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EGYPT

ABD EL-FATTAH RELEASED FROM PRISON AFTER PRESIDENTIAL PARDON

Pro-democracy Egyptian-British activist Alaa Abd el-Fattah was pardoned and released Monday after nearly 12 years in prison.

"An exceptionally kind day. Alaa is free," his sister Mona Seif wrote on social media site X along with a picture of her brother smiling with his mother Laila Soueif and sister Sanaa Seif.

Sanaa Seif posted on Facebook that her brother arrived at home while they were waiting with for him at Wadi Natron Prison outside Cairo.

Abd el-Fattah and five other prisoners had been pardoned after the National Council for Human Rights acted on behalf of their families and urged President Abdel-Fattah el-Sissi to consider their situations on humanitarian grounds.

He was arrested 2014 for participating in an unauthorized protest and allegedly assaulting a police officer and briefly released in 2019 before he was detained again later that year during a security crackdown on anti-government protests in Egypt.

DENMARK

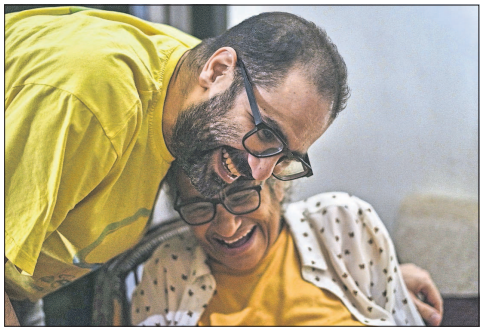
RUSSIA SUSPECTED IN DRONE FLYOVER ABOVE COPENHAGEN AIRPORT

Several unidentified drones shut down airspace over Copenhagen Airport on Monday night, prompting concerns that Russia could be behind the flyover above Scandinavia's largest airport.

There was no indication that the operators of two to three drones intended to cause harm to anyone, police said, and the drones disappeared after several hours. The incident caused a major disruption to air traffic in and out of the airport.

While it wasn't immediately clear who was behind the flyover, Denmark's prime minister and NATO's secretary-general said that Russian involvement couldn't be ruled out. And now Denmark — already on edge because of its proximity to Russia — will join a group of frontline countries Friday to discuss the European Union's plans for a "drone wall."

Danish Prime Minister Mette Frederiksen called it "the most serious attack on Danish critical infrastructure to date."



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Pro-democracy activist Alaa Abd el-Fattah, who was in prison for almost all of the past 12 years, hugs his mother Laila Soueif, as he arrives at his home Tuesday after a presidential pardon in Cairo, Egypt.

IRAN

IRAN REJECTS DIRECT TALKS WITH U.S. OVER NUCLEAR PROGRAM

Iran's supreme leader on Tuesday rejected direct negotiations with the United States over his country's nuclear program, likely slamming the door shut on a last-ditch effort to halt the reimposition of United Nations sanctions on Tehran.

Ayatollah Ali Khamenei's remarks, aired on Iranian state television, likely constrain any possible outreach to the U.S. by Iranian President Masoud Pezeshkian, who is in New York for the U.N. General Assembly.

Talks with the U.S. represent "a sheer dead end," Khamenei said.

"The U.S. has announced result of the talks in advance," he added. "The result is the closure of nuclear activities and enrichment. This is not a negotiation. It is a diktat, an imposition."

Germany's Foreign Minister Johann Wadephul already described the chance of reaching an agreement with Iran "extremely slim" even before Khamenei's comments, the German news agency dpa reported.

"Iran has been disregarding its obligations under the Vienna Nuclear Agreement for years," Wadephul was reported as saying, referring to the nuclear deal that was concluded between Iran and world powers in Vienna in 2015 and aimed at preventing Iran from developing nuclear weapons.

FLORIDA

160,000 APPLY FOR FLORIDA'S FIRST BEAR HUNT IN A DECADE

Florida's first bear hunt in a decade drew more than 160,000 applicants for a far more limited number of permits, including from opponents who are trying to reduce the number of bears killed.

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission will award 172 bear hunt permits by random lottery for the December hunt, down slightly from the 187 permits initially proposed. The permit allows a hunter to kill one bear in areas where the bear population is deemed large enough.

Florida has an estimated 4,000 black bears, wildlife officials say.

FWC spokeswoman Shannon Knowles said in an email Tuesday that the agency received 163,459 applications.

The 2015 hunt resulted in more than 300 bears killed in two days.

"We will collect and evaluate data that will be used to shape future hunts, such as the number of unused permits and hunter success," Knowles said.

ISRAEL

ISRAEL DESTROYS EVACUATED HEALTH CENTER IN GAZA CITY

A Palestinian medical charity said Tuesday that Israel destroyed its main center in Gaza City after ordering its evacuation.

The Palestinian Medical Relief Society said an Israeli strike reduced its six-story building in the central Samer area to rubble. It said the center was one of the main facilities in the city providing blood donation and testing services, trauma care, cancer medicine and chronic disease treatment.

There was no immediate comment from the military.

TENNESSEE

WOMAN SENTENCED FOR TRYING TO SELL OFF ELVIS PRESLEY'S GRACELAND

A Missouri woman was sentenced Tuesday to more than four years in federal prison for scheming to defraud Elvis Presley's family by trying to auction off his Graceland home and property before a judge halted the brazen foreclosure sale.

