

WTTG-TV/Channel 5  
Program Information Report  
Fourth Quarter 2005

Program Descriptions:

*Fox 5 Morning News* – A Monday through Friday news program that airs from 5:00am-9am and covers local, national and international stories; weather, traffic and sports updates; interviews with local and political leaders.

*Fox 5 News At Noon* – A Monday through Friday news program that airs from noon to 12:30pm and covers news headlines, provides sports and weather information and gives updates on local news stories.

*Fox 5 News at Five* – A Monday through Friday news program that airs from 5:00pm-6:00pm and covers news headlines, provides sports and weather information and gives updates on local news stories.

*Fox 5 News At Ten* – A daily one-hour news program that airs from 10pm-11pm, the program features local, national and international news headlines as well as in-depth local stories, investigative reports, sports and weather information.

*Fox News Sunday* – A one-hour weekly program, airing Sundays from 9am-10am, that looks at the most pressing issues of the week from the White House, Congress and Capitol Hill, the Supreme Court and various government agencies and conducts interviews with political newsmakers.

*America's Most Wanted* – A one-hour weekly program, airing Saturdays from 9pm-10pm. Working with the FBI and various state and local law enforcement agencies, this program gives descriptions of crimes, its victims and the people wanted for these crimes with the ultimate goal of helping to capture America's most wanted criminals by exposing them to the public and getting citizens to report information to the proper authorities.

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**Origination: Local**

Issues addressed:

1. Crime
2. Local Politics
3. National Politics
4. Health
5. Education
6. Community
7. Housing
8. Transportation
9. Environment
10. Children

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**Origination: Network**

Issues Addressed:

1. Terrorism
2. Government
3. Iraq
4. Politics
5. Corporate Issues
6. Criminal System
7. Hurricane Katrina

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**Origination: Local**

Issues Addressed:

1. Crime Prevention
2. Citizenship
3. Public Safety, Health & Welfare

*America's Most Wanted*

The airdates are listed on the subject line of the attached descriptions.

**COMMUNITY OUTREACH REPORT**

**OCTOBER**

- October 5 Jill Sorenson, Reporter - Mistress of Ceremonies for NIH Combined Federal Campaign "Everyday Heroes"
- October 13 Allison Seymour, Anchor - Mistress of Ceremonies for the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Awards Dinner "Against All Odds for the Parren J. Mitchell Foundation.
- October 14 Gwen Tolbart, Weather Anchor - Host for the "High Hopes Ball" for the St. Coletta of Greater Washington Inc. school for autistic and mentally retarded children.
- October 19 Allison Seymour, Anchor – Spoke to students at a Howard University about a career in broadcasting.
- October 20 Lark McCarthy, Anchor – Emcee for the National Diabetes Education Program "Power to Control Diabetes Is in Your Hands".
- October 21 Maureen Umeh, Reporter – Mistress of Ceremonies for the Fourth District Citizens Advisory Council annual Awards Banquet.
- October 22 Holly Morris, Reporter – Emcee for Fashion Show "Where Education Is Always in Fashion" featuring local teachers.
- October 27 Laura Evans, Anchor – Honorary Co-Chair for "Key to the Cure" fundraiser for breast cancer research at Suburban Hospital.
- October 29 Michael Gargiulo, Anchor – Spoke to aspiring journalism students at the Maryland-District of Columbia Scholastic Press Association.

October 29 Gary Bender, Assignment Desk Editor – Spoke to journalism students at the Maryland-District of Columbia Scholastic Press Association meeting about working in a television newsroom.

### **NOVEMBER**

November 10 Brian Bolter, Anchor – Modeled a necktie at a celebrity fashion show fundraiser for Johns Hopkins Children’s Hospital.

### **DECEMBER**

December 2 Dave Feldman, Sports Anchor – Master of Ceremonies for an annual Charity Gala for Good Samaritan Foundation of Washington D.C.

December 9 Michael Gargiulo, Anchor – Emcee for the Art, Music and Medicine Gala for the Washington Hospital Center’s Cancer Institute and Smith Farm Center for the Healing Arts.

December 9 Shawn Yancy, Anchor – Mistress of Ceremonies for the National Black Caucus of State Legislators Conference.

December 16 Station anchors, reporters and other personnel participated in “Stuff-A-Truck 2005” to raise food and money for the Capital Area Foodbank.

PSA’s Produced:

Produced two :30 psa’s and one :10 psa for Stuff-A-Truck 2005.

Fox News Sunday Guests/Topics October-December 2005

**Date:** October 2

**Guest and Topic:** Rep. Tom Delay (Indictment)

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**Date:** October 9

**Guest and Topic:** Raymond Kelly, NYC police commissioner (NY Subway threat), Justice Nathan Hecht (Miers Nomination), Sen. Lindsey Graham R-SC (Politics), Gary Bauer, President American Values (Miers Nomination)

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**Date:** October 16

**Guest and Topic:** Condoleezza Rice, Secretary of State (Iraq), Sen. Richard Durbin D-IL (Iraq, Miers)

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**Date:** October 23

**Guest and Topic:** Abbe Lowell, Defense Attorney (CIA Leak Case), Sen. Sam Brownback R-KS (Miers Nomination), Sen. Patrick Leahy D-VT (Miers Nomination), Robert Ray (CIA Leak)

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**Date:** October 30

**Guest and Topic:** Sen. Trent Lott (CIA Leak/Miers), Sen. Chris Dodd D-CT (CIA Leak/Miers), Bill Taylor Criminal (CIA Leak), Robert Ray (CIA Leak)

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**Date:** November 6

**Guest and Topic:** Sen. John McCain R-AZ (Alito, CIA prisons), Sen. Charles Schumer D-NY (Alito), Mike Wallace (Between You and Me)

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**Date:** November 13

**Guest and Topic:** Sen. Pat Roberts R-KS (Intell), Sen. Jay Rockefeller D-WV (Intell), Gov. Mike Huckabee R-AR (Politics), Gov. Bill Richardson D-NM (Politics)

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**Date:** November 20

**Guest and Topic:** Donald Rumsfeld, Secretary of State (Iraq), Sen. Joseph Biden D-DE (Iraq)

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**Date:** November 27

**Guest and Topic:** Sen. Richard Lugar R-IN (Iraq), Sen. Carl Levin D-MI (Iraq), Doug Shoen (Polls), Whit Ayres (Polls)

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**Date:** December 4

**Guest and Topic:** Stephen Hadley, National Security Adviser (Iraq), Sen. Barbara Boxer D-CA (Iraq)

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**Date:** December 11

**Guest and Topic:** Sen. Bill Frist R-TN (Senate Agenda), Robert Martin (Tookie Williams), Bianca Jagger (Tookie Williams)

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**Date:** December 18

**Guest and Topic:** Condoleezza Rice, Secretary of State (Iraq), Sen. Harry Reid D-NV (Senate Business)

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**Date:** December 25

**Guest and Topic:** Gen. Peter Pace (Troops in Iraq), Sen. David Vitter R-LA (Katrina Update), Wynton Marsalis (Katrina Update)

# I N T E R O F F I C E M E M O



FOX BROADCASTING COMPANY  
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TO: Fox Affiliates

FROM: Jeanette Jones

DATE: October 3, 2005

SUBJECT: **AMERICA'S MOST WANTED** – Show #824 (MW-1846) OAD 10/01/05

*The following are the featured fugitives and others being sought by federal, state or local authorities. The Update (if any) gives current status, previous references, or related information.*

**Melvin Keeling** (Murder, Rape) -- The hunt is on for a man who committed three murders in a matter of hours. Police say 43-year-old Melvin Keeling's killing spree began on Monday, September 19, 2005 in Warren County Ohio, where he allegedly shot and killed 13-year-old Katie Caudill. Katie's grandmother heard shots around 7 a.m., and shortly after found the young girl's body in her bedroom. Keeling then traveled to Indiana, where he killed his next victims - 29-year-old Lisa Kendall, and 38-year-old Kendora Furr. The two women were working as clerks at the Family Express store in Remington, Indiana when Keeling entered around 10 a.m. and shot them. A customer found the women inside the convenience store dead behind the counter. Police were able to identify Keeling as the murder suspect based on surveillance camera footage at the Family Express convenience store. Once they had their suspect, a nationwide search for the alleged murderer began. Keeling was driving a 2000 silver Ford Windstar (with Ohio license plates DW19AW) that was later found in Gary, Indiana. According to police, Katie's murder may have been the result of some of Keeling's other charges. Keeling is wanted on sexual charges against a child. Although Katie wasn't the alleged victim in any of those charges, she was reportedly listed to be a witness against Keeling. Police say the convenience store shootings may have been the result of an attempted robbery, but they aren't ruling out other possible motives. Keeling is described as soft-spoken. He has a titanium pin in his neck which limits his ability to turn his head from side to side. He is a skilled martial artist and enjoys playing pool. Keeling is 43, 5'7" and 145 pounds. (See Show #823, OAD 9/24/05)

**Bruno Arreola** (Conspiracy to Distribute Marijuana) -- The U.S. Marshals Service is trying to track down Bruno Arreola. They say he was part of a sophisticated drug operation that smuggled more than one thousand kilos into the U.S. Marshals say Arreola obtained marijuana in Mexico and smuggled it into the U.S. through San Diego, California. Then, the illegal drugs were

shipped to Long Island, New York in tractor trailers. The marijuana shipments were delivered to a warehouse near Islip's MacArthur Airport, where they were retrieved and transported for local distribution. Through investigation, authorities seized two tons of marijuana and more than \$11 million in cash. The seized marijuana was estimated to have a street value of \$19 million. In 2003, Arreola was arrested by authorities in Las Vegas, Nevada. At the time of his arrest, Arreola had a fake ID. Arreola was released on bail and ordered to appear in court in New York on February 4, 2003. Arreola has not been seen since his release. Arreola is 46, 5'11" and 225 pounds.

**Christopher "German" Smith** (1<sup>st</sup> Degree Homicide: 3 counts) -- U.S. Marshals and police in Milwaukee, Wisconsin are looking for Christopher Smith, a man they say shot three men at a pub following a confrontation. On August 20, 2005, Smith went out for drinks with a group of women, including his roommate, to Wolfgang's Pub in Milwaukee. Also at the pub were three Hispanic men -- Daniel Vela, his cousin Roberto Vela, and Armando Pena. According to witnesses Smith's roommate was offended by the way the three men were looking at her. A paranoid Smith told her to go home and bring back his gun. Smith's roommate followed his instructions. She retrieved the gun and placed it under the driver's seat of her car. Meanwhile, Smith confronted the men about "mean mugging" his roommate and they apologized. Shortly after, the men went to the bar and were even seen doing shots together. Things appeared to have been resolved but that wasn't the case. Police say Smith was only befriending them to lull them into a false sense of trust. About 15 minutes later, Smith's roommate heard gun shots coming from the bathroom, and she fled out the pub's back door. She told police she and two of her friends jumped into her car and began driving. When she saw Smith walking down the road, she picked him up and brought him to a friend's house. There, the woman told police Smith shaved and showered before admitting to her he'd killed the men. According to Smith's roommate, he even confessed to chasing the third victim out the front door and shooting him right between the eyes. When police arrived at Wolfgang's Pub, the scene was bloody. Armando Pena was outside lying on the sidewalk, suffering from a gunshot wound to the head. Inside the men's bathroom were two more bodies -- the Vela cousins. Both had been shot in the head. Pena was taken to a nearby hospital, where he died a short time later. Though police believe they have now pieced together what happened that night, they do not know where Smith is. Smith was last seen in San Antonio, Texas, trying to get into Mexico. Christopher Smith uses the aliases Steven Curtis, Steven A. Curtis, Chris Smith and German. He has a scar on his left eyebrow and eye area, a scar on his left hand, and a scar on his nose. The fingers on his left hand are crippled. Smith is described as paranoid and police believe he may have shaved his head. Smith is 37, 6'4" and 200 pounds.

**Jesus Armando Dominguez** (Child Molestation) -- Police in California are trying to track down a man they say befriended dozens of young boys and then molested them. In 1975, Jesus Armando Dominguez was a "brother" within the Catholic Church. He worked as a teacher at Bishop Mora Catholic High School in Los Angeles, obtaining financial assistance for low-income students to go to college. In 1982, Dominguez became a priest at Our Lady of Soledad in Cochela, CA. He gave Mass with lively sermons and worked closely with the altar boys. Soon, the altar boys found that Dominguez had another agenda. Dominguez befriended a thirteen-year-old boy and often took him to the movies and out to eat. After three months of gaining the boy's

confidence, Dominguez molested him, frequently forcing the young boy to perform oral sex. Dominguez molested the boy numerous times in the church rectory before mass. When Dominguez was transferred to Saint James Catholic Church in Perris, CA in 1987, the molestation continued. According to authorities, Dominguez continued to molest his victim along with other boys, ranging from 13-17 years old. In 2001, Dominguez was arrested for soliciting a 15-year-old boy to take nude photos. He was convicted of child annoying, a misdemeanor. Dominguez only received probation and had to register as a sex offender. Then, he disappeared. Recently, four men have come forward saying Father Dominguez had sex with them in the mid-80's. Now, police need your help to help track down this convicted sex offender accused of 58 counts of molestation. Dominguez is 56, 5'10" and 290 pounds.

**Kendall Alexander Sr. (Bank Robbery, Probation Violation)** -- Kendall Alexander Sr., who was convicted in 1987 of trying to kill a cop, is now back on the streets and on the run. In 1987, Kendall Alexander Sr. escaped from a Maryland prison and was cruising in a stolen car on the Baltimore-Washington Parkway when he and two friends were pulled over by U.S. Park Police Officer Patrick Gavin. Officer Gavin approached the car and asked the driver for identification. Alexander handed over his I.D. but as Officer Gavin called in the information, Alexander opened fire, shooting Gavin in the head. Officer Gavin survived, and Alexander was arrested and convicted of attempted murder. Alexander was released from a Maryland prison in October 2004. Just months after he was released from prison, Alexander robbed two Maryland banks. On August 10, 2005, two men suspiciously walked into a local bank. The older man shot into the ceiling with a high-powered rifle while a younger man quickly grabbed cash from the tellers. Within minutes, officials say the two were out the door carrying \$4,000 in cash. When police retrieved the round from the ceiling, they learned it was an armor-piercing bullet, capable of penetrating a bulletproof vest. Days later, a confidential informant told police the names of the two men involved in the August Baltimore bank robbery: Kendall Alexander Sr. and his son, Kendall Alexander Jr. Kendall Alexander Jr. and the getaway driver were picked up for the August 10th bank robbery. Kendall Alexander Sr. was no where to be found. Alexander is 41, 5'7" and 170 pounds.

**Daniel Clement Chafe (Rape, Sexual Assault)** -- In July 1985, Mary Beth Havel met a man at the Oregon County Fair she thought would change her life. Stryder Styarfyr was mesmerizing, and from the moment they met, Mary Beth and Styarfyr shared a special bond. Mary Beth trusted him and confided in him. Soon, Styarfyr began telling her his darkest secrets. Styarfyr claimed he was a former Vietnam vet, a member of the IRA and a CIA operative who'd been living undercover in Mississippi as Curtis Jacoby. He told her about the horrors he'd seen, about his covert government operations and his travels to Ireland. Styarfyr told Mary Beth he'd married a woman in Ireland and adopted her sons, who were later gunned down by British soldiers. Within months, the two were married, and by 1990, they had a son and daughter. Styarfyr's tales of war and living abroad were all mere figments of his own imagination. A few years into the marriage, Styarfyr began pushing the idea of communal living. Mary Beth says he wanted to create a clan – an extended family of friends and neighbors. He wanted to be its leader. Styarfyr boasted of his lineage of royal blood, saying he was the last remaining heir to a Celtic clan. But what Styarfyr really had in mind was a cult led by him as husband to many, many young wives - teenage girls he could train to be "proper wives" to serve him and bear at least 75

children. Styarfyr used the promise of "princesses and Celtic castles" to lure in at least two young girls who'd become like sisters to his own children. Styarfyr had so much control over one victim, they had sex in her house while her parents slept in another room. As the truth surfaced, Mary Beth divorced Styarfyr. By 1998, two of Styarfyr's victims bravely came forward, telling of years of emotional and physical abuse. But just as the case was coming to trial, Styarfyr mysteriously disappeared. Police are convinced others are still falling under this accused pedophile's spell. After he disappeared, police discovered that Styarfyr's real name - Daniel Clement Chafe. Chafe is wanted on 13 charges of rape and sexual abuse involving minors. Chafe, who is also known as Stryder Styarfyr, Gwydyn Stryder, Curtis Jacoby, has a burn mark on his chin that makes it impossible for him to grow a full beard and a tattoo of a dagger on his upper left arm, a British lion on his upper right arm, and an unknown tattoo on his left hand. Chafe has traveled extensively throughout the United States. He has lived in California, Oregon, New Mexico, Montana, Idaho, and Kansas. Chafe 47, 5'9" and 163 pounds.

**Unknown New York / New Jersey Serial Rapist (Rape)** -- A serial rapist who targets young women from New York and New Jersey struck again over the weekend of June 25, 2005. The man police are looking for likes to dump his naked victims in the streets. Women in New York and New Jersey say they're on edge yet again following the latest in a sick series of rapes. Police say they received reports of at least eight rapes from women on both sides of the Hudson River and most of the cases have a lot in common. Not only are police cautioning women to be extra careful, they also want to put this guy behind bars once and for all. In many of the cases, the victims say the suspect snatched them from outside of a bar or club and forced them into his car. After attacking his victims, the suspect is known to throw them into the street in a remote part of New Jersey. While this predator is vicious, police are having a hard time tracking him or collecting forensic evidence because he frequently wears condoms. When he doesn't use a condom, he allegedly cleans off his victims to make sure he doesn't leave any evidence behind. Police say the perpetrator is targeting women of all ages - two of his victims were as young as 16-years old. His latest victim told America's Most Wanted she was heading home from a Chelsea club Friday, June 24, 2005 when she was abducted at knifepoint by the rapist. After being raped, the man threw her naked body in the trunk of his sports car and drove around. It's uncertain where he went while she was trapped in the back of the vehicle. When he finally let her out of the trunk, he raped her again. After the assault, the rapist drove the woman to Elizabeth, New Jersey where he left her bare body in the street. At this point police are sorting through other cases that could be linked to the serial rapist. While police work to gather more details, there are a few clues about a possible suspect. Investigators describe the suspect as a White, Hispanic male in his mid-twenties. He stands about 5'6" and has a thin build. He carries a silver-folding knife and drives a small black two-door sports car with no back seats. His tactics to lure unsuspecting victims include small talk with his victims to put them at ease and tells them that he is only going to rob them. He may have a late model white Jeep Cherokee with a roof-rack. (See Show #811, OAD 7/02/05)

## MISSING:

**Stephen "Steve" Duane Cooper**

Age: 51

Height: 6'0"

Weight: 168 pounds

The morning of Thursday, September 22nd was just like any other for Steve. He phoned his father, Ken, around 10:30 am to talk about getting together that evening and promised to call later that night. Ken was anxious to hear from his son later in the day, because they were scheduled to go together to the airport to pick up Ken's wife and daughter (Steve's mother and sister,) Kathie and Cindy, returning from an international vacation. The Coopers say their son Steve did not show up for the airport rendezvous and missed a scheduled late family dinner that night. Frantic, they called Steve's children and friends, but no one had heard from him. Panicked, the Coopers called police the next morning and filed a missing persons report. Riverside County California Sheriff's deputies are investigating and have classified the case as a missing adult with unknown circumstances. The last known contact with Steve Cooper was that Thursday morning phone call. Cooper works in real estate management. He has no known medical conditions and has never gone missing in the past. Steve's truck is missing, as well. It is a 2000 maroon Chevy S-10 pickup truck with commercial California tags 6W19243. Cooper has brown hair, brown eyes and a mustache.

## CAPTURED:

**Anthony Moscatiello** - Suspected Gus Boulis Killer #1

**James Fiorillo** - Suspected Gus Boulis Killer #2

**Anthony Ferrari** - Suspected Gus Boulis Killer #3

(1<sup>st</sup> Degree Murder, Conspiracy to Commit Murder) -- One of south Florida's biggest mysteries is the bizarre case involving multi-millionaire 51-year-old Konstantinos "Gus" Boulis. Depending on who you talk to, Gus was worth anywhere from 50 million to 200 million dollars. His savvy business deals such as his enormously successful Miami sub shop chain and his ritzy SunCruz Casino cruiseline made the Greek immigrant one of the most high profile men in south Florida. Gus was living the American Dream and life was good - until February 6, 2001. That night around 9 pm, after a late meeting, Gus got into his black BMW outside his Ft. Lauderdale office. He was alone and heading toward a relative's house. Gus drove south on Miami Road and had gone just a short distance from his office when a car in front of him stopped. Then, a second car, a dark colored Mustang, drove up from the opposite direction and stopped alongside Gus' car. From out of nowhere came a shiny silver pistol. The man behind the gun fired four or five shots into Gus' BMW. Then the cars drove off. Mortally wounded and bleeding to death, Gus incredibly managed to drive his car onto the main highway. But once there, he lost consciousness and the car smashed into a tree. Gus was rushed to the hospital, but it was too late. He died before police had a chance to talk to him - leaving behind his millions and a mystery. As Ft. Lauderdale police tried to unravel the mysterious murder of millionaire Gus Boulis, they realized

they had little to go on. There was limited physical evidence and very limited information as to specifically what had occurred. It didn't take long for detectives to figure out that Gus was set up. They believe someone was laying in wait for Gus to leave his office building. The one break in the case came from a witness who got a good look at the triggerman and helped police create a sketch. Detectives believe the shooter is white or possibly a Hispanic male, in his 30's with short dark hair, a mustache and a medium build. Police then began to wonder if Gus' cold-blooded murder was related to his wealth and his businesses. One of Gus' most profitable business ventures was SunCruz Casinos. In 2000, SunCruz Casinos was purchased by a Washington DC investor group headed by businessman Adam Kidan. The sale price was 147 million dollars. From the beginning there were problems with the deal, and soon, Gus and Kidan were at each other's throats - locked in a bitter battle as they fought over money and control. Now, high-profile Washinton DC lobbyist, Jack Abramoff and Adam Kidan have been charged with conspiracy and wire fraud for allegedly scheming to defraud two lenders in the purchase of SunCruz Casinos. Detectives hope that just as money was probably the motive in Gus' death, money will motivate someone to talk about what really happened. (See Show #819, OAD 8/27/05) Three men have been arrested, including one with ties to the Gambino crime family in New York. All three (Anthony Moscatiello, James Fiorillo and Anthony Ferrari) are charged with first degree murder in the death of multi-millionaire Gus Boulis.

**Featured Story – Call To Action** - A nurse helps save the life of an infant that was submerged underwater following a tragic traffic accident.

***Note:** If you have any information relating to fugitives or others featured on AMERICA'S MOST WANTED, you may call 1-800-CRIME-TV.*

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# I N T E R O F F I C E M E M O



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TO: Fox Affiliates

FROM: Jeanette Jones

DATE: November 8, 2005

SUBJECT: **AMERICA'S MOST WANTED** -- Show #825 (MW-1905) OAD 11/05/05

*The following are the featured fugitives and others being sought by federal, state or local authorities. The Update (if any) gives current status, previous references, or related information.*

**Israel Barretero** (Capital Murder, Aggravated Assault) -- March 14, 2005 Bernardo "Lalo" Andrade wanted to blow off some steam with his boys. He rolled out for a night on the town with his cousin, Favio Andrade, another relative, Osvaldo Juarez, and a close friend, Eddie Pech. Lalo and his friends rolled into Jack's Pub and Volleyball club intent on having some fun, but their good time would soon turn sour when they clashed with another crew. Witnesses say it seemed like nothing more than pushing and shoving when a small fight broke out. It was easily contained, but the calm wouldn't last long. Someone in the crowd threw a beer bottle that hit one of the people feuding with Lalo and his friends. Bouncers escorted the injured man and his friends, Jimmy Velasquez and Israel Barretero, out of the bar. The three men, along with two unnamed women, piled into a white 2000 Jaguar, and sped off to the hospital. Velasquez and Barretero later returned to Jack's Pub in the Jaguar and followed Lalo and his friends when they left the bar. When Lalo's car stopped at a red light, Israel Barretero opened fire on Lalo and his friends. Favio Andrade, the driver, went through the red light and veered off the road into a tree-protected guard rail. Evidence at the crime scene suggests that the Jaguar may have even stopped at the wreckage as the shooter continued to fire into the car. The shootout transpired within clear view of two Dallas Police officers. But by the time they got to the scene, the damage had been done. Lalo Andrade, Favio Andrade and Eddie Pech died at the scene. Remarkably, Osvaldo Juarez survived the attack. Jimmy Velasquez was arrested at his home in nearby Irving a few days after the shooting. However, Israel Barretero is still on the run. Isarel Barretero uses the alias Israel Gomez. Police say that he is known to carry a handgun with him and he is also known to use cocaine regularly. Barretero has a taper fade haircut and may have a thin mustache or goatee. Barretero is 21, 5'8" and 180 pounds.

**Arthur Lopez Jr. (Conspiracy to Distribute Cocaine, Murder)** -- Arthur Lopez's family operated a major drug ring on the South Side of Milwaukee from 1994 to 1999. The Lopez family originally came to Milwaukee in the 1970s and began delivering drugs throughout the community. According to police, the next generation of the Lopez family also had a successful racket, moving as much as 1000 kilos of cocaine in the city. The gang had their drug routine down to a science using multiple drop-off points and several players in each transaction. However, the Lopez gang wasn't the only one in town. During the 90's, gang activity in Milwaukee increased, and after a few stints in and out of jail by the Lopez brothers, a gang called the Latin Kings tried to move in on the family's territory. That's when things got ugly. One afternoon, Lopez Sr. called his boys to let him know a Latin King was heading toward the community center on a bike. Police say Lopez gang members cornered him from all sides and then murdered him in the street. The biker had been heading to the community center but he had ended his association with the Latin Kings gang. Ironically, the man was on his way to work at the community center where he counseled youths to avoid gangs. Each member of the Lopez gang has been convicted of the murder except for Arthur Lopez Jr., who's still on the run. Lopez, who has a tattoo on his upper left and upper right arms, is considered dangerous. Lopez is 24, 5'5"-5'9" and 160-170 pounds.

**Andrew M. Edwards (Witness Intimidation, Narcotics Conspiracy)** -- Police in New York are trying to track down an alleged violent gang member who they say is responsible for several murders. According to authorities, Andrew Edwards is a member of the Lincoln Road Posse gang - a Jamaican criminal enterprise responsible for large distributions of cocaine and marijuana. Officials say Edwards and his crew used intimidation, violence and even murder to protect their drug turf. One man, "Jamie" experienced the gang's violence first hand. Jamie and his girlfriend were spending a quiet night at her apartment when Andrew Edwards knocked on the door. According to authorities, Edwards and his crew beat Jamie with guns and a clothing iron. Then, they whipped Jamie with an extension cord and hit him with kitchen pots and pans. As if that wasn't enough, Edwards allegedly poured bleach over Jamie's wounds and sprayed insect repellent in his eyes. Then Edwards ordered his crew to take Jamie into the bathroom, put him in the tub and turned the music up in the apartment. Edwards told his crew he wanted to shoot Jamie. Fortunately, the police busted in the apartment before he could pull the trigger. Edwards and his crew escaped through a window. Two of crewmembers were arrested the following day, but Edwards hasn't been seen since. Edwards is known to use illegal drugs and often carries a firearm. Edwards is 23, 5'5" and 145 pounds.

**Marco Antonio Ocampo Garcia (Murder)** -- Bobby Wayne Vanatta, 32, and his wife Teresa had been married for eight years. Bobby worked as a tree surgeon, but had a knack for fixing things around the house. Teresa says that Bobby always went out of his way to help people, so when a friend of his needed some work done on her home, Bobby gladly volunteered. Teresa says the woman, a single mom, had known Bobby for years and was grateful for Bobby's assistance. Teresa says Bobby did some painting for the woman, replaced her roof, and was adding a wall to her home. Bobby did his best to help the woman, but Teresa says every time Bobby thought he was finished, the woman needed something else done. Teresa says when it came to the point where Bobby needed money and more time to continue the work; he stopped fixing things for her. Teresa says on December 14, 2003, Bobby decided to take a walk to the

corner store while Teresa cleaned the house. Around 11:00 a.m., Teresa learned that Bobby had been shot near her home. Teresa rushed to his side, but it was too late, Bobby was dead. Marco Antonio Ocampo Garcia was the man that shot Bobby and left him to die. Autopsy reports reveal that Garcia shot Bobby eight times, seven of them in the face. Police say that Garcia shot Bobby because he hadn't finished the work on the woman's house as promised. Police say that Garcia could be anywhere, but has ties to Mexico. He is known to work in restaurants. Garcia is 26, 5'11" and 200 pounds.

**Morris "T-Ball" Tyrone Jackson** (Attempted 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Murder, Unlawful Flight) -- Morris Tyrone Jackson has spent the past three decades of his life as a fugitive. It all started on June 11, 1976, when a social worker and detective paid a visit to the Jackson residence in Florida to follow-up on allegations that he was sexually abusing his children. Jackson was in the middle of a fantasy game with his stepdaughter when they arrived that day. When the nine-year-old girl answered the door, she was wearing a blond wig, and her bra was stuffed with tissue. Detectives immediately started questioning Jackson, and planned to arrest him. During questioning, Jackson allegedly grabbed a revolver and shot the detective. After a short gunfight, Jackson took off and headed for the woods. The wounded detective was rushed to the hospital, and later recovered from his injuries. Jackson's family told police that Jackson was shot during the gun battle, and probably died in the woods. Police believe that Jackson is still alive, living as a fugitive. Morris Jackson uses the aliases Jackson Brown, James Alan Harris, James Allen Harris Jr., Walter Lee Jackson, Joe Williams and the nickname "T-Ball." Jackson walks with a cane, speaks with a stutter and has a metal plate in his head. He's missing some of his upper teeth and has a deformed pinky finger on his right hand. He has a large scar over his nose and his left eye. Police think he could be living somewhere in Florida, and might be seeking work in migrant communities. Jackson is 61, 5'9" and 165 pounds.

**Unknown Brian Wells Killer** (Murder) -- The FBI is trying to determine who was involved in the bombing death of Brian Wells on August 23, 2003. Wells, a pizza deliveryman, was discovered with a bomb locked around his neck after robbing a local bank. He told police he was forced to rob the bank, and that the explosive device had been placed on him by someone else. That bomb went off, killing him, while he was begging police to free him. After Wells' death, police discovered a note on his person that instructed Wells to go to four locations after the bank hold-up. All four were within a couple of miles of the bank. Police have not released what Wells was to do at each location. Authorities are still trying to determine whether Wells was a willing participant or a victim. However, there could be a twist. Robert Paneti, a friend and co-worker of Wells' was found just days after the botched robbery, apparently of a drug overdose. Police say that there is no evidence to link the two deaths. Agents recently released parts of a handwritten note found on Wells. Police believe that the person that was involved in the murder may have made a cane gun that was found in Wells' car. (See Shows #735, #758 and #822, OADs 9/13/03, 3/27/04 and 9/17/05)

**Wanted for Questioning** -- The FBI is trying to locate two individuals who are wanted for questioning in the Brian Wells Killer/Pizza Bomber case. According to witnesses, one of the individuals was seen dashing across a busy street near a wooded area that Brian Wells was directed to go to in a note found after his death. The FBI has two sketches of persons of interest.

One of the individuals had a Dutch boy style haircut, which may have been a blond wig. Investigators are also looking for a dark colored late model sedan that was seen near two of the locations the day before Brian Wells was killed. They say the vehicle had rust on the back rear panel and white out dated wall tires with chrome rims. (See Shows #734, #735, #738 and #822, OADs 9/6/03, 9/13/03, 10/04/03 and 9/17/05)

**Charles Victor Thompson** (Escape) -- Authorities across the nation are on the lookout for a 35-year-old convicted felon who escaped from the Harris County Jail on November 3, 2005. Charles Victor Thompson was sentenced to death last Friday for the shooting deaths of his ex-girlfriend and her boyfriend in 1998. Thompson used a fake badge and a change of clothes to disguise himself as an attorney and walked right out of jail. According to officials, Thompson convinced two guards to let him out of his cell for an attorney visit, changed clothes and then used an ID that suggested he was with the Attorney General's Office. Investigators were questioning any jail employees Thompson might have come into contact with before his escape. Thompson was last seen wearing khaki pants, a dark blue shirt and white tennis shoes. Police believe Thompson may be driving a Nissan Frontier pickup with Texas license plate, 8WL-X62. Police say Thompson may have connections with the Aryan Nation who may be helping him hide. Thompson is 35, 5'10" and 180 pounds.

