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Let's Talk About It

Artificial Intelligence: the Pros and Cons of Its Rise

By Yvette Tello

Well the time is here.. AI is about to take over the world. Pros: Efficiency. AI can perform repetitive tasks with high accuracy and speed, which can save humans time and effort. Precision: AI can analyze large amounts of data and identify patterns that humans may not be able to detect, leading to more precise decision-making. Innovation: AI can enable the creation of new products, services, and industries that were previously impossible or impractical. Safety: AI can be used in hazardous environments, such as nuclear power plants, to reduce the risk of human exposure to danger. Cons of AI: Job displacement. AI can replace human workers in certain tasks, leading to job loss and economic disruption. Bias: AI systems can inherit and amplify human biases, perpetuating discrimination and inequality. Privacy: AI can collect and analyze personal data, raising concerns about privacy violations and surveillance. Unpredictability: AI can behave in unexpected ways, which can be difficult to control or anticipate. Do you think AI is the best thing that happened to us or the worst? Let's talk about it...

John Hanna: “The clock is ticking, we will likely soon see AI hold control of every person's financial access where anyone it deems disobedient will be placed on restriction.”

Joey Santibanez: “I already see a highly intelligent robot in the future.”

Gene A. Gomez: “Same old story: The rich get richer, the poor get poorer. I think the cons outweigh the pros. People losing jobs over AI which could and possibly will malfunction or get hacked at some point.”

Gregorio De La Paz: “AI is great as long as it's not connected to the internet and people don't abuse it, but the way the world is and the way people are, unfortunately

we are going to be screwed.”

Roy Cruz: “HELL NO! Not a good idea.”

Alison Waltho: “The agenda for robots is to replace & dominate humans. The game is to desensitize you! To put you in chains. WAKE UP!”

Jaylon Griffin: “This is not funny, this is dangerous to our world, a lot more dangerous than the guns some people are worried about.”

Monica Robello-Beckmann: “This is not funny at all, to me. It's down right scary.”

Milton Ravenberg: “Forgive them for they know not what they do!”

Tracy Bailey Owen: “Man destroying the human race and we laugh. God help us!”

Rogério Melo: “This is going to happen. There'll be millions of jobs lost. These old movies come to life. Remember when everybody laughed about what was the name of that guy that went to the moon back in the old days. They shot to move moon shots with a little spaceship with little smoke coming out of Roy Rogers. I think everybody used to laugh. Nobody's going to the moon but they did it. Now, they're going to Mars. Pretty soon they will have these robots and these companies run by robots. There won't be jobs left for the people. Can you imagine what's going to happen?”

Mthunzi Sizwe Sinamuya Ngubane: “They showed us this in I robot. Who knows what these things can do and achieve. Their intellectual capacity develops far quicker and superior than ours. Some new inventions will be the death of us.”

António Eduardo Mandinje Matombe: “This is good beginning to dominate human race”

Hamid Zarifketabi: “It is very concerning. But it seems the force behind the AI and robots is stronger than people's will; sad.”

Joeann Malone: “They'll soon outsmart us and get rid of us.”

Dennis Lynn Rowe Jr.: “That's amazing!! But...kind of scary, like I Robot and Terminator scary.”

Lance Johnson: “They wouldn't be able to play basketball, frisbee, volleyball etc. Best for exploiting human psychology and pulling triggers.”

U Maung Thin: “AI is a very, very wonderful technology.”

Ibad Atal: “Dangerous! I must say, such stuff will bring chaos. The only thing they are good for is nothing. Humans are awesome.”

Teara Kaye Larson: “I watched the movie...it didn't end well.”

Brad Bowden: “They probably are not too far from figuring out how to put a human brain into a robot so people can live forever.. scary stuff. Guys, it's a crazy world we live in.”

Alison Waltho: “These friendly robots are programmed to say what you want to hear. YOU are the one being programmed by the robot to desensitize toward them. BEWARE! THESE ROBOTS will serve a time until they will be programmed to have authority over you. WAKEUP to what's ahead! Yes as it speaks ... to dominate the human race.”