U.S. District Judge John T. Fowlkes Jr. sentenced Lisa Jeanine Findley in federal court in Memphis to four years and nine months behind bars, plus an additional three years of probation. Findley, 54, declined to speak on her own behalf during the hearing.

Findley pleaded guilty in February to a charge of mail fraud related to the scheme. She also had been indicted on a charge of aggravated identity theft, but that charge was dropped as part of a plea agreement.

— Daily News wire reports

FYI

Delaney Gardner via Associated Press

A moose trapped in an abandoned well is rescued by wardens from the Maine Department of Inland Fisheries & Wildlife in Pembroke, Maine.

Maine wardens rescue moose trapped for hours in abandoned well

PEMBROKE, Maine — A bull moose that fell into an abandoned well in northern Maine was pulled to safety during an elaborate five-hour rescue.

The operation happened Sept. 17 after Cole Brown, whose family owned the forested land, spotted a pair of antlers. He heard a noise and initially thought it was turkeys but, upon, closer inspect, realized it was something a lot bigger.

"He walks over and, through the thick alders and bushes, he saw the antlers, just the antlers peeking out," said Delaney Gardner, Brown's stepsister who videotaped the rescue. "He knew that an animal of the size, he was going to need some back up just in case it was, you know, injured or just stuck there."

The family alerted the Maine Department of Inland Fisheries & Wildlife. They sent a biologist who sedated the moose and then wardens put straps on the animal. Using an excavator provided by the family, they gingerly lifted the moose out of the 9-foot deep well.

"Once the sedation wore off, the moose took off running, no worse for wear other than perhaps his bruised ego," the agency said on its Facebook page.

Gardner said the successful rescue left her with a mix of "relief and happiness."

Gardner said the family didn't know the well — which is likely decades old — was on their 100 acres of land until the moose fell into it. Since then, they have capped the well and are considering their options, including digging it out and utilizing it since it there may a water source nearby.

"For now it's covered and no more animals or people will be falling into it," she said.

— Associated Press

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UKRAINE

them look like 'a paper tiger:'"

In his speech to the General Assembly, Trump said the war in Ukraine was making Russia "look bad" because it was "supposed to be a quick little skirmish."

"It shows you what leadership is, what bad leadership can do to a country," he said. "The only question now is how many lives will be needlessly lost on both sides."

Before meeting with Zelenskyy, Trump said the "biggest progress" toward ending the conflict "is that the Russian economy is terrible right now." Zelenskyy said he agreed with Trump's call for European nations to further halt imports of Russian oil and natural gas.

"We have great respect for the fight that Ukraine is putting up," Trump told Zelenskyy, who replied that he had "good news" from the battlefield.

Trump's stance has shifted

Before his Alaska summit with Putin last month, Trump repeated that any resolution to the war would require "some land swapping."

In talks with Zelenskyy and Europeans afterward, Trump said Putin reiterated that he wants the Donetsk and Luhansk regions that make up the Donbas, according to European officials. Days later, Zelenskyy and prominent European leaders came to the White House.

Following those meetings, Trump announced he was arranging for direct talks between Putin and Zelenskyy. But Putin hasn't shown any interest in meeting with Zelenskyy and Moscow has only intensified its bombardment of Ukraine.

European leaders as well as American lawmakers, including some Republican allies of Trump, have urged the president to dial up stronger sanctions on Russia.

"In the event that Russia is not ready to make a deal to end the war, then the United States is fully prepared to impose a very strong round of powerful tariffs, which would stop the bloodshed, I believe, very quickly," Trump told the General Assembly.

Push for sanctions

European Commission President Ursula von der Leyen said before meeting with Trump that Europe would be imposing more sanctions and tariffs on Russia and that the bloc would be further reducing its imports of Russian energy.

Zelenskyy, speaking at a special U.N. Security Council session on Ukraine, also appealed for stronger U.S. pressure on Russia.

"Moscow fears America and always pays attention to it," said Zelenskyy, who has had strained ties with Trump in previous sitdowns and has previously faced White House accusations that he was partly to blame for Russia's invasion in 2022.

Russia denigrated the Security Council meeting as just the New York stop in the world tour of a "former actor;" a reference to Zelenskyy.

"There is no added value for the establishment of peace in Ukraine generated from today's meeting," said Dmitry Polyanskiy, Russia's deputy ambassador to the U.N. "This will merely become yet another shameful episode in the market of hypocrisy."

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TYLENOL

customers to switch to alternatives. But the maker of Tylenol, Kenvue Inc., is refuting Trump's challenge, and analysts think loyalty to a product that has been on the market since the 1950s may ultimately limit damage.

Acetaminophen, the active ingredient in Tylenol, has long been one of the most popular pain relievers and fever reducers in the U.S., used by upwards of 100 million Americans annually.

Tylenol had been made by Johnson & Johnson for years before the health care giant spun its consumer products division into a separate company called Kenvue in 2023 because it was thought that the companies could function more efficiently if they were independent from each other.

Kenvue, which has already struggled this year with disappointing financial results and a CEO switch, has said it faces litigation in federal court over the autism claims. It noted in an annual filing earlier this year that many of those claims have been dismissed but are being appealed.

