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THE FINE PRINT

■ **August 31**
COMMUNITY CHORALE
 Info: Russ Gorrell, 719-989-7317.
 ♦ **MONDAY (5:30 p.m.)** 2015 Children's Chorale begins rehearsals at the Massari Theater on the TSJC Campus.
 ♦ **THURSDAY (6:30 p.m.)** Handbell Choir will begin rehearsals at the First Christian Church, 200 S. Walnut St. Anyone high school-age or older is encouraged to join.

Today's Quote
 "Challenges are what make life interesting — overcoming them is what makes life meaningful."
 — Joshua J. Marine

■ **SEPTEMBER 1**
SAMARITAN CLINIC
 1st & 3rd **TUESDAYS (9 a.m.-4 p.m.)** Here to serve the under-insured and non-insured community with free health care and low-cost lab work, 413 E. Frost and corner of Linden Ave. Info: 719-846-3536.
LAS ANIMAS COUNTY
TUESDAY (9 a.m.) Board of County Commissioners meeting is in the Las Animas Courthouse, 200 E. First St., Room 201. Information: 719-845-2568. **COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:** Gary Hill (719-845-2595), Mack Loudon (719-845-2592), and Anthony Abeyta (719-846-9300).
CITY COUNCIL
TUESDAY (7 p.m.) Regular session will be held in Council Chambers, City Hall, 135 N. Animas St. Information: Audra Garrett, 719-846-9843. **CITY COUNCIL:** Mayor: Joe Reorda and Council Members: Carol Bolton, Joe Bonato, Pat Fletcher, Anthony Mattie, Michelle Miles, and Liz Torres.

■ **PUBLIC SERVICE**
SUPPORT GROUPS
WEDNESDAY (11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.) Chronic Pain Support Group meets at the Methodist Church, Broom & State St. Info: Jay Slater, 719-422-4572.

OPEN MIC
WEDNESDAY (7-9 p.m.) Public is invited for an evening of free music and art featuring Tony and the Fly the Coup band at Gallery Main, 130 E. Main St. Info: Bree Pappan, 719-846-1441.

CALL FOR ARTISTS
THURSDAY 4 DEADLINE: "Around Trinidad" Art Show (runs Sept. 11-30) is open to all area artists at the Corazon Gallery, 149 E. Main St. Info: Trish Keck, 719-859-7702.

TSJC COMING ATTRACTIONS
 Info for both events: Kim McKee, 719-846-5724.

♦ **SEPTEMBER 15 (5-6:45 p.m.)** Southern Rockies Heritage School Open House, Berg Building, Room 401.

♦ **SEPTEMBER 15 (7-9 p.m.)** "A Taste of Scotland" featuring Master storyteller and musician Robert Black from Aberdeenshire, Scotland, will be in the Pioneer Room in the Sullivan Center.

CALL FOR ARTISTS
SEPTEMBER 8 DEADLINE (4 p.m.) "Off Road" art show to coincide with ArtoCade that will showcase vehicle artwork at Gallery Main, 130 E. Main St. Info: Bree Pappan, 719-846-1441.

FREE LITERARY FESTIVAL
SEPTEMBER 18-19: Trinidad Area Arts Council and the Writer's Group will host a 2-day Workshop that will feature local writer and ceramic artist Katie Kingston that will be held at Gallery Main, 130 E. Main St. Info: Bree Pappan, 719-846-1441.

SPACE TO CREATE
SEPTEMBER 9 & 10: Visitors from Art Space will be in Trinidad and the community is urged to attend the Public Meeting (SEPT 9 @ 5:30 p.m.) at the Famous Theatre on Main Street. Info: Tara Marshall, 719-680-7238.

COWBOY TRADE SHOW
SEPTEMBER 19 (9 a.m.-6 p.m.) Sign up now for your space in the trade show. Concessions will be available all day. Proceeds benefit the Folsom Museum. Barbara Schoonover 575-278-3696 or Folsom Museum: 575-278-2122.