About the Cover Artist: Katherine Sosa

Courtesy of AnArte Gallery

Katherine Sosa is an independent marketing, political design consultant, and artist. She was the only woman on George W. Bush's gubernatorial race in 1998, his presidential campaign in 2000, and re-election bid in 2004. Her creative work has earned national awards for advertising excellence in both television & print. Current clients include Texas Dow Employees Credit Union, Public Service Credit Union, and Sul Ross University. Prior to forming Sosa Consultation & Design with her husband, Lionel, Kathy served as president of Garcia•LKS, the Southwest's largest independent Hispanic ad agency, which she founded as KJN in 1987. In her over twenty years in marketing, most of them as an ad agency principal and entrepreneur, Kathy has worn a number of hats, among them strategist, planner, creative director,

and copywriter. In addition to commercial advertising experience on accounts from Dr. Pepper and Mexicana Airlines to Sî TV and Budweiser, she is experienced in both education-related marketing, public service communications, and is a veteran of over 25 political media campaigns.

Kathy holds bachelor's and master's degrees in political science, both from St. Mary's University in San Antonio. With education an important focus for Kathy, she currently serves on the Generation Texas Board of Directors. She was appointed by former Governor George W. Bush to the Children's Trust Fund of Texas Council, and by Governor Rick Perry to the Founding Board of The Texas Conference for Women. Kathy was named by Inc. magazine as an Entrepreneur of the Year.

A renowned artist, Kathy was commissioned by the Texas Women's Conference to do a portrait of



keynote speaker Martha Stewart, to whom the artist personally presented the work. She received national recognition for her traveling exhibition "Huipiles: a Celebration", which debuted at the Mexican Cultural Institute in Washington, D.C. as part of the Smithsonian Latino Center's 2007 summer season before traveling to the Museo Alameda in San Antonio in 2008. Cur-

rently, she mounts shows in New York City and Tulsa. Her work has been featured on CNN, in FiberArts Magazine, in Skirt! San Antonio Woman, Country Lifestyle, Destinations, and is available in San Antonio through AnArte Gallery and the Regalo Gift Gallery at the Museo Alameda. She is also represented by galleries in Boerne, Texas, and Charlotte, North Carolina.

Most recently, Kathy, and her husband Lionel Sosa, created and produced the critically-acclaimed documentary titled "Children of the Revolución – How the Mexican Revolution Changed America's Destiny," a 20-part storytelling series that chronicles never-before-told American history of the Texas/Mexico borderland.

The cover art is called Chile Lilies.



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UTSA Honors San Antonio Education and Community Leaders

Dr. Manuel Berriozábal and María Berriozábal

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Paul Berry

UTSA hosted a ceremony honoring Dr. Manuel P. Berriozábal and María Antonietta Berriozábal this month for their more than 40 years of leadership in creating opportunities for minorities of all backgrounds in San Antonio.

The Berriozábals' work has increased students' access to higher education and the science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) fields. UTSA recently created the Manuel P. Berriozábal, Ph.D. and María Antonietta Berriozábal Endowed Chair to honor the couple. The endowment will support research-related activities and educational programming designed to inspire students to consider future careers in STEM.

Berriozábal joined UTSA as a mathematics professor in 1976. Three years later, he established the Prefreshman Engineering Program (PREP) to create a pathway for Hispanic youth in San Antonio to participate in educational opportunities in STEM areas. The pre-college program continues to deliver summer enrichment opportunities to middle and high school students, encouraging them to pursue college degrees in STEM fields and contributing to the development of a diverse pipeline of STEM professionals.

Berriozábal collaborated with local university and community leaders to establish the program at UTSA and integrate it into San Antonio's school districts. During PREP's early days, he also sought funding from national, state, local and private sources to provide the program to youth at no cost.

Over the years, the program expanded to more than 125 school districts across Texas. Berriozábal remained director of the program for 25 years, traveling to each site throughout the city, state and country to ensure its growth, effectiveness and success. Following his administration of the program, Berriozábal included PREP scholars in his senior level math courses at UTSA, maintaining a connection to the program he created and has forever cherished.

Today, PREP has more than 50,000 Texas alumni, with over 65% of participants identifying as Hispanic and 53% as female. Equally as important, the program has become so well regarded that universities across the country have adopted the model. PREP now exists at 33 sites in 25 cities and seven states.

Berriozábal understood that science, technology, engineering and math were fields of study that could launch successful careers in industries critical to the advancement of every community across



the U.S. He also recognized the value of diversity in these fields and believed that encouraging those in underserved communities to pursue STEM studies would foster creativity and equitable solutions to the challenges faced by society.