Citi Investment Research analyst Filippo Falorni wrote that he sees a limited risk of new lawsuits after the dismissal of the previous claims. But he thinks "there could be risk to Tylenol consumption given the negative headlines."

Ultimately, Morningstar analyst Keonhee Kim said he doesn't expect a lasting sales impact on the brand.

"I think consumer loyalty and brand trust in the consumer health care space is usually stronger compared to some other, traditional (consumer products) categories," he said.

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GUTERRES

Trump reiterated that the U.N. has "tremendous, tremendous potential" but now delivers "empty words – and empty words don't solve war."

But his tone shifted at a meeting with Guterres soon after. "Our country is behind the United Nations 100%," Trump told the U.N. chief. "I may disagree with it sometimes, but I am so behind it because the potential for peace at this institution is great."

Guterres told the General Assembly that the first obligation of world leaders is to choose peace, and without naming any countries, he urged all parties — including those in the Assembly chamber — to stop supporting Sudan's warring parties.

He also didn't name Israel but used his strongest words against its actions in Gaza, saying the scale of death and destruction are the worst in his nearly nine years as secretary-general, and that "nothing can justify the collective punishment of the Palestinian people."

While Guterres has repeatedly said only a court can determine whether Israel has committed genocide in Gaza, he referred to the case South Africa brought to the U.N.'s highest court under the genocide convention by name — and stressed its legally binding provisional measures, first and foremost to protect Palestinian civilians.

Since the International Court of Justice issued that ruling in January 2024, Guterres said, killings have intensified, and famine has been declared in parts of Gaza. He said the court's measures "must be implemented — fully and immediately."

The U.N. also is facing financial cuts as the U.S. and some other nations pulled back funding or have yet to pay their dues. Guterres said aid cuts are "wreaking havoc," calling them "a death sentence for many."

With global support for a Palestinian state growing, Israel's devastating war in Gaza is taking center stage. But humanity's myriad conflicts, rising poverty and heating planet will also be in the spotlight.

Turkey's President Recep Tayyip Erdo an began his speech voicing regret at the absence of Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas, who was denied a visa by the United States.

He said he was standing at the assembly podium "for our Palestinian brothers and sisters whose voices are being silenced" while recognition of the state of Palestine is increasing is increasing. He thanked all countries that have done so and called on those that haven't to do so "as soon as possible."

Indonesia's President Prabowo Subianto also gave strong support to the Palestinians and warned the assembly that "Human folly, fueled by fear, racism, hatred, oppression and apartheid threatens our common future."

360 Boniface LLC is making application for a new Beer & Wine License Type AS 04.09.210 liquor license doing business as Arctic Smokehouse BBQ located at 360 Boniface Pkwy Unit B12, Anchorage AK 99504. Interested persons should submit written comment to their local governing body, the applicant, and to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board at 550 West 7th Ave. Suite 1600 Anchorage AK 99501 or alcohol.licensing@alaska.gov.

Dave & Buster's of Alaska, Inc. dba Dave & Buster's located at 800 E Dimond Blvd, Suite 220, Anchorage, AK, 99515 is applying for transfer of a Beverage Dispensary License (BDL) AS 04.09.200 liquor license. The change in ownership involves the ownership interest transfer from Dave & Buster's of Alaska, Inc., 100% interest to Dave & Buster's of Alaska, LLC, 100% interest. Interested persons should submit written comment to their local governing body, the applicant, and to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board at 550 West 7th Ave. Suite 1600 Anchorage AK 99501 or alcohol.licensing@alaska.gov.

MP2 Alaska, LLC is making application for a new Restaurant Eating Place AS 04.09.210 liquor license doing business as Pizza Hut of ANC Airport, located at 5000 W. International Airport Rd., South Terminal #C2536, Anchorage, AK 99502. Interested persons should submit written comment to their local governing body, the applicant, and to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board at 550 West 7th Ave. Suite 1600 Anchorage AK 99501 or **alcohol.licensing@alaska.gov.**

Alaska Joint Ventures, LLC, doing business as Voodoo Cannabis Company, located 7801 Schoon Street, Unit D, J, H & K, Anchorage, AK 99518, is applying under 3 AAC 306.045 for transfer of a Standard Marijuana Cultivation Facility (3 AAC 306.400(a)(1)), license #11920 to Denali Fire Black LLC DBA Voodoo Cannabis Company.

Interested persons may object to the application by submitting a written statement of reasons for the objection to their local government, the applicant, and the Alcohol & Marijuana Control Office (AMCO) not later than 30 days after the director has determined the application to be complete and has given written notice to the local government. Once an application is determined to be complete, the objection deadline and a copy of the application will be posted on AMCO's website at https://www.ommerce.alaska.gov/web/amco. Objections should be sent to AMCO at marijuana.licensing@alaska.gov or to 550 W 7th Ave, Suite 1600, Anchorage, AK 99501 and Attorney Jana Weltzin, Esq at jana@ljwcounsel.com or to 901 Photo Avenue, Second Floor, Anchorage, Alaska 99503.

Alaska Joint Ventures, LLC, doing business as AK Joint, located 7801 Schoon Street, Unit F, Anchorage, AK 99518, is applying under 3 AAC 306.045 for transfer of a Retail Marijuana Store (3 AAC 306.300), license #11614 to Denali Fire Green LLC DBA AK Joint.

