

★ LONE STAR PULSE ★

TF INFO



5 OCT 2023

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

What the 10 Plagues Teach Us About Dealing with Difficult People (from a Jewish context): **Part 5 (final)**

Darkness: "No man could see his brother, nor could anyone rise from his place for a three-day period; but for the Children of Israel, there was light in their dwellings."¹³ Nachmanides teaches that the darkness for the Egyptians was not just an absence of light but "an opaque fog that extinguished all flames, so that the Egyptians could not even use lamps." Yet the light in the Jewish homes remained on.

When we feel "in the dark" or confused about how to handle a difficult situation, we always have the light of Torah available to us to illuminate and clarify our next course of action.

Slaying of the Firstborn: "He [Gd] will go out in the midst of Egypt to cause every firstborn in the land to die."¹⁴ The deaths of so many animals and so many people from Pharaoh's firstborn to the firstborn of the maidservant happened at the same time, but Gd protected the lives of the Jewish people.

Gd protects His people. He loves and cherishes us far above and beyond our imaginations. Gd is always near us, extending His loving, nurturing and comforting presence, support, and supervision.

As we remember the plagues, we remember that Gd created nature, over which He can always rise to create unexpected miracles in our lives.

Whenever we feel in need of help or extra reserves of strength, we turn to Him for assistance. While we continue to make efforts to turn ourselves into vessels to receive Gd's blessings, at the same time, we can pause, stand back, and know that He can work outside of nature to give us what we need.

-CPL Marcello Liberona, RAS, TXSG; aka Colonel Marcello Liberona, Israeli Defense Force; Theologian in Jewish Studies

NEWS UPDATE

[Two 11th Airborne soldiers killed, a dozen injured in LMTV rollover | armytimes.com](#)

[Congress avoids government shutdown, drops Ukraine aid | armytimes.com](#)

[Air Force fields and improves AI wingmen | armytimes.com](#)

[The Army is launching a sweeping overhaul of its recruiting to reverse enlistment shortfalls | stripes.com](#)

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Upcoming Releases

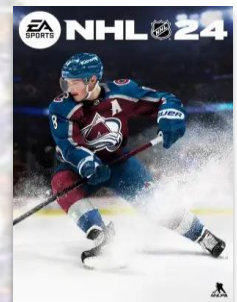


Detective Pikachu Returns
Platform: Switch
Genre: Adventure
Release Date: October 6, 2023



Assassin's Creed Mirage
Platform: Playstation 4 | 5, Xbox Series X/S, PC, iOS
Genre: Action
Release Date: October 5, 2023

NHL 24
Platform: PlayStation 4 | 5, Xbox Series X/S, Xbox One
Genre: Sports
Release Date: October 6, 2023



Forza Motorsport
Platform: Xbox Series X/S & PC
Genre: Racing
Release date: October 10, 2023



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[2023 release dates](#)



Total War: Pharaoh
Platform: PC
Genre: Strategy
Release Date: October 11, 2023

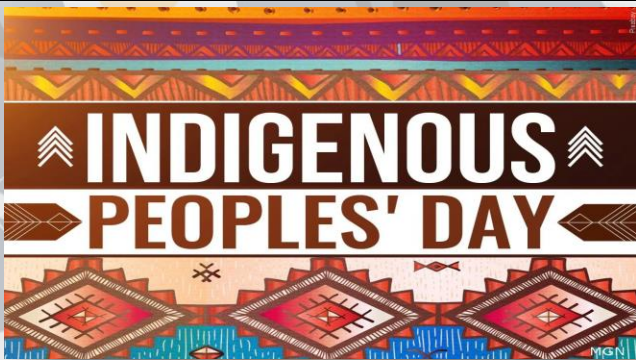
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TF BDE CENTER



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Indigenous Peoples' Day is a holiday in the United States that celebrates and honors [indigenous American](#) peoples and commemorates their histories and cultures. It is celebrated across the United States on the second Monday in October and is an official city and state holiday in various localities. It began as a counter-celebration held on the same day as the U.S. federal holiday of [Columbus Day](#), which honors Italian explorer [Christopher Columbus](#). Some people reject celebrating him, saying that he represents "the violent history of the colonization in the Western Hemisphere".