Berriozábal's wife, María, supported his mission to create equitable opportunities for access to higher education and likewise led a life of public service. In 1981, she became the first Latina to be elected to the San Antonio City Council,

where she served for a decade. In 1991, she ran a historic campaign for Mayor of San Antonio but narrowly lost. She continued collaborating with others to advocate for the DREAM Act and addressed issues of gentrification, energy, poverty, water and human and civil rights.

She founded Hispana Unidas – a women's organization dedicated to their education and community service, served as a delegate to the United Nations' Fourth World Conference in



Beijing and was appointed U.S. Representative to the Inter American Commission on Women. Maria also authored her memoir, "Maria, Daughter of Immigrants," to tell the story of her parents, whose families fled the Mexican Revolution and settled in Lockhart, Texas.

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Macario Rosas Jr. Con Pool Party

Celebró Graduación En Bulverde, TX

Por Franco

Todo un éxito fue la fiesta familiar de graduación en honor del nuevo economista Macario Rosas Jr., (Junior cómo es mejor conocido entre familiares y amistades).

El sábado 17 de junio fue una fecha memorable para Rosas Jr., quién días antes de cumplir sus 22 años el 21 del mismo mes. Logró compartir su felicidad acompañado de familiares y amistades.

Junior graduó el 12 de Mayo con diploma (bachelor degree) en Marketing en el prestigiado colegio Texas Tech (Red Riders), dónde después de cursar 2 años en

San Antonio College [SAC con créditos], y dos en Texas Tech, logró cumplir sus metas universitarias.

Sus altas calificaciones le dieron apoyo al respaldo de sus padres Ana y Macario Rosas Sr., (reconocido beisbolista en ligas independientes en las regiones de San Antonio y su estado natal San Luis Potosí). Así cómo de sus hermanas Yarely, Brenda y Esmeralda.

Su fiesta con el tema de "Pool Party" , fue ofrecida por sus padres Ana y Macario Rosas, en su elegante residencia dónde sus

invitados saborearon deliciosa cena de Mini Taquitos y Pastel 3 Leches.

Junior fue captado mostrando sus regalos entre ellos botella del tequila fino "Campo Azul Selecto Reposado 100% de Agave", embotellado en Jesús Maria, Jalisco. México.

Junior graduado de Smithson Valley High School Clase 2019, con dos años de estudios en SAC, optó por ir dos años más a Texas Tech dónde graduó con altos honores y ahora en sus planes tiene tres metas por cumplir. "Compañía de construcción cómo

mi Padre. Un restaurante tipo Hamburguesas y Cerveza. Y línea de ropa con mi hermanita Esmeralda", dijo Rosas Jr.

Macario Jr., enfatizó sus exitosas participaciones musicales en la banda oficial de High School , con sus experiencias tocando los instrumentos en la guitarra, piano. Trombón y bajo sexto

Su gusto por el rock alternativo lo mantiene firme para seguir adelante mentalmente y físicamente. "Siempre he tenido el apoyo de mis padres. [Siempre he querido ser cómo mi Padre]. El amor de mi Padre y mi Madre, me ayudó salir

adelante. Ahora como graduado tengo metas por cumplir", así se expresó Macario Rosas Jr.

Cabe anotar que su servidor conociendo a Junior desde su niñez, la cobertura de su colorida fiesta en la piscina y entrevista fue con resultados emocionales ya que por estos días es difícil encontrar a personas educadas con valores familiares cómo Rosas Jr. En las fotos aparecen Junior con sus padres, hermanas, y sus invitados en la alberca y disfrutando los mini taquitos .

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Stokkers Presents the Time Traveler Tribute Tour: A Journey Through Time and Music

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StokkersUSA, a leading hemp company committed to making a positive impact, is proud to announce the Time Traveler Tribute Tour, an extraordinary event that celebrates the spirit of time travel while supporting the noble cause of Food for Hunger. This unique tribute tour not only transports attendees through the enchanting 80's Heavy Metal era but also raises awareness and funds for those facing food insecurity. The event will take place on July 1, 2023, from 5:00 PM to 11:30 PM at 17400 Somerset Rd, Von Ormy, Texas 78073.

The Time Traveler Tribute Tour, brought to you by StokkersUSA, intertwines the captivating allure of the 80's Heavy Metal era with the profound purpose of Food for Hunger. As attendees embark on a journey through time, propelled by the exhilarating performance of Wheels of Steel, a renowned Saxon Tribute band, they are also invited to contribute to the fight against hunger.

