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CAMPUS NEWS

TCU's The Leap runs well, though still with few riders

By Caleb Gottry and Michael Fazen

STAFF WRITERS, TCU 360

I rode The Leap, and it works.

As of August 18, TCU rebranded and restructured the seemingly non-functional shuttle bus service as The Leap bus transit. It runs five total buses on three different lines from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. on weekdays and 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. on weekends.

Though the Red Line does extend east of campus and the Blue Line has a stop near some west campus housing, none of the

buses travel north of Cantey Street or south of West Berry Street. Notably, The Leap also does not stop near Kroger or the University Recreation Center.

Still, the shuttle does seem to serve its intended purpose of transporting students from the parking lots near the stadium to various academic and residential locations on campus.

The Tuesday mid-morning buses sat mostly empty, and one of The Leap's drivers said ridership varies day-to-day with hardly anyone riding on the

weekends.

"Maybe every other bus is full on a busy day," the driver said. "A lot of students don't know about the service, so I think once they figure it out, it'll start picking up."

The Froggie Five-O Student Safety Service, a TCU Police Department program intended to provide escorts to late-night walkers, has recently limited its hours of operations to "serve only those needing a security escort," according to the website. The Leap will now serve TCU students looking for convenient transportation.

Given that students don't have to show any ID to board the shuttle, the bus routes not extending beyond TCU's campus may be a safety precaution. TCU 360 has yet to hear back from Adrian Andrews, TCU's assistant vice chancellor for public safety, on this issue.

TCU recently lost more than 1,200 parking spaces due to construction. Many commuter students who live close to TCU had hoped the new shuttle system would allow them to avoid driving to campus this year.

The area north of West Bowie Street along McCart Avenue isn't on any of the three routes that the shuttles run. Students in that area said they have to choose either vying for the newly reduced parking spots or facing a 30-minute or longer walk.

Megan Yates, a senior strategic communication major, said the lack of options frustrates her. If she chooses to walk in the morning, the lack of quick access to her car after classes makes it difficult.

"If I have to go somewhere off-campus right after class, then I really have to rush



PHOTO BY CALEB GOTTRY

Students can get live shuttle updates on The Leap website while they wait at any bus stop on campus.



PHOTO BY TYLER CHAN

TCU's newest transportation system The Leap drives down West Berry Street in Fort Worth on Aug. 24.

home because I don't have the convenience of having my car parked on campus," Yates said.

Clara Creed, a senior speech-language pathology major, said the reduced parking spaces often force her to walk even though she purchased a commuter pass this year. Her classes are on the south and central areas of campus.

"I can't walk that far in the morning, that's over a mile and a half," Creed said.

C.C. McCullough, a senior movement science major, said her commute used to be around five

minutes.

"If I walk to my classes in the rec center, it's closer to 30 minutes," McCullough said.

Students said the shuttles don't seem to be getting much use as it is.

"When I see The Leap, it's always three buses following each other, all with empty seats," Yates said. "If they adjusted the routes to reach students who live off campus, I think that could be beneficial."

Other students said that if the shuttles ran closer to their homes, they would use their services more.



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What is Riff Ram? The history behind our chant!

By TCU 360 STAFF

At TCU, we love our traditions. Traditions begin the moment we curl the fingers on a peace sign or yell “Go Frogs” on game days. But what is the history behind these customs that have become a way of life for us?

We all love it and yell it at every event we can. It is the oldest cheer in the Southwest Conference, TCU’s original athletic conference, and it might date back all the way to the 1920s.

Riff, Ram, Bah Zoo Lickety, Lickety, Zoo, Zoo Who, Wah, Wah, Who Give ’em Hell, TCU.

There is also the TCU Fight Song, composed in 1926 by band director Claude Sammis.

Verse:
We’ll raise a song, both loud and long To cheer our team to victory

For TCU, so tried and true, We pledge eternal loyalty.

Rah, Rah, TCU! Rah, Rah, TCU! Fight on boys, fight, with all your might

Roll up the scores for TCU

Hail white and purple flag whose heroes never lag, Horned Frog, we are all for you!

Heard on the hour throughout the campus, ringing from the bells of the Robert Carr Chapel and sung at special events, is the Alma Mater, written in 1928 by TCU student Glen Canfield.

Academic Verse:
Hail all hail, TCU Memories Sweet, Comrades True Light of Faith, Follow Through Praise to Thee, TCU

Athletic Verse:
Hail all hail, Glory bright Purple Frogs, Honor



Students cheer during a football game.

