it was right out in front of us," Rose recently told the Daily News. "The situation was such that, you knew what Pete had meant to the Mets. You knew it was being framed as his potentially last played appearance as a Met, and he wasn't, at that point, going out on a great note."

Left-hander David Peterson was warming up on the mound in the bullpen. When the phone rang, Mendoza told bullpen coach Jose Rosado that Peterson would have the ninth. Not that he would have ninth if the Mets tied, or if they went ahead, Mendoza simply said the inning belonged to Peterson.

"I was like, 'Something is about to happen,'" Peterson said. "Just those words, I was like, 'There's something coming.'"

The Mets were digging in, battling Williams and forcing him to throw all of his pitches. He threw eight to Francisco Lindor to lead off the inning with a walk. Mark Vientos struck out on four, and Brandon Nimmo went down 0-2 on two changeups before hitting the third to right field for a single.

"How else would you write this script?" Peterson said.

Those 15 pitches showed Alonso what he had to work with.

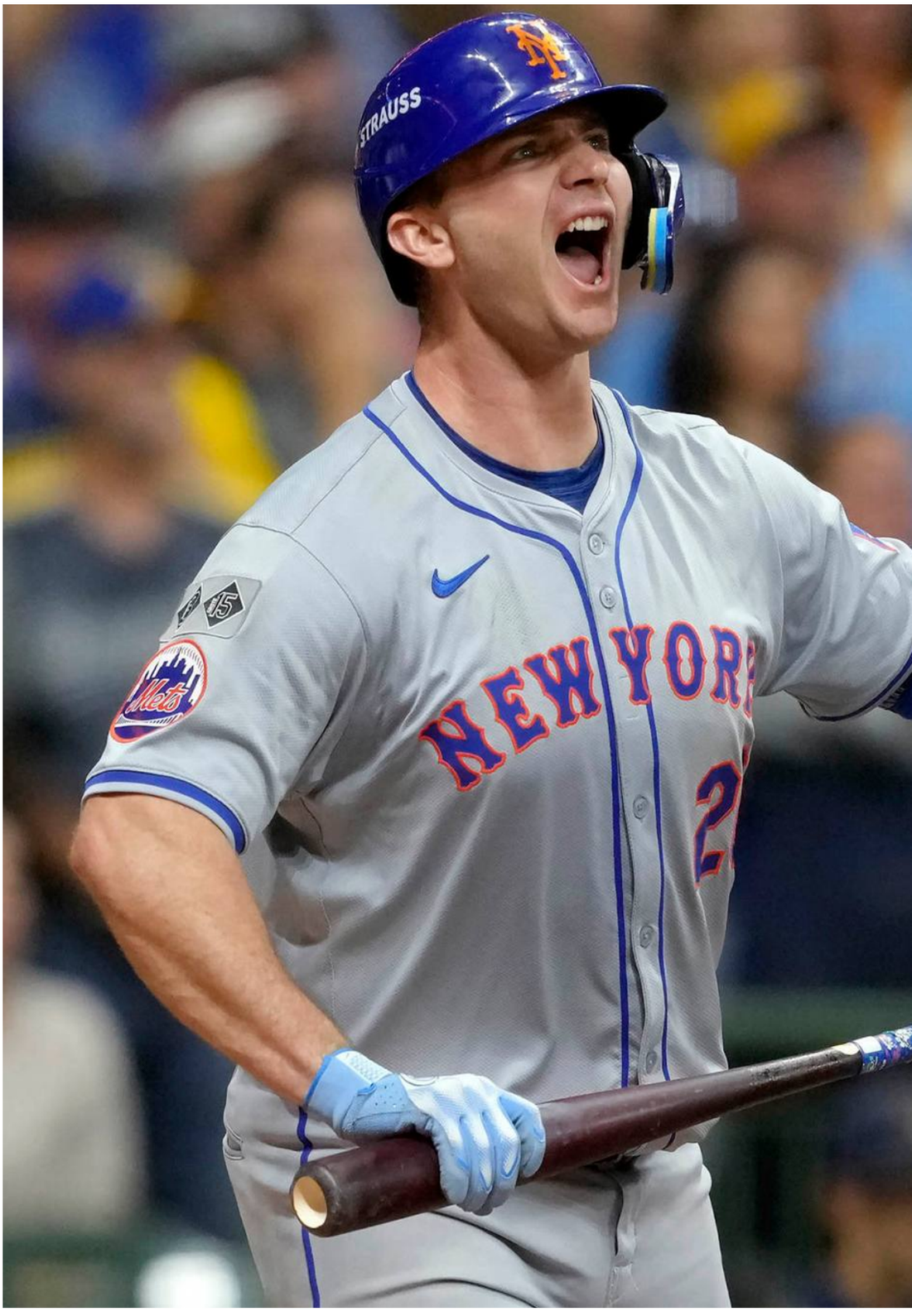
"Watching the three guys hit in front of me, Devin already had a lot of work on him, a lot of quality at-bats, tough at-bats," Alonso said. "Even for me, he had to work. I made him work. He made some good pitches, and then had to come into the zone."

Alonso swung, and connected.

Peterson remembers thinking to himself the ball had a chance. Taylor remembers he was still thinking the season could be over until he saw the trajectory of the ball. Alonso, however, remembers next to nothing.

"I kind of just blacked out from excitement," Alonso said. "That was probably the most excited I've been for a team win."

The Mets leapt from the dugout, something that doesn't often happen when a game is still going, but everyone was so eager to congratulate their first baseman. Dave Racaniello, one of the bullpen catchers, was jumping behind the outfield wall, pumping his fist.



"When it went over the fence, the entire bullpen erupted," Peterson said. "Then, I remember Rac looked at me and said, 'We've still got work to do.' It was funny because if you go back and look at the replay, he was one of the guys that was most ecstatic."

Alonso doesn't remember rounding the bases, he doesn't remember being congratulated by Nimmo or hugged by Lindor at home plate. He barely remembers the guys high-fiving him and chest-bumping him on the field.

It was almost as if he came to once he remembered the inning wasn't over. By then, there were two outs, Jesse Winker was on second and came home on an RBI single by Starling Marte, dramatically smashing his helmet at home plate, punctuating a two-run lead.

"I just blacked out," Alonso said. "I saw Jesse slide and Gronk-spike his helmet, then it's almost like I don't remember anything, until I got the last out. Petey came in, threw the rock and that was pretty much it. It's just kind of little flashes."

Despite his own heroics, it was Peterson that Alonso made an effort to recognize. A starting pitcher the Mets used as a reliever in the postseason, Peters earned his first save in the game.

"My adrenaline was up, probably about as high as it gets," Peterson said. "It's funny, I knew, I was closing the game, I knew we had a chance and I was in a position to end the game for us to clinch and move on.

"But I didn't realize it was my first save until after the game, when Pete gave me the ball and said, 'Hey, congrats on your first save.'"

A genuine gesture by a genuine human.

'HE DID IT!'

Rose instantly became the eyes of the fans back in New York.

"It's so pure, what happens in a situation like that," Rose said. "Unless you try to get too cute, and that moment didn't call for cute. What happens is that ball goes over the wall, you



There's plenty Pete Alonso doesn't remember about his wild-card home run last October in Milwaukee. But maybe this weekend's trip back there can jog his and the Mets' memories. GETTY

MORE PETE MAGIC, PLEASE

Maybe another Milwaukee trip can get Mets feeling like winners once again

have your visceral reaction, as I did, and then you just turn into a reporter, because it was such a monumental moment that you need – especially as a radio broadcaster – to document verbally everything."

A clip that instantly went viral, Rose gave Mets fans a call they'll never forget.

"It's gone! He did it! He did it! Pete Alonso, with the most memorable home run of his career," Rose exclaimed, as Alonso circled the bases, giving a chef's kiss motion to the crowd.

It was played over the speakers of the team's charter plane before they departed for Philadelphia. This moment was one Alonso remembers vividly, touching his heart as he recalls seeing Rose board the plane.

"Oh my god, hearing Howie's call was really, really special," Alonso said. "It's such an iconic call."

It would be one of the final calls of Bob Uecker's career, as the Brewers' longtime play-by-play voice died in January. This, too, holds meaning for Alonso.

"I know people are going to remember that because it was the last one," Alonso said. "It's part of baseball history."

'SIGN THAT MAN'

Mets fans have made it clear that they want Alonso to be in orange and blue for life. Alonso has said he'd love to finish his career with the Mets. Alonso has a player option for 2026 for $24 million, but with the way he's playing this season, he's almost assuredly going to opt out to try for the long-term contract he sought last winter.

"Gotta sign that man," Taylor told The News. "The fans love him and we all love him. He's a great teammate, a great guy and a great baseball player. I think he's meant a lot, you've got to sign him."

The home run chase is coming at a strange time. The Mets are in second place behind the Phillies in the NL East after spending much of the season on top of the leaderboard. After one of the worst games of the season, fans want to see someone fired and held accountable for an underperforming roster.

One swing from Alonso could change everything. It could change the momentum for the better, change the vibes around the team and, finally, give fans something to cheer about after two weeks of booing their own. Whether it happens in Milwaukee or in New York, it won't change anything about how the Mets feel about Alonso.

His place in Mets history has already been cemented.

"He's one of the heartbeats of this organization," Peterson said. "Being a homegrown guy and having the impact that he's had offensively and defensively, he means a lot to his team. It's cool to see a guy like that, especially with the attitude that he has of wanting to win, and caring so much about his teammates. That makes it even more special.

"It's good to see a guy like that have all the success that he's had, and that he's going to have."

HE'S READY TO TAKE THE HEAT

Giants rookie QB Dart says 'There's no light that's too bright to play in,' before he makes his NFL preseason debut vs. Bills

BY PAT LEONARD
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

Giants rookie quarterback Jaxson Dart is eager to make his NFL preseason debut Saturday at the Buffalo Bills in Orchard Park, N.Y.

"There's no light that's too bright to play in," Dart, 22, said after Thursday's final practice before his first game. "I'm not scared. When I go out there, I'm gonna play the game I know how to play. … I think if you're gonna play scared as a quarterback, you shouldn't be out there."

Dart's play in training camp has been up and down. He looks like a young, developing quarterback with upside, which is exactly what he was labeled before the Giants traded up to draft him in April's first round.

The Ole Miss standout also has a reputation for being a gamer, though, for being a competitor who elevates with his instincts and abilities once the ball gets kicked off.

That's what is so exciting about Saturday for the Giants: Dart welcomes the spotlight and the pressure and appears geared up to do whatever it takes.

"Absolutely," Dart said of relishing the bright lights. "I don't think you can be an elite competitor if that's not your mindset, if that's not how you approach everything. As a kid, you watch the stars on the biggest stages, and that's what people remember forever. That's always been something I've looked up to, and I want to make my own lane."

Dart will have his work cut out for him, however, to make a strong first impression.

He will be facing the Bills, one of the NFL's Super Bowl favorites, on the road in a hostile environment. And he will be doing it behind an offensive line with the likes of Josh Ezeudu, Stone Forsythe and rookie Marcus Mbow at tackle.

Bills coach Sean McDermott revealed that most of Buffalo's starters will play "give or take" one quarter on Saturday, with the exception of star QB Josh Allen. So Jameis Winston presumably will start the game for the Giants at quarterback and eventually give way to the rookie, since Brian Daboll seems likely to sit a lot of his projected starters.

But Dart is excited to try to help the team win whenever he goes in, and he said he is not paying attention to being listed third on the Giants' initial unofficial depth chart behind Russell Wilson and Winston.

"I don't look at it that way," Dart said. "I'm just coming to work every single day trying to compete. You never know when your number's gonna be called on. We have a great quarterback room, and any guy can go out there and win games. … At the end of the day, we just want to come in and win as a team."

As Dart applies his practice habits to game action, he admitted he is still "learning when I can do something, when I can't do something" in Daboll's offense, since he has so much freedom and so many options as the QB.

During his more challenging practices or plays, Dart has tended to hold on to the ball too long. So releasing the ball quickly should be an emphasis against a real pass rush for the first time.

Still, Daboll challenged the characterization of Dart holding the ball too long and said it's by design to take advantage of Dart's mobility and improvisational skills.

"Some of it's pretty good what he's doing. Some of it is pretty good," Daboll said. "Again, is he sacked? Is he not sacked? There's plenty of plays where he's holding it and making a good amount of loose plays, which are hard to defend in this league. You always talk about defending the first play, and then when you have mobile quarterbacks or guys that can do stuff with their legs and their arm, that's the second play, which is really God-given talent for a lot of these guys in this league. A lot of the good ones are able to do that.

"I don't discourage that one bit," Daboll added. "Are there times where you drop back and you're in the pocket and you're holding and here comes the rush and you got to make a quick decision on whether to throw it away, use an outlet, scramble? I think there's been a lot, a number of times throughout camp. It'll be important in the preseason to see how it unfolds, where he's buying time because he's able to buy time or he's able to scramble out of the pocket and keep the play alive and hold onto it a little bit longer."

Daboll explained that holding the ball and scrambling to keep a play alive often helps "generate some big plays" but at the same time, "you also risk having some negative plays."

"There are definitely some learning experiences with that that'll be important in the preseason," he continued, "but there's also a lot of good things that come from that relative to scramble rules, loose plays, big plays down the field that he's pretty good at."

There is no need to look any further than Allen, Daboll's former pupil, for a blueprint of how holding the ball and improvising can go right.

Dart actually was able to connect with Allen in April after the Giants drafted him for advice on how to assimilate into the NFL and Daboll's offense.

"I think the biggest thing is he talked a lot about leadership," Dart said of Allen. "That was kind of his main thing. And trying to be the best teammate for the guys around you. Because as the quarterback, you've got to raise the standard of everybody."

Football-wise, Dart also said it's important to "trust" Daboll's offense and the answers it provides, rather than going rogue. Create within the structure, not outside of it. That's what he'll be focused on Saturday with his family in the stands for his landmark first game.

"I want to be in my game, in my own space," he said. "I want to be able to encourage others and raise the play of the guys around me. And I just want to win. So whatever that takes when I'm out there on the field, that's my mindset."

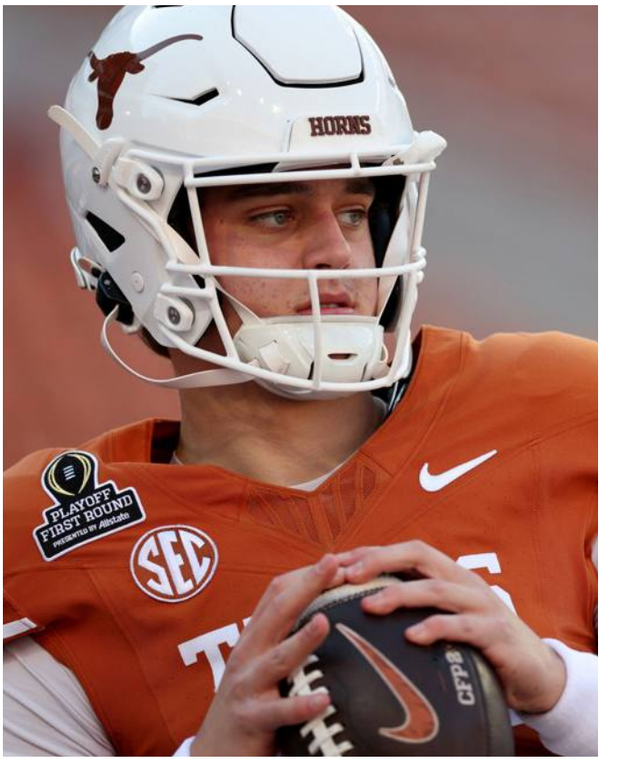
CURIOUS ABSENCES

Wide receiver Malik Nabers and edge rusher Brian Burns were not on the practice field at all for Thursday's lighter install practice. Guard Evan Neal also unexpectedly joined the rehabbing non-participants on the side with a strength coach. Nabers (toe) sat out most team work Wednesday, as well. Burns was limping and looking at his foot after 1-on-1s on Wednesday but finished the practice. He was seen walking gingerly with a slight limp at the end of practice coming out of the team's facility … Backup left tackle James Hudson III fortunately returned to practice after leaving Wednesday's with an apparent ailment. Starting left tackle Andrew Thomas (Lisfranc), who remains on the physically unable to perform list, was back outside going through limited set drills with the strength and training staff. Wide receiver Darius Slayton and running back Cam Skattebo jogged on the side but went inside shortly after. Wideout Beaux Collins also left early after doing individual drills. Corners Art Green, Tre Hawkins and Korie Black, and linebacker Demetrius Flannigan-Fowles, all were absent, too.



Jaxson Dart makes it clear before he makes his NFL preseason debut this weekend — he won't be intimidated. PAT LEONARD/DAILY NEWS





Arch Manning would likely be the first quarterback taken in next year's draft, but it seems like he may not be there. GETTY

Arch 'isn't going to' enter '26 draft, Grandpa Archie says

BY PETER SBLENDORIO
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

The NFL might have to wait for its next Manning.

Arch Manning, widely considered a blue-chip quarterback prospect, is not expected to enter next year's NFL Draft, according to grandfather Archie Manning.

"Arch isn't going to do that," Archie Manning told Texas Monthly. "He'll be at Texas."

Arch Manning, the much-hyped nephew of Eli and Peyton Manning, is entering his junior season with the Texas Longhorns but his first year as a starter.

Manning, whose father is Cooper Manning, served as a backup to Quinn Ewers as a freshman and sophomore. He completed 67.8% of his passes for 939 yards and nine touchdowns with two interceptions in 10 games, including two starts, last year.