The tour's mission extends beyond the bounds of music, embracing the spirit of compassion and social responsibility. Within the vibrant ambiance of the event, attendees will have the opportunity to make a tangible difference by bringing two cans of non-perishable items, thereby supporting Food for Hunger. As a token of appreciation, StokkersUSA offers a \$2 discount on the entrance fee for those who

donate, underscoring the collective commitment to alleviating food insecurity.

Moreover, the Time Traveler Tribute Tour encapsulates the essence of the 80's Heavy Metal era, an era that continues to captivate music enthusiasts across generations. With the band taking the stage at 7:00 PM, attendees will be transported back in time to relish the rebellious energy, unapologetic charisma, and empowering anthems that defined this remarkable period. The event promises to be reminiscent of a mini Woodstock, where the spirit of unity and freedom of expression thrive within an outdoor venue.

In addition to the mesmerizing music, the Time Traveler Tribute Tour offers an array of captivating activities. Attendees will have access to a specially designed time capsule, providing an opportunity to connect with their future selves and contribute handwritten letters, personal messages, artwork, and cherished photographs of their area and community. The time capsule will also house documents chronicling the area's history, recent newspaper clippings, favorite recipes, and wrappers from beloved local food establishments. Through this interactive experience, StokkersUSA encourages attendees to participate actively in preserving and sharing the essence of their community.

"Our commitment to making a positive impact is at the core of the Time

Traveler Tribute Tour," stated Eli Rodriguez, the visionary founder of StokkersUSA. "By combining the timeless appeal of the 80's Heavy Metal era with the noble cause of Food for Hunger, we create an event that not only entertains but also empowers individuals to make a difference in the world."

The Time Traveler Tribute Tour is not only an occasion for musical indulgence and nostalgia but also a platform to support Food for Hunger and foster a sense of community. Attendees can expect a diverse range of food and beverage vendors to cater to their cravings. Additionally, the event features a mesmerizing fire performance by Ember Sol and offers the opportunity to explore high-quality CBD products provided by vendors.

StokkersUSA is dedicated to driving change and promoting better choices. By aligning the Time Traveler Tribute Tour with the purpose of Food for Hunger and the timeless appeal of the 80's Heavy Metal era, StokkersUSA aims to inspire individuals to make conscious decisions and contribute to a healthier, more equitable world.

The Time Traveler Tribute Tour promises to be an extraordinary and immersive experience. The outdoor venue allows attendees to embrace the beauty of nature while being transported through time by the power of music.

For more information and to purchase tickets, please visit www.stokkersusa.com or contact StokkersUSA at info@stokkersusa.com.

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Remembering the Fallen Warriors of the Vietnam War

By
Dr. Mario D. Longoria

Upon returning home from the Vietnam War in 1970, I became aware of the high casualties sustained by fellow classmates, friends, and acquaintances in our school district in San Antonio. The news that so many died in the war was sad and painful. It is a pain that never goes away. Some fifty-seven years later, I am still in turmoil with wanting to know why so many Latinos died in that war. I have realized the only alternative to deal with this immense loss is to faithfully remember our friends, classmates, and community neighbors who gave their lives in the service of their country.

The Edgewood Community in the Westside of San Antonio has only recently been recognized for having an extraordinarily high casualty rate in the Vietnam War. During the 1960s, when young men from Edgewood High School went off to war,



in movie theatres, and downtown separate water fountains. And yes, there were gangs, conflicts with police and school authorities, and other forms of discrimination. But the people of the Edgewood Community endured. They survived despite the injustices and managed to protect their children and somehow, maintained their schools, while their sons served in the military.

During the Vietnam War, the Edgewood School District alumni, graduates, and drop-outs alike, whether drafted or enlisted into the military, recognized the importance to serve in the military. They served in all branches of the military, and many served in Vietnam. The unfortunate results of this service were 55 casualties from this small community between the years 1965-1971.

There are many accounts of how and why Latinos from Edgewood High School joined the service. I found two

the community was surrounded by thriving businesses and growing families. The school district responded to this population growth by adding two new

schools: John F. Kennedy and Memorial.