### **MISSING:**

#### **Natalee Holloway**

Age: 18

Height: 5'3"

Weight: 103 pounds

Natalee Ann Holloway is a graduating senior from Mountain Brook High School in Birmingham, AL. On an unofficial annual senior trip Natalee and approximately 130 of her classmates ventured thousands of miles away to enjoy the white sands and blue waters of Aruba. For five days the recent graduates and seven chaperones relaxed, sun bathed and enjoyed the Aruba nightlife. Dressed in the same blue and green striped low-cut blouse and jean miniskirt that she wore at the beach earlier in the day, Holloway spent Sunday evening partying at Carlos 'N Charlie's, a popular restaurant and dance spot where tourists and locals meet in the capital, Oranjestad. Monday morning, May 5, 2005 when the rest of the group gathered to catch their flight, Natalee was no where to be found. Carlos N' Charlie's master of ceremonies, Jose Hernandez, saw Natalee leave about 10 minutes before the restaurant's 1 a.m. closing. He reports that nothing seemed out of the ordinary. Meanwhile, some of Natalee's friends say they saw her getting into a vehicle outside the nightclub. According to Natalee's stepmother, Robin Holloway, friends say Natalee was last seen with a local resident who claimed to be a foreign exchange student. Police questioned and released three Aruban students who said they dropped Holloway off early Monday at the Holiday Inn where she had been staying, about three miles from Oranjestad. However, police have been unable to verify whether Natalee actually made it back to

the Holiday Inn at all. Police found Natalee's passport inside her hotel room, narrowing the possibility she left the island. (See Shows #807 and #809, OADs 6/04/05 and 6/18/05)

## **Tara Grinstead**

Age: 30

Height: 5'3"

Weight: 125 pounds

Tara Grinstead, former contestant in the Miss Georgia Pageant, has been the subject of a massive search in the rural town of Ocilla, Georgia. More than 100 people gathered Wednesday, October 26, 2005 in the small town south of Macon to search for any trace of Tara. Police say that Tara was last heard from on Saturday, October 22 after she attended a beauty pageant in Fitzgerald. Ocilla Police Chief Billy Hancock said she went home after the pageant but hasn't been seen or heard from since. Tara taught the 11th grade at Irwin County High School. Friends and family say they tried unsuccessfully to contact Grinstead on Sunday. Then her co-workers say she didn't show up at her teaching job at Irwin County High School the following Monday. Her co-workers contacted police and reported her missing. The Georgia Bureau of Investigation has taken the lead in the investigation and authorities say Grinstead's disappearance is being treated as a missing-person's case. Officials say they are considering the possibility that Grinstead, who lived alone, was abducted. Hancock said investigators found at her home the clothes she wore Saturday night, as well as her car and cell phone. Her pocketbook and keys were missing. Days after her disappearance searchers were told specifically to look for her pocketbook. Volunteers prayed for Grinstead's safe return before they headed out to their cars, trucks and all-terrain vehicles. Officers from more than 10 nearby law enforcement agencies are assisting in the search, which included a helicopter and search dogs, Irwin County sheriff's deputy Nelson Paulk said. More than \$10,000 collected from donations is being offered to anyone with information leading to Grinstead's whereabouts. Friends say that Tara is a bubbly, vivacious and outgoing person. They said she decided on a teaching career because she wanted to help people. Tara is 5'3," 130 lbs, and has brown hair and brown eyes.

## **CAPTURED:**

**Gary Edward Lasher** (Kidnapping, Child Molestation) -- When Sarah Lasher met Gary Lasher; she says she was blinded by love. Gary seemed perfect. He bought her flowers, took care of her, and swept her off her feet. In February 2001, Sarah they married and moved away from family and friends to a remote area outside of Seligman, AZ. There, they bought land and an RV, planning to start a new life. Sarah became a 4th grade teacher at an Indian Reservation about 45 miles away from their home. Shortly before she started the school year, she learned she was pregnant with their first child. When Sarah was too far along in her pregnancy to continue teaching, Gary got an emergency teaching license and was hired to take over her class. But Gary's teaching style was bizarre. According to Sarah, Gary chose a student named Kimberly to fulfill the role

of his "class captain" to help enforce discipline among the other children. Sarah says meanwhile, things turned ugly at home, as Gary became increasingly violent. Once their child was born, Sarah says Gary began to beat and rape her. At school, Gary doted on Kimberly, and she became the target of cruel jokes and teasing from the other children. With her parents' permission, Gary began bringing Kimberly back to the RV to learn martial arts. While Sarah was uncomfortable with the situation, she remained silent. On February 1, 2003, Sarah woke up at midnight to find Gary and Kimberly gone, but Gary had left his video camera out. Police say Sarah was disgusted to find Gary had videotaped himself molesting Kimberly while she lay fast asleep. This time, police say Sarah couldn't ignore Gary's actions. According to police, when they slapped the cuffs on him, Gary put on a show-crying like a baby. When Police searched the Lasher RV, they say they found over 9,000 pornographic images on Gary's computer, several pornographic video tapes including a video of him repeatedly raping his own wife. Gary was released by the court on his own recognizance, but immediately tried to find Sarah and their daughter who were hidden away in a safe house. On February 21, 2004, Lasher showed up at his mother-in-law, Trish's townhouse in Oxnard, CA. He climbed up on the second floor balcony and began to cry and beg for attention. Out of pity, Trish finally opened the door. However, as soon as she turned her back, he attacked, smothering her until she passed out. When she woke up, police say she was lying face down on the garage floor, bound by a dog collar and leash. Police say she was able to release the leash, and crawl upstairs to dial 911. An enraged Gary found her in the house and police say he began to beat her, re-taped her hands, legs, and mouth, and then threw her down the stairs before shoving her into the trunk of a car. While Gary drove down the San Diego Freeway, Trish says she chewed through the duct tape on her hands, and began to pull at the tail light wires. Luck was on her side. As she was pulling the wires, the center light on the trunk fell off completely, and Trish says she was able to stick her hands out of the hole. Police say Trish's frantic gestures caught the attention of a motorist, but Gary began to realize something was going on, and pulled over. Police say he began to beat Trish again. Thinking he had finally taken care of her, police say he slammed the trunk, but didn't realize it hadn't shut completely. Trish held the trunk door shut, until he began to drive away. As Gary got off the freeway and slowed down, Trish made the courageous decision to jump out of the trunk onto the road. She survived, but Gary kept on driving. (See Shows #784, #785, #789 and #800, OADs 11/06/04, 11/13/04, 12/18/04 and 3/26/05) Gary Lasher was picked up on Wednesday, October 12, 2005 in Playa del Carmen, near the Mexican resorts of Cancun and Cozumel.

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*The following are the featured fugitives and others being sought by federal, state or local authorities. The Update (if any) gives current status, previous references, or related information.*

**Daniel William Hiers** (Criminal Sexual Conduct with a Minor) -- Local and federal officials are searching for Daniel Hiers. Hiers was supposed to turn himself in on March 15, 2005 after warrants were signed for his arrest charging him with criminal sexual misconduct with a minor and committing a lewd act on a minor. Hiers is accused of sexually assaulting a 9-year-old girl he met at a karate center in West Ashley, South Carolina. The former school resource officer is accused of sexually assaulting the girl at her house and in his car. North Charleston police arrested Hiers in late November, but he was released from jail on a \$25,000 personal recognizance bond. However, when he was supposed to show up for his prearranged surrender, Hiers vanished. When Hiers didn't show, his mother went to his house to check on him and her daughter-in-law's lifeless body in the bedroom. Ludimila Hiers had been shot in the back of the head sometime between 7 and 12 am. Police have not charged Hiers with the murder of his wife, but they are calling him an "extreme person of interest." Hiers met Ludimila, on a trip to Brazil in 1994. She was 14 at the time, but they married when she turned 18. From 1993 to 1998, Hiers was a certified firefighter for the Town of Hampton. He was also a police officer for the Town of Hampton, his first job in law enforcement. After leaving Hampton as an officer, Hiers worked at the Town of Allendale Police Department and then for the Charleston Police Department. Daniel William Hiers has blue eyes and blonde hair. He may speak Portuguese or Spanish. Hiers is 32, 6'2" and 190 pounds. (See Show #800, OAD 3/26/05)

**Peter Braunstein** (Questioning in a Rape, Probation Violation) -- The calm of Halloween evening in the chic Chelsea section of New York City was disrupted when several small fires broke out in an apartment building on West 24th Street. A 34-year-old woman opened her apartment door and was relieved to find a man dressed as a New York City Firefighter already on the scene dousing the flames. But moments later, the man forced his way inside her

apartment saying he needed to check for smoke damage. The woman would soon discover, however, that his motives were much more sinister. For the next 13 hours, this faux fireman - who police were later able to identify as Peter Braunstein - sexually assaulted the woman in her own home. Police think he may have raped her, and maybe even videotaped the whole thing. Investigators also say that Braunstein used complex homemade explosives to start the fires and pulled out a gun during the attack. Police say that the moment the woman let Braunstein in, he shoved a chloroform-laced rag into her face, and while she went in and out of consciousness, he sexually assaulted her. The victim told police that the most eerie part was that he taunted her by spouting out intimate details about her life. She says he knew she had just been laid off from her job, and that he named many of her co-workers. When Braunstein left the woman's apartment early the next morning in a ski mask and street clothes, he left with a souvenir: a pair of her high-heeled shoes. Witnesses saw a man around the woman's apartment the night of the attack, and they gave police enough information to produce a composite sketch of the suspect. Soon, police received calls saying that the sketch resembled 41-year-old Peter Braunstein. But when police went looking for Braunstein to talk about what happened that night, he was nowhere to be found. Police were soon able to piece together his background and reveal some interesting facts. Braunstein was already on probation for stalking his ex-girlfriend, he has a number of fetishes and is very much into pornography. Braunstein is a writer and journalist himself, who has written for The Village Voice and Women's Wear Daily. In 2004, Braunstein even wrote an off-Broadway play about famed pop artist Andy Warhol. Although Braunstein fled the woman's apartment early the next morning, he didn't go far. Surveillance tape shows him nervously checking into a motel in Manhattan. He paid in cash and used a passport he had obtained two days earlier as identification. In addition, police believe that shortly before the attack, Braunstein bought a number of items on eBay, including a firefighter uniform, a Detroit police badge and a significant amount of potassium nitrate. Police aren't sure of Braunstein's next move. They think he may still be in New York, but may have traveled to California, Philadelphia or even France. Authorities say Braunstein speaks French fluently and has a history of paranoia and harassment. He is fascinated with the 1960s and 70s so he may wear vintage clothing. Braunstein is 41, 5'6" and 165 pounds.

**Oscar Lopez (Murder)** -- In November of 2001, police in Waltham, Massachusetts got a call about a missing man. The mother of Oscar Lopez told police she had not been able to get in touch with her son for days and was very concerned about him. Authorities decided to check it out and went to Lopez's apartment. But what they found when they got there made him the center of twisted murder investigation. When police entered Lopez's apartment, there was nothing out of the ordinary - until they tried to go in the bedroom. Fearful that Lopez may be in danger, they decided to break down the locked door. To their surprise, they discovered the naked body of a 33-year-old female who had been stabbed to death and hidden behind a mattress. After further investigation, authorities determined that the woman was Rosa Alarcon, Oscar Lopez's common law wife. Now, the man authorities thought was in danger is now wanted for murder. Oscar Lopez has a deformed right eye and two gold front teeth and may be hiding out in Guatemala. Lopez is 31, 5'5" and 140 pounds.

**Danny Joseph Gordon (Murder)** -- Police in Columbus, Ohio are still looking for a fugitive who's been on the run for more than a decade. Danny Joseph Gordon is a violent drug

dealer who shot a woman in cold blood back in 1992. On January 16, 1992, Gordon was hanging out at a local house with a few friends and was sitting next to a young woman on the couch. In an instant, Gordon fired a round, shooting the young woman in the neck and killing her. Then Gordon calmly removed the clip, handed it to a friend and took off. Hours later, Gordon was arrested on drug charges. Police say he admitted to the shooting, but claimed the gun went off accidentally. While waiting for forensics to come back on the gun, Gordon made bond and took off. He hasn't been seen since. Danny Gordon, who uses the alias Ricky Thomas, is believed to be dealing cocaine. Gordon is 35, 5'7" and 184 pounds.

**Miguel Angel Sanchez (Murder)** -- Police in California are trying to track down Miguel Sanchez. On July 30, 2003, Sanchez allegedly shot and killed Eduardo Castellanos after the two argued over debt. According to authorities, Sanchez and Eduardo had fought earlier in the month about money that was owed on a truck. Eduardo's father owed Sanchez's father-in-law money and when Sanchez and his father-in-law came to collect the cash, things got out of hand. Sanchez and Eduardo started fighting, throwing punches left and right. The fight was broken up and Sanchez threatened Eduardo. Later, Eduardo's father decided to return the truck to settle the debt. Eduardo followed his father in another car and parked at a nearby corner to wait for his dad. But, before the two could leave, Miguel Sanchez ambushed Eduardo and shot him three times. Sanchez hasn't been seen since. Sanchez, who is also known as Miguel Angel Gagea, may have a shaved mustache and his head. Sanchez is 30, 5'4" and 180 pounds.

**Darrell Edward Yates III (Injury to a Child)**

**Amber Celeste McEntire (Injury to a Child)** -- Police in Texas are trying to track down 22-year-old mother Amber McEntire and her 26-year-old boyfriend, Darrell Yates III, after finding the woman's child dead one hundred yards from the couple's home on November 5, 2004. It took trained search dogs only fifteen minutes to find the body. Though no murder charges have been filed yet, police suspect McEntire and Yates may be responsible for the child's death. The badly decomposed body of 22-month-old Harold Cheyenne Harris, known as "Doc" to most, was found in a wooded area off Press Road in Nacogdoches. Authorities are awaiting results of an autopsy to find out exactly how the boy died. Amber McEntire and Darrell Yates have been charged with injury to a child, a first degree felony, in connection with his death. Specific details have not been released about the case, but police say that the pair and the child were last seen alive on October 20th. McEntire withdrew Harold from daycare, telling workers there that the child was going to stay with his biological father. Amber's friends decided to call the child's biological father, Kevin Harris, who claimed that "Doc" was not with him and that he hadn't heard from his son's mother in days. Word spread fast and soon Amber's friends became worried about her and the child's safety. Harold's maternal grandparents also reported him missing when they found a suspicious note on the gate of Amber's home. The note said Amber, Darrell and Harold had left town to start a new life. Amber and her toddler had recently moved out of the grandparents home to live in a rental house with Yates. Team Adam from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children assisted authorities in the search. On Saturday, November 5, authorities discovered the child's body, but by then, officials believe McEntire and Yates had fled to Mexico. Amber McEntire has recently been in contact with her parents. They say she refuses to tell them where she and Darrell are, and she contends the death of her son was just an accident. As police begun uncovering McEntire and Yates' movements, they've learned that they

are no longer boyfriend and girlfriend. Rather, they are husband and wife. It appears that before fleeing to Mexico, the two traveled to Caddo Parish in Louisiana and got married. According to police, that means Yates may be charged with yet another crime: bigamy. According to investigators, Yates never officially divorced his first wife in Texas. Darrell Yates has spider web tattoos on both elbows; the word "EPIC" tattooed across his stomach and an unknown circular tattoo on the inside of his left wrist. He is described as an excellent breakdancer who wears baggy clothes. He is believed to have dyed his hair brown or black. Darrell Yates is 26, 6'0" - 6'1" and 150 pounds. Amber McEntire has numerous tattoos which include the name "Harold" on her leg; a frog with a pitchfork on the inside of her left ankle; a mushroom and butterfly on the outside of her left ankle; Chinese letters on outside of her right ankle and a purple rose is tattooed on the small of her back. She is on probation for a DUI charge and recently started using crystal methamphetamine. She loves Mexican food, prefers Marlboro Light 100's, plays the guitar and likes Stevie Nicks, Fleetwood Mac, Kurt Cobain and Courtney Love. Amber McEntire is 22, 5'7" and 170 pounds. The pair might be traveling in a red 2002 Chrysler Sebring 2-door with Texas license plate R11SSC.

**Jose "Joey" Miguel Garcia (Rape)** -- In September 2004, a pregnant wife and mother fell asleep on the family room couch while watching television with her 14-month-old daughter in rural Ledbetter, Ky. Late that evening, the victim awoke to sharp stabbing pains in her abdomen. She felt someone looking at her and awoke to a man in head-to-toe camouflage standing over her and her daughter armed with a stun gun. Anxious about the welfare of her unborn child and infant daughter, the woman did everything she could to get rid of the masked man. She told police she offered him money, jewelry, and her car--anything to get rid of him. But he wouldn't budge. At her wit's end, the woman offered the intruder one last thing: herself. Finally, he nodded "yes." The masked man forced his victim into her bedroom at gunpoint as she held her daughter in her arms. Then, while her infant daughter slept on the bed, the assailant raped the woman. Thinking only of survival and her children's safety, the young mother complied with the brutal attack, all the while, carefully gathering clues about the masked man. During the rape, he removed one of his gloves, and the woman was able to see his skin. She described it to police as that of a man who is either Hispanic or a light-skinned African-American. She also stared at his eyes which she recognized. After the rape, the attacker left his victim and her daughter alone in the bedroom. Twenty minutes later, the woman realized her attacker was gone and she bolted out of her home. Neighbors next door called police and the woman walked law enforcement through the harrowing attack. Then, she quickly went to the hospital's neo-natal unit to check on her unborn child. Fortunately, she and her children all survived with only minimal wounds. Police now had a brutal rape to solve and they feared the woman's attacker knew her. The fact that he never said a word led police to believe that he had likely been worried she would recognize his voice. Also, there was no sign of forced entry and the woman was certain she had locked all the doors before falling asleep. The detective asked her if anyone in her life matched the attacker's size and skin tone. That's when she put it all together. When Livingston County Sheriff's deputies told the woman to think if anyone could do this, her mind started to race. She says that the man who attacked her resembled her co-worker, Jose Garcia. Garcia had worked with the woman for about two years in a small shop and office in nearby Paducah. The woman thought he was the same height and build as her unidentified rapist, and she thought her rapist's skin tone matched Garcia's. At work, Garcia and the woman were

often the only two people in the shop while their colleagues were off on service calls. She says that he always seemed to pay special attention to her and in hindsight, she reflected on what now seemed like suspicious behavior. Four months before her attack, someone had put a peephole in the co-ed bathroom of the woman's office. Her boss filled the hole as soon as she mentioned it to him, but it was later reopened. On that day, the woman says there were only three people in the office: her boss, Jose and herself. The boss pulled Garcia aside and spoke to him about the spy hole, which remained covered after that. Two months after that incident, the woman lost her keys at work; they seemed to just vanish from her purse. Again, Jose Garcia was the only other person at work that day. As the woman started to recount these incidents, the link to Garcia seemed more and more plausible. The morning after the rape, police went to their workplace to question Garcia about the attack. Garcia was cooperative until he was asked to provide a DNA sample, then he invoked his right to a lawyer. Armed with a warrant, detectives got a sample of Garcia's saliva, but by the time the test came back as a positive a hit, Garcia was already on the run. Garcia is known to use the aliases Jose M. Estrada and Joey. He has brown hair and likes to wear it short. He's usually clean-shaven and was last seen with a goatee and a mustache. He is a Puerto Rican native who speaks Spanish fluently and also speaks English well - with a slight accent. He likes to work out and drinks protein shakes like Creatine. He's flirtatious and talkative and is believed to be a stalker. Garcia has previously worked at Wal-Mart and as a truck driver and may be seeking employment as a fire extinguisher maintenance worker. Police describe him as armed and dangerous. He was last seen driving a 3-door 1991 blue Honda with either temporary Illinois tags or expired Kentucky plates, 733-JTT. Garcia is 30, 5'9" and 180 pounds.

**Miguel "Mike" Torres (1<sup>st</sup> Degree Murder)** -- Miguel Torres tried to win his estranged wife, Barbara, back with flowers and a newspaper ad proclaiming his love for her "always and forever." But cops say forever didn't last long, because on the day the ad appeared, Torres ambushed Barbara and fatally shot her. When Miguel Torres met Barbara West, he knew she was the one. Friends and family couldn't remember a time when the two weren't together, yet after thirteen years of dating, they still hadn't gotten married. Torres and West just didn't think it was necessary. But that all changed when Torres' mother was diagnosed with a terminal illness. According to Barbara's family, she wanted to see her son marry the woman of his dreams before she died. So on June 19, 2004, the couple tied the knot. Torres' mother was able to see her son walk down the aisle, but she died shortly thereafter. Barbara's family said Torres became very distant after his mother died. But even worse, they allege that he also became mentally and physically abusive. So after just a year and a half of marriage, Barbara moved out of their house and filed for a divorce. Police say Torres could not stomach his wife leaving him. But their relationship had turned so sour that Barbara filed for a Protection from Abuse Order. On September 12, 2005, three days after Barbara filed the restraining order, Torres took out an ad in the local Reading, Pa. newspaper. The ad was their wedding photo and the text below read: "Mike and Barbie Torres, Always and Forever. I love you." However, Torres' seemingly heartfelt message had a sinister subtext that no one could have imagined. He went to the bank where Barbara worked in downtown Reading, and hid inside her Cadillac Escalade. When Barbara and a friend got off work that evening, they walked to the parking lot. When Barbara pulled out her key to open the driver side door, Torres jumped out of the passenger side with a 9mm pistol, pointed it at his wife and killed her. Surveillance cameras captured Torres driving out of the

parking lot in Barbara's SUV, which was later recovered a few blocks away. Inside the vehicle, police found the murder weapon and Torres' cell phone. Torres has not been seen since. Torres owned Choice One Mortgage, so he may have taken a large amount of cash to help keep him on the run. He may also be driving a white 1999 Lexus GS 300. Torres has family in New York City, Florida, and possibly the Dominican Republic. Torres, who is also known as "Mike" and "Mikey", is described as soft-spoken. Torres is 35, 6'1" and 200 pounds.

**Cell Phone Bandit (Bank Robbery)** -- Police say a young woman has robbed four Wachovia bank branches in Northern Virginia while talking on her cell phone. According to police the female bandit committed her first robbery at a bank in Vienna on October 12, 2005. Police say that she walked into the bank talking on her cell phone and carrying a shoe-box sized box. She walked up to the teller counter and showed them the box, which had a note on it demanding money. The cell phone bandit reportedly continued her phone conversation throughout the entire robbery. The other robberies were nearly identical - except the last. Police say in Martinez's latest strike, she opened her purse to reveal a gun to the teller, never stopping the conversation in which she was seemingly immersed. The cell phone bandit is 25-30, 5'2"-5'6" and 120-130 pounds.

### MISSING:

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Height: 5'3"

Weight: 125 pounds

Tara Grinstead, former contestant in the Miss Georgia Pageant, has been the subject of a massive search in the rural town of Ocilla, Georgia. More than 100 people gathered Wednesday, October 26, 2005 in the small town south of Macon to search for any trace of Tara. Tara was last heard from on Saturday, October 22 after she attended a beauty pageant in Fitzgerald. Ocilla Police Chief Billy Hancock said she went home after the pageant but hasn't been seen or heard from since. Tara taught the 11th grade at Irwin County High School. Friends and family say they tried unsuccessfully to contact Grinstead on Sunday. When Tara failed to show up at her teaching job at Irwin County High School the following Monday, her co-workers contacted police and reported her missing. The Georgia Bureau of Investigation has taken the lead in the investigation and authorities say Grinstead's disappearance is being treated as a missing-person's case. Officials say they are considering the possibility that Grinstead, who lived alone, was abducted. Hancock said investigators found at her home the clothes she wore Saturday night, as well as her car and cell phone. Her pocketbook and keys were missing. Days after her disappearance searchers were told specifically to look for her pocketbook. Volunteers prayed for Grinstead's safe return before they headed out to their cars, trucks and all-terrain vehicles. Officers from more than 10 nearby law enforcement agencies are assisting in the search, which included a helicopter and search dogs, Irwin County sheriff's deputy Nelson Paulk said. More than \$10,000 collected from donations is being offered to anyone with information leading to Grinstead's

whereabouts. Friends say that Tara is a bubbly, vivacious and outgoing person. They said she decided on a teaching career because she wanted to help people. Tara is 5'3," 130 lbs, and has brown hair and brown eyes.

### **Natalee Holloway**

Age: 18

Height: 5'3"

Weight: 103 pounds

Natalee Ann Holloway is a graduating senior from Mountain Brook High School in Birmingham, AL. On an unofficial annual senior trip Natalee and approximately 130 of her classmates ventured thousands of miles away to enjoy the white sands and blue waters of Aruba. For five days the recent graduates and seven chaperones relaxed, sun bathed and enjoyed the Aruba nightlife. Dressed in the same blue and green striped low-cut blouse and jean miniskirt that she wore at the beach earlier in the day, Holloway spent Sunday evening partying at Carlos 'N Charlie's, a popular restaurant and dance spot where tourists and locals meet in the capital, Oranjestad. Monday morning, May 5, 2005 when the rest of the group gathered to catch their flight, Natalee was no where to be found. Carlos N' Charlie's master of ceremonies, Jose Hernandez, saw Natalee leave about 10 minutes before the restaurant's 1 a.m. closing. He reports that nothing seemed out of the ordinary. Meanwhile, some of Natalee's friends say they saw her getting into a vehicle outside the nightclub. According to Natalee's stepmother, Robin Holloway, friends say Natalee was last seen with a local resident who claimed to be a foreign exchange student. Police questioned and released three Aruban students who said they dropped Holloway off early Monday at the Holiday Inn where she had been staying, about three miles from Oranjestad. However, police have been unable to verify whether Natalee actually made it back to the Holiday Inn at all. Police found Natalee's passport inside her hotel room, narrowing the possibility she left the island. (See Shows #807 and #809, OADs 6/04/05 and 6/18/05)

### **Leslie Marva Adams**

Age: 40

Height: 5'5"

Weight: 130 pounds

When 40-year-old Leslie Marva Adams had finally had enough of her ex-boyfriend's physical abuse, police say she went to a judge for a restraining order. Five days later, she went missing. Authorities believe foul play is involved. But while they say they've received plenty of information regarding Leslie's disappearance, they still have not named any suspects. Police say Leslie's brother, Eric, and his mother, Phyllis, were the last family members to have contact with Leslie. They spoke with her on the phone Friday, October 21, 2005, reportedly reminding her about another family member's upcoming birthday. Three days later, Leslie was reported missing. When police arrived at Adams' apartment on Monday, October 24, 2005, they immediately noticed some things that caused them serious concern. They've submitted some

evidence found in her apartment to the Georgia Bureau of Investigation for testing. Despite a restraining order Adams filed against her ex-boyfriend, Joe Cook, he's not considered a suspect. The court document filed by Adams claimed Cook was physically and verbally abusive, and that she was fearful for her life. A judge issued a temporary restraining order against Cook, and scheduled a court date when both Adams and Cook would appear. Although police have not completely discounted Adams' ex-boyfriend as a possible suspect, they say there is no evidence suggesting his involvement in her mysterious disappearance. Friends and family of Adams held a vigil for their missing loved one on Friday, October 28, 2005, praying for her safe return. Leslie Marva Adams is a black female who has black hair and brown eyes.

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*The following are the featured fugitives and others being sought by federal, state or local authorities. The Update (if any) gives current status, previous references, or related information.*

**Ronald Kelly Young** (Grand Theft Auto, Forgery) -- Ronald Lee Young has a knack for making other people's businesses grow. According to police, he also has a knack for siphoning money from those businesses for his own financial growth. Over the years, Young has stolen thousands of dollars from several of his closest friends and lovers, each of whom he initially targeted because of their business dealings. Young's involvement in his friends' businesses included reorganizing the marketing and books. But authorities say it was just a set-up so Young could steal from them. After gaining their trust, he'd be in control of their finances which put him in a ideal position to siphon funds for his own use. Young was also in the business of money laundering for drug dealers in Aspen, and through these connections, he was able to live the good life. He took frequent sailing trips in the Bahamas and even piloted his own small planes. Pam Phillips was one of the women Young conned and eventually bilked out of \$60,000. When Pam met Young, she'd recently moved to Aspen and was looking to start up a business. She was also looking to leave behind her ex-husband, Gary Triano who was a prominent real estate developer in Tucson, Arizona. Their divorce had been a messy one, and constant fighting and disputes prompted Phillips to move to Aspen with her two children. At one point in their relationship, Young went with Phillips to Tucson to collect items from Triano to auction off. During that visit, Young and Triano came face-to-face and Phillips' soon-to-be-ex-husband was not happy to meet her new beau. Triano handed Pam divorce papers and told her he'd made their children the sole beneficiaries of his life insurance. Soon after, Pam discovered Young had been stealing from her and left him. Although she didn't file charges against him, some of his other "friends" he'd stolen from did- and Young fled Aspen. He stole a rented mini-van in August 1996 and disappeared. On November 1, 1996, Gary Triano was celebrating his 53rd birthday at the La Paloma Country Club in Tucson. Police say the country club received several calls that day inquiring whether or not Triano was on the golf course. Each time the club confirmed, the caller hung up. When he

finished his round, Triano got into his car but before he could leave, a bomb inside the car exploded, killing him instantly. Although there are plenty of people with motives to kill Triano, police have focused their investigation on Young. Days after Triano was killed, they found Young's rental van abandoned near his parents' home in Southern California. When police looked inside the van, they found a sawed-off shotgun, a map of Tucson and Triano and Pam Phillips' divorce papers. Police want to question Young about the bombing that killed Triano and about a similar explosion in 1985 that killed a man named Steve Grabow. Grabow was a cocaine dealer in Aspen who was scheduled to testify against other drug dealers. Police believe Young is the missing link in solving these bombing murders. Ronald Young uses the alias Kelly Young. Young is 63, 6'6" and 240 pounds.

**Peter Braunstein** (Questioning in a Rape, Probation Violation) -- The calm of Halloween evening in the chic Chelsea section of New York City was disrupted when several small fires broke out in an apartment building on West 24th Street. A 34-year-old woman opened her apartment door and was relieved to find a man dressed as a New York City Firefighter already on the scene dousing the flames. But moments later, the man forced his way inside her apartment saying he needed to check for smoke damage. The woman would soon discover, however, that his motives were much more sinister. For the next 13 hours, this faux fireman - who police were later able to identify as Peter Braunstein - sexually assaulted the woman in her own home. Police think he may have raped her, and maybe even videotaped the whole thing. Investigators also say that Braunstein used complex homemade explosives to start the fires and pulled out a gun during the attack. Police say that the moment the woman let Braunstein in, he shoved a chloroform-laced rag into her face, and while she went in and out of consciousness, he sexually assaulted her. The victim told police that the most eerie part was that he taunted her by spouting out intimate details about her life. She says he knew she had just been laid off from her job, and that he named many of her co-workers. When Braunstein left the woman's apartment early the next morning in a ski mask and street clothes, he left with a souvenir: a pair of her high-heeled shoes. Witnesses saw a man around the woman's apartment the night of the attack, and they gave police enough information to produce a composite sketch of the suspect. Soon, police received calls saying that the sketch resembled 41-year-old Peter Braunstein. But when police went looking for Braunstein to talk about what happened that night, he was nowhere to be found. Police were soon able to piece together his background and reveal some interesting facts. Braunstein was already on probation for stalking his ex-girlfriend, he has a number of fetishes and is very much into pornography. Braunstein is a writer and journalist himself, who has written for The Village Voice and Women's Wear Daily. In 2004, Braunstein even wrote an off-Broadway play about famed pop artist Andy Warhol. Although Braunstein fled the woman's apartment early the next morning, he didn't go far. Surveillance tape shows him nervously checking into a motel in Manhattan. He paid in cash and used a passport he had obtained two days earlier as identification. In addition, police believe that shortly before the attack, Braunstein bought a number of items on eBay, including a firefighter uniform, a Detroit police badge and a significant amount of potassium nitrate. Police aren't sure of Braunstein's next move. They think he may still be in New York, but may have traveled to California, Philadelphia or even France. Authorities say Braunstein speaks French fluently and has a history of paranoia and harassment. He is fascinated with the 1960s and 70s so he may wear vintage clothing. Braunstein is 41, 5'6" and 165 pounds. (See Show #826, OAD 11/12/05)

**Kevin Thomas Donner** (Sexual Battery Upon a Child, Lewd Assault) -- Experts say child sexual predators are one of the most disturbing types of criminals because they can often blend in anywhere, and usually re-offend. Florida police say Kevin Donner is one of these pedophiles. They say he raped an 8-year-old boy back in 1994 and because he's been on the run for a decade, they fear he could have victimized many more children by now. Donner has been charged with three counts of sexual battery upon a child under 12 years of age and two counts of lewd assault in the presence of a child. Now, authorities hope to track him down before another child is harmed. Donner may be working in the diamond industry. Donner is 45, 6'1" and 150 pounds.

