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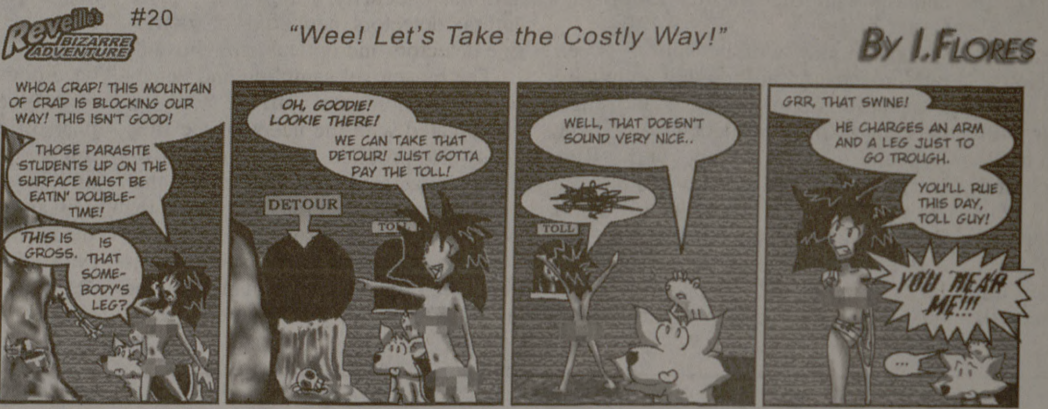
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Full Moon
by R. DeLuna



Fourth
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will go to jail," said Carlos Lopez, TxDOT director of traffic operations.

Locally, officials said they do not anticipate a huge problem, but actions will be taken to ensure citizen safety.

"We want to make the Fourth something else to remember other than your own or someone else's tragedy," said Sgt. Jackie Maynard, Bryan Police Department.

Maynard said to make sure to designate a driver or celebrate with a sober friend.

"Designated drivers are good, but sober friends are better," Maynard said.

The legal limit for intoxication in Texas is a .08 blood alco-

hol concentration, and penalties for a first DWI offense include 72 hours to six months in jail, \$2,000 in fines and driver's license suspension from 90 days to one year.

BPD has also recently instituted a zero tolerance policy for noise. Noise violations are punishable by a citation with fines up to \$1,000.

If you are leaving town, make sure to lock up and secure your valuables, Maynard said.

Maggie Wilson, a junior education major, said she'll be enjoying a professional show this year, instead of setting off her own fireworks with her friends.

"Here in College Station, it's just smarter and more fun," she said. "We just want to stay safe this holiday."

Terrorism
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and local emergency responders to prepare for, mitigate against and respond to acts of terror," said Vice Chancellor for Engineering G. Kemble Bennett in a press release.

The House of Representatives will vote on the Department of Defense appropriations bill later this summer.

As Texas legislators continue to meet during the special session called by Gov. Rick Perry to redraw congressional boundaries, Carter said, the most recent redistricting map shows him still representing Brazos County and Texas A&M.

"I will always keep the University's interests as a priority," Carter said. "I have a really good relationship with A&M."

Rosson
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Director of the Center of North American Studies. The center, he said, was founded in 1994, and began to receive congressional funding in 1997. The center serves to strengthen agricultural trading bonds between the NAFTA nations. He is also chairman of the Agribusiness and Fisheries Board of the Border Trade Alliance.

Rosson's most recent appointment, to the Agricultural Technical Advisory Committee for Trade in grains, feed and oil seeds, is for two years. The committee, along with several others, advises the USDA and Office of the U.S. Trade Representative on trade policy. The committee, he said, will help advise the government on new international agreements that could expand American interests abroad, including a proposed free trade agreement for the entire western hemisphere.

"(It) will open markets for Texas companies in the future," he said.

With a long list of achievements, Rosson said he counts his recent appointment as the one of which he is most proud.

"Getting appointed to this committee," Rosson said, "is probably a pretty major accomplishment."

West Nile
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individual city on whether it wanted to spray for mosquitoes, but spraying has not been used because of privacy and landscaping problems.

Olson said that Texas never runs out of mosquitoes and the species change with the seasons, and winter is the season with the most active mosquito.

Olson said the West Nile virus hit the "nesting system" this year, meaning it affected several baby birds.

"Baby birds are what mosquitoes feed on, because they don't know how to protect themselves," he said.

Children, the elderly and those with weak immune systems are most susceptible to the virus. There is no known vaccine for the virus.

Symptoms of the virus are flu-like and include fever, sore throat, body aches and fatigue. Anyone who has these symptoms is advised to consult a physician.

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Dennehy, roommate were friends family says

WACO, Texas (AP) — Carlton Dotson turned to friend Patrick Dennehy several weeks ago after he lost his Baylor University basketball scholarship, his eight-month marriage fell apart and he needed a place to live.

"They were friendly teammates and recently had become closer as friends," Dennehy's girlfriend, Jessica De La Rosa, Albuquerque, N.M., said Wednesday.

That's what makes the news of the past few days so unbelievable to those who knew the young men.

Dennehy, 21, was reported missing by his family June 1. His car was found last week in a mall parking lot in Virginia Beach, Va., where he had no apparent connections.

Police classify Dotson as believed to be 21, as "a person of interest" in Dennehy's disappearance.

An unnamed police informant in Delaware alleged Dotson shot Dennehy in the head after the two argued while shooting guns on property outside Waco court documents show.

No body has been found and no one has been arrested.

De La Rosa said she had no knowledge the two friends had not had a falling out. She had talked to Dennehy on June 11 and she called Dotson a few days later when she hadn't heard from Dennehy to see if he knew whereabouts.

She says now she doesn't know what or who to believe.

"Right now, it's very confusing. I'm just going to try not to speculate anymore. I'm going to try to be patient and let these detectives and investigators do their work and allow them to call me when they have information," she said. "I could drive myself crazy with everything that's flying around."

Authorities said Wednesday they have "received hundreds of leads" over the past few days and were investigating each one.

"Somebody out there knows what happened to (Dennehy) and they know where he is," Waco police spokesman Steve Anderson said. "We're hoping that person or persons will call and give us that good tip and we can resolve this."

Anderson said police still don't know how Dennehy's 1999 Chevrolet Tahoe ended up in Virginia with its license plate missing.

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