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The American Samoa Youth Futsal National Team, ready to play their first game of the OFC Youth Futsal Tournament in New Zealand. See story for details.

[FFAS MEDIA/Brian Vitolio]

A.S. Futsal Youth Team ready to play

By FFAS MEDIA/ Brian Vitolio

The American Samoa Youth Futsal (indoor soccer) National team is geared up and ready to compete for the rights to play at the 2018 Youth Olympic Games in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

The young group of 10 players, ranging from 15 to 17, is representing the territory at the OFC Youth Futsal Tourn-

ment in New Zealand from Oct. 4-7, 2017. Their first opponent – the island considered to be the best at the sport in Oceania – is the Solomon Islands.

"I know the boys are excited to play, and we all realize that going up against the Solomon Islands is like David going against Goliath," said Tunoa Lui, head coach of the team. "They are very good at Futsal, and it is not going to be an easy task for us especially since it's our first game of the tournament. However, the boys are ready and excited for the tournament to start."

The Solomon Islands are the best in the Oceania region in Futsal, and kickoff for the game against the Solomon Islands is Oct. 4 at 1:00 PM, New Zealand time.

On October 5 they have two games: playing against New Zealand at 1PM and against New Caledonia at 4PM.

On October 6, they face Samoa at 10AM and Vanuatu at 4PM, before closing out the tournament against Tonga at 10AM on October 7. The team is expected to arrive back in American Samoa on White Sunday, October 8.

"We've gotten acclimated to the weather after having been here for two days, and everyone is healthy and doing fine," said the team's manager, Tavita Taumua.

Lui is assisted in the coaching duties by Talalelei Fa'alavaau.

"Playing on a wooden surface is new to all of our players, that is one big thing we have to adapt to quickly, but we've already had a warm up game and a practice session in, so that should be helpful to our boys before the tournament starts," Fa'alavaau explained.

The players are:
Jospeh Choi (Green Bay Soccer Club, Samoana High School)

Manu Faoa-Danielson Jr. (Vaiala Tongan Soccer Club, Leone High School)

Austin Kaleopa (Utilei Youth Soccer Club, Samoana High School)

Roy Ledoux (Pago Youth Soccer Club, Samoana High School)

Mahonri Lotulelei (Vaiala Tongan Soccer Club, Samoana High School)

Walter Pati (Royal Puma

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[ata: Leua Aiono Frost]



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Tumau Talita "Ali'i A" i le Sinapi & Annex Boys taofi pea talita "Ali'i B"

tusia: Leua Aiono Frost

O ta'aloga o le aso To'ona'i na te'a nei, Setema 30, na fa'amaonia ai le malosi o le puipuiga a le Sinapi A i le talita, aua ua toe u'umau fo'i e i latou le talita o le Ta'amilosaga Volley Ball a "Alii A." Peita'i o Setema 23, na fa'ato'a malolo ai le "Tanoa A" i le "Sinapi A" ma latou se'ia ai le talita talu mai le amataga o le liki, sa u'umau lava e le "Tanoa A Team."

Ua toe milo mai nei le "Tanoa A" i le fa'asologa o le ta'amilosaga ma e o'o lava fo'i ina toe o'o mai e saili sona avanoa e lu'ia le "Talita Alii A" ae le'i mae'a le ta'amilosaga volleyball lenei.

Mai le ta'amilosaga "Ali'i B Teams" o lo ua fa'aauau pea ona umia le talita e le "Annex Boys" mai Fagatogo ma o lo'o i ai le fa'amoemoe mauluga o le latou Fa'atonu, "Talosia lava ae tumau ai pea le finau mai o si matou 'au laiti lea! Ae le faia se loto, o le malo lava latou e se'e, ae o le fai uso e tumau lava, e pei o le upu masani a tamaiti o lenei fo'i faiva!"

O isi ta'aloga sa fa'atauaia na amata mai ai le isi malae i ta'aloga a Tama'ita'i ma sa tatala malae ai le 'au a le CTR na fetaui ma le 'au malosi a le Pala, na malo ai lea o le Pala Team. O le Measina sa fetaui ma le 'au a tama'ita'i a le Tanoa ma sa manumalo ai le Measina. O le Mizuno sa fetaui ma le au a le Sons ua manumalo Mizuno. Ae o le ta'aloga mulimuli a tama'ita'i Alii One sa fetaui ma le BTI ma ua mau fo'i le talita i le BTI.

O ta'aloga a 'au "Ali'i U19"

sa fetaui ai le 'au a le Breakers ma le Annex, lea sa manumalo le Annex. O le 'au a le Laumuatai mai Pago Pago na fetaui ma le Usos, ma ua manumalo ai le Usos.

O le ta'amilosaga a le "Alii B Teams" na ta'a'alo ai le 'au a le Ali'i itaoso ma le 'au a le Tama Samoa Moni, na manumalo ai le 'au a le Tama Samoa Moni.

O le ta'aloga i le Talita a le Alii B, sa fetaui ai Annex sa mau ai le talita ae lu'ia mai e le Uso, ua toe mau pea le talita i le Annex Boys.

O ta'aloga fataulia a le "Alii A Teams" na muamua ai tatala malae le ta'aloga a le Uso ma le Tama Samoa Moni, ua malo ai le Tama Samoa Moni. O le fetauiga a le Ali'i itaoso ma le Fagatogo Pride, ua malo ai fo'i le Fagatogo Pride.

Laumuatasi sa fetaui ma le Tanoa, ua toe suipi fo'i le Tanoa i le ta'aloga lea. E le'i o'o le ta'aloga i le va o le Sons ma le Puataunofo, ae soso'o loa ma le ta'aloga i le va o Amouli A ma le No Mercy ma sa malo ai le Amouli Youth A.

O le West Point sa fetaui ma le Sinapi, malo ai le Sinapi ma o i latou lea sa mau ai le talita. Ona toe fa'aauau lea o taaloga mo le ta'amilosaga lava a le Alii A ma toe faia ai le ta'aloga a le Pioneer na fetaui ma le Sons ma sa suipi ai le Sons i lea fetauiga mataina.

O le 'au a le Ali'i itaoso na fetaui ma Amouli Youth A ma sa malo ai Amouli Youth. O le ta'aloga fo'i i le va o le Tama Samoa Moni ma le 'au malosi a le Tanoa, ua toe malo fo'i

(Faaauau itulau 5)



Tumau pea le talita a le Alii B Teams i a'ao malosi o le Annex mai Fagatogo. [ata: Leua Aiono Frost]

Dodgers mull roster while waiting to learn NLDS opponent

The Dodgers' work in getting to the postseason is done. They racked up their fifth consecutive NL West title and were baseball's best team with 104 victories. Now, they must wait to find out their opponent.

Whoever it is — either Arizona or Colorado — both had winning records against the Dodgers this season. Those teams will play Wednesday night in the NL wild card game in Phoenix, with the Dodgers watching closely. Manager Dave Roberts said Tuesday night that his team is "a very confident group" heading into Friday's playoff opener at Dodger Stadium. The Dodgers clinched home-field advantage throughout the postseason, having gone 57-24 at Chavez Ravine during the regular season. Roberts said his team has done everything possible to put itself in position to win it all and "now it's up to us to finish it." While they wait, the Dodgers will have workouts on Wednesday.

Futsal...