**Leobardo Villarreal** (Attempted Murder and Assault on an Federal Officer, Conspiracy, Drug Trafficking and Escape) -- According to police, Leobardo Villarreal shot an undercover Immigration and Customs Enforcement agent in May 2005 and escaped from prison just a few months later. Now, local, state and federal officials have joined forces in a massive manhunt to find him. On September 30, 2005, two guards were transporting Leobardo Villarreal to the McAllen Medical Center in Texas when he overpowered them and escaped. Villarreal was incarcerated at La Villa Federal Prison but was being transported for medical treatment after cutting his forearm. Once he arrived at the medical center Villarreal asked to use the bathroom and while unrestrained, he overpowered the guards and escaped. He then ran across a main road and carjacked a woman and her two children. Villarreal forced the woman to drive him to the Mission area where he jumped out of the car wearing only boxer shorts and a pair of socks. Police have notified customs authorities, who have set up a checkpoint to monitor traffic leaving the U.S. Months earlier in May 2005, Villarreal and two others tried to kill an undercover Immigration and Customs Enforcement agent. A Texas grand jury handed down a four-count indictment on September 27, 2005 charging the three men with attempted murder, conspiracy to possess and distribute marijuana, use of a firearm and drug trafficking. They were trying to smuggle 700 pounds of marijuana into the United States from Mexico. Villarreal has a large tattoo of skulls and devils on his upper right arm. Villarreal is 23, 5'10" and 230 pounds.

**Jason Nedobity** (Manslaughter 1<sup>st</sup> Degree, Reckless Endangerment) -- Police in East Hampton, Connecticut say a lethal form of Ecstasy powder led to 16-year-old Makayla Korpinen's death. Police say it's the first death in the state to be linked directly to the drug and that the man who gave it to the teen is on the run. Early on the morning of May 18, 2002, 16-year-old Makayla Korpinen and her friends partied at her boyfriend's house in East Hampton, Conn. This is where Makayla ingested a powdery substance which turned out to be a lethal form of the drug Ecstasy known as "Molly." Makayla began vomiting almost immediately and seemed unstable. Yet, none of the other partygoers called for help for more than eight hours. By that time, Makayla was too far gone, and died three days later. Police immediately began an investigation and charged five people in connection with Makayla's death. Two of the men - including Makayla's boyfriend - were charged with manslaughter for allegedly supplying the drug. Her boyfriend faced charges, but his brother, Jason Nedobity, decided to run. Nedobity has not been seen since 2002 and he is believed to be on the east coast or in Colorado where he frequents music festivals. Police describe him as a "drifter" and say he is probably still dealing drugs wherever he is. Nedobity is 26, 5'8" and 160 pounds.

**Darlin Fajardo (Homicide)** -- New York detectives say Darlin Fajardo flew into a rage on Oct. 21, 2005 and stabbed his boss, Robert Sisia, to death. Despite witnesses' claims that Fajardo and Sisia were good, hardworking men, investigators are still trying to piece together how and why the murder happened. On the morning of October 21, 2005, detectives say that 35-year-old stock clerk Darlin Fajardo became enraged and walked over to Sisia and began arguing with him. Then Fajardo pulled out a steak knife and stabbed Sisia once in the chest. Witnesses quickly called 911, but Sisia died in route to the hospital. Fajardo left the facility and drove away in his car which was later found abandoned about a block away from his home in New Cassel, N.Y. Police say Fajardo hasn't been home since the murder, even though his common-law wife recently had a baby. Investigators believe Fajardo could be in New York or somewhere in Florida, Virginia, or Texas. Police believe Fajardo may be driving a 2-door 1994 Ford Thunderbird with NY tags DHA8863. Fajardo is 35, 5'7" and 150-180 pounds.

**Frank Lee Morris (Escape)**

**Clarence Anglin (Escape)**

**John William Anglin (Escape)** -- At the time of the escape, Frank Morris was 35-years-old and serving a 14 year sentence for bank burglary. Morris was a seasoned escape artist, managing to flee from every institution he had ever been in. Morris' criminal history dates back to the 1940's. He served time at several penitentiaries, mostly for robbery. He is considered to be an intelligent man, at one time scoring 133 on his IQ test. Many believe he was the instigator of the incredible Alcatraz escape. On June 11, 1962, guards at Alcatraz found three dummies in Cell Block B. The cells belonged to robbers John and Clarence Anglin and bank burglar Morris. It is believed the trio dug their way out of their concrete cells and disappeared into the San Francisco Bay. Some say the escapees are living in Latin America. Morris, who has scars in the middle of his forehead, on his left forearm near the wrist, on his left biceps, left little finger, left elbow, both shins, right foot, and a vaccination scar on his upper left arm, has several tattoos including a devil's head on his upper right arm, a star on his left knee with a seven above and eleven below, a star on his right knee, a star on the base or back of one of his left fingers, a circle between his left thumb and index finger, "N.T.S.B." or "N.B." on his upper left arm, a star on the center of his forehead (possibly removed), and a "C" on the back of his left index finger. He is a smoker. Today, Morris is 79, 5'7" and 135-145 pounds. Clarence Anglin is a smoker who has a pitted scar between his eyes, scars on the left side of his upper lip, back of his right ring finger, on the outside edge of his right forearm, a vaccination scar on his upper right arm, a mole on each side of his stomach, and tattoos including a scroll and "Zona" on his left wrist, outer or upper forearm, and "Nita" on his upper right arm. Today Clarence Anglin is 74, 5'11" and 167 pounds. John William Anglin has scars on the left side of his abdomen, his left cheek and a dim cut star inside his left forearm near the wrist. John Anglin is 75, 5'10" and 140 pounds. (See Show #717, OAD 5/03/03)

**MISSING:**

**Pamela Mikels Waldher**

Age: 17

Height: 5'7"

Weight: 115 pounds

Pamela Waldher who had only been living in the area 18 months was on her way to visit her grandparents. She had lived with them on the West Coast before moving to North Carolina to live with her dad. Pamela never made it to the West Coast. When she first went missing, authorities considered her to be a potential runaway. But when they learned Pamela didn't have the medication she can not be without, they knew something serious had happened. Pamela was a sophomore at Terry Sanford High in Fayetteville when she disappeared. Pamela's family is pleading for her safe return, and says they are doing everything they can to get people who may know where she is to come forward. A \$10,000 reward for information concerning Pamela's whereabouts has been offered. Clothing and a backpack of Pamela's was found in February at Fort Bragg. An extensive search by military and local police was done at Fort Bragg as well as surrounding areas. Nothing in the area was found that could direct authorities to Pamela's location. Pamela needs to take medications regularly.

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*The following are the featured fugitives and others being sought by federal, state or local authorities. The Update (if any) gives current status, previous references, or related information.*

**Jody Kenneth Thompson** (Escape, Robbery, Kidnapping, Burglary) -- In Las Vegas, Jody Kenneth Thompson was known as "The Cancer Guy Bandit." He earned the nickname after robbing a string of bars and grocery stores and telling his victims that he was only ripping them off because his child had cancer. Little did they know, Thompson did not have any children. Police say Thompson and his girlfriend used their stolen loot to go on extravagant vacations to Mexico, and to buy expensive furniture and cars. When police finally caught up with Thompson in 2003, he pleaded guilty to a number of armed robberies. He was later sentenced to 10 to 50 years in the Nevada State Prison in Carson City. While behind bars, Thompson began a close relationship with a prison dental assistant, and managed to get a cell phone from her. He also had a job in the prison that gave him access to a prison industries van. On Aug. 25, 2005, Thompson hid in the van that was headed to Lovelock, Nev. and that's where Thompson broke out of the locked rear compartment and fled. Thompson then made some phone calls and was picked up by an ex-cellmate, who drove him to Las Vegas. Las Vegas police say it didn't take long for Jody Thompson to jump right back into a life of violent crime. On Sept. 1, 2005, Thompson robbed the Blue Diamond Saloon at gunpoint. They say he then fled on a stolen motorcycle, which was later recovered in a nearby parking lot where he was picked up by an unknown accomplice. The next day, Las Vegas police and the U.S. Marshals Service, along with the "F.I.S.T." task force, had developed information as to where Thompson may be hiding. Surveillance was set up on a residence, and police watched as a vehicle operated by a woman pulled out of the garage and drove away. A marked squad car conducted a traffic stop of the vehicle, and the woman exited. Suddenly, the vehicle sped off. Thompson was hiding in the car and jumped behind the wheel when the woman got out. As police chased Thompson, he wrecked the car, jumped out and fled into a residential neighborhood. Thompson broke into a nearby residence and stole a car, and fled. The stolen car was recovered in the desert later that day but

there was no sign of Jody Thompson. Thomson, who uses the aliases Jody Tony and Kenneth J. Thompson, has a slender build. Thompson is 25, 5'11" and 135 pounds.

**Jacqueline Marie Gale** (Homicide by Vehicle, Unlawful Flight to Avoid Prosecution) -- On July 6, 2002, Larry and Martha Rankin were preparing to call it a night when their phone rang. One of their friends was on the other end and in need of help, so the couple left without a second thought. The friends' horse trailer had broken down and they needed a ride. Larry figured he could pull the trailer with his truck and Martha could give the couple and their two sons a ride home in her car. But Larry and Martha never made it to their friend's rescue. Police say that when the Rankins left their home, Jacqueline Gale was also leaving a bar after a night of partying. According to witnesses, Gale was in no condition to drive, and told friends that she was leaving to confront a woman who had flirted with her boyfriend. Around 10 p.m., Gale was driving down an Iowa highway when she lost control of her car, crossed the center median into oncoming traffic, grazed a pickup truck and hit another car head on. Larry says that he saw Gale go right past him. But when he looked up in his rear view mirror, he saw the unimaginable. Larry watched as Gale's car hit Martha's car, head-on. There was nothing he could do but watch. When Martha's car came to a halt, Larry ran to help her and their two-year old granddaughter who was in the back seat. He managed to get his granddaughter out. But, Martha wasn't as lucky. Paramedics flew Martha to a nearby hospital, but she didn't survive. Police charged Jacqueline Gale, with operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. Reports say at the time of the accident, Gale's blood alcohol level was twice the legal limit. On July 3, 2002, Jacqueline Gale was supposed to appear in court and plead guilty to the charge, but she never showed up. Police say Gale decided to skip town and she hasn't been seen since. Gale has "Dean 9-10-01" tattooed on her right arm and a crab on her right leg. Gale is 46, 5'3" and 145 pounds.

**Patty Ann Kenley**

**Phillip J. Kenley** (Aggravated Sexual Assault Of A Child, Unlawful Flight to Avoid Prosecution) -- Police in Collin County, Texas say Patty Ann Kenley and her husband Phillip are pedophiles. According to authorities, between April and June 1997, Patty sexually assaulted an 11-year-old boy in her husband's presence. They say Phillip simply watched, allowing the disgusting sex crimes to take place. On June 13, 1997 arrest warrants were issued and the Kenleys were taken into custody later that day. However, like so many other criminals, they posted bond and didn't show up for their scheduled court date. Police believe the pair fled together and may still be traveling together, but they also say it's possible they've parted ways. Now, both are wanted for sexual assault and unlawful flight to avoid prosecution. Police believe they may have ties to Springville, Ark., but could be anywhere. Patty, who is also known as Pattyann Hutson Kenley, has a small scar on her left buttock and a scar on her right leg. Patty Kenley is 37, 5'8" and 200 pounds. Phillip has an unknown tattoo on his right arm. He has previously worked for a waste management company. Phillip Kenley is 6'0" and 175 pounds.

**Sherry Denise Halligan** (Murder) -- Chicago authorities are trying to track down alleged killer Sherry Halligan, who they say confessed to the murder of Dennis Campbell. However, before justice could be served, she took off. According to officials, Halligan and Dennis Campbell dated in 2000 when they both lived near each other in the Chicago suburbs. For about a year, say they were involved in steamy relationship. Things started to taper off when Dennis

moved to Florida, where he eventually fell in love and got engaged to another woman. In January 2003, Dennis Campbell came back to the Windy City for a corporate training session and where he met Halligan at his hotel and went out to dinner with one of Dennis' colleagues. Later that evening, Dennis and Halligan went back to her home for a private conversation. Dennis had planned to break things off for good with Halligan and focus on his new life and new love in Florida. But when he tried to end the relationship and cut Halligan off financially, the conversation got ugly. During the argument, Halligan grabbed a gun and shot Dennis five times and left him to die. Halligan jumped in her car and drove around all night as he slowly bled to death in her home. The next day Halligan went to the LaGrange Police station and made a chilling confession. Halligan said she shot Dennis and then drove along Highway 55 and threw the gun and her bloody clothes out the window. Halligan was arrested and charged with murder. Halligan was released on bond and attended some of her initial hearings. But, agents say she eventually just stopped showing up for court. Several months later, police found Halligan's car at Midway Airport in Chicago, and now federal officials are involved in the hunt for Halligan. Halligan has prior arrests for prostitution. He is 46, 5'3" and 110 pounds.

**Maria Gomez (Theft)** -- Police say Maria Gomez is a scam artist who bilked trusting senior citizens out of thousands of dollars. Gomez is part of a crew that runs a "Latin Lotto" scam that targets the elderly because they are more trusting and less likely to detect something fishy. The "Latin Lotto" crew makes its money by approaching an elderly person and pretends to have a winning lottery ticket. The scammer tells their victim they can't claim their winnings because they're in the country illegally. Promising to repay their victim plus give them a portion of their winnings, the scammer then asks the victim to withdraw the winnings from their bank account. As soon as the scammer has the money, they flee. Maria Gomez is one of three suspects who participated in these "Latin Lotto" scams in 2003. One elderly mark was scammed out of \$24,000. Police in Wheaton, Ill. were able to identify Gomez as a suspect after comparing her fingerprints to those recovered from a crime scene. The victim confirmed Gomez's involvement by identifying her photograph. Once the authorities found out who Gomez was, they learned that she had already been arrested for the same crime in Hialeah, Fla. Police were able to catch up with her in May 2002 when she was using the alias, "Maria Lucia Hernandez-Suarez." She is now on the run, and has an active warrant for her arrest in Wheaton. Gomez is 53, 5'0" and 130 pounds.

**Darrell Edwards Yates III (Injury to a Child)**

**Amber Celeste McEntire (Injury to a Child)** -- Police in Texas are trying to track down 22-year-old mother Amber McEntire and her 26-year-old boyfriend, Darrell Yates III, after finding the woman's child dead one hundred yards from the couple's home on November 5, 2004. It took trained search dogs only fifteen minutes to find the body. Though no murder charges have been filed yet, police suspect McEntire and Yates may be responsible for the child's death. The badly decomposed body of 22-month-old Harold Cheyenne Harris, known as "Doc" to most, was found in a wooded area off Press Road in Nacogdoches. Authorities are awaiting results of an autopsy to find out exactly how the boy died. Amber McEntire and Darrell Yates have been charged with injury to a child, a first degree felony, in connection with his death. Specific details have not been released about the case, but police say that the pair and the child were last seen alive on October 20th. McEntire withdrew Harold from daycare, telling workers there that the

child was going to stay with his biological father. Amber's friends decided to call the child's biological father, Kevin Harris, who claimed that "Doc" was not with him and that he hadn't heard from his son's mother in days. Word spread fast and soon Amber's friends became worried about her and the child's safety. Harold's maternal grandparents also reported him missing when they found a suspicious note on the gate of Amber's home. The note said Amber, Darrell and Harold had left town to start a new life. Amber and her toddler had recently moved out of the grandparents home to live in a rental house with Yates. Team Adam from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children assisted authorities in the search. On Saturday, November 5, authorities discovered the child's body, but by then, officials believe McEntire and Yates had fled to Mexico. Amber McEntire has recently been in contact with her parents. They say she refuses to tell them where she and Darrell are, and she contends the death of her son was just an accident. As police begun uncovering McEntire and Yates' movements, they've learned that they are no longer boyfriend and girlfriend. Rather, they are husband and wife. It appears that before fleeing to Mexico, the two traveled to Caddo Parish in Louisiana and got married. According to police, that means Yates may be charged with yet another crime: bigamy. According to investigators, Yates never officially divorced his first wife in Texas. Darrell Yates has spider web tattoos on both elbows; the word "EPIC" tattooed across his stomach and an unknown circular tattoo on the inside of his left wrist. He is described as an excellent breakdancer who wears baggy clothes. He is believed to have dyed his hair brown or black. Darrell Yates is 26, 6'0"- 6'1" and 150 pounds. Amber McEntire has numerous tattoos which include the name "Harold" on her leg; a frog with a pitchfork on the inside of her left ankle; a mushroom and butterfly on the outside of her left ankle; Chinese letters on outside of her right ankle and a purple rose is tattooed on the small of her back. She is on probation for a DUI charge and recently started using crystal methamphetamine. She loves Mexican food, prefers Marlboro Light 100's, plays the guitar and likes Stevie Nicks, Fleetwood Mac, Kurt Cobain and Courtney Love. Amber McEntire is 22, 5'7" and 170 pounds. The pair might be traveling in a red 2002 Chrysler Sebring 2-door with Texas license plate R11SSC. (See Show #826, OAD 11/12/05)

**Roberto Solis (Bank Larceny)** -- The Nevada FBI and Las Vegas police are looking for Robert Solis who participated in an \$3 million dollar armored car heist with his girlfriend, Heather Tallchief, on October 1, 1993. Heather Tallchief, a native of Buffalo, New York, was hired by Loomis in Las Vegas as an armed guard/driver. On October 1, 1993 Tallchief drove a Loomis armored van to Circus Circus Hotel and Casino, where she dropped off two co-workers to make a delivery. The co-workers went inside to fill ATM machines, while Tallchief waited for them outside in the van. When they came back out of the casino, the van, Tallchief and the money had disappeared. The van was found abandoned in Las Vegas on the morning of October 13. Investigation of Tallchief's residence, which had been vacated the day before the robbery, indicated that she was living with her boyfriend, Julius Gabriel Sauve. The FBI positively identified Sauve through fingerprints as Roberto Solis. Agents traced Tallchief and Solis to Denver, Colorado the day of the heist. Approximately one week later, they were traced to Miami, Florida where authorities intercepted two passports in the mail on their way to Tallchief and Solis. Tallchief turned herself in and now faces federal charges but Solis is still on the run. Solis' aliases include Julio Garrett Sauve, Roberto Ignacio Zelaya, Pancho Aguilera, Pancho Agila, Pancho Aguilar, Miguel Angel Dominguez, and Joseph Anthony Panura. He has tattoos on his right forearm of the Spanish words "esta vida loca." He has curly hair, but his most

noticeable feature is his eyes. He has an eye disease called "exophthalmoses," which renders his eyes very sensitive to light. He sometimes looks "bug-eyed," sometimes wears a patch over one eye, and may wear glasses or blue contact lenses over his naturally brown eyes. He enjoys writing poetry and fancies himself an art collector. Solis is 60, 5'10" and 152 pounds. Authorities warn that both Tallchief and Solis should be considered armed and dangerous. (See Shows #594, #698, #748, #775 and #811, OADs 7/8/00, 11/23/02, 1/10/04, 8/07/04 and 7/02/05)

**Ronald Kelly Young** (Grand Theft Auto, Forgery) -- Ronald Lee Young has a knack for making other people's businesses grow. According to police, he also has a knack for siphoning money from those businesses for his own financial growth. Over the years, Young has stolen thousands of dollars from several of his closest friends and lovers, each of whom he initially targeted because of their business dealings. Young's involvement in his friends' businesses included reorganizing the marketing and books. But authorities say it was just a set-up so Young could steal from them. After gaining their trust, he'd be in control of their finances which put him in a ideal position to siphon funds for his own use. Young was also in the business of money laundering for drug dealers in Aspen, and through these connections, he was able to live the good life. He took frequent sailing trips in the Bahamas and even piloted his own small planes. Pam Phillips was one of the women Young conned and eventually bilked out of \$60,000. When Pam met Young, she'd recently moved to Aspen and was looking to start up a business. She was also looking to leave behind her ex-husband, Gary Triano who was a prominent real estate developer in Tucson, Arizona. Their divorce had been a messy one, and constant fighting and disputes prompted Phillips to move to Aspen with her two children. At one point in their relationship, Young went with Phillips to Tucson to collect items from Triano to auction off. During that visit, Young and Triano came face-to-face and Phillips' soon-to-be-ex-husband was not happy to meet her new beau. Triano handed Pam divorce papers and told her he'd made their children the sole beneficiaries of his life insurance. Soon after, Pam discovered Young had been stealing from her and left him. Although she didn't file charges against him, some of his other "friends" he'd stolen from did- and Young fled Aspen. He stole a rented mini-van in August 1996 and disappeared. On November 1, 1996, Gary Triano was celebrating his 53rd birthday at the La Paloma Country Club in Tucson. Police say the country club received several calls that day inquiring whether or not Triano was on the golf course. Each time the club confirmed, the caller hung up. When he finished his round, Triano got into his car but before he could leave, a bomb inside the car exploded, killing him instantly. Although there are plenty of people with motives to kill Triano, police have focused their investigation on Young. Days after Triano was killed, they found Young's rental van abandoned near his parents' home in Southern California. When police looked inside the van, they found a sawed-off shotgun, a map of Tucson and Triano and Pam Phillips' divorce papers. Police want to question Young about the bombing that killed Triano and about a similar explosion in 1985 that killed a man named Steve Grabow. Grabow was a cocaine dealer in Aspen who was scheduled to testify against other drug dealers. Police believe Young is the missing link in solving these bombing murders. Ronald Young uses the alias Kelly Young. He is 63, 6'6" and 240 pounds. (See Show #827, OAD 11/19/05)

## **MISSING:**

### **Lindsay Marie Harris**

Age: 21

Height: 5'6"

Weight: 120 pounds

Lindsay Harris left her small hometown of Skaneateles, N.Y in January 2003 with a plan to drive to California eager to start a new and adventurous chapter of her life. The shy, funny 19 year old had a new boyfriend, then-26-year-old Solomon Barron, whom she had met at a jazz festival in Syracuse. Solomon was a hip-hop promoter with businesses in Syracuse and Las Vegas, and it was there in Sin City that Lindsay planned to start anew. Initially, Lindsay lived with her aunt in San Diego, but two months later relocated to Las Vegas and secretly moved in with Solomon. Martha and Robert Harris, Lindsay's parents, knew nothing of Solomon Barron until Christmas 2004, when she brought him home. On May 5, 2005, Solomon was called the Harris home to inform them that Lindsay was missing. Shortly after she had moved in with Solomon, Lindsay told her family she was dancing in a nightclub. But they didn't know about the double life she was really leading. Her disappearance quickly exposed the truth, however. She was working as an escort in Las Vegas, and was even arrested for solicitation. Yet despite the sting of this reality, Lindsay's parents are only concerned with finding their daughter. Police say Lindsay made a bank deposit near her home in Henderson, Nevada at 3:36 p.m. on Wednesday, May 4. This is the last independent confirmed sighting of the young woman. Lindsay's boyfriend, Solomon, was in Syracuse, N.Y. during the time of her disappearance. Solomon says he received a voicemail message from Lindsay nearly twelve hours after her trip to the bank on the morning of Thursday, May 5, 2005. Solomon says Lindsay said she was leaving the Monte Carlo Casino and heading to the Luxor Casino where her Mercedes was parked. After calling Lindsay's cell phone repeatedly with no success, a concerned Solomon flew right back to Las Vegas. He later phoned the Harris' to find out if they had heard from their daughter. Las Vegas Metro Police found Lindsay's car on May 9 in a parking lot between the Excalibur and Luxor casinos. At the time of her disappearance, Lindsay had blonde hair and blue eyes. Lindsay has used the aliases Sara Mills and Sylvia Olen.

### **Ashley Martinez**

Age: 16

Height: 5'3"

Weight: 110 pounds

Fun-loving Ashley Martinez, 15, enjoyed swimming and spent hours at the neighborhood's public swimming pool in St. Joseph, Mo. On July 6, 2004, Ashley's mother, Tammy Navinskey, dropped Ashley and her younger brother off at Krug Pool. But when Tammy returned later to pick up her children, her son was the only one waiting for her. Ashley was nowhere to be found. Tammy quickly contacted local authorities to report her daughter missing, and investigators learned that Ashley had mentioned to friends that she was going to run away. Police say their

investigation revealed that Ashley was seeing an older man named Christopher Hart. Hart had promised to take Ashley to California one day. Hart, a 32-year-old convicted felon, lived near the teen's home. He had been under electronic home confinement for a second-degree assault conviction, and was also convicted of drug possession, unlawful use of a weapon and resisting arrest. Earlier that summer, Hart had been arrested for stealing a woman's purse. He claimed to be Raymond M. Price, but police later found out that was a relative's name. Hart was released from the Thurston County Jail, but was sought on a warrant under the name "Price" after he failed to appear in court. Police then issued a warrant for Hart's arrest and discovered that he had disappeared on the same day as Ashley. Law enforcement authorities quickly initiated a search for Ashley, and a description of Hart went out to all state and national law enforcement agencies. Ashley's mother told the police that her daughter had run away before, but was never gone for long. This time, Ashley left with just the clothes on her back, and didn't even have the medication she needed for her bipolar disorder. On Sept. 7, 2004, Washington police arrested Christopher Hart on charges of purse-snatching. Ashley Martinez was not with him when he was caught and police say he was uncooperative when questioned about her whereabouts. Ashley was last seen wearing denim shorts, a black top with red cherries and white Reebok tennis shoes. Ashley has a scar on her left arm and has piercings on her tongue, navel and ears. Law enforcement authorities still consider hers an open case, and are treating Ashley as missing and endangered.

### **CAPTURED:**

**Heather Catherine Tallchief** (Bank Larceny) -- Heather Tallchief, who is accused of the 993 heist of a Loomis Armored car van filled with \$3.15 million dollars, turned herself in to Las Vegas authorities on Sept. 15, 2005 after more than 10 years on the run. Heather Tallchief is accused of planning the elaborate heist of a loaded armored car with her boyfriend, Roberto Solis, and then taking off with the cash. Tallchief was accompanied by her lawyer when she surrendered at U.S. District Court in Las Vegas. He said she was tired of hiding, and wanted her 10-year-old son to have a chance at living a normal life. Her lawyer said Solis "brainwashed" her into participating. Tallchief eluded authorities by living under an assumed name and working as a maid and other cash-only jobs in Amsterdam her lawyer told the press. She says that after a decade on the run, she wanted her son to have a better life. Tallchief realized that the only way to ensure that that happened was to turn herself in to the authorities. Tallchief is now in custody in Las Vegas. Roberto Solis, now 60, is still on the run. (See Shows #594, #698, #748, #775 and #811, OADs 7/8/00, 11/23/02, 1/10/04, 8/07/04 and 7/02/05)

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*The following are the featured fugitives and others being sought by federal, state or local authorities. The Update (if any) gives current status, previous references, or related information.*

**Peter Braunstein** (Questioning in a Rape, Probation Violation) -- The calm of Halloween evening in the chic Chelsea section of New York City was disrupted when several small fires broke out in an apartment building on West 24th Street. A 34-year-old woman opened her apartment door and was relieved to find a man dressed as a New York City Firefighter already on the scene dousing the flames. But moments later, the man forced his way inside her apartment saying he needed to check for smoke damage. The woman would soon discover, however, that his motives were much more sinister. For the next 13 hours, this faux fireman - who police were later able to identify as Peter Braunstein - sexually assaulted the woman in her own home. Police think he may have raped her, and maybe even videotaped the whole thing. Investigators also say that Braunstein used complex homemade explosives to start the fires and pulled out a gun during the attack. Police say that the moment the woman let Braunstein in, he shoved a chloroform-laced rag into her face, and while she went in and out of consciousness, he sexually assaulted her. The victim told police that the most eerie part was that he taunted her by spouting out intimate details about her life. She says he knew she had just been laid off from her job, and that he named many of her co-workers. When Braunstein left the woman's apartment early the next morning in a ski mask and street clothes, he left with a souvenir: a pair of her high-heeled shoes. Witnesses saw a man around the woman's apartment the night of the attack, and they gave police enough information to produce a composite sketch of the suspect. Soon, police received calls saying that the sketch resembled 41-year-old Peter Braunstein. But when police went looking for Braunstein to talk about what happened that night, he was nowhere to be found. Police were soon able to piece together his background and reveal some interesting facts. Braunstein was already on probation for stalking his ex-girlfriend, he has a number of fetishes and is very much into pornography. Braunstein is a writer and journalist himself, who has written for The Village Voice and Women's Wear Daily. In 2004, Braunstein even wrote an off-

Broadway play about famed pop artist Andy Warhol. Although Braunstein fled the woman's apartment early the next morning, he didn't go far. Surveillance tape shows him nervously checking into a motel in Manhattan. He paid in cash and used a passport he had obtained two days earlier as identification. In addition, police believe that shortly before the attack, Braunstein bought a number of items on eBay, including a firefighter uniform, a Detroit police badge and a significant amount of potassium nitrate. Police aren't sure of Braunstein's next move. They think he may still be in New York, but may have traveled to California, Philadelphia or even France. Authorities say Braunstein speaks French fluently and has a history of paranoia and harassment. He is fascinated with the 1960s and 70s so he may wear vintage clothing. Braunstein is 41, 5'6" and 165 pounds. (See Shows #826 and #827, OADs 11/12/05 and 11/19/05)

**Bruno Arreola** (Conspiracy to Distribute Marijuana) -- The U.S. Marshals Service is trying to track down Bruno Arreola. They say he was part of a sophisticated drug operation that smuggled more than one thousand kilos into the U.S. Marshals say Arreola obtained marijuana in Mexico and smuggled it into the U.S. through San Diego, California. Then, the illegal drugs were shipped to Long Island, New York in tractor trailers. The marijuana shipments were delivered to a warehouse near Islip's MacArthur Airport, where they were retrieved and transported for local distribution. Through investigation, authorities seized two tons of marijuana and more than \$11 million in cash. The seized marijuana was estimated to have a street value of \$19 million. In 2003, Arreola was arrested by authorities in Las Vegas, Nevada. At the time of his arrest, Arreola had a fake ID. Arreola was released on bail and ordered to appear in court in New York on February 4, 2003. Arreola has not been seen since his release. Arreola is 47, 5'11" and 225 pounds. (See Show #824, OAD 10/01/05)

**John Morris Evans** (Failure to Appear for Sentencing) -- Arizona authorities are trying to track down John Evans. Evans molested five girls back in 1996, pleaded guilty to all the charges and then fled before he was sentenced. Evans is an avid fiddle player, and some of the victims were at his home for music lessons when he sexually abused them. Evans, who is also known as Jack Evans, has spent some time in Mexico playing in a band, and authorities say he has friends and family in Utah, Washington, Montana and Maryland. Evans is 74, 5'10" and 140 pounds.

**Roman Saldarriaga** (DUI Manslaughter) -- Police in Florida are trying to track down Roman Saldarriaga. Saldarriaga is a young teen who they say was driving drunk when he slammed into another car, killing the driver. On September 1, 2003 Saldarriaga was on his way to a friend's house in Naples, Florida when he lost control of his car and hit another car. Janelle Hail, a mother of two, died at the scene, entangled in the wreckage of the crash. At the scene of the crash, investigators found empty beer cans inside Saldarriaga's car. When police asked him about the evidence they found, Saldarriaga confessed that he had five or six beers and gave a blood sample. When the results came back, they weren't surprised. Saldarriaga's blood-alcohol content was more than twice the legal limit. However, before police could arrest him, Saldarriaga managed to take off and he hasn't been seen since. Saldarriaga may be in Colombia where he has family. Saldarriaga is 22, 5'8" and 170 pounds. (See Show #821, OAD 9/10/05)

**John Henry Ramirez (Capital Murder, Aggravated Robbery)** -- It seemed like the perfect assignment. When John Henry Ramirez enlisted in the Marine Corps in March 2003, he was stationed Hawaii. But it didn't take long for the field radio officer to realize he was not one of the few and the proud. Ramirez went AWOL and returned to Texas. That's where his life started to fall apart. Shortly after returning home, Ramirez received a dishonorable discharge from the Marines and started a lifestyle that few Marines would be proud of. On July 29, 2004, Ramirez was partying with two friends, Christina Chavez and Angela Cruz Rodriguez. During their alcohol and drug-filled gathering, Ramirez bragged that his military training taught him many ways to kill a person. As their partying continued, the trio decided to hit the streets. Chavez and Rodriguez were out simply to rob but John Henry Ramirez had other plans. Ramirez and his friends stumbled upon 45-year-old convenience store clerk Pablo Castro taking out the garbage. He appeared to be an easy target. Ramirez jumped him, stabbed him and took what little money he had. In all, Ramirez made off with just \$1.25. Castro sustained numerous stab wounds to the neck and died in the parking lot. After their attack on Castro, the trio robbed two more Corpus Christi citizens outside fast-food restaurants. Police eventually caught up with both of Ramirez' friends. Angela Rodriguez pleaded guilty to murder and Chavez is awaiting trial, but police say Ramirez is still on the run for more than a year. Ramirez usually wears a military style buzz-cut and has small scars on his lower right abdomen and upper right chest from gunshots he suffered in March 2004. He has numerous tattoos including "USMC" on his left forearm; "LIFE DEATH" on his right forearm; "RAMIREZ" across his back and shoulders; a bulldog on his right upper arm and "JR" upside down on his right thigh. Ramirez was a radio operator in the U.S. Marine Corps before he was dishonorably discharged. He's known to carry handguns and has told relatives that he won't be taken alive. He is believed to be bi-sexual and may frequent gay and lesbian bars. Police have received reports that he may be dressing as a female. He smokes Marlboro cigarettes and is computer-literate. Ramirez is 21, 5'7" and 160 pounds.