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Alaska Joint Ventures, LLC, doing business as Voodoo Cannabis Company, located 930 Gambell Street, Anchorage, AK 99501, is applying under 3 AAC 306.045 for transfer of a Retail Marijuana Store (3 AAC 306.300), license #25309 to Denali Fire Green LLC DBA Voodoo Cannabis Company.

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VIETNAM

TYPHOON BUALOI DEATH TOLL RISES TO 26, WITH MANY STILL MISSING

The search continued on Tuesday for 22 people still missing people following Typhoon Bualoi that caused flooding and landslides in Vietnam and has killed at least 26.

Eight fishermen are among those unaccounted for, as well as four members of the same family — a father, a mother and two children — in Tuyen Quang province who were buried when a landslide struck their house, state media said.

Rainfall topped nearly a foot in parts of Vietnam, including the capital, Hanoi, over the past 24 hours, the national weather agency said Tuesday. It warned that heavy downpours would continue.

The prolonged rain triggered flash floods and landslides that cut off roads and isolated communities from the northern mountains of Son La and Lao Cai provinces to central Nghe An province.

VIET HOANG / VNExpress via Associated Press

Houses are damaged on Tuesday in the aftermath of typhoon Bualoi in Thanh Hoa, Vietnam.

CONGO

CONGO MILITARY COURT SENTENCES FORMER PRESIDENT TO DEATH

A high military court in Congo convicted former President Joseph Kabila of treason Tuesday for his alleged collaboration with anti-government rebels and sentenced him to death.

It was not immediately clear how the sentence could be carried out because the whereabouts of Kabila, who has been on trial in absentia since July, have been unknown since he last was seen in public in a rebel-held city earlier this year.

The court in Kinshasa ordered his immediate arrest.

The government said Kabila collaborated with Rwanda and the Rwanda-backed rebel group M23, which seized key cities in a lightning assault in January in Congo's mineral-rich east. Kabila has denied the allegations.

The high military court in Kinshasa ruled Tuesday that Kabila was guilty of treason, war crimes, conspiracy and organizing an insurrection with the M23. It also ordered Kabila to pay $29 billion in damages to Congo, as well as $2 billion to the province of North Kivu and $2 billion to South Kivu.

FLORIDA

FAMILY QUESTIONS UNIVERSAL'S RESPONSE TO ROLLER COASTER DEATH

Multiple people have reached out with related stories to the family of a 32-year-old man who died of blunt force injuries two weeks ago while riding the new Stardust Racers roller coaster at Universal's Epic Universe theme park, the attorney for the man's family said Tuesday.

People who've contacted the family and Ben Crump's law office since Kevin Rodriguez Zavala died Sept. 17 while riding the roller coaster include a woman who says she lost consciousness and suffered neck and spine injuries soon after the ride opened in May, Crump said during a news conference in Orlando.

The woman reached out to Zavala's family on a GoFundMe page and told them about the experience she had on the roller coaster.

"All we want is answers regarding my son's death," Zavala's mother, Ana Zavala, said through an interpreter at Tuesday's news conference. "We want these answers so we can be able to honor him. We want these answers so we can have some peace. It is extremely difficult losing a son and we do not wish this pain on anyone."

The dual-launch coaster reaches speeds up to 62 mph and debuted officially in May when Universal Orlando Resort's newest theme park opened to the public.

A spokeswoman for Universal didn't immediately respond to an inquiry on Tuesday.

TEXAS

MEXICAN MAN IS 2ND VICTIM TO DIE AFTER SHOOTING AT ICE FACILITY

A Mexican man who was among three people shot at a Dallas immigration field office last week has died, becoming the second person killed in the attack, his family said Tuesday.

The family of Miguel Ángel García-Hernández, 32, said he died after being removed from life support, according to a statement provided through the League of United Latin American Citizens, a civil rights organization.

Authorities have said the gunman in the Sept. 24 attack, Joshua Jahn, 29, fired indiscriminately from a nearby roof onto the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement facility and a van holding detainees in a gated area. Authorities have said Jahn hated the U.S. government and wanted to incite terror by killing federal agents.

No ICE personnel were hurt in the shooting, and Jahn fatally shot himself following the assault.

NEW JERSEY

DOJ FILES CIVIL RIGHTS LAWSUIT AGAINST SYNAGOGUE PROTESTERS

Federal officials have sued two pro-Palestinian groups and some demonstrators involved in a heated protest last year outside a synagogue in northern New Jersey, citing a law traditionally used to prevent people from blocking access to reproductive health clinics.

The civil lawsuit filed Monday by the Justice Department's Civil Rights Division stems from a Nov. 13 demonstration outside Congregation Ohr Torah in West Orange, about 20 miles west of Manhattan. It occurred during a real estate fair that promoted the sale of homes in Israel and in settlements in the occupied West Bank.

The suit claims the protesters interfered with the attendees' civil rights to exercise their religion, claiming they physically assaulted worshippers and used plastic horns to disrupt the event, which initially was scheduled to be held at a private residence but was moved to the synagogue due to safety concerns.

