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BY ROB KLINDT

An ominous assortment of ghouls, goblins, zombies and other creatures of the night are anxiously awaiting the arrival of unsuspecting visitors to their abodes. Yes, Pirates of Emerson Haunted Themed Park is back, just in time for Halloween haunting season.

The popular scream fest, opening Friday, September 30, has been entertaining East Bay horror fans annually for 31 years. Held at the Alameda County Fairgrounds in Pleasanton, visitors wander through themed haunted houses where they encounter a menagerie of marauding pirates, monsters, witches, gremlins and more.

"We're excited. Halloween is everyone's favorite time of the year," said Brian Fields, vice president of operations for the event. Fields said the event boasts a cast of 60 live performers dressed to thrill and chill visitors as they roam about. Fields added that the four new themed haunts, "Dorm of Doom," "Hillbilly Holler," "Maze Haze" and "Mystery Mansion" are the best yet.

The Pirates of Emerson got its start in the early 1990s when Fields and his parents set up a Halloween exhibit in their yard on Emerson Street in Fremont. It soon grew into a larger commercial event and eventually moved to the fairgrounds in 2010.

Fields said preparations for the event start in mid-August when he and his crew of 10 builders start putting the displays together. Fields is principal designer, while his father Karl handles online and social media operations and ticket sales, and his mother, Patty, oversees much of the interior decorating and costuming.

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## Hayward Mariachi Festival



SUBMITTED BY  
HAYWARD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
PHOTOS BY VICTOR CARVELLAS

Mariachi bands, a taco-eating contest and an outdoor market celebrating Mexico's Independence Day and Hispanic Heritage Month with music, dancing, food and art will highlight the 12th annual Hayward Mariachi Festival on the afternoon of Friday, September 30, at City Hall Plaza.

The family-friendly event is hosted by Hayward Chamber of Commerce Latino Business Roundtable, City of Hayward, and a multitude of co-sponsors. We are proud and honored to present the following dance troupes:

Mariachi Mexicanismo de Raymundo Coronado  
Mariachi Mi Terra Linda  
Mariachi Oro de Mexico

Ballet Folklorico de Winton Middle School  
Ballet Folklorico de Tlapalli

There will be a taco-eating contests sponsored by Jorge Espinosa and his team at El Taquito Restaurant Dos. Specialty beverages to be served include margaritas, sangria and Mexican beers. Attendees should bring lawn chairs and blankets, and as a public health precaution are encouraged to wear masks and practice social distancing. This year's event will include ballet folklorico school groups, and 100 school backpacks will be given away.

**Hayward Mariachi Festival**  
Friday, Sept 30  
5:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.  
City Hall Plaza  
777 B St., Hayward  
[www.haywardchamber.org](http://www.haywardchamber.org)

## Music at the Mission: Vayamos!

SUBMITTED BY  
VICKILYN HUSSEY

Music at the Mission opens the Fall 2022 Season with "Vayamos!", a tango extravaganza celebrating the music of Astor Piazzolla and the passion of Argentine tango. Held on October 13 and 16, the event's all the inner passion and sparkling virtuosity you'd expect from an ensemble whose motto is "Chamber Music Outside the Box!" "It is great to return again to an audience favorite: the music of Astor Piazzolla," said bassist Quinteto Quilombo and artistic co-director of Music at the Mission, Bill Everett.

"Piazzolla created his Tango Nuevo style by combining

the harmony of jazz and the structure of classical with the tango of his native Argentina," Everett explained. "As a student, his goal was to be a great classical composer. He studied with two of the greatest of 20th century classical composition: Alberto Ginastera and Nadia Boulanger, all while continuing to play in tango bands to make money. He soon realized that his voice was in tango, but with the goal of elevating it.

"He was at the beginnings of a new movement: world music ... the idea of bringing folk and dance music forms to a wider audience beyond their country of origin. He also wanted to show

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# Treating and Managing Vascular Disease

## Vascular surgeon joins Washington Township Medical Foundation

Washington Township Medical Foundation (WTMF) warmly welcomes Stella Asuquo, MD, to its vascular surgery and endovascular care team. Dr. Asuquo, who is board-certified and fellowship-trained, previously practiced at the John F. Kennedy Medical Center in New Jersey, and at Salinas Valley Memorial Hospital in California.

Vascular surgeons are specialists in treating diseases of the vascular system. When a disease or injury hinders blood flow, it may result in damage to organs or limbs. Dr. Asuquo has expertise in treating a wide range of vascular and endovascular conditions, including aortic aneurysms, blood clots, carotid disease, diabetic wounds, and peripheral arterial disease (PAD). Vascular and endovascular surgery are two frequent treatments for blockages in the arteries. Vascular surgery is open surgery that usually includes an incision. Endovascular surgery refers to less invasive procedures that use wire-thin catheters to diagnose and treat conditions.

She brings extensive training and experience to WTMF. After earning her medical degree at Indiana University School of Medicine, Dr. Asuquo completed her medical residency at Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Montefiore Medical Center, in New York. She then went on to complete a fellowship in vascular and endovascular surgery at Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School in New Jersey. Dr. Asuquo is board-certified in both general and vascular surgery.

Dr. Asuquo decided to specialize in vascular surgery while doing her medical residency. "During my general surgery training at Montefiore Medical Center I got a lot of vascular surgery exposure. The more I did it, the more I enjoyed it and wanted to pursue it for my career."

What she loves most about her chosen field is the long-term relationships with patients that the specialty entails. Dr. Asuquo explains, "What is wonderful

about vascular surgery compared to general surgery and many other surgery specialties is that I often get to follow patients over the course of their lifetime. I see many of my patients for decades, monitoring their vascular health to avoid serious or even fatal outcomes. My patients and I are partners in the management of their disease. I tell them that we are in this together and we are going to get through this together."

Dr. Asuquo says that she relishes the diversity of procedures in her practice. "In vascular surgery, we are treating patients head to toe. Each new case poses interesting challenges. The continuing cerebral aspects of the work coupled with my long-lasting relationships with patients make my work enjoyable and fulfilling every day," she says.

Vascular surgeons continue to see patients long after a surgical procedure because by its nature, vascular care is rarely a one-time solution. In part, this is because the vascular system is complex and reaches every part of the human body. Many vascular diseases and conditions occur alongside other diseases, like diabetes or heart disease, that can have an effect on the health of the vascular system. Dr. Asuquo monitors her patients through routine check-ins on their symptoms, noninvasive vascular lab studies, and ultrasound surveillance. Difficulty with coordination or walking, wounds that take a long time to heal, and pain, swelling, or heaviness in one's extremities can all be symptoms of vascular disease.

The good news is that the techniques and technology for vascular surgery are constantly being improved. "We are doing more and more minimally invasive procedures for endovascular conditions that would have needed a deep incision in the past. We have new techniques for lower extremity arterial disease, particularly for salvaging limbs. These techniques are really making a difference. The potential risks



Vascular Surgeon, Dr. Stella Asuquo, joins Washington Township Medical Foundation.

posed by the new procedures are much less than for open surgery, and the recovery time is considerably shorter," explains Dr. Asuquo.

Dr. Asuquo says that she was drawn to WTMF because of the collaborative approach to providing care to patients. "The WTMF team is great. We are all dedicated to providing comprehensive vascular care to our patients and to improving vascular health in the community. I look forward to working hand-in-hand with patients to ensure that they are receiving the latest, evidence-based vascular care."

Dr. Asuquo lives in Fremont with her husband and two young children.

To find out more about Dr. Asuquo and WTMF's vascular surgery and endovascular care, visit [www.whhs.com/Vascular](http://www.whhs.com/Vascular).

*"My patients and I are partners in the management of their disease. I tell them that we are in this together and we are going to get through this together."*

**STELLA ASUQUO, MD**



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**Don't Let Hip Pain Win: Updates in Hip Replacements**  
Dr. John Dearborn, Co-medical Director of the IJRR at Washington Hospital shares the latest research and technologies for joint replacement patients.



# Washington Hospital Women's Center, a Place of Comfort and Confidence

The Washington Women's Center was designated a Breast Imaging Center of Excellence in June 2012 by the American College of Radiology. The Women's Center also is accredited by the National Accreditation Program for Breast Centers (NAPBC), a nongovernmental not-for-profit organization established to recognize breast centers that provide the best possible diagnostic and treatment options.

Many patients, however, will say that the most impressive aspects of the Women's Center are the staff and the environment. Understanding that whether a woman is coming in for a routine mammogram or a follow-up to a biopsy, an atmosphere that reduces anxiety is important.

"Our goal at the Washington Women's Center is not only to address how to improve cancer patient survivorship, but also to increase awareness of cancer prevention and screenings," says Christine Mikkelsen, RN, who also serves as a certified breast health nurse navigator at the center. "With cotton robes, soothing music and beautiful wall art, our intention is to make every patient feel calm and comforted."

"Breast cancer is actually fairly common," notes Medical Director of the Women's Center, William E. Dugoni, MD. "Most people's lives will be touched by breast cancer—either directly or because someone they know has been diagnosed."

He emphasizes, however, that if caught early, breast cancer is one of the most treatable cancers. "I encourage women to make sure mammograms are part of their annual preventive health care plans. If problems are found, they are treatable—and we can't say that about a lot of cancers." The Women's Center offers advanced techniques for diagnosis using 3D tomosynthesis which provides better images and more opportunities for early diagnosis.

Dr. Dugoni notes, "It's important that our community members know that they don't have to travel out of the area to receive first-class care."

## NAPBC accreditation

To receive NAPBC accreditation, centers must show they offer the following services:

- A multidisciplinary, team approach to coordinate the best care and treatment options available



During the month of October, members of the Women's Center wear pink to remind patients and visitors of the importance of mammograms.

- Access to breast cancer-related information, education and support
- Breast cancer data collection on quality indicators for all subspecialties involved in breast cancer diagnosis and treatment
- Ongoing monitoring and improvement of care
- Information about clinical trials and new treatment options

If a patient's mammogram is abnormal, she will receive a phone call from a nurse navigator to schedule a follow-up appointment. For patients who have been diagnosed with breast cancer, a nurse navigator will meet with the patient to help guide them and their family members through the breast cancer treatment journey.

Whether answering some of the many initial questions, or offering resources such as an introduction to the HERBS Breast Cancer Foundation, nurse navigators help patients feel less overwhelmed and more able to focus on the healing process. "It really is a blessing for me to be a nurse

navigator to help guide and support women as they embark on this stressful journey," Mikkelsen says.

Dr. Dugoni notes the technology that plays a role in the diagnosis and treatment plans for community members. "By offering these services in a local setting, our community members can receive the care they need without having to travel far from home. In addition to 3D tomosynthesis, the Women's Center offers MRI and MRI-guided breast biopsies. These noninvasive breast imaging procedures can be utilized for high-risk patients, surgical planning, and identifying the extent of the spread of breast cancer. And through our affiliation with UCSF Health, patients have access to linear accelerator radiotherapy using the most advanced linear accelerator. This state-of-the-art system delivers a broad array of powerful radiation oncology therapies with pinpoint accuracy."

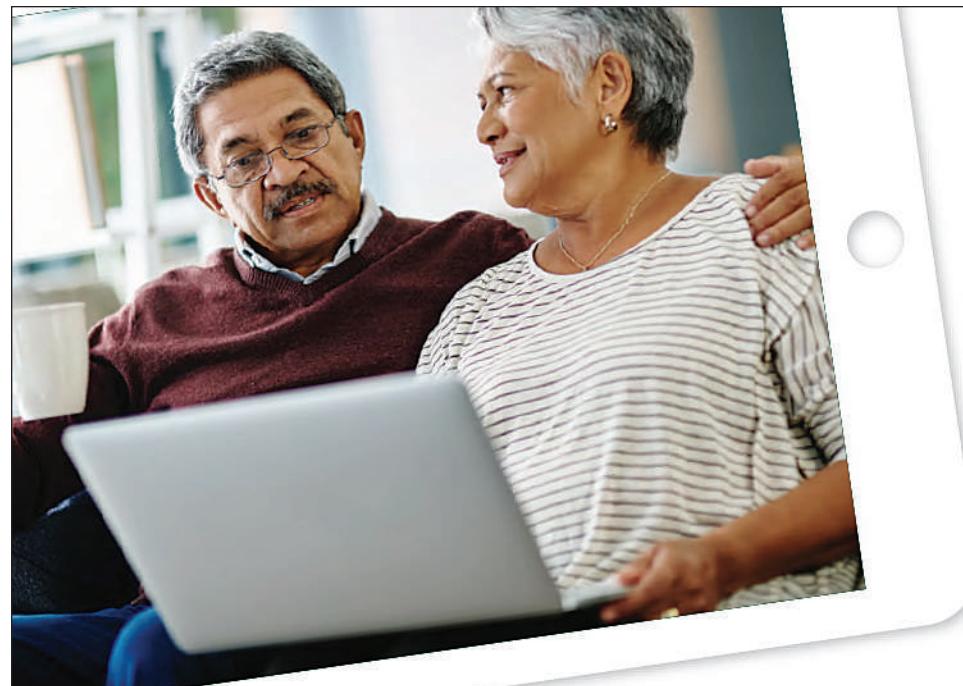
Through their affiliation with UCSF Health, Washington Hospital can offer

genetic testing to patients with a family history of cancer.