The Fine Print feature is a courtesy notice used to inform the public of upcoming public meetings and events. Placement is not guaranteed. For contributions please call 719-846-3311 or e-mail cathy@trinidadchronicle-news.com.

RIVER CALL

Purgatoire River Call as of: **08/28/15, Johns Flood Ditch:** Priority # 20 --- Appropriation date: **10/07/1865.**

Trinidad Reservoir Accounting:
 Release 327.99 AF
 Inflow 116.02 AF -- 58.49 CFS
 Evaporation 12.03 AF
 Content 29,028 AF
 Elevation 6,195.10
 Precipitation 0.01

Downstream River Call / Ninemile Canal: 05/10/1887



Photo by Nick Ruybalid/The Chronicle News

The Trinidad Police Department investigates a robbery at the Safeway fueling station Thursday night. As of press time on Sunday night, no one has been arrested in the incident and the crime is still under investigation.

CRIME

Safeway Gas Station robbed at gunpoint

By Nick Ruybalid
 Correspondent
 The Chronicle News

The Safeway Gas Station was robbed at gunpoint Thursday night at approximately 8:53 p.m. Trinidad Police Department officers were dispatched, advised that two males pointed a gun at the clerk and then ran away on foot.

Officers made contact with the sales associate who explained that two male parties came in and one of them pushed a gun into his chest. They made him open the cash drawer from which they took an undisclosed amount of money.

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SUMMER FUN

Downtown Art Trek draws enthusiastic crowds



Photos by Tim Keller / The Chronicle-News

An enthusiastic air lingered over downtown Trinidad on Friday evening as locals and visitors alike turned out to listen to the sounds and look at the sights during the last Friday of the month Art Trek. Everything from fine art to ArtoCade art, Bluegrass to Folk tunes and actors who looked like they'd just stepped out of the late 1800s were on hand to entertain and put a lively spin on the popular summer past time. **See more Art Trek photos on Page 3.**

PINION CANYON MANEUVER SITE

Fort Carson to conduct multi-unit training exercise

Office of Public Affairs
 Special to The Chronicle-News

FORT CARSON, Colo. – Military training will be conducted at Piñon Canyon Maneuver Site (PCMS) between Sept. 8-30. Multiple units will be conducting training during that time.

Since Aug. 1, 2014 to July 31, PCMS has been utilized 211 days for training by the Army, Air Force, Marine Corps and Special

Operations forces.

Increased dust and noise levels from the training can be expected during this time period, due to live fire training and heavy vehicle traffic throughout the training area. Field training includes day and night live-fire exercises incorporating small arms weapons.

The purpose of the training is to prepare Soldiers and other mili-

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The Chronicle-News / File Photo

Soldiers from Fort Carson are shown during an artillery training exercise at the Piñon Canyon Maneuver site in July 2015.

WEATHER WATCH

Monday: A 10 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after noon. Mostly sunny, with a high near 87. West

southwest wind around 5 mph becoming north northwest in the afternoon. **Night:** A 10 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before midnight. Partly cloudy, with a low around 58. Southwest wind around 5 mph.

Tuesday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 85. Calm wind becoming south southwest around 5 mph in the afternoon. **Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around

56. Southwest wind around 5 mph.

Wednesday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 85. West southwest wind around 5 mph becoming calm. **Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 58. West southwest wind around 5 mph.

Thursday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 85. West southwest wind around 5 mph.

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COMMUNITY

Safeway Gas Station robbed

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The associate further stated they did not hurt him.

A male customer approached officers and stated that he saw two male parties in hoodies running "up on High Street" approximately ten minutes beforehand. Officers investigated and found nothing as no arrests have been made and there are no any suspects.

The security video at Safeway determines that the parties were Hispanic males approximately 5'9" or taller each. One was wearing a black hoodie with white writing, a black beanie, and a black bandanna covering his face, and the other was wearing a red hoodie with white writing, a red beanie, and a white bandanna covering his face.

Both parties were wearing gloves. Unfortunately, Safeway Corporate would not release any of the security camera footage for public view.