White Victory, Spirits True Praise to Thee, TCU.

Walking around TCU, it is impossible to forget the school colors of deep purple and white. People are dressed in it, banners are hung with those colors and floors and furniture are purple. As part of the TCU community, students see the world



PHOTO COURTESY OF ELLMAN PHOTOGRAPHY

TCU Dutchmen perched in the front row of the student section vs Tarleton State.



PHOTO COURTESY OF TCU ATHLETICS

The Dutchmen are always seen standing at the very front of the student section.

through purple-and-white-colored glasses. As students, former Dean Colby D. Hall and Birdie Reed chose the school colors because they thought the combination was beautiful.

As freshmen at TCU, students are welcomed with open arms during their first week of school with Howdy Week, which is filled with activities to integrate us in the campus community. Howdy Week was initiated in 1949 by student leader James

Paschal.

Finally, there is the all-important horned frog, the very symbol of TCU. Addison Clark Jr., professor of English and history and one of the founders of the TCU athletic program, suited up to play rough and tumble with the students, despite his diminutive size. He was influential in the selection of the name “Horned Frog,” recognizing the useful little lizard as typical of the Southwest and common on the Waco

campus.

Students and faculty have started traditions throughout the history of our university. It is students coming together and loving the school, making up songs and cheers, picking out colors and animals to represent the teams and coming up with ways to make everyone feel welcome. These traditions will probably stay with TCU throughout its history, but they will be joined by more that we create ourselves.

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TCU Showgirls: A 50-year evolution of spirit



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TCU's 1996 Showgirls waiting for the Mayfest parade to start.



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TCU Showgirls 2024-2025 team pose outside Frog Fountain at a home football game.

By MADISON HAYNES

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They began nearly 50 years ago as part of the Horned Frog Marching Band. Today, the TCU Showgirls take center stage during halftime at football and basketball games, as well as atop the dugout during baseball games.

They are part of TCU's spirit corps, which also includes SuperFrog, the cheer squad and the Rangers. With 24 members, the Showgirls are the largest cheer group. Their high-energy performances are enhanced by flashy costumes, including custom-designed Justin boots.

The TCU Showgirls are recognized as part of TCU Athletics but do not compete in NCAA events,

so they are not formally recognized as an athletics team," said Ryan Peck, senior deputy athletics director.

The Showgirls receive similar benefits to athletic teams, including travel, uniforms and access to the athlete dining hall.

"While historically the Showgirls were seen more as an entertainment squad, their role within TCU Athletics, and the larger landscape, has evolved over time," Peck said.

The team was established in 1976 as part of the marching band. They became an independent program in 2000. To get to center stage, the program has undergone many changes from uniforms and campus recognition to staffing.

Since its founding, the Showgirls have amassed a large following and earned national attention. With approximately 34,300 followers on Instagram, the Showgirls have become a staple of TCU and the Fort Worth community.

As captain of the team, Tatum Hall, a senior biology major on the pre-med track, views this spotlight as a place to thrive.

"Being the captain of the TCU Showgirls is a role that carries great responsibility," Hall said. "As captain, I strive to be a role model not only for the women within the organization but also as a proud representative of the program."

Being part of the team is a major time commitment during

both the fall and spring semesters. Members have practices three times a week, two days of strength training and performances at various sporting events.

Hundreds of applicants vie for limited roster spots.

Auditions begin in April, with selections announced near the end of the month. Anyone who wishes to be part of the team must go through the tryout process, including Showgirl veterans. From incoming first-years to third-years, cuts can happen at any time.

"If you have the opportunity to continue dancing alongside other inspiring women and serve as an ambassador for the university, take it," Hall said. "This experience has

profoundly impacted my life, and my time at TCU would not have been the same without this incredible organization."

Life after Showgirls

The Showgirls' impact has proven lasting, as alumnae of the organization credit their professional successes, both in and outside of dance, to their time on the team.

Anna Kate Sundvold, a former Showgirl and returning member of the 2025-26 Dallas Cowboys Cheerleaders, is a prime example.

Sundvold was a member of the Showgirls for four years and team captain for two before becoming a Dallas Cowboys Cheerleader.

She credits the skills she learned as captain

of the Showgirls with helping her balance a full-time job as a financial planner and being a professional NFL cheerleader.