Academic-level care in a welcoming environment without having to leave the Tri-City Area is a benefit to local community members. To learn more about the Washington Hospital Women's Center, visit whhs.com/womenscenter. Details about the cancer programs, including the UCSF – Washington Cancer Center can be found at whhs.com/cancer.

## Schedule Your Mammogram

Once a physician order is received, mammograms can be scheduled by calling 510.818.7410. Regular appointment schedule is Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. During the months of October, November and December, Saturday appointments (except Nov. 26) are available from 7:45 a.m. to noon.



## Virtual Health & Wellness

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**3:30 p.m.**

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## Fall into color: a homecoming

SUBMITTED BY DIANA PAUL

Golden Hill Art Association returns to its home gallery, the Milpitas Library, after a two-year absence during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Local artists have been exhibiting at the Milpitas Library annually for nearly 40 years. It's time to welcome them back and see what local artists have been working on during their time at home. More than a dozen local artists will display their paintings, drawings and other creative work. The 19th Annual Art Exhibition, "Fall Into Color, A Homecoming," will be in the Milpitas Library's Reading Court from October 1 – November 9.

A meet and greet artists' reception will be held in the Library's Auditorium on Saturday, October 15. Live art demonstrations, face painting and live music with the Star Geezers will be featured.

**Fall into color: a homecoming**  
Saturday, Oct 1 – Wed, Nov 9  
Milpitas Library Reading Court

**Artists Reception**  
Saturday, Oct 15  
2 p.m. – 4 p.m.

**Milpitas Library**  
160 North Main St., Milpitas  
Mon – Thurs: 10 a.m. – 9 p.m.  
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Thong Le, art instructor at Milpitas Senior Center, will demonstrate oil painting at the Artists' Reception



*City Bridge at Dusk* by Kim Tran (Oil on Canvas)

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### Details

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### Speakers

- City of Hayward Officials
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## Full S.T.E.A.M. Ahead: Science in the Park 2022

BY HUGO VERA

As the effects of climate change continue to intensify all over the world, the importance of scientific research and experimentation could not be more relevant.

In California alone, the effects of global warming have led to massive wildfires, the breakdown of land masses along the coast, as well as the ongoing drought.

Fortunately, one local leader and his office are working closely with Hayward's Cal State East Bay (CSUEB) as well as countless local educators to inspire the next generation of thinkers to embrace the challenges ahead.

Dubbed "Science in the Park," the yearly celebration of S.T.E.A.M. (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) is the brainchild of Alameda County

Supervisor Richard Valle of District Two. Valle got his start in both politics and environmentalism when he spearheaded the creation of Union City's Tri-City Environmental Development Corporation Community Recycling Center (known commonly as Tri-CED) and later became its President. For the past 42 years and counting, Valle oversaw the center's growth into a 501(c)(3)-certified organization that has issued "buy backs" for CRV-eligible bottles/cans, diverted more than 75% of Union City's solid waste stream, and provided countless jobs as well as volunteer opportunities. Valle went on to serve in the Union City Council for 13 years and then ran his own election for Alameda County Supervisor when the position had a vacancy in 2012.

Following his appointment as District 2 Supervisor, Valle initiated the Union City Science, Earth and Health Festival in partnership with the California State University (CSU) system. Now "Science in the Park," the annual extravaganza features over 70 displays and exhibits curated by local educators that cover everything from solar energy to LEGO robotics to composting.

"One of the core principles of Science in the Park is that everything has to be interactive," says Valle. "The mystery of science has to be opened up so that kids don't have the fear of raising their hand in the classroom."

During the festival, child participants will be able to learn about local scientific and environmental organizations such as the NASA Ames Research Center in Mountain View as well as the Hayward Area Recreation and Park District (H.A.R.D.) while also building water-bottle rockets, designing egg-parachutes and practicing 3-D printing. Eligible students will be able to compete in a social media-based contest for a chance to win a Lenovo laptop. (Full contest details can be found at [www.scienceinthepark.org/general-8](http://www.scienceinthepark.org/general-8))

Valle has stated that every teacher/professor who participates with a table at the event will be compensated \$300 for their time with an extra \$150 for supplies. In addition, Valle's office has



Alameda County Supervisor Richard Valle (District 2) speaks to children at Science in the Park

worked closely with Cal State East Bay President Cathy Sandeen to host the event on the CSUEB campus. Valle and his office have explained that in addition to its spacious layout, the exposure that CSUEB has gained from hosting Science in the Park has motivated many parents to send their own children to Cal State East Bay as well as other local California State Universities (CSUs).

While primarily designed to appeal to children, Valle has also stated that parents and other adults will be able to engage in activities themselves such as the, "Are You Smarter Than a Fifth Grader?" trivia game.

"We want to facilitate an experience in which parents can engage with their children in regards to science," adds Valle. "We want to encourage parents to have a dialogue and conversations with their children about the importance of the scientific method, especially in how it relates to real issues like climate change so that we don't shy away from these issues but face them head-on."

### Science in the Park

Saturday, Oct 1

9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

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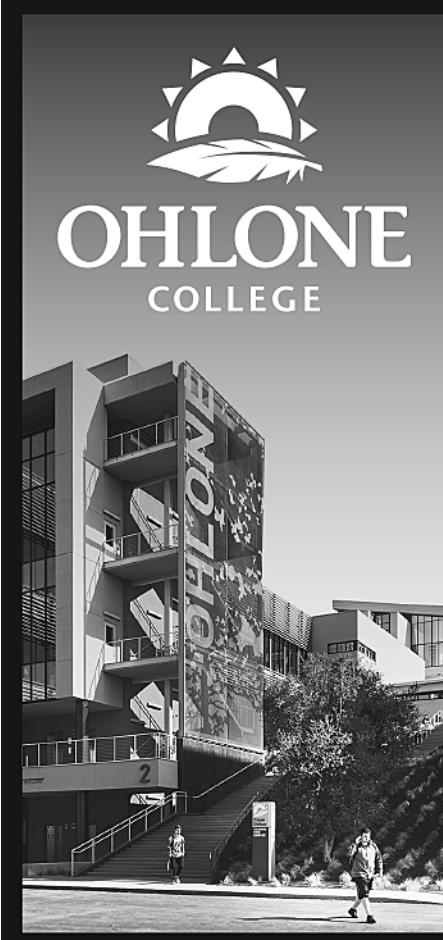
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Now, 18 years later, they have committed \$3 million to support the organization's mission to save and enhance lives -- both two-legged and four-legged. This gift supports and expands the Regional Rescue Program through which HSSV transports and saves thousands of at-risk animals each year.

The Diekmans met their beloved dog, Jeremy, in 2015 after he came to HSSV through the Regional Rescue Program.

Jeremy was an overweight, arthritic golden retriever in need of dental care, and he was transferred in from a Bay Area municipal shelter that didn't have the capacity to care for all his needs. The Diekmans fell in love and adopted him immediately. Three years later, they adopted another regional rescue beneficiary named Benny, a young energetic lab mix. Jeremy has since passed away, but Benny continues to bring them joy every day.

In recognition of the Diekman's generous pledge, HSSV has renamed its rescue program the Sue and John Diekman Regional Rescue Program. The organization partners with dozens of shelters in Santa Clara County, the greater Bay Area, Central Valley, and beyond. HSSV is the safety net for animals in need of extra care and reduces the strain felt by shelters that are running out of space. Through these partnerships, more animals' lives are saved throughout California.

"We are tremendously grateful for this gift, which will allow us to not only



Sue and John Diekman, longtime benefactors to Humane Society Silicon Valley  
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increase the number of animals we rescue, but also support our partner shelters by taking in animals with complex medical and behavioral needs that HSSV has the expertise to address," said Kurt Krukenberg, HSSV President.

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Sue Diekman. "Watching the animals come off the Rescue Roadster and knowing that they have a better future is incredibly heartwarming. And it means that the less-resourced shelters they come from can continue to help animals in their communities without worrying about having to euthanize for lack of space."

[www.HSSV.org](http://www.HSSV.org)

## Free drive-thru COVID-19 testing

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

Over the next few months, the City of Fremont is partnering with Bay Area Community Health (BACH) to provide no-cost drive-thru COVID-19 testing. The testing site will be in the parking lot behind Aqua Adventure Waterpark in Fremont Central Park, 40500 Paseo Padre Parkway.

Appointments are available from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on the following dates:

- Monday, October 3
- Wednesday, October 5
- Friday, October 7
- Wednesday, November 2
- Friday, November 4
- Monday, November 7
- Wednesday, November 9
- Monday, December 19
- Wednesday, December 21

Masks are required to protect the health and safety of workers and visitors; minors must be accompanied by an adult. Advance registration is required. For details, or help scheduling an appointment, call the BACH COVID-19 hotline at (510) 252-6845.

from one of the dozens of booths at the gathering. Handmade jeweler, Domingo, showcased his unique *Unpossible Cuts*, "We've been in business here in San Leandro now for 12 years and this is our first street event. I love all the people that are out and about. It's been fantastic."

I sampled an excellent milk butter puff pastry from Washington Ave. 85°C Bakery that reminded me strongly of Portuguese sweet bread that was popular at downtown village bakeries in my youth. Christina Ramsey from San Leandro's Bay farm Dyehouse said, "We're so thrilled to be here with the community, walking, sharing the arts." Learn more at [downtownsanleandro.com](http://downtownsanleandro.com).



## Rediscover Downtown San Leandro

SUBMITTED BY JACK ALCORN

The City of San Leandro celebrated Downtown's prominence and potential with a Rediscovery event this September. The downtown neighborhood runs from Williams St. to Estudillo Ave. on the west side of E. 14th St. The heart of downtown is a tranquil village of adobe topped store fronts and courtyards that provides a relaxing shopping and leisure experience with plenty of old San Leandro nostalgia.

On a sunny Saturday afternoon throngs of East Bay residents enjoyed gyros, pork baos, tacos and cheese steaks as they explored Downtown San Leandro's hidden gems. The Rhythm and Blues ensemble *Mixed Company* provided live music at a beer garden while local artisan's and creators vended their wares at a debut Makers' Market. Oil paintings, house plants, tie-dye, and leather goods engaged heavy foot traffic all day long.

San Leandro businesswoman Ayanna Jackson promoted her natural homemade & handcrafted *Arbria Creations* bath, body and skincare products

## Top Hat Gala

SUBMITTED BY WASHINGTON HOSPITAL FOUNDATION

The "36th Annual Top Hat Gala," will take place on Saturday, October 8. We are excited to be back in person to celebrate as a community once again! Top Hat brings together corporate leaders, local philanthropists and community partners for an extraordinary evening featuring delicious cuisine, hosted cocktails, entertainment, dancing and a lively auction.

In June, 2022, Washington Hospital Healthcare System was approved by Alameda County Emergency Medical Services Agency to become the next designated Level II Adult Trauma Center in the County in the next five years. Funds from Top Hat will be used to acquire lifesaving equipment & technology for Washington Hospital's new Level II Adult Trauma Center.

Our event has changed a bit this year with limited attendance due to safety precautions and the need to update our gala, yet be mindful of costs and fundraising goals. There will not be a sit-down dinner as in the past; however, we are offering a strolling dinner including amazing food, cocktails and a dessert wall! We again have partnered with McCalls Catering ensuring the food will be memorable and plentiful. In addition, there will be a hosted garden reception, roaming entertainment, live auction, dancing and more!

We thank you in advance for your consideration and support of Washington Hospital Healthcare Foundation.

36th Annual Top Hat Gala

Saturday, October 8, 2022

VIP Garden Reception: 5 p.m.

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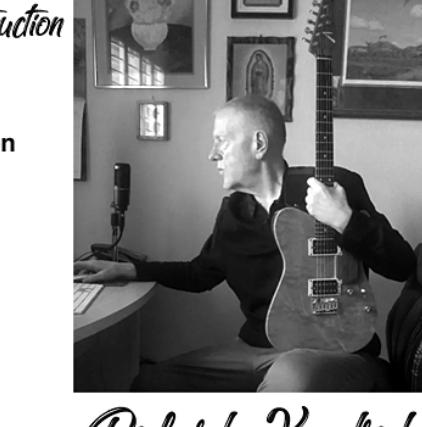
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## SAVE Evening of Empowerment

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Our "Evening of Empowerment Gala" will be in person this year! As we celebrate the sixth year of SAVE's (Safe Alternatives to Violent Environments) signature fundraiser, the event will include a cocktail hour, special speaker, plated dinner, and live and silent auctions. This year's exquisite venue, Casa Bella, is nestled in the heart of downtown Sunol. We look forward to a spectacular event in support of the services SAVE provides for our community.