"No American should be harassed, targeted, or discriminated against for peacefully practicing their religion," U.S. Attorney General Pamela Bondi said in a statement issued Monday.

NORTH CAROLINA

JUDGE REJECTS CLAIMS OF RACIAL GERRYMANDERING

A pair of northeastern North Carolina legislative districts can remain intact, a federal judge ruled Tuesday, rejecting Black voters' claims that state Republicans illegally manipulated the boundaries to prevent them from electing their favored candidates.

Ruling after a trial held nearly eight months ago, U.S. District Judge James Dever sided with GOP legislative leaders who were sued in November 2023 over two state Senate districts in a statewide map the General Assembly approved weeks earlier.

The two plaintiffs — one of them now a Democratic state House member — argued that the lines violated Section 2 of the U.S. Voting Rights Act through race-based discrimination, and that the lawmakers should have created a majority-Black district instead.

The lines cover close to 20 counties that include a region known as the "Black Belt," where the African American population is significant — reaching a majority in some counties — and politically cohesive. Last November, white Republicans were elected to the two district seats.

HAITI

U.N. AUTHORIZES A MUCH LARGER FORCE TO FIGHT GANGS IN HAITI

The U.N. Security Council voted Tuesday to authorize a much larger, 5,550-member international force to help stop escalating gang violence in Haiti.

The resolution co-sponsored by the United States and Panama will transform the current Kenya-led multinational force into a "Gang Suppression Force" with the power to detain suspected gang members, which the current force does not have. The vote was 12-0 with Russia, China and Pakistan abstaining.

The first Kenyans arrived in Haiti in June 2024, and the force was supposed to have 2,500 troops, but it has been plagued by a lack of funding and its current strength is below 1,000.

Gangs have grown in power since the assassination of President Jovenel Moise in 2021. They now control 90% of the capital, Port-au-Prince. Haiti has not had a president since the assassination.

UKRAINE

UKRAINE STARTS SHARING DRONE EXPERTISE WITH DENMARK DEPLOYMENT

The Ukrainian military is sharing with European countries its expertise in fighting Russian drones, sending a mission to Denmark for joint exercises, Ukraine President Volodymyr Zelenskyy said Tuesday.

"Our military has begun deploying a mission in Denmark to disseminate Ukrainian experience in drone defense," Zelenskyy said.

European defense ministers agreed last week to build what they called a "drone wall" along their borders with Russia and Ukraine to better detect, track and intercept drones violating Europe's airspace.

Europe's readiness and technology are lagging far behind Ukraine and Russia, however, as cutting-edge drone warfare has become a hallmark of their three-year war since Moscow's full-scale invasion of its neighbor.

NATION

NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM EXPIRED ON TUESDAY

Authorization for the largest residential flood insurance program in the U.S. was set to expire Tuesday, leaving homeowners unable to access new coverage and potentially wreaking havoc on home sales in flood-prone areas.

Millions of policyholders rely on the National Flood Insurance Program to secure flood coverage that is rarely part of standard homeowners policies and is required for mortgages in areas deemed high-risk. Claims could still be paid, but homeowners and renters would be unable to buy, renew, or add to policies.

That would also thwart real estate transactions where mortgages require flood insurance. Lenders are prohibited from issuing government-backed mortgages for properties in FEMA-designated "special flood hazard areas "unless the building or mobile home is covered by flood insurance. Since private insurance does not offer flood coverage in many parts of the U.S., buyers often depend on the NFIP.

"Each day a shutdown continues, the effects on the housing sector grow," said Shannon McGahn, executive vice president and chief advocacy officer at the National Association of Realtors.

CALIFORNIA

NTSB: DISTRACTED CONTROLLERS TO BLAME FOR RUNWAY CLOSE CALL

Investigators say that a private jet came within 100 feet of crashing into a Southwest Airlines plane on a runway in San Diego two years ago because the air traffic controllers in the tower got distracted.

The National Transportation Safety Board issued its final report Tuesday on the incident that happened in August 2023.

Both the controller directing those planes and the supervisor made bad choices that day that took their attention away from the landing, the NTSB said. Tragedy was averted because the airport's automated system for tracking planes and vehicles on the ground alerted the controller to the potential conflict. The private jet was able to pull up and circle before landing safely.

Close calls like this only add to the worries about aviation safety in the wake of the deadliest plane crash in the United States in decades when an airliner collided with an Army helicopter. Then in June, an Air India plane crashed shortly after takeoff, killing all but one of the 242 people aboard and 29 others on the ground.

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FYI

NIRANJAN SHRESTHA / Associated Press

Nepal's newly appointed living goddess, Kumari Aryatara Shakya, is carried by her father Tuesday in Kathmandu, Nepal.

Nepal chooses a 2-year-old girl as new living goddess worshipped by both Hindus and Buddhists

KATHMANDU, Nepal — A two-year-old girl chosen as Nepal's new living goddess was carried by family members from their home in a Kathmandu alley to a temple palace Tuesday during the country's longest and most significant Hindu festival.

Aryatara Shakya, at 2 years and 8 months, was chosen as the new Kumari or "virgin goddess," replacing the incumbent who is considered by tradition to become a mere mortal upon reaching puberty.

Kumaris are chosen from the Shakya clans of the Newar community, indigenous to the Kathmandu valley, and revered by both Hindus and Buddhists in the predominantly Hindu nation.