"The Showgirls taught me a lot about being disciplined and ensured that whatever activities I was involved in, I was putting 100% into each one," Sundvold said. "The organization helped me place a high standard on myself throughout college, which has positively transitioned into my new roles."

She was joined on the Dallas Cowboys Cheerleaders' roster by Trinity Miles and recent retiree Kaydianna Davis Garza.

The connection between the Showgirls and the DCC is undeniable. In fact, approximately seven



PHOTO COURTESY OF TCU

TCU Showgirls perform a basketball game halftime show in their original uniforms.

Showgirls have gone on to become Dallas Cowboys Cheerleaders. “Showgirls is a great transition into a pro-style NFL team,” Sundvold said.

Spirit Director

Like the team itself, the staff who uphold these expectations have also evolved. After 18 years, Lindsay Westbrook stepped down as TCU spirit director, and Brittani McLaurin was hired.

McLaurin was hired in July 2024, making her the first African American in this role. She not only oversees the Showgirls, but also the cheer program, TCU Rangers and SuperFrog. In a 2024 interview with TCU360, McLaurin said, “The opportunity came up at TCU and I took a leap of faith again and I just had to do it. I truly believe this is where God wanted me to be.” With a dance career spanning more than 30 years, McLaurin has ample experience working with spirit programs, both as a member and a coach. “Brittani McLaurin was chosen after a

nationwide search due to her extensive experience and leadership in dance and spirit programs,” Peck said. “Her leadership is critical in advancing TCU’s spirit programs and ensuring they meet the highest standards.” McLaurin said she hopes to increase performance both on and off the field. “I want people to look at TCU Spirit and know what we’re all about,” she said.

Uniform Evolution

While these internal changes may not be noticeable, the constant evolution of the Showgirls’ uniforms are. When she spoke to TCU360 in 2014, former coach Lindsey Westbrook described the uniforms as “cute, flashy and sparkly.” The first Showgirl uniforms, featuring half-tops and miniskirts, were considered quite revealing and challenged the cultural expectations of a private Christian university in the 1980s and ‘90s. These uniforms closely resembled gymnastic-style leotards but have

since evolved into a western look, featuring fringe, rhinestones and cowgirl boots. It was in 2010 when the custom white Justin boots became a staple of the Showgirls’ attire. The boots, along with their Western-inspired uniform, are on display in the College Football Hall of Fame in Atlanta. The Hall of Fame uniform is just one of many, however.

The Showgirls have approximately 14 uniforms that change depending on the event and season. Each year, one to two uniforms are retired to make way for new styles. Despite all these changes, the Showgirls’ mission remains the same: to serve as representatives of TCU, foster a community of belonging and generate enthusiasm at athletic and community events. “The Showgirls are vital in showcasing the spirit and culture of TCU,” Peck said. “Their high visibility at athletic events, community engagements and other university activities contributes to TCU’s brand.”



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TCU Showgirls’ football uniform during their 2011 season.



PHOTO COURTESY OF TCU SHOWGIRLS

Custom Justin boots designed for the TCU Showgirls were introduced in 2010.



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TCU Showgirls’ basketball uniform in 2014.

SPORTS

From an athlete to head coach: the journey of Sonny Dykes

By **TAYLOR CHRONET**

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Growing up, sports played a big part in Dyke's life because of his dad, the legendary Texas Tech coach Spike Dykes.

"My dad was a football coach. When I was born, he was a high school coach in a small town in West Texas," Dykes said. "I was always one of those kids that, the older I got, the more I would hang around. When he became the head coach of Midland Lee High School, I used to go hang around the field house, and I knew the players."

Even though he watched his dad rise in the coaching profession, Dykes questioned whether that would be his ultimate career path too.

"It was the idea of losing that part of my life; I saw my dad coach and I was kinda one of those hard-headed kids,"

Dykes said. "I had an older brother who was coaching at the time, and I was a hard-headed kid, and I wanna do something that's the complete opposite of what he's done, so I started thinking about what this is going to look like."

Before he became a coach, he played football and baseball throughout high school. He continued his baseball career at Texas Tech, where he played first baseman. Dykes received his degree from Texas Tech in history and then got his master's at the University of Kentucky.

He started his first coaching job as a high school baseball and football coach at Monahans High School.