Last year, 1,265 survivors received critical services to escape intimate partner violence and build safer lives, 1,733 calls received support through our 24-hour crisis line, 98 women and children stayed at the Safe House, 60 families received rent assistance, and much more.

The challenges of the last few years have demonstrated the importance of working toward justice, healing and renewal. We are thrilled to announce that Valarie Kaur, a renowned civil rights leader and best-selling author of *SEE NO STRANGER*, will be our keynote speaker. Her inspiring vision of Revolutionary Love, deeply rooted in the Sikh faith, aligns with SAVE's mission and work.

Together, we have overcome a couple of challenging years. We cannot wait to gather for an evening of expressing gratitude, witnessing resiliency, and celebrating empowerment, and we look forward to seeing you there!

**Evening of Empowerment Gala**  
Sunday, Oct 2  
4 p.m.  
Casa Bella  
11984 Main S., Sunol  
(510) 574-2250  
[save-dv.org/2022gala](http://save-dv.org/2022gala)  
Tickets start at: \$125



## Park It: Gathering of Ohlone Peoples

BY NED MACKAY

The land currently within Coyote Hills Regional Park in Fremont is the ancestral homeland of the Tuibun Ohlone Peoples. Every year the Gathering of Ohlone Peoples is held at the park. In this event Ohlone Peoples from several tribes share information about their culture, history, traditions, and current involvements.

Because of COVID-related concerns, this year's gathering will be virtual. It will take place from 10 a.m. to noon on Sunday, October 2. The online link to view the event is [www.ebparks.org/Gathering-of-Ohlone-Peoples](http://www.ebparks.org/Gathering-of-Ohlone-Peoples).

The park itself is open to the public as usual. The visitor center explores the ecology while honoring Ohlone Peoples' knowledge of natural resources and land management skills. These skills enabled Ohlone Peoples to thrive as the First Peoples who have been here for thousands of years and who are still here today. The center will be open from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Coyote Hills is located at the end of Patterson Ranch Road off Paseo Padre Parkway. There's a parking fee of \$5 per vehicle. For information on the park or the virtual gathering, call (510) 544-3220.

Speaking of visitor centers, the Green Barn Visitor Center at Sunol Regional Wilderness has been remodeled extensively in a project funded by the park district and the Regional Parks Foundation. The center now has new interactive exhibits, animal viewing enclosures, and an information center to help guide visitors to park attractions. Exhibits are bilingual in English and Spanish.

The Sunol Visitor Center is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays except Thanksgiving and Christmas Day. It is closed all other days. Entry is free.

And you can find out all about birds during a program at the center from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, October 1 with naturalist Kristina Parkison. Learn some bird lore, examine some feathers, and try identifying birds by hearing their calls. The free program is for ages seven and older; parent participation is required. Registration isn't necessary, just drop by. For information, call (510) 544-3243.

Sunol Regional Wilderness is at the end of Geary Road off Calaveras Road about five miles south of I-680 and the town of Sunol. There's a parking fee of \$5 per vehicle.

Birds are also on the agenda in a program from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 1 at Crown Beach in Alameda with naturalist Michael Charnofsky. Thousands of migrating and wintering shorebirds often flock to

San Francisco Bay at this time of year. For a look, join Michael at the Elsie Roemer Bird Sanctuary pier on Shoreline Drive between Broadway and Park Street.

All levels of bird expertise are welcome, and reservations are not necessary. Binoculars will be provided. For information, call (510) 544-3187.

Lake Temescal in Oakland is the venue for one of the naturalist-led Hikes for Tykes strolls, this one from 10:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. on Tuesday, October 4. It's free and no registration is required. Meet the naturalist at the park's north parking area on Broadway near the junction of Highways 13 and 24 for a walk around the lake to

look for birds, butterflies and flowers. Bring a snack. For information, call Crab Cove at (510) 544-3187.

"Hiding in Plain Sight" is the theme of a program from 11 a.m. to 12 noon on Sunday, October 2 at Big Break Regional Shoreline in Oakley with naturalist Wyatt Moore. Find out how animals and insects use camouflage to hide from predators, then test your own ability to hide in plain sight.

Meet at the visitor center. The program is free and registration is not necessary. Parent participation is required, though. Big Break is at 69 Big Break Road off Oakley's Main Street. For information, call (510) 544-2030.

The "Let's Get Outside Club" is a series of naturalist-led moderate walks of two to four hours, for ages eight and older, perfect for beginning hikers. The club will meet the first Sunday of each month; the hikes proceed, rain or shine. There's a hike from 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Sunday, October 2 at Del Valle Regional Park south of Livermore, led by naturalist Betty Villalta.

Reservations are not needed. To join the group, park in the second lot on the east side of the lake and meet in front of the marina at 9 a.m. Bring water and a snack; be prepared for the weather. All children must be accompanied by an adult, and park district COVID guidelines apply. For information on the club, call Sunol Wilderness at (510) 544-3249.

These columns usually announce events that do not require registration, because the programs could fill before the column appears in the paper. However, the park district offers lots of fun activities, some free and some with fees, that do require advance registration. For the full story, visit [www.ebparks.org](http://www.ebparks.org) and click on "Things To Do" at the top of the home page.



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## Tri-City History in Photographs #9: Bars

BY KELSEY CAMELLO, FOR WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP MUSEUM OF LOCAL HISTORY

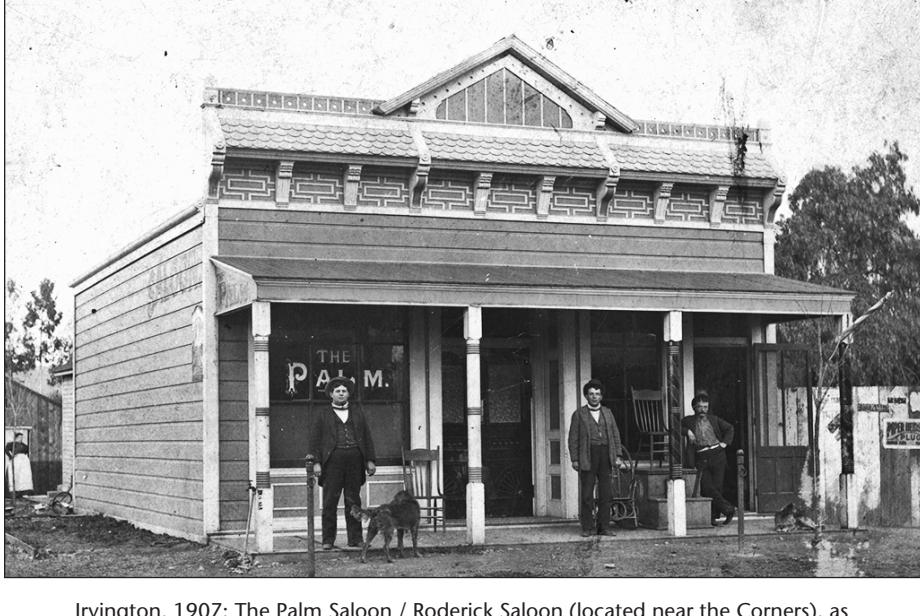
Bar (noun): A room or establishment where alcoholic drinks and sometimes food are served; synonyms – saloon, barroom, grogshop, tavern, pub



Alvarado, year unknown: Interior of Silver Dollar Saloon. Pictured: Manuel Menezes.



Mission San Jose, early 1900s: Interior of Solon Saloon, owned by Joseph Solon.



Irvington, 1907: The Palm Saloon / Roderick Saloon (located near the Corners), as photographed by a traveling photographer.



Newark, year unknown: Interior of Silvey Bar, owned by John T. Silvey.

Let's explore local history through themes and photographs. Have a topic or idea you'd like us to explore? Email us at [info@museumoflocalhistory.org](mailto:info@museumoflocalhistory.org).

## Gathering of Ohlone Peoples

SUBMITTED BY  
EAST BAY REGIONAL PARK DISTRICT

On Sunday, October 2, Coyote Hills will have a virtual version of their traditional "Gathering of Ohlone Peoples."

Alameda and Contra Costa Counties fall within the homelands of about 25 tribes of Native peoples, who speak variants of two Ohlone languages (East Bay Costanoan and Karkin), and the Bay Miwok and Delta Yokuts languages. Over 2,000 years ago, the Ohlone and their ancestors established several villages in the area that is now Coyote Hills Regional Park.

European settlement brought severe disruption, dislocation, and suffering to the Tuibun tribe (located in today's Fremont Plain) and to other Ohlone peoples. Despite this tragic history, many Ohlone continue to keep their history and elements of their traditional cultures alive.

Ohlone Peoples knowledge of natural resources and land management skills enabled them to thrive as the First Peoples who were here for over 2000 years and who are still here today.

At the Annual Gathering of Ohlone Peoples, Ohlones of varied tribal backgrounds: share family and tribal history, music, song, dance, and stories; discuss contemporary cultural involvements and concerns; demonstrate basket, jewelry, soaproot brush, and dogbane string making.

This year's gathering will be a virtual presentation over YouTube, where Ohlone peoples from several tribes will share about their culture and traditions, and discuss current involvements. At previous Gatherings, visitors were able to: walk to a more than 2,000-year-old Tuibun village site, make a miniature tule boat, and make acorn soup cooked with heated stones in a basket.

The Coyote Hills Regional Park Visitor Center includes exhibits on Ohlone and other Central California Indian ways of life, as well as exhibits on area wetlands habitats and wildlife.

**Gathering of Ohlone Peoples**  
Sunday, Oct 2  
10 a.m. – 12 noon  
Virtual Event via YouTube  
(510) 544-3220  
[https://www.ebparks.org/Gathering-of-Ohlone-Peoples](http://www.ebparks.org/Gathering-of-Ohlone-Peoples)



## Sunol visitor center remodeled

BY AYN WIESKAMP, BOARD OF DIRECTORS, EAST BAY REGIONAL PARK DISTRICT

The Green Barn Visitor Center at Sunol Regional Wilderness has a new look, thanks to an extensive remodeling funded by the Park District and Regional Parks Foundation. New features include interactive and beautifully illustrated exhibits, new animal viewing enclosures, and an information center to help visitors make the most of their day in the park.

Exhibits are bilingual in English and Spanish. Themes include the value of wilderness, Native American stewardship of the land, birds and other wildlife you may

see in the park, and ongoing research being conducted by Park District scientists.

Sunol Regional Wilderness is the gateway to about 20,000 acres of wild and remote public open space, including the 30-mile Ohlone Wilderness Trail, which links all the parklands and water district properties between Fremont and Lake Del Valle south of Livermore.

Completion of the project will be celebrated with a ribbon cutting at 1 p.m. on Thursday, September 29. After the ceremony, the visitor center will be open.

Generally, the Sunol Visitor Center is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays except Thanksgiving and Christmas Day. It is closed all other days. Entry is free. Sunol Regional Wilderness has a parking fee of \$5 per vehicle. The park is located at 1895 Geary Road off Calaveras Road, about five miles south of I-680 and the town of Sunol.

Another Park District attraction worth checking out is the new crevice garden at

the Regional Parks Botanic Garden in Tilden Regional Park near Berkeley.

The small garden creates an environment for the kinds of native alpine plants that grow in rock fissures at high altitudes in the Sierra Nevada mountain range. Their beauty can now be enjoyed close to home. Funds for the project were provided by the Park District, Regional Parks Foundation and Friends of the Regional Parks Botanic Garden.

The Botanic Garden contains an extensive collection of native California plants. It is divided into ten geographic sections. Each represents a different California environment, and displays the plants that grow there. Examples include Southern California, Shasta-Klamath, Channel Islands, Sierran and Redwood. Because of the diversity, there's almost always something in bloom at the garden.

The garden is located at 1550 Wildcat Canyon Road at the intersection with South Park Drive. Fall hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. A plant

sale is scheduled at the garden on October 1. For information and updates, visit the Friends of the Garden website, [www.nativeplants.org](http://www.nativeplants.org).

Mark your calendars for Sunday, October 2, when the annual Gathering of the Ohlone Peoples will take place from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. The gathering is usually at Coyote Hills Regional Park in Fremont. However, it is virtual this year, due to COVID concerns. The link to view the event is [www.ebparks.org/Gathering-of-Ohlone-Peoples](http://www.ebparks.org/Gathering-of-Ohlone-Peoples).

Native Americans from several tribes will share information about their culture, history and traditions, and discuss their current involvements.

Coyote Hills is open to the public as usual. The park is located at the end of Patterson Ranch Road off Paseo Padre Parkway. There's a parking fee of \$5 per vehicle. For information on the park or the virtual gathering, call (510) 544-3220.