Growing up in the Edgewood community I learned early on about the social, political, and economic disparities sur-

rounding the Edgewood School District. We witnessed

discrimination, which included housing exclusion and segregation, colored balconies

stories that are useful in our understanding of this era. In thinking about their decision to leave school and enter the military, Carlos D Luna recalled: "We were anxious to get out of the barrio (neighborhood) and school because our friends who had already enlisted and served in Vietnam were dying, and felt we had to do something about it." His best friend Joe G. Longoria agreed with him and both left school to enlist in the U.S. Army. They eventually served

respective combat tours, but only Carlos De Luna returned home to the Edgewood Community.

Unfortunately, Army Specialist 4 Joe G. Longoria was killed on April 19, 1969, while pursuing the enemy as part of "Operation Washington Green" in the Binh Dinh Province, South Vietnam. Longoria's death was also an irony due to his and De Luna's concern for their neighborhood friends dying in Vietnam; which prompted them to join the U.S. Army to fight in a war



to save lives.

To date, the EISD Alumni plans a special remembrance on Memorial Day to commemorate and honor those alumni who fought and died in Vietnam. The event has become an an-

nual community gathering that solemnly pays them tribute for their service and sacrifice.

Notwithstanding, the loss of 55 young Mexican American/Latino men, as well as those, who returned from the

war with crippling medical and mental problems is tragic and unforgivable. I recall my return home in late June 1970 to learn Mayor McAlister denigrated his Mexican American constituency on

the national television Huntley-Brinkley Report. This was the unexpected welcome home greeting.

I also recall there was no public "welcome Home" for the returning servicemen in San Antonio and elsewhere. No matter, because our families were there, and within

ourselves, we were proud of our service. Regrettably and long forgotten, the city was not thankful to the men and women who served. City leaders failed to acknowledge the sacrifices of those who served their country and instead continued with business as usual.

Dr. Mario D. Longoria served in the U.S. Navy, from 1966-1970. His naval duties included tours to the Gulf of North Vietnam in 1967-69. He earned degrees from Santa Monica City College and California State

University-Northridge. In 2014 he was awarded a Doctorate in English from the University of Texas at San Antonio. He is the author of two books.

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Por Sendero Deportivo

"Charros vino a ganar, estuvimos confiados. La serie sigue con el regreso del manager (Roberto Garza)". Así se expresó el magnate Roberto Garza, dueño del varias veces campeón equipo Broncos de Reynosa con el que ha venido compartiendo responsabilidades al lado de su esposa Linda Garza, y los directivos Jesús (Chuy) Ramírez Sr., y Freddy García.

Garza, después de darle crédito a Charros por su victoria de 5-3 carreras en la apertura de la serie a ganar 2 de 3 partidos en postemporada Liga Potranco 2023 con sede en el estadio Potranco Baseball Field, envío felicitación

a Charros dirigidos por Catarino Obregón. Apuntó lo siguiente. "Son los playoffs y tenemos que cerrar fuerte". Por su lado Obregón, que con la victoria festejó Día del Padre, modestamente agradeció el apoyo de todos sus jugadores que estuvieron al tanto en la defensiva y ofensiva. Dejando espacio para que Broncos no se despegará en la pizarra.

Emocionado Obregón, reconoció trabajo de los lanzadores Alfredo Obregón, quien dejó el marcador empatado 3-3 dejándole el séptimo episodio responsabilidades al relevista Gaspar Beltrán, quien gracias al oportuno bateo de su compañero el campo cortó Raymundo Dávila, con dos

corredores en bases conectó sencillo remolcando a sus compañeros el veloz Óscar Márquez y el prospecto Tony Obregón para una pizarra de 5-3, la cual Broncos no pudo remontar, en el cierre del noveno episodio quedándose con la derrota su as dominicano el estelar pitcher Jheyson Manzueta.

En otros resultados proporcionados por el presidente Simón Sánchez y el scout Frank Torres. En el grupo 1 los Piratas de Sabinas estando empatados contra Tomateros 1-1, en el sexto episodio surgió problema que favoreció a Sabinas tras Tomateros se quedó con ocho jugadores decretándose por regla victoria para Piratas por la vía del forfeit. Estos playoffs son presentados por el popular El Jaral Mexican Restaurant ubicado cerca del estadio Potranco propiedad

del artista Eloy Rocha (5140 Roosevelt Ave Lot 2).

Cardenales ganó por blanqueada 15-0 a Pericos victoria celebrada por el estelar lanzador derecho Orlando Barroso y los directivos Nacho García y Efraín Cruz Franco. Quiénes agradecieron el relevó de Roger Bernal.