"I got hired to teach sophomore English at Monahans High School in the spring; one of the teachers went into maternity leave and so

I got hired to take her spot," Dykes said. "There was a big difference with coaching football and baseball. With coaching football, you're more involved because in a lot of ways baseball is kind of a free-flowing sport, while with football you have more control."

After coaching high school football and baseball, he went on and became a football assistant coach at Navarro College. There, he served as the running backs coach during the 1995 season when the team went 8-2. In 1996, Dykes was the quarterback and receivers coach, as well as the passing game coordinator, during a 7-4 campaign. Navarro reached the Texas Junior College Championship but lost.

After Navarro, Dykes moved around and up with stops at schools such as Kentucky, Texas

Tech and Arizona.

He landed his first head coaching job in 2010.

Dykes coached at Louisiana Tech for three seasons, leading them to a 9-3 record and Western Athletic Conference championship in his final season in 2012.

"It's one of those things you can't really prepare for, it's a lot different than you think because you spend so much more time dealing with everybody else's problems," Dykes said. "That's kind of one of the biggest roles that I had-you have 105 players and 40 or 50 staff members that kinda directly report to you and you just have a lot of people."

After two years with Louisiana Tech, Dykes headed to Cal.

When the players found out that they were going to have Dykes as a coach for the upcoming season, they were optimistic and looking forward to working with him.

His time with Cal wasn't what the team expected, however. They struggled. In his first season with the team, the Golden Bears finished with 1-11, the first time since the program started that the team wasn't able to beat a single school in the NCAA Division I Football Bowl Subdivision.

The following season, Dykes took a chance on Jared Goff as starting quarterback, making him the first freshman to start a season opener in Cal history.

Even though Goff

developed into the No.1 overall pick in the 2016 NFL Draft, the team was still struggling. The team lost to its top rivals, including UCLA and USC. Dykes said that even though it wasn't a good career move for him, it was still a learning experience and still proud of his time there.

"It was a redo and a reboot and I was really proud of the progress," Dykes said. "We improved every year. We had five wins in year two and eight wins in year three with a bowl win, so I felt like the program was in a good place."

After getting fired from Cal in 2017, he worked at TCU as an offensive analyst. He played a big part in that season by helping the team make it to the Big 12 Championship game and an 11-3 record. He did that for one season before getting the job at SMU in 2018.

It took Dykes only two seasons to lead the Mustangs to their first 10-win season since 1984. Offense ranked ninth in the country that year. The team also had nine players in the all-conference honors, the most the program has ever had.

Even though Dykes led the Mustangs to a successful season as their head coach, he wanted to give another program a chance to have what the Mustangs got, which is why he chose to come to TCU.

"When I came over here, I didn't know much about TCU and I just loved the place," Dykes said. "I felt at home, I felt

like Fort Worth was the perfect place for me to have a young family and to raise a family, football was really important to TCU, and I felt like the administration really understood how important football was but as well as how strong the academic reputation is. I just thought they blended being great at everything, which can be difficult."

In the first year with Dykes as the head coach, TCU had a very historic season. They were the first Big 12 team to complete the regular season with a 12-0 record as well as the first program from Texas to make it to the College Football Playoff, which they won against Michigan. Dykes currently is the third coach to lead a team to the CFP in his first season.

"He's done so much. I think he really helped me turn my career around, and what I was as a football player and obviously as a man," said Max Duggan, former TCU star quarterback, who is now in the UFL. "He just put so much confidence in me, and for you know, as a player and our program, he's leading our program in the right direction."

Dykes said that win and that season meant a lot to him and his career as a football coach.

"We got hot, the guys believed in each other, and they believed in what we were doing, and all of a sudden you look up and you're 12-0, I mean it was a heck of a ride," Dykes said. "The players had a



PHOTO COURTESY OF AP

Louisiana Tech head coach Sonny Dykes questions an official during the first half of an NCAA college football game at Scott stadium in Charlottesville, Va., Saturday, Sept. 29, 2012.



PHOTO BY TRISTEN SMITH

TCU head coach Sonny Dykes leads the team out of the tunnel before the Fiesta Bowl. Dec. 31, 2022.

‘never say die’ attitude and you know we lost the Big 12 Championship game, which was painful to lose, but then you know we came back and were able to beat Michigan in the Fiesta Bowl which is such a big win.”

When it comes to different opponents and teams Dykes has faced over his career, he said Georgia was the toughest opponent he’s ever faced. The final score ended up being 65-7, and the ending chapter to TCU’s historical season.