## News and Notes FROM AROUND THE WORLD

SUBMITTED BY  
THE ASSOCIATION OF  
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### Life is a marshmallow

You'd think the judges at Guinness World Records would honor David Rush for the numbers of world records he's broken -- some 250 Guinness records to date, reports the Association of Mature American Citizens (AMAC). Most recently he broke the record for catching the most marshmallows in his mouth in one minute -- at least 60 of them. His brother-in-law, Jonathan Hannon, helped him out by operating a makeshift, handheld catapult to deliver the sweet treats at an event in New York City recently to celebrate the launch of the

2023 Guinness Book of World Records. See video of the new marshmallow record on YouTube: [www.youtube.com/watch?v=PT-MauaybZDQ](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PT-MauaybZDQ).

### Who doesn't love a cannoli?

It was a tasty record that a team of chefs from all over Italy concocted recently -- a mouthwatering 70-foot, 3.7-inch cannoli, according to AMAC. Its crispy, tasty shell was filled with 1,500 pounds of sweet ricotta much to the delight of the residents of Caltanissetta, Sicily, which is known as the birthplace of the cannoli. See video of the cannoli on YouTube: [www.youtube.com/watch?v=64gOSf0zLUC](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=64gOSf0zLUC).

### It is the 'wurst' of times

Oktoberfest is back! The fest was postponed for two years due

to covid, much to the chagrin of beer lovers from around the world. The legendary annual German beer celebration has been attracting local and international tourists since 1810, reports AMAC. In recent years -- prior to the pandemic -- some six to seven million tipplers, ale addicts and hops handlers would gather in Munich each year at about this time for the festivities, downing millions of liters of the brew and devouring millions of bratwursts, bockwursts, weisswursts and any other kind of wurst you desire. The festgoers are back, they are thirsty and hungry. Wunderbar! See video of Oktoberfest 2022 in Munich, Germany on YouTube: [www.youtube.com/watch?v=WSxNbiPljQE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WSxNbiPljQE).

*The Association of Mature American Citizens is a nonprofit, nonpartisan advocacy organization representing membership in Washington, D.C. and in local congressional districts nationwide. More information is available on its website at [www.amac.us](http://www.amac.us).*

## What would you bury in a time capsule?

SUBMITTED BY  
CITY OF SAN LEANDRO

As part of the City of San Leandro's ongoing 150th anniversary celebrations, city officials are asking community members for suggestions for items to include in a recently excavated time capsule that will be ressealed soon and reopened in 50 years.

The time capsule was first buried in 1972 as part of the city's centennial celebrations. Inside it, Centennial Committee members placed souvenirs, mementos, business cards, and other items that they wanted to share with San Leandro of 2022. The time

capsule will have new items added and reburied for San Leandro officials to open in 2072.

Officials are looking for items that represent contemporary life in San Leandro, items like menus, maps, masks and Clipper cards, but all suggestions are welcome. Suggestions will be accepted through October 15. Ideas can be submitted online at [www.sanleandro.org/150](http://www.sanleandro.org/150).

Additionally, there are other ways to contribute to the time capsule. A "Notes to the Future" program provides community members with an opportunity to write letters, notes, and doodles that will be included in the time capsule. These items can be contributed at the San Leandro

Main Library. For program dates, check the library's website at [www.SanLeandro.org/Library](http://www.SanLeandro.org/Library).

The "2022 Yearbook Project" is pulling together a collection of community photos and stories that document everyday life in San Leandro. These items will be compiled into a "yearbook" which will be buried with a time capsule are reopened when the city celebrates its 200th anniversary.

Community members can submit digital pictures or use equipment from the San Leandro Main Library's DIY Memory Lab to digitize material. Items must be submitted by October 31 at [www.SanLeandro.org/150](http://www.SanLeandro.org/150). For details, call (510) 577-3971.

## New Korean grocery opens in Fremont

BY STEPHANIE GERTSCH

On Friday, September 23, Fremont officials cut the ribbon for "Mega Mart" in the former Sprouts location near the HUB and Downtown Fremont. Whether you are a fan of baked goods, meats and produce for Korean cooking, seasonings like gochujang, treats like sushi and gimbap, or Korean skincare—you will be sure to find all your shopping needs.

A Bay Area News Group report states that this is the third U.S. location of Mega Mart. (The one in Sunnyvale operates as "The K Market.")

The new grocery store is around the corner from Korean restaurant Miga and smaller grocery Manna Oriental Market, previously the only specifically Korean grocery in Fremont. (The nearest H Mart is in San Jose.) It's another welcome expansion of Asian food shopping options, after Osaka Marketplace (Japanese grocery and food court) opening in Warm Springs in Fall 2021.

### Mega Mart

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## Joketoberfest

SUBMITTED BY KARIN RICHEY  
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PLETHOS PRODUCTIONS

Plethos Productions presents their 5th annual "Joketoberfest" stand-up comedy show on Saturday, October 1, at the vintage Chabot Theater in Castro Valley.

Host Priya Guyadeen will be kicking off the night and present comics seen on stages all over the Bay Area (and beyond!). Featured comics are Terry Dorsey, Molly Magee, Rachel Pinson and Patrick McDermott. The night will be headlined by Tommy T's

Comedy Competition winner Jay Rich.

Guests can enjoy a selection of craft beer on tap as well as signature movie theater snacks to ring in October. Tickets are going fast at [plethos.org](http://plethos.org).

### Joketoberfest

Saturday, Oct 1

8:30 p.m.

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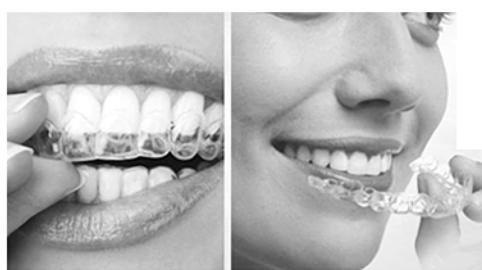
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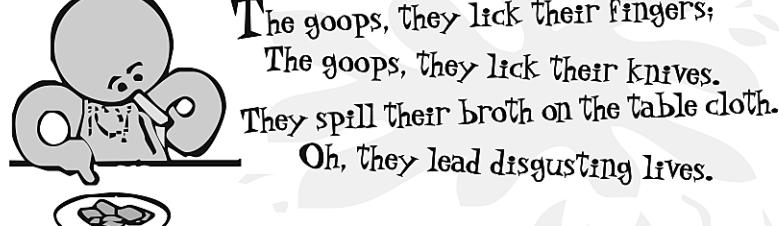
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## Gelett Burgess: The Nonsense Expert

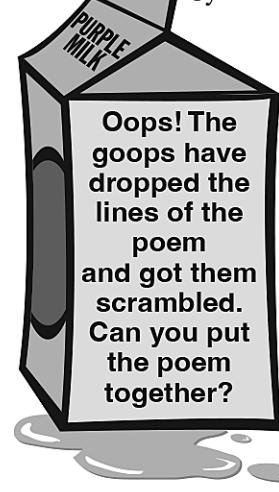
Born January 30, 1866, Gelett Burgess is remembered as a nonsense expert. In fact, he may be one of your favorite authors, even though you have probably never heard of him.

He invented such great words as "blurb" and "goop." Goop comes from the many tales he told of the boneless, ill-mannered and sort-of-human characters he named "goops."



## The Purple Cow

The most quoted poem of the 1890s was a little ditty by Gelett Burgess called "The Purple Cow."



- A But I can tell you anyhow,
- B I'd rather see than be one.
- C I never hope to see one,
- D I never saw a purple cow

ANSWER: The correct order is D, C, A, B.

Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

## How to Draw a Purple Cow



### STEP 1

Draw big, simple shapes for your cow's body with a pencil. Draw very lightly. A cow's body is a rectangle. Cows have short legs and a long tail. Draw ovals for the head and feet.

Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.



### STEP 3

Draw over the pencil lines in ink. Make sure the ink is dry, then erase all the pencil lines. Color your cow and add spots, stripes, or wild & wacky patterns.

Standards Link: Vocabulary: Create words from context clues.

## Extra! Extra!

### Nonsense Dot-to-Dot

Select one page of the newspaper and find all of the letters that spell the word NONSENSE. Circle each letter. Draw a line from the 'N' to the 'O' and so forth until you have connected all the letters. What kind of picture can you make from the design created by these dots and lines?

Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow multiple-step directions.

**CARE  
POOL  
OVER  
KNOW  
TODAY  
STOP**

Standards Link: Vocabulary: Identify words that rhyme.

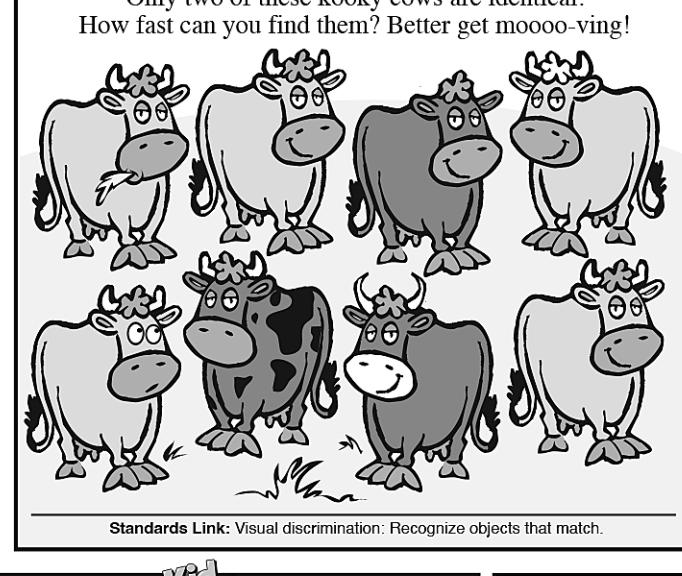
## Kid Scoo-doku™

Complete the grid by using all the letters in the word RHYME in each vertical and horizontal row. Each letter should only be used once in each row. Some spaces have been filled in for you.

R			M
H			R
Y	E	R	
M	H	R	
E	R		Y

Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

## Kid Scoop Puzzler



Standards Link: Visual discrimination: Recognize objects that match.

## Double Double Word Search

**NONSENSE  
PURPLE  
EXPERT  
GOOPS  
BLURB  
ALPHABET  
POEM  
VERSES  
BROTH  
NEVER  
WORDS  
COW  
LOUD  
TEETH  
LICK**

**G M E R E V E N L E  
T T E G B E U R E T  
S D R O W R E S L E  
G B P O P S N E P B  
T R E P X E S W R A  
E O D S S S O U U H  
E T U N S C L W P P  
T H O O R B K C I L  
H N L D X N N A M A**

Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognize identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

ANSWER: Wrong.

## Kid Scoop® VOCABULARY BUILDERS

This week's word:

**NONSENSE**

The noun **nonsense** means words or actions that have no meaning, are silly or that don't make sense.

A limerick is a silly poem that sometimes is **nonsense**.

Try to use the word **nonsense** in a sentence today when talking with your friends and family.

## Write On!

## Sticky Situation

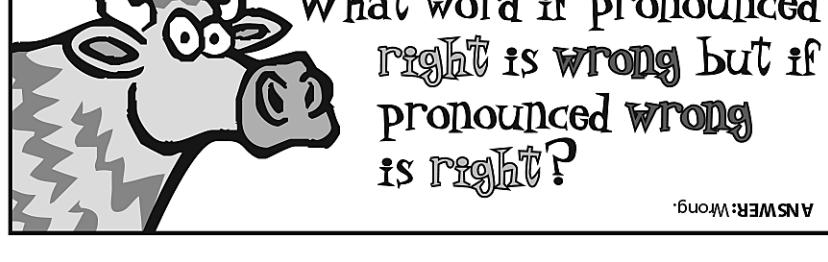
What is a time you found yourself in a "sticky" or difficult situation? How did you solve your problem?

## FROM THE Kid Scoop® LESSON LIBRARY

### Opposite Ads

Find an ad in the newspaper. Rewrite the ad so that it says just the opposite of the original.

Standards Link: Writing: Write brief descriptive narratives.



ANSWER: Wrong.

# The Fremont CONNECTION



## Feedback for the City of Fremont? We want to know!

The City of Fremont is excited to announce the launch of MyFremont, an online civic engagement platform, where residents can engage with one another, receive updates on City projects, plans, and events, via online community engagement tools to directly impact Fremont's decision-making process.

**Scan the QR Code below to register to share your feedback on City projects, initiatives, and more.**

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## Colored pencil as a fine art medium

BY LINA MELKONIAN

Fremont Art Association is delighted to have Denise Howard as the guest artist at its virtual General Meeting and Art Demo on Wednesday, October 5.

A nationally and internationally recognized artist, Howard is the recipient of numerous awards for her realistic colored pencil and graphite work. In her demo, "Colored Pencil as A Fine Art Medium," she will present a brief history of colored pencil, discuss how it compares to other media such as graphite, pastel, and watercolor, and cover the various types of colored pencil. She'll show some papers and surfaces that work well for colored pencil and demonstrate a few tools and techniques.

