



SPRING FORWARD — It's time to set the clocks ahead for spring as Daylight Saving Time begins at 2 a.m. Sunday in most of the country. Clocks should be moved ahead one hour.

Love

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den put together a satellite picture of the world and sent it to her. "It was all I had at the time," he said. "She loved it because no one ever sent her the world before."

Iraq

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In Washington, State Department spokeswoman Margaret Tutwiler said of the offer: "Based on past performance, we are very skeptical."

Bush

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his own people. And, in a traditional gesture, Bush on Thursday offered to "do what we can to help" the tens of thousands of Kurdish refugees fleeing Iraq, U.S. officials said.

Kurdish

along the border. Iran's Islamic Republic News Agency reported that more than 120,000 refugees had crossed into Iranian territory and that more than 1 million were trying to cross.

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Associates, an investor group led by Marco DeSalle of Cape Elizabeth, Maine, and a joint proposal from Fleet Norstar Financial Group Inc. of Providence, R.I., and corporate takeover specialists Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co. of New York.

SPORTS

Fisher spins no-hitter as East tops MHS

By JIM TIERNEY

MANCHESTER — East Catholic senior righthander John Fisher spun a no-hitter, striking out 14 Indians in the season opener for both teams.

High Friday afternoon at Moriarty Field. The 6-3, 185-pound Fisher spun a no-hitter, striking out 14 Indians.

"He's really blossoming," East coach Jim Penders said of Fisher, who walked three.

"The (Fisher) pitched a great game. He kept us so off stride. His fast-pitching just killed us.



EAGLE RUN — East Catholic's Jamie Fournier scores a run in the first inning as Manchester catcher Marek Falkowski (25) watches the action in the field.

Blanchard did receive some good pitching from seniors Keith Jones, who suffered the loss, and sophomore Justin Bolduc, who gave up one run on one hit, walked two and struck out two in his 2 2/3-inning stint.

With two outs in the Eagle fourth, Chomick drew a walk off Bolduc. He stole second and advanced to third on an errant throw by Indian catcher Marek Falkowski.

"We didn't exactly tear the cover off the ball," the veteran East coach said.



DELIVERS — East Catholic hurler John Fisher delivers a pitch during Friday's opener against Manchester High at Moriarty Field. Fisher hurled a no-hitter in leading the Eagles to a 3-1 victory.

pulled him aside in the middle of the season and his confidence started coming around.

Blanchard said, "I don't think we have overpowered pitching. But, they're smart."

Tower

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know it was in trouble," said James Griner, who lives about a quarter of a mile from the jetport.

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ments. "Their potential investment reflects confidence in New England and a belief that the region's economy demands banks that are both locally responsive and globally competitive."

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It's payoff time for the Red Sox

By DAVE O'HARA

WINTER HAVEN, Fla. — The wild spending spree is history. Now it's payoff time for the Boston Red Sox.



IN CHARGE — Joe Morgan begins his fourth year as manager of the Boston Red Sox. Morgan led the Sox to the AL East Division title a year ago.

Left-hander Matt Young was signed for nearly \$6 million for three years. Right-hander Danny Darwin was obtained for a guaranteed \$11.8 million for four years, and veteran slugger Jack Clark was signed as the cleanup hitter and DH for nearly \$10 million for three years.

Then, the Red Sox were swept by Oakland in the playoffs for the second time in three years.

Young, 51-78 lifetime and 8-18

with a 3.51 earned run average at Seattle last year, is happy to be with a strong hitting club.

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Umpire talks continue

NEW YORK (AP) — Negotiations for a new contract between major league umpires, and the American and National Leagues went into the evening Friday as both sides attempted to wrap up a deal before the weekend.

Neely, Bruins tie up Whalers

BOSTON (AP) — Cam Neely's third goal with 3:22 left, five minutes after he had tied the game, forced the Boston Bruins to a 3-3 victory Friday night and a split of their first two playoff games with the Hartford Whalers.

Neely, tied for second in NHL in the regular season with 51 goals, got one when he deflected in Glen Wesley's slap shot.

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