“They have a good football team, a unique team, and a very athletic team,” Dykes said.

Even though Georgia won the championship game and finished number one overall in the AP rankings, coach Kirby Smart was still honored by getting to play against TCU.

“Hearing the story of the TCU season and getting to see Coach Dykes at the Heisman

and Max, I mean it’s a hell of a story for these two teams,” Smart said. Now, quarterback Josh

Hoover is looking to start again for the Frogs this season.

“I think going forward for me is just focusing on decision-making and trying to be my best at making decisions,” Hoover said. “I’ve taken strides and gotten more comfortable in spring ball, so just being comfortable and just making good decisions for our offense, so I feel really comfortable and I expect to take big strides this year.”

Following Jack Bech, Savion Williams, and JP Richardson, entering the NFL, Dykes used the transfer portal for eight new players as a way to help continue the growth of this team.

When it comes to Dykes and his athletes, he cares about them. He helped 11 TCU players get selected for the NFL, as well as players

you survey our players, they would all say they would like to play in the NFL and it’s awesome to have that opportunity. It’s just fun to feel like you’ve been a part of that.”

Brandon Coleman, a current offensive tackle for the Washington Commanders, played for Dykes for three seasons before entering the NFL Draft in 2024. He said playing for Dykes was one of the best experiences he had in his football career.

“The guy is so laid back, everything he does for the players, I mean, he wants us to be successful, and he knows that we need to be comfortable for us to be successful, and so it just makes it that much better to do stuff for him,” Coleman said. “And to sacrifice stuff for him and his success, too.”

The players aren’t the only ones who enjoy working with Dykes. Mark Cohen, the associate athletics director for strategic and

football communications, said it’s an absolute honor working with Dykes.

“He treats everyone with the highest level of respect and simply lets you do your job, which is one of his favorite sayings,” Cohen said. “He truly cares about you as a person and is very family oriented. He’s one of my absolute favorite people I’ve worked with across nearly 40 years in collegiate athletics.”

When it comes to Dykes and his coaching career, the one piece of advice he got from his dad about being a coach is to have very few regrets.

“My dad had very few regrets in his life,” Dykes said. “You know I think the one thing he would work really hard, he went to work every morning at 5 and he came home every day at 9:00 pm and that’s what he did year-round; worked really hard, probably wasn’t as available as a father and maybe as a husband as he wanted to

be, and looking back on his life, that was one of the things he told me is to find time to go to your kid’s games, go to the recital, be more available than he was.”

Dykes is about to start his fourth year coaching the Horned Frogs. He doesn’t know what the future holds for him and the team, but he wants to continue to make a legacy.

“The best thing you want is you want your alumni and fans to be proud of the program,” Dykes said. “You want them to be proud of obviously winning games, but there’s a whole lot more to it. You know you want to be proud of the young people and what they’re doing in the community and the way they represent their school and this university and not only when they are playing here, but when they leave and I think those are the kind of people we want to surround ourselves with.”