**Unknown Fairmount Park Rapist/Murderer (Rape, Murder)** -- On July 17, 2003 Philadelphia police discovered the body of a 30-year-old woman in a wooded area off the 3500 block of Conshohocken Avenue in the River Park section of Fairmount Park. Her killer raped, beat and strangled her, leaving her clad only in a sports bra, running shoes and socks, face down over a log in a shallow grave deep within the park. The petite female body discovered was that of Rebecca Park, a fourth year medical student at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine and a second lieutenant in the Army Reserves. She lived just a few blocks away in an apartment on Lankenau Avenue. Fingerprints through military records identified her body while an autopsy confirmed that she died of manual strangulation. Within hours of receiving confirmation that Rebecca had been raped before being murdered, police announced they had made a positive DNA link between this homicide and another, unpublicized attack and rape of a 21-year-old woman three months earlier in Fairmount Park. The victim, as well as an eyewitness who spotted a man at the scene of Rebecca's murder, gave investigators such detailed descriptions of the suspect that cops were able to come up with a colored composite sketch of the perpetrator. Immediately, Philadelphia Police went public with the connection, plastering trees and signs lining the trails of Fairmount Park with wanted posters. The public now knew what the suspect looked like, that he had worn an aqua and purple shirt from Zallies Shop Rite and used a purple metallic 10-speed bicycle as his getaway "vehicle." Four months after the murder of Rebecca Park, Philadelphia Police were still on high alert. Wanted posters still hung

in prominent places, and local news kept the story fresh in the minds of the public. The several good leads cops had followed continued to turn up empty. But the trails in Fairmount Park weren't. Despite the warnings, park-goers continued to frequent Fairmount Park's jogging trails and picnic areas, refusing to let the predator control their lives. But for Lisa, a 36-year-old veteran jogger of Fairmount Park, refusing to change her routine proved to be a near-fatal mistake. Almost complete with her usual six-mile jog, Lisa was attacked from behind and held at knifepoint in a secluded portion of the park's many jogging trails. Lisa immediately knew her attacker was the same man whose face was plastered on wanted posters throughout the park. Lisa fought the armed attacker, sustaining multiple wounds to her chest, hands and abdomen. Eventually, the attacker gave up and ran away from the scene of the crime. Lisa was later picked up by a passing vehicle. Police say that was the last time the Fairmount Park Rapist attacked, he seemed to disappear without a trace. Both survivors said their attacker rode off on a purple metallic 10-speed bicycle that was too small for him. The curled handlebars on the bike have white tape on them. The Unknown Fairmount Park Rapist/Murderer is believed to be a 25-35 year-old Hispanic male who has a medium build. He has short, curly black hair that comes to a widow's peak; a slight mustache; a light-olive complexion and had a pierced left ear with a gold hoop. In one attack, he was wearing an aqua and purple shirt from Zallies Shop Rite. The survivors say that the assailant spoke with an accent so thick that they had a hard time understanding what he was ordering them to do. (See Show #799, OAD 3/19/05)

#### **ALL POINTS BULLETIN:**

##### **Lashawn "Bees" Antoine Tanner (Drug Conspiracy)**

**Henrietta Rollins (Drug Conspiracy)** -- Henrietta Rollins and Lashawn Tanner were in love and over the course of their relationship welcomed three children. But Tanner wanted more than just a girlfriend - he wanted someone to help with his dirty work. According to authorities, Tanner and his brothers started a gang in northern Indiana called "The Renegades." They're accused of purchasing and distributing tons of cocaine to lower-level dealers in Indiana, Kentucky and Ohio. Tanner had Rollins drive the cocaine to the location of a drug deal, and wait while Tanner completed the transaction. Once Tanner got the money, he would send the lower-level dealer to Rollins' car for the drugs. Although this drug ring thought they were flying under the radar, the FBI was on their trail. When agents had enough evidence against the gang, they made their move, but Rollins and Tanner had disappeared -leaving their three children behind. Rollins' mother is now taking care of the three young children. Rollins' hasn't been keeping a low profile though. She was arrested in May 2005 at a strip club in Jacksonville, Fla. where she was working. Rollins told police her name was Christen Richards and before her real identity was revealed, she bonded out and disappeared again. Tanner and Rollins could be driving a Dodge Caravan. Tanner has told several people he will not go down without a fight and has a violent personality. Henrietta Rollins has several tattoos including a rose with black tribal lines on her left thigh; a heart with the names "Javanyce," "Tyrone," and "Kenyt" on the inside of her right leg; the name "LaShawn" on her groin; a rose on her left shoulder; a Chinese character on her right thigh and Heart with the words "Big B's" in the center. Rollins is 28, 5'9" and 160 pounds. Lashawn Tanner has three tattoos which include a tribal art bracelet on his right wrist, a grim reaper on his right arm and a renegade in Chinese writing on his right arm. Tanner is 31, 5'8" and 240 pounds.

**Fred "Highway" Alba Wert** (Aggravated Assault, Murder) -- Joann Antone had always wanted to work for a carnival. Her dream came true when she started working for one that was traveling around the Midwest. While on the road, she met and fell in love with someone who had the same passion - Fred Wert. The two hit it off and started dating. After a year on the road together, Fred and Joann started talking about marriage. When Joann got pregnant, it was time to settle down, so she and Fred moved to Michigan. But Fred became restless at home and wanted to go back to his traveling ways. Shortly after the baby was born, he hit the road with the carnival again. Wert was hardly ever home and Joann says that when he was, Wert was abusive. Joann couldn't take it, so she made him move out. The only time Wert came around was for the occasional visit with his daughter. Joann tried to move on with her life. She started dating a childhood friend, Mark Spencer. As the two got closer, Wert became jealous. And police say that when Wert realized Joann was in a new relationship, he flew into a jealous rage. On March 1, 1993, Wert went to Joann's house and cut the phone lines. He then started banging on the door to get in. That's when police say Mark Spencer went outside to try to calm Wert down. As Mark walked out the door, Wert shot him in the chest. Mark died a few minutes later in Joann's arms. In the chaos, Wert was able to disappear. There was no sign of Wert until June, 1997. A man named Billy Ray Shugart was arrested for the rape of his girlfriend's daughter. Police fingerprinted him and released him out on bond. Shugart's prints turned out to be Fred Wert's, but he disappeared before police could arrest him. Wert could be anywhere, but police believe that he's possibly working as a truck driver or with a carnival. Police are hoping someone will recognize his tattoos and turn him in, before he hurts anyone else. Fred Wert is also known as Billy Ray Shugart and "Highway." He bites his lip and has a scar from it. He has several tattoos which include two hammers with the word "Carnie Power" on his right arm; a skull with wings on his left arm; "Cheryl" on his chest and "Highway" on his right shoulder. Wert is 45, 5'8" and 170 pounds.

**Manuel Virgen** (Homicide) -- Family and friends say 15-year-old Ramiro Guardado had a great life ahead of him, but on June 29, 2005, that life ended with a spray of gunfire. Guardado spent most of that day painting his bicycle and hanging out with friends in his Sylmar, California neighborhood. Everything changed when Ramiro and his friend encountered Manuel Virgen on their way to another friend's house. Virgen was sitting in his parked 1994 Volkswagen Jetta when the boys approached him. When Ramiro simply asked Virgen if it was true that his girlfriend had broken up with him, the short-tempered Virgen confirmed that she had, then pulled out a gun and shot him in the face at point-blank range. As Ramiro lay dying on a nearby lawn, Virgen sped off, and police have been looking for him ever since. Virgen has family in Michoacan, Mexico and Washington State and could be hiding out in either location. They also had a tip that Virgen may have been in San Fernando, California in August 2005, but the clues have been slowly exhausted. Police also hope that a \$50,000 reward for information leading to Virgen's arrest will generate renewed interest in the case and that word will reach Mexico, sparking leads there. Virgen has a bald spot above his forehead and a missing front tooth. He is 23, 5'9" and 165 pounds.

## MISSING:

### **Sue Ann Ray**

Age: 26

Height: 5'0"

Weight: 110 pounds.

It's been more than two months since 26-year-old Sue Ann Ray went missing, but police are now sifting through new evidence they hope will help them find out what happened to the Woodstock, Georgia mother. On August 26, 2005, Sue Ann went to the home of her estranged husband, Quinton, in Jasper to get some work done on her car. Despite the couple's problems, Quinton, a mechanic, had agreed to fix the car for her. But that was the last anyone heard from Sue Ann. On August 29, 2005, Sue Ann's minivan was found abandoned in a Wal-Mart parking lot. Police say video surveillance from the Wal-Mart gave them useful information, but haven't released what that information is. Though police are not calling Quinton Ray a suspect in his wife's mysterious disappearance, they appear to be exploring his involvement as the last person to have seen the missing woman. Quinton Ray made quite a few cell phone calls around the time Sue Ann disappeared - mostly to his family. Police will continue to investigate the cell phone records of Sue Ann's husband and others. In the meantime, police also conducted a search of Quinton Ray's property. Authorities, however, have sealed the results of that search. Quinton Ray reportedly told police he last saw his wife after working on her car and that she was planning to leave from there to visit her father for the weekend. Sue Ann's father, Danny Jenkins, had been tentatively expecting his daughter, but figured she'd simply changed her mind when she never showed up at his house. Authorities have interviewed a dozen friends, witnesses, and family members, but haven't yet named any suspects.

## CAPTURED:

**Ronald Kelly Young** (Grand Theft Auto, Forgery) -- Ronald Lee Young has a knack for making other people's businesses grow. According to police, he also has a knack for siphoning money from those businesses for his own financial growth. Over the years, Young has stolen thousands of dollars from several of his closest friends and lovers, each of whom he initially targeted because of their business dealings. Young's involvement in his friends' businesses included reorganizing the marketing and books. But authorities say it was just a set-up so Young could steal from them. After gaining their trust, he'd be in control of their finances which put him in a ideal position to siphon funds for his own use. Young was also in the business of money laundering for drug dealers in Aspen, and through these connections, he was able to live the good life. He took frequent sailing trips in the Bahamas and even piloted his own small planes. Pam Phillips was one of the women Young conned and eventually bilked out of \$60,000. When Pam met Young, she'd recently moved to Aspen and was looking to start up a business. She was also looking to leave behind her ex-husband, Gary Triano who was a prominent real estate developer in Tucson, Arizona. Their divorce had been a messy one, and constant fighting and disputes prompted Phillips to move to Aspen with her two children. At one point in their relationship, Young went with Phillips to Tucson to collect items from Triano to auction off. During that visit,

Young and Triano came face-to-face and Phillips' soon-to-be-ex-husband was not happy to meet her new beau. Triano handed Pam divorce papers and told her he'd made their children the sole beneficiaries of his life insurance. Soon after, Pam discovered Young had been stealing from her and left him. Although she didn't file charges against him, some of his other "friends" he'd stolen from did- and Young fled Aspen. He stole a rented mini-van in August 1996 and disappeared. On November 1, 1996, Gary Triano was celebrating his 53rd birthday at the La Paloma Country Club in Tucson. Police say the country club received several calls that day inquiring whether or not Triano was on the golf course. Each time the club confirmed, the caller hung up. When he finished his round, Triano got into his car but before he could leave, a bomb inside the car exploded, killing him instantly. Although there are plenty of people with motives to kill Triano, police have focused their investigation on Young. Days after Triano was killed, they found Young's rental van abandoned near his parents' home in Southern California. When police looked inside the van, they found a sawed-off shotgun, a map of Tucson and Triano and Pam Phillips' divorce papers. Police want to question Young about the bombing that killed Triano and about a similar explosion in 1985 that killed a man named Steve Grabow. Grabow was a cocaine dealer in Aspen who was scheduled to testify against other drug dealers. (See Show #827, OAD 11/19/05) Thanks to an alert AMW viewer Broward County Sheriff's captured Ronald Young on November 21, 2005.

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*The following are the featured fugitives and others being sought by federal, state or local authorities. The Update (if any) gives current status, previous references, or related information.*

**Jason Morris Howard** (1<sup>st</sup> Degree Murder) -- On May 5, 2004, rural Georgia teacher Wanda Parnell received a strange letter from an anonymous author telling her to go to the house of her close friends, Mildred and Jewel Cleveland. At the time, the Clevelands had not been seen or heard from for more than a month. The mystery writer told Parnell to go there with the local sheriff, take inventory and contact whoever you must. A few hours after receiving the strange letter, Parnell, accompanied by her husband and James Caines of the Liberty County Sheriff's Office, went to the Cleveland home to check on her friends. Several calls to the home went unanswered, and when the Parnells and Deputy Caines entered the house, they found no one inside. However, the family's pets were there along with an envelope containing \$400 and instructions to use the money to take care of the dog. Mildred Cleveland also appeared to have left her purse with her I.D. and prescriptions behind. They also noticed that Jewel Cleveland's abandoned wheelchair, which he relied on more and more as his health declined, was left behind as well. In the months before their deaths, relatives say the Clevelands had struggled living in the same house with Mildred's grown son, Jason Howard. Jobless and socially withdrawn, Howard was a disturbed man who had been committed to a mental institution for schizophrenia following his arrest for robbing a bank. Although his mother thought that Howard could be rehabilitated and insisted that he live with them, relatives say her husband wasn't so sure. As Jewel's health declined, Howard had taken on some care giving responsibilities, but with some resentment. Police believe the Howard is responsible for his parents' deaths. They believe that he killed and buried the Clevelands, Jason Howard continued to live in the house. He paid bills, cared for the family pets, and even took a trip to the family's vacation home. Police consider Jason Howard their prime suspect and his history of mental illness and social awkwardness make him potentially dangerous. Howard is 35, 5'9" and 135 pounds.

**Tommy Jerome Hardin** (Escape, Kidnapping, Armed Robbery) -- In 2003, central Kentucky was plagued with a rash of armed robberies at local restaurants and businesses. The gang of thieves was so cocky that they would even call their victims beforehand and told them they were about to be robbed. Police say the gang targeted businesses with poor surveillance equipment, but sometimes investigators got lucky and were able to catch the thieves on tape. In some cases, the armed robbers bound, gagged and even stabbed restaurant workers, all while allegedly holding their victims at gunpoint. They also pistol-whipped some of their victims and fondled and threatened to rape some female victims. Although police could tie the gang of thieves to at least 37 robberies, they fear they actually may have struck as many as 100 times. The Louisville Metro Police Department headed up a task force comprised of jurisdictions from eight different counties all affected by the rash of robberies. The task force set up several surveillances on possible targeted businesses, but got nowhere. They finally got a break in the case when one of the thieves cut himself while brandishing a knife during one of the robberies. Crime scene investigators gathered the blood at the scene. During the investigation, police were able to link a suspect, Tommy Jerome Hardin, based on victim and eyewitness accounts. When they ran Hardin's blood against the DNA at the crime scene, they had a perfect match. Police picked up Hardin and his fellow thieves and charged them in 37 armed robberies. Once in custody, Hardin confessed and even identified himself in some surveillance stills from the robberies. Tommy Hardin was held on the robbery charges at the Hardin County Jail in his hometown of Elizabethtown, and police believed that the sheer number of charges against him would keep him in jail for a very long time. On Aug. 25, 2005, Hardin showed up for his court date, but had no intention of going to trial. He fired his attorney in open court and was held in contempt. He was taken back to the Hardin County lock-up until a new court date could be set. Four days later, Hardin and an accomplice, Albert Jecker, made their way to the jail's maintenance room during a prisoner movement. Detectives say that once inside, they pushed open a hatch that led them to the roof. Later, deputies found prison clothes on the rooftop and police believe Hardin and Jecker escaped in only their underwear. Hardin and Jecker are on the loose and could be anywhere. Police say that a car was stolen in Elizabethtown on the night of the escape and was later recovered in Louisville. They don't know if Jecker and Hardin were in that car, but if so, that's where the trail goes cold. Tommy Hardin uses the names Thomas Jerome Hardin, Jerome Hardin and Tommy Germone Hardin. He has a pronounced under-bite and a speech impediment. He has a heart-shaped tattoo and scars on his right and left arm, his right finger and his right knee. Harding has a lengthy criminal history and is described as having a hot-headed temper. Police say he uses crack cocaine and may be armed and dangerous. Harding is 32, 5'10"-6'11" and 150-200 pounds.

**Larry W. Woods, Jr.** (Escape) -- Larry Woods escaped from the Indiana State Prison in Michigan City on July 9, 2001 around 8:40am. Prison officials first noted Woods' absence at a mid-morning roll call on July 9. The facility was immediately locked down, but there were no signs of Woods. Authorities believe he escaped inside a garbage truck that was on a routine pickup at the prison. Prison officials say that Woods was a yard worker whose duties included mowing the grass and shoveling snow. As a yard worker, Larry was within both walking and visual

distance of the trash pickup area. He could have watched the process daily and figured out the schedule. Police theorize the Woods put himself in the dumpster. The truck did crush trash that morning, and it is unclear how Woods may have survived. They have searched the dumpsite, but did not find his body or any evidence that he perished. It is also plausible that Woods may have ridden off the premises underneath the truck. Larry Woods was convicted of the murder and robbery of a former employer in 1994, for which he was sentenced to 111 years. Woods, whose nickname is "Elwood", has scars on his lower right arm, upper back, and stomach. He may have a very elaborate tattoo on the left side of his chest which would exactly match his girlfriend's: "9" and "Until Death Do Us Part" at the top, "Elwood" in the left heart, "Pooh Bird D" in the right heart, "Lil Larry RIP" towards the right, "6/4/99" towards the left, center heart surrounded by the words "Loves Only Always Forever"; at the bottom there is a "10" and the words "Plenty Much Love", all contained within the shape of the Libra scales. He is a known member of the Gangster Disciples street gang, and may also have Gangster Disciples tattoos (BGD). He may be wearing a gold cross necklace and a wedding ring. He had a shaved head at the time of his disappearance, and may have facial hair. He was last spotted in Ohio. Woods is 33, 5'10" and 190 pounds. (See Shows #642, #657, #680 and #792, OADs 7/28/01, 12/8/01, 6/15/02 and 1/22/05)

**Luis Soto (Escape)** -- Police in Washington State are looking for Luis Soto, who they say broke out of the Yakima County Jail on Nov. 25, 2005 along with eight other men. Soto climbed through a hole in the ceiling and used a rope made of bed sheets to scale the prison walls. Eight of the nine escapees are back behind bars, but the hunt for Soto continues. According to officials, Soto was awaiting trial on burglary charges and has a criminal record that includes convictions for second-degree robbery, burglary, theft and bail-jumping. Police Soto is a meth addict and may be traveling with his girlfriend, Ermelinda Ramos. He is 28, 6'1" and 220 pounds.

**Leobardo Villarreal (Attempted Murder and Assault on a Federal Officer, Conspiracy, Drug Trafficking and Escape)** -- According to police, Leobardo Villarreal shot an undercover Immigration and Customs Enforcement agent in May 2005 and escaped from prison just a few months later. Now, local, state and federal officials have joined forces in a massive manhunt to find him. On September 30, 2005, two guards were transporting Leobardo Villarreal to the McAllen Medical Center in Texas when he overpowered them and escaped. Villarreal was incarcerated at La Villa Federal Prison but was being transported for medical treatment after cutting his forearm. Once he arrived at the medical center Villarreal asked to use the bathroom and while unrestrained, he overpowered the guards and escaped. He then ran across a main road and carjacked a woman and her two children. Villarreal forced the woman to drive him to the Mission area where he jumped out of the car wearing only boxer shorts and a pair of socks. Police have notified customs authorities, who have set up a checkpoint to monitor traffic leaving the U.S. Months earlier in May 2005, Villarreal and two others tried to kill an undercover Immigration and Customs Enforcement agent. A Texas grand jury handed down a four-count indictment on September 27, 2005 charging the three men with attempted murder, conspiracy to possess and distribute marijuana, use of a firearm and drug trafficking. They were trying to smuggle 700 pounds of marijuana into the United States from Mexico. Villarreal has a large tattoo of skulls and devils on his upper right arm. Villarreal is 23, 5'10" and 230 pounds. (See Show #827, OAD 11/19/05)

**Peter Braunstein** (Questioning in a Rape, Probation Violation) -- The calm of Halloween evening in the chic Chelsea section of New York City was disrupted when several small fires broke out in an apartment building on West 24th Street. A 34-year-old woman opened her apartment door and was relieved to find a man dressed as a New York City Firefighter already on the scene dousing the flames. But moments later, the man forced his way inside her apartment saying he needed to check for smoke damage. The woman would soon discover, however, that his motives were much more sinister. The moment the woman let Braunstein in, he shoved a chloroform-laced rag into her face, and while she went in and out of consciousness, for the next 13 hours he sexually assaulted her. Police were later able to identify the assailant as Peter Braunstein.. Police think he may have raped her and videotaped the assault. Investigators believe Braunstein used complex homemade explosives to start the fires and pulled out a gun during the attack. The victim told police that the most eerie part was that he taunted her by spouting out intimate details about her life. She says he knew she had just been laid off from her job, and that he named many of her co-workers. When Braunstein left the victim's apartment early the next morning in a ski mask and street clothes, he left with a souvenir: a pair of her high-heeled shoes. Witnesses saw a man around the woman's apartment the night of the attack, and they gave police enough information to produce a composite sketch of the suspect. Soon, police received calls saying that the sketch resembled 41-year-old Peter Braunstein. When police went looking for Braunstein to talk about what happened that night, he was nowhere to be found. Police were soon able to piece together his background and reveal some interesting facts. Braunstein was already on probation for stalking his ex-girlfriend, he has a number of fetishes and is very much into pornography. Braunstein is a writer/journalist who has written for The Village Voice and Women's Wear Daily. In 2004, Braunstein even wrote an off-Broadway play about famed pop artist Andy Warhol. Although Braunstein fled the woman's apartment early the next morning, he didn't go far. Surveillance tape shows him nervously checking into a motel in Manhattan. He paid in cash and used a passport he had obtained two days earlier as identification. In addition, police believe that shortly before the attack, Braunstein bought a number of items on eBay, including a firefighter uniform, a Detroit police badge and a significant amount of potassium nitrate. Police aren't sure of Braunstein's next move. They think he may still be in New York, but may have traveled to California, Philadelphia or even France. Authorities say Braunstein speaks French fluently and has a history of paranoia and harassment. He is fascinated with the 1960s and 70s so he may wear vintage clothing. He was last seen in Cleveland and Columbus, Ohio. Police believe that he may hang out in strip clubs drinking vodka tonic and rolling his own cigarettes. He often eats Chinese food ordering beef with curry and extra mustard. He may be using the names Peter Grant, Peter Brown or Peter Bronson. He is known to use marijuana and cocaine. Police believe that he's searching for his next victim and he might be keeping his sinister plans in a journal. Braunstein is 41, 5'6" and 165 pounds. (See Shows #826, #827 and #829, OADs 11/12/05, 11/19/05 and 12/03/05)

**Arthur Leon Vitasek** (Unlawful Flight to Avoid Prosecution) -- January 2005, a Mesa, Arizona detective was called to a middle school to speak to a student who was being teased mercilessly. Normally, the school's principal wouldn't call law enforcement to settle schoolyard disputes, but this incident was different. Although he initially denied it, the boy eventually divulged that he had been sexually molested by his mother's boyfriend - Arthur Vitasek.

Detective Robert Rash contacted the boy's mother who agreed to keep the boy away from Vitasek. However, two days later, when Rash tried to contact the boy, he found that Vitasek had taken him and two of his friends. The boys were found after an Amber Alert was issued and they all eventually admitted that Vitasek had molested them. Police say they have probable cause to charge Vitasek with upwards of 30 counts of abuse and molestation. Authorities also have evidence that Vitasek has been molesting boys since 1990 and think that there are other unknown victims who haven't come forward. Detective Rash says Vitasek manipulates his victims in a number of ways. He brainwashes the boys into believing that their sexual behavior is normal and then mixes his perversion with trips to amusement parks and gifts. Police believe that in the past, Vitasek even groomed boys to recruit their friends for him. Vitasek also targets boys raised by single mothers. Police say one of the main reasons why Vitasek hasn't been put behind bars is his ability to cover his tracks. Police note that he rarely leaves a paper trail and has correspondence sent to post office boxes. Vitasek may have stolen someone's identity and may also be using an extensive network of friends across the country to leave false clues to keep police off his trail. Arthur Vitasek lived in many places and held different jobs as he continued his spree of molestation. He has lived in Phoenix, Las Vegas, Shreveport, Louisiana, Los Angeles, eastern Texas, Oklahoma and New York. Police investigations have found that he's an experienced cook and mechanic and may be working in the restaurant industry. They say he can also be violent and may carry a licensed gun. Vitasek is fastidious about his appearance and usually wears designer clothing. During his time in Phoenix, he wore his hair bleached and parted down the middle in a bowl cut, but he may have cut it shorter and changed the color. He's a neat freak and suffers from insomnia and claustrophobia and is known to bite his fingers. Police learned that Vitasek dislikes smoking and drinking and loves playing video poker. When he lived in Las Vegas he often gambled at casinos frequented by locals, but preferred gambling at gas stations where he thought his odds were better. Vitasek was a big spender on his victims and their families, but he also had expensive hobbies like scuba diving and he may have been taking flying lessons in order to gain a pilot's license. He also loved automobiles, particularly sports cars and classic cars. Vitasek has two small moles on his right cheek and one on the right side of his neck. He is 42, 6'1" and 200 pounds.

**Bablu Hassan** (Murder, Attempted Murder) – At 1:00 a.m. on July 27, 2000, New York City Police say 5-year-old Chastity Adams was awakened when she heard her mother arguing with Bablu Hassan in the kitchen of their apartment. When Hassan began stabbing the girl's mother, whose name was also Chastity, the little girl tried to intervene. That's when, according to the police, Hassan stabbed the girl across the stomach. Police say Hassan quickly ran out the door. Little Chastity then ran to a neighbor's house and asked them to call 9-9-1. When paramedics arrived they found Chastity's mother bleeding on the sidewalk and the little girl in a nearby doorway. Big Chastity fell into a coma on the way to the hospital. She died on September 20<sup>th</sup>. Little Chastity needed over a hundred stitches for her wounds. She was able to survive the attack. Bablu Hassan had recently moved to the United States from Bangladesh. Chastity and Hassan had only been dating a few months before they ended the relationship. Hassan speaks broken English. He may be taking computer classes at a university or computer school. He does not smoke or drink and is an extremely religious Muslim. Hassan has "Chastity" tattooed on his chest. He is 27, 5'5" and 125 pounds. (See Shows #610 and #614, OADs 11/11/00 and 12/30/05)

**MISSING:**

**Heaven LaShea Ross**

Age: 11 at the time of disappearance

Height: 4'6" at the time of disappearance

Weight: 100 pounds at the time of disappearance

On August 19, 2003, Heaven Ross was walking to the bus stop as she did every morning. When it began to rain her stepfather went to go look for her to give her a ride to school, but he saw no sign of her anywhere. Her family immediately reported her missing. The Northport, Alabama police department has conducted ground and air searches but remain empty handed. When last seen, Heaven was wearing pink shorts with a pink top with the word B-R-A-T-Z written on them. Police are now interested in speaking with Evin Ryland. Evin has been known to help children run away in the past, including Heather's older brother who has since returned home. A car similar to his 2001 black Mitsubishi Eclipse was seen in Heaven's trailer park the morning that Heaven disappeared. He is not charged at this time, but is wanted for questioning. (See Shows #733, #736 and #791, OADs 8/30/03, 9/20/03 and 1/08/05)

**CAPTURED:**

**Rashawn Capers** (Murder, Attempted Murder, Weapons Possession) -- On March 27, 2005, Officer Wayne Smith was called out to investigate a fight at about 3:45 in the morning. Little did he know his entire life was about to change forever. At the scene he encountered a crowd surrounding a person lying on the ground. As he approached the injured young man, things took a turn for the worse. He soon discovered that the limp, lifeless body lying on the sidewalk was his 20-year-old son Dayshawn Smith. Officer Smith immediately joined rescue efforts to try to revive his son. Officials rushed the Dayshawn to the hospital where he was later pronounced dead. According to police, Dayshawn was trying to stop a fight Rashawn Capers had provoked. Capers did not respond kindly to Dayshawn's involvement and fatally stabbed him. (See Shows #801, #802 and #818, OADs 4/02/05, 4/09/05 and 8/20/05) Within 24 hours of America's Most Wanted receiving a hot tip on Rashawn Capers, US Marshals, the NYPD and New Jersey authorities took him into custody in Bronx, New York.

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## 10/31 RASH OF ROBBERIES

7 teens were arrested for three separate street robberies on Friday. Police believe they may have been robbing people as part of a game.

## 10/27 PG COP SHOT/DEATH PENALTY

A man accused of killing a Prince George's County police officer could face the death penalty if convicted. State's Attorney Glenn Ivey says he'll file capital murder charges against 43 year-old Robert Billett. Police say Billett shot Corporal Steven Gaughan during a gun battle that erupted following a June 21st traffic stop in Laurel.

## 10/26

## 10/25 TAKOMA PARK BODY

Police are identifying the body of a man found yesterday in a wooded area of Takoma Park.

Police say 20-year-old Antonio Lazaro was found dead yesterday in the eleven-hundred block of Linden Avenue. The Medical Examiner's office in Baltimore has ruled his death a homicide.

## 10/24 DUNN LORING ASSAULT

Police are hoping a couple of unusual clues will lead them to a man who tried to attack a woman in her Merrifield home. Investigators say the intruder left behind a hockey puck and a black-and-gray Puma warm-up jacket. Police think the same person may be responsible for two sex assaults in Merrifield in the past five weeks.

## 10/21 CAPITOL BOMB THREAT

Psychiatric tests are being given to the driver who parked near the U-S Capitol and claimed to have a bomb. The bomb squad blew up the package, which turned out to be harmless, but several streets in the area were closed for hours.

## 10/20 TUNNEL UPDATE

A fifth man has been arrested as part of an investigation into a possible terrorism attack on a Baltimore highway tunnel.

## 10/19 SUITLAND PKWY SHOOTING.

It turns out the two teens who were shot along Suitland Parkway in SE Monday had criminal pasts. Neighbors claim they terrorized the area. Police think their murders were retaliation for an earlier shooting.

#### 10/18 BALTIMORE TUNNEL THREAT

Governor Ehrlich says an investigation into a threat on tunnels in Baltimore has been under investigation for two weeks.

At a news conference Tuesday evening, he said federal authorities and state, city and county police worked together on an investigation into the threat.

The Harbor Tunnel was completely closed, and traffic was limited through the Fort McHenry Tunnel, in response to a threat to detonate vehicles full of explosives inside the tubes.

#### 10/17 SPRINGFIELD MALL STABBING

Investigators believe the weekend stabbing of a teenager at a Springfield mall is gang-related.

According to Fairfax County police, a 15-year-old boy was standing by an entrance to the Springfield Mall on Saturday night when a group of about ten men approached him. Someone stabbed the teenager in the upper body. He's in serious condition at a local hospital, but police say he's expected to live.

#### 10/14 TAYLOR BEHL

Taylor had her funeral today, the same day the suspect, Ben Fawley, claimed he accidentally killed her while the two had sex in her car.

#### 10/13 PG CRIME PROBLEM

Four violent crimes in 36-hours in Prince George's County.

The latest? A murder in Capitol Heights this afternoon.

County leaders say they're trying to curb the rising crime rate by hiring more police officers

#### 10/12 WOMAN SET ON FIRE

The Temple Hills man accused setting his estranged wife on fire has been ordered held without bond pending trial. Thirty-three-year-old Roger Hargraves is charged with attempted murder in the Monday attack. Yvette Cade suffered burns to more than 60 percent of her body.

#### 10/11 POTOMAC MURDER

No bail for the son of a prominent physician charged with killing his mother. A Montgomery County judge ruled today that Mark Makki is a flight risk. The 23-year-old is charged with first-degree murder and robbery in the death of Shohreh Seyed-Makki and could face the death penalty if convicted.