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Soccer Club, Tafuna High School)

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NBA players Marcus and Markieff Morris acquitted of assault

PHOENIX (AP) — A

Phoenix jury acquitted NBA players Marcus and Markieff Morris in their aggravated assault trial Tuesday.

The Morris brothers have been on trial for the past two weeks on charges that they helped three other people beat 36-year-old Erik Hood in January 2015 outside a high school basketball game in Phoenix.

At that time, the 28-year-old brothers played for the Phoenix Suns. Marcus now plays for the Boston Celtics and Markieff is with the Washington Wizards.

Defense attorneys Timothy Eckstein and James Belanger patted the brothers on the back as the verdict was read. The Morris twins hugged their attorneys after the jury was led out of the courtroom.

"From the beginning we expected them to acquit but just putting this time here," Marcus Morris said outside Maricopa County Superior Court.

Both players have missed the start of the NBA preseason because of the trial.

Another defendant, Gerald Bowman, also was found not guilty on two counts of aggravated assault. Two other co-defendants pleaded guilty to the

charges on Sept. 13.

Hood did not attend court to hear the verdict read.

Jurors got the case Monday afternoon. They began hearing testimony Sept. 18.

Belanger said in closing arguments that the case was tainted by Hood's mentor trying to solicit two witnesses to implicate the Morris brothers for a cash payment in return.

Two witnesses testified about the mentor's attempt and their refusal to lie. They both went to break up the fight and placed the Morris twins near the site but not as part of the altercation.

Belanger said he thought the defense had a very good case without that but when the jury found out "it was the prism that they had to look at everything else through."

Prosecutor Daniel Fisher had urged jurors to convict the brothers, saying Marcus Morris kicked Hood in the head and Markieff Morris acted as an accomplice because "they had an axe to grind" with him.

Defense attorneys pressed Hood during his testimony about his financial motives in the case and his knowledge of the NBA players' substantial financial assets.

They also repeatedly said Hood lied to police nine times when he said both twins were involved in the assault. Hood later changed his statement to say Markieff did not beat him but had been in the vicinity.

Eckstein, the lawyer for Marcus Morris, said during closing arguments that Hood knew he had to "double down on Marcus" beating him because the case wouldn't be worth anything without one of the brothers involved.

Hood testified he wanted justice for the beating that left him with a broken nose and other injuries.

He said he has known the Morris brothers since their youth basketball days, but they had a falling out in 2011.



O le au malosi a le No Mercy sa latou lu'ia le Talita mai le Sinapi, o lo'o mau pea le talita i le Sinapi. [ata: Leua Aiono Frost]

► Tumau Talita...

Mai itulau 2

le Tanoa Team i le lua seti. O Fagatogo sa fetaui ma West Point, ma ua malo ai West Point ae o le Uso sa fetaui ma le CTR ua malo ai le CTR i seti e lula.

O le Laumuatasi na fetaui ma Annex ma malo ai fo'i tama mai le Annex i lea fetauiga. O le ta'a'ologa loa o le Talita na fetaui ai Sinapi o lo'o umia le talita ma le No Mercy, ua toe mau pea le talita a le "Alii A" i le Sinapi A.

Nisi o tala i taaloga volipolo, o le taeao ananafi sa foai ai e le Peresetene o le Asosi Volley Ball i Amerika Samoa, ASVBF se meaalofa mo le a'oga maualuga a VocTech High i Nuuuli ma sa talia ma le fiafia e le susuga le Pule A'oga Mrs Alofagia Young Alopopo, fa'apea le susuga le Faia'oga o Ta'aloga i lea aoga Mr. Alvin.

O polo nei e lua fa'atasi ai ma le a'oa'oga fa'alelei o le ta'a'alo a le fanau i le latou piliota muamua lava mo fa'amalosito po'o ta'aloga, sa fa'aaogaina e le sui o le DOE Talataina Valusia, Pona Alema Ben Sauvao o le ASVBF, e fefa'asoai ai ma le fanau ina ia filiga e ta'a'alo i le Volley Ball a'o taumafai ai i a'oa'oga maualuluga.

"O le aoga fo'i o le lelei o lau ta'alo i lenei ta'aloga, e masani ai lava i tatou uma i le Volley Ball, lona lua e aumalolosi o tatou tino e mafai ai ona fa'atauva, ae fafao atu loa ma le lelei o lou mafaufau i le fa'agaoioiga o le polo ma le sa'o o lou poina o le polo, o oe ua agava'a. mo le tausin-ioga i Kolisi ma Iunivesite," o se tima'i fa'afaia'oga lea a le ali'i Peresetene o le Asosi, Ben Sauvao i le vasega 9 sa i le malae i le ulua'i piliota o le a'oga. "O se lu'iga fo'i lenei va'aiga fa'amomoiloto ua va'aia ai le fanau a'oga maualuluga, o lo'o taumafai e tauva fa'atasi ma isi a'oga ua lelei faleta'alo e a'oa'olelei ai, ae o lea e fa'atimu pe fa'ala i latou. O afea ea o le a faia ai se faleta'alo mo le Voctech?", o le fesili lea a nisi o sui o le asosi volipolo sa auai atu e maimoa ma fesoasoani i le pasiga polo na fa'aa'oa'o ai le fanau aoga i ituaga pasiga o le polo e mo'omia ona utagia e maua ai 'ai ae le pe ai le polo.

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RFP:

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Date of issuance:

August 16, 2017

Date & Time Due:

October 30, 2017

No later than 2:00 pm local time

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DOCUMENT

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**TULA'I FA'AALOALO A
LE MAOTA O SUI MO LE
FA'ALAVELAVE I VEGAS**

Na fa'ai'u le tauaoifiaga a le maota o sui i le taeao ananafi, i se tula'i fa'aaloalo na talos-againa e le afioga i le tama'ita'i faipule ia Vui Florence Saulo, e manatua ai soifua o i latou e lata i le to'a 60 ua fa'amaonia mai i ripoti ua maliliu, e mafua mai i le fa'alavelave lea na tafana ai e se ali'i ni tagata sa auai i se fa'afiafiaga i totolu o se fale tele lava i le aai o Las Vegas.

Saunoa Vui e fa'apea, e le o se fa'alavelave e faigofie ona talia e tagatanu'u o Amerika Samoa, ona o nofoaga o lo o tula'i mai ai lenei fa'alavelave, ua to'atele le atunu'u e masani ona malaga atu i ai, o lo o to'atele fo'i tagata Samoa o lo o nonono ma fa'amautu ai.

Na taua e Vui le tatau lea ona faia se tula'i fa'aaloalo,

e aloia ai sofua o i latou uma ua maliliu, atoa ai ma le manatua o nai o latou aiga ua a'afia i fa'anoanoaga.

O le afioga i le ali'i faipule ia Gafatasi Afalava na saunia le tatalo fa'aiu, e talosia ai aiga uma o i latou ua maliliui lenei fa'alavelave.

E 3 aso le umi lea ua tuuina mai e le Peresetene o le malo o Amerika, e sisi fa'avaeloto ai tagavai uma i totolu o Setete ma Teritori o le Iunaite Setete, e aloia ai soifua o i latou ua maliliu i lenei fa'alavelave mata'utia.

**PASIA SENATE IUGAFONO
SOOFAATASI SUI AI LE
FA'AVAE**

E 14-1 le palota na pasia ai e le Senate le latou iugafono soofaatasi, e tuu atu ai le malosi i le Fono Faitulafono e fa'aleaoga ai le teena a le Kovana i se pili e pasia e le Fono Faitulafono.