Growing up on a Missouri farm surrounded by animals and nature, Howard cultivated her

passion for drawing. She went on to earn bachelor's degrees in art and math/computer science as well as a master's in computer science focused on computer graphics. Howard was one of the developers of iPhoto at Apple and has earned movie credits on *Antz* and the Academy Award-winning *Shrek* at PDI/Dreamworks.

After working for more than 25 years in software engineering, Howard could no longer ignore the urge to create art, and thus launched her second career. Howard is a Ten-Year Merit Signature Member of the Colored Pencil Society of America (CPSA), and a Silver Signature Member of the United Kingdom Colored Pencil Society (UKCPS). Her artwork, and articles by and about her, have been published in several books and magazines. She is the author of *101 Textures in Colored*

Pencil

and a co-author of *The Complete Book of Textures for Artists* (Walter Foster Publishing, 2017 and 2020, respectively). She is a sought-after workshop presenter.

It's apparent that Howard's analytical background and inborn creativity pervade her work. The exquisiteness and power is in the detail. Her creations compel us to take a closer look at the world around us and to recognize some inherent beauty and meaning we may have missed.

You may view Howard's work at: [www.denisejhowardart.com](http://www.denisejhowardart.com)

Participants must register in advance and will receive the Zoom link via email. Details at: [www.fremontartassociation.org/monthlymeetinganddemo](http://www.fremontartassociation.org/monthlymeetinganddemo).

**Fremont Art Association general meeting & art demo**  
**Wednesday, October 5**  
**1 p.m. - 3 p.m.**  
**Via Zoom, link will be provided upon registration.**  
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# Home & Garden

## Creative ways to enjoy pansies this fall

BY MELINDA MYERS

Pansies have long been a fall and winter garden favorite. These cheery flowers are sure to brighten landscapes and containers and add a smile to any occasion. Look for fun and new ways to add them to your garden and fall celebrations.

You will find these cool weather favorites at your local garden center. Pansies thrive in the cooler temperatures of fall and during mild winters when your summer annuals fade or succumb to frost. They make great fillers in garden beds and containers or displayed in their own planter.

Cool Wave®, WonderFall and other trailing pansies are perfect for hanging baskets, as trailers in container gardens, or as edging plants in garden beds. You will need half as many of these pansy varieties to cover the same garden space.

Plant a basket of white trailing pansies, add some sunglasses and you have a ghost for Halloween. Scoop out the inside of a pumpkin, add some drainage holes and use it for a planter. Fill it with potting mix and you'll have a biodegradable pot for the compost pile when finished. Or simply set a container of pansies inside your pumpkin pot.

Be sure to include a few favorite colors, fragrant varieties, and some All-America

Selections winners. Ultima Morpho was the 2002 winner, selected for its distinct blue and yellow flower design. Padparadja is a true orange pansy that is perfect for fall, and Majestic Giants pansy, selected in 1966, can still be found for sale. Generations of gardeners have planted this large-flowered, traditional-faced pansy.

Include pansies in your fall meals and gatherings. Only use pansies and other edible flowers that have not been treated with pesticides. Be sure to let your guests know that the pansies are safe to eat, so they can enjoy this unique dining experience. Otherwise, you will find blossoms at the bottom of glasses or left on plates.

Pick a few flowers, remove the reproductive parts, and freeze them in ice cube trays to serve in your favorite beverage. Float a few of the flower ice cubes in your favorite punch.

Add a gourmet touch, some unique flavor, and color to your salads by topping a bed of greens with a few flowers. Continue the theme by decorating cookies or cakes with a few of your favorite pansies. The cheerful flowers will generate happy thoughts and for some, a way to enjoy the last of this season's garden.

Brighten the start of school and your classroom while showing your favorite teacher a bit of appreciation. A



do-it-yourself planter filled with cheery pansies is sure to elevate the mood of both students and teachers alike.

All you need are two yardsticks, a 4" x 4" wooden planter box, and a potted pansy and saucer that fit inside the planter box. Gather your glue gun and glue sticks, sandpaper, and a hobby knife to create your gift.

Cut the yardsticks into four-inch pieces and sand the cut edges smooth. Glue the yardstick pieces vertically and next to each other onto all four sides of the planter. Set the saucer in the bottom of the planter box and place the potted pansy on top of it.

Purchase plenty of pansies. You are sure to find other creative ways to utilize them this fall or simply use them as colorful fillers for voids in gardens and containers.

*Melinda Myers has written more than 20 gardening books, including the recently released *Midwest Gardener's Handbook, 2nd Edition* and *Small Space Gardening*. She hosts *The Great Courses "How to Grow Anything"* instant video and DVD series and the nationally syndicated *Melinda's Garden Moment* TV & radio program. Myers is a columnist and contributing editor for *Birds & Blooms* magazine and her website is [www.MelindaMyers.com](http://www.MelindaMyers.com).*



## THE ACWD CONNECTION

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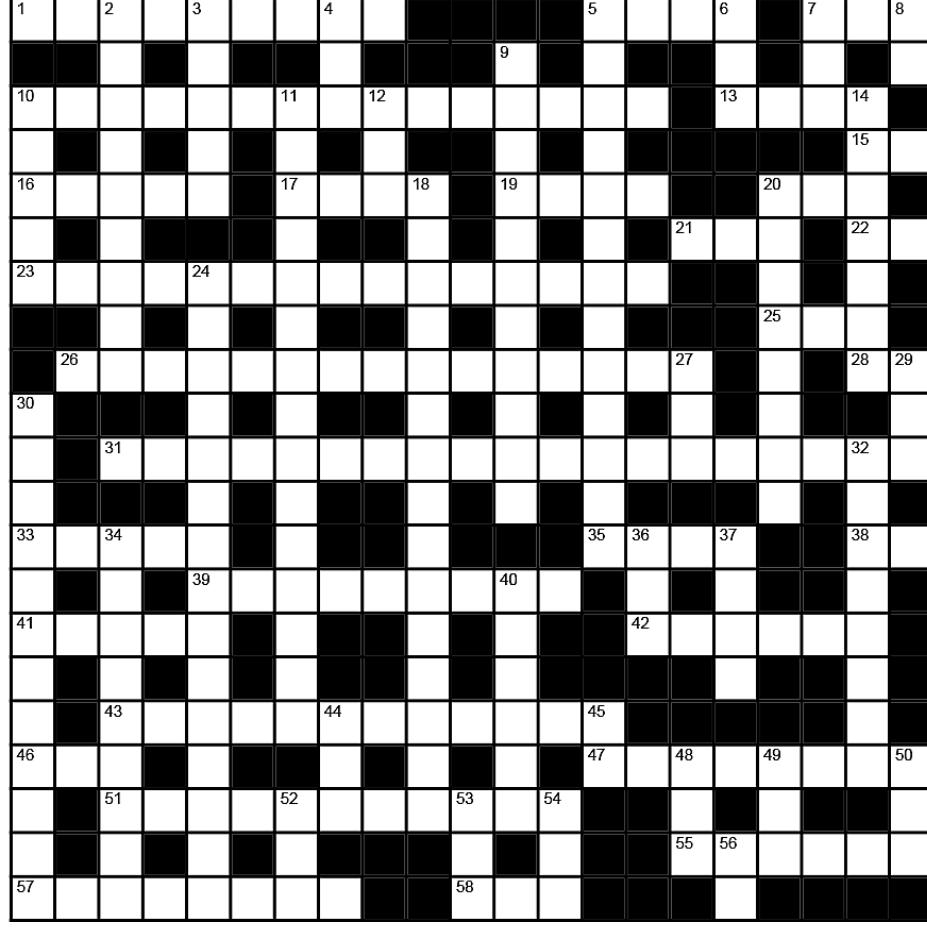


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# Mind Twisters

## Crossword Puzzle

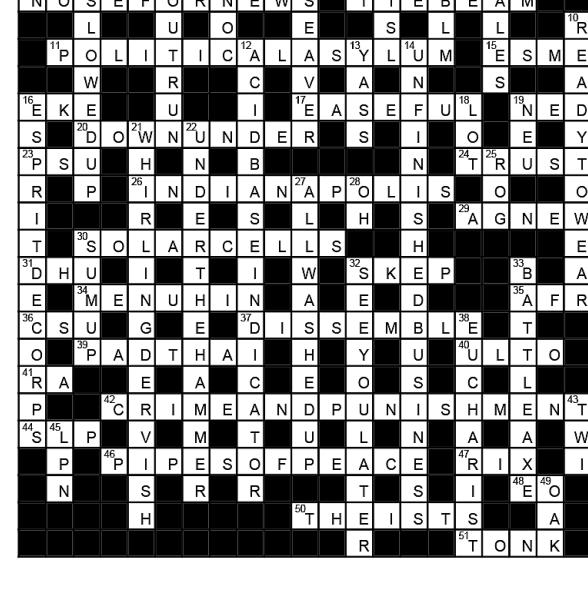


Across		38	God of midday sun (2)	11	Lose it (4,1,10)
1	Canadian flag symbol (5-4)	39	Minuscule (4-5)	12	African antelope (3)
5	"Nonsense!" (4)	41	Chocolate syrup brand (5)	14	Enter a tournament (7)
7	"Rock and Roll, Hoochie ____"	42	Belief in one causal principle (6)	18	Form of geometry (7,8)
(1974 hit) (3)		43	Barricade just big enough to	20	Ran (8)
10	Dire alternatives (4,2,4,5)		keep out certain birds? (5,4,3)	24	A pittance, paywise (10,5)
13	Brass component (4)	46	Big ____ Conference (3)	27	Abbr. on a shingle (3)
15	"No kidding!" (2)	47	Most pleasing to the palate (8)	29	Mantra sounds (3)
16	Muslim messiah (5)	51	Playing the tourist (11)	30	England + Scotland + Wales (5,7)
17	Part of R.S.V.P. (4)	55	Handy-andies (2-4)		Iranians' northern neighbors (8)
19	Kid (4)	57	Biblical vessel (5,3)	32	Australia/New Zealand separator (6,3)
20	Tech. used to prevent CD	58	"____ Can Cook": PBS show (3)	34	Elemental ending (0-3)
copying (3)					Princes, e.g. (4)
21	Third-century date (3)	Down		36	Connected (4,2)
22	3.14 (2)	2	Mount for Death in Revelation (4,5)	37	Czech reformer (3)
23	Home to countless bats; one of the 17A (8,7)	3	Eggplant, e.g. (5)	40	"____ Lay Me Down" (1995 hit) (3)
25	The ____ & Ern Program (a way for kids to redeem Kellogg's coupons for prizes) (3)	4	"____ Lay Me Down" (1995 hit) (3)	44	I give you ____ word (2)
26	Be a role model (3,1,4,7)	5	Last straw (8,5)	48	1,400 in letters (3)
28	"Captain ____" (1986 Michael Jackson role) (2)	6	1978-79 CBS detective drama (3)	49	An end of this puzzle (3)
31	Stir fry? (8,11)	7	____-Tiki (3)	50	Copyright relatives, briefly (3)
33	Aged: Abbr. (5)	8	Belonging to (2)	52	State policeman: Abbr. (3)
35	Nervous twitches (4)	9	Rats (11)	53	Abnormal ending? (3)
		10	Blood-related (5)	54	Lee, e.g.: Abbr. (3)
				56	"That hurt!" (2)

## Sudoku:

Fill in the missing numbers (1 – 9 inclusive) so each row, column and 3x3 box contains all digits.

8		4			6			
9	7			1		2		
3	1			6	5			
4	2			7	9			
				4	3			
6				1	2	3		
	8					5		
				3	9			



5	7	3	9	4	8	6	1	2
6	4	2	5	7	1	8	9	3
1	9	8	3	6	2	5	4	7
3	2	9	1	8	6	4	7	5
4	6	5	7	9	3	2	8	1
8	1	7	2	5	4	9	3	6
7	5	6	8	3	9	1	2	4
9	3	1	4	2	5	7	6	8
2	8	4	6	1	7	3	5	9

## Tri-City Stargazer FOR WEEK: SEPTEMBER 27, 2022

All Signs: This week is powerful and productive! It will be powerful because everyone wants to network and socialize. People will establish new connections and make new friends. This week is also productive because everyone is happy to work hard. This means now is the time to reach out to others. Also, be open to accepting invitations and offers that come your way.

### Aries the Ram

(March 21-April 20):

The energy this week is amazing for your sign, and you can use it to your advantage. For starters, there is a lovely, feel-good dynamic happening between you and partners and close friends. At the beginning of the week, you will roll up your sleeves to get hands-on in your job. Many of you will see ways to make improvements or introduce reforms. Meanwhile, you will be patient with others if things are challenging. In fact, you will feel rewarded by work that requires intellectual or physical perseverance. Whatever you do – you will do carefully.

### Taurus the Bull

(April 21-May 20):

At the beginning of this week, relations with coworkers are positive! Meanwhile, this is a productive time for you because you are motivated to work hard. Your energy will be slow, steady and persevering. Meanwhile, those of you involved with sports, children, the entertainment world, the hospitality industry or any creative project will be heartened by seeing new approaches and new ways of doing things. Some of you will meet someone who has a strong influence on your approach to your work. Or vice versa – you will influence someone else?

