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SIMPLY OUT FIGHTS SAMOA

by Ausage Fausia
Samoa News Reporter

Samoa Amateur Boxing Association (SABA) Head Coach/Team Manager, Fataga Leaso Usoali'i Sululoto was
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Jeffrey Tago of American Samoa after winning his fight against Iosia Faalaniga of Samoa during the International Boxing Championship between the two Samoa last weekend at the Malii Mai Beach Resort.

[photo AF]

The American Samoa Boxing Federation (ASBF) boxing teams are proud — they defeated the visiting team from Samoa during the “2Samoas Battle” last Saturday at the Malii Mai Beach Resort to win the Championship Trophy, as well as all of the five special amateur bouts during the International Boxing Championship for this year.

The International Boxing Championship was suppose to take place in April during the American Samoa Flag Day celebration, but due to the busy schedule for both SABA and ASBF, the Championship was re-scheduled to last weekend.

This year, three amateur undercards battled in the “2Samoas Battle”, followed by five special amateur bouts, and the event drew the attention of more than 200 spectators including some tourists, who came to watch some of the best boxers found in both Samoas. Parents and families for all the boxers also attended to support and celebrate their performances.

President of the ASBF, Paepae Mapu Jamias offered opening remarks with a big fa'amalo and fa'afetai to the fans, supporters, especially parents and families of the two boxing teams for showing up to show their support.

“I would also like to thank our coaches and training officials for both boxing teams for making an effort to train our fighters to become good fighters for the future. The only way we can make our teams better is to have money to send our fighters off-island to gain additional training and to get the chance to meet many elite boxers around the world,” Paepaelele said.

“This will be a huge step forward for our young fighters who are now battling for the win today,” he said. “Not only will they get the chance to show they have the talent but it will also prepare them for the next challenge in life”, he said.

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Faasala Livai (right) of Samoa looks on while Kaisa Ioane (left) of American Samoa was trying to attack during their match of the International Boxing Championship between the two Samoas last weekend at the Maliu Mai Beach Resort. [photo AF]

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in tears when asked by Samoa News about the outcome of this year's International Boxing Championship between the two Samoas.

"It's a sad feeling when we didn't win any bout this year, and despite this year's results, I have confidence that our fighters will go back home, re-group and come back next year to win this Championship.

"For the winning team, I just want to congratulate Paepae-tele and his team for winning all five special amateur bouts for this year. You deserve it, it's not an easy task to do, because we have to work hard and focus on everything we do to earn the win," said Fata.

"Congratulation to the Coaches of the ASBF and their fighters for winning their title back-to-back this year, but I just want to assure you that this is not the end of the road, we're going back home to iron some weakness and we will be back to challenge the power of your team. This is not the end of the world. This is what boxing is all about, your go

down today but you will come back tomorrow", said Fata.

When asked by Samoa News about what areas he's looking to strengthen after watching all of his five fighters in the ring, Fata said that there's a lot of work that needs to be done for his team, especially the fitness and defense.

"From what I have noticed today, fitness is the key factor for American Samoa to win our battle, but that was our weakness, also in the defense area, we need to strengthen a little bit more on our defense so that our fighters will be able to be good in that area," Fata said.

AMATEUR UNDERCARD BOUTS

The first match of the Championship was between Ioelu Etuale, 11-year old from '2-Low Lava Boxing Club and Peleka Tafa, also a 11-year old from Mapusaga Fou Boxing Club. Both future fighters did their best to entertain the audience with different boxing styles from the first round up to the third round, where Etuale

escaped with a split decision when two Judges believed that he did enough to win their fight.

The last two amateur undercards bouts were also between the '2-Low Lava boxing club and the Mapusaga boxing club, where both fighters from the '2-Low Lava boxing club' dominated the two bouts from the tie the bell rang until the end of the third round, each winning their bouts with an unanimous decision.

AMATEUR SPECIAL BOUTS.

The first amateur special bout of the night was between Jeffrey Tago of American Samoa in the red corner and Samoa's gold medalist Iosia Fa'alaniga in the blue corner for the 81kg division. Tago is one of the best elite fighters in American Samoa while Fa'alaniga was the Samoa gold medalist during the Oceania Championship last year in Fiji.

In this bout, Tago dominated the first 2 minutes of the first round of the match, throwing some hard punches at his oppo-



Tesimale Fatu-Taua'i of Samoa (left) when he was knocked down by Petelo Matagi (right) of American Samoa during the main event of the International Boxing Championship last weekend between the two Samoas, where American Samoa won all 5 amateur special bouts of the night. [photo AF]

Futsal 2017 tournament kicks off



A Pago Youth 2 player and Vaitogi United opponent in action during their 2017 Futsal Tournament's pool game at Samoana High School's gymnasium on Saturday, May 6, 2017.

[FFAS MEDIA/Brian Vitolio]

by FFAS MEDIA/Brian Vitolio
The 2017 FFAS Futsal league kicked off with 16 teams competing in two pools at Samoana High School's gymnasium on Saturday, May 6, 2017.

"It was a very competitive first day of the competition," said FFAS CEO Tavita Taumua. "Very different from other five-a-side leagues, and other futsal competitions we've had. I say this based on the skill level of the players because it has improved, especially since we are holding it inside a gym, instead of our usual outdoors five-a-side competitions."

Taumua officially opened the tournament on behalf of FFAS President, Senator Faiivae Iuli Alex Godinet. Faiivae and executive committee members, Senator Fano Mitch Shimasaki, and Silasila Samuelu, are representing American Samoa at the 67th FIFA Congress in Manama, Bahrain.

With eight teams in each pool, the games are played only on Saturdays with each club

playing twice. The competition is set to end on May 29, 2017, the Memorial Day holiday.





"I want to thank all the teams for being very cooperative with our office in organizing last Saturday's games," said FFAS Development Office, Tunoa Lui, who is also doubling as the competition's coordinator. "Because we have 16 games every Saturday, the teams worked well in getting ready as soon as it was their time to play."

The tournament features a single round-robin schedule per pool, before the teams, according to their standings, are divided into four tiers. The top two teams from each pool will advance to a championship tier to determine first, second, third and fourth place in the tournament. A second tier group will consist of each pool's third and fourth placed teams.

The third tier will include the teams seeded fifth and sixth in their respective pools, while

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Max Taukilo (right) of Taputimu Youth in action against a Vaiala Tongan opponent during their 2017 Futsal Tournament's pool game at Samoana High School's gymnasium on Saturday, May 6, 2017.

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Ne'emias Kaleopa of Utulei Youth (middle) controls the ball against Royal Puma's Willie Malele (right) and TJ Tauamo (left) during their 2017 Futsal Tournament's pool game at Samoana High School's gymnasium on Saturday, May 6, 2017.

[FFAS MEDIA/Brian Vitolio]



Gun Kang (#9) of Iloa & Toomata watches his shot being deflected by Vaiala Tongan goalkeeper Kinikinilau Pouli during their 2017 Futsal Tournament's pool game at Samoana High School's gymnasium on Saturday, May 6, 2017.

[FFAS MEDIA/Brian Vitolio]



Peter Alosio of the Tafuna Jets 1 (middle) dribbles against several Green Bay B opponents during their 2017 Futsal Tournament's pool game at Samoana High School's gymnasium on Saturday, May 6, 2017.

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the fourth tier will consist of the seventh and eighth placed teams from pools 1 and 2 of the tournament.

The final seeding from these tiers will determine the overall standings, from the No. 1 team to the 16th for the entire league.

The tournament is for men only, with FFAS to select a U-18 team to participate in an OFC Youth Futsal Tournament scheduled for September 2017.

Currently a women's U-16 squad is training for the OFC Women's U-16 Championship to be held in Samoa in August 2017.

POOL 1

It seems as if this game was catered for Utulei Youth, one of the best when it comes to small-sided tournaments held each year.

They are tops in their pool after the first day, followed by the Jets 2, Lion Heart A, Pago Youth 1, Royal Puma, Black Roses, PanSa and finally Green Bay 1 in that order. Utulei and Jets 2 are tied with six points each after winning both of their games last Saturday, with the former at the top of the pool standings by way of goals scored, 13-10.