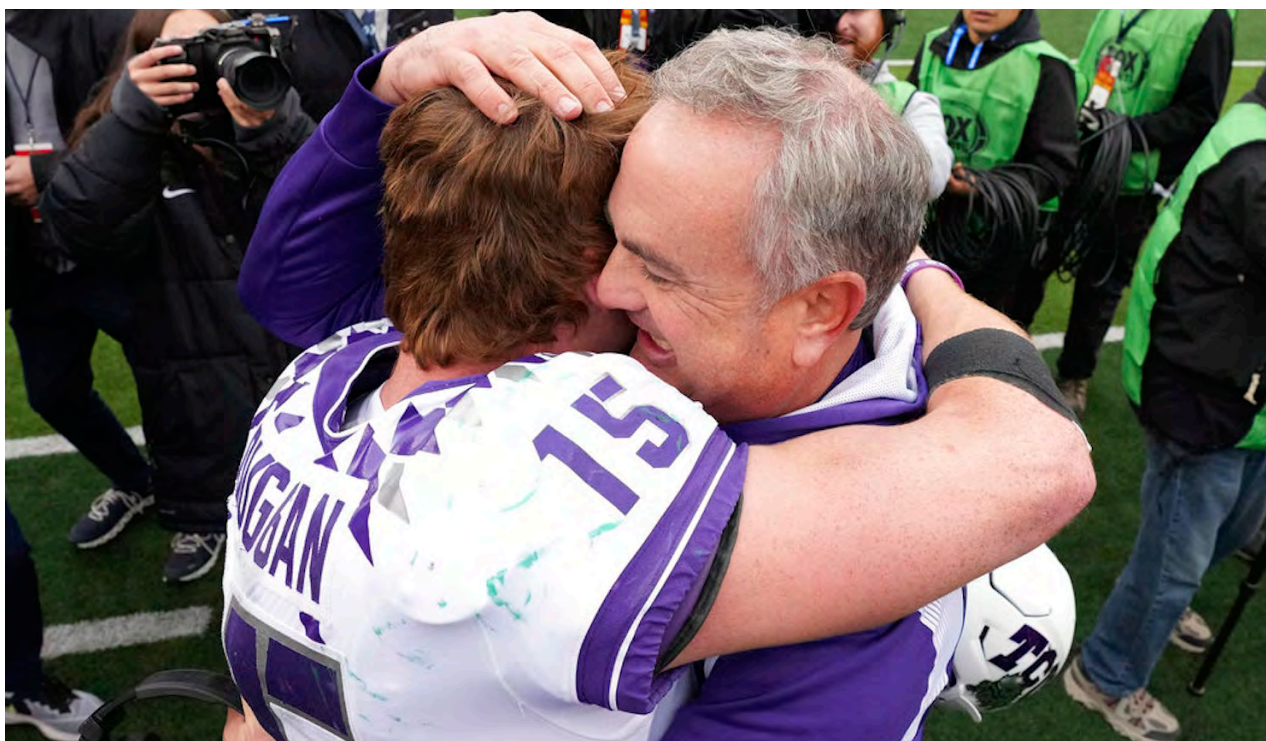


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TCU head coach Sonny Dykes and quarterback Max Duggan embrace after a close win against Baylor on Nov.19 2022.



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Horoscope

The stars show the kind of day you'll have:

- ★★★★★-Dynamic
- ★★★★-Positive
- ★★★-Average
- ★★-So-so
- ★-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★ You feel a bit excited about life today, perhaps because you have met someone new who is unusual. Or someone you already know might do something that surprises you. If you're involved with a group, you will likely play a leadership role. Tonight: Be friendly.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★ You make a great impression on others today because you're full of novel, innovative ideas, in addition to which, you're ready to stand your ground and promote what you support and believe. Because of this zeal, others are ready to listen to you and, perhaps, follow your lead. Tonight: You're high-viz.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ Feelings of independence make you want to travel or do something different today. Not only do you want to broaden your horizons physically, you also want to learn new things and expand your intellectual appreciation of the world. Sudden travel opportunities might fall in your lap. Tonight: Explore!

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★ Double-check banking information and anything to

do with shared property or contracts related to inheritances and jointly held matters. Something unexpected could impact these areas. Don't give away the farm! Know what you're doing. Tonight: Check your finances.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★ Conversations with partners and close friends might be exciting today. Someone might make a suggestion to spontaneously do something. Whatever happens will be a stimulating alternative that will likely appeal to you. You want to have some fun! Tonight: Listen and cooperate.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★ Something unexpected might catch you off guard related to work or your health. Think before you react. Don't be too hasty. You also might be tempted to spend too much money or go overboard on something today. Pet owners should be extra vigilant today. Tonight: Get organized.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