#### 10/10 WOMAN SET ON FIRE

A Prince George's County man is wanted for attempted murder after police say he set his wife on fire, burning 50 percent of her body.

Corporal Diane Richardson says the woman was working at a phone store about 10:30 a-m on the 89-hundred block of Brandywine Road when the man entered holding a bottle of gasoline.

#### 10/7 POTOMAC MURDER

Montgomery County police say autopsy results confirm their theory about the death of woman who was found

dead in her Potomac home.

Police say 54-year-old Shohren Seyed-Makki was killed by blunt force trauma.

#### 10/6 COACH GAIL MURDER SENTENCING

The man who pleaded guilty to shooting a Maryland youth basketball coach in front of his eleven-year-old son has been sentenced to life in prison.

Lawrence Green of Lanham pleaded guilty to first-degree felony murder in the February shooting of Robert Gail

#### 10/5 FALLS CHURCH HOMICIDE

A suspect now charged in the murder of of a Falls Church woman was once part of the 2002 sniper investigation.

Matthew Dowdy spent six months in jail for lying to police about witnessing one of the sniper shootings.

Dowdy is now accused in the stabbing death of a woman whose body was found in a wooded area last month.

#### 10/4 BABY DUMPED IN STORM DRAIN

A college student led officers today to the body of her dead newborn girl at the bottom of a storm drain, hours after a roommate reported finding blood in their dorm bathroom and the woman missing.

#### 10/3 VIENNA ATTEMPTED ABDUCTION

The suspect accused of trying to kidnap ten-year-old twin girls apparently was no stranger.

Investigators say Andrew Jacobs taught the girl martial arts at a school in Vienna. And he apparently did a pretty good job of it, judging by the bruises that could be seen on his face in court today. Authorities say Jacobs got a black eye and other injuries when the girls fought back early Sunday in their home on Moorefield Hill Grove in Vienna.

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#### 11/30 TOWING CHARGES

-- The owner of an Arlington company is himself being hauled off -- to court.

Arlington County police ay George King, the man behind Frank's Towing, faces a long list of charges. They include 20 counts of failing to register and report business income, failing to file tax forms, and NOT withholding taxes from workers or paying the money to the government.

#### 11/29 MALL STABBING

Investigators are confirming that last night's stabbing at the Springfield Mall is gang related.

Fairfax County police are looking for four men involved in a confrontation with another group of three men in the mall food court around 8:30. During the melee, a 19-year-old from Arlington was repeatedly slashed in the upper body. According to police, all of the suspects are described as Hispanic, with two of them well over six-feet tall.

#### 11/28 NORTH FACE JACKET

Police say Saturday night's shooting over a jacket at a Hyattsville gas station was especially troubling because the suspect shot a victim who didn't put up a fight. Police say the 17-year-old gave up his North Face Jacket, but the suspect still took out a gun and shot him in the face and stomach.

#### 11/24 HOCO COP HIT

A howard county auxiliary police officer remains in critical condition after being run over while directing traffic in ellicott city last night.

Police haven't decided whether or not to charge the driver in the accident.

#### 11/23 CELL PHONE BANDIT

The accused "cell phone bandit" will have a preliminary hearing next Tuesday in Alexandria federal court. In a brief court appearance today, Candice Martinez heard the charges stemming from four bank robberies. Local authorities have yielded to the feds to try Martinez and her boyfriend, Dave Williams, who court papers say admitted driving the getaway car.

#### 11/22 PG MURDER CRIME RATE

Police are releasing the name of the victim in last night's record 155th murder in Prince George's County.

Police say 23-year-old Stephon Haynes of Langley Park was found shot to death last night. Police were called to the scene at about 7:45 p-m in the 63-hundred block of 64th Avenue in Riverdale Heights.

#### 11/21 METRO CRIME STATS

Metro transit officials undercount serious crime at the region's 86 rail stations, leaving dozens of assaults,

robberies and other major incidents off the official tally they report to the system's board of directors and the public.

That practice stems from a long-standing policy not to count crimes handled by law enforcement officers other than Metro's Transit Police, even if the crimes occur in a station or on a subway platform.

#### 11/18 CELL PHONE BANDIT

Alleged "cell phone bandit" Candace Martinez has appeared in a Loudoun County court today. A Fairfax law firm has agreed to represent the 19-year-old who allegedly pulled four bank heists while on her cell phone for free. Attorney Michael Lindner says the firm will represent Martinez in Loudoun, as well as for any potential federal action. A preliminary hearing is set in Loudoun for January 17th.

#### 11/17 PG HOMICIDE RATE

It's a grim milestone for Prince George's County.

The county has now recorded its 154th homicide for the year, tying the previous record set in 1991.

The latest homicide occurred around 1 o'clock this morning in the Oxon Hill area.

Police say officers responded to the 21-hundred block of Alice Avenue to check on the welfare of a resident and found 26-year-old Dominique Walker dead of multiple gunshot wounds.

#### 11/16 PW CO POLICE SHOOTING

An Arlington police officer is recovering from a bullet wound after being shot by a Prince William officer.

Investigators say the whole thing started around one this morning, when Prince William police were warned about a distraught officer believed to be in Dale City. Within minutes, Payam Zeraat, a corporal on the Arlington force, was found inside his truck in a shopping center there.

Prince William police say they talked to Zeraat for about an hour as he threatened to kill himself with a gun he was holding. But they say that when Zeraat made a threatening move toward the others, one officer opened fire.

#### 11/15 CELL PHONE BANDIT

It appears the suspected Cell Phone Bandit has confessed.

An F-B-I affidavit filed in federal court today says Candice Martinez admitted being responsible for robbing Wachovia Bank branches in Manassas, Ashburn, Vienna and Springfield.

The court papers also reveal her boyfriend, Dave Williams, confessed to driving the getaway car in all four heists. Williams had once worked at the Vienna branch.

#### 11/14 CELL PHONE BANK ROBBER

Law enforcement officials have identified the so-called cell phone bandit who allegedly has been robbing banks in Northern Virginia while talking on a cell phone.

An arrest warrant has been issued for 19-year-old Candice Rose Martinez of Chantilly. Loudoun County officials say Martinez should

be considered armed and dangerous.

#### KILI'S 4 SHOT

A DC City Councilman says he's had enough of street violence along a stretch of Florida Avenue, Northwest, after three more shootings in the area.

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#### 11/11 VA TECH STUDENT DIES

Blacksburg police are investigating the mysterious death of Brian McClosky, 18, a freshman at Virginia Tech University. Police say McClosky was "apparently beaten" last Saturday morning, after leaving an off-campus party. He sustained head, neck and back injuries. And, eventually, McClosky died of those injuries. The teenager is a recent graduate of Sherwood High School in Sandy Spring. Friends tell FOX5 he loved lacrosse, and wanted to be a businessman. Blacksburg police are still trying to figure out what happened. So far, they do not have anyone in custody.

#### 11/10 CAGEL MURDER UPDATE

A Montgomery County jury is deciding the case of a man accused of killing an exotic dancer. Antoine Gatewood is charged with first-degree murder in the death of his former girlfriend, Emily Cagal, who performed under the stage name "Jordan." Gatewood testified this week that he acted in self defense.

#### 11/9 PW TEACHER SEX ASSAULT

A high school teacher in Manassas is behind bars on charges of sexually assaulting a student. Police say Jeffery Wilson assaulted a female at Osbourn Park High School while the two of them were alone together in a classroom. Wilson is being held without bond.

#### 11/8 WOMAN SET ON FIRE

A Temple Hills man accused of setting his estranged wife on fire has been indicted on charges of attempted murder and first degree assault. Roger Hargrave was arrested last month, after police say he walked into a store where his wife worked and doused her with gasoline.

#### 11/4 ARROWHEAD LOCKDOWN

A scary school day is over for students at Arrowhead Elementary School in Upper Marlboro. The building was locked down for several hours after police saw an armed man try to enter the building, then run into the woods.

School was dismissed at 3:20 p-m, and police are still looking for the gunman.

#### 11/4 DUNN LORING METRO

A student at George C. Marshall High School in Fairfax is the suspect in a series of sexual assaults in the Merrifield area. Fairfax County police say 18-year-old Michael Acosta attacked a woman in September as she walked home from the Dunn Loring-Merrifield Metro station and are investigating whether he's behind other incidents in that area.

#### 11/3 TEACHER ARRESTED

A Prince George's County middle school teacher has been arrested on charges of raping a student.

Greenbelt police say 36-year-old Pascal Brazey of Southeast Washington was arrested yesterday and charged with several counts of rape, child molestation, sex offenses and assault against a student who was 14 at the time of the attack. Brazey taught sixth through eighth grade students at Robert Goddard Middle School in Lanham.

#### 11/2 MAKKI CHARGES DROPPED

Murder charges have been dropped against a man whose mother was killed in her Potomac home. Mark Makki had been accused of killing Shohreh Seyed-Makki on October 13th. But Montgomery County prosecutors now say they don't have enough evidence to move the case forward.

#### 11/1 LAFAYETTE PARK STABBING

A 48-year-old homeless man has been charged in this morning's stabbings in Lafayette Park. The Secret Service says Stanley Battle was charged with four counts of assault with a deadly weapon and four counts of assault with intent to kill. Three people who were stabbed this morning were treated at an area hospital for non-life-threatening injuries.

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#### 12/30 MCLEAN BURGLARIES

Fairfax County police are seeking the public's help in finding a burglary suspect who's been busy in McLean this month.

During the month of December, there have been eight burglaries in the area. And police believe the cases may be related.

Home were struck in the 13-hundred, 14-hundred, 17-hundred and 18-hundred blocks of Kirby Road; the two-thousand block of Great Falls Street; the 14-hundred block of Ladybird Drive and the 900 block of Ranleigh Drive.

#### 12/29 NOVA POLICE IMPERSONATOR

Fairfax County police are looking for people who had contact with accused police impersonator. John Lay is so far charged with forcing his way into a woman's home on December second and with failing to register as a sex offender.

#### 12/28 BARBER SHOP KILLING

A man is on trial in Prince William County after prosecutors say he shot a man after being tossed out of a barbershop for bothering people. Danilo Sandoval faces murder and firearms charges in the May 28th death of barber Derrick James.

#### 12/27 DUMM ROBBERY

It was easy for police to find a suspected hit-and-run driver in Ashburn because the man had given them his license. The sheriff's office says Richard Dumm just walked away Sunday night after rear-ending a Mazda on Route Seven in Ashburn. He was arrested at his home.

#### 12/26 FAIRFAX 5 SHOT

We're learning more about the Christmas Day shootings of five people in Virginia. Investigators say 27-year-old Nathan Cheatham killed his mother at her McLean home, then drove to a home in Great Falls where he shot three more people, then killed himself.

#### 12/23 PURSE SNATCHER

Ladies shopping at some area supermarkets might be well advised to keep a tight grip on their purses.

Fairfax County police are looking for a man who has been snatching purses out of shopping

#### 12/22 PIT BULL ATTACK

A Spotsylvania County woman whose pit bulls fatally mauled an 82-year-old neighbor has been convicted of involuntary manslaughter and two other counts.

Thirty-seven-year-old Deanna Large of Partlow was convicted this afternoon in the death of Dorothy Sullivan and her dog, Buttons.

Large was convicted in Spotsylvania Circuit Court on the

involuntary manslaughter count -- a felony -- and two misdemeanor

#### 12/21 MOGO SEX ASSAULT SUSPECT

An accused serial pedophile is behind bars in Montgomery County. Police say 50-year-old Roy Edward Gibbs sexually assaulted young girls visiting his daughter at the family home between 1988 and 1997. Investigators say there may be more victims.

#### 12/17 WHEATON WEED DISCOVERY

In a small wooded area of Wheaton, investigators say something was growing that definitely should not have been.

It seems someone set up a marijuana garden in Matthew Henson State Park. Most people never knew it was there, about 100 yards off Georgia and Hewitt avenues. But police spotted it from the air a few months back and set up a surveillance camera.

That led them to arrest 22-year-old Alvaro Quinonez -- a Montgomery College student studying criminal justice so he can be a cop.

Instead, he faces a variety of criminal charges.

#### 12/16 SPOTS ATM ROBBERIES

Spotsylvania County police have their empty bellies to thank for the arrests of four men linked to a multi-state A-T-M theft ring that's netted more than one (m) million dollars.

Sheriff Howard Smith stopped by a McDonald's restaurant in the Massaponax area about 1:20 a-m yesterday to get something to eat before going home.

#### 12/15 VIKINGS CHARGED

Former Washington Redskins cornerback Fred Smoot is in trouble with the law in his new home.

Smoot is one of four Minnesota Vikings players facing misdemeanor charges including indecent and lewd conduct. It stems from what allegedly was an X-rated boat party back in October.

#### 12/13 CELL PHONE BANDIT

The cell phone bandit's lawyer says he really didn't have much choice than to work out a plea deal. He says prosecutors had overwhelming evidence, which is why Candice Martinez pleaded guilty today in connection with four bank robberies in Northern Virginia.

#### 12/12 DC COP SHOT

An accused kidnapper -- and possible suspect in the shooting of a police officer -- is still on the loose tonight.

Police have been searching for Derrick Arthur since he gave them

the slip yesterday when they tried to arrest him at a motel on New York Avenue. Arthur allegedly tried to run over an officer, prompting police to open fire.

#### 12/8 MURDER FOR HIRE

Rather than simply break up, investigators say a Northern Virginia woman had a different idea for getting rid of her boyfriend.

She wanted him dead.

#### 12/7 BANK ROBBERY

According to county police, two armed men walked into a B-B-and-T branch on Fort Myer Drive and herded the seven or eight people inside into a vault. One bank employee was hit in the face before the robbers left with an undisclosed amount of cash.

But when police showed up, they were concerned the robbers were still in the bank. So they closed nearby streets and called in a SWAT team.

Police think the suspects might have gotten away in a white van.

#### 12/6 ARMORED CAR ROBBERY ATTEMPT

A Brinks guard suffered a graze wound to the foot this morning during what appears to be a botched robbery attempt at a D-C bank.

It happened outside the Wachovia Bank branch at five-thousand-five New Hampshire Avenue, Northwest. Witnesses and police say two armed men tried to rob the courier, while the driver was locked inside the truck. Shots were fired, but the courier suffered minor injuries.

The suspects ran off empty-handed, and were last seen in a Ford Crown Victoria heading west.

#### 12/5 DUNNING MURDER FOLO

It was two years ago today that the wife of Alexandria's sheriff was found shot to death inside her home.

Police have been unable to make an arrest, so they're using this anniversary to try something new.

A Web site is up and running to encourage anyone with information on the Nancy Dunning case to come forward. Police say tips can be left anonymously. A 100-thousand dollar reward is still available.

#### 12/1 CELL PHONE BANDIT

The boyfriend of the accused "cell phone bandit" is pleading guilty to charges that could land him behind bars for the rest of his life.

Federal prosecutors say 19-year-old Dave Williams was in an Alexandria court today where he pleaded guilty to conspiracy to commit bank robbery and brandishing a firearm during a crime of violence.

12/2 OFFICER ARRESTED

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An Arlington police officer is under arrest on charges he solicited a minor on the Internet.

Detective from neighboring Alexandria busted 26-year-old Patrick Sherman at his Arlington home today. Authorities say a task force looking into online crimes against children began investigating Sherman last month. He allegedly had sex-filled online chats with what he thought was a young teen, but was really an Alexandria police detective.

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#### 10/31 FREDERICK SPEED HUMP CONTRO.

City workers began the early phases of a project that will install a total of seven speed humps on Fairview Avenue and Kline Boulevard and a roundabout at the intersection of Fairview Avenue and Mercer Street.

Mayor Jennifer Dougherty said the speed-reducing measures are necessary for the safety of residents and would not significantly impair the response time of emergency service vehicles.

Speed humps slow down fire trucks by a few seconds, not a few minutes, according to city traffic officials, Ms. Dougherty said. It's unlikely that a fire truck would be traveling at high speeds on those streets, she said.

#### 10/27 DC DWI LAWS

Prosecutors say that a judge who has ruled Virginia's drunken driving law is unconstitutional is misinterpreting the U-S Supreme Court case on which his opinion is based.

A different judge heard arguments today on the constitutionality of Virginia's law. It presumes that a driver with a blood-alcohol level of point-zero-eight or higher is intoxicated, unless the driver can prove otherwise.

#### 10/25 STEELE RUNNING FOR GOV.

Republican Lieutenant Governor Michael Steele says the race for the U-S Senate is an opportunity he can't pass up.

Steele says he's planning a campaign for change in the nation's capital.

In his announcement at Prince George's Community College, Steele said he'll work to heal divisions in the country as a Republican from a mostly Democratic state.

#### 10/24 JIM GRAHAM VS. HOUSING

Councilman Jim Graham went to a housing project in Northwest that he says had a host of housing violations. He is going in with police and search warrants

#### 10/21 PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

DC is being sued over it's new law designed to make prescription drugs more affordable

The law makes it illegal for pharmaceutical companies to mark up prescription drugs more than 30 percent of what they would cost in Germany, Canada, or the UK.

An association representing drug companies wants to stop the law from taking effect claiming the measure violates patent laws and federal "inter-state commerce" rules.

#### 10/20 DOUG DUNCAN ANNOUNCEMENT

Doug Duncan got an enthusiastic welcome today in Baltimore from more than 100 people who attended a rally at Union Baptist Church as Duncan announced his candidacy for governor.

#### 10/19 PG SMOKING BAN

The Prince George's County Council is considering a plan to ban smoking in county bars and restaurants -- a ban similar to one in place in neighboring Montgomery County.

Under the bill, offenders would face a possible fine of 200 dollars. Business owners who don't comply could be fined one-thousand dollars. Private clubs would not be affected.

#### 10/18 REAGAN GENERAL AVIATION

For the first time since the Nine-Eleven attacks, private planes are flying in and out of National Airport. But there are strict new security rules in place, and only 48 flights a day are allowed -- a fraction of the old 120.

#### 10/17 SURSUM CORDA

A bidding war has broken out over the redevelopment of the District's troubled Sursum Corda housing project.

Residents of the low-income community gave preliminary approval last month to a deal from a private developer that would give each family an option to buy a new home at a below-market price, 50-thousand dollars and a share of the profits on homes sold the general market.

But now another developer has offered each family new home at no cost, a 100-thousand-dollar payment.

#### 10/10 MOGO MIDDLE CLASS

You would think with a paycheck of 60 to 100 thousand dollars you could afford a house. But in Montgomery County, that's not the case.

But now county lawmakers are adding incentives to help middle class workers live near where they work.

#### 10/6 DC ODOR INVESTIGATE

The gas-like odor shutdown two schools in northeast.

Now investigators tell the DC council it could be stagnant water from a recycling station or waste from the sewers.

They do agree on one thing: A good downpour should help kill the smell and clear the air!

#### 10/5 BARRY TAX TROUBLES

Former D-C Mayor and current Ward 8 Councilman Marion Barry has been instructed not to discuss a pending legal matter.

Barry has been the target of an Internal Revenue Service investigation. He allegedly has failed to file personal tax returns for several years. Barry is reportedly in negotiations with federal prosecutors to resolve a possible misdemeanor charge.

#### 10/4 PURCELLVILLE WATER RESTRICTIONS

One Virginia community is enacting mandatory water restrictions because of draught. Under the restrictions: No watering the lawn, no car washes And no serving water in restaurants.. unless requested. If you're caught watering your lawn or breaking any of the other restrictions you can be charged with a misdemeanor and fined 100-dollars for a first offense.

#### 10/3 GRANDPARENT ACT

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Right now on average, DC grandparents can get 240-dollars a month to care for the first child on 'welfare'.

Under a proposal currently being considered by the DC City council, it would go up to 800-dollars. The mayor has already set aside 2-million dollars for the program.

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#### 11/30 DC TAX FREE SHOPPING

City officials are working with downtown businesses in an effort to spark more interest in holiday shopping in the nation's capital.

The former site of the old D-C Convention Center has been transformed into the District's first outdoor festive market. For 15 days beginning tomorrow, vendors will be selling craft items, imported food and holiday decorations on the site. The effort is backed by the District government, the Downtown Business Improvement District and the Convention Center Authority.

#### 11/29 LOVITT CLEMENCY

Governor Mark Warner has granted clemency for a man who would have become the one-thousandth person executed in America since 1976, when the Supreme Court reinstated capital punishment.

Robin Lovitt was set to be executed by injection tomorrow night at Greensville Correctional Center. Lovitt, who's 42, will spend the rest of his life in prison without parole.

#### 11/28 BASEBALL STADIUM

Baseball will pay 20 million dollars to help cover cost overruns on a new stadium for the Washington Nationals. The head of the D-C Sports and Entertainment Commission made the announcement today at a D-C Council hearing. City officials say developers who want to build near the new stadium site could also be asked to help pay for roads and infrastructure improvements.

#### 11/24 DC SALES TAX

The District launches its latest sales tax holiday tomorrow. Any article of clothing that costs 100-dollars or less is tax-free. Shoes and accessories are also included.

D-C has a sales tax holiday twice a year. The last one was for back-to-school shopping in August. This time it runs through December fourth.

#### 11/22 LEESBURG WATER PROPOSAL

The Leesburg Town Council recently hired a consultant to conduct an independent review of the financial results and condition of the Town's water and sewer utilities. The consultant proposed that residents who live inside the town limits will receive water and sewer rate increase of only two percent (the first such increase in 14 years for these residents). If approved, Leesburg "out-of-town" residents will be forced to pay increased rates of nearly DOUBLE that of "in-town" residents. Subsequent rate increases are also planned for 2007, 2008 and 2009.

#### 11/21 DON'T FEED THE GEESE

or the geese-plagued residents of Stratford Landing, relief may be on the way. With residents lamenting a decline in their quality of life, the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors next week will consider a geese-be-gone ordinance that would prohibit the feeding of geese and ducks along Little Hunting Creek. Anyone who tosses so much as a kernel of corn could face a \$50 fine. The ordinance would be enforced by animal control officers.

#### 11/18 DC SPEED TRAPS

DC's red light and speed cameras make the city what aaa calls one of the most aggressive cities toward drivers.

#### 11/17 MARYLAND'S NEW FLU WEBSITE

Governor Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr., today announced Maryland Flu Preparedness, a new web site dedicated to providing information to Maryland citizens about the flu. What is bird flu and why should I worry about it? Is it different from regular flu? And why is the news full of references to a flu pandemic? These questions and more can be answered on a new web site launched today by the State of Maryland.

#### 11/16 GAS TAX LIVES

The much-hated, much reviled Va. CAR TAX is still alive. In fact, new stickers are due on vehicles today, Wed., Nov. 16th. You can (and will) get a ticket for driving or parking a car with the old sticker in the windshield.

#### 11/15 PASTOR/NO MARRIAGES

To protest Virginia's laws banning gay marriage, Clarendon Presbyterian Church Pastor David Ensign and the church's governing council decided recently that Clarendon Presbyterian will no longer have *any* weddings, and Ensign will renounce his state authority to marry couples. Any heterosexual couple who has their union "blessed" in a "celebration ceremony" at the tiny church will have to take the extra step of being officially wed by a justice of the peace at the courthouse.

#### 11/14 KILI'S 4 SHOT

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#### MONTROSE PARKWAY

After 15 years of delays, officials in Montgomery County are moving ahead with the Montrose Parkway.

The 68-million dollar project is designed to ease east-west traffic between Rockville Pike and Interstate-270. It's slated for completion in 2008.

#### 11/10 UPSKIRTING BILL

A Maryland lawmaker says there's nothing illegal about taking a picture up a woman's skirt or down her blouse, as long as it's in a public place.

Delegate Neil Quinter, a Howard County Democrat, wants to change that. He's again planning to introduce a bill that would ban taking and distributing "upskirt" and "downblouse" photos without consent.

#### 11/9 TERROR RESPONSE PLAN

D-C Mayor Tony Williams says communication is improving among officials in the District, Maryland, Virginia and

the federal government. Williams met today with Maryland Governor Robert Ehrlich and Homeland Security Secretary Michael Chertoff to discuss communications problems during last month's tunnel security scare in Baltimore.

#### 11/8 PG SMOKING BAN

Prince George's County lawmakers have snuffed out smoking in almost all county bars and restaurants, starting next year. The measure passed unanimously today. The only exemptions are a cigar bar at FedEx Field and a few private clubs.

#### 11/7 VIRGINIA GOV'S RACE

Both major candidates for governor have spent the day urging supporters to get out the vote tomorrow.

Both Democrat Tim Kaine and Republican Kilgore appeared in Roanoke and in northern Virginia today. And both will end the day in Richmond. Kilgore was scheduled to attend a rally in Abingdon this afternoon, then appear with President Bush at Richmond International Airport tonight.

Recent polls show Kilgore and Kaine in a dead heat.

#### 11/4 VIRGINIA GOV. RACE

A new poll out today shows Republican Jerry Kilgore and Democrat Tim Kaine in a virtual dead heat with the election just four days away. The Mason-Dixon poll puts Kaine at 45 percent and Kilgore at 44 percent in a survey of 625 registered voters conducted this week.

#### 11/2 METRO TRAINS

Metro is considering a plan to add trains with less seating. Metro's Planning & Development Committee will hear the proposal tomorrow

#### 11/1 FREDERICK MAYORAL RACE

A former 4 term incumbent mayor is trying to get his old job back. Democrat Ron Young led Frederick, Maryland for nearly 3-decades. Now he's taking on republican, jeff holtzinger for the city's top job.

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#### 12/28 WASHINGTON BASEBALL

It looks as if the battle over a new stadium for the Washington Nationals will drag into the new year. City administrator Robert Bobb said today he doesn't expect a vote on the stadium lease until at least mid-January.

A development which means the city will default on its agreement to have the lease in place by December 31st.

The consequences of which could mean a trip to arbitration with Major League Baseball.

#### 12/27 ICC TOLLS

Opponents of the Intercounty Connector say tolls on the proposed highway from Laurel to Gaithersburg will be too high. Montgomery County Councilman Phil Andrews says more than ten-thousand drivers wouldn't use the I-C-C because they can't or won't pay a toll.

#### 12/15 DC BASEBALL STADIUM LEASE

It's not clear where the votes are coming from, but Mayor Tony Williams says he's confident that seven D-C Council members will back a baseball stadium lease. There appear to be five council members lined up on each side of the plan, with council members Phil Mendelson, Carol Schwartz and Kwame Brown as swing votes.

#### 12/14 HERNDON DAY LABOR SITE

Job seekers far outnumbered job providers today as a controversial taxpayer-funded day laborer site in northern Virginia opened its doors for the first time.

Only about a half-dozen contractors showed up early this morning to pick up workers at the Herndon site. About 50 men remained at the center late this morning still hoping to find work.

#### 12/13 BASEBALL STADIUM LEASE

A new Nationals stadium at R-F-K is a no-go with baseball officials. Major League Baseball president Bob DuPuy wrote to D-C Council Chair Linda Cropp today, saying baseball is only interested in a stadium on the Anacostia River, south of the Capitol. The council is holding hearings on a stadium lease and will vote on the deal next week.

#### 12/12 MD GOV'S RACE

Baltimore Mayor Martin O'Malley is out on the campaign trail today with his new running mate, Prince George's County Delegate Anthony Brown.

O'Malley is seeking the Democratic nomination for governor. He introduced Brown this morning as his choice for lieutenant governor.

#### 12/9 DC BASEBALL STADIUM LEASE

D-C Mayor Tony Williams confirms that the city and Major League Baseball officials have agreed to a 30-year lease for a new Nationals baseball stadium.

#### 12/6 DC BASEBALL STADIUM

Members of the D-C Council are rejecting emergency legislation that would have capped all spending for the proposed baseball stadium at 535 (m) million dollars. The vote was 8-to-5, but nine votes are needed to pass emergency legislation.

Mayor Tony Williams says the ballpark can be built for that price. But Councilman David Catania, who introduced the measure, calls that -- quote -- "a lie," and insists the cost is approaching or exceeding 700 (m) million.

#### 12/5 Kaine TRANSPORTATION MTG

Wintery weather has caused Governor-elect Tim Kaine to cancel the transportation town hall meeting in Danville this evening. It will be rescheduled at another time. Kaine held a similar forum in Fredericksburg on Saturday, where he spoke to about 200 people.

#### 12/1 SAVE KING STREET

City officials have approved, among other projects, a 65-unit condominium complex with 5,400 square feet of retail space on the ground floor, underground parking and a 4,600-square-foot courtyard for residents and shoppers. But to build the complex, developer DSF-Long **King Street** LLC of Boston would raze a pair of row houses built in the early 1900s in the 1500 block, demolish a rear addition to a building in the 1500 block and gut a building in the 1600 block, all of which is about two blocks from the **King Street** Metro station. The development could be halted even before ground is broken: A group has challenged the developer's plans.

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#### 10/31 ROSA PARKS MEMORIAL

After lying in state at the U.S. Capitol on Sunday and Monday morning, the body of Mrs. Parks, the mother of the civil rights movement, was brought to the church in a police-escorted motorcade. The procession will include a historic 1950s public bus and will move through the Howard University community.

#### 10/27 MIERS NOMINATION

In a striking defeat for President Bush, White House counsel Harriet Miers withdrew her nomination to the Supreme Court on Thursday after three weeks of brutal criticism from fellow conservatives.

#### 10/26 CIA LEAK INVESTIGATION

Two key White House aides await their fate in the CIA leak probe after a prosecutor spent three hours before a grand jury that could hand up indictments and rock the Bush administration.

#### 10/25 IRAQ/2,000 DEAD

While the number of American soldiers killed in the Iraq war has reached two-thousand, the U-S military says "the Iraqi public has taken the brunt of the casualties."

At least 38-hundred civilians have been killed in just the last six months.

The losses are far larger than most analysts and Pentagon planners had predicted before the war, and means Iraqi civilians are bearing the brunt of the suffering.

#### 10/24 IRAQ HOTEL EXPLOSION

Security photos are revealing the sequence of events, in what appears to be a well-planned attack on a hotel in Baghdad housing foreign journalists.

The attack killed at least 20 passers-by. But in the hotel compound itself, there were only minor injuries.

#### 10/21 DELAY INDICTMENT

Rep. Tom DeLay proclaimed his innocence to state felony charges Friday at a place that is central to his case: the domed Texas state Capitol.

DeLay's efforts in the 2002 elections helped Republicans win full control of the statehouse for the first time since Reconstruction.

#### 10/20 DELAY INDICTMENT

Rep. Tom DeLay turned himself in Thursday at the sheriff's office and was fingerprinted, photographed and released on \$10,000 bail on conspiracy and money-laundering charges.

#### 10/19 SADDAM TRIAL

A defiant Saddam Hussein quarreled with judges and scuffled with guards at the opening of his long-awaited trial Wednesday, rejecting the tribunal's right to judge him and

insisting he is still the president of Iraq.

#### 10/18 NY SUBWAY THREAT

A threat forced New York city authorities to flood its subway system with thousands of extra officers. In that case the information came an informant in Iraq and turned out to be a hoax.

#### 10/17 AIRSTRIKES KILL CIVILIANS

The US military announced today the bombing of two villages near Ramadi Sunday killing about seventy militants.

Ramadi is a stronghold for sunni insurgents-- about 70 miles west of Baghdad. Residents said more than half of those dead were civilians.

#### 10/14 ROVE GRAND JURY

Karl Rove testified to a grand jury for the fourth and final time Friday, smiling as he emerged from hours of questioning about his possible role in the leak of a covert CIA officer's identity.

#### 10/13 MMM MARCH/FARRAKAN

People are expected to pack the National Mall for the "millions more movement" led by Louis Farrakhan

Ten years ago, he created the million man march.

Men from all over the country responded to the call for peace and brotherhood.

#### 10/12 CHINA SPACE RACE

China blasted off with a second manned space mission today. Some experts believe China also plans to make a surprise trip to the moon.

President bush has directed nasa to return to the moon by 2018 with a new generation of human explorers.

#### 10/10 BUSH VISITS NOLA

President Bush is on his way back to the Gulf Coast, starting a two-day trip centered on the housing needs of hurricane victims.

The president left the White House this afternoon to fly to New Orleans, where he'll discuss rebuilding plans over dinner in the French Quarter with state and local officials.

#### 10/7 IRAQ SENATE BILL

The senate unanimously approved 50 billion more dollars for both the Afghanistan and Iraq wars.

It's part of a 445 billion dollar military spending bill.

That raises the total cost of the wars so far to more than 350 billion dollars.

#### 10/6 ROVE CIA LEAK

The president's political advisor, Karl Rove, is headed back to the grand jury to give more testimony in the leak of c-i-a agent Valerie Plame's name.

#### 10/5 SCOTUS ASSISTED SUICIDE

New Supreme Court Chief Justice John Roberts is already presiding over a major case.