O lea iugafono soofaatasi e

sui ai le Fa'avae Toe Teuteu a Amerika Samoa.

E 2/3 le aofa'i o le palota e manaomia ina ia pasia ai le iugafono mo le suiga o le Fa'avae. E na o le afioga i le tama'ita'i Senatoa ia Fonoti T. Aufata na palota leai i le iugafono soofaatasi a le Senate.

O le taeao ananafi na tuuina atu ai i lona faiatauga muamua le iugafono soofaatasi a le Senate, i luma o le maota o sui, ma ua taoto atu nei i le Komiti o Tulafono a le maota, lea o lo o taitai ai le afioga i le Sui Fofoga Fet-alai ia Fetui Fetu Jr.

O le agaga o afioga i Senatoa i le taimi na talanoaina ai lenei mataupu, ia aua ne'i fefefe le Fono e fai suiga mo le manuia o le atunu'u. I le taimi o felafola-foaiga a le Senate i le vайасо на te'a nei ina ua talanoaina lenei mataupu, na saunoa ai afioga i Senatoa i le taua o le tuu mai o faaiuga e fai lava e Amerika

Samoa, mo le manuia o lana faigamalo.

Na faamanino e le Faato-nusili o le Ofisa e iloiloina Tulaga Faavaomalo a Amerika Samoa, afioga Tapau Dr. Dan Aga e fa'apea, e fa'a 4 ona tuuina atu suiga o le Fa'avae e palota i ai le atunu'u, e fa'a 4 fo'i ona latou teena.

Saunoa le peresetene o le Senate, afioga Gaoteote Tofau Paliae e fa'apea, o tupulaga uma lava o loo tete'e i taumafaiga mo suiga o le Fa'avae, o i latou ia e le o malamalamama i le taua o le soifuaga faa Samoa o lo o soifua ai tuaa ma aiga i aso fai soo. Ae iloa gofie fanau e fa'alogi i matua ma vaavaai i gaioiga o loo faia e matua i aso uma o le olaga, i le fa'atauaina lea o le aganu'u ma le olaga fa'a Samoa, o i latou ia e malamalamama ma lagolago i taumafaiga mo le manuia o le atunu'u.

O le Fa'avae o loo i ai, afai e

pasia e le Fono se pili ae teena e le Kovana, ona toe ave lea i le Fono e palota ina ia faale-aoga le tete'e a le malo, e ala i le palota o le 2/3 a le Fono. Afai loa e maua le palota e pei ona manaomia, ona tuuina atu loa lea o le fa'aiuga e fai mai e le Failautusi a le Initeria.

Na taua e afioga i Senatoa e fa'apea, e i ai mataupu ua uma ona tuuina atu i le Failautusi a le Initeria mo se fa'aiuga, e oo mai lava i le taimi nei e lei tuuina mai lava se fa'aiuga e uiga i lea mataupu.

E le i fa'atulagaina ni iloilogia a le maota o sui e tusa ai o lenei iugafono soofaatasi e sui ai le Fa'avae.

**TEENA SENATE PILI
FAAOPOOPO AI SENATOA
MO MANU'A**

E 9-9 le palota na teena ai e le Senate i le vайасо на te'a nei le pili e toe fa'aopoopo ai nofoa e 2 mo le itumalo o Manu'a i le maota maualuga. O le agaga o le pili e pei ona fa'aulufaleina ai i luma o le Senate, e le o manatu le itumalo o Manu'a e fa'aopoopo ni ona sui fou se to'atolu, ae o loo talosagaina ia toe fa'af'o'i nofoa a le itumalo i le aofaiga e 5 e pei ona i ai le Feagaiga sa osia ma Amerika i tausaga ua mavae.

I le iloiloina o lenei mataupu i luma o le Senate, sa molimauina ai le to'atele o ni isi o Senatoa sa molimauina lo latou le lagolagoina o lenei tulafono.

Na taua e ni isi o Senatoa e fa'apea, afai ua a'e se finagalo o Manu'a e fa'aopoopo a latou nofoa i totolu o le Senate, e tatau fo'i la ona fa'aopoopo nofoa o ni isi o itumalo tetele i le atunu'u.

Na fa'amanino e le afioga i le ali'i senatoa ia Galea'i M. Tuu-fuli i le iloilogia e fa'apea, o le Fono o le Fa'avae lea na suaia ai nofoa o le itumalo o Manu'a, e lei auai Manu'a i le taimi o le fa'aiuga, ae na tula'i ese i latou ona o le le fiafia i le fa'aiuga.

O le talitonuga o Manu'a, o le nu'u e tasi i Manu'a, o le itumalo lava fo'i lea. Talu ai lava e 5 nu'u i Manu'a, lona uiga fo'i e 5 itumalo, e tatau fo'i la ona tofu le itumalo ma le Senatoa.

E le o i ai se fuafuaga a le maota o sui e vave faia sa latou fa'aiuga i lenei mataupu, e pei ona saunoa le afioga Fetui i le taeao ananafi.

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Tele suiga fuafua Ofisa Fesootaiga malo e fa'aleleia i lana tautua

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E tele naua suiga ua fuafua le Ofisa o Fesootaiga a le malo e fa'atinoina i le tausaga tupe fou lenei ua amata, mo le fa'amoemoe e fa'aleleia atili ai lana tautua i totonu o le atunu'u.

O ni isi o ia suiga e aofia ai le taumafai lea ina ia fa'aleleia tulaga o fesootaiga i laina telefoni, ina ia taofia ai le fa'afitaui o le talanoa atu i le isi laina, ae fa'alogo atu fo'i o lo o lagona atu ai ma talanoaga a isi tagata i luga o le laina lava lea e tasi; auala e fa'a taugofie ai tulaga o fesootaiga fa'avaomalo; ma le taumafai lava ina ia siitia auala e fa'alauiloa ai tulaga tau maketi mo le Ofisa o Fesootaiga a le malo.

O se iloiloga sa faia e le Komiti o Fesootaiga a le maota o sui, i lalo o le ta'ita'iga a le afioga i le ali'i faipule ia Vailoata E. Amituana'i, ma le Pulesili fou a le Ofisa o Fesootaiga a le malo ia Puleleiite Tufele Li'amatu Jr i le vайасо na te'a nei, na mafai ai ona fa'afogfa afioga i Faipule i tulaga ua aga'i atu i ai le tautua a lenei Ofisa ttau o le malo.

O le masina o Mati 2018 ua fa'amoemoe e amata aloaia ai se faiga paaga a le Ofisa o Fesootaiga a Amerika Samoa, ma le kamupani telefoni mai Amerika, le TNT. O le agaga o lenei taumafaiga e pei ona ttau e Puleleiite, o le taumafai lea ina ia fa'a faigofie tulaga o fesootaiga mai atunu'u i fafo ma Amerika Samoa, ia taugofie, ae sili atu ia vave ma malu puipuia.

Na fa'afetaia e Manumaua W. Wilson le afioga a Puleleiite i le auauanaga fou a le Ofisa o Fesootaiga, lea ua maitauina le to'atele o le atunu'u latou te fa'aaogaina i le taimi nei, le "e-charge". Saunoa Manumaua e fa'apea, o se auala ua leva na tatau ona fa'atinoina ina ia fesoasoani ai i tupe maua a le Ofisa.