The incident remains under investigation. Anyone with information about this incident is asked to call the Trinidad Police Department at 719-846-4441 or 719-845-TIPS (8477).



Photos by Tim Keller / The Chronicle-News

Clockwise from above, Christina Boyce, and Phil and Bea Rico enjoy at moment chatting outside the Mitchell Museum during Friday night's Art Trek. Russ Gorrell directs members of the Trinidad Community Chorale as they blend voices for a little festive entertainment at the event. Sister Blandina Segale, Mother Jones and Bat Masterson take an evening stroll, much to the delight of the evenings Art Trek viewers.

Fort Carson to conduct multi-unit training exercise

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tary members for any possible mission should the unit be called to support any contingency around the globe. During the exercise, crews will engage simulated targets using different scenarios to build team cohesion and ensure they are proficient in their skills.

Fort Carson is committed to balancing our training mission with protecting and preserving PCMS' natural environment and historical properties. Environmental personnel are involved in all levels of planning for military training, construction and other activities that could affect the PCMS environment.

Realistic, mission-focused training cannot be accomplished without units conducting operations in time and space which inevitably impacts the land. PCMS is a precious resource and we are committed to managing it to ensure its sustainability. Multiple Army programs are

in place to monitor, analyze and repair the military training lands and the resources. Education, Awareness and Protection of cultural and historic resources help maintain the balance between the training mission and being good stewards of the lands that our Soldiers train on.

In other Ft. Carson action, the U.S. Army Garrison stations at the base will simulate an active shooter/hostage situation during a full-scale exercise on post Sept. 1 and 2.

This year's full-scale exercise features an active shooter with a hostage situation in Building 1218, Garrison Headquarters. During the exercise on Sept. 1, there will be delays on Wetzel Street and Specker Avenue between Ellis Street and O'Connell Boulevard between 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. There will be no road delays on Sept. 2.

Signage will mark areas set aside for the training exercise. Agencies without prior Emergency Management

coordination will continue normal operations. Drivers should allow for extra travel time as they encounter first responders. Passersby also are encouraged to steer clear so they don't interfere with the exercise.

The exercise will test, rehearse and evaluate installation emergency response procedures and serve as a training mechanism for all involved, which includes most directorates across post. It is an annual requirement by Installation Management Command to test the installation's emergency procedures. In the past, full-scale exercise scenarios have included chemical accidents, tornadoes, winter weather, aviation accidents, terrorist attacks and more.

By testing these centers before a real-world event, the installation can work out any issues before an actual emergency. Fort Carson conducts these exercises to ensure the Soldiers, Families, civilians,

retirees and visitors are well taken care of at Fort Carson.

Fort Carson is dedicated to being good neighbors to the southern Colorado community and communicate upcoming training events that may affect them through various avenues including the Southern Colorado Engagement Working Group (SCWG). The SCWG ensures synchronization and coordination of ongoing military, civilian and local community efforts in the southern Colorado region and works to establish initiatives and tasks to be accomplished in the region. Noise complaints should be directed to the Fort Carson Public Affairs Office at (719) 526-9849.

For more information contact the Fort Carson Public Affairs Office at (719) 526-4143/7525. After hours, please contact the 24-hour Fort Carson Operations Center at 526-5500 and ask for the On-Call Public Affairs Officer.

60 Obituaries



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Clethia McHugh

Clethia McHugh, age 96, died August 25, 2015. Arrangements are pending and will be announced later. The family has entrusted Mullare-Murphy Funeral Home with the arrangements.

Joseph Anthony Cassio



In loving memory of Joseph Anthony Cassio, 83, of The Villages, FL, passed away on Thursday, August 13, 2015. Joe was born in San Antonio, Texas to Charles and Mary (Raffa) Cassio on December 21, 1931.

Joe is preceded in death by his parents and brother, Charles Cassio. Joe is survived by Karen, his beloved wife of 36 years, and his Brother Anthony Cassio. He is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews.

