

Community opinions

In addition to the main editorial and op-ed pages, we publish Community Opinions in the Metro section. Some of these pages include staff-written editorials on important local issues...

Community opinions A forum for readers in Dallas County. Step-parenting can work Relationship has been work, great honor, says Susan Sanders Wansbrough

Opinion on the web

dallasnews.com/opinion

Wouldn't it be great if there were a single Web page that collected that top-shelf opinion journalism and posted links to, say, the top dozen or more best reads each day?

Viewpoints Page

Why is it called the op-ed page? Because it appears opposite the editorial page. We call our op-ed page Viewpoints, but consider it a virtual public square.

SYNDICATED & GUEST COLUMNISTS

Syndicated columnists are those writers whose expertise has won them the opportunity to be published in multiple newspapers nationwide...

BLOGS

Editorial board members get warmed up by airing their theories, arguments and peevish on six dallasnews.com blogs.

Points

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THINK SHARP NEW Point Person Evolutionist and Anglo patriot Phil Hall... No one deserves a gold star for fessing up to an offense that is clearly their fault, argues Joe Queenan

The fine art of false courage

"Father, I cannot tell a lie; I chopped down the cherry tree."

Shortly after the Philadelphia Eagles and the Cincinnati Bengals played to a miserable 13-13 tie in November, Edgio Quarterback Donovan McNabb admitted that he had not known it was possible to play an NFL game that ended without a winner or a loser.

set of politicians. The whole point to me is the cover one's feelings as an adult. I don't see a commander-in-chief... The primary of courage is to do things without an overt, flyover confession like 'I did it.'... 'The 'My Blue Heaven' incident, the act of being guilty enough to accept responsibility for doing that one has committed...

More Texans in the House of Reps

Census figures are in, and the state stands to gain 3 or 4 seats, says Chris Luna

The U.S. Census Bureau released population estimates for Texas on July 1, 2010. This growth... Texas will gain three or four seats in the House of Representatives...

A friend returns

He got to see an old, familiar George Bush during our interview, says William McKenzie. Where has that man been the last eight years?

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George Bush, former president of the United States, is seen in a photo. He was seen in a photo during the author's interview.

POINTS

Points is the Sunday opinion and analysis section of The Dallas Morning News. Like the daily pages, Points features editorials, op-ed columns and the expanded letters section so popular with readers.

WEEKLY COLUMNISTS

A columnist's byline matters, and ours have their bent-screw topics, about which they can write with style and stamina.

- Here's their schedule: Tuesday: William McKenzie Wednesday: Mark Davis Every other Thursday: Carl Leubsdorf

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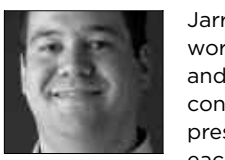
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