Saunoa Puleleiite e fa'apea, o le "e-charge" o le igoa lea o le tautua a le BlueSky, ae o le "e-top-up" o le igoa sa'o lea o le auauanaga fou a le Ofisa o Fesootaiga, lea ua molimauina le to'atele o le atunu'u ua latou fa'aaogaina i le taimi nei.

Na fa'amanino e le Pulesili e fa'apea, i suesuega ua mafai ona fa'atinoina e le Ofisa, e tusa ma le 190 le aofa'i o faleoloa i le atunu'u sa latou fa'atauina atu pepa telefoni (phone cards) a le ASTCA, ae ina ua fa'aaoga le latou tautua fou o le "e-top-up", e tusa ma le 295 le aofa'i o faleoloa ua mafai ona latou fa'aaogaina lenei tautua, ma ua maitauina fo'i le si'itia o tupe maua a le Ofisa mai lea auauanaga, e fesoasoani ai i le fa'atinoina o lana auauanaga i le atunu'u.

Saunoa atili Puleleiite e fa'apea, i tausaga ua mavae, o se tasi lenei Ofisa a le malo sa tele ina fa'alagolago tasi i ai le malo i tulaga o tupe maua, peita'i o le aga'i mai pea i nai tausaga e lei mamao atu, sa molimauina ai le tulaga pagatia o le itu tau

tupe seiia oo mai lava i le taimi na tofia ai o ia e avea ma Ta'ita'i le tumau.

Ua ia valaoia e fa'apea, ua i ai le vaai mamao a le Pulega, e tapuni tusi a le Ofisa i le masina o Setema ua mavae atu, ua toe fo'i le latou paketi mo le masina lava ia o Setema i le uliuli.

O le fa'aaogaina o ituaiga telefoni e pei ona ta'atele i le atunu'u i le taimi nei, o le isi lea tulaga sa fesiliglia e Manumaua, poo i ai se fuafuaga a le Ofisa e si'itia le tulaga. Saunoa Manumaua e fa'apea, o se tulaga lelei fo'i pe afai e faataugofie e le ASTCA tau o ana telefoni, ona to'atele lea o tagata latou te fa'atauina, ma tele ai a latou tupe maua i le taimi e fa'atau ai e tagata minute mo telefoni.

Saunoa Puleleiite e fa'apea, o se tasi o itu sa ia maitauina ina ua fa'atoa taunu'u atu i le Ofisa, e to'atele o lo o fa'aaogaina le ituaiga Telefoni lea e tatala (Flip-phone). O le fuafuaga lea ua i ai, o lo o fa'amoemoe

e tatau ona oo atu i le tausaga fou, ua le toe fa'aaogaina e le ASTCA le ituaiga telefoni lea, ae o le a fa'aaoga na o le ituaiga telefoni lea e taua o le 'smartphone', e le gata e faigofie o fesootaiga, ae o ituaiga telefoni fo'i ia e tele galuega e mafai ona fa'atinoina ai, e aofia ai le siaki o le imeli, matamata ai ta'avale, pe mafai fo'i ona fa'aaoga o se T.V.

I le tulaga o le auauanaga i lalo o le polokalame e taua o le 'BLAST', ua i ai le fa'amoemoe o le vaiaso lona lua o le masina lenei e amata loa ona fa'aola atu maota ma laoa o aiga ua mae'a ona fesootai ma le polokalame lenei.

O lenei auauanaga e aofia ai le tautua a le Televise faapea ai fesootaiga tau initaneti. O se tasi o fa'afitaui e mafua ai ona telegese fesootaiga tau initaneti i le atunu'u e pei ona saunoa Puleleiite, o le vaivai o le malosi o lo o maua mai i le ueaa o fes-
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[ata: Leua Aiono Frost]


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Komisi tete'e fuala'au fa'asaina i Amerika Samoa

tusia: Leua Aiono Frost

O le taeao o le aso Gafua na aofia potopoto ai le Malo atoa i lana taupulega i le Fale Laumei mo le fa'alauteleina o porokalama a le Komisi e tete'e atu ia fualaau fa'asaina a Amerika Samoa (American Samoa Drug Control Commission), o se komisi sa filifilia e Kovana Lolo Moliga ona o le fitaituga o lo'o a'afia ai le atunu'u ae maise fanau talavou ona o vaiala'au ma fuala'au fa'asaina.

O lea Komisi fa'apitoa, na fa'atulaga ai ina ia ofu le lanu mumu, ma le lipine mumu e fa'ailoa ai ua e sauni e tula'i ma sapaia le fa'amoemoe maualuga, ia tete'e malosi i fuala'au ma vaia'au o'ona i le atunu'u.

“O lo'o ia i tatou lava le tali, e le tau tulia ia saili se tasi e aumai e na te faia mai ni polokalama pe fa'atula'ia Koalisi ina ia latou tima'ia le atunu'u, ua tatou iloa uma lava mea e le tatau ona faia e le aoga fo'i i le soifua o tatou fanau, ae ua le mafai ona tatou faia i ai se gal-

uega?” o le fetalaga lea a Lolo i le fa'atasiga. “E le masani ona sulu atu le Malo i tagata lautele ina ia fesoasoani mai, pe fesiliglia fo'i se fesoasoani a le vasega o Ekalesia uma ua aofia i le atunu'u, peita'i, ona o le fa'afitaui ua iloga ua ogaoga, e tatau ai ona saili le Malo i se fesoasoani mai e fa'amama le avega aua ua faigata ona toe taofia i le taimi nei le fa'aaogaina e le fanau a'oga maualuluga o nei mea fa'asaina, tapa'a, marijuana, aisa, ava o'ona ma le pia. Ua fa'atetele ma ua tatau ai ona tutu fa'atasi una aiga, nu'u ma afioaga, ekalesia ma le malo ia matua faia se suiga i lenei fa'afitaui, a'o le'i to'atele ola o le fanau e maumau ma le aoga.”

I le poloa'iga fa'alaau'itele a le Kovana ua fa'amaite ai lenei komisi, sa fofogaina atoa e le afioga le Kovana Itumalo i le Manu'atele Laolagi Savali. I lea poloa'iga ua augani ai le Kovana ina ia tula'i mai Matua, le afio'aga ma Ekalesia e auau fa'atasi ma le Malo ia a'oa'o ma fa'atonu fanau ia popoto ma ia i ai agava'a e ta'ita'ia ai le tatou malo i le lumana'i. Ua fa'ailoa fo'i, o le vasioatoa lenei ua savalia, o le a fa'alauiola atoatoa i fanau a'oga, amata mai i a'oga tulaga muamua se'ia o'o i a'oga maualuluga uma, e ao ina autova'a mai se'i fa'amalamalama ma tima'ia e le aufaigaluega a le Malo, ia iloa le leaga ma ia le toe ola i se olaga e sa'oloto mai soligatulafono matuia ona o le tagofia o vaila'au ma fuala'au o'ona ma le ulaula tapa'a o'ona.