But the 21-year-old Manning's inexperience hasn't cooled the expectations around him, with most prognosticators predicting he would be selected No. 1 overall if he entered the 2026 draft.

"People are saying he's a Heisman candidate," Archie Manning said. "You're not a Heisman Trophy candidate when you haven't played but three games. It's crazy."

Archie Manning said he has not spoken with his grandson about his draft intentions, but his comments should catch the attention of the NFL teams that are expected to be picking toward the top of the draft.

Eli and Peyton Manning both spent four years in college.

Had Peyton Manning entered the NFL Draft in 1997 rather than return to Tennessee for his senior season, the Jets would have had the opportunity to select him No. 1 overall.

The Jets ultimately traded down twice in that first round and ended up with linebacker James Farrior, while Manning went No. 1 overall to the Indianapolis Colts in 1998.

Eli Manning's camp, meanwhile, famously informed the San Diego Chargers before the 2004 draft that he did not want to play there. The Chargers drafted him with the No. 1 pick out of Ole Miss, then traded him to the Giants.

Regardless of whether Arch Manning remains in college for his senior season, next year's draft is considered deep at quarterback. Clemson's Cade Klubnik, LSU's Garrett Nussmeier, South Carolina's LaNorris Sellers and Penn State's Drew Allar are among the top prospects.

Allen, Rodgers to sit this one out, but Mahomes will play

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Reigning NFL MVP Josh Allen won't be playing in the Bills' preseason opener against the Giants on Saturday, coach Sean McDermott said Thursday.

As for James Cook's status, McDermott said the team has no choice but to move forward with or without the starting running back, who skipped his fourth straight practice as part of a contract standoff that shows no signs of resolution.

"I have a ton of respect for him. And the position that he's in right now is not an easy one," McDermott said, in his first opportunity to address Cook's hold-in, which began on Sunday. "That said, we have to move forward as a team, and I'm sure he respects that."

McDermott noted that while Cook has declined to practice, he is taking part in walk-through sessions and attending team meetings. The fourth-year player, who was the NFL's co-leader with 16 touchdowns rushing last season, has chosen not to practice in a bid to secure a long-term contract extension to a deal that expires in March.

As for Allen, the coach said he's yet to determine whether the quarterback will play at all this preseason in part to avoid exposing him to injury.

MAHOMES WILL TAKE SOME HITS

Chiefs quarterback Patrick Mahomes is glad coach Andy Reid is sending him onto the field with the rest of their starters when Kansas City visits the Cardinals for their preseason opener Saturday night.

"I don't necessarily look forward to getting hit," Mahomes added with a smile Thursday.

Getting hit is exactly why some teams have eschewed playing starters at all in the preseason. When coaches finally decided it wasn't worth the risk to their most valuable players, they began sitting them for one or two games, and last year, teams such as the Super Bowl champion Eagles sat them for the entirety of their exhibition slate.

That has never been Reid's preference, though. Nor has it been that of Mahomes, who believes it does him some good to get hit – once, at least – so that he can get into the right mindset for the rest of the preseason and ultimately the regular season.

"There's always a little shock," Mahomes said.

The Chiefs might only have those starters on the field for a single series in Arizona, especially if it goes well. But the plan, at least after their final practice before their opener, was that each quarterback will get a full quarter – Mahomes the first, Gardner Minshew the second, Bailey Zappe the third, and Chris Oladokun the fourth.

The rest of the offense would presumably follow suit.

RODGERS, STEELER STARTERS TO SIT

Aaron Rodgers' debut in Pittsburgh will have to wait.

Steelers coach Mike Tomlin said the team's new quarterback and most of its other high-profile starters won't play when the club opens the preseason in Jacksonville on Saturday.

T.J. Watt, Cam Heyward, Jonnu Smith, DK Metcalf, and Jalen Ramsey are also among the group that will watch from the sideline.

Arrest follows WNBA sex toy toss

An Arizona man was arrested after police say he threw a sex toy into the crowd at a WNBA game in Phoenix, the latest in a series of similar disturbances at arenas across the league over several days.

Police say the 18-year-old pulled the sex toy from his sweater pocket at Tuesday's matchup between the Phoenix Mercury and Connecticut Sun and threw it toward seats in front of him, striking a spectator in the back.

The man later told police it was a prank that had been trending on social media and that he bought the toy a day earlier to take to the game. He was later tackled by a volunteer at the arena who had witnessed the incident and began following him as the man tried to leave the arena.

Police say the man was arrested on suspicion of assault, disorderly conduct, and publicly displaying explicit sexual material.

Over the last week, sex toys have been thrown onto the courts at games in Atlanta, Los Angeles, and Chicago. A sex toy landed near Indiana's **Sophie Cunningham** after it was thrown from the stands in Los Angeles on Tuesday night. Players have said throwing the toys at games is disrespectful and potentially dangerous.

SPORTSwire

GARDNER-JOHNSON INJURED

Houston safety **C.J. Gardner-Johnson** appeared to suffer a significant leg injury Thursday as the Texans practiced at the Greenbrier Resort in West Virginia.

According to reports, Gardner-Johnson tried to tackle receiver **John Metchie** and, after making contact, fell to the ground and began writhing in pain. The medical staff tended to him as the team and coaches surrounded him. He was eventually helped by the medical staff to a cart while it appeared that he couldn't put any pressure on his right leg.

SLATER OUT FOR SEASON

Chargers tackle **Rashawn Slater** suffered a torn patellar tendon in practice Thursday and will miss the upcoming season.

He'll undergo surgery and be placed on injured reserve, the team said.

Slater was hurt less than two weeks after signing a multi-year contract extension last month.



PLAY TIME!

In new twist, Gang Green starters set to take field in preseason opener

BY ANTWAN STALEY
NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

In an era when starters haven't regularly played in preseason games, Jets coach Aaron Glenn is taking a different approach.

The Jets will play their preseason opener against the Packers on Saturday at Lambeau Field, and Glenn said the team's starters will be on the field.

"We're playing, we're playing, Glenn said. "I can't tell you how much the guys are going to play. That's affected by how the game goes, but we're playing."

Why did Glenn decide to play the Jets' starters?

"Because I want to play," he said. "That's the reason. I want our guys to play. That's the reason."

When the NFL shifted from four preseason games to three in 2021, many coaches elected to rest their starters instead of playing them during the exhibition season. One of the reasons is that teams have mainly relied on joint practices to get players ready for the upcoming season.

Considering their offensive struggles in training camp and the fact that players are learning a new system, it makes sense that Glenn wants to see his starters in action, even if it is just for a series or two. The Jets also have two new playcallers in offensive coordinator Tanner Engstrand and defensive



Sauce Gardner and Jet starters won't have to wait another month to take field in a game, with new coach Aaron Glenn deciding to play regulars Saturday against Packers. AP

coordinator Steve Wilks, and a new starting quarterback in Justin Fields, who has had an uneven camp.

Fields finished Thursday's practice completing 8-of-15 passes, including a touchdown pass to Garrett Wilson. But that also included an interception that bounced off of tight end Jeremy Ruckert's hands.

"Every time we go on the grass, the first thing is I expect to win," Glenn said. "I do, but I expect to win in ways we really talk about what we are trying to create during camp.

"Look, I want the score to be in our favor. I do. But more or less anything, I want the things that we are trying to create to show up every play that we are out there, and that's what I'm looking for."

Playing starters in preseason games is a new philosophy with the Jets. Last season, Robert Saleh elected not to play many of the starters during the exhibition season.

Glenn is attempting to change the culture of the Jets by having live tackling during practices. But he isn't afraid of his players possibly getting injured.

"It didn't surprise me," Sauce Gardner said about Glenn's decision to play the starters in the preseason. "I love football. I'm obsessed with football, so any chance I got to play, I always love the idea of it."

"We've been tackling in practice, so I was pretty sure that he was going to want us to be able to tackle another team. I'm embracing that and looking forward to it. I definitely wasn't surprised. None of us were surprised when he said that."

The Packers could have quarterback Jordan Love and their starters on the field as well. Green Bay coach Matt LaFleur has been noncommittal on whether he will play his starters on Saturday.

"I'm definitely excited, especially going to Lambeau," Jets running back Isaiah Davis said.

"I got a bunch of guys, (former) teammates on that team. Tuck (Tucker Kraft) and Amar Johnson are on the team. So, definitely excited to go and get some reps against someone else. Have that competitive nature we have on the field against somebody else, definitely excited for that."

INJURY REPORT

Defensive tackle Byron Cowart has an ankle injury and will not play against the Packers on Saturday.

In addition, defensive tackle Quinnen Williams (calf), left guard John Simpson (back), rookie tight end Mason Taylor (high ankle sprain), backup quarterback Tyrod Taylor (knee), and special teams ace Kris Boyd (shoulder) were all ruled out for the preseason opener.

MLB STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

EAST	W	L	PCT	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY	RS	RA	DIFF
Toronto	68	48	.586	—	—	5-5	W-3	38-19	30-29	576	521	55
Boston	64	52	.552	4	+2½	8-2	L-1	39-22	25-30	577	496	81
New York	61	54	.530	6½	—	4-6	W-1	34-22	27-32	587	499	88
Tampa Bay	57	59	.491	11	4½	4-6	W-2	32-30	25-29	522	475	47
Baltimore	52	63	.452	15½	9	5-5	W-1	27-27	25-36	497	577	-80

CENTRAL	W	L	PCT	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY	RS	RA	DIFF
Detroit	66	50	.569	—	—	6-4	L-2	37-23	29-27	556	481	75
Cleveland	59	55	.518	6	1½	7-3	W-3	29-27	30-28	450	473	-23
Kansas City	57	58	.496	8½	4	6-4	W-1	28-28	29-30	425	439	-14
Minnesota	54	60	.474	11	6½	4-6	W-2	30-24	24-36	480	509	-29
Chicago	42	73	.365	23½	19	4-6	L-4	24-32	18-41	440	511	-71

WEST	W	L	PCT	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY	RS	RA	DIFF
Houston	64	51	.557	—	—	4-6	L-1	35-24	29-27	497	450	47
Seattle	63	53	.543	1½	+1½	7-3	W-4	34-25	29-28	531	501	30
Texas	60	56	.517	4½	1½	4-6	L-1	36-21	24-35	477	407	70
Los Angeles	55	60	.478	9	6	5-5	L-2	30-30	25-30	498	566	-68
Athletics	51	66	.436	14	11	6-4	W-1	23-34	28-32	516	622	-106

NATIONAL LEAGUE

EAST	W	L	PCT	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY	RS	RA	DIFF
Philadelphia	65	49	.570	—	—	5-5	L-1	37-21	28-28	535	456	79
New York	63	52	.548	2½	—	2-8	L-4	38-21	25-31	501	466	35
Miami	56	58	.491	9	6½	6-4	L-1	28-31	28-27	492	542	-50
Atlanta	48	66	.421	17	14½	4-6	W-1	27-29	21-37	476	504	-28
Washington	45	69	.395	20	17½	3-7	L-1	22-36	23-33	486	634	-148

CENTRAL	W	L	PCT	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY	RS	RA	DIFF
Milwaukee	70	44	.614	—	—	9-1	W-6	36-20	34-24	570	443	127
Chicago	66	48	.579	4	+3½	5-5	W-1	36-22	30-26	588	473	115
Cincinnati	60	56	.517	11	3½	4-6	L-2	33-26	27-30	521	486	35
St. Louis	58	58	.500	13	5½	4-6	W-1	32-24	26-34	509	525	-16
Pittsburgh	50	66	.431	21	13½	6-4	W-1	33-27	17-39	414	466	-52

WEST	W	L	PCT	GB	WCGB	L10	STR	HOME	AWAY	RS	RA	DIFF
Los Angeles	66	49	.574	—	—	5-5	L-1	36-23	30-26	593	519	74
San Diego	64	51	.557	2	+1	8-2	W-2	36-19	28-32	476	438	38
San Francisco	58	57	.504	8	5	4-6	W-2	28-26	30-31	481	465	16
Arizona	54	61	.470	12	9	3-7	L-2	27-30	27-31	555	566	-11
Colorado	30	84	.263	35½	32½	3-7	L-4	16-42	14-42	424	740	-316

RESULTS, SCHEDULE

AMERICAN LEAGUE

THURSDAY'S RESULTS

Athletics 6, Washington 0
Seattle 4, Chicago White Sox 3 (11)

SATURDAY'S GAMES

Houston at N.Y. Yankees, 2:05p.m.
L.A. Angels at Detroit, 6:10p.m.
Athletics at Baltimore, 7:05p.m.
Cleveland at Chicago White Sox, 7:10p.m.
Kansas City at Minnesota, 7:10p.m.
Philadelphia at Texas, 7:15p.m.
Boston at San Diego, 8:40p.m.
Toronto at L.A. Dodgers, 9:10p.m.
Tampa Bay at Seattle, 9:40p.m.

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

Baltimore 5, Philadelphia 1
Cleveland 4, N.Y. Mets 1
Minnesota 9, Detroit 4
N.Y. Yankees 3, Texas 2
Toronto 20, Colorado 1
Tampa Bay 5, L.A. Angels 4
Miami 6, Houston 4
Washington 2, Athletics 1
Kansas City 7, Boston 3
Seattle 8, Chicago White Sox 6

NATIONAL LEAGUE

THURSDAY'S RESULTS

Athletics 6, Washington 0
Pittsburgh 7, Cincinnati 0
Atlanta 8, Miami 6

SATURDAY'S GAMES

Miami at Atlanta, 1:15p.m., 1st game
Washington at San Francisco, 4:05p.m.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, 6:40p.m.
N.Y. Mets at Milwaukee, 7:10p.m.
Chicago Cubs at St. Louis, 7:15p.m.
Miami at Atlanta, 7:15p.m., 2nd game
Philadelphia at Texas, 7:15p.m.
Colorado at Arizona, 8:10p.m.
Boston at San Diego, 8:40p.m.
Toronto at L.A. Dodgers, 9:10p.m.

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

Baltimore 5, Philadelphia 1
Cleveland 4, N.Y. Mets 1
San Francisco 4, Pittsburgh 2
Chicago Cubs 6, Cincinnati 1
St. Louis 5, L.A. Dodgers 3
Miami 6, Houston 4
Washington 2, Athletics 1
Milwaukee 5, Atlanta 4
San Diego 3, Arizona 2

AMERICAN LEAGUE LEADERS

through Thursday's games

BATTING AVERAGE		G	AB	H	R	AVG.
Judge	NYY	105	383	130	90	.339
Peña	Hou	87	336	109	49	.324
Aranda	TB	103	358	113	53	.316
Ja.Wilson	Ath	94	369	115	46	.312
Kirk	Tor	91	325	99	29	.305
Bichette	Tor	113	482	145	58	.301
M.Garcia	KC	113	420	125	52	.298
V.Guerrero	Tor	114	432	128	79	.296
J.Ramírez	Cle	111	419	124	73	.296
Springer	Tor	101	344	100	66	.291

Home Runs: Raleigh, Seattle, 42; Judge, New York, 37; Caminero, Tampa Bay, 30; Ward, Los Angeles, 26; Greene, Detroit, 26; Torkelson, Detroit, 24; 6 tied at 23.
RBIs: Raleigh, Seattle, 90; Judge, New York, 85; Ward, Los Angeles, 84; Greene, Detroit, 84; Bichette, Toronto, 78; Caminero, Tampa Bay, 76; Story, Boston, 73; Pasquantino, Kansas City, 68; Soderstrom, Athletics, 67; 5 tied at 66.
Pitching: Crochet, Boston, 13-4; Fried, New York, 12-4; Skubal, Detroit, 11-3; Valdez, Houston, 11-5; Bassitt, Toronto, 11-5; Rodón, New York, 11-7; Eovaldi, Texas, 10-3; deGrom, Texas, 10-4; Mize, Detroit, 10-4; Ryan, Minnesota, 10-5.

NATIONAL LEAGUE LEADERS

through Thursday's games

BATTING AVERAGE		G	AB	H	R	AVG.
F.Freeman	LAD	102	384	118	55	.307
Machado	SD	115	444	133	68	.300
Edwards	Mia	98	398	119	55	.299
Frelick	Mil	99	366	109	49	.298
Stowers	Mia	109	372	109	56	.293
Naylor	Ari	93	349	102	49	.292
Hoerner	ChC	110	418	122	60	.292
Arraez	SD	109	444	129	51	.291
T.Turner	Phi	112	464	132	73	.284
K.Marte	Ari	82	306	87	58	.284

Home Runs: Schwarber, Philadelphia, 40; Ohtani, Los Angeles, 39; E.Suárez, Seattle, 36; Suzuki, Chicago, 27; Crow-Armstrong, Chicago, 27; J.Soto, New York, 26; Stowers, Miami, 25; Alonso, New York, 25; Wood, Washington, 24; Carroll, Arizona, 23.
RBIs: Schwarber, Philadelphia, 94; Alonso, New York, 91; E.Suárez, Seattle, 87; Suzuki, Chicago, 84; Crow-Armstrong, Chicago, 78; Perdomo, Arizona, 75; Ohtani, Los Angeles, 75..
Pitching: F.Peralta, Milwaukee, 13-5; Priester, Milwaukee, 11-2; Pivetta, San Diego, 11-3; Boyd, Chicago, 11-4; Pfaadt, Arizona, 11-7; C.Sánchez, Philadelphia, 10-3; Gray, St. Louis, 10-5; Luzardo, Philadelphia, 10-5; Yamamoto, Los Angeles, 10-7; Webb, San Francisco, 10-8.