The girls are selected between the ages of 2 and 4 and are required to have unblemished skin, hair, eyes and teeth. They should not be afraid of the dark.

Family, friends and devotees paraded the new Kumari through the streets of Kathmandu before entering the temple palace which will be her home for several years.

"She was just my daughter yesterday, but today she is a goddess," said her father Ananta Shakya.

Families of the Shakya clan who qualify for this prestigious seat compete to have their daughters selected. The family of the Kumari gains an elevated position in society and within their own clan.

But Kumaris live a sequestered life. They have few selected playmates and are allowed outside only a few times a year for festivals.

Former Kumaris face difficulties adjusting to normal life, learning to do chores and attending regular schools. According to Nepalese folklore, men who marry a former Kumari will die young, and so many girls remain unmarried.

The government also now offers retired Kumaris a small monthly pension of about $110 which is slightly above the minimum wage fixed by the government.

— Associated Press

EVAN AGOSTINI / Invision / Associated Press file

SAG-AFTRA picketers carry signs outside NBC in Rockefeller Center on July 17, 2023, in New York.

'AI actor' Tilly Norwood stirs outrage in Hollywood

NEW YORK — Like thousands of actors, Tilly Norwood is looking for a Hollywood agent.

But unlike most young performers aspiring to make it in the film industry, Tilly Norwood is an entirely artificial intelligence-made character. Norwood, dubbed Hollywood's first "AI actor," is the product of a company named Xicoia, which bills itself as the world's first artificial intelligence talent studio.

Since the Dutch producer and comedian Eline Van der Velden launched the digital character's prospective career, Tilly Norwood has been all the talk in Hollywood.

But not in a good way. Guilds, actors and filmmakers have met the Xicoia product with an immediate wave of backlash, protesting that artificial intelligence should not have a starring role in the acting profession. In a statement Tuesday, the Screen Actors Guild said that "creativity is, and should remain, human-centered."

"To be clear, 'Tilly Norwood' is not an actor, it's a character generated by a computer program that was trained on the work of countless professional performers — without permission or compensation," the guild said. "It has no life experience to draw from, no emotion and, from what we've seen, audiences aren't interested in watching computer-generated content untethered from the human experience."

"Any talent agency that engages in this should be boycotted by all guilds," wrote Natasha Lyonne on Instagram. The "Russian Doll" star is directing a feature titled "Uncanny Valley" that pledges to use "ethical" artificial intelligence in combination with traditional filmmaking techniques. "Deeply misguided & totally disturbed," she added. "Not the way. Not he vibe. Not the use."

Van der Velden responded to the stir around Tilly Norwood on Instagram.

"To those who have expressed anger over the creation of my AI character, Tilly Norwood, she is not a replacement for a human being, but a creative work — a piece of art," Van der Velden said on Sunday. "Like many forms of art before her, she sparks conversation, and that in itself shows the power of creativity."

— Associated Press

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360 Boniface LLC is making application for a new Beer & Wine License Type AS 04.09.210 liquor license doing business as Arctic Smokehouse BBQ located at 360 Boniface Pkwy Unit B12, Anchorage AK 99504. Interested persons should submit written comment to their local governing body, the applicant, and to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board at 550 West 7th Ave. Suite 1600 Anchorage AK 99501 or alcohol.licensing@alaska.gov.

MP2 Alaska, LLC is making application for a new Restaurant Eating Place AS 04.09.210 liquor license doing business as Pizza Hut of ANC Airport, located at 5000 W. International Airport Rd., South Terminal #C2536, Anchorage, AK 99502. Interested persons should submit written comment to their local governing body, the applicant, and to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board at 550 West 7th Ave. Suite 1600 Anchorage AK 99501 or **alcohol.licensing@alaska.gov.**

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My girlfriend loves whiskey and other men

ERIC THOMAS
ASKING ERIC

Q. Dear Eric: I'm a 64-year-old male and I have a 59-year-old girlfriend of a couple years. My perception is that my girlfriend is constantly seeking attention from other men. For instance, we were out on an ATV ride with another couple and a third man. Our ride brought us through many miles of back country. We stopped at a bar/restaurant to use the facilities.

My girlfriend goes into the bar, and she's in there for a while. I stayed outside and talked with the other guys we were with. She finally comes out and admits that she was talking to a couple of guys and had a shot of whiskey "to check market prices." Seriously? I'm supposed to believe that she couldn't have just asked the price?

Later in the day, we stopped, just the two of us, at another bar/restaurant and had something to eat. After I settled the check, I decided to use the restroom. I leave the restroom, and she is nowhere to be seen, so I go outside and interrupt a conversation between her and some random guy on the deck by himself drinking. There was an immediate awkward pause on the guy's part, and she blurts out "That's his bike." My tastes run to Harleys. which I have a couple of, and his bike was just another cheaper imitation race bike.

Then on the way home she tells me how her niece has been trying to set up a girls' night, including her at a local bar, kind of letting me know, presumably so she can say "I told you …" Clearly, I have a problem with this but I'm trying to keep an open mind. You know what they say: intimacy doesn't begin in the bedroom. So, I know what I think I should do but I'm looking for an outsider's perspective.