### Gemini the Twins

(May 21-June 20):

This is a playful time for you! Accept all invitations to party, enjoy sports events and fun times with children. At the beginning of the week, social occasions – luncheons, dinners, and fun with friends -- will be rewarding. Meanwhile, you will also see ways to make improvements at home,

perhaps to bathrooms, plumbing and anything connected to garbage and recycling. You will be super productive this week because Mars in your sign is dancing with Saturn, which makes you motivated, persevering and dogged in your efforts to get things done.

### Cancer the Crab

(June 21-July 21):

This week begins on a lovely, feel-good note. It's a great time to entertain at home. Group activities will be upbeat. Family gatherings will be joyful. Meanwhile, this week, you will be persuasive when it comes to making others go along with your future plans. Admittedly, you might be obsessed with an idea. It could relate to a business deal or a negotiation. Remind yourself to listen as well as to speak. Something is going on behind the scenes and you might be part of this hidden activity.

### Leo the Lion

(July 22-August 22):

This is a busy, fast-paced week! It begins on an upbeat, optimistic note, which means you're happy! However, there is a tendency for you to promise more than you can deliver. You might overestimate something. You have a strong focus on cash flow and finances this week. You want to be resourceful in order to save money. Fortunately, you will also attract money to you! Meanwhile, efforts with groups and friends will bring results. Your involvement with someone else will be focused, relentless and productive. Caution against being obsessed about something. Remember to listen to others.

### Virgo the Virgin

(August 23-September 22):

You are focused on money this week. In financial discussions or

making money decisions, be careful of the beginning of the week because you might overestimate something. Be conservative to stay on the safe side. Meanwhile, your ambition is aroused this week. You have specific ideas and you want to get things done! This is why you will be convincing when talking to others. In fact, they might view you as being obsessed (which could be the truth). If there's any money left, this is a good week to buy wardrobe items for yourself.

### Libra the Scales

(September 23-October 22):

As this week begins, you feel cheerful and optimistic. This is why you might indulge yourself buying beautiful things for yourself or your home. Meanwhile, you're excited about making travel plans or travelling somewhere. In fact, this excitement will translate into a dedicated effort on your part to do something to expand your world so you feel more alive! Fortunately, any research on your part will bring results. This week, your ability to ferret out information that you need is uncanny.

### Scorpio the Scorpion

(October 23-November 21):

It's curious because this week, in one way, you're happy keeping a low profile. This might be due to dealing with taxes, debt and shared property, estates, and inheritances. You will be dogged in your attempts to finish this work. Nevertheless, you have this urge to get out and talk to people. You want to share passionate ideas with friends or groups. Some of you will draw a line in the sand and say, "This is important!" Meanwhile, relations with friends and groups are warm and affectionate. (A friend might become a lover.)

### Sagittarius the Archer

(November 22-December 21):

Because you feel upbeat and eager to socialize, this is a popular week for you. You will appreciate the company of children. You will enjoy sports events, social outings and interactions with clubs and groups. Think twice before you volunteer for something because you might bite off more than you can chew. Meanwhile, relations with partners and close friends might be challenging. You might be at odds over something. Discussions with bosses, parents and authority figures will be intense. This is because you have strong opinions about something.

### Capricorn the Goat

(December 22-January 19):

Lucky you! You look wonderful to others right now even if you don't do anything special. In fact, at the beginning of the week, you look successful and affluent. Be careful this great press doesn't seduce you into agreeing to something that you might later regret. You have strong opinions about politics, religion or racial issues this week. Meanwhile, you will accomplish a lot this week because you will work extremely hard to achieve something that matters. No matter how overwhelmed you feel, you will doggedly pursue your goals until you're satisfied.

### Aquarius the Water Bearer

(January 20-February 18):

You are in a happy, upbeat state of mind as this week begins, especially if you can travel or do something different and exciting. In your attempt to get thrills, you might go overboard. Because you are involved in political, religious or racial issues – be careful you

don't stretch yourself too thin. Those of you involved in sports or the arts will work hard to perfect your technique. Others might work just as hard to pull off a fabulous social event. Meanwhile, you have strong views about how to share or divide something.

### Pisces the Fish

(February 19-March 20):

You might be feeling flush at the beginning of the week, which is why you're tempted to go overboard spending money. Or perhaps in your involvement with sharing or dividing something, you're tempted to give away the farm? Think twice so that you have no regrets later. Don't listen to others. Listen to yourself. Do what makes you feel comfortable – and no more.

Meanwhile, you are working hard to restore order to your home and possibly a family situation.



By Georgia Nicols  
www.georgianicols.com.

		CASTRO VALLEY   TOTAL SALES: 12									
ADDRESS		ZIP	SOLD FOR BDS SQFT		BUILT		CLOSED				
3929 Forest Circle	94546	780,000	2	1212	2009	7/26/22					
2573 Miramar Avenue	94546	790,000	2	1084	1950	7/29/22					
19576 Vaughn Avenue	94546	845,000	3	1164	1954	7/28/22					
22351 Cameron Street	94546	908,000	3	1126	1951	7/29/22					
2824 Norbridge Ave	94546	950,000	3	1357	1967	7/28/22					
17480 Madison Ave	94546	995,000	3	1663	1984	7/26/22					
18303 Vineyard Road	94546	1,169,000	3	1404	1958	7/27/22					
21561 Knoll Way	94546	1,258,000	3	1757	1955	7/26/22					
18789 Crane Avenue	94546	1,278,500	5	2750	1956	7/27/22					
17326 Mayflower Dr	94546	1,500,000	3	1800	1958	7/29/22					
2468 Fox Ridge Drive	94546	1,520,000	4	2881	1994	7/26/22					
5567 Greenridge Road	94552	2,110,000	4	1834	1960	7/29/22					

## FREMONT | TOTAL SALES: 32

Highest \$: 4,000,000 Median \$: 1,225,000  
Lowest \$: 330,000 Average \$: 1,380,844

ADDRESS		ZIP	SOLD FOR BDS SQFT		BUILT		CLOSED			
3373 Foxtail Terrace	94536	330,000	-	421	1986	7/26/22				
2755 Country Dr #303	94536	379,000	1	750	1970	7/29/22				
37326 Spruce Terrace	94536	434,500	1	593	1986	7/29/22				
34662 Greenstone Cmn	94555	599,000	2	988	1970	7/26/22				
3695 Stevenson Blvd #D321	94538	717,000	2	1040	1991	7/29/22				
39191 Argonaut Way #115	94538	720,000	2	1215	1974	7/25/22				
34776 Tuxedo Cmn #46	94555	800,000	2	991	1987	7/26/22				
38730 Crane Terrace #5	94536	895,000	3	1534	1985	7/27/22				
3927 Vicolet Terrace	94538	899,000	2	1198	2014	7/25/22				
3839 Meeks Terrace	94538	910,000	3	1338	1981	7/27/22				
3883 Jacana Lake Court	94555	1,155,000	3	1506	1978	7/25/22				
30 Potel Terrace	94536	1,175,000	3	1663	1984	7/26/22				
36710 Bonito Drive	94536	1,200,000	3	1163	1955	7/25/22				
39420 Wilford Street	94538	1,200,000	3	1630	1963	7/26/22				
34547 Milburn Terrace	94555	1,203,000	2	1249	1989	7/27/22				
103 Branta Common	94539	1,220,000	3	1916	2017	7/29/22				
35345 Cabral Drive	94536	1,230,000	3	1242	1964	7/29/22				
5143 Silver Reef Drive	94538	1,250,000	3	1067	1961	7/25/22				
40339 Blacow Road	94538	1,310,000	4	1324	1961	7/29/22				
13 King Avenue	94536	1,410,000	3	2132	2000	7/29/22				
41166 Thurston Street	94538	1,500,000	3	1671	1959	7/29/22				
38283 Ashford Way	94536	1,510,000	4	2058	1963	7/26/22				
34280 Trampini Cmn #72	94555	1,550,000	2	1936	1992	7/26/22				
3541 Surry Place	94536	1,625,000	3	1708	1972	7/25/22				
2513 Correia Way	94539	1,625,000	3	1397	1972	7/25/22				
4930 Mansbury Street	94538	1,650,000	4	1980	1961	7/28/22				
38785 Hygeland Drive	94536	1,900,000	3	1272	1960	7/27/22				
2025 Castillejo Way	94539	2,090,500	3	2130	1979	7/28/22				
575 Concho Drive	94539	2,400,000	5	2510	1977	7/29/22				
33285 Pheasant Street	94555	2,500,000	4	2762	1980	7/25/22				
150 Pawnee Place	94539	2,800,000	3	1776	1980	7/28/22				
321 Mackintosh Terrace	94539	4,000,000	5	4144	2004	7/28/22				

## HAYWARD | TOTAL SALES: 28

Highest \$: 2,100,000 Median \$: 855,000  
Lowest \$: 369,000 Average \$: 866,286

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28129 Riggs Court	94542	369,000	4	2027	1979	7/29/22				
29300 Dixon St #112	94544	380,000	1	598	1985	7/29/22				
661 Royston Lane #339	94544	445,000	1	643	1988	7/26/22				
27422 Lemon Tree Ct	94545	450,000	3	1440	1971	7/29/22				
260 Sunset Blvd #37	94541	460,000	2	926	1981	7/29/22				
21239 Gary Dr #203d	94546	575,000	2	1025	1992	7/27/22				
755 Kellogg Avenue	94544	680,000	2	816	1950	7/29/22				
22750 Souza Court	94541	750,000	2	1113	1951	7/28/22				
211 Newton Street	94544	755,000	3	1070	1952	7/26/22				
616 Staley Avenue	94541	755,000	3	1616	2012	7/29/22				
28376 Pacific Street	94544	795,000	3	1050	1952	7/29/22				
1366 Inglewood Street	94544	800,000	3	1414	1952	7/29/22				
25045 Mohr Drive	94545	809,000	2	1032	1920	7/26/22				
3205 Monika Lane	94541	850,000	3	1900	1980	7/25/22				
1260 Highland Blvd	94542	860,000	3	1304	1948	7/29/22				
25304 Ironwood Court	94545	890,000	3	1503	1980	7/29/22				
123 Revere Avenue	94544	900,000	4	1426	1951	7/27/22				
203 Fanuncio Lane	94544	900,000	3	1817	2017	7/29/22				
22757 Moura Court	94541	905,000	4	1707	1997	7/29/22				
30588 Treeview Street	94544	910,000	3	1654	1959	7/26/22				
28232 Karn Drive	94544	920								

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## Birthday Party for Hayward Library

SUBMITTED BY JACK ALCORN

Hayward's Downtown Library celebrated its 3rd anniversary this September. The milestone was marked by library patrons and community members gathering for arts and cultural festivities in the modern spacious facility at C St. and Mission Blvd. Six months after opening in 2019, the library closed its doors in response to the COVID pandemic. Library Services Director Jayanti Addleman said "This is a very exciting time for us, having this opportunity to celebrate being back to full services. We've had all kinds of lovely events today, celebrating the diversity of Hayward."

At the event, guests wrote down three things they love about the library. People most valued the books, the seed library, tutoring programs and the streaming movies. The California Youth Chinese Symphony and student musicians from Mount Eden High School performed. The audience

enjoyed singing "Happy Birthday" to the library in many languages.

The library has three floors of books, CDs, DVDs, computers and classrooms. The facility also offers a well-lit acoustic meeting space that is bookable online. Classrooms hold tech tutoring sessions, citizenship workshops, and grammar courses for learners of English as a second language. The library's Teen Center is a welcoming safe space for teens to study or just hang out. The comfortable enclosed area provides teens with technology programs, arts & crafts space, shows movies and offers opportunities for them to volunteer.

Downtown Hayward gained an architectural asset with completion of this impressive slate and glass structure. The interior is decorated with a worldly collection of cultural art including oil paintings and wood carvings. Technology inspired exhibits also brings the walls to life. The building is well ventilated with ample natural light and durable, cleanable surfaces ensure a COVID resistant environment.

For hours and more information visit [hayward-ca.gov/public-library](http://hayward-ca.gov/public-library)



Credit Jack Alcorn



Credit: Friends of Hayward Library, Inc.

## Building connections, one click at a time

BY NANKI KAUR

PHOTOS COURTESY OF

PICTURESBYJW



For many of us, the hobbies and passions we have as children remain just that. But, for two sisters, photography quickly changed from a pastime to something more. Jackie and Jennie Wang began their journey with photography when they received their first camera as a birthday gift when they were in 8th grade. Inspired by trending photographers at the time, they decided to experiment with their talents and began to take photos for their friends' student council campaigns in June of 2018. Then, during quarantine, the two sisters decided to take their passion one step further and start a small business, PicturesbyJW. "It originally started as a fun hobby, but then grew to be something more because we were able to meet kindhearted customers who were super polite to us and encouraged us to expand our business further," Jackie explains.