A graveside service will be held for Joe at the Trinidad Catholic Cemetery on Tuesday, September 1, 2015 at 11 a.m.

62 Memorials

A Letter From Heaven



When tomorrow starts without me and I'm not here to see, If the sun should rise and find your eyes, filled with tears for me.

I wish so much you wouldn't cry, the way you did today, while thinking of the many things, we didn't get to say. I know how much you love me, as much as I love you, and each time you think of me, I know you'll miss me too.

When tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're far apart, for every time you think of me, I'm right there in your heart.

Happy birthday Mom, Nana, Auntie, and Beloved Sister.

In Loving Memory of Arlene Ortiz

who passed away August 29, 2006



The golden sun is shining Upon our dear mother's grave, One we loved so dearly, Tried so hard to save. Her smiling ways and pleasant face Are a pleasure to recall, She had a kindly word for each And died beloved by all. When we lost our dear mother, We lost our dearest pal. We love and miss you And forever shall. So rest in peace, dear mother, In your place in Heaven's bower, The day when we shall meet you Grows nearer every hour.

Sadly missed by your husband, daughters, sons-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great grandchildren

62 Memorials

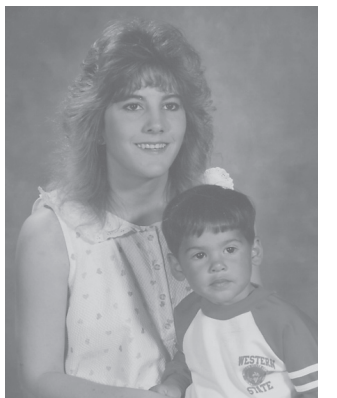
In loving memory of Mark Visconti, Jr who passed away 2 years ago August 31, 2013



ANNIVERSARY IN HEAVEN
What we would give to see you smile, To sit and talk with you a while. The blow was sudden, The shock severe To part with you whom We loved so dear. We often sit and think of you, The things you used to say and do. Wonder why you had to die, Without a chance to say goodbye.

Sadly missed by brothers Mikey and Will (Desi), nephews Kaden and Damien.

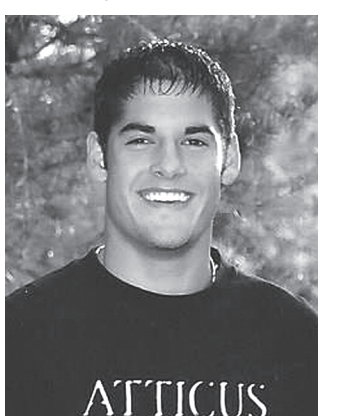
In Loving Memory of My Wonderful Son Mark Visconti, Jr On your 2nd year in Heaven August 31, 2013



Although you can't be here with me, We're truly not apart. Until the final breath I take, you'll be living in my heart. Of all the special gifts in Life, however great or small, to have you as my Son, was the greatest gift of all. A Special time, A special face, A Special Son I can't replace. With an aching heart I whisper low, I miss you, Son and Love you so.

Love, Mom

In loving memory of our daddy, Mark Visconti, Jr who passed away 2 years ago August 31, 2013.



ATTICUS
A million times we've missed you A million times we've cried, If love alone could have saved you, You never would have died. In life we loved you dearly In death we love you still. In our hearts you hold a place, No one can ever fill. It broke our hearts to lose you, But you never went alone, For part of us went with you The day God called you home.

Sadly missed by your daughters Hailey, Amelia, Arianna, and Melodie.



Cheers on your 76th birthday!! We love and miss you!!

64 Novenas

THE CHAPLET OF ST. JUDE

O Holy St. Jude, Apostle and Martyr, great in virtue and in miracles, near kinsman of Jesus Christ, faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special help in time of need. To you I have recourse from the depth of my heart and humbly request assistance. Help me in my present and urgent petition. In return I promise to make your name known and cause you to be invoked. Say three Our Fathers, three Hail Marys and three Glory be to the Father. N.A.

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