— Being Taken for a Ride

A. Dear Ride: Look, there may be something else going on here that I'm not seeing, but I think the message you need to take away from this gut check is not that your girlfriend is necessarily doing something inappropriate but that you're not feeling secure about the relationship. This isn't a personal failing; you're allowed to feel the way you feel. But the response may be a different one than you're thinking of.

While you can and things, as you seem to be suggesting, consider first talking to her at a neutral time about the state of your relationship and what you think it might be lacking. Try to use "I" statements, like "I would like to be closer" or "I don't feel like we've been in sync recently." Then try to lay out what happened and how you felt about it without accusations. "You were talking to guys and 'checking the market price' of the whiskey, and that was confusing to me." Ask her if she can see where you're coming from and why it might make you feel less uncertain. But also listen to her response and see if you can see where she's coming from.

You don't have to be OK with how things are going, but from the instances you've described, it may be less that she's interested in other men and more that she's interested in other drinks.

Q. Dear Eric: I just had my 93rd birthday, so have been on Medicare for some years. But I recently ran across something different. My newest doctor — a podiatrist — told me first that she would give me only token care since she got only a token payment. Then a second time she said I could pay her the difference and get full treatment. Is this right morally and legally?

— Do No Harm

A. Dear Do No Harm: Find someone new, if you can. Maybe this podiatrist is a poor communicator — one might say she put her foot in her mouth. Or she's trying to hoodwink you — pulling your leg? According to Medicare.gov, doctors can bill patients for out-of-pocket costs if they don't accept Medicare assignment, so it's possible that's what she was trying to convey. But good communication is key to a successful medical relationship. As a patient, you shouldn't have to decipher what she's saying or feel you're being backed into a corner to receive care. It's in your best interest to find someone with whom you can communicate clearly.

Reach out to your state medical board to express your concern about this treatment and get clarity. You can also call 1-800-MEDICARE to get help filing a complaint or to ask questions. If you need help navigating other doctor visits or managing prescriptions, your state or local commission on aging can direct you to a patient advocate who is trained to work with seniors and can navigate the Medicare system. Hopefully your next doctor steps up their game.

Send questions to R. Eric Thomas at eric@askingeric.com or P.O. Box 22474, Philadelphia, PA 19110. Follow him on Instagram and sign up for his weekly newsletter at ericthomas.com.

WEATHER

3-DAY FORECAST

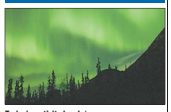
Today — Mostly Cloudy — 56°

Tonight — Mostly Cloudy — 45°

Thursday — Partly Cloudy — 53° 37°

Friday — Partly Cloudy — 48° 36°

AURORA REPORT



Today's activity level: Low
Where: Weather permitting, low-level displays will be visible overhead from Utqiagvik to Fairbanks and visible low on the northern horizon from as far south as Anchorage and Juneau.

NATIONAL CITIES

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Tomorrow Hi/Lo/W
Atlanta	83/63/mc	70/53/mc
Boston	69/45/sh	57/40/s
Chicago	61/48/pc	63/49/s
Cleveland	61/45/mc	62/42/pc
Dallas	90/67/pc	87/61/s
Denver	78/49/s	83/53/pc
Detroit	60/42/s	62/43/s
Honolulu	86/75/sh	87/76/pc
Houston	93/73/pc	91/67/s
Kansas City	70/52/s	72/57/pc
Las Vegas	89/68/s	88/69/pc
Los Angeles	76/59/mc	78/61/s
Miami	87/78/sh	86/77/sh
Minneapolis	64/45/s	67/56/pc
New Orleans	87/72/pc	85/71/s
New York	71/49/sh	61/47/s
Philadelphia	70/47/sh	62/43/s
Phoenix	100/78/s	93/80/mc
Pittsburgh	67/40/pc	63/38/s
Portland	62/47/pc	65/51/mc
Salt Lake City	76/56/s	82/59/s
San Diego	74/62/mc	75/66/mc
San Francisco	71/59/pc	69/56/s
Seattle	60/48/ra	61/51/ra
Tampa	91/74/s	90/75/pc
Washington, D.C.	71/47/sh	63/43/s

ANCHORAGE ALMANAC

Statistics are for Anchorage International Airport through 5 p.m. Yesterday

Temperatures

High	55°
Low	41°
Record high	54° in 1979
Record low	18° in 1958
Normal high	47°
Normal low	35°
Humidity at 5 p.m.	62%

Precipitation

Precip. last 24 hours	0.00"
Precip. month to date	1.45"
Precip. normal month to date	0.55"
Precip. year to date	14.69"
Precip. normal year to date	12.80"

Daylight

Sunrise	8:25 a.m.
Sunset	7:07 p.m.
Total daylight	10 hr, 42 min, 7 sec
Loss	5 min, 39 sec

VALLEY/KENAI

Statistics through 5 p.m. Yesterday

Wasilla

High	54°
Low	41°
Normal high	47°
Normal low	34°
Precip. last 24 hours	0.00"
Precip. month to date	1.18"

Palmer

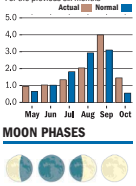
High	53°
Low	39°
Normal high	46°
Normal low	33°
Precip. last 24 hours	0.00"
Precip. month to date	0.90"