The issue of assisted suicide.

Specifically, whether the federal government can stop doctors from prescribing drugs that terminally-ill patients can take to end their lives.

#### 10/4 BUSH NEWS CONFERENCE

In the face of criticism from the left and right, President Bush insisted Tuesday that Harriet Miers is the best-qualified candidate for the Supreme Court and assured skeptical conservatives that his lawyer-turned-nominee shares his judicial philosophy -- and won't stray from a rightward course.

#### 10/3 ROBERTS FIRST DAY

John Roberts here began his first day as the nation's chief justice.

The 50 year old becomes the 17th chief justice in US history... Following the death of his 'friend and mentor', William Rehnquist.

The court opened by hearing arguments on two cases, one on labor, the other on fuel taxes.

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#### 11/30 BUSH IRAQ STRATEGY

President Bush gave an unflinching defense of his war strategy on Wednesday, refusing to set a timetable for U.S. troop withdrawals and asserting that once-shaky Iraqi troops are proving increasingly capable. Democrats dismissed his words as a stay-the-course speech with no real strategy for success.

Bush recalled that some Iraqi security forces once ran from battle, and he said their performance "is still uneven in some parts." But he also said improvements have been made in training and Iraqi units are growing more independent and controlling more territory.

#### 11/29 LOCAL/IRAQI HOSTAGE

A local man is among the four peace activists taken hostage in Baghdad over the weekend.

His name is Tom Fox.

He's a 54-year old father of 2 and he's from Clearbrook, Virginia.

Fox was working with a group called "the christian peacemaker team" when he was abducted.

#### 11/28 SADDAM TRIAL

A combative Saddam Hussein lashed out at his treatment by American "occupiers and invaders" and lectured the chief judge about leadership as his trial resumed in a rambling and unfocused session.

#### 11/23 IRAQ TROOP WITHDRAWAL

The Bush administration and military leaders are sounding optimistic notes about scaling back U.S. troops in Iraq next year, as public opposition to the war and congressional demands for withdrawal get louder.

#### 11/22 BUSH DEATH PLOT

A 24-year-old man has been convicted of plotting with al-Qaida to assassinate President Bush. A federal jury in Alexandria rejected claims by Ahmed Omar Abu Ali that Saudi forces tortured him to extract a confession. His attorneys say they intend to appeal.

#### 11/21 BUSH IN MONGOLIA

President Bush, buffeted by unrelenting criticism at home over Iraq, on Monday saluted Mongolia's "fearless warriors" for helping his embattled effort to establish democracy in the heart of the Middle East.

#### 11/18 IRAQ BOMBINGS

House Republicans, seeing an opportunity, maneuvered for a quick vote and swift rejection Friday of a Democratic lawmaker's call for an immediate troop withdrawal from Iraq.

This on the same day 4 bombings shook Iraq killing 74 people.

#### 11/17 TROOP WITHDRAWAL

An influential House Democrat who voted for the Iraq war called Thursday for the immediate withdrawal of U.S. troops from Iraq, another sign of growing unease in Congress about the conflict.

Rep. John Murtha says military is suffering, the future of our country is at risk. We cannot continue on the present course. It is evident that continued military action in Iraq is not in the best interests of the United States of America, the Iraqi people or the Persian Gulf region.

#### 11/16 DUI LICENSCE PLATES

A Florida lawmaker is trying to get a law passed requiring everyone convicted of DUI to put a pink license plates on their car.

But the ACLU doesn't like it.

Their lawyers say it violates everyone's 4th amendment rights against unwarranted searches.

#### 11/15 CHENEY HECKLED

Vice President Dick Cheney was heckled by peace protesters today during an appearance in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Cheney was on hand for the groundbreaking for a public policy center honoring former Senate Majority Leader Howard Baker.

During Cheney's brief remarks, about a half-dozen people protesting the war in Iraq yelled, "War, what is it good for?" and held up a large banner saying, "Peace Now."

#### 11/14 MEDICARE CONFUSING

Open enrollment for the new Medicare Prescription Drug program starts tomorrow. We ran through the numbers to help viewers figure out what plan to choose, and how experts are helping them out.

#### 11/11 VETERANS DAY

President Bush spoke to troops in PA. Joint Chiefs Chairman Gen. Peter Pace spoke at a special ceremony at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial. The president criticized his Democratic critics, who initially supported the war, and accused them of rewriting history.

#### 11/10 CONGRESS/ANTI-GANG

Congress is set to commit more than five million dollars in federal funds for anti-gang programs in Virginia and Maryland. Virginia Congressman Frank Wolf says the regional funding will be included in a package of more than 75 million dollars in federal gang intervention initiatives.

#### 11/9 JORDAN EXPLOSIONS

President Bush is calling today's suicide bombings in Jordan "vicious terrorist attacks against innocent civilians."

And according to his spokesman, America will offer "every possible form" of assistance in bringing those responsible to justice.

#### 11/8 CA VOTE

California Governor, Arnold Schwarzenegger casting his vote today.

The governor has been campaigning hard for 4-ballot initiatives.

2-of the most controversial, a measure making it easier to fire teachers, and one allowing the governor to make mid-year budget cuts.

#### 11/4 BUSH POLL

The Associated Press-Ipsos poll on public attitudes about President Bush was conducted Oct. 31-Nov. 2 is based on telephone interviews with 1,006 adults from all states except Alaska and Hawaii and areas heavily damaged by hurricanes Katrina and Wilma. Because of hurricane damage, Ipsos did not try to interview respondents in Louisiana, southern Mississippi and central and southern Florida.

#### 11/3 LIBBY INDICTED

Vice President Dick Cheney's former chief of staff pleaded not guilty to a five-count felony indictment Thursday in the CIA leak case, signaling a protracted court battle that is sure to prolong debate about the White House's prewar use of intelligence on Iraq.

#### 11/1 INTEREST RATES

Another interest rate hike by the federal reserve.

Today's quarter-point increase sends the federal funds rate to four-percent.

That's the highest level in more than four years.

The jump is the latest in a succession of increases to help deal with inflation.

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#### 12/30 IRAQ REVIEW 2005

The Pentagon says the number of U.S. Combat brigades in Iraq will be reduced from 17 to 15 in the next year...

But General Webster predicted that U.S. Troops will be needed in the violence plagued capital city of Baghdad... For some time.

#### 12/28 ALITO LATEST

At home, Bush will be after the Senate to confirm Samuel Alito to the Supreme Court in January. He also wants immigration reform, including a guest worker program.'

#### 12/27 KATRINA DAMAGE

The devastation from the 3 major hurricane's that hit the U.S. put damage totals at nearly 58-billion dollars.

That makes it the worst cumulative catastrophe on record.

Katrina alone is responsible for about 40 billion.

#### 12/26 ARIEL SHARON HEALTH

Israel's Prime Minister will be heading back to the hospital for heart surgery.

Ariel Sharon is scheduled to undergo a catheterization procedure next month.

Sharon suffered a small stroke a couple weeks back.

When doctors were treating him they found a tiny hole in his heart.

#### 12/22 PATRIOT ACT

The House passed a one-month extension of the Patriot Act on Thursday and sent it to the Senate for final action as Congress scrambled to prevent expiration of anti-terror law enforcement provisions on Dec. 31.

Approval came on a voice vote in a nearly empty chamber, after Rep. James Sensenbrenner, R-Wis., chairman of the House Judiciary Committee, refused to agree to a six-month extension the Senate cleared several hours earlier.

#### 12/21 NY TRANSIT STRIKE

It's Day 2 of the NY city's transit strike.

Workers leaving the job over a contract dispute.

The union and the city met today to no avail.

And lawyers from both sides are still fighting it out in court over the legality of the strike.

#### 12/17 BUSH NEWS CONFERENCE

Accused of acting above the law, President Bush forcefully defended a domestic spying program on Monday as an effective tool in disrupting terrorists and insisted it was not an abuse of Americans' civil liberties.

Bush said it was "a shameful act" for someone to have leaked details to the media.

#### 12/15 BUSH/KATRINA LEVEES

President Bush pledged on Thursday to rebuild

New Orleans' shattered levee system taller and stronger than before Hurricane Katrina struck, requesting an additional \$1.5 billion to buttress the system that failed and left the city flooded.

#### 12/14 PATRIOT ACT

Republican lawmakers urged quick renewal of the expiring portions of the USA Patriot Act on Wednesday, arguing that the nation's safety could be endangered if parts of the government's premier anti-terrorism law are allowed to expire at the end of the year.

#### 12/13 TOOKIE WILLIAMS EXECUTION

Crips gang co-founder Stanley Tookie Williams maintained his innocence right up until his death, even when an admission of guilt might have spared him execution for killing four people.

His supporters, too, promised to continue their efforts to prove his innocence, even after the courts and Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger rejected a flurry of last-ditch appeals.

#### 12/12 TOOKIE WILLIAMS EXECUTION

Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger on Monday refused to spare the life of Stanley Tookie Williams, the founder of the murderous Crips gang who awaited execution after midnight in a case that stirred debate over capital punishment and the possibility of redemption on death row.

#### 12/9 JET OFF RUNWAY

A member of the National Transportation Safety Board says the investigation into last night's deadly accident at Chicago's Midway Airport could take a year.

A Southwest Airlines jet from Baltimore that was trying to land in heavy snow crashed through a barrier and came to a stop atop a car on the street. A six-year-old boy in the car was killed.

#### 12/8 AMERICAN HOSTAGE KILLED?

A statement signed by an Iraqi insurgent group said Thursday in an Internet posting that it killed a kidnapped U.S. security consultant. The claim's authenticity could not be immediately verified.

It was the first time in more than a year that an insurgent group announced the slaying of an American hostage.

#### 12/7 BUSH/IRAQ PROGRESS

President Bush says post-war rebuilding has given Iraqis hope for a better life, though he acknowledges progress has been "uneven."

He says militants have slowed the reconstruction, but haven't been able to stop it.

#### 12/6 SADDAM HUSSEIN TRIAL

Saddam Hussein says he won't return to what he calls "an unjust court" when his trial reconvenes tomorrow.

Saddam began shouting at the end of today's session, saying "I will not return." And he told the judge, "Go to Hell."

Saddam says he has no fresh clothes and he has been deprived of shower and exercise facilities. He says "This is terrorism." The former Iraqi president also accused the court of "deliberately hauling defendants before the trial when they are exhausted."

#### 12/5 HUSSEIN VS. JUDGE

Saddam Hussein was defiant and disruptive during his trial today.

He's charged in the 1982 killings of more than 140 people -- retaliation for an assassination attempt.

Saddam could get the death penalty, but he said he's not afraid to die.

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#### 10/31 AVIAN FLU VACCINE

The University of Maryland school of medicine is one of three research centers who have been conducting human testing on the avian flu vaccine. Today volunteers in the study had their final blood draw and offered their 3rd vaccine. The vaccine is designed to prevent the virulent flu strain.

#### 10/25 BIRD FLU LATEST

Indonesia confirmed the country's fourth human death from bird flu -- the 62nd worldwide.

Health ministers from 30 nations and the heads of the World Health Organization and the U.N. Food and Agriculture Organization, meeting in Canada, urged developed countries to put aside some of their influenza drugs for less-developed ones.

China reported its second outbreak in a week among fowl. An outbreak sickened 2,100 geese and killed about 500 of them in eastern Anhui province.

#### 10/21 PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

DC is being sued over its new law designed to make prescription drugs more affordable

The law makes it illegal for pharmaceutical companies to mark up prescription drugs more than 30 percent of what they would cost in Germany, Canada, or the UK.

An association representing drug companies wants to stop the law from taking effect claiming the measure violates patent laws and federal "inter-state commerce" rules.

#### 10/20 PARAMEDIC PATHWAYS

Paramedics are the first to respond in a medical emergency when someone is having difficulty breathing or in the throes of a heart attack.

But there's a nationwide "shortage" of paramedics which is forcing many communities to rethink how to retain and recruit them.

Now Howard County has come up with a unique way to grow a new crop of paramedics -- they're grooming them young.

#### 10/19 PG SMOKING BAN

The Prince George's County Council is considering a plan to ban smoking in county bars and restaurants -- a ban similar to one in place in neighboring Montgomery County.

Under the bill, offenders would face a possible fine of 200 dollars. Business owners who don't comply could be fined one-thousand dollars. Private clubs would not be affected.

#### 10/18 COSMETIC CHECKUP

The "ENVIRONMENTAL WORKING GROUP" has established a new website that lists safety ratings for more than 14,000 health and beauty products.

#### 10/17 BIRD FLU FAQ'S

Some health experts predict the bird flu has the potential to kill millions just in the US.

And as people here in the Washington area begin getting their yearly flu shots we answered some of the questions they are asking, like how concerned they should be and what they should do to stay flu-free?

#### 10/14 PG FLU SHOT APPT.

October means flu season is just around the corner.  
Prince George's county is offering flu shots for free!  
But there's a catch, you have to have an appointment.

#### 10/13 FRENCH FRY LIMITS

A cafeteria crackdown at the Fairfax County school district.  
Some students can no longer get fries with their lunch.  
It's all part of an effort to keep kids from getting "super-sized".

#### 10/10 NEW SIDS GUIDELINES

The nation's largest group of pediatricians says  
the risk of sudden infant death syndrome, or SIDS, could be reduced  
with some simple measures.

The group says babies should be offered pacifiers at bedtime and  
they should sleep in the same room as their parents -- but not in  
the same bed.

#### 10/7 DR. PHIL DIET LAWSUIT

Doctor Phil is facing a lawsuit over a weight loss regimen he once endorsed.  
Shape-up, which featured him on the box required participants to take up to 20 vitamin pills a day.  
The cost: 120 dollars a month.  
Dieters with apple shaped bodies were told to take one group of the vitamins those with pear shaped  
bodies, another.  
It's an idea health experts claim is bogus.

#### 10/6 NAME OF SLEEP

The bed basics, like types of coils, foam, and top padding, the things that make a bed supportive and  
comfortable to you.

The best mattress supports your spine, but also allows a natural curve.

#### 10/5 LOCAL FLU SHOT LINES

It's time to start thinking about rolling up your sleeves and getting a flu shot.  
Health experts say they have enough vaccine.  
But a shot will cost about 7 bucks more than it did last year.

#### 10/4 TULAREMIA UPDATE

Virginia Congressman Tom Davis Sent letters to both the CDC and the department of homeland security  
asking why it took six days to notify first responders about the discovery.

Bio-terror sensors picked up low levels of the bacteria "tularemia" during anti-war protests on the  
national mall two weekends ago.

So far no confirmed illnesses but authorities still dont' know where it came from.

#### 10/3 TULAREMIA SCARE

The CDC is trying determine the source of a dangerous bacteria detected on the national mall.  
Its called Tularemia.

And its on the government's list of bio-hazards that could be used by terrorists.

So far, they say there are no reports that anyone has become ill  
from the Tularemia bacterium, which can cause flulike symptoms and  
is usually treated with antibiotics.

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## 11/30 FACE TRANSPLANT

Doctors in France said they had performed the world's first partial face transplant, forging into a risky medical frontier with their operation on a woman disfigured by a dog bite.

The 38-year-old woman, who wants to remain anonymous, had a nose, lips and chin grafted onto her face from a brain-dead donor whose family gave consent. The operation, performed Sunday, included a surgeon already famous for transplant breakthroughs, Dr. Jean-Michel Dubernard.

## 11/22 HIDDEN TOY HAZARDS

According to the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC), three-fourths of the 210,000 people who sought treatment in hospital emergency rooms for toy-related injuries in 2004 were younger than 15. Sixteen children died from toy related injuries last year.

## 11/18 FDA TEFLON INVESTIGATION

The Food and Drug Administration has opened an investigation into its safety, based on new information and the testimony of a DuPont whistleblower. To prevent grease stains on fast food and pizza boxes, microwave popcorn bags, candy bar wrappers and hundreds of other food items, the paper is coated with a chemical that's part of the Teflon family made by DuPont.

96 Percent of Americans have traces of the cancer-causing agent in their bloodstream.

## 11/17 TAMIFLU

Federal health advisers are looking into the deaths of 12 Japanese children who took Tamiflu, part of their annual safety review of the anti-flu medication and seven other drugs.

There are no reports of deaths in the United States or Europe associated with Tamiflu.

## 11/16 BREAKING THE CYCLE

Many women are now using drugs like depo prevara to stop their periods, but new research suggests that using the drugs could lead to bone density loss

## 11/15 GERM PITS

Germs are everywhere, especially when you're talking about where children play.

A Fox 5 investigation found that all five childrens play areas contained traces of fecal bacteria, in a high enough dose to make a person sick.

## 11/14 MEDICARE CONFUSING

Open enrollment for the new Medicare Prescription Drug program starts tomorrow. We ran through the numbers to help viewers figure out what plan to choose, and how experts are helping them out.

## 11/11 SNOWFLAKE BABY

Local woman, who could not get pregnant, received a frozen embryo from a Colorado couple. The sweeps piece focused on the pro's and con's of frozen embryo's and the process by which couple's can receive them.

#### 11/10 PARALYSIS

Watching Josh Basile pump his exercise bicycle, you would never guess that he is a quadriplegic that when he suffered a spinal cord injury in the summer of 2004,

But his devoted mother and father...Did not give up they tried laser light therapy and it helped josh was able to move his arm.

#### 11/8 SNORING CURES

It used to take an overnight stay in a sleep lab hooked up to electrodes to be diagnosed with sleep apnea.

12 million people have it

But now there are 3 brand new devices on the market that can help diagnose and treat sleep apnea and gives spouses a chance to sleep too.

#### 11/7 FLU HOTLINE

Flu season is closing in on us.

Wednesday morning we'll have a team of doctors here ready to answer them all.

5 doctors 5 phone lines and one place to get all the answers fox 5 morning news.

#### 11/4 BIRD FLU

-- The administration's plan to have states pay for huge amounts of any bird flu vaccine is coming under fire on Capitol Hill.

Iowa Senator Tom Harkin says it's a national concern that should be covered by the federal government.

He also wondered how hurricane-battered states like Louisiana and Mississippi would be able to afford the cost.

H-H-S Secretary Michael Leavitt (LEH'-vit) says forcing some of the cost on states is designed to make sure they are "buying in" to preparations for the pandemic.

#### 11/3 VIOXX LAWSUIT

Merck & Co. won its first court battle over its Vioxx painkiller Thursday when a New Jersey state jury found that the drugmaker properly warned consumers about the risks of the medication. The verdict absolved Merck of liability for a heart attack suffered by a Vioxx user.

#### 11/2 FLU SHOT SOFTWARE

US Health officials are focused on how to mobilize flu clinics in the event of an outbreak.

Researchers at the university of maryland are helping.

They've developed new software designed to track how long it takes for people to go through the process of getting a flu shot.

They tested it out today in Silver Spring.

The free program also evaluates how many workers a clinic would need in the event of a flu pandemic.

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#### 12/28 DISEASE DETECTION

An inch doesn't seem very big -

But add up those inches and it sure can be.

If you are measuring your waistline, one inch can make a significant difference between healthy and high risk.

Get out your measuring tape.

#### 12/27 CALIFORNIA FLU SEASON

Emergency rooms on the west coast are dealing with a huge flu outbreak.

Labs in California, Oregon, Arizona and other western states have all picked up on a spike in influenza cases.

So far the rest of the country appears normal.

But the CDC says the high numbers in the west is a sign ... The flu season may be arriving earlier this year.

#### 12/26 BABY BOTTLES DANGER

University Of Missouri Professor Frederick Vom Saal is among the scientists sounding the alarm about 2 kinds of chemicals that some link to birth defects and reproductive problems.

One group of chemicals is called 'phthalates'-- chemicals used to make plastics, like vinyl toys, soft.

The other is used to make polycarbonate-- or clear hard plastics-- like baby bottles. It's called 'bisphenol-a' or b-p-a.

#### 12/19 TEEN DRUG USE

A new study shows that teenagers are smoking less, but are more at risk of abusing prescription painkillers.

The results came from a national survey on drug use by eighth, 10-th and 12-th graders.

#### 12/14 FEELING GOOD/BODY IMAGE

For guys, a slimmer silhouette or baggier pants might be enough to inspire a "yes."

Women, on the other hand, like harder proof their workouts are working.

Researchers put 25 men and 16 women through a 12-week strength-training program. Participants were asked about their body image before and after, and were also given objective tests, such as bicep curls and body fat measurements.

#### 12/13 CRUISE SHIP SAFETY.

A Canadian woman vanished on a cruise to the Bahamas!

Just the latest in a series of nightmares at sea ... That include people disappearing, getting extremely ill, and pirates attacking ships!

So now Congress is looking into it!

Today, there was testimony on capitol hill about cruise ship safety.

#### 12/12 MEXICAN CHEESE WARNING

State health officials are warning parents not to eat or serve their children certain types of unpasteurized

cheeses from Mexico, which they say may be contaminated with a bacteria that causes tuberculosis.

Officials have identified five cases of *M. bovis* tuberculosis among Maryland children over the past 18 months, including one child who died from complications associated with the disease. Each of those children had eaten imported Mexican cheeses, officials found.

#### 12/9 BIRD FLU IMPACT

Senate Majority Leader Bill Frist says a flu pandemic could leave 90 (m) million Americans infected and two (m) million dead.

Frist is supporting six proposals that he says would reduce a pandemic's impact. They include the development of a communications structure that would update the public every six-to-eight hours about symptoms.

Frist also thinks the U-S should spend one billion dollars to improve detection, and stockpile enough Tamiflu to treat a quarter of the U-S population.

#### 12/8 NUDE YOGA

The center is pioneering co-ed naked yoga.  
It's motto is "making your body a pleasurable place to be."  
The ninety minute class is usually filled to capacity.

#### 12/7 WRINKLE CREAMS

No matter what you do, you'll end up getting them.  
We're talking about what every woman dreads getting someday -- wrinkles, age spots, expression lines.  
The market is full of anti-aging products...  
So we put some of the products to the test.

#### 12/6 SHOPPING/RETAIL THERAPY

Science is now discovering that shopping makes you feel good. A growing body of brain research shows how shopping activates key areas of the brain, boosting our mood and making us feel better -- at least for a little while. Peering into a decorated holiday window or finding a hard-to-find toy appears to tap into the brain's reward center, triggering the release of brain chemicals that give you a "shopping high." Understanding the way your brain responds to shopping can help you make sense of the highs and lows of holiday shopping, avoid buyer's remorse and lower your risk for overspending.

#### 12/1 WORLD AIDS DAY

An estimated 5.1 million people are living with HIV in India -- the most in any single country except South Africa. India's sparsely populated northeast, where heroin traffickers cross from Myanmar, is considered a flashpoint because of its high rate of infections among intravenous drug users.

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## 10/27 JANEY CONTRACT EXTENSION

Dc Schools Superintendent Clifford Janey is getting a big bonus.

The board of education voted to award janey a 25-thousand dollar bonus.

The board also extended his contract by a year until 2008.

## 10/25 OSBORN HS SECURITY

The Manassas City School Board will consider hiring an additional security officer to patrol Osbourn High School after school hours.

The proposal, submitted by Osbourn principal Perry B. Pope, comes in response to a sexual incident that occurred in the school auditorium at 5:30 p.m. Sept. 28. Six boys and two girls were suspended after a custodian entered the auditorium and found them engaged in consensual sex.

The proposal will allow the school system to hire a security officer for those hours and transfer \$37,660 from School Board reserve funds to pay the officer.

## 10/24 STUDENTS HELP LADNER MOVE

Students at American University driving a u-haul today in protest

The students are angry over reports the board of trustees is offering former university president Ben Ladner a multi-million dollar severance package!

They fired him earlier this month over claims of lavish spending of the schools' money.

## 10/21 KATRINA TEACHER

Although Terry Campagna has been a physical education teacher for 12 years, lately he is lecturing students about a more personal story: the complete destruction of his home (and 99% of his belongings) in St. Bernard Parish, Louisiana. The presentation includes photographs of his ruined vehicles and interior shots of a house that was completely submerged. The sixth grade students at Kent Gardens Elementary School were utterly attentive to the very personal presentation.

## 10/19 SCHOOL BUS BEATING

This was no typical afterschool fight. Palm Bay Police say it's one of the worst beatings they've ever seen. A student repeatedly punched a boy on the bus until he was too tired to hit his victim anymore. The bus driver immediately radioed for police when the violence began and they hauled that student off to jail.

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Terry lectres classroom full of students

#### 10/18 PW JUVY MARIJUANA

Prince William County police arrested two 12 year olds and two 13 years olds from Marsteller Middle School in Bristow and charged them with possession of marijuana

IN FACT ONE OF THE BOYS IS ALSO ACCUSED OF SELLING IT AT SCHOOL.  
10/17 KIDS RETURN TO SCHOOL

The "first" student arrived for her "first" day at the "first" school to reopen in New Orleans.

About a hundred students will attend Saint Louis Cathedral academy.

Only 12 are returning students.

Most others are the children of relief workers.

#### 10/14 MCKINLEY TEACHER ATTACKED.

A 16-year-old at McKinley Tech HS was arrested. Police say the teen attacked a PE teacher with a fire extinguisher. The teacher was taken to the hospital

#### 10/13 FRENCH FRY LIMITS

A cafeteria crackdown at the Fairfax County school district.

Some students can no longer get fries with their lunch.

It's all part of an effort to keep kids from getting "super-sized".

#### 10/10 AU LADNER PROTEST

American University's board of trustees is meeting to determine the future of suspended president Benjamin

Ladner. He was suspended in August during an investigation of his

spending. Ladner has offered to repay 21-thousand dollars in

personal expenses, but some students and professors say they don't

want him to come back.

#### 10/6 DC ODOR INVESTIGATE

The gas-like odor shutdown two schools in northeast.

Now investigators tell the DC council it could be stagnant water from a recycling station or waste from the sewers.

They do agree on one thing: A good downpour should help kill the smell and clear the air!

#### 10/5 AA SCHOOL START TIMES

Anne Arundel County school administrators will propose switching the start times of high schools and elementary schools in hopes that more rested teens will be readier to learn.

School officials will present the idea to the Board of Education, which has been hearing complaints about Anne Arundel's 7:17 a.m. start time - the earliest in Maryland.

#### 10/4 GMU PROTESTER ARREST

Tariq Khan is a sociology major at George Mason University. Khan spent four years in the Air Force, and he believes recruiters sometime misrepresent things to prospective volunteers. Last Thursday, a military recruiter had that booth in the student center. As he had done on three previous occasions, Tariq pulled out a sheet of paper, hand-wrote on it RECRUITERS LIE. DON'T BE DECEIVED, taped it to his shirt, and then stood silently alongside the recruiter. He was arrested for trespassing and disorderly conduct.

#### 10/3 LA SCHOOL RETURNS

The school buses are rolling again in Jefferson Parish, Louisiana outside New Orleans.

Teachers greeted students with hugs today as they arrived for the first day of class since hurricane Katrina.

Most youngsters say it's great to be back in school although some of them are still living in shelters.

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## 11/30 FOOD FIGHT

A new study finds fast food companies locate near schools on purpose. Its making it hard for school cafeterias to compete with their healthy meals.

## 11/22 TEACHER/SEX HEARING

A female teacher pleaded guilty Tuesday to having sex with a 14-year-old student, avoiding prison as part of a plea agreement.

Debra Lafave, 25, whose sensational case made tabloid headlines, will serve three years of house arrest and seven years' probation.

She pleaded guilty to two counts of lewd and lascivious battery.

The former Greco Middle School reading teacher apologized during the hearing, saying "I accept full responsibility for my actions."

## 11/21 METRO BUS FOR STUDENTS

Metrobus is adding three new bus routes today--to pick up students at Anacostia High School after school!

DC Public Schools and the DC police department requested the bus service to take students from school to their neighborhoods in the afternoon to "reduce crowding on existing buses and reduce loitering around area bus stops." hmmm....

The new service will take 100 kids off of two bus routes serving the area. The district is paying metro appx \$20,000 for the service.

## 11/18 STOP SNITCHING T-SHIRT

On Tuesday, David Jahangiri a 10th grader at Laurel high school was maced and arrested after being told to remove a tshirt that had a stop sign on the front and the words "being a snitch" written on the back. He was arrested. Police say "stop snitching" is code for don't cooperate with police.

## 11/17 JUVIE ANIMAL VIOLENCE

There has been a dramatic rise in the number of animal cruelty cases involving children over the last six months.

To help, the humane society offers education classes in d-c public schools. Fourth and fifth graders are taught... Empathy and respect for animals.

The humane society says - one sign that it works - Several children who've taken the class, have since called in complaints of animal abuse they've witnessed.

## 11/16 MOGO SKL BUS AX

One person is dead and another seriously hurt, after police say the car they were riding in was hit by a school bus this afternoon in Colesville.

Montgomery County Police say the bus was heading back to Argyle Middle School after a field trip to the air & space museum

## 11/15 SPECIAL ED BANK

Special ed students from the Pulley Career Center at West Potomac high in Fairfax are staffing an in-school branch of apple federal credit union which opens to students today.

The branch is located in the cafeteria, and it's open on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays during lunch periods. Teachers, students, and school staff, along with the general public who have ties to the school, can bank here just as they would at any other credit union.

#### 11/10 DALAI LAMA VISIT

The Dalai Lama's government in exile has set up schools that include technical training programs. Today he donated 10-thousand dollars to the Booker T. Washington charter school.

#### 11/9 PW TEACHER SEX ASSAULT

A high school teacher in Manassas is behind bars on charges of sexually assaulting a student. Police say Jeffery Wilson assaulted a female at Osbourn Park High School while the two of them were alone together in a classroom. Wilson is being held without bond.

#### 11/8 TENNESSEE SCHOOL SHOOTING

A school official has died after a shooting in Tennessee. A state education official says an assistant high school principal is dead. A student is in custody. Two other school officials were wounded.

#### 11/4 ARROWHEAD LOCKDOWN

A scary school day is over for students at Arrowhead Elementary School in Upper Marlboro. The building was locked down for several hours after police saw an armed man try to enter the building, then run into the woods. School was dismissed at 3:20 p-m, and police are still looking for the gunman.

#### 11/3 PG SCHOOLS IMPROVEMENT

It's the Prince George's county schools own version of "Extreme Makeover ... Home Edition." 20 years worth of building repairs, in just three. The Prince George's County Council still has to approve the proposal...  
But the school system wants to spend 126 million dollars of state, local, and bond money.

#### 11/3 TEACHER ARRESTED

A Prince George's County middle school teacher has been arrested on charges of raping a students. Greenbelt police say 36-year-old Pascal Brazey of Southeast Washington was arrested yesterday and charged with several counts of rape, child molestation, sex offenses and assault against a student who was 14 at the time of the attack. Brazey taught sixth through eighth grade students at Robert Goddard Middle School in Lanham.

#### 11/2 ROYAL VISIT

England's Prince Charles and his wife visited the country's only public urban boarding school today during a visit to Southeast Washington. First lady Laura Bush and Mayor Tony Williams were also on-hand for the tour of the SEED school. Students in khakis and monogrammed shirts then looked on as the prince shoveled soil onto a tree planted in honor of his visit.

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#### 12/28 TEACHER THREATS

A sixth-grade teacher charged with stalking students and threatening to blow up her school has a theory about who really left those bizarre notes.

#### 12/23 TEACHER THREATENS STUDENTS

Bail has been set at 100-thousand dollars for a Thurmont Middle School teacher charged with making bomb threats and stalking students.

Forty-year-old Michelle J- Dohm remains lodged at the Frederick County jail.

The sixth-grade social-studies teacher faces nine counts of threatening to explode a destructive device and two misdemeanor counts of stalking. She's been on leave without pay since mid-November.

Prosecutors say Dohm wrote notes to four students and repeatedly targeted two of them with messages such as

#### 12/22 HS FOOTBALL GAME STABBING

A guilty verdict in the trial of a teen accused of stabbing another girl outside a football game. The 16-year-old was convicted of second-degree murder and weapons charges in the September death of Kanisha Neal at Blake High School.

#### 12/21 SCHOOL BUS ACCIDENT

Investigators are looking for the cause of a fatal Beltway crash involving an S-U-V and a school bus. The Ford Escape plowed into the rear of the bus, killing the S-U-V driver. Twenty-two kids on the bus were taken to a hospital with bumps and bruises.

#### 12/15 SCHOOLS CLOSING

Arlington County Public Schools closed two hours early, but some events will be held as scheduled. It was a similar story for most school districts in the area.

#### 12/13 PLAYGROUND MURDER

A grim discovery outside a D-C public school this morning, when a passer-by found the body of a woman who'd been shot dead.

The body was lying on a path next to the playground behind Nalle Elementary School, in the 200 block of 50th Street, Northeast. Parents bringing their kids to school found police tape and detectives searching for clues.