In round 1 games, it was Utulei Youth 6, Royal Puma 2; Lion Heart 1 0, Black Roses 0; Pago Youth 1 4; PanSa 0; Jets 2 5; Green Bay A 2, while in round 2 games it was Lion Heart A 3, Pago Youth 1 2; Jets 2 5, PanSa 2; Royal Puma 6, Black Roses 3 and Utulei Youth 7, Green Bay 1.

POOL 2

Tafuna Jets 1 is the sole team at the top of the pool standings, followed by Lion Heart B, Pago Youth 2, Iloa & To'omata, Vaiala Tongan, Green Bay B, Vaitogi United and Taputimu Youth.

The Jets 1 are another team that play well in small-sided tournaments, and have the comfort of not having to face Utulei Youth unless they make the championship tier.

In round 1 games, it was Iloa & To'omata 4, Vaiala Tongan 1; Lion Heart B 2, Taputimu Youth 1; Pago Youth 2 2, Vaitogi United 1, Jets 1 9, Green Bay B 1, while in round 2 games it was Lion Heart B 2, Pago Youth 2 2; Jets 1 2, Vaitogi United 1; Vaiala Tongan 2, Taputimu Youth 1, and Green Bay B by forfeit (3-0) over Iloa & To'omata.

Celtics seek top pick, Lakers aim to keep theirs in lottery

NEW YORK (AP) — The Boston Celtics are trying to go from No. 1 seed to No. 1 pick.

The Los Angeles Lakers don't need to be first, but they sure better not be worse than third. A night that's normally for the NBA's biggest losers has huge consequences this time for its greatest champions as the league holds its annual draft lottery Tuesday night.

There's plenty at stake for teams such as Philadelphia, New Orleans and Sacramento, whose draft strategies can change enormously if the Ping-Pong balls bounce right in a New York hotel ballroom. But for the Celtics and Lakers, who were busy playing each other in the NBA Finals back when the lottery was instituted in 1985, the swings could help determine how quickly they can get back to their former heights.

A night after the East's top seed hosts Game 7 of its second-round series, the Celtics will have a 25 percent chance of landing the top pick, thanks to a trade that keeps paying off for them nearly four years after they made it. When the Celtics decided to break up the remaining core of their 17th NBA championship team, they dealt Paul Pierce and Kevin Garnett to Brooklyn as part of a draft-night deal in 2013. Boston got back first-round picks in 2014, 2016 and 2018, as well as the right to swap picks this year.

The Nets are in a rebuilding mode and had the NBA's worst record this season, so the timing worked out perfectly for the Celtics. After falling back for a decade, the team in the pole position has won the lottery the last two seasons. That's why team president Danny Ainge refused to make any win-now deals before February's deadline that would have affected their good chances of winning later. "It's a win-win and when you're the No. 1 seed in the Eastern Conference and you have all these assets, you don't need to be in a hurry and can just take your time," said TNT analyst Kevin McHale, a former coach and executive who played with Ainge in Boston.

The lottery sets the top three picks, and the remainder of the 14 teams in the lottery will select in the inverse order of their finish, so the Celtics can do no worse than the No. 4 pick.

The Lakers don't have that luxury. They start the night in the No. 3 spot, and if they fall any lower — and there's about a 53 percent chance they will — their pick goes to Philadelphia. The Lakers originally dealt it to Phoenix in 2012 in the trade for Steve Nash, and the 76ers later acquired it from the Suns.

That sets up the 76ers as potentially the biggest winners of the night, a year after they won the lottery and eventually drafted Ben Simmons. They could not only win again if they move up from their current fourth spot, but land another

top-five pick if the Lakers fall backward. And if the Sixers get the Lakers' pick, that also means Los Angeles must give its first-round pick in 2019 to Orlando under the complicated terms of its 2012 acquisition of Dwight Howard. The Lakers aren't the only team that needs lottery luck after mortgaging the future for an All-Star big man. The New Orleans Pelicans will lose their pick to Sacramento unless they move into the top-three, part of the terms of its acquisition of DeMarcus Cousins in February.



FILE - In this Aug. 23, 2016 file photo, former Los Angeles Lakers star Magic Johnson speaks at a groundbreaking ceremony for a stadium which will be home to the Los Angeles Football Club in Los Angeles. There's plenty at stake for the NBA's greatest champions on Tuesday, May 16, 2017, in the draft lottery. (AP Photo/Nick Ut, File)

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11 : am	30' Global Peace Concert 12 NOON One Korea (E,R)	Encore Drama "Prime Minister & I" (E,R)				50' The Return of Superman (E,R)	"Prime Minister & I" (E,R)	
1 : pm	50' The Return of Superman (E,R)	Entertainment Weekly (E,R)	Becky's Back Mon-Tue Drama (E,R)		Queen of Mystery Wed-Thu Drama (E,R)		K-RUSH (E,R) 30'	
2 : pm	30' Two Days and One Night (E,R)	Hollo Counselor (E,R)	Guesthouse Daughters (E,R)	Singing Battle (E,R)	Happy Together (E,R)	Sister's Slam Dunk (E,R)	Music Bank (E,R) 30'	
3 : pm	50' Encore Drama Prime Minister & I (E,R)	Mon-Tue Drama Ms. Perfect (E,R)	My Father is Strange (E,R)	Queen of Mystery (E,R)	Guerilla Date (E,R)	My Father is Strange Weekend Drama (E,R) 50'		
4 : pm	00' Encore Drama Prime Minister & I (E,R)	Mon-Tue Drama Becky's Back (E,R)	My Father is Strange (E,R)	Queen of Mystery (E,R)	The Return of Superman (E,R)	Mon-Tue Drama Wed-Thu Drama		
5 : pm	10' Encore Drama Prime Minister & I (E,R) # 2, 3, 4.	Mon-Tue Drama Becky's Back (E,R) # 1, 2.	My Father is Strange (E,R) # 18, 19, 20.	Queen of Mystery (E,R) # 10, 11, 12.	Two Days and One Night (E,R)	Becky's Back (E,R)	Queen of Mystery (E,R)	
6 : pm	20' Gag Concert	Daily Drama "Woman With No Name (working title)"(E,R)				Sister's Slam Dunk (E,R) 20'		
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3 : am	00' Hollo Counselor (E)	Guesthouse Daughters (E)	Singing Battle (E)	Happy Together (E)	Sister's Slam Dunk (E)	Mon-Tue Drama Becky's Back (E,R)	Wed-Thu Drama Queen of Mystery (E,R) 30'	
4 : am	Encore Drama "Prime Minister & I" (E)				"The Return of Superman" Special (E)			
5 : am	30' KBS World E-Today	KBS World E-Today	2016 Drama Special (E,R)	KBS World E-Today	Music Bank (E,R)	Gag Concert (E,R)	"The Return of Superman" (E,R) 50'	
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Rockies' Senzatela gets emotional win year after mom's death

DENVER (AP) — Colorado's Antonio Senzatela emphatically pointed to the sky as he closed out the fifth inning on Sunday. It had been an emotional Mother's Day for the 22-year-old rookie.

Pat Valaika homered twice and drove in four runs, Senzatela got the win and the Rockies beat the Los Angeles Dodgers 9-6. Senzatela (6-1) was pitching on Mother's Day for the first time since his mom died of breast cancer last July. Like many around the league, Senzatela used a pink bat to raise awareness about the disease. He also wrote his mother's name, "Nidya," on his pink and white cleats.

"I feel good," Senzatela said. "Too many emotions in my heart now." The rookie right-hander is tied for the majors' lead in wins. He allowed four runs in five innings, his shortest outing since his first career start at Milwaukee on April 6. Nolan Arenado also went deep as the Rockies hit their first homers of the series to salvage a four-game split. Their lead in the NL West is back up to 1 1/2 games.

Los Angeles led 4-3 before Valaika hit a two-run homer in the fourth off starter Julio Urias (0-1). Arenado, who also had an RBI double, added to Colorado's lead in the fifth with a two-run shot off veteran reliever Sergio Romo.

Justin Turner and Cody Bellinger each drove in a run in the eighth to cut the lead to 7-6 before Valaika hit another two-run blast. The 24-year-old Valaika has seen an increase in playing time since Trevor Story went on the disabled list with a shoulder injury earlier in the week. Greg Holland struck out the side in the ninth for his majors' best 16th save. Holland has converted his first 16 save opportunities for the Rockies, a franchise-best mark to start a season.

