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Leapers of the world unite

NEW YORK (AP) — For parents debating a name for their Feb. 29 newborn, the Honor Society of Leap Year Day Babies has some suggestions: Leaporah, Leapton, Leapfrey, perhaps. Or for a Nordic touch, Leap Ericson.

With or without such bouncy names, any baby born on Tuesday will stand apart even from others with the distinction of a Leap Year Day birthday. This is the first Leap Day in 400 years to start a century.

To mark the occasion, Leap Day parties are planned across the United States and overseas, promoted by "Leaper" Websites that have linked people whose birthdays come only once every four years.

"We get a lot of people e-mailing us who've never met anyone else born on Leap Year Day," said Raenell Dawn, co-founder of the Honor Society. "They're pretty thrilled to find they're not alone."

The most vigorously promoted party, a four-day event that got a head start Saturday, is in the small farming town of Anthony, straddling the Texas-New Mexico state line. Thousands of people, including dozens of genuine "leapers," are expected at the festivities in what has been proclaimed the Leap Year Capital of the World.

Statistically, one of every 1,461 people is a leaper. There are an estimated 200,000 in the United States and 4.1 million worldwide.

Leapers from more than 30 countries have joined the Honor Society of Leap Year Day Babies, which is approaching a membership of 1,300.

Among them is J.N. Oleap Fernando, a professor from Sri Lanka, who proposed that other parents emulate his own by giving their Leap Day babies names that reflect the special date.

Raenell Dawn, born on Leap Year Day in 1960 (and thus celebrating her 10th birthday Tuesday), endorsed this campaign on the Honor Society Website. She also lobbies for her own favorite cause: persuading calendar publishers to designate the quadrennial Feb. 29s as

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Leap Year Day.

"I've written hundreds of letters, and I've never heard back from any of them," she said from her home in Salem, Ore. "You'd think they'd get the hang of it, since it's a date that celebrates the calendar."

Truck hits house, student injured

DONNA, Texas (AP) — A Monterrey Tech student was in fair condition Monday after a truck slammed into his family's home, knocking him into another room.

Carlos Omar Garza, 23, was asleep in the front bedroom of his father's home near Donna when the truck slammed into a wall early Sunday morning.

The truck hit Garza so hard it knocked him down the hallway into his father's rear bedroom. He suffered a fractured skull, broken ribs and a punctured lung. He was in fair condition in the intensive care unit of Knapp Medical Center in Weslaco on Monday.

Garza's father, Tony Garza, said he planted an oak tree about 15 years ago near a ditch in front of his house to prevent such an accident, but the truck missed the tree.

"It flew across the ditch," Tony Garza said. "There's no sign it ever even hit the ditch."

After he heard the crash, Tony

Garza went to the front of his house, which was cluttered with pieces of

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— Tony Garza
father

sheet rock and insulation, and looked under the truck for his son.

Tony Garza heard moaning in his back bedroom, where he found his son under wood and sheet rock. Carlos Garza had hit

a dresser so hard that he knocked it across the room.

Tony Garza said the truck's driver ran off when he first walked into the front room where the truck had come in.

"He left a beer bottle and a pager," he said. "You could smell the beer. He was drunk as a skunk."

The damage to the house included cracks along the hall and around the house. The truck also destroyed a wall separating two bedrooms.

Tony Garza sustained minor cuts from sifting through the debris. His wife and a friend of Carlos Garza's, who were also in the house, were not hurt.

Carlos Garza is studying international business at Monterrey Tech, but was visiting his parents for the weekend.

Department of Public Safety personnel were investigating the case, but did not return phone calls from the Associated Press on Monday afternoon.

Woman guides rescuers

WILMER, Texas (AP) — Long injured with her infant daughter, Katherine Stafford didn't know where she was in the darkness of early Monday as she dialed 911 on her cell phone, water swirling into her overturned gold 1999 Acura.

But she and her 7-week-old daughter needed help soon. After falling asleep at the wheel, Stafford's car had jumped off a highway embankment and flipped into a creek running through Wilmer, 16 miles south of Dallas.

Can you find me? I'm in a car, Stafford said in the 911 call to the Texas Department of Public Safety dispatcher.

"Where are you?" replied the dispatcher. "What's going on?"

Said Stafford: "My car's swirling through the creek. I broke my leg. I have a baby with me ... I'm in a ditch ... I don't know."

The disoriented Corpus Christi resident was unable to tell dispatchers where she was on the dark, rural stretch of Interstate 45. Instead, she listened for the blaring of sirens and directed emergency crews to her location.

Officer Dick Roth of the Wilmer Police Department was first to locate the car around 4 a.m. — about two hours after the accident occurred.

He descended into the creek, still swollen from recent storms, punched out a rear window and plucked out the infant, still strapped in her child restraint.

"She was not hysterical at all. She stayed in control of herself," Roth said of Stafford, who was rescued minutes later when ambulance and fire crews arrived.

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