Indigenous Peoples Day was instituted in Berkeley, California, in 1992, to coincide with the 500th anniversary of the arrival of Columbus in the Americas on October 12, 1492. Two years later, Santa Cruz, California, instituted the holiday. Starting in 2014, many other cities and states adopted the holiday. In 2021, Joe Biden formally commemorated the holiday with a presidential proclamation, becoming the first U.S. president to do so.

Columbus Day or Indigenous Peoples' Day? How the holiday has been shaped by oppression



[Click here to read the article](#)

Film Club Friday



Date: Fri, Oct 6, 7 PM
Location: 510 San Agustin Ave, Laredo, TX
Cost: \$5 entry donation

Artistic, sophisticated and centuries old, two vampire lovers ponder their place in modern society. Open to the public. Snacks available and BYOB for 21 & over. [More info here](#)

LAREDO 5K
 Trip for 2 for overall male and female winners!
 Courtesy of Allegiant

OCTOBER 7, 2023 | 8 AM
 OLD AIRPORT TERMINAL - SIGNATURE FLIGHT SUPPORT BUILDING (4805 MAHER AVE.)

Early Registration DEADLINE: October 6, 2023

SPECIAL FEE FOR:
 First Responders & City Employees

PROCEEDS:
 Youth Sport
 Camp Scholarships

REGISTRATION FEES:
 5K: \$10/Day of Race, \$12
 1 Mile Run: \$10/Day of Race \$15

First 500 participants get a Cool Shirt

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A SPONSOR? CALL 956-729-4468 OR EMAIL: WAA@GOLAREDO.TX.US

Sponsors: LAREDO, Signature, RS&H, PNC, MAIN EVENT, allegiant, CIBC

Date: Sat, Oct 7, 8 AM
Location: Old airport terminal, 4805 Maher Ave, Laredo, TX
Cost: \$35 - \$45

The city of Laredo, the International Airport and the Parks Department invite the running community to participate in the 3rd annual runway run 5k. [More info here](#)



Date: Sat, Oct 7, 8 PM
Location: Sames Auto Arena, 6700 Arena Blvd, Laredo, TX
Cost: Starting @ \$35

See up and coming star Ivan Cornejo this Saturday. [More info and tickets here](#)



Thu 5	Fri 6	Sat 7	Sun 8	Mon 9	Tue 10
96° 73°	86° 70°	76° 61°	79° 61°	87° 67°	89° 71°

7 day forecast in your area

PAY DATES FY23

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OLS Rally Point



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TF BDE EAST



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October 7-8, 2023
Mission Parks & Recreation Building - Mission, Texas

MEET & GREET'S OVER 60 SPORT CARDS & COLLECTIBLE VENDORS
3A AUTHENTICATION ON SITE + PSA SUBMISSION OPPORTUNITIES
FREE RAFFLES & LIVE DJ + FOOD VENDORS
FREE ARCADE PLAY + FREE LIVE WRESTLING
FOOD TRUCKS

11 A M
6 P M

Vendor information contact Jimmy Villarino 956.232.8064
Follow us on Facebook @rgvpremier

RGV SPORTS SHOW

Date: Sat, Oct 7, 11 AM – Sun, Oct 8, 6 PM

Location: Mission Parks & Recreation
721 Bryan Rd, Mission, TX

On-site authentication for signatures signed. Autograph backed by JSA certification enhances the...[Read more on AllEvents.in](https://www.AllEvents.in)