Na fa'asolo tula'i sui iloga o vaega ta'itasi o tautua a le malo o le a latou fa'atinoa folasaga i le Malae o le Suigaula a le Atuvasa, ma sa mua'i tula'i ai le Sui Fa'atonu o le Matagaluega o le Soifua Maloloina, Farah Malaepule Utu. “O le mau a le soifua maloloina, ia tausia lou soifua Maloloina aua o le tino o le malumalu lea e afio ai le Atua. Aua ne'i fa'aleagaina lea malumalu ona o a'afiaga o le ulaula tapa'a o'ona, inumia o vaila'au o'ona ma le ava malosi, po'o le tagofia fo'i o fuala'au fa'asaina.” O le vaega a le DHSS sa tula'i ai le Fa'atonusili Taeaofua Dr Meki Solomonma ma sa ia fa'ailoa fo'i, le tele o taumafaiga ale latou vaega ina ia taofia le tagofia e fanau talavou e le'i mae'a le pule a Matua i le pia, ava malosi ma Fuala'au fa'asaina. “Ua iloga ona tele

a'afiaga e o'o i mafaufau vaivai o fanau talavou, ona ua vave tagofia nei mea leaga, ma ua a'afia ai latou fa'aiuga faia, ae o lo'o ua fa'aa'e e le Malo lenei tautua lautele, ia toe fa'asosao mai ai latou fa'ailoga ma latou mafaufaua i mea e ao ina faia, ia toe feso'ota'i ma latou aiga.”

O le vaega a le Falema'i i le LBJ i Faga'aluu sa o'o ane ai Dr Annie Fuavai e saunoa ona e le o iinei le afioga Faumuina John Faumuina le pule sili o le falema'i. Lea sa ia fa'ailoa mai ai, “O i matou nei o foma'i, ua ia i matou le agavaa ma le iloa, e matou te iloa ai tiga o lo'o feagai ma le tagata ua i ai gasegase tumau, ma e tatau ona fa'atulaga ni fuala'au malolosi e inumia ina ia mafai ona fa'ate'a le tiga a'o soifua i latou.”

“Peita'i o nei fuala'au o lo'o ua matele ina fa'aaogaina sese e fanau talavou, ma ua fai ma latou fuala'au e lele ai, lea la ua ala ai ona fa'ailoa atu, e tatau ona va'ai toto'a matua i le aofai o latou fuala'au e tala atu ma inumia, a sese ona tu'u i se tamaititi talavou, e ono avea ma mea e a'afia ai lo latou ola.”

O le aso Farale ua fa'atulaga mo le Ofisa ole Puipuiga Fa'alofoifale, ma ua fa'ailoa fo'i e le fa'atonu o lea matagaluega, Ve'ave'a Samana, “Ia asiasi mai, ia iloa lelei mea ua matou sailia, afai o e iloa o i ai i lou fale, e o'o i le taimi matou sofa'ia atu ai ma ave'ese mai, ae afai e leai lava ni fuala'au ma vaila'au fa'asaina i lou maota, e leai fo'i la se aoga o le matou tautua ia te oe.” O le taeao ananafi, na va'aia ai le tele o fale'ie ua maea fa'atutuina i le Malae o Suigaula ma ua fa'aoi ai le anoanoa'i o tautua lautele. E amata mai i le Matagaluega o le Soifua Maloloina se'ia pa'ia le matagaluega o le Saogalemu Fa'alofoifale, ma le Matagaluega o le Puipuiga o le Sao-galemu Lautele, ma le Matagaluega o Alamanua mo Tagata Lautele o le atunu'u.

O tima'iga fo'i tau le gasegase o le Kanesa o Susu, po'o le Kanesa o le Fa'autama mo tama'ita'i ua mae'a fa'atutuina fo'i latou tautua, ae maise o le vaega ua fa'atuina e tama'ita'i Tausima'i a le tatou malo, ina ia siakia ai le toto maualuga ma le ma'i suka pe asiasi atu nisi i le latou fo'i fale'ie. Manatua o nei tautua uma e toe amatalia fo'i i lenei taeao, ma e sili ona fa'avanoa sou taimi ina ia o'o ane mo sou malamalamaga atili i nei a'afiaga e ttau ona iloa, aua o matua lava e tatau ona mua'i iloa ni foliga va'aia o le fa'asua'ava o lau tama, pe o lele fo'i.

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ootaiga o loo i ai.

Afai e 14,000 le aofa'i o aiga o le atunu'u o loo latou fa'aaogaina le tautua o le initaneti i le taimi e tasi, e le aofia ai pisinisi ma ofisa a le malo, faapea ai ma tagata o lo o latou fa'aaogaina telefoni, o iina lea e mafua ai ona telegese fesootaiga, e le taitai lava le malosi o le ueaa o fesootaiga o loo i ai e sapalai mai ai le malosi tau initaneti e moomia mo fesootaiga.

Ina ua fesiliglia le mataupu e fa'atatau i nonogatupe a le ASTCA mai le Teugatupe a le Litaea, na taua ai e Puleleite le i ai o se fuafuaga a le Ofisa, mo le tuuina atu lea o se isi a latou talosaga i le Litaea mo se isi nonogatupe, e fesoasoani ai i le fa'atupeina o ni isi o galuega a le Ofisa o lo o foufou mai i le lumana'i, e aofia ai fesootaiga ma kamupani o lo o tosoina mai uaea o fesootaiga i le Pasefika, e pei o le Tui Samoa Cable mai Samoa, ma le kamupani a le Hawaiki Cable.

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\$\$\$ YARD SALE

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MANA COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICE is now holding support groups for people who suffer from mental illness or any form of disability. Join me every Friday @ 12Noon @ the Alliance office in Nu'uuli. For more info call Liz Mailo @ 272-3257 or 699-0272.

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URGENT HOMES NEEDED FOR ADULT DOGS being trapped at Lyons Park!! Majority of adult dogs trapped are healthy & very friendly but will be humanely euthanized if no one claims them after 48 hours of being held. PLEASE HELP! Call Mona at 258-4116 or 699-9445.

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WHEELCHAIRS Old, Battered or Banged up. Pls donate, in any condition to ASOA so we may be able to help someone in need. Call Marysita 770-1838 or 699-1131

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WOMENS HOSPITAL AUXILIARY NEEDS VOLUNTEERS of all ages to help in the Fale. Support your hospital, donate your free time by calling 633-1222 Ext. 199. All proceeds from Fale sales donated to purchase equipment for LBJ.[til]

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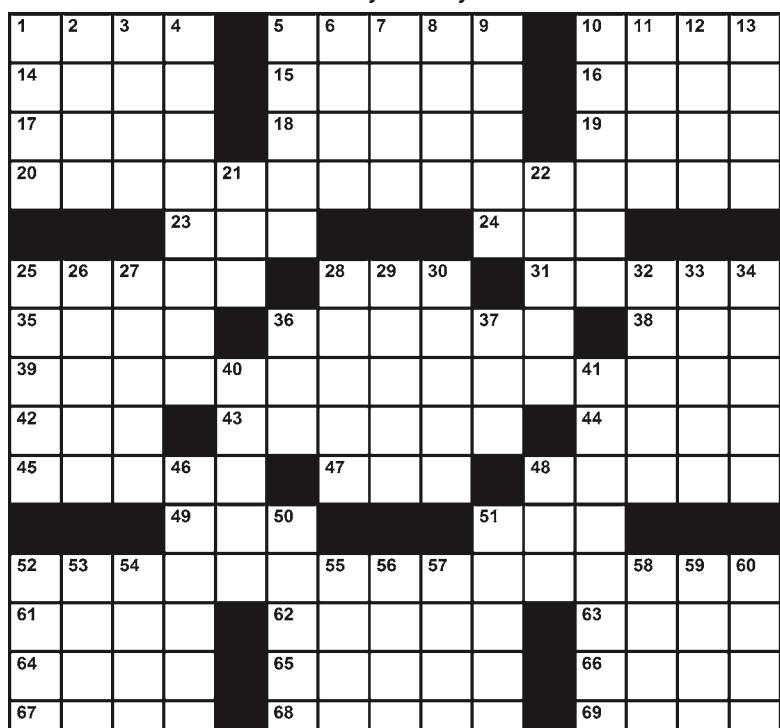
especially on the weekends when you miss us the most