Senzatela dealt with traffic on base in every inning except the fourth, but got help from his defense to limit the damage. He gave up seven hits, three walks and two homers while striking out five. The 22-year-old got out of the first with runners on

the corners thanks to a fielder's choice double play, and he was bailed out of the third by second baseman DJ LeMahieu, who laid out on a sharp grounder and threw out Chase Utley at first to save a run. With two outs in the fifth, Senzatela was struck in the back of the leg by a liner from Yasmani Grandal. He stayed in the game and forced a flyout to end the inning. "Without having his best control and command, he was able to navigate through a really good lineup," Colorado manager Bud Black said.

Corey Seager and Yasiel Puig homered for the Dodgers, who couldn't protect two early leads. Seager hit a two-run blast in the first and Puig hit a laser to left in the second.

"Today's one of those days we had a lot of situational opportunities and didn't capitalize," Los Angeles manager Dave Roberts said. "Obviously a good club like that, you keep them in a ball game, they're going to crawl back."

ROUGH OUTING

Urias allowed six runs and seven hits in four innings for the Dodgers. The left-handed pitcher had allowed one hit in 6 1/3 innings in his last start against the Pittsburgh Pirates on Tuesday. He had a 1.06 ERA in his first three starts of the year.

"I felt good," he said. "Unfortunately it was just a bad outing."

TRAINER'S ROOM

Dodgers: 2B Logan Forsythe, sidelined since April 19 with a fractured right toe, is expected to start in a rehabilitation game as a designated hitter on Tuesday. ... LHP Rich Hill, who's been limited to just eight innings this season because of blisters on his throwing hand, will start Tuesday against the San Francisco Giants.

Rockies: C Tony Wolters, who was put on the 7-day DL with a concussion on May 3, was behind the plate for Triple-A Albuquerque on Sunday. "I talked to (Isotopes manager) Glenallen Hill this morning about a number of things and he said Tony looked good the last couple days, both behind the plate and at the plate," Black said. "So Tony's in a good spot."



Colorado Rockies starting pitcher Antonio Senzatela has his mother's name, Nidya, and a message written in marker on his shoes as he faces the Los Angeles Dodgers in the fifth inning of a baseball game Sunday, May 14, 2017, in Denver. The Rockies won 9-6. (AP Photo/David Zalubowski)



A Lion Heart A player dribbles away from a Black Roses opponent during their 2017 Futsal Tournament's pool game at Samoana High School's gymnasium on Saturday, May 6, 2017.

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Paul Collins of Lion Heart B in action against Taputimu Youth during their 2017 Futsal Tournament's pool game at Samoana High School's gymnasium on Saturday, May 6, 2017.

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Rambo Tapui (right) of Pago Youth 1 in action against a Lion Heart A opponent during their 2017 Futsal Tournament's pool game at Samoana High School's gymnasium on Saturday, May 6, 2017. [FFAS MEDIA/Brian Vitolio]





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ment, connecting some good combinations with his double jabs followed by a power right hand to the body and head, which caused Fa'alaniga to fall down with both hands holding his stomach, while the referee counted down, however, Fa'alaniga was unable to continue the fight, which gave Tago a win by TKO.

American Samoa won the second bout of the night with a unanimous decision, when all three Judges agreed that Falaniko Tasi Tauta of American Samoa was too good for Archie Vaiala of Samoa in the 64kg.

Vaiala, Samoa's silver medalist from last year's Oceania Championship in New Zealand, was out-pointed by Tauta in the first round of their match, and right through to the third round. Tauta used his height advantage and power to control the fight and score more points in all three rounds.

For the ladies bout, Elisapeta Tuavale of American Samoa defeated Iva Maufofina from Samoa to win her first amateur bout of her boxing career in an unanimous decision.

The fourth bout of the night was the most interesting bout to watch, between Samoa gold medalist Fa'asala Livai and American Samoa gold medalist Kaisa Ioane. Both fighters used their skills and boxing styles by throwing jab after jab in



The American Samoa boxing team won the "2Samoas Battle" Trophy after winning all five amateur special bouts of the International Boxing Championship last weekend with the team from Samoa. [photo AF]

the whole first round without throwing any power punches, but in the second round, Ioane proved why he won two gold medals in the last International boxing championship last year when he controlled his base, connecting his double jabs and landing good body shots, which caused Livai to retreat a

little bit. Ioane continued to control the fight in the last round of their bout, connecting some powerful punches with good body shots, which caused Livai to drop twice in the last round. Ioane won their bout in a unanimous decision.

For the main event of the

night, Petelo Matagi of American Samoa was too good for his opponent Tesimale Fatu-Taua'i of Samoa, when Matagi knocked him down in the first minute of the first round of their bout.

In the first minute, Matagi delivered power double jabs followed by a deadly right

hand and body shots causing Fatu-Taua'i to fall, and unable to continue — leading to Matagi's win.

The boxing team from Samoa left yesterday and will plan to meet again in another '2Samoas Battle' during the Mosooi Boxing Championship in October of this year.





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Komesina o Leoleo, Le'i Sonny Thompson, sui sinia o le Oifsa o Leoleo ae maise sui o le kamupani va'a a le Matson i le aso Faraile ua te'a i le Ofisa o le Komesina e talia le foai \$5,000 mai le Matson. [ata: AF]

Fa'afetaia e le Komesina Leoleo foa'i tupe mai ni isi kamupani i le atunu'u

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Na fa'aalia e le afioga i le Komesina o Leoleo a le malo, tofa Le'i Sonny Thompson i le aso Faraile na te'a nei le agaga fa'afetai, ona o le lagolago o lo o molimauina le tu'uina atu e le atunu'u atoa ai ma ni isi o kamupani ma pisinisi tua, e fesoasoani ai i le fa'atupeina o le Vaiaso Fa'apitoa lenei mo Leoleo i le atunu'u.

I le talia aloaia ai e Le'i o se foa'i tupe e \$5,000 mai le kamupani vaa a le Matson i le vaiaso na te'a nei, na ia fa'aaogaina ai loa lea avanoa e fa'aleoina ai i le atunu'u le agaga fa'afetai i kamupani ma pisinisi, i lo latou manatu lea e fesoasoani atu i le fa'atinoina o le pito laau a le Matagaluega o Leoleo, e aofia ai ma lana fa'afetai i le foa'i tupe e \$5,000 sa tu'uina atu fo'i e le Fale'aiga a le McDonalds mo lenei lava fa'amoemoe e tasi.

O se feiloaiga puupuu i luga o le Ofisa o le ali'i Komesina i le aso Faraile na te'a nei, na mafai ai ona feiloa'i le Komesina ma Sui Sinia o le Matagaluega o Leoleo, faapea ai sui a le Matson i le atunu'u, lea na ta'ita'i atu e le Sui Peresetene ia Tuilaepa Vic Angow fa'apea ai ma ni isi o sui o le kamupani.

Na fa'ailoa e Le'i i sui o le Matson lagona fa'agae'etia o le Matagaluega o Leoleo, ina ua mafai ona latou mauaina lenei foa'i tupe tele mai le latou kamupani, e fesoasoani ai i le Vaiaso Fa'apitoa mo Leoleo i

lenei tausaga.

"E leai ni tupe a le Matagaluega o Leoleo a lo tatou malo, matou te fa'alagolago tasi lava i tupe e maua mai i le faigamalo a Amerika Samoa, aemaise ai tupe fesoasoani o lo o maua mai i le malo feterale e fa'atupe ai la matou tautua i aso ta'itasi", o le saunoaga lea a Le'i.

"O lenei fo'i tautua matou te le o mauaina mai ai lava se tupe poo se tau, e le o penefiti ai fo'i o matou aiga poo ni tagata ta'ito'atasi o le Matagaluega, pau la matou vaega e fai, o le fa'atino o matou tiute i lalo o le tulafono ina ia mautinoa o lo o malu puipuia le saogalemu o le atunu'u atoa ma ia fa'amalosia tulafono uma e pei ona tu'uina mai ia te i matou".