PicturesbyJW is currently run online, where clients can reach out through either Instagram direct message or through the website. Clients can then schedule a photoshoot date and location, and will eventually receive their edited photos through a link. As prom and graduation shoots tend to be the most popular, the sisters have worked to ensure that their prices remain reasonable for the student population. "I think our affordable prices are another thing that draws customers," Jennie shares. "A lot of people want to charge as much as possible to their customers, but I think we've always tried to keep our prices as affordable as possible because we know that most of our customers are high schoolers who do not have jobs or sources of income."

And though their business venture has been successful thus far, Jackie and Jennie note that it was not always so simple. "One of the hardest parts is definitely just getting started and trying to create a brand for yourself. Being minors in high school, we had to

navigate the photography realm largely on our own," Jennie notes. "So, networking and meeting different photographers around the Bay Area and seeing what they're doing with their business has been helpful. Getting started, it was really hard to convince people that we were the right business for the photography needs that they were looking for. Over time, building more credibility and trust within our clientele and customer base has been super rewarding."

As seniors, the Wang sisters are currently applying to colleges, but remain hopeful for the future of their business. "I picture that our business may split up if we're living in different places," Jackie says. I think we both want to continue pursuing photography in college and continuing our services during undergraduate. Regardless of whether or not we go to different colleges, we're both still going to be involved with photography." Jennie adds that she hopes to "change people's perceptions on photography," mentioning that, to her, photography "is an art form that can connect people almost across space and time." For other teens interested in starting businesses, Jennie advises them to "just go for it. As long as you have the dedication and drive to keep going with it, you can definitely find success!"

**PicturesByJW**  
Instagram: @picturesbyjw  
Website: [picturesbyjw.mypixieset.com](http://picturesbyjw.mypixieset.com)

## Household debris dump day set

SUBMITTED BY  
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cleaners, pesticides and car batteries

- Objects over 75 pounds (except furniture and appliances)
- Medical waste
- Construction and demolition debris
- Rocks
- Bricks
- Dirt
- Concrete

A new Disposal Days program providing Hayward residents with additional opportunities to get rid of household debris safely and legally is now available.

Sponsored by Hayward Maintenance Services Department, the free program allows residents to bring up to five cubic yards of general household items to the city transfer station six times a year.

Five cubic yards of household items is about the equivalent of one full bed of an average-size pickup truck.

The next disposal day is set for 7:00 a.m. to 12 noon Saturday, October 8. Upcoming disposal days are the second Saturday of the months of December 2022 and February, April and June 2023. The transfer station is at 3455 Enterprise Ave.

### The following items are not accepted at the transfer station:

- Hazardous materials, including paint, motor oil, solvents,

### Hayward Disposal Day

**Saturday, Oct 8**

**7 a.m. – 12 noon**

**3455 Enterprise Ave.**

**Pre-registration required**

[www.hayward-ca.gov/disposal-days](http://www.hayward-ca.gov/disposal-days)

**(510) 881-7745**

**Hayward Animal Shelter**

**510-293-7200**  
[www.HaywardAnimals.com](http://www.HaywardAnimals.com)

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Xena is a 2 year old female Malinois who is well behaved /and smart. She walks great on leash, has some clicker training, and is good with other dogs. She is low energy for a Malinois but likes activities that work her mind like nosework and puzzle toys. Her adoption is FREE sponsored by SantaCon Hayward. To adopt call Hayward Animal Shelter (510) 293 - 7200.



Hopper is a 1 year old male friendly husky mix who loves people, treats, and toys. He would do well in a home with other dogs, teens and adults. To adopt call Hayward Animal Shelter (510) 293 - 7200.

\$ = Entrance or Activity Fee  
R= Reservations Required  
Schedules are subject to change.  
Call to confirm activities shown in these listings.

## Arts & Entertainment

### CONTINUING EVENTS

#### First Fridays - Saturday

##### Chabot Space \$

6:00 pm - 10:00 pm  
Tour the Patterson House Museum  
Chabot Space and Science Center  
10000 Skyline Blvd, Oakland  
(510) 336-7300  
chabotspace.org

#### First Thursdays

##### Plethos Comedy Lab \$

8:00 pm  
Ever-changing lineup of Bay Area comics (18+)  
Castro Valley Market Place  
3295 Castro Valley Blvd, Castro Valley  
(510) 901-1001  
plenthos.org  
Ticket: \$10

#### First Wednesdays

##### Talkin' Dirt

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
An Online Gathering of Gardeners  
Local Ecology and Agriculture Fremont (LEAF)  
6501 Niles Blvd, Fremont  
fremontleaf.org/talkindirt  
Registration: <https://bit.ly/3R38ELP>

#### Friday - Saturday August 26 - October 15

##### Children's Book Illustrator Show

11:00 am - 4:00 pm  
Prestigious show back for 32nd year  
Sun Gallery  
1015 E St, Hayward  
(510) 581-4050  
sungallery.org

#### Fridays

##### September 16 - October 2

##### Maize Art Exhibit

11:00 am - 3:00 pm  
Art show to celebrate Latin American Heritage  
Studio 11  
34626 11th St, Union City  
(510) 675-5825  
[instagram.com/studio11gallery](https://instagram.com/studio11gallery)

#### Monday - Saturday

##### Oh What a Relief It Is!

During Library hours  
Exhibition of mixed Media  
Hayward Public Library  
888 C St, Hayward  
(510) 293-8685  
[hayward-ca.gov/public-library](https://hayward-ca.gov/public-library)

#### Monday - Friday August 15 - September 29

##### Sumer Vibes Exhibit

9:00 am - 5:00 pm  
John O'Lague Galleria  
Hayward City Hall  
777 Hayward, Hayward  
(510) 583-4000

#### Monday - Saturday August 20 - October 7

##### Velourian Visions

During Library hours  
Artwork by Carrie King  
Hayward Public Library  
888 C St, Hayward  
(510) 293-8685  
[hayward-ca.gov/public-library](https://hayward-ca.gov/public-library)

#### October 1 - October 9

##### The Elixir of Love

Livermore Valley Opera performs Donizetti's beloved comic opera  
Bankhead Theatre  
2400 2400 First St, Livermore  
(925) 373-6800  
[livermorearts.org/Lvopera.com](https://livermorearts.org/Lvopera.com)

#### Saturday - Sunday October 1 - October 30

##### Pumpkin Pick \$

10:00 am - 6:00 pm  
Variety of pumpkins, Indian corns, gourds, wheat bundles and many more  
Joan's Farm & Pumpkin Patch  
4351 Mines Rd, Livermore  
[joansfarm.com](https://joansfarm.com)

#### Saturdays - Sunday

##### Nectar Garden Exploration

11:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Discover native pollinators and plants  
Coyote Hills Visitors Center  
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd, Fremont  
(510) 544-3220

[ebparks.org/parks/visitor-centers/coyote-hills](http://ebparks.org/parks/visitor-centers/coyote-hills)

34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont  
(888)327-2757  
[www.ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood](http://www.ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood)

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### Tuesday, September 27

##### Ohlone People: Past, Present and Future

6:30 pm - 7:30 pm  
Learn history and heritage of Muwekma Ohlone Tribe  
Castro Valley Library  
3600 Norbridge Ave, Castro Valley  
(510) 667-7900 [aclibrary.org](http://aclibrary.org)  
Nathan Silva  
[castrovally@aclibrary.org](mailto:castrovally@aclibrary.org)

#### Wednesday, September 28 R

##### Fall 2022 In-Person Career Fair

12:00 pm - 2:30 pm  
Career Fair  
Ohlone College  
43600 Mission Blvd, Fremont  
[www.ohlone.edu](http://www.ohlone.edu)  
Individuals should be fully vaccinated  
Parking: \$4

#### Thursday, September 29 R

##### Job Fair & Career Expo

4:00 pm - 6:30 pm  
Co-hosted by all 5 Chambers of Commerce and Tri-Valley Career Center  
Tri-Valley Career Center  
5860 Owens Dr, Pleasanton  
3rd floor  
(925) 416-5100  
[trivalleycareercenter.org](http://trivalleycareercenter.org)  
[tinyurl.com/tvcjfcce](http://tinyurl.com/tvcjfcce)

#### Thursday, September 29 R

##### Pre-Apprentice Workshop

4:30 pm - 6:00 pm  
Current projects, entrance requirements, benefits of program  
Hayward Public Library  
888 C St, Hayward  
(510) 293-8685  
[hayward-ca.gov/public-library](http://hayward-ca.gov/public-library)  
[bit.ly/3BBtM5T](http://bit.ly/3BBtM5T)

#### Thursday, September 29 R

##### Healthy Living Festival

9:00 am - 2:00 pm  
Promoting health and wellness for 60+ adults  
Oakland Zoo  
9777 Golf Links Rd, Oakland  
(510) 632-9525  
[www.oaklandzoo.org](http://www.oaklandzoo.org)  
[bit.ly/3UrbInR](http://bit.ly/3UrbInR)

#### Friday, September 30

##### 12th Hayward Mariachi Festival

5:00 pm - 9:30 pm  
Mariachi music, taco eating contest  
Hayward City Hall  
777 Hayward, Hayward  
(510) 583-4000

#### Friday, September 30 \$ R

##### Sip and Paint

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm  
Interactive paint party  
Age Well Center at Lake Elizabeth  
40086 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont  
(510) 790 6606

#### Saturday, October 1 \$ R

##### Clara Patterson, Suffragist & World Traveler

Call for times  
Special tour showcasing the Patterson family  
Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont  
(888)327-2757  
[www.ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood](http://www.ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood)

#### Saturday, October 1

##### Science in the Park

9:00 am - 2:00 pm  
Lego carnival, rockets, robotics activities  
California State University, East Bay  
25800 Carlos Bee Blvd, Hayward  
Amphitheater at Lot H, K  
(510) 885-3000  
[www.csueastbay.edu](http://www.csueastbay.edu)  
[scienceinthepark.org](http://scienceinthepark.org)

#### Saturday, October 1

##### Milpitas Mayoral Forum

12:00 pm - 1:30 pm  
Candidates talk about issues  
San Jose Community College  
1450 Escuela Pkwy, Milpitas  
(408) 947-5350  
[sjcc.edu](http://sjcc.edu)

**Saturday, October 1**

**Tales of Treachery and Terror**  
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm  
Author event with Lance McVay  
Books on B  
101 B street, Hayward  
(510) 538 3943  
booksonb.com  
<https://bit.ly/3Si2x8E>

**Saturday, October 1 \$**

**Bird Basics Table**  
1:00 pm - 02:00 pm  
Learn about birds and examine feathers up close  
Sunol Regional Wilderness Visitor Center  
1895 Geary Rd, Sunol  
(510) 544-3245  
[ebparks.org/parks/sunol](http://ebparks.org/parks/sunol)  
Parking \$5

**Saturday, October 1 \$ R**

**Paint Night at the Barn**  
3:00 pm - 4:30 pm  
Paint a fall/spooky scene  
Sunol Regional Wilderness Visitor Center  
1895 Geary Rd, Sunol  
(510) 544-3245  
[ebparks.org/parks/Sunol](http://ebparks.org/parks/Sunol)

**Saturday, October 1**

**Pokean: Make a Native American Game**  
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm  
Make a game created by Zuni people with corn husks  
Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont  
(888)327-2757  
[www.ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood](http://www.ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood)

**Saturday, October 1**

**Hay Hoisting**  
02:00 pm - 02:30 pm  
How were heavy bales of hay lifted into the barn?  
Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont  
(888) 327-2757  
[www.ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood](http://www.ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood)

**Saturday, October 1**

**A Taste of Africa**  
10:00 am - 6:00 pm  
See African Culture through art, music, dance and more  
Bankhead Theatre  
2400 First St, Livermore  
(925) 373-6800  
[livermorearts.org/](http://livermorearts.org/)

**Saturday - Sunday October 1 - October 2**

**Friends of San Leandro Library Fall Book Sale**  
9:00 am - 11:00 am  
Saturday: 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. members only, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. public  
Sunday: 12 noon - 3 p.m. \$3 a bag sale  
San Leandro Library  
300 Estudillo Ave, San Leandro  
[bit.ly/3R2QIk](http://bit.ly/3R2QIk)

**Sunday, October 2 \$**

**Ignite Piano Festival**  
3:00 pm - 6:00 pm  
Celebrate life and spirit through classic pieces.  
Central Park Performance Pavilion  
40000 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont

**Sunday, October 2 \$ R**

**SAVE Evening of Empowerment Gala**  
4:00 pm  
Fundraiser dinner, auctions  
Casa Bella  
11986 Main St, Sunol  
(925) 577-2331

**Sunday, October 2**

**Wake Up the Farm**  
10:30 am - 11:00 am  
Lend a hand preparing morning snack for farm animals  
Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont  
(888) 327-2757  
[www.ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood](http://www.ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood)