TODAY'S PITCHING COMPARISON

INTERLEAGUE			2025			2025 VS OPP			LAST 3 STARTS		
TEAM	PITCHERS	TIME	W-L	ERA	REC	W-L	IP	ERA	W-L	IP	ERA
Phi	Sanchez (L)		10-3	2.40	16-6	0-0	0.0	0.00	1-1	13.0	4.15
Tex	Kelly (R)	8:05p	9-6	3.22	12-11	0-0	5.0	1.80	1-1	19.0	1.42
Bos	Buehler (R)		6-6	5.74	11-8	0-1	8.1	4.32	0-2	12.1	8.03
SD	Pivetta (R)	9:40p	11-3	2.73	14-8	0-0	0.0	0.00	1-1	18.1	1.96
Tor	Scherzer (R)		2-1	4.39	4-4	0-0	0.0	0.00	1-1	16.1	3.31
LAD	Kershaw (L)	10:10p	5-2	3.29	8-5	0-0	0.0	0.00	1-2	15.2	3.45

AMERICAN LEAGUE			2025			2025 VS OPP			LAST 3 STARTS		
TEAM	PITCHERS	TIME	W-L	ERA	REC	W-L	IP	ERA	W-L	IP	ERA
A's	Ginn (R)		2-3	4.28	3-4	0-0	0.0	0.00	1-1	16.1	3.86
Bal	Sugano (R)	7:05p	8-5	4.42	13-8	0-1	4.1	6.23	0-2	14.1	7.53
Hou	Brown (R)		9-5	2.47	14-8	0-0	4.0	0.00	1-0	18.0	1.50
NYY	Schlittler (R)	7:05p	1-2	4.58	2-2	0-0	0.0	0.00	1-1	14.2	4.91
LAA	Hendricks (R)		6-8	4.59	10-11	1-0	7.2	1.17	0-1	17.0	3.71
Det	Skubal (L)	7:10p	11-3	2.18	16-6	0-0	0.0	0.00	1-1	16.0	5.06
Cle	Bibee (R)		7-9	4.51	12-10	0-0	4.1	10.38	0-1	18.0	4.00
ChW	Civale (R)	7:40p	3-6	3.99	5-9	1-0	6.0	0.00	0-2	12.2	12.08
KC	Lugo (R)		8-5	3.06	12-9	0-0	0.0	0.00	1-0	18.0	1.00
Min	Ryan (R)	8:10p	10-5	2.83	10-11	1-0	7.0	0.00	2-0	19.0	0.95
TB	Rasmussen (R)		9-5	2.81	13-9	0-0	2.0	0.00	1-1	15.0	4.20
Sea	Castillo (R)	9:40p	8-6	3.22	13-10	1-0	5.2	3.18	1-1	18.1	2.95

NATIONAL LEAGUE			2025			2024 VS OPP			LAST 3 STARTS		
TEAM	PITCHERS	TIME	W-L	ERA	REC	W-L	IP	ERA	W-L	IP	ERA
Cin	Burns (R)		0-3	6.04	1-6	0-0	0.0	0.00	0-2	7.0	10.29
Pit	Keller (R)	6:40p	5-10	3.89	9-14	0-1	3.1	21.60	1-1	19.2	1.83
Mia	Cabrera (R)		5-5	3.24	10-9	0-0	0.0	0.00	1-1	16.2	1.62
Atl	Elder (R)	7:15p	4-8	6.03	7-11	0-1	5.1	8.44	1-1	12.2	9.24
NYM	Senga (R)		7-3	2.31	13-4	0-0	0.0	0.00	3-0	17.0	3.71
Mil	Woodruff (R)	8:10p	3-0	2.22	5-0	0-0	0.0	0.00	2-0	18.0	2.50
ChC	Boyd (L)		11-4	2.34	12-10	2-0	11.0	0.00	0-2	16.1	2.76
StL	McGreevy (R)	8:15p	3-2	5.08	4-2	0-0	4.2	9.64	2-0	17.2	5.09
Col	Gomber (L)		0-5	6.18	2-7	0-1	14.0	5.79	0-2	18.0	4.00
Ari	Gallen (R)	9:40p	8-12	5.48	10-13	0-0	0.0	0.00	0-0	0.0	0.00
Was	Irvin (R)		8-6	4.89	12-11	1-0	8.0	0.00	1-1	15.1	6.46
SF	Teng (R)	10:15p	0-1	13.50	0-1	0-0	0.0	0.00	0-1	3.1	13.50

TEAM REC: Team's Record in games started by today's pitcher.
VS OPP: Pitcher's record versus this opponent.

Athletics 6, Washington 0

Athletics	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Langeliers dh	4	0	1	1	1	.272
Kurtz 1b	3	0	0	1	2	.304
Rooker rf	5	0	2	0	2	.274
Cortes rf	0	0	0	0	0	.333
MacIver c	5	0	0	0	1	.222
Soderstrom lf	4	1	1	1	1	.258
Hernaiz ss	3	2	2	0	0	.321
Thomas cf	1	1	1	3	0	.156
a-Bleday ph-cf	2	0	0	0	1	.217
Urias 2b	4	1	2	0	1	.238
Schuemann 3b	4	1	3	0	0	.215
TOTALS	**35**	**6**	**12**	**6**	**9**	

Washington	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Abrams ss	4	0	0	0	1	.270
Wood dh	4	0	0	0	2	.254
DeJong 3b	3	0	0	0	1	.216
Garcia 2b	3	0	0	0	1	.263
Adams c	3	0	1	0	2	.177
Lowe 1b	3	0	0	0	1	.218
Lile lf	3	0	1	0	1	.249
Young cf	3	0	0	0	3	.229
Hassell rf	3	0	1	0	0	.247
TOTALS	**29**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**12**	

Athletics	**030**	**100**	**011**	**612**	**0**
Washington	**000**	**000**	**000**	**0**	**3**	**0**

a-struck out for Thomas in the 6th.
LOB: Athletics 7, Washington 2. **2B:** Schuemann 3(4), Hassell (5). 3B: Hernaiz (1).
HR: Thomas (1), off Parker; Soderstrom (21), off Poulin.
RBIs: Thomas 3(4), Langeliers (49), Soderstrom (67), Kurtz (62). SB: Rooker (5). CS: Hernaiz (2). SF: Langeliers, Thomas.
Runners left in scoring position: A's 3 (MacIver, Langeliers, Kurtz); Was 2 (Abrams, Young). **RISP:** A's 1for 7; Was 0for 3. **Runners moved up:** Lowe. **GIDP:** Soderstrom. **DP:** A's 1(MacIver); Was 1 (Garcia, Abrams, Lowe).

ATHLETICS	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Lopez, W, 5-6	7⅔	3	0	0	0	10	3.59
Sterner	1⅓	0	0	0	0	2	4.19

WASHINGTON	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Parker, L, 7-12	5	6	4	4	3	4	5.43
Rutledge	1⅓	1	0	0	0	2	6.19
Poulin	⅔	2	1	1	0	1	5.40
Beeter	1	1	0	0	0	0	4.50
Ribalta	1	2	1	1	0	2	5.91

Pitches-Strikes: Lopez 114-82; Sterner 11-8; Parker 85-52; Rutledge 20-14; Poulin 16-11; Beeter 11-6; Ribalta 19-14.
Ground Balls-Fly Balls: Lopez 8-3; Sterner 0-2; Parker 6-3; Rutledge 0-0; Poulin 1-1; Beeter 0-1; Ribalta 2-0.
Batters Faced: Lopez 25; Sterner 4; Parker 23; Rutledge 5; Poulin 4; Beeter 3; Ribalta 5.
Umpires: Home, Phil Cuzzi; First, Dan Bellino; Second, Clint Vondrak; Third, Tony Randazzo. T: 2:32. **A:** 14,519(41,376).

CALENDAR

Aug. 17: New York Mets vs. Seattle at Williamsport, Pa.
Aug. 31: Last day to be in organization to be postseason eligible.
Sept. 1: Active rosters expand to 28 players.

Seattle 4, Chi White Sox 3 (11)

Chicago	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Tauchman dh	5	0	0	0	1	.279
Sosa 2b	4	1	0	0	2	.277
Benintendi lf	5	0	0	0	1	.226
Robert cf	4	0	3	0	1	.226
Mtgmry ss-3b	3	0	0	0	2	.237
Mead 1b	4	0	2	0	0	.333
Quero c	5	0	0	0	2	.271
2-Amaya pr-ss	0	0	0	0	0	.097
Baldwin 3b	4	1	1	1	1	.237
Rojas 3b	0	0	0	0	0	.174
b-Teel ph-c	1	0	0	0	0	.255
M.Taylor rf	5	1	1	1	2	.215
TOTALS	**40**	**3**	**7**	**2**	**12**	

Seattle	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Arozarena lf	5	2	1	2	3	.245
Raleigh dh	3	0	0	0	1	.248
1-Mstrbni dh	0	0	0	0	0	.248
Rodriguez cf	5	0	1	0	0	.254
Naylor 1b	2	0	0	0	1	.261
Solano 1b	1	0	0	0	1	.242
a-Young ph	0	0	0	0	0	.252
Moore 1b	1	0	0	0	1	.196
Suarez 3b	5	1	0	0	3	.107
Polanco 2b	3	0	1	0	1	.255
Garver c	4	0	1	0	3	.217
Canzone rf	5	0	1	1	1	.287
Crawford ss	3	1	1	0	1	.265
TOTALS	**37**	**4**	**6**	**3**	**16**	

Chicago	**000**	**010**	**100**	**10**	**3**	**7**	**2**
Seattle	**002**	**000**	**000**	**11**	**4**	**6**	**1**

One out when winning run scored. a-sacrificed for Solano in the 8th. b-flied out for Rojas in the 11th. 1-ran for Raleigh in the 8th. 2-ran for Quero in the 11th.
E: Baldwin (3), Rojas (6), L.Gilbert (1). **LOB:** Chi 12, Sea 11. **2B:** Robert (10).
HR: M.Taylor (7), off L.Gilbert; Baldwin (6), off Vargas; Arozarena (23), off Smith.
RBIs: M.Taylor (27), Baldwin (25), Arozarena 2 (57), Canzone (17).
SB: Rodriguez (22), Robert (31), Mead (1), Mastrobuoni (6). **S:** Young, Mastrobuoni.
Runners left in scoring position: ChW 10 (Tauchman, Baldwin 2, Quero 6, Sosa); Sea 5(Polanco, Suarez, Garver 2, Canzone).
RISP: ChW 1for 17; Sea 1for 11.

CHICAGO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Smith	5	4	2	2	1	8	4.22
Leasure	1⅓	0	0	0	0	2	4.19
Hudson	⅔	0	0	0	1	1	10.80
G.Taylor	1	1	0	0	2	2	4.09
T.Gilbert	1	0	1	0	0	1	2.86
Wilson	1	0	0	0	0	1	2.92
Eisert, L, 2-3	⅓	1	1	0	1	1	4.20

SEATTLE	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
L.Gilbert	5	2	1	1	3	6	3.35
Ferguson, H, 2	⅔	2	0	0	0	0	0.00
Vargas, BS, 1-7	⅔	1	1	1	0	1	3.81
Speier	⅔	0	0	0	0	1	2.25
Brash	1	2	0	0	0	2	1.24
Munoz	1	0	0	0	0	1	1.40
Bazardo	1	0	1	0	1	1	2.93
Kowar, W, 2-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2.63

Inherited runners-scored: Wilson 1-0, Vargas 2-0. IBB: off G.Taylor (Polanco), off Bazardo (Montgomery), off Eisert (Garver). **HBP:** Speier (Sosa), Bazardo (Mead). **WP:** Leasure, L.Gilbert, Vargas, Bazardo. **Umpires:** HP, Marvin Hudson; 1B, Tripp Gibson; 2B, Ryan Blakney; 3B, John Bacon. **Time:** 3:27. **A:** 37,930(47,929).

Pittsburgh 7, Cincinnati 0

Cincinnati	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Friedl cf	4	0	2	0	1	.278
McLain 2b	4	0	2	0	1	.226
De La Cruz ss	4	0	1	0	3	.279
Hays lf	4	0	0	0	2	.260
Lux dh	4	0	3	0	1	.274
Steer 1b	4	0	0	0	1	.234
Marte rf	4	0	0	0	2	.265
Trevino c	3	0	0	0	0	.255
a-Andujar ph	1	0	0	0	0	.250
Hayes 3b	3	0	1	0	0	.236
TOTALS	**35**	**0**	**9**	**0**	**11**	

Pittsburgh	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Horwitz 1b	4	1	1	1	1	.262
Gonzales 2b	5	0	1	0	1	.278
Reynolds rf	4	1	2	1	1	.239
Cruz cf	4	1	1	1	0	.208
McCutchen dh	1	1	0	0	1	.249
Suwinski lf	4	0	0	0	0	.113
Triolo ss	4	1	2	2	0	.176
Davis c	4	2	2	2	1	.172
Kiner-Falefa 3b	4	0	1	0	0	.270
TOTALS	**34**	**7**	**10**	**7**	**5**	

Cincinnati	**000**	**000**	**000**	**0**	**9**	**1**
Pittsburgh	**300**	**101**	**20x**	**7**	**10**	**0**

a-flied out for Trevino in the 9th.
E: De La Cruz (16). **LOB:** Cincinnati 8, Pittsburgh 11. **2B:** Lux (19), Friedl (17).
HR: Reynolds (11), off Singer; Davis (5), off Suter. **RBIs:** Reynolds (54), Triolo 2 (13), Horwitz (32), Cruz (49), Davis 2 (15).
Runners left in scoring position: Cincinnati 3(McLain, De La Cruz, Marte); Pittsburgh 5 (Suwinski, Davis 2, Triolo, Cruz).
RISP: Cincinnati 0for 5; Pittsburgh 3for 12.
Runners moved up: Kiner-Falefa, Reynolds, Cruz. **GIDP:** Hays. **DP:** Pittsburgh 1 (Gonzales, Horwitz).

CINCINNATI	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Singer, L, 9-9	3⅔	6	4	4	4	2	4.53
Moll	⅔	0	0	0	1	0	6.94
Mey	⅔	2	0	0	0	1	3.57
Suter	1	2	3	2	2	0	3.64
Zulueta	2	0	0	0	1	2	5.06

PITTSBURGH	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Skenes, W, 7-8	6	7	0	0	0	8	1.94
Sanders	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Borucki	1	1	0	0	0	2	4.71
Nicolas	1	1	0	0	0	1	6.11

Inherited runners-scored: Moll 2-0, Mey 1-0. IBB: off Suter (McCutchen). **WP:** Singer.
Umpires: Home, Alan Porter; First, Jim Wolf; Second, Chris Segal; Third, Alex MacKay. **Time:** 2:41. **A:** 20,339(38,753).

Atlanta 8, Miami 6

Miami	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Edwards 2b	5	1	2	0	0	.299
Stowers lf	5	0	1	0	1	.293
Ramirez dh	5	0	1	1	1	.242
Hicks c	2	1	1	0	0	.256
Lopez ss	4	1	1	0	3	.245
Marsee cf	4	1	2	1	0	.450
Wagaman 1b	4	1	1	2	1	.234
Johnston rf	3	0	0	0	0	.133
b-H.Hernandz rf	1	0	0	0	1	.305
Pauley 3b	3	1	1	2	0	.226
c-Sanoja ph-3b	1	0	0	0	0	.244
TOTALS	**37**	**6**	**10**	**6**	**7**	

Atlanta	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Profar lf	3	2	0	0	0	.232
Olson 1b	4	1	2	0	2	.259
Baldwin c	5	2	3	5	0	.287
Ozuna dh	4	1	3	1	0	.239
Harris cf	4	0	0	0	0	.233
Albies 2b	3	0	1	0	1	.225
White rf	4	0	1	0	0	.249
Ornelas 3b-ss	4	1	2	0	0	.500
Allen ss	2	0	0	0	0	.227
a-Alvarez ph-3b	1	1	0	0	1	.225
TOTALS	**34**	**8**	**12**	**6**	**4**	

Miami	**050**	**100**	**000**	**6**	**10**	**1**
Atlanta	**200**	**003**	**21x**	**8**	**12**	**0**

a-hit by pitch for Allen in the 7th. b-struck out for Johnston in the 8th. c-grounded out for Pauley in the 8th. **E:** Lopez (6). **LOB:** Miami 6, Atlanta 7. **2B:** Lopez (15), Olson (28). 3B: Wagaman (2). HR: Pauley (3), off Carrasco; Baldwin 2(13), off Perez; Ozuna (16), off Perez. **RBIs:** Marsee (4), Wagaman 2(37), Pauley 2(10), Ramirez (52), Baldwin 5(46), Ozuna (49). SB: Marsee (2), Albies (11), Edwards (19), White (8). **Runners left in scoring position:** Miami 3(Stowers, Johnston 2); Atlanta 5(Ornelas 2, Baldwin, White 2). **RISP:** Miami 4for 8; Atlanta 5for 14. **Runners moved up:** Stowers, Harris, Profar. **GIDP:** Baldwin. **DP:** Miami 1(Pauley, Lopez, Wagaman).

MIAMI	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Perez	5⅓	7	5	5	2	1	3.25
Henriquez, H, 17	⅔	1	0	0	0	1	2.77
Simpson, L, 2-1, BS, 0-1	1⅓	1	2	1	1	1	6.32
Bender	⅔	1	0	0	1	0	2.30
Gibson	1	2	1	1	0	1	3.38

ATLANTA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Carrasco	5⅔	9	6	6	2	2	6.94
Dodd	⅓	0	0	0	0	0	4.42
Johnson, W, 3-3	1	1	0	0	0	1	2.36
Lee, H, 11	1	0	0	0	0	2	3.04
Iglesias, S, 15-20	1	0	0	0	0	2	4.44

Inherited runners-scored: Henriquez 1-0, Bender 2-1, Dodd 1-0. IBB: off Bender (Albies). **HBP:** Simpson (Alvarez). **WP:** Gibson, Carrasco. PB: Hicks (3). **Umpires:** Home, Chris Guccione; First, Chad Whitson; Second, Edwin Moscoso; Third, David Rackley. T: 2:49. **A:** 32,460(41,149).