"E leai se foa'i o nei foa'i uma ua matou taulimaina e la'ititi i la matou vaai, o foa'i tupe uma lava ua mafai ona matou taulimaina i lenei vaiasoi, e pei o la outou foa'i fa'apea ai ma le foa'i tupe e \$5,000 sa maua mai fo'i i le kamupani a le McDonalds Family Restaurant i le vaiaso nei (vaiaso na te'a nei), ma e i ai le talitonuga ua outou faia nei foa'i uma ona o lo outou talitonuina o la matou auunaga i le atunu'u", o le saunoaga lea a Le'i.

"E pei ona maitauina i le tele o tausaga le tele o le sao a kamupani ma pisinisi tua i soo se fa'agaioiga a le malo, e le gata i aoaoga ae o isi lava polokalame fai o lo o molimauina ai le sao o pisinisi ma kamupani i le malo, i lo'u la taofi, e le fou

(Fa'aaunau itulau 10)



► Fa'afetaia Komesina Leoleo...

Mai itulau 9

le galulue soosoo tauau o vaega nei e lua i soo se itu e fa'aleleia ma lagolago ai i le pito laau a le malo poo kamupani fo'i ma pisinisi tua".

I le saunoaga e tali fuaitau ai i le saunoaga a Le'i, na taua ai e le afioga Tuilaepa le naunau o le kamupani e tu'uina mai sana fesoasoani i le tautua a le Ofisa o Leoleo, ae ua talafeagai lelei lava ma le Vaiaso Fa'apitoa o Leoleo i le vaiaso nei.

"E le o se meaalofa tele lenei meaalofa ua tu'uina mai e le Matson, peita'i o le agaga mau-aluga i lenei kamupani, o le fia momoli mai lea o le fa'afetai i le Matagaluega o Leoleo e tusa ai o la outou tautua o lo o fa'aaaua pea mo le atunu'u. E le faigofie la outou tautua i le ao ma le po, ua tele fo'i taimi tatou te galulue fa'atasi ai ma ua molimauina ai la faigata o la outou galuega o lo o fa'atinoina nei, ae aveia ia lenei meaalofa o se auala matou te fa'afetai atu ai ia outou e tusa ai o la outou tautua", o le saunoaga lea a Tuilaepa.

Sa ia saunoa atili fo'i e fa'apea, "O se tasi lenei o fa'anaunauga o le Kamupani a le Matson, ua tele le sao o le atunu'u i le lagolagoina o la matou kamupani, ma ua tatau ai ona i ai se vaega matou te toe fa'afetai atu i le atunu'u e fa'ailoa ai lo matou agaga fa'afetai i le latou lagolago. E le mafai ona ola se pisinisi pe a leai le atunu'u latou te lagolagoina".

"Avea ai fo'i a'u e fai ma sui o le Peresetene faapea ai ma le pulega atoa a le kamupani a le Matson matou te fa'amanuia atu ai le vaiaso fa'apitoa o Leoleo ia te outou uma faapea ai nai o outou aiga, ina ia outou maua se vaiaso fiafia ma le manuia e ala i fa'agaioiga

eseese o le a fa'atinoina".

I le saunoaga a le tofa Le'i e fa'atatau i le polokalame fa'ataoto a le Ofisa o Leoleo mo le vaiaso atoa lenei, sa ia fa'amanata ai i sui o le Matson le tele o le sao o Leoleo i le tautua lea o le filemu atoa ai ma le saogalemu o le atunu'u lautele.

"O le taua fo'i lenei o le vaiaso faapitoa lenei mo Leoleo ua fuafuaina, e le gata e maua ai se taimi e mafuta fa'atasi ai ma nai o latou aiga, ae o se avanoa lelei fo'i lea e mafuta fa'atasi uma ai le aufaigaluega ma iloa atili ai e le isi le taimi, e ese mai i totonu o le nofoaga o lo o fa'atinoina ai galuega", o le saunoaga lea a Le'i.

O ni isi o polokalame fa'aopoopo e pei ona fa'ailoa e Le'i mo le vaiaso fa'apitoa lenei o Leoleo, e aofia ai le Police Prom lea ua fa'amoemoe e faia i le po o le aso Faraile i le maota o le Fale Laumei i Utulei, lea o le a maua ai fo'i le avanoa o ali'i ma tama'ita'i Leoleo e fiafia ai ma o latou aiga, aemaise ai Ta'ita'i o le Matagaluega.

"E valaau atu ai ma le fa'aaloalo i le mamalu o le atunu'u, fa'apea ai uo ma aiga ina ia afiio mai tatou auai fa'atasi i le lagolagoina o soo se polokalame ua fuafuaina mo le matagaluega o Leoleo i lenei vaiaso atoa, ina ia fa'ailoa ai lo tatou tutu fa'atasi e lagolago i le tautua ma le auunaga a au tama fanau o lo o ofoina atu mo le atunu'u", o le saunoaga fa'ai'u lea a Le'i.

O le sauniga lotu sa fa'ataunu'uina i le malumalu o le Ekalesia EFKAS i Fagaalu i le afiafi ananafi na tatala aloaia ai le polokalame mo le vaiaso faapitoa mo Leoleo a le malo.



Le taimi na fa'ata'ita'i ai e se sui o le Vaega o le Fuimu a le malo le fa'aaogaina o le faga'au e fana ai le mu i fanau aoga o le Vasega 4 a le Aoga Tulaga Muamua a Pava'ia'i, i le taimi na asia ai e le fanau aoga ma faiaoga le Vaega Fuimu i le aso Faraile na te'a nei, a molimauina fo'i e ni isi o matua ma sui o le Ofisa o Leoleo. O le agaga atoa o lenei malaga a le fanau aoga e pei ona fa'aaalia e ni isi o Faiaoga, ia fa'amalani fanau aoga i auala eseese o lo o fa'atinoina ai tautua ma galuega i totonu o le malo. [ata AF]

Fa'amaonia moliaga o le gaioi & talepe fale fa'asaga i se ali'i 20 tausaga

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O le aso 13 o le masina fou o Iuni lea ua fa'atulaga e tu'uina atu ai le fa'asalaga a le fa'amasinoga maualuga fa'asaga i se ali'i e 20 tausaga le matua mai Amouli, i le mae'a ai lea ona ta'usala o ia i le aso Faraile ua te'a i moliaga mamafa e lua o le talepe fale i le tulaga lua atoa ai ma le gaioi.

E tusa ai ma fa'amaumauga a le fa'amasinoga, e 2 tagi sa faila e le malo fa'asaga ia Melvin Kuresa Eteuati. O le tagi muamua na tu'uia ai o ia i moliaga mamafa e 2, lea e aofia ai le talepe fale i le tulaga lua fa'apea ai ma le gaioi. Ae i le tagi lona lua, e 3 moliaga sa tu'uia ai o ia, lea e aofia ai moliaga mamafa e lua o le talepe fale i le tulaga lua ma le gaioi, ma le moliaga mama o le fa'aleaga meatotino i le tulaga tolu.

I lalo o le maliliega lea na sainia e le ua molia ma le malo ma ua talia fo'i e le fa'amasinoga maualuga, ua malie ai le malo e

tali ioe Eteuati i le moliaga o le talepe fale i le tulaga lua mai le tagi muamua, ma le moliaga o le gaioi o loo taua i le tagi lona lua. O tagi e lua a le malo fa'asaga i le ua molia, na afua mai i le fa'alavelave lea na ia osofaia ai ni fale se lua ma le fa'amoemoe e fa'atino ai ni solitulafono i totonu, lea e aofia ai se Fale Mautotogi fa'apea ai ma se Faleoloa, o fale uma a ni ali'i Asia se to'alua.

I le tali ioe ai o Eteuati i le moliaga mamafa o le talepe fale i le tulaga lua mai le tagi muamua a le malo, sa ia ta'utino ai e fa'apea, i se taimi o le aso 18 Setema 2016, na ia ulufale fa'amalosi ai i totonu o se Fale Mautotogi ma ia gaoiina ai le tele o meatotino e aofia ai se laptop, o se ato o lo o i ai pepa aoga i totonu, o se tusi folau Filipaina, o uaea o telefoni, fa'apea ai ma se ato tupe sa i ai se tinoitupe e \$500 i totonu.