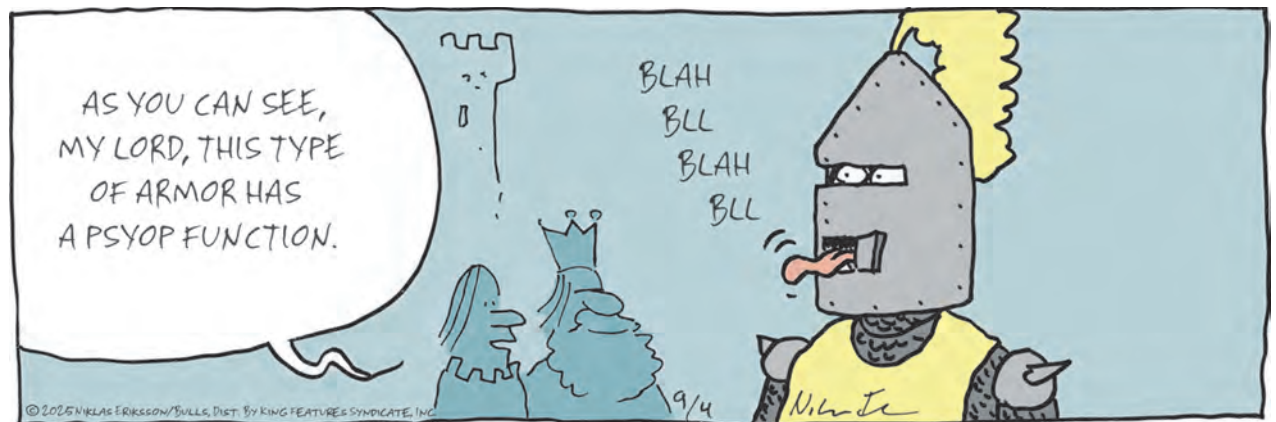
★★★★ Keep your wits about you today — you might be tempted to act recklessly. For starters, social occasions are up for grabs. A sudden invitation might delight you. Or perhaps something suddenly will be canceled. Parents should be vigilant about their kids to avoid accidents. Tonight: Enjoy socializing

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★ Your home routine might be interrupted today. Small

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Dustin by Steve Kelley and Jeff Parker



appliances might break down or a minor breakage could occur. Surprise company might appear. Be ready for anything and stock the fridge; have something on hand. You make a great impression on others! Tonight: Relax at home.

SAGITTARIUS

(Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★ Pay attention to everything you say and do, because this is an accident-prone day for you. Meanwhile, you

might have novel, ingenious ideas. In fact, your enthusiasm for something might make you go overboard convincing friends or a group. Tonight: warm conversations.

CAPRICORN

(Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★ Your money scene is subject to change today. You might find money; you might lose money. You might have original moneymaking ideas, or you might discover that

something just isn't viable. Your enthusiasm will influence others today. Be aware of this. Tonight: Check your belongings.

AQUARIUS

(Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ You crave emotional excitement today, which is why you might be a bit impulsive. You also might want to make changes in your immediate environment. Some of you will join a group effort to advocate change and new policies.

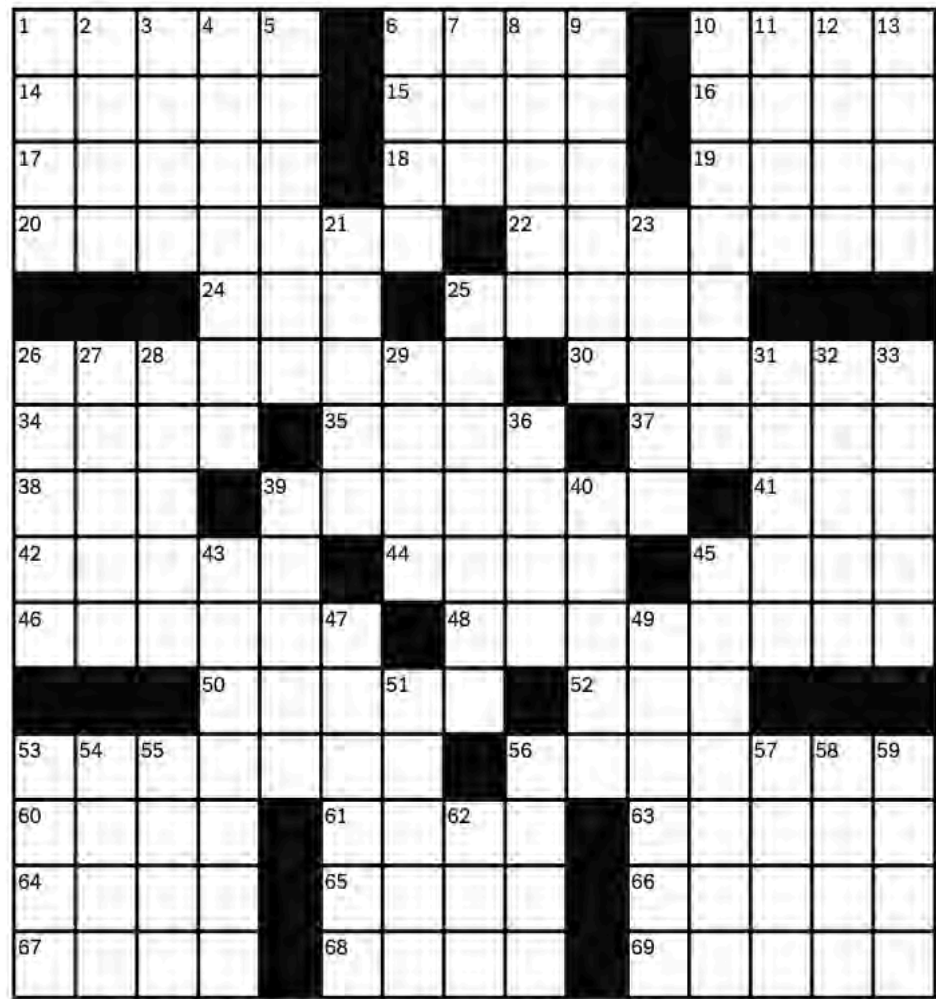
Don't leave home without your megaphone. Tonight: You win!