En el grupo 2 ganó Charros a Broncos de Reynosa SA 5-3. Texas Jay's del manager John Alvarado celebró importante victoria ante Águilas de Veracruz con pizarra de 11-3 carreras con derrota para el cubano derecho Juan Serrano y victoria para el abridor Josh Gill.

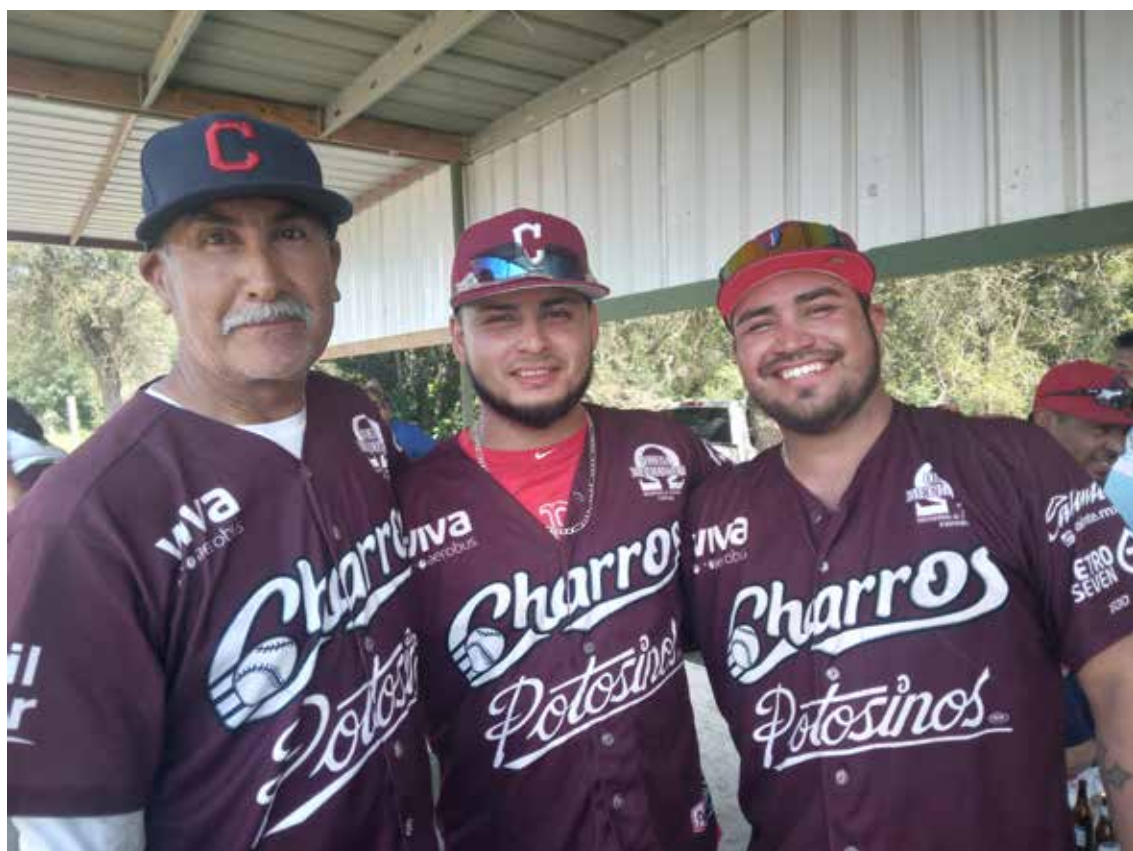
Rol de juegos segundo partido de las series postemporada 2023 en honor del beisbolista duranguense Manuel Cisneros y Familia.

Campo 1: 10:30 am Piratas vs Tomateros. 1:30 pm

Cardenales vs Pericos. Campo 3: 10:30am Texas Jay's vs Águilas. 1:30pm Charros vs Broncos.

En la popular categoría Masters 50+ campo 2, se estarán jugando los partidos en honor del padrino Santiago Murillo. Reds vs Broncos. Astros vs Rieleros. El súper líder Yankees de Luis Velázquez jugará el clásico dominical contra Rangers del Venado Benito Martínez y el coach Ruperto Ortega. Encuentro en el que Benito Martínez estará celebrando su cumpleaños. Suerte y adelante que siga la disciplina deportiva en ambas categorías. En las fotos aparecen Orlando Barroso pitcher de Cardenales. Catarino Obregón con el pitcher Gaspar Beltrán y el short stop Raymundo Dávila.