Kansas City 7, Boston 3

WEDNESDAY'S RESULT

Kansas City	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Yastrzemski rf	3	1	2	0	0	.313
a-Grichuk ph-rf	1	0	0	0	0	.200
1-Tolbert pr-rf	0	1	0	0	0	.240
Witt ss	3	0	1	1	0	.287
Pasquantino 1b	5	0	1	1	2	.260
Garcia 3b	4	0	0	0	0	.298
Perez c	5	1	1	0	2	.252
Frazier 2b	4	1	2	0	1	.256
India dh	4	2	2	3	1	.238
Rave lf	4	1	2	0	2	.187
Isbel cf	5	0	1	2	2	.260
TOTALS	**38**	**7**	**12**	**7**	**10**	

Boston	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Anthony lf	4	0	0	0	0	.276
Bregman 3b	4	0	1	0	1	.294
Story ss	4	1	2	1	1	.261
Duran cf	4	1	1	0	0	.264
Gonzalez 1b	4	0	2	2	2	.305
Abreu rf	3	0	0	0	1	.250
Yoshida dh	4	0	0	0	1	.222
Rafaela 2b	3	0	0	0	1	.264
Wong c	3	1	1	0	0	.160
TOTALS	**33**	**3**	**7**	**3**	**7**	

Kansas City	**001**	**200**	**310**	**7**	**12**	**0**
Boston	**200**	**000**	**010**	**3**	**7**	**2**

a-flied out for Yastrzemski in the 6th. 1-ran for Grichuk in the 8th. **E:** Bregman (7), Rafaela (6). **LOB:** KC 11, Bos 4. **2B:** Yastrzemski (3), Gonzalez 2 (19). HR: India (6), off Hicks. **RBIs:** Witt (64), Isbel 2 (25), India 3 (35), Pasquantino (68), Gonzalez 2 (38), Story (73). SB: Witt (30), Tolbert 2 (14). CS: Frazier (1). **Runners left in scoring position:** KC 6 (Pasquantino 3, Isbel, Perez 2); Bos 3 (Rafaela, Yoshida, Abreu). **RISP:** KC 4 for 14; Bos 2 for 7. **Runners moved up:** Pasquantino, Grichuk, Abreu, Yoshida, Anthony. **GIDP:** Garcia, Duran. **DP:** KC 1 (Pasquantino, Witt, Pasquantino); Bos 1 (Story, Rafaela, Gonzalez).

KANSAS CITY	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Wacha, W, 6-9	6	5	2	2	0	3	3.36
Harvey	1	0	0	0	1	2	0.00
Erceg	1	2	1	1	0	0	2.49
Estevez	1	0	0	0	0	2	2.59

BOSTON	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
May, L, 0-1	3⅔	6	3	3	1	4	7.36
Murphy	2⅓	0	0	0	1	3	2.25
Hicks	1	3	3	3	0	1	6.10
Campbell	2	3	1	1	0	2	6.75

Inherited runners-scored: Murphy 2-0. IBB: off Murphy (Witt). **HBP:** May 2 (Frazier,Witt), Murphy 2 (India,Rave), Campbell (Grichuk). T: 2:42. **A:** 37,012 (37,755).

San Diego 3, Arizona 2

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

San Diego	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Arraez 1b	5	0	0	0	0	.291
Laureano lf	4	0	1	0	0	.346
Merrill cf	4	0	0	0	1	.263
Machado 3b	4	0	0	0	2	.300
O'Hearn rf	4	1	1	1	1	.154
Johnson rf	0	0	0	0	0	.333
Bogaerts dh	4	2	2	1	0	.271
Cronenworth 2b	3	0	1	0	2	.241
Iglesias ss	3	0	1	1	0	.234
Fermin c	4	0	3	0	0	.438
TOTALS	**35**	**3**	**9**	**3**	**6**	

Arizona	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Marte 2b	3	0	0	0	0	.284
Carroll rf	3	1	1	1	1	.247
Perdomo ss	4	0	1	0	1	.278
Gurriel lf	4	0	0	0	2	.246
Locklear 1b	3	1	1	0	2	.200
Alexander 3b	2	0	0	0	1	.222
McCann c	2	0	1	0	0	.255
a-Del Castillo ph	1	0	0	0	1	.211
Thomas dh	1	0	0	1	1	.257
Barrosa cf	3	0	0	0	1	.121
TOTALS	**26**	**2**	**4**	**2**	**10**	

San Diego	**000**	**000**	**102**	**3**	**9**	**0**
Arizona	**110**	**000**	**000**	**2**	**4**	**1**

a-struck out for McCann in the 9th. **E:** Alexander (2). **LOB:** San Diego 8, Arizona 5. **2B:** Fermin (1), Bogaerts (25). HR: Bogaerts (9), off Curtiss; O'Hearn (1), off Backhus; Carroll (23), off Cortes. **RBIs:** Bogaerts (40), O'Hearn (1), Iglesias (25), Carroll (56), Thomas (31). CS: Cronenworth (3). SF: Thomas. S: Cronenworth, Thomas. **Runners left in scoring position:** San Diego 3(Machado, Arraez, Laureano); Arizona 2 (Marte, Perdomo). **RISP:** San Diego 1for 7; Arizona 0for 4. **Runners moved up:** Fermin, Barrosa. **GIDP:** Alexander, Gurriel. **DP:** San Diego 3(Cronenworth, Iglesias, Arraez; Iglesias, Cronenworth, Arraez; Iglesias, Laureano, Machado, Laureano).

SAN DIEGO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Cortes	4⅔	3	2	2	3	3	3.86
Adam	1⅓	0	0	0	0	4	1.78
Morejon, W, 9-4	2	1	0	0	0	0	2.05
Miller, S, 1-2	1	0	0	0	1	3	6.00

ARIZONA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
DeSclafani	4⅓	3	0	0	0	4	4.20
Beeks	1⅔	0	0	0	2	0	4.19
Curtiss, H, 2	1	1	1	1	0	1	4.41
Woodford, H, 1	⅓	1	0	0	0	0	6.19
Backhus, L, 0-2, BS, 1-2	1	3	2	2	0	1	4.70
Kelly	⅔	1	0	0	0	0	0.00

Inherited runners-scored: Adam 2-0, Beeks 1-0, Backhus 2-0, Kelly 1-0. **HBP:** Cortes 2(Alexander,McCann). **WP:** Kelly. **Umpires:** Home, James Hoye; First, John Libka; Second, D.J. Reyburn; Third, Sean Barber. T: 2:42. **A:** 22,692(48,359).

Milwaukee 5, Atlanta 4

WEDNESDAY'S RESULT

Milwaukee	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Frelick rf	4	0	2	0	1	.298
Contreras c	5	0	0	0	2	.251
Collins lf	4	1	3	0	0	.292
Yelich dh	5	1	1	0	3	.260
Vaughn 1b	4	1	2	2	1	.377
1-Lockridge cf	0	0	0	0	0	.286
Perkins cf	5	2	3	2	1	.278
Monasterio 1b	0	0	0	0	0	.250
Turang 2b	4	0	1	1	0	.275
Seigler 3b	2	0	1	0	0	.194
a-Durbin ph-3b	2	0	0	0	0	.261
Ortiz ss	4	0	1	0	0	.220
TOTALS	**39**	**5**	**14**	**5**	**8**	

Atlanta	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
White rf	4	0	0	1	1	.249
Albies 2b	4	1	1	0	0	.224
Olson 1b	4	0	0	0	3	.257
Ozuna dh	4	0	1	0	2	.233
Murphy c	4	0	1	1	2	.221
Profar lf	4	1	1	1	0	.237
Harris cf	4	1	1	1	0	.236
Alvarez 3b	3	1	1	0	2	.231
b-Baldwin ph	1	0	0	0	1	.281
Allen ss	3	0	2	0	0	.228
TOTALS	**35**	**4**	**8**	**4**	**11**	

Milwaukee	**010**	**130**	**000**	**5**	**14**	**0**
Atlanta	**100**	**011**	**001**	**4**	**8**	**0**

a-grounded out for Seigler in the 6th. b-struck out for Alvarez in the 9th. 1-ran for Vaughn in the 9th. **LOB:** Milwaukee 10, Atlanta 4. **2B:** Perkins (4), Turang (21), Collins (12), Ortiz (14), Yelich (13), Alvarez (3). HR: Vaughn (7), off Strider; Perkins (3), off Strider; Profar (5), off Quintana; Harris (10), off Megill. **RBIs:** Turang (51), Vaughn 2(28), Perkins 2(9), Murphy (43), White (27), Profar (13), Harris (51). SB: Allen (7), Collins (13). CS: Collins (5), Perkins (1). **Runners left in scoring position:** Milwaukee 6(Yelich 2, Turang, Frelick 2, Seigler); Atlanta 2(Profar, White). **RISP:** Milwaukee 2for 8; Atlanta 2for 5. **Runners moved up:** Vaughn.

MILWAUKEE	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Quintana, W, 9-4	6	7	3	3	0	7	3.57
Koenig, H, 22	1	0	0	0	0	1	3.52
Uribe, H, 29	1	0	0	0	0	2	1.99
Megill, S, 26-29	1	1	1	1	0	1	2.31

ATLANTA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Strider, L, 5-9	4⅔	11	5	5	1	6	4.04
Bummer	2⅓	2	0	0	0	1	4.21
Hernandez	1	0	0	0	1	0	2.18
Iglesias	1	1	0	0	0	1	4.53

HBP: Bummer (Vaughn). **Umpires:** Home, Andy Fletcher; First, Jansen Visconti; Second, Austin Jones; Third, Malachi Moore. T: 2:40. **A:** 30,964(41,149).

Seattle 8, Chicago White Sox 6

WEDNESAY'S RESULT

Chicago	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Tauchman dh	4	1	2	2	1	.286
1-Julks pr	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Sosa 2b	4	1	1	1	2	.280
Benintendi lf	5	0	1	1	0	.230
Robert cf	4	1	1	0	1	.219
Montgomery ss	4	0	0	0	3	.245
Mead 1b	4	0	1	1	2	.200
Teel c	4	0	0	0	2	.257
M.Taylor rf	4	2	2	1	1	.215
Baldwin 3b	3	1	1	0	2	.236
TOTALS	**36**	**6**	**9**	**6**	**14**	

Seattle	AB	R	H	BI	SO	AVG
Arozarena lf	4	1	0	0	1	.246
Raleigh c	4	2	1	2	1	.249
Rodriguez cf	3	2	1	3	1	.254
Naylor 1b	3	1	2	2	0	.273
Suarez 3b	3	0	0	1	2	.130
Polanco dh	3	0	0	0	2	.255
Canzone rf	3	1	0	0	1	.290
Crawford ss	4	1	2	0	0	.265
Young 2b	3	0	1	0	1	.252
TOTALS	**30**	**8**	**7**	**8**	**9**	

Chicago	**011**	**000**	**301**	**6**	**9**	**1**
Seattle	**250**	**000**	**10x**	**8**	**7**	**1**

1-ran for Tauchman in the 9th. **E:** Teel (2), Raleigh (3). **LOB:** Chicago 7, Seattle 6. **2B:** M.Taylor (18). HR: Tauchman (8), off Bazardo; Sosa (13), off Bazardo; M.Taylor (6), off Munoz; Naylor (3), off Cannon; Rodriguez (21), off Cannon. **RBIs:** Mead (1), Benintendi (44), Tauchman 2(31), Sosa (45), M.Taylor (26), Naylor 2(6), Raleigh 2(90), Rodriguez 3(62), Suarez (3). SB: Raleigh (13), Naylor 2(10), Polanco (5), Young (1). SF: Suarez. **Runners left in scoring position:** Chicago 4(Mead 2, Robert 2); Seattle 4(Arozarena, Raleigh, Canzone 2). **RISP:** Chicago 3for 11; Seattle 2for 7. **Runners moved up:** Benintendi.

CHICAGO	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Cannon, L, 4-9	1⅔	4	7	7	3	1	5.34
Alexander	4⅓	1	0	0	1	5	2.89
Wilson	⅔	1	1	1	1	0	3.00
Eisert	1⅓	1	0	0	1	3	4.22

SEATTLE	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
Kirby, W, 7-5	6	5	2	2	2	9	4.04
Bazardo	1	3	3	3	0	2	2.98
Speier, H, 15	1	0	0	0	0	2	2.28
Munoz, S, 26-32	1	1	1	1	2	1	1.43

Inherited runners-scored: Alexander 1-0, Eisert 1-0. **WP:** Kirby. **Umpires:** HP, John Bacon; 1B, Marvin Hudson; 2B, Tripp Gibson; 3B, Ryan Blakney. T: 2:53. **A:** 32,756 (47,929).

THIS DATE IN BASEBALL

AUG. 8

1903: A week after pitching his first doubleheader triumph, Joe "Iron Man" McGinnity of the New York Giants scored a double victory over the Brooklyn Dodgers 6-1 and 4-3. In the second game, he stole home.

1915: Philadelphia's Gavvy Cravath hit four doubles and drove in eight runs in a 14-7 victory over the Reds at Cincinnati.

1920: Howard Ehmke of the Detroit Tigers pitched the fastest 1-0 game in American League history--1 hour, 13 minutes, for a victory against the New York Yankees.

1931: Bob Burke of the Washington Senators pitched a 5-0 no-hitter against the Boston Red Sox.

1954: The Brooklyn Dodgers pounded the Cincinnati Reds 20-7 at Ebbets Field. The Dodgers scored 13 runs in the eighth inning after two were out.

1973: Designated hitter Orlando Cepeda hit four doubles as the Boston Red Sox posted a 9-4 victory over the Kansas City Royals.

1985: Baseball, after a two-day walkout, resumed playing with 18 games scheduled, including five doubleheaders.

1988: The first night game scheduled in the 74-year history of Chicago's Wrigley Field's was postponed with the Cubs leading the Philadelphia Phillies 3-1 after heavy rains started in the bottom of the fourth inning. Philadelphia's Phil Bradley led off the game with a home run, but all numbers were wiped out when the rain came.

1992: Oakland's Dennis Eckersley had his consecutive save record snapped at 40. His consecutive save records--36 straight to start a season, and 40 straight over two seasons--ended trying to protect a 2-1 lead in the ninth inning against the Kansas City Royals. Eckersley gave up a two-out, two-run single to Gregg Jefferies to give the Royals a 3-2 lead. But the Athletics came back to win the game in the ninth, 5-3.

1997: Randy Johnson struck out 19, matching the major league record for left-handers he had tied earlier this season, as the Mariners defeated the White Sox 5-0.

1998: Paul Molitor stole his 500th base in Minnesota's 6-3 loss to Baltimore become the fifth player with 3,000 hits and 500 steals. Molitor joined Ty Cobb, Honus Wagner, Eddie Collins and Lou Brock.

2000: Darren Dreifort of the Dodgers hit two homers and was the winning pitcher in a 7-5 victory over the Cubs.

2001: Damion Easley went 6-for-6 with a home run and three RBIs as Detroit pounded Texas 19-6.

2014: Bartolo Colon records the 200th win of his career in the Mets' 5 - 4 win over the Phillies.

2016: Brandon Crawford became the first major league player in 41 years to get seven hits in a game, putting the San Francisco Giants ahead to stay with an RBI single in the 14th inning of an 8-7 victory over the Miami Marlins. Crawford tripled, doubled and had five singles in eight at-bats.

2018: Milwaukee's Jesus Aguilar, Travis Shaw and Eric Thames hit consecutive first-inning homers to spoil the debut of San Diego's Brett Kennedy in the Brewers 8-4 win over the Padres.

2018: Jacob deGrom struck out 10 over six innings, received rare significant run support and earned his first win in nearly two months as the New York Mets blanked the Cincinnati Reds 8-0. Brandon Nimmo tied a team record with three doubles and drove in three runs as the Mets won for the 22nd time in their last 66 games. DeGrom (6-7) ended a seven-start winless streak, allowing four hits in a 100-pitch outing and lowering his major league-leading ERA to 1.77.