Universal Crossword

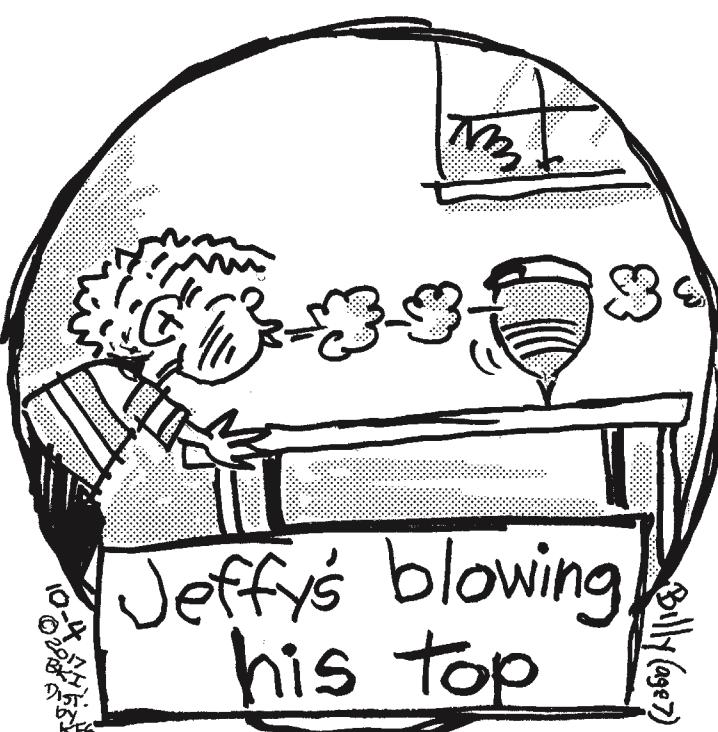
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ACROSS

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- 5 Beach, in Baja
- 10 Prefix with "physics"
- 14 O'Hara's fictional home
- 15 Bus fare payer
- 16 Molecule part
- 17 Seed cover
- 18 Speechify
- 19 Naked
- 20 One reason to see a chiropractor
- 23 Whichever
- 24 Ventilate
- 25 Feline defenses
- 28 Mothers, informally
- 31 Fertile place in the desert
- 35 Opera set in Egypt
- 36 Descend down a mountain, in a way
- 38 Geneva-to-Lucerne dir.
- 39 Avoid choosing sides
- 42 Yank
- 43 Glossy fabrics
- 44 Smell bad
- 45 Hex
- 47 Extremist's suffix
- 48 Sweet pastries
- 49 Cartoon shriek
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MOVE IT! By Timothy E. Parker**THE FAMILY CIRCUS**

By Bil Keane



Little Billy keeps his pun in hand and draws up another cartoon.

EUGENIA LAST

Wednesday,
October 4,
2017
THE LAST WORD IN
ASTROLOGY



Happy Birthday: Consider the best way to make improvements to how you live. Happiness will require honesty and the willingness to discuss what you want to pursue. Planning your actions and showing responsibility and integrity will help you sway others to see things your way and help your cause. Impulsive actions will be met with opposition. Choose your words and your actions carefully. Your numbers are 8, 11, 19, 25, 31, 36, 43.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Check out your professional options and consider what suits you best. Choosing to focus on doing something that you find satisfying will make a difference to your emotional, physical and mental health. Use intelligence and common sense to guide you. 3 stars

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Channel your energy into something you enjoy. A creative project that requires stamina and physical strength will help you explore your skills and talents. Enjoying a fun activity with someone you love is encouraged. ***

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Lend a helping hand, volunteer your services and keep doing what you do best. The less time spent worrying about situations you cannot change, the better. Get out with friends, do something with youngsters and enjoy the moment. ***

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Take a step back to reevaluate your situation. Don't confront anyone if you don't have enough information or evidence. Caution and moderate gestures will help you avoid mistakes and loss. **

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Mixing business with pleasure will backfire. Emotional issues will surface that could put you in a precarious position regarding both your home and your professional life. Travel and communication will result in delays and confusion. ***

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Expect someone to lean on you. Be ready to offer suggestions, but don't take on someone else's burden. Focus on your life and the personal growth you want to achieve in order to raise your standard of living. Romance is highlighted. ***

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Keep personal information and passwords secret. Listen carefully, but don't share information. Expect to face emotional manipulation when dealing with authority figures, colleagues or listening to a sales pitch. Get the facts and make your own decisions. ***

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Don't settle for anything less than what you want. Work hard, play hard and do your best to encourage others. Collaborating with people who share your vision will bring you closer to your goals. Love will enhance your life. ***

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Think matters through before you make a decision or take action. Preparation and knowing exactly what you want to see transpire will help you choose the best route possible to get where you want to go. **

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Keep the love flowing. You'll get much farther using kindness than you will if you are pushy or make demands. Love and romance are highlighted and will make a difference to a relationship that's important to you. ***

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Don't focus on an emotional incident that you cannot change. Let go of the past and plunge into the future with renewed optimism and a good handle on what you want to accomplish and the best way to move forward. ***

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Channel your emotional energy into building a strong relationship with someone you work with. Whether trying to get ahead professionally or personally, taking care of small but important details will be the difference between success and failure. ***



Dear Abby

by Abigail Van Buren

WIFE OPPOSES HUSBAND'S PLAN TO DONATE SPERM TO A FRIEND

DEAR ABBY: Two years ago, I married a kind, hard-working man I'll call Travis. These two years have been the best of my life, and I couldn't imagine a better husband. However, I just got some news I feel is threatening our marriage. Travis' friend from childhood, "Bethany," wants to start a family with her wife. Travis informed me that he agreed to donate his sperm to Bethany so she can become pregnant. I feel betrayed. My husband will be starting a family with his friend before we have kids! I know it may seem irrational, but I feel like he's cheating on me. When I told him how I felt, he said I was being selfish and it was his decision. He also said it wouldn't matter because he isn't going to help raise the child. Does Travis really have the right to donate his sperm without my consent? If so, how do I suppress my anger toward him and Bethany? -- FUMING IN THE MIDWEST

DEAR FUMING: You are asking some intelligent questions, but ones that should be answered by an attorney. Your husband may be the nicest, most generous man on the planet, but there are contingencies that need to be taken into consideration before Bethany becomes pregnant. Please suppress your anger long enough to convince Travis that he shouldn't rush into this agreement without legal counsel. He may thank you for it later.

DEAR ABBY: Traditionally, husbands-to-be ask the fiancee's father for permission to marry her. Why do we never hear about the bride-to-be asking the husband's mother for her permission?