Kenai

High	54°
Low	43°
Normal high	48°
Normal low	32°
Precip. last 24 hours	0.00"
Precip. month to date	0.95"

PRECIPITATION

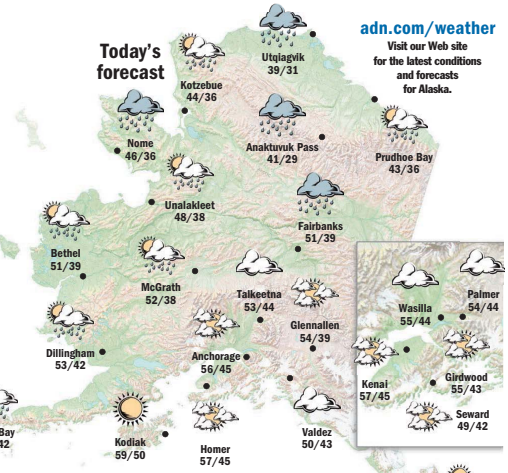
For the previous six months



MOON PHASES

Oct. 13 Last	Oct. 21 New	Oct. 29 First	Nov. 5 Full

	Today	Tomorrow
Moonrise	6:42 p.m.	6:40 p.m.
Moonset	11:36 a.m.	1:42 p.m.



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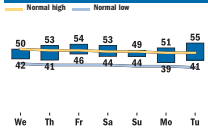
STATE SUMMARY

Today we will see mostly cloudy to cloudy skies with isolated rain and showers, highs in the 40s and 50s. Expect partly to mostly cloudy skies Thursday with scattered showers and rain, highs ranging from the 30s to the 50s.

LAST WEEK'S TEMPERATURE TREND



TIDES

Anchorage

Today	Time	Height
Low	3:08 a.m.	-2.3
High	8:33 a.m.	31.9
Low	3:15 p.m.	1.2
High	8:37 p.m.	33.6

Tomorrow	Time	Height
Low	3:53 a.m.	-2.7
High	9:18 a.m.	31.3
Low	3:53 p.m.	2.2
High	9:14 p.m.	33.5

ALASKA CITIES

City	Yesterday Hi/Lo/W	Today Hi/Lo/W	Tomorrow Hi/Lo/W
Adak	55/44/s	51/42/pc	55/43/mc
Bethel	50/46/ra	51/39/sh	48/35/sh
Cold Bay	59/41/mc	55/42/ra	53/43/s
Cordova	55/30/s	51/47/mc	52/40/ra
Delta Junction	47/39/mc	53/37/sh	43/31/sh
Denali N.P.	51/32/d	47/36/ra	45/29/ra
Dillingham	54/48/cl	53/42/ra	51/35/pc
Dutch Harbor	61/55/cl	55/43/mc	54/46/pc
Fairbanks	48/42/sh	51/39/sh	44/34/sh
Fort Yukon	47/34/mc	52/38/sh	44/31/mc
Glennallen	51/33/s	54/39/mc	50/29/mc
Gulkana	51/33/s	55/40/mc	50/29/ra
Haines	52/45/mc	52/42/pc	54/43/pc
Homer	56/37/mc	57/45/mc	55/39/s
Juneau	48/43/ra	52/38/pc	54/44/pc
Kenai	55/42/mc	57/45/mc	53/37/s
Ketchikan	52/39/mc	54/45/s	57/46/s
King Salmon	58/46/mc	56/41/cl	52/33/sh
Klawock	55/46/ra	61/44/pc	62/46/s
Kodiak	58/41/pc	59/50/s	56/43/pc
Kotzebue	43/36/ra	44/36/ra	39/32/ra
McGrath	52/50/cl	52/38/sh	45/31/sh
Metlakatla	53/43/pc	57/44/s	60/45/s
Nome	47/43/ra	46/36/ra	43/31/ra
Northway	54/37/ra	50/34/mc	43/29/sh
Palmer	54/39/pc	54/44/cl	52/35/ra
Paxson	46/31/mc	44/32/cl	41/21/ra
Petersburg	50/39/mc	51/39/mc	52/40/s
Prudhoe Bay	32/28/cl	43/36/ra	39/28/ra
Saint Paul	50/47/ra	49/44/pc	50/43/pc
Seward	56/37/pc	49/42/mc	48/35/pc
Sitka	54/47/mc	56/46/mc	57/47/mc
Skagway	50/46/mc	54/41/pc	53/43/pc
Soldotna	58/44/mc	57/45/mc	56/36/s
Talkeetna	49/35/mc	53/44/cl	51/33/ra
Tok	52/39/ra	53/33/mc	42/28/sh
Unalakleet	54/37/ra	50/34/mc	43/29/sh
Utqiagvik	32/30/fg	39/31/ra	35/26/sn
Valdez	52/30/s	50/43/cl	53/37/ra
Wasilla	55/40/pc	55/44/cl	53/35/sh
Whittier	49/33/s	50/46/cl	53/40/ra
Willow	57/36/pc	55/44/cl	52/34/sh
Yakutat	54/39/pc	51/42/mc	52/43/ra

* indicates estimated temperatures for yesterday

State high yesterday
Ugashik 66

State low yesterday
McCarthy 26

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