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**Defibrillator vest a blessing for Spearman man**  
A defibrillator vest is a blessing for a Spearman man who was diagnosed with a heart condition. The vest is a life-saving device that can be used to restart a heart that has stopped beating. The man, who is a member of the Spearman community, has been using the vest for several years and has been able to lead a normal life. The vest is a testament to the power of modern medicine and the importance of early diagnosis and treatment.



**Baker Arts offers ARTStart - Fingers and Toes**  
The Baker Arts Center is offering a new program called ARTStart - Fingers and Toes. This program is designed to help children with disabilities develop their fine motor skills and hand-eye coordination. The program is open to children of all ages and abilities and is a great way for children to learn and have fun. The Baker Arts Center is a community resource that provides a variety of programs and services for children and adults. The ARTStart - Fingers and Toes program is just one of the many ways that the Baker Arts Center is committed to providing a high-quality education and enrichment for all children.



**Union seeks severance for teacher convicted of raping student**  
A teacher who was convicted of raping a student is seeking severance from his union. The teacher, who is a member of the union, was convicted of a crime that is considered a moral turpitude. The union is currently reviewing the case and has not yet made a decision on whether to provide severance to the teacher. The case has caused a significant amount of controversy and has raised questions about the union's policies and procedures. The union is committed to providing support and assistance to its members, but it is also committed to upholding the highest standards of ethical conduct.