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## Mexico restrains illegal migration

### Unwritten deal with US before election working

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MEXICO CITY – Fewer migrants are reaching the U.S. border than in years. The U.S. government's secret weapon in cutting illegal crossings?

Mexico. Mexico is holding the line, analysts say, thanks to a carefully negotiated – but unwritten – agreement between neighbors, executed late last year by the Biden-Harris administration. It's held, they say, because it's in Mexico's economic interest to keep the border chaos-free and exports flowing north. And because the political stakes are high for Mexico in the upcoming U.S. presidential election.

Illegal border crossings have been at the center of Republican Donald Trump's campaign.

Immigration has been seen as one of Democrat Kamala Harris' weakest flanks. If Mexico lifted its checkpoints

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Mari Eduvid Sarmiento, right, has lived months in a tent in Mexico City, hoping to meet with U.S. officials about asylum. OMAR ORNELAS/USA TODAY NETWORK

## Mothers of Gaza hostages turning their pain into power

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Idit Ohel's son is at the age when young men are building their own lives.

Like any mom who wants to help, she went to IKEA for furniture. He loves cooking, so she bought a new grill. He wanted to attend music school, so she shared how masterfully he played the piano.

Except Alon Ohel isn't starting at the Rimon School of Music in Tel Aviv after the High Holidays in the fall, when the school year traditionally starts in Israel.

For the past year, he has been held hostage by Hamas somewhere in the Gaza Strip.

Idit Ohel and her husband, Ronen, have spent the past 365 days preparing for him to come home, keeping Alon's dreams alive.

He loves cars, especially Teslas. So she bought him a Tesla. It sits in the

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## Clubbing for votes



Clubgoers dance at Fast Eddie's in Camp Springs, Md., during a go-go concert Friday. They're among the potential voters the Rev. Tony Lee says should not be neglected. PHOTOS BY MEGAN SMITH/USA TODAY

## Pastor seeks out potential, if often overlooked, voters in the wee hours at packed nightclubs on weekends

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CAMP SPRINGS, Md. – It was nearly 2 a.m. Saturday. The go-go band was about to start its next set when Tony Lee got the nod – it was time to go on.

Lee worked his way through the crowd waiting for Rare Essence, a favorite local group, to pump up the music again. The guitar player introduced their special guest.

The pastor took the mic.

"Look, I came out here to holler at ya'll 'cause ya'll know there's an election coming up and I just want to make sure y'all understand your voice matters and your vote matters and you are important," Lee told them. "Anybody know that in the house?"

The clubgoers cheered.

In what was almost a mix of preaching and rapping, Lee went on to urge the crowd to register, to vote.

"Voting isn't just about what happens in the White House," he continued. "Voting impacts what's happening in the statehouse, in the courthouse, in the schoolhouse, in the jailhouse, in the traphouse and at your house."

He ended with, "God bless ya'll!"

Lee, pastor of Community of Hope AME Church in Suitland, Maryland, was no stranger to the go-go club

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The Rev. Bill Lee, left, dances with his brother, the Rev. Tony Lee, at a club in Camp Springs, Md., Friday. Tony Lee spoke to the crowd that night about the importance of the upcoming election and registering to vote.

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Tony Lee, pastor of Community of Hope AME Church in Suitland, Maryland

## Resort touts \$20K longevity assessments

Experts: Health can be monitored for less

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TUCSON, Ariz. – Let's get one thing out of the way. You're going to die.

How and when, though, is hardly a predictable path. Most medical professionals will tell you it is a combination of genetics, diet, exercise and luck. Where you were born, where you live, how you live. But what if you could harness your health down to the most specific lab results? What if you could stave off death a little longer?

That's what Canyon Ranch, a luxury wellness resort that's gearing up to launch a longevity-focused retreat, is trying to offer its clientele. Can going there *actually* lengthen your life? That's the idea, but you'll need to fork over thousands of dollars to find out.

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Samuel Barthel, senior performance scientist, guides CEO Mark Rivers during a submaximal treadmill test at Canyon Ranch in Tucson, Ariz., on Aug. 29. DIANNIE CHAVEZ/USA TODAY



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