#### 12/9 SNOW DAY

A snow day in Alexandria means sitting in class later in the school year. That's exactly what's going to happen to kids there.

While they got today off from school, they're going to be paying the piper on March 17th. The way Alexandria works, five days are scheduled as student holidays. But every time there's a snow day, another holiday turns into a makeup day.

#### 12/7 GIVING TREE CONTROVERSY

The kids at Medina Elementary in Bellevue, Washington wanted to wish the less fortunate a merry christmas.

So they set up "a giving tree" in the main office basically a tree decorated with mittens indicating 'who' gave gifts.

Apparently that looked too much like christmas to the powers that be ... Not generic enough for a 'holiday' display!

Now, no tree.

Instead, a "giving counter" decorated with mittens.

#### 12/5 DC SCHOOLS VOTE

The District's 60,000 school kids are a step closer to better school buildings.

Today, the city council's education committee passed a plan to give the schools another billion dollars over ten years.

All to fix up school buildings.

The money won't be released until the school system can show how it would be spent.

#### 12/1 DC TEXTBOOKS

The D-C auditor will investigate why many public school students haven't received new textbooks that were ordered this year.

City school officials ordered the textbooks after years of chronic shortages, and said they had a process to ensure that the materials would be delivered on time.

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## 10/31 HALLOWEEN HOUSE

Skeletons, caskets, hanging corpses, heads swinging in the air, even a guillotine and the scary music to set the mood.

It's all at the grim reapers playground along Markwood drive in Sterling.

Its so elaborate the owner starts working on it in march.

## 10/27 CAT BUILT INTO WALL

The couple moved into this brand new 2-story home last week never thinking it might be haunted.

But when they walked upstairs.. they heard a strange noise coming from the bathroom.

After a few calls they finally figured out what it was... A cat.

## 10/25 HALLOWEEN HOUSING

You've still got time to deck your house with ghosts and goblins.

Halloween is less than a week away.

More and more people are now dressing up their homes for the holiday.

Today we looked at some of the most popular decorations this year.

## 10/24 JIM GRAHAM VS. HOUSING

Councilman Jim Graham went to a housing project in Northwest that he says had a host of housing violations.

He is going in with police and search warrants

## 10/19 FOSTER KIDS: AGED OUT

Not everyone gets adopted, so many, many foster kids remain with foster families until they are 18. They have then "aged out" of the system. In some counties, they are deposited at a homeless shelter. Some groups are trying to change that.

## 10/18 CHIMNEY CARE

Two women are recovering after their

Bethesda home filled with carbon monoxide late this morning.

Montgomery County Fire spokesman Pete Piringer says the pair are

lucky that it happened during the day. They were alert enough to

realize something was wrong and get out. He says had it happened at

night, they might not have awakened.

## 10/17 SURSUM CORDA

A bidding war has broken out over the redevelopment of the District's troubled Sursum Corda housing project.

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last month to a deal from a private developer that would give each

family an option to buy a new home at a below-market price,

50-thousand dollars and a share of the profits on homes sold the

general market.

But now another developer has offered each family new home at no

cost, a 100-thousand-dollar payment.

## 10/14 GEORGIA AVE. FIRE

Investigators say burning incense sparked last night's apartment fire on Georgia Avenue in Northwest D-C that killed two women. A fire department spokesman says a fire alarm didn't go off in the building, but that's probably because no one pulled the lever.

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But in Montgomery County, that's not the case.

But now county lawmakers are adding incentives to help middle class workers live near where they work.

#### 10/7 SOLAR HOMES

18 homes built by teams of college students from around the country are competing in the energy department's solar decathlon.

Solar has come a long way from the 70's.

#### 10/5 GROCERY HOME DELIVERY

Most of us have to go to the grocery store to get our food.

But nowadays your groceries can come to you...

Two major chains are operating delivery services.

We compared giant and safeway's home delivery services.

#### 10/4 FEMA TRAILER PARK

FEMA says it has a plan to help thousands of evacuees in the gulf still without a place to stay.

The agency opened up the first of Louisiana's trailer park communities.

It's just outside the town of Baker about 80 miles from new orleans.

More than 600 trailers have been set up row upon row.

The trailers are compact.

As many as 5 people will share the space.

#### 10/3 CONTRACTOR CRACKDOWN

Montgomery county is cracking down on home improvement 'scam' artists.

Today county executive Doug Duncan toured the Silver Spring home of Marlene Arcos.

She paid an 'unlicensed' contactor 130-thousand dollars to remodel her property.

Instead, he tore it apart then left town before finishing the work.

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## 11/30 CHENEY HOUSE FLYOVERS

The Federal Aviation Administration has imposed flight restrictions over Vice President Dick Cheney's new home on Maryland's Eastern Shore.

The decision has angered private pilots who say they can't fly overhead even when the vice president isn't around.

## 11/29 FEMA MOBILE HOMES

For months we've all seen the heartbreaking pictures.. people with no place to go. But we found FEMA mobile homes sitting empty just off the interstate in sarasota county. Government records show this is a staging area and mobile homes are kept here until they're shipped out to a disaster area.

## 11/22 NE CAT HOUSE

Some 56 cats were recovered from a Northeast Washington home where authorities say the animals were being hoarded.

The Washington Humane Society described a disgusting scene of overflowing litter boxes and cat food all over the floor.

## 11/18 NEIGHBORHOOD BROTHELS

Federal agents busted a prostitution ring in which many of the prostitutes were illegal aliens who 'worked' in Maryland during the week and visited their homes in New York and New Jersey on Sunday nights. The brothels were run out of suburban homes and apts. in Montgomery County

## 11/17 METRO LAND DEAL

Metro is selling three-and-a-half-acres of land near the Vienna Metro to Pulte Homes. Pulte is developing the Metro West project on 50 acres adjacent to this land. It will pay six-and-a-half (m) million dollars for the land. The company hopes to build offices and condominiums on the site.

## 11/11 DC HOUSING BUBBLE

DC's real estate housing market is slowing down, according to new numbers. It appears many homes are on sale for months, before actually being bought. In Northern Virginia, DC and Montgomery County, sales have slowed from last year by 30%, while the inventory of homes on sale has gone up by 56%. Experts say that means the market is going back to "normal."

## 11/8 INDIANA TORNADO

Authorities now say residents of an Indiana mobile home park that was devastated by a tornado won't be able to return to what's left of their homes until tomorrow.

The pre-dawn twister Sunday killed at least 22 people in Indiana. At least 18 of those killed were at the mobile home park.

11/7 FAIRWOOD ROAD FATAL HOUSE FIRE

Andre Davis was one of three children who firefighters pulled from the burning building in the 67-hundred block of Fairwood Road. He died at a hospital.

Andre's twin brother was seriously injured. A six-year-old cousin is in critical condition.

11/4 RASH OF ROBBERIES

Prince George's county police are joining residents of the Chaney's Choice Townhome development as they make the first steps to take back their community.

Police will set up an information checkpoint here stopping residents as they come home from work passing out fliers warning folks who live here about a recent rash of break-ins.

11/2 DEVELOPMENT FIRE LAWSUIT

A lawyer representing at least a dozen black families who owned homes in a Charles County development hit by arson last year says his clients will sue the suspects because their civil rights were violated.

Homes in the Hunters Brooke subdivision in Indian Head were set ablaze early December 6th in the largest known residential arson case in Maryland history. It damaged or destroyed more than two dozen unoccupied homes.

11/1 HOUSE/WIFE 4 SALE

Deborah Hale is looking for love.

And she also wants to sell her house.

So she's put a listing on ebay offering a desperate house/wife for sale.

The winning bidder will get a 3-bedroom house with a tanning bed and a hot tub.

And a shot at wooing her.

Of course the offer for a bride to go along with the house is non-binding.

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#### 12/30 MCLEAN BURGLARIES

Fairfax County police are seeking the public's help in finding a burglary suspect who's been busy in McLean this month.

During the month of December, there have been eight burglaries in the area. And police believe the cases may be related.

Home were struck in the 13-hundred, 14-hundred, 17-hundred and 18-hundred blocks of Kirby Road; the two-thousand block of Great Falls Street; the 14-hundred block of Ladybird Drive and the 900 block of Ranleigh Drive.

#### 12/28 FFX DOG HOARDING

Dozens of dogs found crammed into a single home, have all been adopted.

Back on Thursday, Animal control officers removed 31 dogs from a house in the herndon area.

They were mostly well-fed and in good condition.

The owner, 52-year-old bach ly, was served with a petition for 'unfit owner.'

#### 12/26 RIESTERSTOWN APARTMENT FIRE

Four people were injured in a four-alarm fire at an apartment for elderly people in Reisterstown. Firefighters got the call around 8 a.m. and arrived at the 300-block of Cantata Court to find heavy fire.

#### 12/22 HISTORIC INN/STARBUCKS

A proposal to open a Starbucks in a historic inn is greeted with acceptance, indignation.

The Maryland Inn has operated continuously since the 1780s, when the U.S. Congress met in Annapolis - then the nation's capital - and the Treaty of Paris, which ended the Revolutionary War, was ratified in the State House. The inn is undergoing a major renovation. One school of thought says Annapolis, even with its historic district, should not be immune to the march of mocha down Main Streets everywhere - there is, after all, a Starbucks near the city's waterfront.

#### 12/16 POWER OUTAGES

About 700-thousand people across the Southeast started the day in the dark thanks to the ice storm.

#### 12/14 CPSC HOME SAFETY

As wintry weather hits the U.S., consumers are starting to feel the pinch of costly home heating bills. In an attempt to lower those heating costs, many will turn to alternative heating sources such space heaters and fireplaces. If not used properly, these products can lead to deadly fires or serious burn injuries.

#### 12/13 DO NOT CALL REGISTRY

The Federal Trade Commission says DirecTV will pay more than five million dollars to settle charges that its telemarketers violated the "do not call" registry rules.

Regulators say unwanted calls were made to sell the company's satellite T-V programming.

The proposed settlement must be approved by a federal judge. It would be the largest civil penalty yet in a consumer protection case.

#### 12/12 DC HOUSING/CO POISONING

The Northwest house where a man died in a possible case of carbon monoxide poisoning is apparently well known in the neighborhood for all the wrong reasons.

D-C Councilman Jim Graham calls it a "notorious nuisance property" that he personally brought to the attention of the city's Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs.

#### 12/9 PG HOUSE FIRE

A house fire in Boulevard Heights home this afternoon has injured two people. Prince George's County Fire spokesman Mark Brady says the father and his grown son were pulled from an upstairs bedroom of the single-family house in the four-thousand block of Alton Street. The cause remains under investigation.

#### 12/8 DECORATING SAFETY

Every year christmas trees and lights are involved in about 300 house fires. The consumer product safety commission has some recommendations. Including, only buying lab-tested lights with the "u-l marking."

#### 12/5 FIRES/RENTERS INSURANCE

A Columbia insurance agent...Says renters are often ill informed about who pays when a fire strikes. Renters insurance is reasonably affordable. A typical policy to cover \$25 thousand dollars of a renters personal property, costs between \$10 and \$15 dollars a month, with a \$250 deductible.

#### 12/1 SAVE KING STREET

City officials have approved, among other projects, a 65-unit condominium complex with 5,400 square feet of retail space on the ground floor, underground parking and a 4,600-square-foot courtyard for residents and shoppers. But to build the complex, developer DSF-Long King Street LLC of Boston would raze a pair of row houses built in the early 1900s in the 1500 block, demolish a rear addition to a building in the 1500 block and gut a building in the 1600 block, all of which is about two blocks from the King Street Metro station. The development could be halted even before ground is broken: A group has challenged the developer's plans.

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## 10/31 LEESBURG PARADE

Costumed characters, floats, scout troops all out in the street having a great time.  
The Leesburg Kiwanis club has been sponsoring the Halloween parade for nearly 50 years.  
They're taking donations for a group that provides groceries and supplies to people in need.

## 10/27 SOCCER TEAMS

A dedicated legion of women... Hold down their place at playing fields all over this country.  
They are the proud group collectively known as soccer moms.  
But not all of them are sitting on the sidelines.  
Many have joined a womans only soccer league.

## 10/25 ROSA PARKS OBIT

President Bush is saluting a woman whose courage, he says, "transformed America for the better."

He says civil rights pioneer Rosa Parks -- who died yesterday at age 92 -- was "one of the most inspiring women of the 20th century."

## 10/24 REDSKINS BLOWOUT

Last week an angry Joe Gibbs chastising the media for predicting a "blowout."  
Now the game's over it's quite obvious the Niners were no match for the Redskins.

## 10/20 DC LOCAL POWERBALL

A couple of this week's big money Powerball winners bought their tickets in the District, and chances are, you've heard of one of them.

Senator Judd Gregg has one of two tickets sold in D-C worth more than 850-thousand dollars each. He matched five of the lottery's numbers, but not the Powerball.

## 10/18 DRINKING LAWS

D.C. Council member Carol Schwartz (R-At Large), who has sponsored legislation to lower the legal limit for drunken driving, said she was not aware that police officers are arresting drivers who have as little as .01 percent blood alcohol content -- less than from drinking a glass of wine or beer -- in their systems. Nor did she think that such a policy was a good idea.

## 10/17 POWERBALL SECRETS

The jackpot for the next drawing will rollover to an estimated 340 million dollars.

Tickets were selling at a ferocious pace and we took a look at some of the strategies people have for picking a winner

## 10/14 MILLIONS MORE MARCH

Crowds are expected to begin gathering on the National Mall early tomorrow for the Millions More Movement. Metro opens at 5 a-m, and activities begin a-half hour later with a prayer. U-S Park Police say extra officers will be staffing the event.

#### 10/13 SAFEWAY FLU SHOTS

Many area grocery stores are offering flu shots.  
Customers lined up at safeway in Potomac for their vaccines.

#### 10/12 ZOO PANDA UPDATE

The National Zoo's panda cub has taken his first steps.  
Chief veterinarian Suzan Murray says the cub used four shaky limbs to move himself forward today after a medical exam. Until this morning, the panda had only used his front legs.

Murray says veterinarians also noticed the cub's teeth are coming in. But he's still a ways off from eating solid food, and won't be weaned off his mother for another year.

The three-month-old cub now weighs nearly 13 pounds and is two feet tall.

#### 10/10 MOGO MIDDLE CLASS

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But in Montgomery County, that's not the case.

But now county lawmakers are adding incentives to help middle class workers live near where they work.

#### 10/7 COLUMBIA NEW MAYOR

Tiny Columbia Virginia boasts a population of 50.  
And when it came time to elect a new mayor there were no applicants.  
So 30-year-old Liz Layne ran on the platform of "I'll do it if no one else will."  
Layne is now the town's first female mayor.

#### 10/6 FFX WEALTHIEST COUNTY

The census bureau says Fairfax jumped four spots .. to number one.  
It's now the wealthiest "large" county.  
Large being defined as having more than 250-thousand residents.  
The average household income in Fairfax County, more than 88-thousand dollars.

#### 10/5 GIRAFFE SURGERY

Doctors at the National zoo have just finished performing a delicate operation to remove a tumor from a giraffe's neck.

While today's surgery to remove it went well, the zoo is not entirely optimistic about Jafari's recovery.

#### 10/4 BABY DUMPED IN STORM DRAIN

A college student led officers today to the body of her dead newborn girl at the bottom of a storm drain, hours after a roommate reported finding blood in their dorm bathroom and the woman missing.

#### 10/3 DC ARMORY EVICTED?

The D-C Armory's time as a shelter for hurricane evacuees is coming to a close.  
Red Cross spokesman Cameron Ballantyne says only six people remain at the shelter today. Since Friday, they've placed nearly 50 people in area motels.

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#### 11/30 DC TAX FREE SHOPPING

City officials are working with downtown businesses in an effort to spark more interest in holiday shopping in the nation's capital.

The former site of the old D-C Convention Center has been transformed into the District's first outdoor festive market. For 15 days beginning tomorrow, vendors will be selling craft items, imported food and holiday decorations on the site. The effort is backed by the District government, the Downtown Business Improvement District and the Convention Center Authority.

#### 11/28 CAPITOL XMAS TREE

Congress today welcomed the Capitol's holiday tree. The massive 80-foot spruce arrived this morning. It comes from the Santa Fe National Forest in New Mexico. The lighting ceremony will take place "next" Thursday, December 8th.

#### 11/22 CHARITIES IN NEED

Three thousand is the number of meals Food & Friends, a local nonprofit organization that prepares and delivers meals and groceries to those in the DC-Metro area living with HIV/AIDS, cancer, and other debilitating diseases, will cook and distribute on Thanksgiving. Such a large-scale operation would not be possible without the help of hundreds of volunteers.

Food & Friends is also seeking people to bake or purchase pumpkin and apple pies to include in the Thanksgiving delivery packages. A total of 1,200 pies are needed.

#### 11/21 PANDA CUB TICKETS

The rush to get tickets to see Tai Shan the panda cub didn't last long. Matt Olear with Friends of the National Zoo says that all 13-thousand public viewing tickets were gone in about two hours after they were made available at 9 a-m.

#### 11/18 THANKSGIVING TRAVEL

Gas prices may be higher, but the roads out of D-C are still going to be full with Thanksgiving travelers. Triple-A Mid-Atlantic says they expect 683-thousand locals to be traveling at least 50-miles for the holiday despite gas prices averaging two-dollars-26-cents for self-serve regular. That's 30-cents more than last year.

#### 11/16 BASEBALL OWNERS MEETING

MLB Owners are meeting in Milwaukee to discuss whether to sell the Washington Nationals to a private party. Doing so will greatly increase the nats' chances of landing high-quality free agents in the off-season

#### 11/15 MEGA MILLIONS

Tonight's Mega Millions jackpot is 315 million dollars, one of the biggest jackpots in the multistate lottery's history.

The nation's record jackpot was 363 million dollars shared by two Mega Millions winners in May 2000.

Virginia lottery officials expect to sell tickets at a rate of 68-hundred per minute today. You can also expect a brisk business in Maryland, and the ten other states where the game is played.

#### 11/14 MONTROSE PARKWAY

After 15 years of delays, officials in Montgomery County are moving ahead with the Montrose Parkway.

The 68-million dollar project is designed to ease east-west traffic between Rockville Pike and Interstate-270. It's slated for completion in 2008.

#### 11/11 WWI VET

Incredible story of a 104-year-old veteran of World War One.. and how he celebrates Veterans Day.

We profiled Lloyd Brown of St. Mary's Co., MD. He spent several years in the U.S. Navy, was married twice, raised 4 kids, and says the secret to longevity is getting rid of bad habits.

Yet, Mr. Brown still smokes a pipe.

#### 11/9 PANDA UPDATE

Tai Shan is four months old today! He regularly engages in solitary play while resting in the den. He displays the flexibility of pandas by reaching to chew on his hind feet, while lying on his back. Too cute! We have seen him pick up and mouth pieces of hay and bamboo almost every day. Yesterday, while mouthing a piece of bamboo he was seen trying to sit up and hold it. It was an attempt at a behavior we see all the time with our adult pandas, where they sit back to consume their chosen piece of bamboo, their bellies serving as a huge bib for all the fallen, uneaten shards. Tai almost had the position and then collapsed into a squirmy ball.

#### 11/8 PUMPKIN STOMP

A post-Halloween treat for elephants at the National Zoo. Zookeepers gave the elephants pumpkins today as part of the annual Pumpkin Stomp. Kandula was the first elephant to discover a beach ball sized pumpkin, which he kicked like a soccer ball before smashing and eating it.

#### 11/7 PANDA TOUR

It was showtime today for the National Zoo's giant panda cub. Fewer than 100 people who bought "Panda Pavers" to help build a new panda habitat got an up close peek at Tai Shan (ty-SHAWN'), who turns four months old on Wednesday. Excited visitors say the mother, Mei Xiang (may-SHAWNG') fed apples to her cub and carried him around by the leg or the scruff of the neck.

#### 11/4 OUTHOUSE COLLECTOR

"Privy Lane" is what Brent Hurley calls the farm path where he displays the half dozen privies he has found and restored.

Most of them are early 20th century and Hurley has become a connoisseur of outhouse architecture..

#### 11/2 ROYAL VISIT

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#### 11/1 OLDEST RAVENS CHEERLEADER

Molly Shattuck is mom to three blonde beauties.

She is also a 38 year old NFL cheerleader for the Baltimore Ravens.

Cheering has been on Molly's lengthy "to-do" list since high school.

When she moved to Charm City 15 years ago, there was no professional football.

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Rapper and film star 'Bow Wow' hosted a day of bowling for kids at "strike" in Bethesda. The bowlers hit the lanes. Then took plenty of pictures... When the 18 year old entertainer came in. The fun is part of bow wow's foundation promoting physical fitness and education.

## 12/28 WASHINGTON BASEBALL

- It will be at least mid-January before the proposed lease agreement for a Nationals baseball stadium comes before the D-C Council. City Administrator Robert Bobb says Mayor Tony Williams continues to work with his negotiators on options for improving the deal with Major League Baseball.

## 12/27 BRUNELL'S BRACE

Redskins quarterback Mark Brunell says his injured knee is feeling better and he's "day to day." Brunell had an M-R-I, two days after being injured in the third quarter of Saturday's 35-to-20 victory over the New York Giants. The team says he has a sprained ligament but no further damage.

## 12/26 AFTER X-MAS SHOPPING

Whether they were returning less-than-perfect gifts or searching for post-Christmas bargains, shoppers packed area malls and stores today. One woman even complimented a store manager for having so many return lines open.

## 12/23 DOG HOUSE HOARDING

A Herndon woman has been charged with being an unfit pet owner after animal control officers found her hoarding dogs. Fairfax County police say Bach Ly had 31 dogs inside her one on Pinecrest Road. The Fairfax County Animal Shelter will be offering some of the Shih Tzus, Chihuahuas and other dogs to good homes starting Tuesday.

## 12/22 DC BASEBALL STADIUM DEAL

Three days before Christmas, Mayor Tony Williams has two things on his mind: last-minute shopping and a baseball stadium deal.

Shopping at City Sports downtown, Williams discussed reaching a stadium deal that would be, as he puts it, "good for the city." Using his best sports analogy, the mayor told reporters, quote, "We've got to score here." He quickly added he believes there's still time to do that.

Ray Brown is 43 years old and still going strong in the NFL.  
On Sunday Brown will start at right guard, in place of Randy Thomas who broke his leg against Dallas.  
Brown says if there's one thing his 20 year nfl career has taught him it's to always be ready.

#### 12/15 NUTCRACKER CANCELLED

The dancers of the Washington Ballet will not perform "The Nutcracker" tonight. Instead, they'll be out in front of the Warner Theatre, picketing.  
Further performances of the holiday ballet -- as well as the rest of the company's season -- are in question after management decided yesterday evening to cancel tonight's show. Executive Director Jason Palmquist said he was forced to do so because the dancers' union called a strike.  
The union denied this.

#### 12/14 HERNDON DAY LABOR SITE

Job seekers far outnumbered job providers today as a controversial taxpayer-funded day laborer site in northern Virginia opened its doors for the first time.  
Only about a half-dozen contractors showed up early this morning to pick up workers at the Herndon site. About 50 men remained at the center late this morning still hoping to find work.

#### 12/13 CAR GIVEAWAY

Owning a car is in many people's dreams but not in their budget. Starting November 18th, each week Donnie Simpson will select a winner and make a deserving listener's dream come true...they will own a car and win a new Hyundai courtesy of Easterns Hyundai of Leesburg! The way they qualify to win is through a letter writing campaign, they write a letter or maybe their friends or family nominate them by writing a letter and then legendary radio personality, Donnie Simpson will select and read a letter every Friday morning.

#### 12/12 DC BASEBALL STADIUM

Two teams are getting the go-ahead from District officials to revitalize the Anacostia River waterfront.  
One team will be responsible for the area near the Southwest Federal Center. Officials say they're planning three (b) billion dollars on their project.  
The other team will focus on development along Half Street. Their projects will include creating the destination gateway for the proposed new baseball stadium. The same group was involved in efforts to revitalize Baltimore's waterfront.

#### 12/9 DC BASEBALL STADIUM LEASE

D-C Mayor Tony Williams confirms that the city and Major League Baseball officials have agreed to a 30-year lease for a new Nationals baseball stadium.

#### 12/8 PANDA PREMIERE

The panda cub at the National Zoo is growing and so is interest in panda memorabilia.  
More than 27-thousand dollars in merchandise was sold last month from the zoo's Web site. That's three-thousand more than the total

#### 12/7 DC DOWNTOWN WIRELESS

Workers, business travelers and visitors in downtown D-C may have good reason to linger longer around Farragut Square.

The Golden Triangle business improvement district is now providing free 24-hour wireless Internet service at the intersection of Connecticut Avenue and 'K' Street, Northwest.

#### 12/6 DC BASEBALL STADIUM

Members of the D-C Council are rejecting emergency legislation that would have capped all spending for the proposed baseball stadium at 535 (m) million dollars. The vote was 8-to-5, but nine votes are needed to pass emergency legislation.

Mayor Tony Williams says the ballpark can be built for that price. But Councilman David Catania, who introduced the measure, calls that -- quote -- "a lie," and insists the cost is approaching or exceeding 700 (m) million.

#### 12/5 WATER TOWER RESCUE

The man rescued from atop a water tower at Andrews Air Force Base is doing fine.

Crews had to get Joshua Vinson down from about 200 feet up. A family friend who saw him in the hospital says Dinson had been working up there about two-hours this morning when he got cold and lost feeling in his hands.

#### 12/1 PAGEANT OF PEACE TONIGHT

The lighting ceremony of the National Christmas tree is the beginning of three weeks of celebration in music for the Christmas Pageant of Peace. Each night during December, musical groups primarily from the Washington area perform for the entertainment of visitors to the Ellipse.

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## 10/31 PHILLY TRANSIT STRIKE

Today half a million people in Philly, were left without a way to work.  
 The city's transit employees walked off the job just after midnight.  
 Subways, buses, trolleys are all affected by the "transit troubles."  
 Union workers are striking over wages, disciplinary rules and health care plans.

## 10/27 METRO TRACK WORK

All five Metro subway lines will be affected by track repairs this weekend. Trains on various stretches of the Orange, Red, Blue, Yellow and Green lines will have to alternate on a single open track in certain stretches. The work includes switch replacement, bridge inspection, rail car testing and routine maintenance. Officials warn trips could take 5-to-10 minutes longer.

## 10/25 GW PARKWAY FATAL

One person is dead after a car hit a tree and crashed into the water near National Airport.  
 U-S Park Police say a Jeep S-U-V hit a tree and ran off an embankment on the southbound side of the George Washington parkway this afternoon. Some maintenance workers found the vehicle partially submerged in Four Mile Run.

Investigators say dead person was the only occupant of the S-U-V. They're now looking for witnesses so they can determine how the accident happened.

## 10/24 DMV REOPENS

A welcome sight for drivers in the District.  
 The new DMV office in Georgetown now officially open.  
 The M-street office is more than twice the size of the Old Georgetown facility that closed back in April.

## 10/19 HOT LANE VOTE

Today the council of governments approved "hot" lanes for the Virginia side of the Beltway between Springfield and Georgetown Pike.

## 10/18 PW EXTENSION OPEN

The extension begins at the intersection of York and Summerland drives.  
 The extension now allows drivers to cross Prince William County from Route 1 in the east to i-66 in the west.

## 10/17 flood cars

Many people living along the Gulf Coast lost everything in the hurricanes.  
 In addition to their homes and businesses...  
 Thousands of cars and trucks were also washed away by the floodwaters.  
 Now there's concern shady car dealers might be trying to sell some of them.  
 We looked at how to avoid flood damaged cars that could wind up being a costly mess.

## 10/12 I-95 LUMBER AX

A tractor-trailer has flipped on its side on southbound Interstate 95 in Beltsville, spilling lumber and snarling traffic.

Maryland State Police say the accident happened about 4:30 p-m near the split with the Capital Beltway. They say the driver was trying to take the turn too fast.

Motorists are advised to avoid the area by taking Route 29, Interstate 295 or Route One.

#### 10/11 FATAL METROBUS ACCIDENT

A woman has been hit and killed by a Metrobus in Falls Church.

Fairfax County police say the accident happened in the 62-hundred block of Leesburg Pike, near Seven Corners.

Metro officials say the bus involved was on Route 14-A, traveling to the Culmore section of the county. The bus driver is an 18-year veteran. He'll be given routine drug and alcohol tests.

#### 10/10 AAA HOLIDAY TRAVEL

Triple-a says most of the major air carriers have hiked their rates because of the high fuel costs.

Triple-a says if you're booking a flight for the holidays you'll probably want to do it earlier than usual.

#### 10/7 METRO WEEKEND WORK

Four stations along the orange and blue lines will have their gates locked starting tonight. Minnesota Avenue. Deanwood. Benning Road and Capitol Heights are all closed for bridge work.

#### 10/6 METRO WEEKEND WORK

Expect 'metro' back-ups this weekend.

In addition to the 100-thousand people headed to the DC festival on the mall four metrorail stations along the orange and blue lines will be closed because of bridge work.

#### 10/5 REAGAN NAT'L GENERAL FLIGHTS

Big changes are coming to a local airport.

We could see charter flights returning to Reagan National in less than two weeks.

A spokesman says non-commercial flights could begin landing there as soon as October 18th.

It will be the first time for general charter flights since 9-11.

#### 10/4 TAXI CAB TEST

Nearly two dozen District cabs are cruising the city with meters running, but it's only a test. The D-C Taxicab Commission wants to find out how time and distance meters could affect fares and the earnings of the 75-hundred licensed cab drivers in the city.

#### 10/3 RTE. 28 INTERCHANGE

The Virginia Department of Transportation says following this Friday morning's rush hour, motorists will be able to use the new interchange at Route 28 and Westfields Boulevard in Westfields. The interchange is the fourth of six interchanges to be rebuilt on congested Route 28 in Fairfax and Loudoun counties.

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#### 11/30 METRO PROPOSED CHANGES

An unwritten rule at Metro stations is about to be written down.

Passengers riding the escalators will be asked to stand to the right, so others can walk to the left.

Metro also plans to add more signs and announcements in hopes of speeding up the way passengers board the trains. Signs painted on the platform at three downtown stations will direct those waiting for a train to stand to the side of the doors, so passengers can exit.

#### 11/29 Kaine TRANSPORTATION TROUBLES

Governor-elect Tim Kaine wants to hear from northern Virginians at his town hall meeting on transportation issues tonight in Manassas.

The meeting is the latest stop on a statewide tour to build consensus about the state's transportation problems and what to do about them.

#### 11/28 BELTWAY CRASH

Montgomery County police say a woman was trapped in her car this afternoon after she plunged off a Capital Beltway entrance ramp and was caught in some trees.

The woman who is about 70 years old, was driving a Lincoln Towncar when it hit the guardrail and jumped off the ramp from the Cabin John Parkway to Interstate 495 south.

#### 11/23 I-95 TANKER EXPLOSION

Traffic is moving again on Interstate-95 in Beltsville, but that wasn't the case for most of the day. A tractor-trailer carrying nearly nine-thousand gallons of gasoline caught fire this morning, and the highway was closed in both directions for several hours. No one was hurt, but traffic was a mess on one of the busiest travel days of the year.

#### 11/22 HOLIDAY AIR TRAVEL

By the time the current eleven-day holiday travel period ends next Monday, more than 600-thousand passengers will likely have passed through BWI Airport.

Tomorrow is expected to be the single busiest day, with more than 67-thousand passengers passing through. Sunday will probably be a close second.

#### 11/21 ROLLOVER CRASHES

Every year about 10-thousand people are killed in rollover accidents.

Today the group "public citizen" criticized the government's new standard on vehicle roof strength.

The new rule would require vehicles be able to support 2-and-a-half times its weight.

But, public citizen says that's not enough, and that most vehicles already meet the standard.

#### 11/18 THANKSGIVING TRAVEL

Gas prices may be higher, but the roads out of D-C are still going to be full with Thanksgiving travelers. Triple-A Mid-Atlantic says they expect 683-thousand locals to be traveling at least 50-miles for the holiday despite gas prices averaging two-dollars-26-cents for self-serve regular. That's 30-cents more than last year.

#### 11/17 SYNCHRONIZING SIGNALS

A program to better synchronize the region's traffic signals is speeding along ahead of schedule, but regional transportation officials wonder whether drivers are doing likewise.

In 2002, Transportation Planning Board members asked local transportation departments to embark on a mission. The goal: having 3,000 traffic lights in sync by 2005.

A report presented yesterday said 3,200 signals have been reset.

#### 11/16 RUBBERNECKING BARRIERS

The driver of a tractor-trailer is dead after the truck overturned and caught fire on a Capital Beltway ramp at River Road.

Montgomery County Fire and Rescue spokesman Pete Piringer says the truck crashed around 4:30 a-m, catching some nearby trees on fire. It took firefighters about 15 minutes to get the blaze under control.