Na ta'utino le ua molia, sa ia fa'aaogaina le tinoitupe e \$500 sa i totonu o le ato tupe, ae o isi meaaoga uma lava sa alu ma nana i se nofoaga e latalata ane i lona fale, mulimuli ane ina ua fesiligia o ia e Leoleo e uiga i lenei mataupu, sa ia toe fa'afetai ina ai loa meatotino uma nei i Leoleo. Ina ua fesiligia e le fa'amasinoga maualuga o ia poo a ana mea sa fai i meatotino sa ia gaoiiga, na tali le ua molia, "e leai se mea, sa na o le tupe na ou fa'aaogaina, ae o isi mea uma sa ou gaoiina na uma ona toe fa'afetai i Leoleo ina ua su'esu'eina a'u".

Ae mo le moliaga o le gaioi lea na afua mai i le tagi lona lua a le malo, na ta'utino ai le ua molia e fa'apea, i se taimi o le aso 16 Setema 2016 sa ia osofaia ai se Faleoloa ma sa ia gaoi ai se ato tupe, o ni siaki se 2 fa'apea ai ma ni pepa foodstamp. E tusa ai o fa'amaumauga a le fa'amasinoga, e tusa ma le \$1,080 le aofa'i o le tupe atoa na gaoi e Eteuati i lana ofo-faiga lea. Ina ua fesiligia e le fa'amasinoga maualuga le ua molia poo fea ua ave i ai le tinoitupe, o siaki e 2 ma pepa foodstamp, na ia taua ai i le fa'amasinoga e fa'apea, sa latou fa'aaogaina ma ana uo.

I le mae'a ai ona talia e le

fa'amasinoga maualuga o tuutuuga uma o le maliliega na sainia e le malo ma le ua molia, na talosaga ai loa le malo ina ia solofua uma isi moliaga o lo o totoe ai i le pepa o tagi sa latou fa'aulu fa'asaga ia Eteuati, lea fo'i na talia a le fa'amasinoga.

O se tasi o tuutuuga o le maliliega a itu e lua, o le a le faila e le malo moliaga o le sola ese mai le toese fa'asaga ia Eteuati a o taofia ai o ia i le toese, ae o le a talosaga le malo i le fa'amasinoga ina ia fa'asala o ia i se fa'asalaga mama fa'anofovaavaaia.

Na taua atili e le malo e fa'apea, a o fa'agasolo ai iloilogala le ua molia i luma o le fa'amasinoga fa'aitumalo, na ia tuua ai le fale fa'amasino ma aga'i sa'o atu loa i le maketi e fa'atali ai le pasi e alu i lona aiga i Amouli, ae o le taimi lea o lo o pisi solo ai vaega o Leoleo e tau saili solo le ua molia.

Ae ina ua saili atu i lona aiga i Amoauli, sa maua atu ai o ia o lo o i ai, lea na ia fa'ailoa i Leoleo e fa'apea, na mafua ona ia alu i lona aiga ona ua lagona lona fia'ai. O lo o taofia pea Eteuati i le toese i Tafuna e fa'atali ai le aso lea ua fa'atulaga e lau ai lana fa'asalaga.

Ua malilie uma itu e lua e finau i le fa'amasinoga mo se fa'asalaga fa'anofovaavaaia mo Eteuati, e aofia ai le tu'uina atu o se fa'asalaga fa'a falepuipui e le mamafa tele, a ia aofia ai ma masina ia ua mae'a ona tuli e le ua molia i totonu o le toese a o fa'atalitali ai taualumaga o lana fa'amasinoga.

Ae na fa'ailoa e le fa'amasinoga ia Eteuati e faapea, tusa lava pe finau atu loa mo se fa'asalaga mama, e pule le fa'amasinoga pe talia ia fa'afinauga pe leai fo'i. Ua malamalama fo'i le ua molia, e le mafai ona toe suia lana tali ioe ua tu'uina atu i le fa'amasinoga, pe afai e tu'uina mai se faaiuga a le fa'amasinoga ae le tusa ai ma lona mana'o.

O le afioga i le ali'i fa'amasino sili ia Michael Kruse sa taulimaina le mataupu a le ua molia, fa'atasi ai ma le lagolagosua a afioga i ali'i fa'amasino lagolago ia Mamea Sala Jr ma Muasau T. Tofili.



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Na fa'atoese le susuga a Malieo Maui i le fa'amasinoga maualuga i le aso Faraile na te'a nei i lona le usitaia o fa'atonuga sa tu'uina atu ia te ia, atoa ai ma lana talosaga mo se isi avanoa se'i toe fo'i ai i tua e fa'aleleia lona olaga ma saili se galuega e tausi ai lona aiga, aemaise ai lona augani i le fa'amasinoga mo se fa'amagaloga mo ia.

E pei ona taua i fa'amauga a le fa'amasinoga sa tolaulauina e le afioga i le ali'i fa'amasino ia Elvis P. Patea e fa'apea, o le tausaga e 2013 na ta'usala ai e le fa'amasinoga maualuga ia Maui i le moliaga o le talepe fale i le tulaga 2, ma fa'anofovaavaaia ai loa o ia e le fa'amasinoga mo le 5 tausaga i lalo o tuutuuga e tele e ao ona ia usita'i i ai.

O ni isi o ia tuutuuga e aofia ai lona tuliina o masia e 20 i le toese i Tafuna, peita'i sa na o le 8 masina na tuli ae toe tuu i ai e le fa'amasinoga le avanoa

ma fa'amalumu ai loa lona tuliina o masina e 12, fuafua lea i lona usita'i i tuutuuga uma a le fa'amasinoga e aofia ai le aua ne'i ona toe solia se tulafono.

O le tausaga e 2015 a o fa'anofovaavaaia pea le ua molia, na faia ai se suega i lona tino ma fa'amaonia ai lona tagofia o fualaau fa'asaina o le mariuana, peita'i e o o mai lava i le aso Faraile na te'a nei e le i faia lava se fa'aiuga a le fa'amasinoga fa'asaga i lona le usita'i lea i tuutuuga o lana nofovaavaaia.

O le tausaga nei fo'i na toe ta'usala ai fo'i o ia i le fa'amasinoga fa'aitumalo i le moliaga o le fa'atupu vevesi i nofoaga faitele, ma mafua ai loa ona faila e le Ofisa Fa'anofovaavaaia fa'apea ai ma le malo le talosaga i le fa'amasinoga, mo se avanoa e fa'aleaoga ai le nofovaavaaia ai Maui, ona o lea ua fa'amaonia lona soli o tuutuuga o lana nofovaavaaia.

Na taua e le loia a Maui ia Michael White e fa'apea, o le tele o tuutuuga uma o le nofovaavaaia a le ua molia sa ia usita'i ma tausisi i ai, se'i vagana ai lava le tuutuuga o le aua ne'i ona toe solia se tulafono e le o usita'i o ia i ai, ae na fa'aailoa e Patea e fa'apea, e le iloa e le fa'amasinoga le mafua'aga e faigata ai ona usita'i Maui i le tuutuuga o le aua lea ne'i ona toe solia se tulafono a le malo.

Na tutu fa'atasi le loia a le ua molia ia White ma le loia a le malo ia Gerald Murphy e talosaga i le fa'amasinoga mo se fa'asalaga mama mo Maui, ina ia mafai ai ona toe fo'i o ia i lona aiga e saili sana galuega e tausi ai ona matua, ma fesoasoani ai i lona lumana'i.

I le mae'a ai ona iloilo e ali'i fa'amasino o sa latou fa'aiuga e tusa ai o lenei mataupu, na malilie ai loa o le a le faia se fa'aiuga e fa'aleaoga ai le nofovaavaaia a le ua molia, ina ia tuli ai tausaga e 5 e pei ona fa'amalumu, ae na manatu le fa'amasinoga latou te faia se teuteuga i se tasi o tuutuuga, ina ia poloaina o ia e tuli loa masina e 12 lea sa fa'amalumu mai e le fa'amasinoga i le 2013, ae o le a toese ai aso ia na taofia ai o ia i le toese e fa'atalitali ai le tu'uina atu o se fa'asalaga mo ia.

O le afioga i ali'i fa'amasino lagoon ia Mamea Sala Jr ma Muasau T. Tofili na lagolago ia Patea i le iloiloia o se fa'aiuga mo lenei mataupu.