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Chayo Vela(Neto) and many friends that will miss her greatly.

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2023 Ford Bronco



Automotive Review by Albert Flores



By Albert Flores

I don't know about you, but I am happy to see the Ford Bronco making a comeback after being gone for several years. I have fond memories of a tough, rugged SUV that would enable you to go just about anywhere without any problems and was fun to drive. Let's check in on this year's model and see what we learn. This legendary SUV has returned with a bang, bringing a perfect blend of ruggedness and refinement to the table, just as I was hoping for. So, buckle up and let's check it out!

Well admittedly it is a bit smaller than I remember. But despite that, the 2023 Ford Bronco boasts a commanding presence on the road with its iconic design cues and modern touches. Its boxy shape pays homage to the original Bronco, while contemporary styling elements ensure it stands out from the crowd. With bold fender flares, a prominent grille, and muscular lines, the Bronco exudes confidence and adventure. The removable roof and doors provide an open-air experience, allowing you to embrace the great outdoors with ease. Honestly, I totally loved being able to ride without the roof and doors while we ran around the country checking out the beauty of the Texas Hill Country. It was a BLAST. On the inside there is plenty of comfort and tech. Despite its smaller size, I still felt it has a spacious and inviting cabin that perfectly balances comfort

and practicality. The interior is built with high-quality materials, featuring durable upholstery that can withstand the rigors of an active lifestyle. Ample headroom and legroom ensure that both front and rear passengers can travel in comfort. The rear seats fold down, offering versatile cargo space to accommodate your family's needs. The Bronco is also equipped with the latest technology to keep everyone entertained and connected. The intuitive infotainment system provides seamless smartphone integration, allowing you to access your favorite apps and navigation on the touch-screen display. Optional features such as a premium sound system, wireless charging, and a Wi-Fi hotspot further enhance the driving experience.

Once you stop and look under the hood, you will find that Ford offers a range of robust engine options for the 2023 Bronco, allowing you to choose the powertrain that best suits your needs. The standard engine is a capable 2.3-liter EcoBoost four-cylinder, delivering impressive performance with 300 horsepower and 325 lb-ft of torque. For those seeking even more power, an available 2.7-liter EcoBoost V6 engine produces a thrilling 330 horsepower and 415 lb-ft of torque. Both engines are paired with a smooth-shifting 10-speed automatic transmission, ensuring a responsive and engaging driving experience. Even with all that power, the Bronco offers respect-



able gas mileage. The 2.3-liter EcoBoost engine achieves an estimated 20 mpg in the city and 25 mpg on the highway, while the 2.7-liter EcoBoost engine maintains a respectable 18 mpg in the city and 23 mpg on the highway. These figures make the Bronco an excellent choice for long road trips and daily commutes alike. As always, Ford prioritizes the safety of you and your loved ones, equipping the 2023 Bronco with a host of advanced safety features. Standard safety technologies include forward collision warning with automatic emergency braking, blind-spot monitoring, and lane-keeping assist. Optional features like adaptive cruise control and a 360-degree camera system provide additional peace of mind during your family adventures.

The Ford Bronco has a storied history that stretches back to its debut in 1965. Originally designed as a rugged off-roader, the Bronco quickly became a symbol of



freedom and exploration. The 2023 Bronco pays homage to its predecessors while incorporating modern innovations to create the ultimate off-road experience. Ford's commitment to quality and craftsmanship ensures that every Bronco upholds the brand's legacy of dependability and resilience. Personality I am seeking a versatile and reliable SUV when I want to take the family into the country. The 2023 Ford Bronco is an ideal choice. Its spacious interior accommodates both passengers and cargo, while the powerful engine options provide the capability to tackle any adventure. The Bronco's advanced safety features offer peace of mind, making it an excellent vehicle for family outings and everyday use. With its rich history and reputation for

durability, the Bronco is ready to become a cherished member of your family. But how affordable is this adventuresome SUV. The 2023 Ford Bronco offers various trim levels to suit different preferences and budgets. The base two-door Bronco starts at around \$29,995, while the four-door variant begins at approximately \$34,995. As you move up the trim levels, additional features and off-road capabilities are introduced, with prices ranging up to around \$60,000 for fully loaded models. The wide range of options ensures that there's a Bronco for every adventure-seeking family. Run by your local Ford dealership and ask for a test drive! That is all the convincing you are going to need.

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