Texas Film Round-Up at Museum of South Texas History

TEXAS FILM ROUND-UP
OCTOBER 8 2023

DROP OFF YOUR FILMS AND VIDEOTAPES FOR FREE DIGITIZATION

1-5 PM

MUSEUM OF SOUTH TEXAS HISTORY
200 N. Clossner Blvd.
Edinburg, TX 78841

Date: Sun, Oct 8, 1 – 5 PM

Location: Museum of South Texas History
200 N Clossner Blvd,
Edinburg, TX

For almost 40 years the Museum of South Texas History has chronicled the heritage of South Texas and Northeastern Mexico. The Museum has been a part of the community since 1967. [Click here](#)

Beerfest

BROWNSVILLE
BEERFEST
10th ANNUAL EDITION

@DEAN PORTER PARK | SAT, OCT. 7, 2023 - 6PM - 12PM
101 F BINGHAM ST, BROWNSVILLE, TX 77820

Date: Sat, Oct 7, 6 PM – Sun, Oct 8, 12 AM

Location: Dean Porter Park
Dean Porter Park Dr, Brownsville, TX

Brownsville Beerfest is back on October 7, 2023, from 6 PM-12 AM at Dean Porter Park Brownsville, Texas. Enjoy craft beer samples, beer games, live music, food, and more. Early Bird Pricing...[Read more on Visit Brownsville Texas](#)

RGV FC TOROS

SACRAMENTO REPUBLIC FC

Rio Grande Valley FC Toros

Date: Sat, Oct 7, 7 – 9 PM

Location: H-E-B Park
1616 S Raul Longoria Rd
#9169, Edinburg, TX

Get the latest Rio Grande Valley FC vs Sacramento Republic FC live score in the USL Championship from LiveScore.com. [Read more on LiveScore](#)
Your live football score for Rio Grande Valley FC vs Sacramento Republic FC in the USL Championship from LiveScores.com

BAILEMOS BACHATA HORROR NIGHT
at Nana's Taqueria

9pm-130am

1802 S International Blvd, Weslaco TX 78766

Date: Sat, Oct 7, 9:30 PM

Location: Nana's Taqueria
1802 S International Blvd,
Llano Grande, TX

Bailemos Bachata - Halloween Edition Get ready for one of the funnest Bailemos Bachata Events!! Saturday, Oct. 7th at NANAS TAQUERIA in Weslaco!! DJ Plaziuz will be

back and as well as special...[Read more on AllEvents.in](#)

Red Cape Skeet Shoot

4 Main Trophies \$500
Individuals \$100

Includes:
- 12 Stations
- 75 Targets
- Score Cards
- Awards
- Sponsor Goods Bag
- Great Dinner Prices
- Food & Beverages

Prize Money
- \$1000 1st Place Team
- \$500 2nd Place Team
- \$250 3rd Place Team
- \$200 4th Place Team
- \$250 High Over All
- \$100 Highest 1st Place
- \$100 1st Place for 1st and 2nd

Mulligans \$10 Each (3 max per shooter)

SATURDAY, Oct. 7, 2023
Mission Skeet and Trap Club
1306 S Conway Ave, Mission, TX

Schedule:
- 9:00 am - 9:30 am: Check-In
- 9:30 am - 10:00 am: Shotgun Range
- 10:00 am - 10:30 am: Skeet Range

\$2,000 Total Prize Money
Includes:
- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Place Trophies
- High Over All, Best 1st, Veterans Champion
- Lady Champion, 3rd Champion, Youngster

Ball and shot price winners will be announced as soon as last overall score cards are turned in. Awards will be presented as soon as all score cards are tallied.
Help support CAPABLE KIDS by registering your team of 4 - \$2000.00 Available

Capable Kids
For Questions or Sign ups Call
Leroy Cadena
956-607-6619

Red Cape Skeet Shoot

Date: Sat, Oct 7, 8 AM – 4 PM

Location: Mission Skeet & Trap Club
1306 S Conway Ave, Mission, TX

About the Hosts Skeet, Trap, Sporting Clays, Pistol Range and 3d Archery Range. Open to the Public. Summer Hours: Wed. - Noon - Dark, Sat. & Sun. 9am - ...[Read more on AllEvents.in](#)



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