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★ This might be an unsettling day because something going on behind the scenes is a bit unpredictable. Perhaps it relates to a financial decision that seems to be too rosy. Something to do with shared property might need rethinking. Tonight: Enjoy some privacy.

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- ACROSS
- DOWN
- 1 The X-Men, e.g.

6 Way off

10 Blowout victory

14 Home of the White Cloud Mountains

15 Excellent sort of person to be a copy editor

16 Dr. ____ (repeated Mike Myers film role)

17 :

18 One with a vision

19 Transfer from one bottle to another

20 Ring

22 Empty spaces

24 Rita ____, "Anywhere" singer

25 Scout's work, informally

26 Testing the limits, say

30 Little guys

34 Bloom in several Monet paintings

35 Best Picture of 1958

37 Bit of Chinese New Year décor

38 Filled up with

39 Ones paying flat rates ... or, when read as two words, a hint to this puzzle's theme

41 Agcy. watching the skies

42 ____ Gras

44 Cut deeply

45 Use to the fullest

46 "Full House" pair

48 "There's no way!"

50 Award-winning Donald Glover TV series, or where it was filmed

52 Avalanche group, for short

53 Manage

56 Bore importance

60 Ingredients in many potpies

61 Baby

63 Greek goddess of peace

64 Out-of-bounds

65 Shred the ____ (conquer a mountain, in skiing slang)

66 Start of a counting rhyme

67 Launch party?

68 Tennis champ Mandlikova

69 Little brats

1 Laptop accessories

2 Thick Japanese noodle

3 Main component of steatite

4 Collection of literary works

5 State bordering Arizona

6 Only part of Italy's 900-year-old Basilica di Santa Giulia that remains

7 Cost

8 "River Lea" singer, 2015

9 Did laps, say

10 Not adding any new information

11 Where things might get heated

12 Flaky rock

13 Some spies

21 Certain military leader, informally

23 Orderly arrangements of wiring

25 Something you might sail right through?

26 Thrifty competitor

27 Critical

28 Some hunting lodge décor

29 Have a nice meal, say

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Sudoku

DIRECTIONS Fill in the grid so that every 3x3 box, row and column contains the digits 1 through 9 without repeating.

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

LAST WEEK'S SUDOKU SOLUTION

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

LAST WEEK'S CROSSWORD SOLUTION

A	L	B	U	S		A	R	E	A		A	P	E	D	
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M	U	S	I	C	N	O	T	E	S		A	S	I	A	
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N	O	I	D	E	A		E	J	E	C	T				
I	M	O	N		B	L	O	O	D	T		T			
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E	T	S	Y		E	L	S	E		C	A	T	C	H	

TCU students share their experiences of harassment after appearing in videos with famous internet provocateurs: (Content Warning: threats of sexual violence.)

TESTIMONIALS:



"It was HUMILIATING and DAMAGING to MY REPUTATION and CAREER for the video to circulate to clients, potential clients, and coworkers."



"My information was so EASILY IDENTIFIABLE from the video that strangers CONTINUOUSLY HARASSED me on all forms of social media, even with my accounts set to private."



"Countless strangers said that they wanted to either SEXUALLY or PHYSICALLY HARM ME (or for me to do it to myself)."

When popular influencers and provocateurs produce lucrative video content near campus, students may not know the CONSEQUENCES of appearing in such videos on a whim. These videos of TCU students have resulted in ONLINE HARASSMENT and DOXXING. Students have said that if they had known they would suffer ongoing harassment for months, **THEY MAY NOT HAVE TAKEN THE MIC.**

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