TITIFALAU SIAUMAU

Na teena e le susuga a Titifalau Siumau moliaga mamafa e 2 o lo o tu'uaia ai o ia e le malo, ina ua tula'i i luma o le fa'amasinoga maualuga i le aso Faraile na te'a nei. I lona teena ai o tu'uaiga fa'asaga ia te ia e pei ona fa'aleo e lana loia fautua ia Sharron

Rancourt, ua fa'atulaga ai loa lana ulua'i iloiloia e faia lea i le aso 14 Iulai o le tausaga nei, ae o lana fa'amasinoga atu ua fa'atulaga i le aso 1 Oketopa 2019.

Sa talosagaina fo'i e Rancourt le fa'amasinoga e fa'atonu le malo ina ia vave tu'uina atu mau fa'amaonia o le latou tagi i le la itu, ina ia vave ai ona faia a latou iloiloia nai lo le tau fa'atalitali i le taimi mulimuli e latalata ai i le aso o le fa'amasinoga atu, ae fa'atoa tu'uina atu e le malo mau fa'amaonia o lenei mataupu.

Ina ua fesiligia e le afioga i le ali'i fa'amasino sili ia Michael Kruse le loia a le malo ia Gerald Murphy e tusa ai o le talosaga a le itu tete'e, na saunoa le ali'i loia e fa'apea, "Lau afioga i le fa'amasino, o le a ou faia le mea sili ina ia mautinoa e vave mai le ripoti a Leoleo ma tu'uina atu loa i le itu tete'e".

Ae na toe tali Kruse e fa'apea, "E le taua le faia o le mea sili ae tatau ona fa'atonu au Leoleo ina ia vave tapena a latou ripoti ma tu'uina mai ina ia mafai ai fo'i e le isi itu ona silasila i ai. Ma fa'aailoa fo'i i au Leoleo, e i ai le taimi e le toe lava ai le onosa'i a le fa'amasinoga i tulaga fa'apenei".

O lo o tumau pea tuutuuga o lo o tatala ai Siumau i tua e fa'atali ai tau-lumaga o lana mataupu, e aofia ai le fa'asa lea ona taumafai e fa'afeso'ota'i

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Alo maia, o le a toe fa'aauu atu la tatou tala. Na muta mai la tatou tala, ina ua fanau le tama a Filipina, peita'i, ua lofia i faigata ma puapuaga, ona o lea ua fa'ailoa ane, ua ola si ana tama, o le tama, ae o lo'o fai pea togafiti a ali'i foma'i mo Filipina.

Talofa, e momoe ma manu, ae sau mala e atia'e, ua fa'apea lava lenesi soifuaga tatou te i ai. A'o a le Tusi, ua fetalai mai le Ali'i, "Aua tou te atuatuvaile, ia outou fa'atuatua mai ia te A'u, o A'u e malolo ai outou."

Fai mai, ua pei nei o le lauaitu ua fai nei i totonu o le falema'i i lea taimi, ua uma ona ta'u e Lilo i lona to'alua ma lona tuafafine fa'apea ma lona tausoga o Mareta le mea ua tupu ia Filipina. A'o le mea e sili ona fa'amama avega, ua ola si ana tama o le tama.

"E talofa e, i si o'u uso, Filipina, ala mai i luga, o fea o i ai lou loto tele sa i ai, a fai mai si o ta tina i a te oe, ae e tomumu, o fea o i ai, ala mai i luga, e talofa e, i si o'u uso e to'atasi."

Ua tonu nei i le mafaufau o Lilo, o ia e matua, e tatau i a te ia, ona fa'ato'ato'a mea uma, ae maise ai o lo'o fa'atali mai si o latou tina i le fale o lona uso. O le isi le itu sa popo'e tele i ai le loto o le tama, aua, ua le iloa po'o le a le tala o a fai atu i lona tina, e tusa ai ma le tulaga ua o'o i ai Filipina.

O le isi itu na mamafa tele i le mafaufau o le tama, o le to'alua palagi o Filipina, le tamaloa o Roger, ona o lo'o alu le malaga a Roger i Ausetalia. O le tala a Roger ia te ia, ae e le i alu 'ese, "Lilo, please take good care of my wife, i love her very much, please take good care of her while i'm gone, i will be back in two weeks." O upu ia na tautala ane ai le to'alua o si ona tuafafine i a te ia. O le isi lea avega ua tauave nei e Lilo, ona e fai o lona tina, a'o le to'alua o si ona tuafafine.

Na tonu nei i le mafaufau o Lilo, e fa'ata'atia 'ese ona tiga, ae liliu ane e fa'ato'ato'a lona tuafafine o Luisa, lea ua tagi aue, aue nei. "Luisa, tatou loto tetele, 'aue e te tagi fa'apena, tatou tatalo ia manuia le ma'i o Filipina, ae e sili pe a oulua fa'atali atu i le falema'i ma Mareta, ae se i o ma o ma Loleta i si o tatou tina, o lo'o fa'atali mai ma fia iloa po'o le a le taunu'uga o le ma'i o Filipina.

Ua fa'apea lava ona fai, ua fa'atali nei Luisa ma Mareta i le falema'i, ae o Lilo ma Loleta, se i feiloa'i ma le lo'omatua o lo'o tapua'i mai i le fale o lona uso. Ua alu le ta'avale a Lilo ma Loleta, fai mai, na te'i lava ua afe i tua le ta'avale. Ma le fa'alogu atu o Loleta, ua tagi aue, aue, Lilo i lea taimi, "Lilo, alofa mai, fa'ato'ato'a lou mafaufau, ia e va'ai alofa i si o tatou tina, afai e fa'apena oe, o lona uiga e i ai se mea e tupu i le lo'omatua, ae loto tele Lilo, va'ai i si lo'omatua o lo'o fa'atali mai."

Na fai si umi o tu pea le ta'avale a Loleta ma Lilo, ae fa'ate'ia, ua sosolo ane le ta'avale a le tuagane matua o Loleta, le tama o Lolesio. E fai mai lava tala a Lolesio pei e tausua mai ia Lilo ma Loleta, ma lona le iloa le mea ua tupu.

Fai mai, na vave lava ona liua le fiafia o Lolesio, ina ua va'ai mai ia Lilo ua 'ese ona uiga. "Loleta, e i ai se mea ua tupu, tautala mai, e i ai se mea ua tupu?" Na tali Loleta, "Ioe Lolesio, e i ai le fa'alavelave ua tupu, o lea e mafatia ai le loto o si o'u to'alua i le taimi nei."

E faia pea...



Susuga le Fa'atonu o le Dancing Fingers ia Poe Mageo ma le Tina o le atunu'u Cynthia Malala Moliga ma nisi o le fanau a'oa'oina i le taleni o le musika e le susuga Poe Mageo.

[ata: Leua Aiono Frost]



tusia: Leua Aiono Frost

KONESETI A LE DANCING GINERS 2017

O le afiafi o le aso Tofi ua te'a sa fa'atasia ai le mamalu o matua ma aiga, ae maise o sui na vala'aulia fa'apitoa, le Tina o le atunu'u, Cynthia Malala Moliga, le fa'atina fo'i o le Dancing Fingers mo le koneseti a le Dancing Fingers fa'atautaia e le fanau i le Piano, Flute ma Violin. Sa faia lea koneseti i le Malumalu AOG Lepuapua, Calvary Temple, i Lepuapua.

O saunoaga i lea afiafi e aofia ai le ali'i Faia'oga Musika Poe Mageo, le fa'atonu o le Dancing Fingers ma Marissa Ta'amu sa avega ma fofoga o le polokalama.

Na faailoa e Mageo lona fa'anaunaga ina ia mafai ona fa'atoateleina fanau a le atunu'u e maua leni taleni o le musika. Na ia sauoa fo'i, "Matua, ou te fa'ailoa atu, o le matua popoto lava o alo o Samoa, e gafatia e i latou ona matua faalautele lo latou tomai i le Musika ma saili ai latou tusi pasi mauululuga i Iunivesite i fafo atu o Samoa."

E ese mai lea sa ia fa'alauiloa fo'i le aoga o leni a'oga i le sailliga o tupe e fa'amae'a ai le Fale Fou o le Koluse Mumu o Amerika Samoa i Tafuna.