YEARLY TIM OF GAME

through Wed; baseball-reference; Time-avg. league time of game; T/9I-time per 9innings; Ex-extra innings; EX%-exta innings pct; R/G-runs per game

Year	G	Time	T/9I	Ex	Ex%	R/G
2025	1722	2:40	2:37	155	9.00	8.84
2024	2429	2:38	2:36	216	8.89	8.79
2023	2430	2:42	2:39	201	8.27	9.23
2022	2430	3:06	3:03	216	8.89	8.57
2021	2429	3:11	3:10	216	8.89	9.06
2020	898	3:06	3:07	68	7.57	9.29
2019	2429	3:10	3:05	208	8.56	9.66
2018	2431	3:04	3:00	216	8.89	8.90
2017	2430	3:08	3:05	182	7.49	9.29
2016	2428	3:04	3:00	185	7.62	8.96
2015	2429	3:00	2:56	212	8.73	8.50
2014	2430	3:07	3:02	232	9.55	8.13
2013	2431	3:04	2:58	243	10.00	8.33
2012	2430	3:00	2:55	192	7.90	8.65
2011	2429	2:56	2:51	237	9.76	8.57
2010	2430	2:54	2:50	220	9.05	8.77
2009	2430	2:55	2:51	195	8.02	9.23
2008	2428	2:55	2:50	208	8.57	9.30
2007	2431	2:55	2:51	220	9.05	9.59
2006	2429	2:51	2:48	185	7.62	9.72
2005	2431	2:49	2:46	182	7.49	9.18
2004	2428	2:51	2:47	218	8.98	9.63
2003	2430	2:49	2:46	197	8.11	9.46

YANKEESSEASONSTATITICS

through Thursday's games

BATTERS	AVG	OBA	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	E
Rosario	.600	.600	5	0	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Judge	.339	.446	383	90	130	24	2	37	85	74	123	6	3	1
McMahon	.297	.395	37	3	11	2	0	0	5	5	15	0	0	1
Goldschmidt	.281	.337	385	63	108	25	1	10	40	31	79	5	1	3
Bellinger	.275	.330	411	63	113	20	5	20	66	35	58	10	2	2
Stanton	.268	.340	127	18	34	3	0	10	28	13	46	0	0	0
LeMahieu	.266	.338	128	13	34	3	0	2	12	14	35	0	0	0
Domínguez	.256	.333	328	50	84	16	1	9	37	38	101	19	2	1
Grisham	.245	.352	327	54	80	9	1	20	44	52	81	1	1	1
Cabrera	.243	.322	107	17	26	4	0	1	11	11	25	0	1	5
Chisholm	.240	.332	304	46	73	12	0	19	51	38	97	14	4	12
Rice	.229	.324	310	49	71	18	2	16	35	35	70	3	2	3
Volpe	.221	.288	408	51	90	24	4	17	61	37	107	15	7	16
Wells	.208	.265	303	36	63	15	1	15	56	22	80	5	1	2
Escarra	.205	.299	83	5	17	5	0	2	10	11	14	1	0	3
Reyes	.194	.242	31	4	6	1	0	0	2	2	10	1	0	2
Vivas	.161	.266	56	6	9	2	0	1	5	5	13	0	0	0
Peraza	.152	.212	158	18	24	5	0	3	13	11	47	3	0	5
Slater	.000	.000	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	0
Caballero	.000	.000	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
Totals	**.250**	**.329**	**3902**	**587**	**976**	**189**	**17**	**182**	**563**	**434**	**1007**	**84**	**24**	**63**

PITCHERS	W	L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
Ottavino	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	1.2	0	0	0	0	4	3
De Los Santos	0	0	1.73	18	0	0	26.0	25	5	5	0	13	20
Hill	4	3	2.63	54	0	0	51.1	39	19	15	5	13	27
Gómez	1	1	2.70	6	0	0	10.0	5	4	3	1	9	5
Fried	12	4	2.78	23	23	0	139.0	114	54	43	10	35	132
Weaver	2	3	2.89	42	0	8	43.2	25	16	14	7	12	45
Cruz	2	3	3.00	32	0	2	33.0	19	13	11	3	14	54
Schmidt	4	4	3.32	14	14	0	78.2	56	29	29	9	30	73
Rodón	11	7	3.35	24	24	0	139.2	97	58	52	19	56	159
Brubaker	0	0	3.38	12	0	0	16.0	10	6	6	0	9	10
Headrick	0	0	3.60	15	0	0	20.0	15	8	8	4	4	25
Doval	0	1	3.86	3	0	0	2.1	4	3	1	0	1	1
Yarbrough	3	1	3.90	16	8	0	55.1	48	24	24	10	17	49
Bednar	0	0	4.15	3	0	1	4.1	5	2	2	1	2	8
Loáisiga	0	1	4.25	30	0	1	29.2	34	15	14	7	10	25
Matzek	0	0	4.26	7	0	0	6.1	11	3	3	0	5	7
Hamilton	2	1	4.28	36	1	0	40.0	28	20	19	5	22	42
Leiter	5	6	4.29	43	0	2	35.2	42	22	17	3	12	46
Warren	6	5	4.44	24	24	0	115.2	110	59	57	12	54	133
Schlittler	1	2	4.58	4	4	0	19.2	22	10	10	5	11	21
Williams	3	4	5.44	47	0	17	43.0	33	28	26	4	19	55
Carrasco	2	2	5.91	8	6	0	32.0	39	21	21	7	10	25
Stroman	3	2	6.23	9	9	0	39.0	44	27	27	6	16	26
Effross	0	0	8.44	11	0	0	10.2	16	10	10	1	3	6
Winans	0	1	8.68	3	1	0	9.1	13	11	9	2	3	6
Garcia	0	0	10.13	1	0	0	2.2	3	3	3	1	2	2
Gil	0	1	13.50	1	1	0	3.1	5	5	5	0	4	3
Beeter	0	1	14.73	2	0	0	3.2	5	6	6	2	4	1
Bird	0	1	27.00	3	0	0	2.0	4	7	6	2	2	4
Reyes	0	0	27.00	1	0	0	1.0	5	3	3	1	0	0
Sandridge	0	0	27.00	1	0	0	0.2	1	2	2	1	2	2
Hartlieb	0	0	40.50	2	0	0	1.1	5	6	6	1	4	4
Totals	**61**	**54**	**4.05**	**115**	**115**	**31**	**1016.2**	**882**	**499**	**457**	**129**	**402**	**1019**

METSSEASONSTATITICS

through Thursday's games

BATTERS	AVG	OBA	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	E
Azócar	.278	.350	18	5	5	0	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	0
Marte	.269	.347	186	23	50	10	0	4	21	16	38	5	2	0
Alonso	.264	.352	428	58	113	27	1	25	91	50	114	1	2	5
Nimmo	.254	.323	417	56	106	21	0	19	63	37	100	12	1	0
Lindor	.249	.316	458	74	114	22	0	21	64	37	98	17	2	10
J.Soto	.249	.382	402	78	100	16	0	26	64	87	95	17	1	0
McNeil	.249	.347	249	26	62	11	4	9	33	34	29	2	0	4
Alvarez	.245	.337	159	17	39	6	1	4	15	20	47	0	0	4
Acuña	.239	.295	159	26	38	7	0	0	7	11	34	12	1	2
Mauricio	.233	.303	129	18	30	6	0	6	9	12	37	3	0	4
Vientos	.229	.277	288	25	66	14	2	7	32	18	73	0	0	7
Winker	.229	.309	70	8	16	5	2	1	10	9	21	1	0	0
Baty	.228	.288	268	32	61	9	2	11	35	23	72	5	0	7
Torrens	.214	.282	201	10	43	10	1	2	16	18	50	0	0	4
Taylor	.200	.255	275	27	55	13	3	2	19	13	70	11	1	2
Senger	.174	.208	46	5	8	1	0	0	0	2	14	0	0	1
J.Young	.171	.222	41	4	7	1	0	3	5	2	15	0	0	0
Mullins	.071	.278	14	3	1	0	0	0	0	3	5	2	0	0
Siri	.050	.208	20	5	1	1	0	0	1	4	8	2	0	0
Jankowski	.000	.000	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	**.239**	**.318**	**3828**	**501**	**915**	**180**	**16**	**140**	**486**	**398**	**921**	**91**	**10**	**54**

PITCHERS	W	L	ERA	G	GS	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
Raley	1	0	0.00	8	0	0	6.2	3	0	0	0	3	5
G.Soto	0	1	0.00	4	0	0	3.1	3	1	0	0	0	4
Helsley	0	1	0.00	3	0	0	3.0	2	2	0	0	1	5
J.Young	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0.1	1	0	0	0	1	0
Torrens	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0.1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Warren	1	0	0.96	5	0	0	9.1	5	1	1	1	4	9
Díaz	5	1	1.41	44	0	23	44.2	24	9	7	2	17	67
Minter	0	0	1.64	13	0	0	11.0	6	2	2	0	5	14
Herget	0	0	2.08	2	0	0	4.1	5	2	1	0	0	1
Garcia	0	0	2.13	8	0	0	12.2	7	3	3	1	2	16
Castillo	0	1	2.19	14	0	0	12.1	17	5	3	0	6	17
Senga	7	3	2.31	17	17	0	89.2	68	26	23	8	44	86
Garrett	3	4	2.51	48	0	3	46.2	32	16	13	2	22	54
Devenski	0	0	2.84	11	1	0	12.2	8	4	4	1	4	9
Peterson	7	5	2.98	22	22	0	133.0	119	49	44	9	45	112
Adcock	0	0	3.00	3	0	0	3.0	2	1	1	1	2	5
Rogers	0	1	3.00	3	0	0	3.0	5	1	1	0	0	1
Holmes	9	6	3.46	23	23	0	122.1	112	52	47	12	47	97
Manaea	1	1	3.52	5	4	0	23.0	18	9	9	3	4	25
Cabrera	0	0	3.52	6	0	0	7.2	7	3	3	1	3	7
Buttó	3	2	3.64	34	0	1	47.0	43	21	19	2	22	41
Kranick	3	2	3.65	24	0	0	37.0	34	15	15	5	5	25
Canning	7	3	3.77	16	16	0	76.1	70	35	32	8	35	70
Brazobán	5	2	3.83	44	3	2	51.2	40	25	22	5	26	51
Megill	5	5	3.95	14	14	0	68.1	60	37	30	6	33	89
Waddell	0	0	4.00	10	1	0	27.0	26	12	12	4	9	18
D.Young	0	0	4.32	10	0	0	8.1	9	5	4	0	3	13
Hagenman	0	1	4.40	5	1	0	14.1	16	8	7	3	1	14
Núñez	0	0	4.66	10	0	0	9.2	6	5	5	1	6	11
Stanek	2	5	5.03	45	0	3	39.1	40	27	22	4	21	43
Garza	0	0	5.40	5	0	0	6.2	8	4	4	1	1	3
Montas	3	2	6.68	7	7	0	33.2	42	25	25	7	10	29
Blackburn	0	3	7.71	6	4	1	18.2	30	17	16	2	7	15
Lovelady	0	0	8.10	6	0	0	6.2	8	6	6	2	3	5
Tidwell	1	1	9.00	4	2	0	15.0	23	15	15	4	10	10
Zuber	0	0	9.00	1	0	0	2.0	3	2	2	0	0	3
Carrillo	0	1	13.50	3	0	0	4.2	6	7	7	4	2	4
Ureña	0	0	15.00	1	0	1	3.0	7	5	5	2	1	3
Jankowski	0	0	18.00	1	0	0	1.0	2	2	2	0	1	0
Pop	0	1	20.25	1	0	0	1.1	5	3	3	1	0	0
Pintaro	0	0	27.00	1	0	0	0.2	2	2	2	0	2	1
Poche	0	0	27.00	1	0	0	0.2	2	2	2	0	2	1
Totals	**63**	**52**	**3.67**	**115**	**115**	**34**	**1022.0**	**927**	**466**	**417**	**102**	**410**	**983**

WNBA

EAST	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	19	10	.655	—
Atlanta	19	11	.633	½
Indiana	17	13	.567	2½
Washington	13	16	.448	6
Chicago	8	22	.267	11½
Connecticut	5	23	.179	13½

WEST	W	L	Pct	GB
Minnesota	25	5	.833	—
Phoenix	18	11	.621	6½
Seattle	16	14	.533	9
Las Vegas	16	14	.533	9
Golden State	14	15	.483	10½
Los Angeles	13	15	.464	11
Dallas	8	22	.267	17

THURSDAY'S RESULTS
Atlanta 86, Chicago 65
Connecticut at Los Angeles, late
Indiana at Phoenix, late

FRIDAY'S GAMES
New York at Dallas, 7:30p.m.
Washington at Minnesota, 7:30p.m.
Seattle at las Vegas, 10p.m.

SATURDAY'S GAMES
Chicago at Indiana, 8p.m.
Los Angeles at Golden State, 8:30p.m.

SUNDAY'S GAMES
Minnesota at New York, 12:30p.m.
Washington at Dallas, 4p.m.
Atlanta at Phoenix, 6p.m.
Seattle at Los Angeles, 8p.m.
Connecticut at Las Vegas, 9p.m.

WEDNESDAY'S RESULT
Las Vegas 78, Golden State 72

WNBA SEASON LEADERS

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TEAM	PPG	FG%	2P%	3P%	FT%
Minnesota	87.3	.469	.533	.368	.779
Los Angeles	86.0	.459	.523	.353	.753
Indiana	85.3	.456	.521	.341	.777
New York	86.9	.454	.527	.352	.839
Seattle	81.5	.447	.500	.334	.782
Atlanta	84.6	.442	.517	.338	.764
Phoenix	83.3	.435	.500	.336	.779
Washington	78.3	.434	.473	.322	.747
Chicago	76.4	.421	.462	.330	.762
Las Vegas	81.4	.420	.480	.324	.823
Dallas	81.9	.418	.460	.318	.803
Connecticut	74.5	.402	.449	.297	.810
Golden State	77.9	.399	.472	.311	.811

Field goals	Tm	FG	FGA	FG%
Napheesa Collier	MIN	224	417	.537
Nneka Ogwumike	SEA	220	425	.518
Kelsey Mitchell	IND	217	472	.460
A'ja Wilson	LVA	197	402	.490
Dearica Hamby	LAS	195	347	.562
Aliyah Boston	IND	185	342	.541
Sabrina Ionescu	NYL	185	449	.412
Jackie Young	LVA	171	380	.450
Allisha Gray	ATL	169	378	.447
Courtney Williams	MIN	168	395	.425
Paige Bueckers	DAL	165	361	.457
Kelsey Plum	LAS	165	397	.416
Skylar Diggins	SEA	163	383	.426
Tina Charles	CON	160	385	.416
Alyssa Thomas	PHO	155	293	.529
Azura Stevens	LAS	154	301	.512
Breanna Stewart	NYL	153	326	.469

3-pointers	Tm	3P	3PA	3P%
Allisha Gray	ATL	73	179	.408
Kelsey Mitchell	IND	73	193	.378
Kayla McBride	MIN	72	179	.402
Kelsey Plum	LAS	68	185	.368
Sabrina Ionescu	NYL	67	213	.315
Jewell Loyd	LVA	63	169	.373
Rachel Banham	CHI	59	160	.369
Sami Whitcomb	PHO	57	167	.341
Rhyne Howard	ATL	56	185	.303
Azura Stevens	LAS	54	126	.429
Erica Wheeler	SEA	49	136	.360
Arike Ogunbowale	DAL	48	151	.318
Jackie Young	LVA	47	149	.315

Free throws	Tm	FT	FTA	FT%
A'ja Wilson	LVA	156	186	.839
Kelsey Plum	LAS	154	169	.911
Allisha Gray	ATL	132	163	.810
Napheesa Collier	MIN	129	142	.908
Sabrina Ionescu	NYL	124	133	.932
Brittney Sykes	WAS	124	158	.785
Tina Charles	CON	123	141	.872
Breanna Stewart	NYL	120	145	.828
Skylar Diggins	SEA	113	144	.785
Jackie Young	LVA	109	119	.916
Satou Sabally	PHO	107	132	.811

2-pointers	Tm	2P	2PA	2P%
Napheesa Collier	MIN	189	322	.587
A'ja Wilson	LVA	187	366	.511
Dearica Hamby	LAS	184	308	.597
Aliyah Boston	IND	180	319	.564
Nneka Ogwumike	SEA	179	311	.576
Alyssa Thomas	PHO	155	290	.534
Tina Charles	CON	152	357	.426
Kelsey Mitchell	IND	144	279	.516

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AMERICAN CONFERENCE

EAST	W	L	T	PCT	PF	PA
Buffalo	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Miami	0	0	0	.000	0	0
N.Y. Jets	0	0	0	.000	0	0
New England	0	0	0	.000	0	0
SOUTH	**W**	**L**	**T**	**PCT**	**PF**	**PA**
Houston	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Jacksonville	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Tennessee	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Indianapolis	0	1	0	.000	16	24
NORTH	**W**	**L**	**T**	**PCT**	**PF**	**PA**
Baltimore	1	0	0	1.000	24	16
Cleveland	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Pittsburgh	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Cincinnati	0	1	0	.000	27	34
WEST	**W**	**L**	**T**	**PCT**	**PF**	**PA**
L.A. Chargers	1	0	0	1.000	34	7
Denver	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Kansas City	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Las Vegas	0	0	0	.000	0	0

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

EAST	W	L	T	PCT	PF	PA
Philadelphia	1	0	0	1.000	34	27
Dallas	0	0	0	.000	0	0
N.Y. Giants	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Washington	0	0	0	.000	0	0
SOUTH	**W**	**L**	**T**	**PCT**	**PF**	**PA**
Atlanta	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Carolina	0	0	0	.000	0	0
New Orleans	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Tampa Bay	0	0	0	.000	0	0
NORTH	**W**	**L**	**T**	**PCT**	**PF**	**PA**
Chicago	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Green Bay	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Minnesota	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Detroit	0	1	0	.000	7	34
WEST	**W**	**L**	**T**	**PCT**	**PF**	**PA**
Arizona	0	0	0	.000	0	0
L.A. Rams	0	0	0	.000	0	0
San Francisco	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Seattle	0	0	0	.000	0	0

WEEK 1

THURSDAY'S RESULTS
Baltimore 24, Indianapolis 16
Philadelphia 34, Cincinnati 27
Las Vegas at Seattle, late

FRIDAY'S GAMES
Cleveland at Carolina, 7p.m.
Detroit at Atlanta, 7p.m.
Washington at New England, 7:30p.m.

SATURDAY'S GAMES
N.Y. Giants at Buffalo, 1p.m.
Houston at Minnesota, 4p.m.
Dallas at L.A. Rams, 7p.m.
Pittsburgh at Jacksonville, 7p.m.
Tennessee at Tampa Bay, 7:30p.m.
Kansas City at Arizona, 8p.m.
N.Y. Jets at Green Bay, 8p.m.
Denver at San Francisco, 8:30p.m.