#### 11/15 WHITEHURST FREEWAY

The District Department of Transportation is holding three public open houses on the future of the Whitehurst Freeway. They will focus on DDOT's continuing study of alternatives, including tearing down the 54 year old freeway, some call an eyesore.

#### 11/14 MONTROSE PARKWAY

After 15 years of delays, officials in Montgomery County are moving ahead with the Montrose Parkway.

The 68-million dollar project is designed to ease east-west traffic between Rockville Pike and Interstate-270. It's slated for completion in 2008.

#### 11/10 METRO BUS SIGNS

Metrobus riders should soon have a better idea of where they're going.

Metro's budget committee has approved spending 680-thousand dollars to hire a contractor to maintain destination signs. Metro will replace the signs on 270 buses. Hundreds of new buses arriving over the next seven months also will have improved technology.

#### 11/9 LEESBURG PLANE CRASH

Authorities says the investigation into today's fatal plane crash near Leesburg Executive Airport remains in the early stages.

Two people were killed in the crash -- a student pilot and an instructor.

#### 11/8 LOCAL GAS PRICES

Trips to the pump are getting a little less expensive.

Triple-A Mid-Atlantic reports the average price of gasoline dropped ten cents across the Washington area in the past week, to two dollars and 36 cents a gallon.

That's down from an average of three dollars and seven cents a month ago.

#### 11/7 FLY I BANKRUPT

Fly-i Incorporated has filed for bankruptcy protection, one year after launching low-fare airline Independence Air from its hub at Washington's Dulles Airport. The airline says it hopes the court will supervise an auction process to attract a new investor or buyer in the next two months. An airline spokesman says flights would operate on their regular schedule and customers shouldn't expect immediate disruptions.

#### 11/4 WEEKEND TRAFFIC WOES

At the Wilson bridge, the inner loop of the Beltway will go down to just one lane starting tonight at 9:30. Get through that and then you have the Springfield Interchange. There the entire inner loop will be closed and drivers sent on a detour. The overnight closures should last until Tuesday.

#### 11/3 METRO SEATS

Trying to lure passengers to the center of subway cars instead of clustered by the doors, Metro's Planning and Development Committee approved tests of new seating railcar configurations today.

#### 11/2 ROUTE ONE CRASH

Traffic is a mess on Route One in Laurel, after construction workers ruptured a natural gas line. A number of stores and other businesses in the immediate area have been evacuated as a precaution.

#### 11/1 HOT LANE VOTE

State planners are expected to vote on 2- proposals for the new toll road tonight. One idea is to expand the current HOV lanes... So they stretch from the 14th street bridge south to Massaponax. The other proposal expands the lanes from the Beltway to Route-17 near Fredericksburg. Cars with a certain number of passengers could travel for free.

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## 12/30 SOBERRIDE

Police are urging people not to drink and drive, especially this weekend. The Washington Regional Alcohol Program says more than half of all New Year's traffic deaths are alcohol related. People who've had too much to drink can get free cab ride home.

## 12/29 METRO PARKING LOTS

People who park at Metro stations will get more of a chance to look for a space starting next week. Gates will stay open an extra 90 minutes until 10:30 a-m, and signs will be posted after that if a lot is full.

## 12/27 ICC TOLLS

Opponents of the Intercounty Connector say tolls on the proposed highway from Laurel to Gaithersburg will be too high. Montgomery County Councilman Phil Andrews says more than ten-thousand drivers wouldn't use the I-C-C because they can't or won't pay a toll.

## 12/26 NY DRAWBRIDGE AX

Two officers crossed a drawbridge to place flares warning motorists that it was having trouble operating.

But before the officers' return trip, the bridge's operator raised a middle span to allow a tug boat to pass. He says the emergency bar wasn't in place and no warning sounded.

Troy says it was dark and rainy at the time, and the officers probably "had no idea" the bridge was up.

## 12/23 HOLIDAY TRAVEL

Holiday travelers in Virginia are getting help from the state. V-DOT is opening some traffic lanes on interstates that have been closed temporarily for road work. Crews will open the lanes from 6 a-m tomorrow to 6 a-m Tuesday and again from 6 a-m on New Year's Eve to 6 a-m January 3rd.

## 12/22 NYC TRANSIT STRIKE

The city's crippling three-day mass transit strike ended Thursday after union leaders -- facing mounting fines, possible jail terms and the wrath of millions of commuters -- voted to return their 33,000 members to work without a new contract.

## 12/21 I-95 IMPROVEMENT

A V-DOT study of improvements on I-66 has stalled. The Transportation Planning Board voted to postpone approval of a plan to spend ten million dollars on a more in-depth study.

#### 12/19 SEA PLANE CRASH

A propeller-driven seaplane carrying 20 people crashed off Miami Beach within sight of the city's high-rises Monday, killing at least 19 of those aboard, authorities said. Witnesses said the plane blew apart in the air, and the FBI joined in the investigation.

Scuba divers and rescuers in speedboats struggled to reach the victims but found no sign of survivors as evening fell.

#### 12/16 VA ICY ROADS

Icy road conditions are being blamed for a fatal crash on the Beltway this morning. A Fed Ex tractor-trailer plunged off the highway, killing the driver. Virginia State Police say a pickup truck driver lost control on an icy section of the Outer Loop near Tysons Corner and hit the Fed Ex truck.

#### 12/15 METRO TRAFFIC

the State Highway Administration is staying on top of the weather with 14-hundred pieces of equipment.

He says salt is being spread on the highways to melt light snow in central Maryland, and plows are being deployed in western Maryland, where heavier snow and sleet are falling.

State police are reporting numerous accidents, including overturned vehicles and collisions with guard rails, in the mountainous area west of Frostburg. Sergeant Matt Jones says there have been no serious injuries.

#### 12/14 AIR MARSHALS

The Transportation Security Administration says it will expand air marshals' work to include train stations, buses and ferries in a three-day test program starting today.

#### 12/13 MIDWAY JET TRAGEDY

Aviation officials are using special planes to test repaired navigation gear at the runway involved in last week's fatal accident at Midway Airport.

Federal Aviation Administration spokeswoman says runway 31-C could reopen today.

#### 12/12 SOUTHWEST JET CRASH

Six-year-old Joshua Woods was killed when a Southwest Airlines plane slid off the runway at Midway Accident and struck his parents' car.

The National Transportation Safety Board says the reverse thrusters appeared not to have activated immediately when the pilots tried to deploy them. The thrusters slow the aircraft.

#### 12/9 JET OFF RUNWAY

A member of the National Transportation Safety Board says the investigation into last night's deadly accident at Chicago's Midway Airport could take a year.

A Southwest Airlines jet from Baltimore that was trying to land in heavy snow crashed through a barrier and came to a stop atop a car on the street. A six-year-old boy in the car was killed.

#### 12/8 GEORGIA AVENUE AX

DC police were on the scene of a serious accident located in the 2700 blk of Georgia ave, NW. They got the call for the accident shortly after 3am. At least 2 vehicles were involved. 2 people were trapped in one of the vehicles. 1 of the 2 people trapped in the vehicle is unconscious and not breathing.

#### 12/7 DULLES PHONE

Drivers heading to Washington Dulles International Airport will soon have a convenient place to wait for arriving passengers.

Starting December 21st there will be a new Cell Phone Waiting Area. Drivers can sit in their car and wait until the person they came to pick up calls on their cell phone. Then they can just drive up to the terminal, collect the person and head off.

#### 12/5 Kaine TRANSPORTATION MTG.

Wintery weather has caused Governor-elect Tim Kaine to cancel the transportation town hall meeting in Danville this evening. It will be rescheduled at another time. Kaine held a similar forum in Fredericksburg on Saturday, where he spoke to about 200 people.

#### 12/1 ROSA PARKS BUS BOYCOTT

Today is the 50th anniversary of the day civil rights pioneer Rosa Parks made history by refusing to give up her seat on a segregated bus.

In Delaware, transit buses are observing the anniversary by displaying signs that read "DART Honors Rosa Parks."

The American Public Transportation Association planned today's National Transit Tribute.

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## 10/31 NEW ORLEANS/DUMPING

Katrina left mountains of trash in new orleans.

Now a fight is brewing over turning wetlands into a dumping ground.

The city wants to reopen a landfill regulators shut down years ago but activists are threatening to sue.

## 10/27 GLACIER ICE CAP

Some ecologists say it's yet another sign of global warming.

These glacier ice caps are at the peak of africa's highest mountain.

But according to a u-n report ... The ice on Mount Kilimanjaro could be completely gone in just 15 years if it keeps melting at it's current rate.

## 10/25 NOR'EASTER LATEST

An early nor'easter and the outer bands of Hurricane Wilma are teaming up to pummel the already soggy parts of the East Coast.

The storm systems have knocked out power to thousands in Connecticut, and 20-foot waves are carving into already battered New Jersey beaches.

## 10/24 HURRICANE WILMA LATEST

Authorities in Florida say at least five people were killed when Hurricane Wilma and winds of up to 125 miles per hour tore through the state.

The storm shattered windows in skyscrapers, peeled away roofs and knocked out power to more than three (m) million customers.

## 10/22 PANDA CUB LATEST

Make no mistake -- panda cubs are no different than human babies when it comes to getting their shots. Tai Shan (ty-SHAWN') let out a bark as he got another vaccination today. The 104-day-old cub now tips the scales at 14-pounds.

## 10/20 WILMA LATEST

Hurricane Wilma's march toward Florida slowed somewhat Thursday, giving residents an unexpected extra day to prepare for the storm, while authorities stockpiled emergency supplies.

## 10/19 HURRICANE WILMA

Hurricane Wilma exploded into a Category 5 monster with winds of 160 mph, and forecasters warned it could smash into southwestern Florida on Saturday with towering waves, and then work its way up the East Coast with devastating effect.

## 10/18 CA MUDSLIDE

A massive mudslide came rushing toward homeowners in Burbank, California. No one was hurt and no homes were damaged.

Interstate 5, the west coast equivalent to i-95, was closed for hours last night in both directions because of slides & four feet of standing water.

#### 10/17 BIRD FLU FAQ'S

Some health experts predict the bird flu has the potential to kill millions just in the US.

And as people here in the Washington area begin getting their yearly flu shots we answered some of the questions they are asking, like how concerned they should be and what they should do to stay flu-free?

#### 10/14 SOCIAL SECURITY INCREASE

In Spring Lake, New Jersey, residents have been ordered out as flood waters rise in an inlet and along the Shark River.

The story's the same across the region. Flood warnings are up in New York and Connecticut, too.

#### 10/11 SNAKEHEADS BACK

A fisheries biologist used an electric shock to pull some out of a small spot along Dogue Creek.

In the past two days a group of fishermen caught 90 of the "frankenfish" -- the single biggest catch ever.

Scientists worry if the snakeheads take over waterways

Here it could throw the ecosystem out of balance.

#### 10/10 NEW HAMPSHIRE FLOODING

Massive flooding in the US.

5 people are believed dead after the heavy that passed through our area left New Hampshire, swamped.

The flooding caused hundreds of people to leave their homes.

#### 10/7 RAINY WEATHER

We're approaching the two inch mark for today.

The last time we saw even one inch of rainfall in a single day back on July 15th.

#### 10/6 TROP STORM TAMMY

Tropical storm Tammy -- now a depression.

But not before flooding parts of the southeast and causing minor damage.

#### 10/5 TROP STORM TAMMY

There's been no break for the southeast part of the country.

And unfortunately they're bracing for more tropical trouble.

It's now a tropical storm named Tammy causing problems right now in Florida.

#### 10/4 PURCELLVILLE WATER RESTRICTIONS

One Virginia community is enacting mandatory water restrictions because of drought. Under the restrictions: No watering the lawn, no car washes

And no serving water in restaurants.. unless requested. If you're caught watering your lawn or breaking any of the other restrictions you can be charged with a misdemeanor and fined 100-dollars for a first offense.

#### 10/3 SOLAR ECLIPSE

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Millions from around the world gazed upwards today to witness a solar eclipse people in Madrid, Spain were among the first to see it.

At the height of the eclipse the moon covered 90 percent of the sun.

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#### 11/30 HURRICANE SEASON OVER

The Atlantic hurricane season ends today, but forecasters say Tropical Storm Epsilon could still cause dangerous surf conditions in Bermuda.

-- Epsilon is the 26th named storm of the busiest hurricane season on record.

#### 11/28 LEAKING BARGE

A barge filled with more than one million gallons of hot liquid asphalt ran aground this morning, and officials said it was leaking its load into the James River.

Lieutenant Gary Hutchison with the Henrico County Fire Department says they don't know yet how much of the substance went into the river.

#### 11/23 SNOW COMING?

Tomorrow, keep an eye on the weather. A light dusting of snow is expected in the Washington region overnight, but will start earlier and be much heavier in areas to the north and west. Air travelers are being advised that they could see some weather delays, depending on where they are going.

#### 11/22 HOLIDAY WX TRAVEL

Snow showers and gusty winds could make for blustery Thanksgiving travel in western Virginia. The National Weather Service says some mountainous counties of Virginia will get one-to-three inches by tomorrow morning. That amount could be as high as five or six inches in isolated areas.

#### 11/21 DON'T FEED THE GEESE

or the geese-plagued residents of Stratford Landing, relief may be on the way. With residents lamenting a decline in their quality of life, the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors next week will consider a geese-be-gone ordinance that would prohibit the feeding of geese and ducks along Little Hunting Creek. Anyone who tosses so much as a kernel of corn could face a \$50 fine. The ordinance would be enforced by animal control officers.

#### 11/17 TORNADO SURVIVOR

A stunning survivor story out of tennessee.

Tuesday a tornado tore down 15 year old jessica dover's street.

The twister actually "picked up" jessica's mobile home ... With her in it all alone.

Then dropped them on the side of a hill the house tumbled another 200 feet before finally coming to a stop.

#### 11/16 ENDANGERED ORCAS

In a victory for environmentalists, the federal government listed Puget Sound's killer whales as an endangered species Tuesday, giving the animals the highest protection available under the law.

The three pods of orcas that live in Puget Sound from late spring through early fall total 89 whales -- down from more than 100 in the middle of the last century but up from a low of 79 in 2002.

Their decline has been blamed on pollution and a drop in the population of salmon, their primary food.

#### 11/15 STUCK DUCK

Baker Park is home to one popular duck.

For two weeks, area residents and Frederick County Animal Control officers have been trying to capture a female mallard because she has a plastic holder for a six-pack of cans wrapped around her head, neck and bill. But the duck won't have it.

#### 11/9 INDIANA TORNADO

Officials say 40 people remain hospitalized with injuries sustained during the middle-of-the-night tornado that shredded an Indiana mobile home park over the weekend.

#### 11/8 INDIANA TORNADO

Authorities now say residents of an Indiana mobile home park that was devastated by a tornado won't be able to return to what's left of their homes until tomorrow.

The pre-dawn twister Sunday killed at least 22 people in Indiana. At least 18 of those killed were at the mobile home park.

#### 11/7 INDIANA TORNADOES

The number of dead from a weekend tornado in southwest Indiana stands at 22, after a body was found in a large retention pond today.

No details about the latest victim have been released. But authorities say the body was found shortly after workers began draining a six-foot-deep retention pond near a devastated mobile home park in Evansville.

#### 11/4 INDIAN SUMMER

Clear skies  
Temperature in the 70's...  
And beautiful fall colors.  
Indian Summers don't get any better than this.  
And the weather is supposed to get even better for the weekend

#### 11/3 FALL FOLIAGE

The hues of autumn are in full force across DC, Maryland and Virginia.  
Striking reds, stunning yellows, and deep browns frame the landscape.

#### 11/2 WOOLLY BEAR PREDICTION

Organizers of an annual inspection of woolly bear caterpillars say the brown-and-black markings on this year's crop suggest the coming winter will be mild.

Local children collected about 20 woolly bears for a contest sponsored by the Hagerstown Town and Country Almanack in Hagerstown, Maryland, yesterday.

Gerald Spessard is the publication's business manager. He says he and the other contest judge observed that the fuzzy caterpillars were mostly brown -- which, according to tradition, indicates a fairly mild winter.

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## 12/30 WEST WET WEATHER

Another wave of wild weather bearing down on the west coast.  
Folks in Napa California are getting ready.  
They're expecting widespread flooding, power outages and mudslides along with all the rain.

## 12/29 NO CAL WAVES

Some wild weather ....  
Going on... Out on the west coast.  
High waves out near san francisco.  
Keeping all but the most daring surfers...  
Away from the beach.  
The series of storms sweeping across the west coast are not only churning up the ocean -- they're also dumping inches of rain.

## 12/27 KATRINA DAMAGE

The devastation from the 3 major hurricane's that hit the u-s put damage totals at nearly 58-billion dollars.  
That makes it the worst cumulative catastrophe on record.  
Katrina alone is responsible for about 40 billion.

## 12/26 TSUNAMI/ONE YEAR LATER

The world united in grief and compassion Monday to remember the devastation wrought in a dozen nations around the Indian Ocean a year ago.  
Mourners filled mosques in Indonesia's shattered Aceh province, the region hit hardest. Candlelight vigils in chilly Sweden remembered citizens lost during sunny holidays. An achingly personal tribute -- a bouquet of white roses -- stuck in the sand in Thailand.

## 12/21 WINTER WARM UP

No record lows but definitely colder than normal in recent weeks.  
Tonight a twist.  
Winter's here and we're about to see a 'warm-up'!

## 12/17 WHEATON WEED DISCOVERY

In a small wooded area of Wheaton, investigators say something was growing that definitely should not have been.  
It seems someone set up a marijuana garden in Matthew Henson State Park. Most people never knew it was there, about 100 yards off Georgia and Hewitt avenues. But police spotted it from the air a few months back and set up a surveillance camera.  
That led them to arrest 22-year-old Alvaro Quinonez -- a Montgomery College student studying criminal justice so he can be a cop.  
Instead, he faces a variety of criminal charges.

12/16 ICE STORM

About 700-thousand people across the Southeast started the day in the dark thanks to the ice storm.

12/15 SNOW ADVISORY

Forecasters say the worst of today's weather is upon us. A winter weather advisory remains in effect until seven a-m. But the National Weather Service expects the freezing rain to turn to all rain tonight before tapering off in the early morning hours.

12/14 EPA/TEFLON

Environmental Protection Agency officials say DuPont has agreed to pay ten and a-quarter million dollars in fines and another six and a-quarter million for environmental projects.

The E-P-A accused DuPont of withholding information for more than 20 years about the health effects of the chemical P-F-O-A, also known as C-Eight, and about the pollution of water supplies near the company's plant near Parkersburg, West Virginia.

12/13 DC COLDEST NIGHT.

This will be the coldest night of the year in DC. Temperatures are expected to dip into the single digits. The DC hypothermia hotline is now up and running.

12/9 BIRD FLU IMPACT

Senate Majority Leader Bill Frist says a flu pandemic could leave 90 million Americans infected and two (m) million dead.

Frist is supporting six proposals that he says would reduce a pandemic's impact. They include the development of a communications structure that would update the public every six-to-eight hours about symptoms.

Frist also thinks the U-S should spend one billion dollars to improve detection, and stockpile enough Tamiflu to treat a quarter of the U-S population.

12/8 PANDA PREMIERE

The panda cub at the National Zoo is growing and so is interest in panda memorabilia.

More than 27-thousand dollars in merchandise was sold last month from the zoo's Web site. That's three-thousand more than the total online sales for all of 2004.

12/7 WINTER STORM

A winter storm watch is being posted for the metro area.

It takes effect tomorrow evening and runs through Friday morning. According to the National Weather Service, there's a storm taking shape across the central plains. It should make it to the D-C region tomorrow evening.

The weather service says the storm has the potential to produce five or more inches of snow. And they warn the Friday morning rush

hour could be a mess.

#### 12/5 SIDEKICK ON THE RUN

Sidekick, a miniature donkey roaming the grounds of a Spotsylvania county battlefield, is still on the run. The park service tried to catch her over the weekend but did not. The superintendent says they are stepping up efforts.

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## 10/31 WILMA NO TRICK OR TREAT

Some kids in south florida can blame hurricane wilma... For putting a damper on their haloween.  
 Authorities are asking parents "not" to let their kids go trick or treating.  
 The main reason?  
 Power is still out all over the place, making it dangerous for kids to be out and about.  
 And where the power is on debris litters yards.

## 10/27 ATL BABY SHOT

An 8-month old baby is dead, killed by a stray bullet.  
 Atlanta police say the child was asleep in his mother's bed when the bullet came through the wall of another apartment.

## 10/25 WIZARDS READ TO DEAF

Washington Wizards Head Coach Eddie Jordan and Wizards players including Andray Blatche, Caron Butler, Hiram Fuller, Jarvis Hayes, Brendan Haywood, Donell Taylor and Etan Thomas lead an interactive reading rally with 75 students of Kendall Demonstration Elementary School at Gallaudet University. Players read stories aloud that were interpreted into sign language, and students taught the Wizards how to sign their names and the team's slogan "ONE TEAM, ONE GOAL."

## 10/24 QUICKIE COSTUMES

Americans will spend more than 3-billion dollars on halloween this year.  
 Much of that will be spent on dressing up.  
 And whether you have a little or a lot to spend, there are still plenty of options.  
 Today our "Boo Crew" looked at some costumes that can be put together quickly.

## 10/21 KATRINA TEACHER

Although Terry Campagna has been a physical education teacher for 12 years, lately he is lecturing students about a more personal story: the complete destruction of his home (and 99% of his belongings) in St. Bernard Parish, Louisiana. The presentation includes photographs of his ruined vehicles and interior shots of a house that was completely submerged. The sixth grade students at Kent Gardens Elementary School were utterly attentive to the very personal presentation.

## 10/20 PARAMEDIC PATHWAYS

Paramedics are the first to respond in a medical emergency when someone is having difficulty breathing or in the throes of a heart attack.  
 But there's a nationwide "shortage" of paramedics which is forcing many communities to rethink how to retain and recruit them.  
 Now howard county has come up with a unique way to grow a new crop of paramedics -- they're grooming them young.

## 10/19 FOSTER KIDS: AGED OUT

Not everyone gets adopted, so many, many foster kids remain with foster families until they are 18. They have then "aged out" of the system. In some counties, they are deposited at a homeless shelter. Some groups are trying to change that.

## 10/18 PW JUVY MARIJUANA

Prince William County police arrested two 12 year olds and two 13 years olds from Marsteller Middle School in Bristow and charged them with possession of marijuana

#### 10/14 MCKINLEY TEACHER ATTACKED.

A 16-year-old at McKinley Tech HS was arrested. Police say the teen attacked a PE teacher with a fire extinguisher. The teacher was taken to the hospital

#### 10/11 TEEN RELATIONSHIP STABBING

A 15-year-old has been charged in the stabbing his 14-year-old girlfriend. Herndon police say the attack occurred just before 11:30 last night in the one-thousand block of Charles Street. The girl remains in critical condition this morning at a hospital with multiple stab wounds.

#### 10/10 ALCATRAZ SWIM

Johnny Wilson today he became the youngest person to ever make the 1 point 4 mile swim from Alcatraz to San Francisco.

It's not the length that makes it so difficult -- more the choppy seas... And sharks circling the bay. Apparently none of that phased the 9 year old.

#### 10/6 TOT DRINKS BOMB CHEMICALS

A Maryland toddler is fighting for his young life after taking a dangerous drink.

Police say the boy was playing in a lot in the town of Rising Sun when he found a bottle that was apparently meant to be a homemade bomb.

#### 10/5 WALK TO SCHOOL CAMPAIGN

Thousands of parents took to the streets today.

Their goal was to keep kids safe on their way to school...

The most recent study from the CDC found more than 47-hundred pedestrians were killed in traffic accidents in a single year.

Of those nearly one fourth involved children ages 5 through 9.

#### 10/3 VIENNA ATTEMPTED ABDUCTION

The suspect accused of trying to kidnap ten-year-old twin girls apparently was no stranger.

Investigators say Andrew Jacobs taught the girl martial arts at a school in Vienna. And he apparently did a pretty good job of it, judging by the bruises that could be seen on his face in court today. Authorities say Jacobs got a black eye and other injuries when the girls fought back early Sunday in their home on Moorefield Hill Grove in Vienna.

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## 11/30 CHILD GROOM FOLOW

A grand jury indicted 37 year old Lisa Clark today on child molestation and statutory rape charges. Earlier this month, a pregnant clark married her 15 year old lover. Clark could face 20 years in prison if convicted.

## 11/29 TAYLOR BEHL UPDATE

Police are asking the public to identify two photos as they continue gathering evidence in the death of college student Taylor Behl. The 17-year-old freshman from Vienna disappeared from Virginia Commonwealth University on Labor Day and her body was found a month later in a remote area of Mathews County.

## 11/28 MOGO AMBER ALERT HOAX

The reported kidnapping last night in Wheaton that led police to issue an Amber Alert turned out to be a hoax.

Montgomery County Police say Sara Hernandez-Torres made up a story in which she claimed her supposed former boyfriend abducted her and her five-year-old son from a Wheaton Metro stop last night. Police say she wanted to hide up her ongoing romance with the boyfriend from her family.

## 11/23 MISSING KIDS/KATRINA

In the aftermath of hurricanes Katrina and Rita, the U.S. Department of Justice has asked the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children (NCMEC) to staff a hotline to take reports of missing children, missing adults, and found children.

## 11/22 KIDS IN TRUNK

A Thurmont woman has been convicted of reckless endangerment for letting three small children ride in the trunk of her car.

Thirty-seven-year-old Lanora Lucas faces a maximum penalty of fifteen years in prison and a 15-thousand dollar fine for the misdemeanor convictions.

## 11/21 FATAL CRASH FIRE

A Gwynn Park High School sophomore died Sunday afternoon when the Dodge Neon she was riding in hit a tree. The 15-year-old girl was a front seat passenger in the car, which crashed barely five miles up Brandywine Road from the school. The principal gave the bad news during this morning's announcements.

Investigators believe speed may have been a factor in the crash.

## 11/18 HARRY POTTER

Harry Potter fans are once again waiting anxiously for the release of a new movie - this time it's Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire - the fourth movie in the series. It hits theaters Friday. The University of Maryland's Newsdesk was able to catch up with resident Harry Potter expert, 11/17 JUVIE ANIMAL VIOLENCE

There has been a dramatic rise in the number of animal cruelty cases involving children over the last six months.

To help, the humane society offers education classes in d-c public schools. Fourth and fifth graders are taught... Empathy and respect for animals.

The humane society says - one sign that it works - Several children who've taken the class, have since called in complaints of animal abuse they've witnessed.

#### 11/16 HUSBAND MOLESTED

A 37-year old florida woman is accused of molesting her husband.  
The problem with that is her husband is 15 years old.

#### 11/15 GERM PITS

Germes are everywhere, especially when you're talking about where children play.

A Fox 5 investigation found that all five childrens play areas contained traces of fecal bacteria, in a high enough dose to make a person sick.

#### 11/10 DALAI LAMA VISIT

It's not often a group of high schoolers get excited about talking to someone old enough to be their grandfather..

But when that man is the Dalai Lama things are a bit different.

The Buddhist spiritual leader is in town on a 10-day visit.

He decided to say hello to students at the Booker T Washington public charter school who've been studying tibetan history and culture.

#### 11/8 HANDS OF TIME

In this video age, getting your kid up off the couch can be a challenge.

Sports is one way to grab their attention...

A group of aging athletes in wheaton is trying to encourage them to pick up the game of handball.

#### 11/5 CARLIE BRUCIA ABDUCTION FILMED

A security camera catches 11-year old Carlie Brucia being kidnapped from a sarasota car wash.

Her body would be found several days later.

The trial began today for Joseph Smith the man accused of killing her.

#### 11/4 CINDY CRAWFORD PLAYGROUND

Volunteers from our area took out their shovels and hammers.. to put together the jungle gyms.

The playground will benefit students at Centro-nia in Northwest.

The center helps educate inner city Latin and African-American kids.

The non-profit group. Kaboom plans to build 12 more similar play-grounds around the country.

#### 11/3 TEACHER ARRESTED

A Prince George's County middle school teacher has been arrested on charges of raping a students.

Greenbelt police say 36-year-old Pascal Brazey of Southeast Washington was arrested yesterday and charged with several counts of rape, child molestation, sex offenses and assault against a student who was 14 at the time of the attack. Brazey taught sixth through eighth grade students at Robert Goddard Middle School in Lanham.

#### 11/2 PG SCHOOL BUS FIGHT

What started off as an argument on a Prince George's county school bus, ended with kids hit, pepper sprayed , even tasered by police.

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But officers are pointing to their dash cam video as support for their side of the story.

#### 11/1 PG-SKL BUS FIGHT

Six students have been arrested following a fight on a Prince George's County school bus. All six have been released to their parents, but several students and witnesses say they were treated too roughly by police. Police say the students came off the bus and assaulted an officer who was trying to arrest another student for fighting.

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## 12/29 BOW WOW KIDS BOWLING

Rapper and film star 'Bow Wow' hosted a day of bowling for kids at "strike" in Bethesda. The bowlers hit the lanes. Then took plenty of pictures... When the 18 year old entertainer came in. The fun is part of Bow Wow's foundation promoting physical fitness and education.

## 12/26 BABY 81 UPDATE

Baby 81 gained worldwide attention during the tsunami. A wave ripped the four month old from his mother's arms.

When he was found, he was claimed by several couples. DNA tests reunited his family months after the tsunami.

## 12/22 DUNGY'S SON DEAD

James Dungy, the son of Indianapolis Colts coach Tony Dungy, was found dead in a Tampa-area apartment

## 12/21 SCHOOL BUS ACCIDENT

Investigators are looking for the cause of a fatal Beltway crash involving an S-U-V and a school bus. The Ford Escape plowed into the rear of the bus, killing the S-U-V driver. Twenty-two kids on the bus were taken to a hospital with bumps and bruises.

## 12/16 ICE RESCUE

One teenager is dead after falling through the ice on a Gaithersburg lake this afternoon.

Montgomery County Fire spokesman Pete Piringer says the 16-year-old fell into a lake in the 84-hundred block of Meadow Green Way. Piringer says it appears he and a friend tried to take a shortcut across the ice when it gave way.

## 12/15 ANGEL ALERT

Few things are more frightening for a parent than noticing their child has suddenly disappeared. A new device may prevent such situations. It's a gadget that lets you know when your child has wandered off too far. For 45 bucks the angel alert promises to do just that.

## 12/14 SPERM DONORS

The process is simple-- but costly--- Fairfax Cryobank-- charges 150 to 600 dollars per vial--- plus shipping.

Folks at Fairfax Cryobank say most of their donors are college students in their twenties- They have to go thru an extensive screening process before being selected-- matter of fact only three percent of the men who apply to be donors actually make the cut. Those that are selected ---- can make as much as 15-hundred dollars a month.

## 12/13 E-TOY DOLLS

A Virginia company is making a doll for 140 dollars that looks just like the person it is for. Customers send in a picture and the company matches the clothes, hair, and facial features.

#### 12/12 MEXICAN CHEESE WARNING

Officials have identified five cases of *M. bovis tuberculosis* among Maryland children over the past 18 months, including one child who died from complications associated with the disease. Each of those children had eaten imported Mexican cheeses, officials found.

#### 12/9 SNOW DAY

A snow day in Alexandria means sitting in class later in the school year. That's exactly what's going to happen to kids there.

While they got today off from school, they're going to be paying the piper on March 17th. The way Alexandria works, five days are scheduled as student holidays. But every time there's a snow day, another holiday turns into a makeup day.

#### 12/6 SLEDDING ACCIDENT.

A 5 year old boy was killed when the sled he was riding in with his two siblings was hit by an oncoming car. So far, no charges have been filed.

#### 12/5 SCHOOL SNOW DAY

Some parents and guardians were hoping that Tuesday's accumulation will be manageable for a school system where the overwhelming majority of students WALK only a few blocks.

In January of this year, when a daytime storm surprised the region with its intensity, D.C. school officials made a sudden decision to dismiss early, which drew fire from some parents.

#### 12/2 OFFICER ARRESTED

An Arlington police officer is under arrest on charges he solicited a minor on the Internet.

Detective from neighboring Alexandria busted 26-year-old Patrick Sherman at his Arlington home today. Authorities say a task force looking into online crimes against children began investigating Sherman last month. He allegedly had sex-filled online chats with what he thought was a young teen, but was really an Alexandria police detective.

#### 12/1 POP WARNER

The Hyattsville Hawks earned the right to play in the championship game in Orlando, Florida, but feared they couldn't go because they didn't have enough money.

Enter Santa Claus, wearing 'no't red, but burgundy and gold for these youngsters!

Thanks to the generosity of the Washington Redskins, the hawks will play in the big game after all.

The Redskins charitable foundation gave them 15-thousand dollars for their trip.