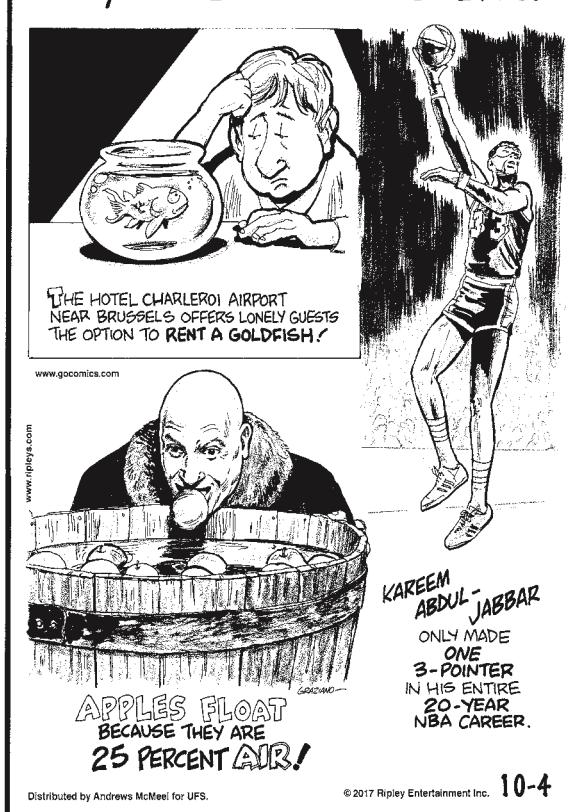
My husband asked my dad before proposing to me. I think it was a nice gesture, and Dad was delighted for him to be included into our family. Had I asked my MIL for permission to marry her son, I would have known right away she was opposed to it.

Now, three rocky years later, she's still accusing me of taking her son away from her. She tells him if he ever wants to leave me, he's more than welcome to come back home to Mommy. (His three other siblings still live there.)

Had I asked, I would have known up front that she hated me (not because of who I am, but because she didn't want her oldest to ever leave). Would I still have married him? I think I would have, but I would have been prepared for the treacherous days ahead. -- UNPREPARED FOR THE TREACHERY

DEAR UNPREPARED: You have my sympathy. When mothers-in-law from heaven were handed out, it appears you were assigned someone from as far south as one can get. She may be the reason that verse in the Bible about leaving and cleaving was included. Your situation illustrates why it's important for women -- and men -- to get to know the family of their intended before taking that trip to the altar.

P.S. Traditionally, women were considered to be the property of their fathers, which is why permission needed to be granted before they were "given" in marriage. The same was not true of sons.

Ripley's Believe It or Not!**Calvin & Hobbes**

by Bill Watterson

PEANUTS

by Charles M. Schultz

ZIGGY**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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10/4 DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★★★

Tuesday's Puzzle Answer

10/3

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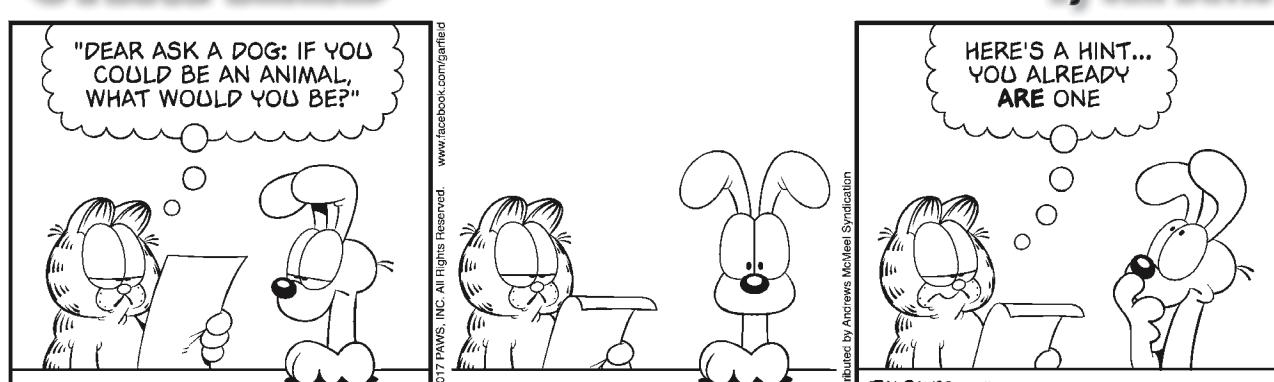
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Hagar the Horrible

by Chris Brown

**GARFIELD**

by Jim Davis





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POLOA'IGA FA'ALAUUA'ITELE

**FA'ALAUUILOAINA ALOA'IA O LE TOFA MAMAO A LE TERITORI MO LE PUPIUGA MA
LE TAOFIA O LE FA'AAOGAINA O FUAL'AU, MA VAIL'AU FA'ASAINA, FA'ATASI AI MA
TOGAFITIGA MO LE OLA FA'AFOUINA**

TALUAI, o le fa'aogaina o fual'aau ma vail'aau fa'asaina i le Teritori o Amerika Samoa ua o se fa'amata'u ogaoga i le lumana'i o a tatou fanau, ma o tatou tagata ma le atunu'u atoa; ma

TALUAI, o le pasene o tamaiti ua fa'amauna ua fa'aogaina fual'aau fa'asaina mo le ulua'i taimi ae le'i aulia le 13 tausaga ua alu i luga i le 9 pasene i le 2015 mai le 4.7 pasene i le 1993; ma

Taluai, o le pasene o tamaiti ua fa'amauna ua fa'aogaina le 'aisa ua alu i luga i le 11.2 pasene i le 2015 mai le 5.7 pasene i le 2007; ma

TALUAI, o le pasene o tamaiti ua fa'amauna ua latou fa'aogaina so'o se ituaiga o 'aisa ua alu i luga i le 11.2 pasene i le 2015 mai le 3.9 pasene i le 1993; ma

TALUAI, mai le 100 o tamaiti e 33 o i latou ua latou fa'ailoa na ofoina atu pe fa'atau atu fo'i ia i latou fual'aau fa'asaina i totonu o aoga; ma

TALUAI, o le to'atele o tatou fanau ma tagata lautele, ua lamatia lo latou soifua maloloina ma lo latou lumana'i ona o le fa'aogaina o vail'aau ma fual'aau fa'asaina; ma

TALUAI, o le afaina e afua mai i le fa'aogaina o vail'aau ma fual'aau fa'asaina o lo'o molimauina i le aga'i pea i luga o le numela o soligatulafono ma le aliae'o isi mau fa'afitaui; ma

TALUAI, o ma'a tui ma ma'a gao ma ma'a fa'alavea 'ao o fa'afitaui fa'aletagata e fa'aumatia ai se tagata o se aiga, os e fa'apotopotoga, ma e ono fai ma ala e ma'imau ai se galuega, fa'alavelaveina ai le aoga, ma ono afaina ai le tulaga maualuga o taumafaiga a le Teritor; ma

TALUAI, o lo'o aliali pea i aso uma fa'ailogia lelei e fa'amaonia ai e mafai ona toe atina'e ma avea ma tagata fou so'o se tasi ua maua i aafiaga o vail'aau ma fual'aau fa'asaina; ma

TALUAI, i le taimi lava e tasi, e to'atele o lo'o tauivi ma o lo'o i le tulaga mana'omia se fesoasoani mai lenei gasegase o le fa'ananaau i vail'aau ma fual'aau fa'asaina; ma