Ina ua mae'a sa fa'asolosolo loa le vasega ua fa'ato'a taitasi tausaga talu mai ona a'oa'oina i le Dancing Fingers. Na tomua le tama'ita'i o Narei Mareko i lana pese sa taina "Love Somebody!" O Alana Joserose i lana pese o le Who's on Third."

O Wilene Leuanae i lana pese "Happy Song" ma Heaven Lafaele Neemia i lana pese o Birthday Fun. Na mae'a lea

ona taina lea o le pese a Iris ma Leila Penitusi, Concert Song, ma sa la'ua ofoina lea pese mo la'ua tina i leni aso o Tina 2017. O le vasega numera lua na soso'o ai latou fa'aaliga ma muamua Ida DeWees i lana pese Indian Dance. O Taupulesea Vaeao i lana pese Rock Song, ma Lemalama Silafau i le "Row Row Row Your Boat!" O le pese na taina e Lynelle Mareko na soso'o ai i le fa'aaliga "When the saints Go Marching In!"

Ona fa'asolo lea o isi vaega o fanau fa'ato'a fa'ata'ita'i i le ta piano, amata e Malaea Estherlene McFall i le pese "Liebestraum [Listz]. O le pese na soso'o ai sa taina ato e le fa'aali a le Dancing Fingers ma sa taimia lea e Malaea ae and taina e Mageo.

Ina ua mae'a le fa'aaliga ona tufatufaina lea e Mrs. Moliga teu fugala'au na saunia e le Dancing fingers, mo le fanau sa tofu sao i le fa'aaliga ato.

2LT TIPA, OWEN - FA'APINE I AMERIKA SAMOA

O Owen Tipa na fa'u'u mai Leone High School i le tausaga 2009, ua mae'a ona faapine lona fa'aaliga 2nd Lieutenant of Signal Corps i se sauniga i le US Army Reserve i Tafuna ia Me 6, 2017. Na fa'atalosaga e ia lona fa'apinega ina ia faia mai i le atunu'u, ona o lona manatu ia moli-mauina e lona aiga ato.

Mai le amataga o lona soifua a'oa'oina ma taumafai fo'i e tautua i le Vaega Au, sa malaga ese atu au i le tasuaga e 2009 ina ua mae'a fa'au'u mai Leone ina ua ulufale i le US Army Reserve ma ulufale i koleniga fa'ata'ita'i ia Iuni 2009.

O le tausaga lava lea e tasi na tu'uva'a ese atu ai mo koleniga BCT i Fort Benning, Georgia ma sa mae'a lea ia Mati, 2010, ma ulufale atu ai e fa'aauau a'oa'oga fa'apitoa OSUT ma fa'ato'a mae'a mai ia Aperila o lea lava tausaga.

Ina ua mae'a ana koleniga fa'apitoa nei, sa talii mai i Aiga ma toe ulufale

atu i le Kolisi Tu'ufa'atasi mo sina vaitau pu'upu'u ae fa'ato'a tu'ua ai lea tunu'u mo a'oa'oga i Hawaii. Mai i'ina sa maua ai lona avanoa e ulufale ai i Weber State University i Utah ia Iulai 2011. Na fa'au'u o ia mai Weber ma lona fa'aaliga Associate of Science i le Automotive Technician i le tausaga e 2014 ma lea foi vaitau na ulufale ai i le MOSQ i Yorktown, Virginia mo le vaega a le Naval Ophthalmologic Services Training Academy.

I le tausaga e 2015 na ulufale ai i le Warrior leadership Course [WLC] i Fort McCoy i Wisconsin. Ma o lea foi tausaga sa faigaluega ai i le US Homeland Security ose TSA officer ae fa'aauau a'oa'oga i le Iunivesite i Utah.

"Ua mae'a talosagaina sou avanoa e avega ai ma se Leoleo Nana ma ua talia mai lea fo'i avanoa mo a'u. Ou te iloa, afai e fa'ailoa mai loa ia te a'u le taimi e amata ai, ona suia loa lea o mea uma, ae ou auai atu mo lea avanoa, e talafeagai fo'i ma a'oa'oga fa'amilitari ua mae'a a'oa'oina ai," o a Owen lea.

Ina ua fesiligia po'o a nisi mea ua manatu e aga atu i ai lona talavou e fa'atino a'o maua pea le soifua malosi fa'atalavou, ae fa'ailoa mai e Owen, "Ou te iloa o le auaunaga lea o le a fa'asaga atu e fa'atino, ma e mo'omia lava fo'i talosaga a matua ma le aiga ato ae maise o latou fa'amanuiaga, ina ia gafatia e lo'u sui fa'atauva'a lea fo'i tiute. Ae muamua lava i mea uma, e faia so'o se mea ma le tatalo ina ia foa'i mai e le Atua le malosi ma le tomai e fa'atino ai auaunaga."

O matua o Owen o Papali'i Toia Mua'ava Faleafi Tipa ma lona tina o Kamelita Tipa. Ua fa'aipoipo atu o ia ia Mareta i le 1991. Ua fa'afetaia fo'i e ia le mamalu o lona aiga, ona o lo latou nofo tapua'ia o ona faiva ae maise o le auai o i latou i le sauniga na fa'atautaia mo lona fa'apinega.

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Universal Crossword

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- ACROSS**
- 1 Large continent
 - 5 Australian gems
 - 10 Far from fat
 - 14 Newborn zebra
 - 15 Affliction suffered by FDR
 - 16 Feeling picked up from someone
 - 17 What to do with a comped thing?
 - 20 Jewish religious leader
 - 21 Kind of shot that prevents lockjaw
 - 22 B&B alternatives
 - 25 Lyrical work
 - 26 Luau accessory
 - 29 Type of software test
 - 31 A B vitamin
 - 35 "A Nightmare on ___ Street"
 - 36 Caribbean island
 - 38 Nuts, in Spain
 - 39 What to do with a lost package floating asea?
 - 43 Rocket launch cancellation
 - 44 Like old bread
 - 45 "Monkey ___, monkey do"
- DOWN**
- 46 Emulates an attacking eagle
 - 49 Motivator with the words "giddyup!"
 - 50 Human thing to do
 - 51 Type variety
 - 53 Golf course discards
 - 55 Writes musical symbols
 - 58 "To ___ own self be true"
 - 62 Rigs something like a general practitioner?
 - 65 Almost fanatical
 - 66 Synthetic silklike fabric
 - 67 Longer of two forearm bones
 - 68 Eight bits, in computer-speak
 - 69 Biased point of view
 - 70 Honey bunch?
 - 10 Sinister guru
 - 11 In ___ of (rather than)
 - 12 Egret relative
 - 13 Was introduced to
 - 18 "Arabian Nights" voyager
 - 19 Indian royal
 - 23 Infamous emperor
 - 24 Bowls over or blows away
 - 26 Tilts
 - 27 Funny bone joint
 - 28 Adult stage of insects
 - 30 Criminally assists
 - 32 Patch of woods
 - 33 More frigid and slippery
 - 34 Keen observer or jotter
 - 37 Make adjustments
 - 40 Midday
 - 41 Turned sharply
 - 42 "From ___ Eternity"
 - 47 Ring, like bells
 - 48 Greek woodland gods
 - 52 Bicycle part
 - 54 Part of a hedge
 - 55 Sailor's org.
 - 56 Bypass
 - 57 Bean type (var.)
 - 59 Place to be cast away
 - 60 Whole-yards link
 - 61 When trains are due in (abbr.)
 - 62 "Groovy!" relative
 - 63 Felonious "artist"
 - 64 It's dynamite stuff

PREVIOUS PUZZLE ANSWER

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THE LAST WORD IN ASTROLOGY

Monday May 15, 2017

Happy Birthday: Live, learn and experience all you can without going overboard. The key to your success will be living within your means and still enjoying what life has to offer. Travel, engaging in interesting conversations and doing your best to avoid making unnecessary changes with regard to your work, personal finances or physical and mental well-being should be your priority. Your numbers are 5, 12, 17, 26, 32, 37, 46.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Get along with your peers. Don't let professional situations cloud your vision or create an atmosphere that makes it impossible for you to get things done. Do your best regardless of the competition you face. **