SUNDAY'S GAMES
Miami at Chicago, 1p.m.
New Orleans at L.A. Chargers, 4:05p.m

WEEK 2

FRIDAY, AUG. 15
Tennessee at Atlanta, 7p.m.
Kansas City at Seattle, 10p.m.

SATURDAY, AUG. 16
Miami at Detroit, 1p.m.
Carolina at Houston, 1p.m.
Green Bay at Indianapolis, 1p.m.
New England at Minnesota, 1p.m.
Cleveland at Philadelphia, 1p.m.
San Francisco at Las Vegas, 4p.m.
Baltimore at Dallas, 7p.m.
L.A. Chargers at L.A. Rams, 7p.m.
N.Y. Jets at N.Y. Giants, 7p.m.
Tampa Bay at Pittsburgh, 7p.m.
Arizona at Denver, 9:30p.m.

SUNDAY, AUG. 17
Jacksonville at New Orleans, 1p.m.
Buffalo at Chicago (FOX), 8p.m.

MONDAY, AUG. 18
Cincinnati at Washington (ESPN), 8p.m.

WEEK 3

THURSDAY, AUG. 21
Pittsburgh at Carolina, 7p.m.
New England at N.Y. Giants (Prime Video), 8p.m.

FRIDAY, AUG. 22
Philadelphia at N.Y. Jets, 7:30p.m.
Atlanta at Dallas, 8p.m.
Minnesota at Tennessee (CBS), 8p.m.
Chicago at Kansas City, 8:20p.m.

SATURDAY, AUG. 23
Baltimore at Washington, noon
Indianapolis at Cincinnati, 1p.m.
L.A. Rams at Cleveland, 1p.m.
Houston at Detroit, 1p.m.
Denver at New Orleans, 1p.m.
Seattle at Green Bay, 4p.m.
Jacksonville at Miami, 7p.m.
Buffalo at Tampa Bay, 7:30p.m.
L.A. Chargers at San Francisco, 8:30p.m.
Las Vegas at Arizona, 10p.m.

SOCCER

MLS

EASTERN	W	L	T	PT	GF	GA
Philadelphia	15	5	5	50	43	24
Cincinnati	15	6	4	49	39	31
Nashville	14	6	5	47	42	26
Columbus	12	5	8	44	41	36
Inter Miami CF	12	4	6	42	49	34
Orlando City	11	6	8	41	46	33
Charlotte FC	12	11	2	38	43	39
New York City FC	11	8	5	38	34	29
Chicago	10	9	5	35	45	40
N.Y. Red Bulls	9	10	6	33	39	36
New England	6	11	7	25	31	35
Toronto FC	5	13	6	21	25	32
Atlanta	4	11	9	21	29	45
D.C. United	4	14	7	19	22	49
CF Montréal	4	15	6	18	23	46

WESTERN	W	L	T	PT	GF	GA
San Diego FC	14	7	4	46	48	32
Vancouver	13	5	6	45	42	26
Minnesota United	12	5	8	44	42	28
Seattle	10	6	8	38	39	35
Portland	10	7	7	37	33	32
Los Angeles FC	10	6	6	36	39	28
Austin FC	9	8	6	33	21	26
Real Salt Lake	9	11	4	31	26	30
Colorado	8	11	6	30	31	39
San Jose	7	10	8	29	47	44
Houston	7	11	6	27	30	39
FC Dallas	6	11	7	25	35	45
Sporting KC	6	12	6	24	36	45
St Louis City	4	14	6	18	24	40
LA Galaxy	3	14	7	16	28	48

Three points for win, one point for tie.

SATURDAY'S MATCHES
Atlanta at CF Montréal, 7:30p.m.
D.C. United at New England, 7:30p.m.
Columbus at New York City FC, 7:30 p.m.
Toronto FC at Philadelphia, 7:30p.m.
Houston at Austin FC, 8:30p.m.
Los Angeles FC at Chicago, 8:30p.m.
Portland at FC Dallas, 8:30p.m.
Nashville at St Louis City, 8:30p.m.
San Diego FC at Sporting KC, 8:45p.m.
Vancouver at San Jose, 10:30p.m.

SUNDAY'S MATCHES
Charlotte FC at Cincinnati, 6p.m.
Colorado at Minnesota, 6p.m.
Real Salt Lake at N.Y. Red Bulls, 6p.m.
Miami at Orlando City, 8p.m.
Seattle at LA Galaxy, 10p.m.

SATURDAY, AUG. 16
Real Salt Lake at Charlotte FC, 7:30p.m.
LA Galaxy at Miami, 7:30p.m.
D.C. United at CF Montréal, 7:30p.m.
Los Angeles FC at New England, 7:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at N.Y. Red Bulls, 7:30p.m.
Sporting KC at Orlando City, 7:30p.m.
Columbus at Toronto FC, 7:30p.m.
FC Dallas at Austin FC, 8:30p.m.
St Louis City at Chicago, 8:30p.m.
Seattle at Minnesota, 8:30p.m.
Atlanta at Colorado, 9:30p.m.
Cincinnati at Portland, 10:30p.m.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 17
Nashville at New York City FC, 5p.m.
San Diego FC at San Jose, 7p.m.
Houston at Vancouver, 9p.m.

LEAGUES CUP

THURSDAY'S RESULTS
Cincinnati vs.
Chivas de Guadalajara, late
N.Y. Red Bulls 1, Juárez (NYRB won 5-3, pen)
Charlotte 2, Monterrey 0
Colorado vs. Cruz Azul, late
Santos Laguna vs. LA Galaxy, late

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS
Orlando City 5, Necaxa 1
Atlanta 4, Atlas 1
Inter Miami 3, Pumas 1
Atlético de San Luis 2,
Minnesota United 0
América 1, Portland, 1
(América won 5-3on penalties)
Real Salt Lake 1, Querétaro 0
Seattle FC 2, Tijuana 1

NWSL

CLUB	W	L	T	PT	GF	GA
Kansas City	12	2	0	36	31	10
Orlando	8	4	2	26	21	11
Washington	8	4	2	26	23	20
San Diego	7	3	4	25	25	16
Seattle	7	4	3	24	19	13
Portland	6	4	4	22	20	14
Louisville	6	6	2	20	19	24
Gotham FC	5	5	4	19	19	14
North Carolina	5	5	4	19	18	20
Bay FC	4	6	4	16	16	19
Angel City	4	7	3	15	20	26
Houston	3	8	3	12	15	24
Chicago	1	9	4	7	11	28
Utah Royals FC	1	10	3	6	12	30

Three points for win, one point for tie.

FRIDAY'S MATCHES
North Carolina at Houston, 8p.m.
Kansas City at Utah Royals FC, 10p.m.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

SATURDAY, AUG. 23
Tarleton State at Portland St., TBA
Iowa State vs. Kansas State, noon at Aviva Stadium, Dublin, Ireland
Incarnate Word at Nicholls, 1p.m.
Idaho State at UNLV, 4p.m.
Fresno State at Kansas, 6:30p.m.
Sam Houston at W. Kentucky, 7p.m.
UC Davis at Mercer, 7p.m.
N.C. Central vs. Southern, 7:30p.m.
at Center Parc Stadium, Atlanta
Stanford at Hawai'i, 7:30p.m.

THURSDAY, AUG. 28
Stony Brook at San Diego State, TBA
Towson at Norfolk State, TBA
Boise State at South Florida, 5:30p.m.
Ohio at Rutgers, 6p.m.
McKendree at Indiana State, 6p.m.
Mercyhurst at Youngstown St., 6p.m.
Lafayette at Bowling Green, 6p.m.
Dayton at Eastern Illinois, 7p.m.
Lindenwood at St. Thomas-MN, 7p.m.
Upper Iowa at Drake, 7p.m.
East Carolina at NC State, 7p.m.
Jacksonville State at UCF, 7p.m.
Delaware State at Delaware, 7p.m.
St. Francis (PA) at UL Monroe, 7p.m.
Wyoming at Akron, 7p.m.
Central Arkansas at Missouri, 7:30p.m.
Elon at Duke, 7:30p.m.
UT Martin at Oklahoma State, 7:30p.m.
W. Georgia at Samford, 7:30p.m.
Alcorn St. at Northwestern St, 8p.m.
Buffalo at Minnesota, 8p.m.
Stephen F. Austin at Houston, 8p.m.
Alabama State at UAB, 8:30p.m.
Nebraska at Cincinnati, 9p.m. at Arrowhead Stadium, Kansas City, Mo.
Miami (OH) at Wisconsin, 9p.m.

FRIDAY, AUG. 29
Campbell at Rhode Island, 6p.m.
Tarleton State at Army, 6p.m.
W. Michigan at Michigan State, 7p.m.
Kennesaw State at Wake Forest, 7p.m.
App State at Charlotte, 7p.m.
Campbell at Rhode Island, 6p.m.
Monmouth at Colgate, 7p.m.
New Haven at Marist, 7p.m.
Bethune-Cookman at FIU, 7p.m.
Western Illinois at Illinois, 7:30p.m.
Wagner at Kansas, 7:30p.m.
Auburn at Baylor, 8p.m.
Georgia Tech at Colorado, 8p.m.
UNLV at Sam Houston, 9:30p.m.
C. Michigan at San José St., 10:30p.m.

SATURDAY, AUG. 30
Chadron State at No. Colorado, TBA
Sacramento St. at S. Dakota St. TBA
Hampton at Jackson State, TBA
N.c. A&T at Tennessee State, TBA
New Hampshire at N.c. Central, TBA
Wm. & Mary at Furman, TBD
Southern at Miss. Valley St., TBD
Murray St. at E. Tennessee S., TBA
Sul Ross St. at UT Rio Grande Valley, TBD
North Dakota St. at The Citadel, noon
Richmond at Lehigh, noon
Mississippi St. at Southern Miss, noon
Syracuse vs. Tennessee, noon at Mercedes-Benz Stadium, Atlanta
Texas at Ohio State, noon
Florida Atlantic at Maryland, noon
Ball State at Purdue, noon
Northwestern at Tulane, noon
Duquesne at Pittsburgh, noon
VMI at Navy, noon
Merrimack at Kent State, noon
Toledo at Kentucky, 12:45p.m.
Georgetown at Davidson, 1p.m.
Fordham at Boston College, 2p.m.
Robert Morris at West Virginia, 2p.m.
C. Connecticut at UConn, 2p.m.
Old Dominion at Indiana, 2:30p.m.
Butler at Northern Iowa, 2p.m.
Va Lynchburg at Valparaiso2p.m.
Cumberland at Tenn. Tech, 2:30p.m.
E. Kentucky at Louisville, 3p.m.
Alabama at Florida State, 3:30p.m.
Marshall at Georgia, 3:30p.m.
Nevada at Penn State, 3:30p.m.
South Dakota at Iowa State, 3:30p.m.
Bucknell at Air Force, 3:30p.m.
Temple at Massachusetts, 3:30p.m.
Holy Cross at Northern Illinois, 3:30p.m.
Montana State at Oregon, 4p.m.
Maine at Liberty, 4p.m.
Howard at Florida A&M, 4p.m.
Alabama A&M at Arkansas, 4:15p.m.
Chattanooga at Memphis, 4p.m.
Illinois State at Oklahoma, 6p.m.
UAlbany at Iowa, 6p.m.
Coastal Carolina at Virginia, 6p.m.
Weber State at James Madison, 6p.m.
Gardner-Webb at W. Carolina, 6p.m.
Wofford at S. Carolina St., 6p.m.
Presbyterian at Mercer, 6p.m.
Allen at Morehead St., 6p.m.
Webber Int'l at Stetson, 6p.m.
Stonehill at Sacred Heart, 6p.m.
Long Island at Florida, 7p.m.
UTSA at Texas A&M, 7p.m.
Chas. Southern at Vanderbilt, 7p.m.
North Dakota at Kansas State, 7p.m.
Austin Peay at Middle Tennessee, 7p.m.
North Alabama at W. Kentucky, 7p.m.
SE Missouri State at Arkansas St., 7p.m.
Morgan State at South Alabama, 7p.m.
Nicholls at Troy, 7p.m.
E. Washington at Incarnate Word, 7p.m.
La Christian at McNeese, 7p.m.
Thomas More at So. Illinois, 7p.m.
Langston at Grambling, 7p.m.
Ark. Baptist at Hou. Christian, 7:30p.m.
LSU at Clemson, 7:30p.m.
Missouri State at USC, 7:30p.m.
New Mexico at Michigan, 7:30p.m.
Arka Pine bluff at Texas Tech, 7:30p.m.
SE Louisiana at La. Tech, 7:30p.m.
UTEP at Utah State, 7:30p.m.
Georgia State at Mississippi, 7:45p.m.
Portland State at BYU, 8p.m.
Rice at Louisiana, 8p.m.
E. Michigan at Texas State, 8p.m.
Lamar at North Texas, 8p.m.
Abilene Christian at Tulsa, 8p.m.
Cal Poly at San Diego, 8p.m.
Prairie View at Tex. Southern, 8p.m.
Idaho St. at Southern Utah, 8:30p.m.
East Texas A&M at SMU, 9p.m.
Bryant at New Mexico State, 9p.m.
Ga. Southern at Fresno State, 9:30p.m.
UC Davis at Utah Tech, 10p.m.
Idaho at Washington State, 10p.m.
Northern Arizona at Arizona St., 10p.m.
California at Oregon State, 10:30p.m.
Hawai'i at Arizona, 10:30p.m.
Utah at UCLA, 11p.m.
Colorado State at Washington, 11p.m.

SUNDAY, AUG. 31
Virginia Tech vs. South Carolina, 3p.m.
at Mercedes-Benz Stadium, Atlanta
Notre Dame vs. Miami, 7:30p.m. a at Hard Rock Stadium, Miami Gardens, Fla.

MONDAY, SEPT. 1
TCU at North Carolina, 8p.m.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BALTIMORE: Activated RHP Rico Garcia. Sent RHP Elvin Rodríguez to Norfolk (IL).

Chi. WHITE SOX: Placed SS Chase Meidroth on the 10-day IL, retroactive to August 4. Designated RHP Gus Varland for assignment. Selected the contract of SS Jacob Amaya from Charlotte (IL).

HOUSTON: Designated RHP Luis Contreras for assignment. Agreed to terms with RHP Enyel De Los Santos. Optioned RHP Nick Hernandez to Sugar Land (PCL).

L.A. ANGELS: Optioned OF Niko Kavadas to Salt Lake (PCL).

MINNESOTA: Sent RHP Darren McCaughan outright to St. Paul (IL).

N.Y. YANKEES: Released RHP JT Brubaker.

TORONTO: Sent RHP Alek Manoah to New Hampshire (EL) on a rehab assignment.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

L.A. DODGERS: Optioned LF Esteury Ruiz to Oklahoma City (PCL).

MILWAUKEE: Agreed to terms with LHP Raul Alcantara on a minor league contract. Optioned RHP Easton McGee to Nashville (IL).

PITTSBURGH: Sent LHP Genesis Cabrera outright to Indianapolis (IL).

ST. LOUIS: Claimed RHP Jorge Alcala off waivers from the Boston Red Sox.

BASKETBALL

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

WASHINGTON: Signed F Anthony Gill to.

Women's National Basketball Association

WASHINGTON: Acquired G Jacy Sheldon from the Connecticut Sun in exchange for F Aaliyah Edwards.

FOOTBALL

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

ARIZONA: Signed OL Will Hernandez to a one-year contract and placed him on the PUP list. Released CB Keni-H Lovely.

BUFFALO: Reverted LB Braylon Spector to injured reserve.

CHICAGO: Reverted TE Jordan Murray to injured reserve.

DALLAS: Waived/injured T Matt Waletzko.

DETROIT: Placed CB Ennis Rakestraw on injured reserve. Signed TE Steven Stillanos to a contract.

HOUSTON: Reverted WR Johnny Johnson to injured reserve.

KANSAS CITY: Activated DB Kristian Fulton from the PUP list.

L.A. CHARGERS: Signed TE Thomas Yassmin to a contract. Waived/injured TE Jordan Petaia. Received an international exemption for TE Thomas Yassmin.

PITTSBURGH: Signed QB Logan Woodside to a contract. Signed OL Andrus Peat to a contract. Waived LS Tucker Addington and G Nick Broeker.

SAN FRANCISCO: Signed DL Michael Dwumfour to a one-year contract. Released CB Eli Apple.

SEATTLE: Signed LB Seth Coleman to a contract. Waived WR Montorie Foster.

TENNESSEE: Placed OL Chandler Brewer on injured reserve. Signed DE Joe Gaziano to a contract.

SOCCER

MAJOR LEAGUE SOCCER

AUSTIN FC: Acquired $100,000 in 2025 general allocation money (GAM) and $125,000 in 2026 GAM from New England Revolution in exchange for a 2025 international roster slot.

COLORADO: Acquired $8 million from Toronto FC in exchange for MF Djordje Mihailovic.

ORLANDO CITY SC: Acquired D Adrian Marin from Sporting Clube de Braga (Primeira Liga).

PORTLAND: Acquired a 2025 international roster slot from Toronto FC in exchange for $175,000 in 2025 general allocation money (GAM).

SAN JOSE: Acquired D/MF Ronaldo Vieira from UC Sampdoria (Serie B) and signed him to a contract through the 2026 Major League Soccer season with options for 2027 and 2028.