TALUAI, afai o le a le maua se fa'aolataga mo totino o tatou aiga, po o se uo, po o se tuaoi, o lona uiga, ua aliali ai le vaivai o tatou Aiga, o tatou Nu'u, o Ekalesia, o lo tatou Malo ma le atunu'u; ma

TALUAI, o la tatou matafaioi fai fa'atasi le fesoasoani atu i ua aafia e saili fesoasoani e fa'asaoina ai le ola, pe a mana'omia, ma tima'i fa'amalosi e aga'i i tautua ua saunia e fa'asavali taualumaga o le ola fou; ma

TALUAI, o le fa'aaogai a o fual'aau fa'asaina o se gasegase o le mafaufau, ma o le tele o mafaufauga sese e afua mai i lenei gasegase, o le a matua taofia ai se tasi ua aafia e saili atu mo se fofou mana'omia; ma

TALUAI, o le togafitua ma le puipuiga o e ua aafia i fual'aau fa'asaina e pei ona togafitua isi fo'i gasegase tuga fa'apea, fa'atasi ai ma le tu'u o le fa'amamafa i lona puiupiga ma le togafitiga, e ono fa'asaoina ai se tagata; ma

TALUAI, e matua taua le lagolago a aiga, o se fesoasoani tele lea i a tatou taumafaiga e taofia le sasao o lenei fa'a'ma'i ma o aiga fo'i o se isi fasitepu e aga'i atu ai i le fa'asaoina; ma

TALUAI, e le fa'ailogaina e lenei gasegase matua se tagata, po o tausaga, po o se ituaiga, po o se Ekalesia, po o se tulaga maualuga, po o le tamaoaiga, ae o le mea ua mautinoa e tatau ona tu'u le fa'amamafa i le atina'eina o ala tatau e taofia ai lona salalau atu; ma

TALUAI, ua tatou fa'alauiloaina nei ala uma tau soifua maloloina ua fa'amaonia o lo'o fa'a'autu i le taofia o le fa'aogaina o ia fual'aau, aemaise le vave ona iloa, ina ia vave fo'i ona togafitua, ma fesoasoani i le toe afua o se ola fou; ma

TALUAI, i le tali atu i le fa'atupula'i pe a o le fa'afitaui o le fa'aoga le tatau o fual'aau, e tatau ona tatou saili fofo e fesoasoani ai e fa'aitiitua le fa'aogaina le tatau o fual'aau, e pei o polokalama ua fa'amaonia mo le puipuia, ma le fuafuina o le toe fa'afo'i o fual'aau ua tuisa fa'apitoa, ma se togafitiga mo e ua aafia, ma le fa'aogaina o le fual'aau ua fa'apitoa mo le tete'e atu i lea lava fa'afitaui; ma

TALUAI, ua fa'iloa le moni o la tatou ta'utinoga i le inivesiina o le miliona tala e lagolago ai i polokalama mo le fa'amutaina ma le puipuiga, atoa ai ma le toe fa'afo'isia o le malosi ma le fa'atumauina o le soifua ma'emae'ia i latou ua aafia i lenei gasegase; ma

TALUAI, o le fa'aaogaina le tatau o vail'aau ma fual'aau fa'asaina o se fa'alavelave tele i o tatou aiga, o aoga ma nu'u ma ua fa'atupula'a ai le alualu i luma o taumafaiga a le tupulaga i le atunu'u, fa'aleaga ai mafutaga ma ua fai ma ma'a fa'alavea 'ao i tulaga tau a'o'aoga; ma

Taluai, e faiatua selau le tupulaga e fa'ata'i ona tagofia fual'aau mo le taimi muamua, ma o le to'atele o lenei fa'aiuga le fetaui o le a matua tele sona a'afiaga leaga i lo latou soifua maloloina fa'apea fo'i le aoga i luma; ma

Taluai, o le taofia o le fa'aaogaina o fual'aau ma vail'aau fa'asaina ae le'i tagofia o se pito i sili lea ona malosi e taofia ai to'atuga e afua mai i le tagofia o fual'aau ma le so'ona fa'aaogaina o le 'ava 'o'ona; ma

TALUAI, o le fa'aaogaina le tatau o fual'aau e aafia uma ai tagata, ae mafai ona tatou galulue fa'atasi e fesoasoani atu i tupulaga fai mai, ina ia latou faia fa'aiuga, e lagolago ai le soifua lelei, o le tino, le mafaufau, le amio, ma fa'alogona; ma

TALUAI, o matua, o faiaoga ma tagata nu'u e mafai ona taulamua i le fa'atupuina o se ola maloloina, ma ia talatalanoa i tamaiti i le ogaoga ma le mata'utia o fual'aau ma 'ava 'o'ona, avea lena o se sao taua i le taumafaiga fai fa'atasi a si o tatou Atunu'u i le taofofia o le fa'aaogaina o fual'aau ma vail'aau fa'asaina.

Ma o le ala lea, o a'u o LOLO MATALASI MOLIGA, Kovana o Amerika Samoa, ua ou fa'alauiloa le Masinao Oketopa 2017 e amata ai le taumafaiga fai fa'atasi a le Teritori ua fa'asaga tonu i le taofia, puipuia ma fa'atonutonu i le fa'aaogaina le tatau o fual'aau ma vail'aau fa'asaina, lea o le fa'afoeina ma pulea e le American Samoa Drug Control Commission ma ona totino e aofia ai Ta'ita'i o Ekalesia, Ta'ita'i o le Malo, Ta'ita'i o le Atunu'u, o pisinisi ma Fa'alapopotogoa ma i latou uma e aafia.

Ou te vala'au atu ma le fa'aaloalo tele i tagata nu'u uma o Amerika Samoa ina ia 'auai i polokalama ma fuafuaga uma e tapena e le American Samoa Drug Control Commission e u'una'ia ai lenei tauamafaiga fai fa'atasi e puipuia ai mai a'afiaga o le tagofia o fual'aau ma vail'aau fa'asaina i totonu o le atunu'u.

Fa'amaonia i le tu'uina o la'u saini i le aso luasefulu fitu o Setema, i le tausaga o lo tatou Ali'i e lua afe sefulu fitu, e aloa'ia ai ma fa'atula'i ai taumafaiga uma e tete'e atu ai i le gasegase e ono aafia ai so'o se tagata ma faoa ai le lumana'i manuia o a tatou fanau, ma fa'aitiitua ai le malosi'aga o lo tatou Teritor.

Lolo M. Moliga

LOLO MATALASI MOLIGA
Governor of the Territory of American Samoa

Launch Week Schedule

- **Sunday, October 1, 2017** - Open call to all faiths/ denominations to use their worship services scheduled for this day to promote a single message of protecting our families from the dangers of using alcohol, tobacco & other drugs.
- **Monday, October 2, 2017** - Official Launch of American Samoa's Drug Control (ASDC) Plan at Rex Lee Auditorium in Utulei
- **Tuesday, October 3, 2017** - **Theme 1:** Prevent Youth Tobacco Use
- **Wednesday, October 4, 2017** - **Theme 2:** Prevent Underage Drinking & Alcohol Misuse
- **Thursday, October 5, 2017** - **Theme 3:** Prevent Prescription & Opioid Drug Misuse
- **Friday, October 6, 2017** - **Theme 4:** Prevent Illicit Drug Use & Youth Marijuana Use