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Take in everything you can. Listen carefully, don't jump to conclusions and do your best to stabilize your relationships with people who can influence your future. A creative approach to helping others will help you gain respect and acknowledgement. ****

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Personal gains will be made if you are willing to help others. An encounter with someone who has something you want will give you greater incentive to bring about positive change. A change to your appearance will be noticed and complimented. ***

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Emotions will run wild if you create a scenario that is based on assumptions instead of facts. Before you engage in battle with someone over a perceived slight, consider the consequences and rethink how to best handle your angst. ***

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Look outside your comfort zone and you will get a different perspective on the best way to handle personal and professional changes. Stick to what's doable instead of opting to get involved in a pie-in-the-sky idea. Physical improvements are highlighted. ***

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Keep your distance from anyone trying to push you in a direction you are unsure about. Don't put up a fuss, just head in a direction that you find more suitable. Invest time and money into whatever will benefit you. ****

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Don't make a move prematurely. Uncertainty should be enough to make you sit back and consider the ramifications you might encounter. Take on a physical challenge that will improve your core strength as well as your appearance. **

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Share information, discuss new possibilities and find out more about the people you do business with or that you have a personal connection to. Listening can help you discover how to best get someone to do things your way. ****

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You'll come up with good ideas that will encourage others to take you seriously. Making positive changes to your living arrangements or putting in extra effort to nurture an important relationship will improve your day. Curb impulsiveness and excess. ***

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Control your emotions. An unexpected offer will not turn out to be as good as you are led to believe. Proceed with caution and hang on to your hard-earned cash. Loss will be the result of an impulsive decision. ***

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Don't mix the old with the new when dealing with people you know personally or professionally. Suggest a doable way to repay or collect a debt so you can move on. Clearing up baggage will give you a new lease on life. ***

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You have a vivid imagination. Don't share your thoughts with anyone who isn't as innovative and unique as you. If handled properly, you will be able to surprise those unaware of your talents with what you present. ****

Birthday Baby: You are astute, conceptual and brave. You are willful and demonstrative.

Dear Abby

by Abigail Van Buren

EX-FRIEND CAST OUT OF SOCIAL CIRCLE DREAMS OF VENGEANCE

DEAR ABBY: My friend has decided she can no longer tolerate my husband. She feels he doesn't "respect" her. This is far from the truth, in my mind.

We have supported her emotionally and financially from time to time for many years. My husband does have a habit of making clunky jokes (anything for a laugh or to fill the void). But a real friend should see beyond that to the loving, supportive person he is at his core, in his heart, and forgive.

We are now banned from her social group. I find this very harsh -- cruel even. I guess my friendship doesn't count, as I'm being thrown out with the perceived trash as well. I'm depressed and angry, and I want some kind of revenge and to hurt her back. I was so happy with our little group. Now it's been taken away from me. Advice? -- **TOSSED ASIDE IN NEW YORK**

DEAR TOSSED: Yes. Rather than seek revenge, tell the woman how hurt you feel after having befriended her all these years. Time is our most precious commodity. The more time you spend plotting retaliation, the more space this ungrateful woman is taking up in your head, and it's not healthy -- for you. Once you have spoken to her and gotten this off your chest, go on with your life. Continue to see others in the group on an individual basis, if necessary. If they are real friends, I'm sure they'll be glad to do that.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 34-year-old single mother (by choice) of a beautiful 3-year-old boy. Because of infertility problems, it took years for me to conceive. I love my son beyond measure and, when I'm not working, I'm usually shuttling him to extracurricular activities and making time after cooking and cleaning to play with him.

Because my world revolves around being a mom, I have a hard time participating in adult conversations without talking about my son and how proud and happy I am to be his mom. I realize this can be irritating to others, and it has become frustrating for me.

I'm educated, opinionated and well-read, but I seem to have lost the ability to relate to other adults and make friends away from my role as a mother. Any advice would be helpful at this point. -- **PROUD TO BE A MOM**

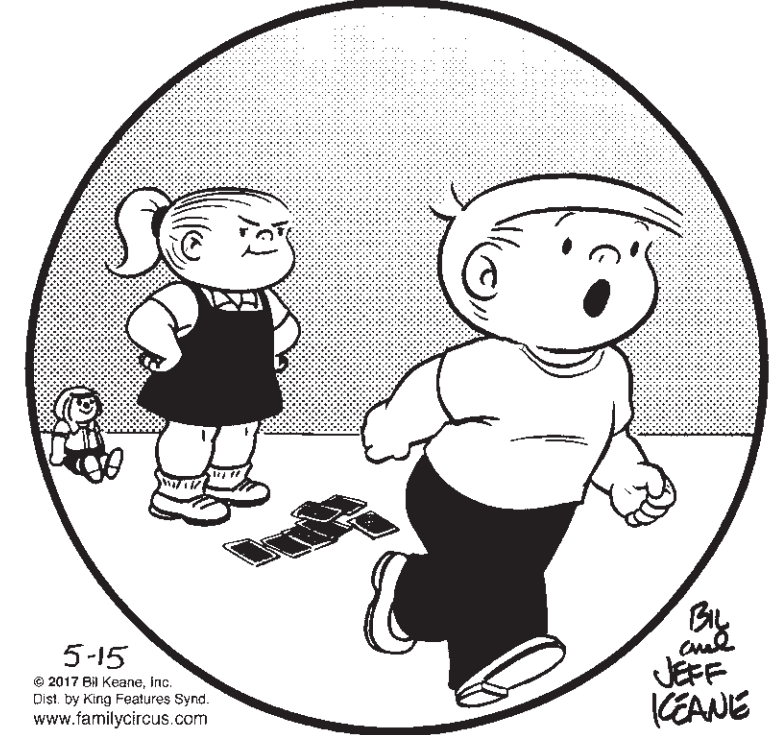
DEAR PROUD: Considering the fact that your total focus is on your child, it's not surprising he's your main topic of conversation. However, because you want to expand your repertoire, broaden it by bringing up current events, which should give you plenty of fodder for conversation.

DEAR READERS: I am honored to again participate in National Women's Health Week. Women are the primary caretakers in most societies -- including our own -- but in the process, we too often forget to care for ourselves by eating right, lowering our stress levels with regular exercise and scheduling regular medical checkups. Please don't procrastinate. National Women's Health Week is a perfect time to begin. Visit womenshealth.gov/nwhw for more information. -- **LOVE, ABBY**

AN IMPORTANT THING By Timothy E. Parker

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THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane



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"Mommy, can you tell Dolly to stop nagivating me?!"

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Calvin & Hobbes ©

by Bill Watterson

TAKE YOUR HAT OFF AT THE DINNER TABLE, CALVIN.

HERE COMES THE HURRICANE.

YOU CUT YOUR HAIR!! NO I DIDN'T. HOBBS DID.

WHY ON EARTH DID YOU CUT YOUR OWN HAIR?! LOOK AT YOU!

I SAID HOBBS CUT IT! YOU THINK I'D DO THIS?!

...WELL, I DIDN'T!

5-15

PEANUTS ©

by Charles M. Schultz

I ADMIRE BIRDS..

THEY FLY ALL OVER, AND NEVER GET LOST...THEY USE THE STARS AND THE SUN TO FIND THEIR WAY...THEY ALWAYS KNOW WHERE THEY'RE GOING

BONK!

SOME OF THEM!

5/15

SPOILER ALERT

OKAY! SO I GET ALL THREE BRANCHES OF GOVERNMENT!

THEN WHAT HAPPENS?

Deal -6.0P.

I THINK EVERYBODY KNOWS.

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...I'VE GOTTEN OVER MY FEAR OF GETTING ON AIRPLANES. ...NOW I'M AFRAID OF BEING DRAGGED OFF OF THEM!

Tom Wilson

Sudoku Pacific

Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9 inclusively.

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5/15 DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★★★

Friday's Puzzle Answer

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

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Hagar the Horrible ©

by Chris Brown

LIVE FOR TODAY! TOMORROW MAY NEVER GET HERE!

KLINK

I HOPE IT GETS HERE! I HATE MONDAYS!

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GARFIELD ©

by Jim Davis

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STARING CONTEST

OR NOT

JIM DAVIS 5-15



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