SPORTS CALENDAR

	FRI AUG8	SAT AUG9	SUN AUG10	MON AUG11	TUE AUG12	WED AUG13	THU AUG14
Yankees	HOU 7:00 P.M. APPLE	HOU 2:00 P.M. YES	HOU 1:30 P.M. YES	MIN 7:00 P.M. YES	MIN 7:00 P.M. YES	MIN 7:00 P.M. PRIME	
Mets	MIL 8:00 P.M. SNY	MIL 7:00 P.M. SNY	MIL 2:00 P.M. CH. 11		ATL 7:00 P.M. SNY	ATL 7:00 P.M. SNY	ATL 7:00 P.M. SNY
Red Bull New York			SLC 6:00 P.M. APPLE			PHI 7:30 P.M. PARA	
NYCFC		COL 7:30 P.M. APPLE					
Liberty	DAL 7:30 P.M. ION		MIN 12:30 P.M. CH.7		LA 10:00 P.M. CH. 9	LV 9:30 P.M. ESPN	

MLB

6:40 p.m.: Reds at Pirates, APPLE+
7 p.m.: Yankees vs. Astros, APPLE+
8 p.m.: Mets at Brewers, SNY
8 p.m.: Regional Coverage: Cubs at Cardinals (8:15 p.m.) OR Phillies at Rangers (9:05 p.m.), MLB
11 p.m.: Regional Coverage: Blue Jays at Dodgers (10:10 p.m.) OR Nationals at Giants (10:15 p.m.), MLB

NFL

7 p.m.: Preseason: Browns at Panthers, NFLN

AUSTRALIAN RULES

5:30 a.m.: AFL: Essendon at Geelong, FS1
5:30 a.m.: AFL: Essendon at Geelong, FS2
11 p.m.: AFL: St. Kilda at Richmond, FS2
2 a.m. (Saturday): AFL: Sydney at Brisbane, FS2
5:30 a.m. (Saturday): AFL: Gold Coast at Carlton, FS2

AUTO RACING

11:30 a.m.: NASCAR NASCAR CRAFTSMAN Truck Series: Practice, Watkins Glen International, Watkins Glen, N.Y., FS2
12:40 p.m.: NASCAR NASCAR CRAFTSMAN Truck Series: Qualifying, Watkins Glen International, Watkins Glen, N.Y., FS2
2 p.m.: ARCA Menards Series: The Watkins Glen International, Watkins Glen International, Watkins Glen, N.Y., FS2
4 p.m.: Indy NXT Series: Practice, Portland International Raceway, Portland, Ore., FS1
5 p.m.: NASCAR NASCAR CRAFTSMAN Truck Series: The NASCAR CRAFTSMAN Truck Series Race at Watkins Glen, Watkins Glen International, Watkins Glen, N.Y., FS1
5:30 p.m.: NTT: IndyCar Series: Practice, Portland International Raceway, Portland, Ore., FS2

BEACH VOLLEYBALL

9 p.m.: AVP League: Week 8 - Day 1, Dallas, CBSSN

GOLF

7:30 a.m.: DP World Tour: The Nexo Championship, Second Round, Trump International Golf Links, Aberdeenshire, Scotland, GOLF
2 p.m.: PGA Tour: The FedEx St. Jude Championship, Second Round, TPC Southwind, Memphis, Tenn., GOLF
6 p.m.: USGA: The 2025 U.S. Women's Amateur, Quarterfinals, Bandon Dunes Golf Resort, Bandon, Ore., GOLF
10 p.m.: PGA Tour Champions: The Boeing Classic, First Round, The Club at Snoqualmie Ridge, Snoqualmie, Wash. (Taped), GOLF

HORSE RACING

1:30 p.m.: NYRA: Saratoga Live, FS2
4 p.m.: NYRA: Saratoga Live, FS2
8 p.m.: The Dan Patch Stakes: From Harrah's Hoosier Park Casino Racetrack, Anderson, Ind., FS2
9:30 p.m.: The Dan Patch Stakes: From Harrah's Hoosier Park Casino Racetrack, Anderson, Ind., FS1

LACROSSE MEN'S

9 p.m.: PLL: Carolina vs. Utah, Boston, ESPN2

LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL

1 p.m.: Little League World Series Regional: TBD, Midwest Region, Whitestown, Ind., ESPN
3 p.m.: Little League World Series Regional: TBD, Mid-Atlantic Region, Bristol, Conn., ESPN
5 p.m.: Little League World Series Regional: TBD, ESPN
7 p.m.: Little League World Series Regional: TBD, Metro Region, Bristol, Conn., ESPN
9 p.m.: Little League World Series Regional: TBD, Northwest Region, San Bernardino, Calif., ESPN

LITTLE LEAGUE SOFTBALL

4 p.m.: Little League Softball World Series: TBD, Elimination Game, Greenville, N.C., ESPN2
7 p.m.: Little League Softball World Series: TBD, Elimination Game, Greenville, N.C., ESPN2

SOCCER MEN'S

2:55 p.m.: English League Championship: Ipswich Town FC at Birmingham City, CBSSN
10:55 p.m.: Liga MX: Puebla at Tigres UANL, FS1

TENNIS

11 a.m.: Cincinnati-ATP/WTA Early Rounds, TENNIS

WNBA

7:30 p.m.: Liberty at Dallas, ION
10 p.m.: Seattle at Las Vegas, ION

GOLF

PGA FEDEX CUP PLAYOFFS: FEDEX ST. JUDE CHAMPIONSHIP

1st of 4 rounds at TPC Southwind; Memphis, Tenn.; 7,288 yards; Par: 70

Akshay Bhatia	31-31—62	-8
Tommy Fleetwood	33-30—63	-7
Bud Cauley	33-31—64	-6
Harry Hall	32-32—64	-6
Justin Rose	32-32—64	-6
Si Woo Kim	35-30—65	-5
Rickie Fowler	34-32—66	-4
Ben Griffin	33-33—66	-4
Russell Henley	35-31—66	-4
Maverick McNealy	33-33—66	-4
Collin Morikawa	32-34—66	-4
Ludvig Aberg	35-32—67	-3
Wyndham Clark	34-33—67	-3
Thomas Detry	34-33—67	-3
Matt Fitzpatrick	32-35—67	-3
Brian Harman	36-31—67	-3
Robert Macintyre	35-32—67	-3
Scottie Scheffler	33-34—67	-3
Nick Taylor	34-33—67	-3
Daniel Berger	34-34—68	-2
Chris Kirk	33-35—68	-2
Andrew Novak	31-37—68	-2
Xander Schauffele	34-34—68	-2
J.J. Spaun	34-34—68	-2
Sepp Straka	35-33—68	-2
Justin Thomas	34-34—68	-2
Jacob Bridgeman	35-34—69	-1
Brian Campbell	35-34—69	-1
Cameron Davis	35-34—69	-1
Tony Finau	34-35—69	-1
Emiliano Grillo	36-33—69	-1
Joe Highsmith	34-35—69	-1
Kurt Kitayama	33-36—69	-1
Hideki Matsuyama	35-34—69	-1
Taylor Pendrith	33-36—69	-1
Jordan Spieth	36-33—69	-1
Jhonattan Vegas	33-36—69	-1
Cameron Young	35-34—69	-1
Sam Burns	39-31—70	E
Patrick Cantlay	34-36—70	E
Harris English	36-34—70	E
Ryan Gerard	36-34—70	E
Lucas Glover	34-36—70	E
Max Greyserman	33-37—70	E
Denny McCarthy	36-34—70	E
J.T. Poston	38-32—70	E
Aaron Rai	34-36—70	E
Corey Conners	35-36—71	+1
Jason Day	32-39—71	+1
Mackenzie Hughes	35-36—71	+1
Sungjae Im	36-35—71	+1
Aldrich Potgieter	37-34—71	+1
Patrick Rodgers	34-37—71	+1
Matti Schmid	39-32—71	+1
Sam Stevens	36-35—71	+1
Kevin Yu	33-38—71	+1
Keegan Bradley	36-36—72	+2
Nicolas Echavarria	37-35—72	+2
Ryan Fox	35-37—72	+2
Chris Gotterup	37-35—72	+2
Stephan Jaeger	34-38—72	+2
Michael Kim	34-38—72	+2
Jake Knapp	36-36—72	+2
Davis Riley	37-35—72	+2
Tom Hoge	37-36—73	+3
Shane Lowry	36-37—73	+3
Viktor Hovland	35-39—74	+4
Erik Van Rooyen	39-35—74	+4
Min Woo Lee	38-38—76	+6

NEXO CHAMPIONSHIP

1st of 4 rounds at Trump International Golf Links; Aberdeen, U.K.; 7,439 yards; Par: 72

Richard Sterne	33-34—67	-5
Thomas Aiken	34-34—68	-4
Louis Albertse	35-33—68	-4
Andreas Halvorsen	32-36—68	-4
Matthew Baldwin	34-35—69	-3
Jorge Campillo	34-35—69	-3
Joe Dean	33-36—69	-3
Alex Fitzpatrick	33-36—69	-3
Adrian Otaegui	34-35—69	-3
John Parry	33-36—69	-3
Jordan L. Smith	34-35—69	-3
Darius Van Driel	34-35—69	-3
Justin Harding	34-36—70	-2
Brandon Robinson-Thompson	34-36—70	-2
Tadeas Tetak	35-35—70	-2
Angel Ayora Fanegas	35-36—71	-1
John Catlin	40-31—71	-1
Todd Clements	36-35—71	-1
Wenyi Ding	34-37—71	-1
Grant Forrest	33-38—71	-1
Jordan Gumberg	35-36—71	-1
Joost Luiten	36-35—71	-1
Ryan Lumsden	34-37—71	-1
Troy Merritt	38-33—71	-1
David Micheluzzi	37-34—71	-1
Daniel Young	36-35—71	-1
Davis Bryant	34-38—72	E
Filippo Celli	35-37—72	E
Alexander George Frances	35-37—72	E
Ricardo Gouveia	36-36—72	E
Daan Huizing	36-36—72	E
Nathan Kimsey	36-36—72	E
David Law	36-36—72	E
Oliver Lindell	34-38—72	E
Viktor Nordwall	35-37—72	E
Eddie Pepperell	34-38—72	E
Kristoffer Reitan	37-35—72	E
Neil Schietekat	37-35—72	E
Benjamin Schmidt	34-38—72	E
Andy Sullivan	35-37—72	E
Connor Syme	38-34—72	E
Marc Warren	37-35—72	E
Veer Ahlawat	37-36—73	+1
Sam Bairstow	34-39—73	+1
Albert Boneta	36-37—73	+1
Jens Dantorp	41-32—73	+1
Casey Jarvis	38-35—73	+1
Frank Kennedy	36-37—73	+1
Marcus Kinhult	35-38—73	+1
Alexander Levy	36-37—73	+1
Jacob Skov Olesen	38-35—73	+1
Robin Petersson	37-36—73	+1
Conor Purcell	35-38—73	+1
Max Rottluff	37-36—73	+1
Freddy Schott	36-37—73	+1
Jack Senior	37-36—73	+1
Elvis Smylie	36-37—73	+1
Clement Sordet	35-38—73	+1
Matthew Southgate	35-38—73	+1
Dale Whitnell	35-38—73	+1
Robin Williams	35-38—73	+1
Matthis Besard	37-37—74	+2
Wil Besseling	35-39—74	+2
Julien Brun	37-37—74	+2
Rafa Cabrera Bello	37-37—74	+2
Aaron Cockerill	38-36—74	+2
Pablo Ereno Perez	39-35—74	+2
Ewen Ferguson	39-35—74	+2
Kazuma Kobori	36-38—74	+2
Eugenio Lopez-Chacarra	36-38—74	+2
Richard Mansell	36-38—74	+2
Alexander Settemsdal	35-39—74	+2
Ben Sigel	33-41—74	+2
Maximilian Steinlechner	37-37—74	+2
Ryan Van Velzen	36-38—74	+2
Oliver Wilson	34-40—74	+2
Kiradech Aphibarnrat	38-37—75	+3
Erik Barnes	37-38—75	+3
Daniel Brown	38-37—75	+3
Nicolas Colsaerts	36-39—75	+3
Toby Hunt	38-37—75	+3
Palmer Jackson	38-37—75	+3
Scott Jamieson	37-38—75	+3
Dylan Naidoo	37-38—75	+3
Marco Penge	38-37—75	+3
Shubhankar Sharma	41-34—75	+3
Corey Shaun	35-40—75	+3
Martin Trainer	38-37—75	+3
Brandon Wu	37-38—75	+3
Bjorn Akesson	39-37—76	+4
Dan Bradbury	34-42—76	+4
Hamish Brown	37-39—76	+4
Ugo Coussaud	37-39—76	+4
Dan Erickson	38-38—76	+4
Rory Franssen	38-38—76	+4
Sebastian Garcia Rodriguez	37-39—76	+4
Joel Girrbach	36-40—76	+4
Benjamin Hebert	39-37—76	+4
Calum Hill	36-40—76	+4
Ryggs Johnston	36-40—76	+4
Matthew Jordan	38-38—76	+4
Sung Kang	38-38—76	+4
Francesco Laporta	38-38—76	+4
Zander Lombard	36-40—76	+4
Renato Paratore	37-39—76	+4
Richie Ramsay	38-38—76	+4
Matthias Schwab	37-39—76	+4
Jason Scrivener	35-41—76	+4
Justin Walters	36-40—76	+4
Gunner Wiebe	41-35—76	+4
Bernd Wiesberger	36-40—76	+4
Andrew Wilson	36-40—76	+4
Jeff Winther	40-36—76	+4
Marcus Armitage	38-39—77	+5
Christofer Blomstrand	35-42—77	+5
Ross Fisher	39-38—77	+5
Jeremy Freiburghaus	38-39—77	+5
Deon Germishuys	36-41—77	+5
Zihao Jin	37-40—77	+5
Joakim Lagergren	40-37—77	+5
Martin Laird	37-40—77	+5
Niklas Lemke	36-41—77	+5
James Morrison	38-39—77	+5
Joel Moscatel	36-41—77	+5
Wilco Nienaber	36-41—77	+5
Tapio Pulkkanen	39-38—77	+5
David Ravetto	39-38—77	+5
Jamie Rutherford	38-39—77	+5
Callum Shinkwin	40-37—77	+5
Santiago Tarrio	38-39—77	+5
Bastien Amat	40-38—78	+6
Jannik De Bruyn	42-36—78	+6
Benjamin Follett-Smith	38-40—78	+6
Simon Forsstrom	39-39—78	+6
Alfredo Garcia-Heredia	36-42—78	+6
Mikael Lindberg	38-40—78	+6
Danny List	37-41—78	+6
Paul O'Hara	37-41—78	+6
Callum Tarren	41-37—78	+6
Ivan Cantero Gutierrez	36-43—79	+7
Gregorio De Leo	39-40—79	+7
Pierre Pineau	38-41—79	+7
Euan Walker	38-41—79	+7
Brett Coletta	37-43—80	+8
David Horsey	40-40—80	+8
Jean Bekirian	43-38—81	+9
George Coetzee	38-43—81	+9
Nacho Elvira	41-40—81	+9
Sam Hutsby	42-39—81	+9
Nicolai Kristensen	36-45—81	+9
Hiroshi Iwata	41-41—82	+10

ODDS

MLB — **FRIDAY**

American League

FAVORITE	LINE	UNDERDOG	LINE
Houston	-124	at NY Yankees	+106
Athletics	-120	at Baltimore	+102
at Detroit	-295	LA Angels	+240
Cleveland	-158	at Chi Wh. Sox	+134
at Minnesota	-134	Kansas City	+114
at Seattle	-138	Tampa Bay	+118

National League

FAVORITE	LINE	UNDERDOG	LINE
Cincinnati	-120	at Pittsburgh	+102
Miami	-116	at Atlanta	-102
at Milwaukee	-124	N.Y Mets	+106
Chi. Cubs	-162	at St. Louis	+136
at Arizona	-220	Colorado	+184
at San Francisco	Off	Washington	Off

Interleague

FAVORITE	LINE	UNDERDOG	LINE
Philadelphia	-126	at Texas	+108
at San Diego	-178	Boston	+150
at LA Dodgers	-156	Toronto	+132

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TENNIS

ATP NATIONAL BANK OPEN

Thursday at Sobeys Stadium; Toronto; hardcourt outdoor

MEN'S SINGLES, CHAMPIONSHIP
#4Ben Shelton d. #11Karen Khachanov, 6-7(6), 6-4, 7-6(3).

LATE WEDNESDAY, SEMIFINALS
#11Karen Khachanov d. #1Alexander Zverev, 6-3, 4-6, 7-6(4).
#4Ben Shelton d. #2Taylor Fritz, 6-4, 6-3..

WTA NATIONAL BANK OPEN

Thursday at IGA Stadium & Aviva Centre; Montreal; Hardcourt outdoor

WOMEN'S SINGLES, CHAMPIONSHIP
Victoria Mboko d. Naomi Osaka, 2-6, 6-4, 6-1.

LATE WEDNESDAY, SEMIFINALS
Victoria Mboko d. #9Elena Rybakina, 1-6, 7-5, 7-6(4).
Naomi Osaka d. #16Clara Tauson, 6-2, 7-6(7).

ATP/WTA CINCINNATI OPEN

Thursday at Lindner Family Tennis ; Center; Cincinnati; outdoors, hardcourt

MEN'S SINGLES, ROUND OF 128
Arthur Rinderknech d. Nuno Borges, 6-3, 6-3.
Joao Fonseca d. Yunchaokete Bu, 4-6, 6-2, 7-5.
Roberto Carballes Baena d. Hugo Gaston, 6-4, 5-7, 6-3.
Pedro Martinez d. Nicolas Jarry, 1-6, 6-4, 6-3.
Benjamin Bonzi d. Matteo Arnaldi, 6-7(1), 6-3, 6-4.
Coleman Wong d. Giovanni Mpetshi Perricard, 6-3, 6-2.
Zizou Bergs d. Jacob Fearnley, 6-1, 6-4.
Daniel Elahi Galan d. Vit Kopriva, 6-2, 6-4.
Roman Safiullin d. Alejandro Tabilo, 6-3, 6-3.
Terence Atmane d. Yoshihito Nishioka, 6-2, 6-2.
Tomas Martin Etcheverry, Shang Juncheng leads 6-7(5), 7-6(4), 6-4.
Adrian Mannarino d. Jordan Thompson, 6-2, 6-2.
Fabian Marozsan vs. Colton Smith, late
Sebastian Baez vs. David Goffin, late
Corentin Moutet d. Mackenzie McDonald, 7-5, 6-3.

WOMEN'S SINGLES, ROUND OF 128
Maya Joint d. Greet Minnen, 6-2, 6-3.
Sorana Cirstea d. Donna Vekica, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3.
Marketa Vondrousova d. Jaqueline Cristian, 6-3, 6-1.
Anastasia Potapova d. Laura Siegemund, 6-4, 6-4.
Renata Zarazua d. Yulia Putintseva, 3-6, 6-4, 6-2.
Aoi Ito d. Elena-Gabriela Ruse, 6-2, 7-6(6)..
Jessica Bouzas Maneiro d. Venus Williams, 6-4, 6-4
Eva Lys d. Bernarda Pera, 6-2, 4-6, 7-5.
Olga Danilovic d. Katie Boulter, 6-0, 7-5.
Tatjana Maria d. Whitney Osuigwe, 6-2, 6-3.
Clervie Ngounoue vs. Hailey Baptiste, late
Yafan Wang vs. Peyton Stearns, late

FRIDAY EVENING TV

LIVE SPORTS MOVIES REALITY

	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	12 AM
2 WCBS	CBS Evening News (N)	Inside Edition (N)	Entertainment Tonight (N)	Big Brother - Never-before-seen footage from the house. (N)		Fire Country		NCIS: Sydney		CBS News New York 11pm (N)	**(11:35)** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert	
3 WJLP	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Andy Griffith	Andy Griffith	Bev. Hillbillies	Honeymoon.	Hogan's Heroes	Hogan's Heroes	Twilight Zone	Perry Mason	
4 WNBC	NBC Nightly News (N)	News 4/**(7:15)** New York	Clear the Shelters	Happy's Place	Happy's Place	Dateline NBC (N)				News 4 NY at 11 (N)	**(11:35)** The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon	
5 WNYW	Politics Unusual	Extra (N)	TMZ (N)	**The Fixer** - Marcus helps a clothing retailer and a multi-faceted culinary space offering products from Italy. (N)				The 10 O'Clock News (N)	Street Soldiers	Good Night New York (N)	Family Feud	TMZ Live (N)
7 WABC	ABC World News (N)	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Match Game		20/20 - Multiple women are murdered during a Texas police hunt for a serial killer.				Eyewitness News at 11 (N)	**(11:35)** Jimmy Kimmel Live!	
9 WWOR	True Crime	Family Feud	Family Feud	News (N)	Politics Unusual	Chicago Fire		Family Feud	Family Feud	Chicago Fire		Law-SVU
10/55 WLNY	The Conners	Last Man	Last Man	CBS News New York 8pm (N)		48 Hours (N)		**Judge Judy**	**Judge Judy**	Neighbor	Neighbor	Modern Family
11 WPIX	Politics (N)	**Sports** (N)	Big Bang	**Penn & Teller: Fool Us**		Animals (N)	Funny Kids (N)	PIX11 News at Ten (N)		Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Friends
13 WNET	America	PBS News Hour (N)		Week (N)	Hoover (N)	The Great American Recipe (N)		Marlow Murder Club		Amanpour and Company (N)		One on One
21 WLIW	**(6:00)** PBS News	Death in Paradise		**(7:55)** DCI Banks			Astrid		Actors on Actors	BBC News	The Day	Amanpour (N)
25 WNYE	Civil	Made in New York Talks		Cinema Q&A	Ear to the	Inside	NY Evening	Life-Musician	Film-Maker	NYU Journalism	Cinema Nomad	Brindiamo!
31 WPXN	**(6:00)** Magnum	**WNBA** (N)	**WNBA Basketball** - New York Liberty at Dallas Wings (N)				**WNBA- Game**	**WNBA Basketball** - Seattle Storm at Las Vegas Aces (N)				Magnum P.I.
41 WFUT2	**(6:00)** Killer	Killer Cases		Killer Cases		Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Obsession: Dark Desires		Obsession:
47 WNJU	Noticias (N)	Top Chef VIP (N)				Velvet: El nuevo imperio (N)		Bahar: Esencia de mujer (N)		Noticiero 47 (N)	**(11:35)** Noticias	**El pelotazo** (N)
A&E	**PD Cam**	**PD Cam**	**PD Cam**	**PD Cam**	**PD Cam**	**PD Cam**	**PD Cam**	**PD Cam**	**PD Cam**	**(11:05) PD Cam**	**(11:35) PD Cam**	**(12:05) PD Cam**
AMC	**(5:30) MY COUSIN VINNY** ('92) ★★★ Joe Pesci.			**GOODFELLAS** ('90) ★★★★ Ray Liotta, Joe Pesci, Robert De Niro.						**THE ITALIAN JOB** ('03) ★★★ Mark Wahlberg.		
ANPL	**Treehouse**	**Treehouse Masters**		**Treehouse Masters**		**Treehouse Masters**		**Treehouse Masters**		**Treehouse Masters**		**Treehouse**
BBCA	**(6:00)** Bones	Bones		Bones		Bones		Bones		Bones		Bones
BET	**(6:00)** Celebrity	Celebrity Family Feud		Celebrity Family Feud		Celebrity Family Feud		**(10:05)** Celebrity Family Feud		**(11:10)** Celebrity Family Feud		
BRV	**(5:00) THE GREEN MILE** ('99) ★★★ David Morse, Tom Hanks.					**THE SHAWSHANK REDEMPTION** ('94) ★★★★ Morgan Freeman, Bob Gunton, Tim Robbins.						**GREEN MILE**
CBSSN	**(6:00) 2025 SBD**	**World Series of Poker**		**World Series of Poker**		**AVP Beach Volleyball** - League Week 8 - Dallas (N)				**Cornhole** - ACL Teams: Final		
CNBC	MadMoney	**Shark Tank**		**Shark Tank**		**Shark Tank**		**Shark Tank**		**Shark Tank**		**Shark Tank**
CNN	**(6:00)** Lead	Erin Burnett OutFront (N)		Anderson Cooper 360 (N)		The Source With (N)		CNN NewsNight (N)		Laura Coates Live (N)		Cooper 360
COM	**(6:35)** Office	**(7:10)** Office	**(7:45)** Office	**(8:20)** The Office		**(8:55)** Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	South Park	South Park	South Park
DISN	**(6:15) TOY STORY 4** ('19) ★★★ Tom Hanks.			Electric (N)	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Big City Greens	Big City Greens
DSC	**(6:00) Deadliest Catch** (N)			**Deadliest Catch** (N)		**(9:10) Bering Sea Gold** (N) (SP)				**(11:10) Gold Rush:**		**Catch**
E!	**(5:30) SING 2** ('21) ★★ Matthew McConaughey.			**MINIONS: THE RISE OF GRU** ('22) ★★ Steve Carell.				**THE BAD GUYS** ('22) ★★★ Voices of Zazie Beetz, Sam Rockwell.				**MRS. HARRIS ...**
ESPN	**(5:00) Baseball**	**Little League Baseball** - Metro Regional: New York vs. TBA (N)				**Little League** - Northwest Regional: Washington vs. TBA (N)				**SportsCenter** (N)		**SportCtr** (N)
ESPN2	**(6:00) SportCtr**	**LL Softball** - TBA vs. Indiana - Game 18. (N)				**Premier Lacrosse League** - Carolina Chaos vs. Utah Archers (N)				**UFC 319 Countdown** (N)		**Dana White**
FAM	**MATILDA**	**MEAN GIRLS** ('24) ★★ Reneé Rapp, Auli'i Cravalho, Angourie Rice.				**FREAKY FRIDAY** ('03) ★★★ Lindsay Lohan, Jamie Lee Curtis.				The 700 Club (N)		**ANGRY BIRDS...**
FBN	**(6:00)** Bottom	Wall Street (N)	Barron (N)	**Cops**	**Cops**	**Cops**	**Cops**	**Cops**	**Cops**	**Cops**	**Cops**	**Cops**
FNC	**(6:00)** Bret Baier	The Ingraham Angle (N)		Jesse Watters Primetime (N)		Hannity (N)		Gutfeld! (N)		Fox News at Night (N)		The Five
FOOD	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive
FX	**(5:30) CAPTAIN AMERICA: FIRST AVENGER**			**THE AVENGERS** ('12) ★★★ Chris Evans, Mark Ruffalo, Robert Downey Jr..						**IRON MAN 3** ('13) ★★★ Robert Downey Jr..		
HALL	**(6:00) THE SWEETEST CHRISTMAS** ('17)			**A MERRY SCOTTISH CHRISTMAS** ('23) Scott Wolf, Lacey Chabert.				The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls
HBO	**(6:35) OPUS** ('25) ★★ John Malkovich, Ayo Edebiri.			**(8:20) SPACEBALLS** ('87) ★★ John Candy, Mel Brooks.				Real Time With Bill Maher (N)		The Gilded Age		Real Time
HGTV	**Dream Home**	**Dream Home**	**Dream Home**	**Dream Home**	**Dream Home**	**Dream Home**	Zillow (N)	**Hunters** (N)	**House Hunters**	**House Hunters**	**House Hunters**	**Dream Home**
HIST	UnXplained	The UnXplained		The Proof Is Out There		The Proof Is Out There		**(10:05)** The Proof Is Out There (N)		**(11:05)** The Proof Is Out There		**(12:05)** Proof
HLN	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files
ID	**(6:00)** Grave	Grave Mysteries		Mean Girl Murders		Mean Girl Murders		A Killer Among Friends		On the Case With Paula Zahn		Murders
IFC	**(6:00) VARSITY BLUES** ('99) ★★ Jon Voight, James Van Der Beek.			**THE REPLACEMENTS** ★★ Gene Hackman, Orlando Jones, Keanu Reeves.						**(11:15) VARSITY BLUES** ('99) ★★		
LIFE	**(6:00)** Rookie	The Rookie		The Rookie		The Rookie		**(10:05)** The Rookie		**(11:05)** The Rookie		The Rookie
LIFEMOV	**(6:00) SINISTER SURGEON** ('24)			**SECRETS TO KILL FOR** ('25) Courtney Grace. (P)				**THE GOOD FATHER: THE MARTIN MACNEILL STORY** ('21)				**SECRETS TO ...**
LOGO	3's Company	3's Company	3's Company	3's Company	3's Company	3's Company	3's Company	3's Company	3's Company	3's Company	3's Company	Married ... With
MAX	**(5:50) THE ACCOUNTANT** ('16) ★★ Ben Affleck.			**SPEED** ('94) ★★★ Dennis Hopper, Sandra Bullock, Keanu Reeves.				**(9:55) MECHANIC: RESURRECTION** ('16) ★★			**(11:35) DREDD** ('12) ★★	
MSG	**(5:00) Rangers**	**Club 30** - Patrick Ewing (N)		**Rangers** - 2024-2025: Vegas Golden Knights at New York Rangers				**3ICE** - Week 4 - Game 1: Buffalo vs. Chicago; Game 2: Pittsburgh vs. NY/NJ.				
MSGSN	**(12:00) FanDuel Racing** (N)									**MSG Shorts**	**MSG Shorts**	**Best of Devils**
MSNBC	**(6:00)** AriMelber	The Weeknight (N)		All In With Chris Hayes (N)		The Briefing with Jen Psaki (N)		Last Word With Lawrence (N)		11th-Stephanie (N)		The Briefing
MTV	**(6:00) FRIDAY AFTER NEXT** ('02) ★ Ice Cube.			**FRIDAY** ('95) ★★★ Chris Tucker, Nia Long, Ice Cube.				**NEXT FRIDAY** ★★ Mike Epps, Justin Pierce, Ice Cube.				**FRIDAY AFTE...**
NGEO	**(6:00)** Smuggler	To Catch a Smuggler: Madrid		To Catch a Smuggler: Madrid		Border (N)	Border (N)	To Catch a Smuggler: Madrid		To Catch a Smuggler: Madrid		Border Security
NICK	**DR. SEUSS' T...**	Loud House (N)	Wylde Pak (N)	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Big Bang
OWN	**(6:00)** Ready	**Ready to Love**		**Ready to Love** (N)		**Love and Marriage: Huntsville**		**Heart & Hustle: Houston**		**Ready to Love**		**Love**
OXY	**(6:00)** Snapped	Snapped		Making Manson			Making Manson			Making Manson		
PARMT	Two Half Men	Two Half Men	Two Half Men	**TOP GUN: MAVERICK** ('22) ★★★ Miles Teller, Jennifer Connelly, Tom Cruise.						**(10:55) TERMINATOR: DARK FATE** ('19) ★★		
PARSHO	**(5:45) THE HUNT FOR RED OCTOBER** ★★★			Dexter: Resurrection		The Chi		**THE INFERNAL MACHINE** ('22) Alice Eve, Guy Pearce.				**TOTAL RECALL**
SMITH	**(6:00)** Mysteries	Unearthed		Make It Out Alive		The Secret History of World War II		Hitler's Last Stand		Make It Out Alive		The Secret His
SNY	**AmazinFin**	**Mets Flip** (N)	**Mets Pre.** (N)	**MLB Baseball** - New York Mets at Milwaukee Brewers - From American Family Field in Milwaukee. (N)						**Mets Post.** (N)	**SportsNite** (N)	**SportsNite** (N)
STARZ	**(6:00) GUARDIANS OF THE GALAXY** ★★★			Outlander: Blood of My Blood (N)		**(9:25)** Outlander: Blood of My Blood (N)			BMF (N)		**(11:25)** Outlander	
STZENC	**(6:25) INGLOURIOUS BASTERDS** ('09) ★★★ Mélanie Laurent, Brad Pitt.					**BRAVEHEART** ('95) ★★★ Sophie Marceau, Patrick McGoohan, Mel Gibson.						**MINISTRY OF ...**
SUND	**(6:00)** NCIS	NCIS		NCIS		NCIS		NCIS		NCIS		NCIS
SYFY	**(5:00) OLYMPUS HAS FALLEN**	**CLICK** ('06) ★★ Kate Beckinsale, Christopher Walken, Adam Sandler. (P)						Resident Alien (N)		**(11:10) CLICK** ('06) ★★ Adam Sandler.		
TBS	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	**FAST & FURIOUS 6** ('13) ★★ Paul Walker, The Rock, Vin Diesel. (P)					**FAST FIVE** ('11) ★★ Paul Walker, Jordana Brewster, Vin Diesel.			
TCM	**(5:00) GRAND PRIX** ('66) ★★★ James Garner.			**SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL SHERIFF!** ('69) ★★★ James Garner.				**SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL GUNFIGHTER** ('71) ★★★ James Garner.				**36 HOURS**
TLC	**MatchMe**	**Match Me Abroad**		Naked and Afraid of Love		Naked and Afraid of Love		**90 Day** (N)	**Match Me Abroad**		**90 Day Fiancé**	Naked-Afraid
TMC	**(6:10) DAYS OF THUNDER** ('90) ★★ Tom Cruise.			**THE RUINS** ('08) ★★ Jonathan Tucker. (P)			**(9:35) THE BIGFOOT TRAP** ('23)			**VANILLA SKY** ('01) ★★ Tom Cruise.		
TNT	**PIRATES OF ...**	**(7:15) JURASSIC PARK** ('93) ★★★ Laura Dern, Jeff Goldblum, Sam Neill.						Peacemaker (N)		**PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN: AT WORLD'S END**		
TOON	Bob's Burgers	Bob's Burgers	Bob's Burgers	Bob's Burgers	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Rick and Morty	Rick and Morty	Rick and Morty	Rick and Morty
TRUTV	**GODZILLA: KI...**	**NACHO LIBRE** ('06) ★★ Ana de la Reguera, Jack Black. (P)				**NACHO LIBRE** ('06) ★★ Ana de la Reguera, Jack Black.				**All Elite Wrestling: Dynamite** (N)		
TRVL	**DeadFiles**	**The Dead Files**		These Woods Are Haunted		These Woods Are Haunted		These Woods Are Haunted		These Woods Are Haunted		Woo.- Haunted
TVLND	Andy Griffith	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	King
USA	**(5:30) VIOLENT NIGHT** ('22) ★★ (P)			**WWE Friday Night SmackDown** (N)				Resident Alien (N) (SF)		**(11:05) BEAST** ('22) ★★ Idris Elba.		
VH1	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	**LITTLE** ('19) ★★ Issa Rae, Marsai Martin, Regina Hall.					**Basketball Wives**		**Basketball Wives**	
WE	**Love After Lockup**			**Love After Lockup** (N)			**Love After Lockup**			**Love After Lockup**		
YES	Yanks Mag.	**Scout: Finding**		Nets Magaz.	**The Story of**	**18 Holes**	**Swing Clinic**	**Postgame** (N)	**Talkin' Yanks**	**Leagues Cup** - Toluca vs. New York City FC		

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Floundering Mets and Yanks get just what they DON'T need: a weekend against first-place Astros and Brewers

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With their teams playing at their absolute worst, Carlos Mendoza and Aaron Boone draw NL Central-leading Brewers, with the best record in baseball, and AL West-leading Astros for weekend series.

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