**Sunday, October 2 \$ R**

**Arunay Foundation 5K/10K Walkathon**  
9:00 am  
Walk to raise awareness for beach safety; participate in safety drill  
Quarry Lakes Regional Park  
2100 Isherwood Way, Fremont  
(510) 544-3130  
[ebparks.org/parks/quarry-lakes](http://ebparks.org/parks/quarry-lakes)  
[arunayfoundationwalkathon.itsyourrace.com/register/](http://arunayfoundationwalkathon.itsyourrace.com/register/)  
Registration: \$28.50 - \$33.50 adults, \$23.50 youth, \$8.50 kids

**Sunday, October 2**

**Gathering of Ohlone People**  
10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Ohlone Peoples share their culture, history, traditions  
Virtual event via YouTube  
(510) 544-3220  
[www.ebparks.org/Gathering-of-Ohlone-Peoples](http://www.ebparks.org/Gathering-of-Ohlone-Peoples)

**Sunday, October 2**

**Filipino Barrio Fiesta**  
10:00 am - 8:00 pm  
Dance, music, food, art and history  
Bankhead Theatre  
24002400 First St, Livermore  
(925) 373-6800 [livermorearts.org/](http://livermorearts.org/)

**Sunday, October 2 \$ R**

**16th Annual Wine & Liberty Celebration**  
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm  
Lunch & sampling wines, raffle items and an auction  
Westover Winery  
34329 Palomares Rd, Castro Valley  
(510) 537-3932  
[westoverwinery.com](http://westoverwinery.com)  
Tickets: \$5-\$30

**Sunday, October 9**

**Chalk Festival At The Block**  
12:00 pm - 3:00 pm  
Chalk artist, kids chalk zone, balloon makers  
Newark Public Library  
37055 Newark Blvd, Newark  
(510) 284-0675  
[bit.ly/3DyAJaM](http://bit.ly/3DyAJaM)

Sept 30; Oct 1, 7, 10, 12-13, 18-19, 24 - 27: 7 p.m. - 10 p.m.  
Oct 8, 14: 7 p.m. - midnight  
Oct 15, 21, 28: 6 p.m. - midnight  
Oct 22, 29, 31: 5:00 p.m. - 12:30 a.m.  
Nov 4 - 5: 7 p.m. - 10 p.m.  
2086 Newpark Mall, Newark  
[fearoverload.com/](http://fearoverload.com/)  
General admission: \$19.99 - \$31.99

**Candlelighters Ghost House**

Thursday, Oct 13 - Sunday, Oct 30  
Mon - Thurs: 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.  
Fri: 6 p.m. - 10 p.m.  
Sat: 3 p.m. - 10 p.m.  
Sun: 3 p.m. - 9 p.m.  
Haunted House, games booths, and snacks  
Chadbourne Carriage House  
39169 Fremont Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 796-0595  
[candlelighters.com/](http://candlelighters.com/)  
Tickets: \$4

**Fremont Street Eats: Halloween Edition**

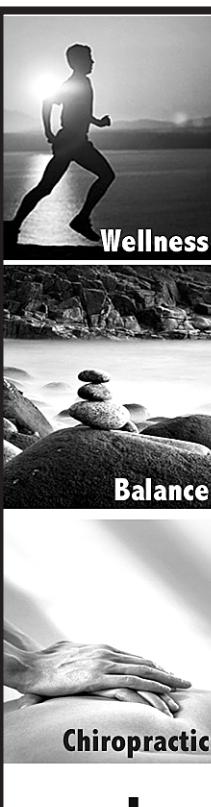
Friday, Oct 21  
5 p.m. - 9 p.m.  
Food trucks, kids / dogs costume contest, reverse trick-or-treating, line dancing  
[www.fremontstreeteats.com](http://www.fremontstreeteats.com)

**Beyond the Veil**

Friday, Oct 21 - Saturday, Oct 22  
6:15 p.m., 7:30 p.m., 8:45 p.m.  
Meek Mansion  
17365 Boston Rd., Hayward

Friday, Oct 28 - Saturday, Oct 29  
6:15 p.m., 7:30 p.m., 8:45 p.m.  
McConagh House  
18701 Hesperian Blvd., Hayward

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[www.haywardareahistory.org](http://www.haywardareahistory.org)  
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**Saturday, October 1**

**11:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.**

**Sunday, October 2**

**10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.**

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The Parish Office at 510-471-2609 / [www.olrchurch.org](http://www.olrchurch.org)

**Pumpkin Patches**

flatable slide, snack shack  
4351 Mines Rd., Livermore  
(925) 980-7772  
<http://joansfarm.com/>

**Dig Deep Farms**

Oct 8 - 30  
Sat & Sun; 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
Carving and decorative pumpkins, food and drinks, games and crafts

Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont

Admission: \$2 adults, \$1 kids under 12

**Halloween****Pirates of Emerson**

Friday, Sept 30 - Monday, Oct 31  
Sept 30; Oct 1, 2, 6, 9, 13, 16, 20, 23, 26, 30: 7:05 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Oct 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, 27, 31: 7:05 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

Oct 22, 28, 29: 7:05 p.m. - Mid-night

Alameda County Fairgrounds  
Corner of Bernal & Valley Ave., Pleasanton

[www.piratesofemerson.com/](http://www.piratesofemerson.com/)

Tickets: \$20 - \$78

**Pick of the Patch Pumpkins**

Sept 23 - Oct 9  
Mon - Fri: 3 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
Sat & Sun: 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.  
Oct 10 - 21  
Mon - Fri: 2 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
Sat & Sun: 10 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
Oct 22 - 31  
Mon - Fri: 1 p.m. - 9 p.m.  
Sat & Sun: 10 a.m. - 9 p.m.

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**Hesperian Blvd @ Paseo Grande**

San Lorenzo

[abctreefarms.net/pumpkin-patches](http://abctreefarms.net/pumpkin-patches)

**Joan's Farm & Pumpkin Patch**

Saturday, Oct 1 - Sunday, Oct 30  
10 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
(Closed Mondays, except Oct 10)  
Feed farm animals, hay bale maze, in-

**Hertz to order up to 175K GM electric vehicles over 5 years**

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Hertz plans to order up to 175,000 electric vehicles from General Motors over the next five years.

The agreement announced Sept. 20 includes electric vehicle deliveries through 2027 and will include SUVs, pickups and luxury automobiles from Chevrolet, Buick, GMC, Cadillac and BrightDrop. The companies expect deliveries of the Chevrolet Bolt EV and Bolt EUV will start in the first quarter of next year.

"We are thrilled to partner with GM on this initiative, which will dramatically expand our EV offering to Hertz customers, including leisure and business travelers, rideshare

drivers and corporates," Hertz CEO Stephen Scherr said in a prepared statement. Hertz's current goal is for one-quarter of its fleet to be electric by the end of 2024.

GM Chair and CEO Mary Barra believes the partnership will help create new electric vehicle customers. "With the vehicle choice, technology and driving range we're delivering, I'm confident that each rental experience will further increase purchase consideration for our products and drive growth for our company," she said. GM said last year that it plans to go fully electric by 2035.



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## Revealed! Mission Peak Village shows off its plans

SUBMITTED BY  
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EVELYN KOHL LATORRE

The crowd at the Downtown Event Center clapped for the short video that explained cohousing, with the aid of Legos, on September 17. The local Mission Peak Village group was showing how they would be bringing cohousing to Fremont. With large posters, and renderings by Gunkel Architecture and landscaper Karin Kaufman, the group's visuals showed the public the progress of their High Street development. Jane Mueller, co-founder of Mission Peak Village, described the group's

successful search for land and its recent work in designing the 32-unit complex.

"We've been long on inspiration," Mueller said to the interested group, "and now we have land in a pleasant area, a growing number of enthusiastic members, and an experienced dream team of experts. Our building plans are moving along at a rapid pace."

Before the session began, Mission Peak Village Member, Caroline Harris, rushed in after giving a tour for the Washington Township Museum of Local History. "Fremont's first cohousing development," Harris said, "can be featured in the tour when it's completed."

On an enlarged map, she pointed out the conveniently-located High Street property. The flat units, along with extensive common facilities, are within walking distance of Central Park, the new Irvington BART station, the farmers' market, coffee shops, and shopping areas.

When members removed the poster coverings, the room of interested attendees gathered around the four large posters containing Mission Peak Village's exterior and interior architectural renderings, substantial landscape area, and floor plans of the 1-, 2-, and 3-bedroom units with the extensive common spaces.

Mission Peak Village members stationed at each easel, heard such remarks as:

*"Looks like you guys have your act together. Beautiful layout."*

*"I love the neighborhood. So convenient to everything."*

*"I'm so glad these are flats with no stairs inside each unit."*

*"I'd love to come back and live in Fremont in this place."*

*"It's so close to the lake where I walk."*

Questions included: (with members' answers)

*"Will there be an elevator to the units on the second and third floors?"* Yes, and it goes up to the roof deck on top of the large common dining room. Covered



Peace Corps volunteer Tim, partner Camille, and Evelyn LaTorre

walkways are also planned.

*"Will noise be heard from one apartment to the next?"* No. Our architect says there have been great advances in soundproofing which we'll use.

*"How about noise from the outside?"* Again, unlikely as the windows will be several panes thick.

Animated discussions continued between servings of lemonade and snacks until closing time.

This is part of an ongoing series on cohousing. The final

article, a Q&A on why people choose to live in cohousing, will appear on October 4.

Those joining Mission Peak Village as Explorers will receive more details about the project. Membership benefits include housing discounts, priority unit selection, and a say in upcoming building and policy decisions. If Mission Peak Village sparks your curiosity, call Kelli at (510) 413-8446.

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## Get ready to scream!

New this year are a host of unusual animatronic displays, an oddities museum, and a doll, pirate and clown theme area. "It

changes every year, so even if you've been to our haunted house before, we change our themes, designs and walk-throughs so there's never the same show twice," Fields said. He cautioned that the event can be intense for younger children, and parents should plan accordingly.

The outdoor exhibit takes up about six acres and also includes

music, movies and spooky sound effects. Food will be available for purchase from the popular Crazy Empanada food truck service.

Tickets are available in advance by visiting the event website at [www.piratesofemerson.com](http://www.piratesofemerson.com). New this year is a low-cost Landlubber admission for \$20 that does not include admission to the haunted houses, but lets visitors enjoy the ambiance, music, movies characters and food outside. It's also good for parents or those chaperoning children and teenagers going through the attractions while they wait outside.

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## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

### Policing porch pirates

I'm told that the ubiquitous "porch pirates" -- thieves who steal packages left at the doors of homes -- are not a high police priority. No question that our police have busy schedules in preventing and solving crimes.

However, enterprising police departments should be interested to know that low-cost, high-tech help is available, according to a YouTube video by former NASA engineer, Mark Rober. Mr. Rober has come up with a way to catch high volume porch thieves by using "bait boxes" with GPS technology. With the bait boxes, thieves can be tracked electronically and then caught at the end of their day with all their stolen items.

Since the holiday season is fast approaching when porch pirates are the busiest and the NY Post reported that 210 million "porch packages" went missing in 2021, I hope local police departments seek assistance from Mr. Rober who is available online.

John Michael Kelly  
Hayward



Credit: Courtesy of Pirates of Emerson

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# OPINION



WILLIAM MARSHAK

It is obvious that those elected to office typically do not receive the voting support of every constituent they serve. Electoral victory in our democratic society requires a majority of voters to secure the position, which may leave many others in the losing camp(s). Whether this represents a handful, hundreds, thousands or even millions, these people do not relinquish their constituent status due to an election defeat. Therefore, an elected representative at whatever level, assumes an obligation and leadership role that brings responsibility for the welfare and well-being of all represented. Although universal consensus on methods to achieve political goals is highly unlikely and may have formed the basis for candidate positions during an election cycle, concerns and arguments of minority groups is important to consider and acknowledge to achieve widespread peaceful coexistence.

On a national scale, we have witnessed the results of a successful political campaign that catered to its "majority" of voters, then failed to gather enough support to maintain its role. The backlash of heavily partisan politics resulted in a swing of the political pendulum in the opposite direction. As we enter the final stages of an election cycle, it is important for voters to uncover the true intent and quality of candidates they chose to support. Critical at all levels of governance, mental ability and agility must be paired with a sincere intent to serve the public and represent all facets of those served. Days and weeks following election results are critical to reunite the electorate under common cause without rancor and retribution. Common problems require unified efforts to remedy such issues.

Stark differences have emerged on the political scene and, although they may appear diametrically opposed, there may be some common ground to resolve them. The Constitution and its amendments should, in all scenarios, remain at the core of candidate commitment. This country was formed on the premise that individual freedom and rights are paramount and a pledge of collective action through government is designed to enhance and protect them. It's a delicate balance; when either oversteps, adverse results are the

consequence. It all begins at the local level where smaller groups of voters determine the direction of their representatives. From that base and extended political boundaries, it becomes more difficult to control attitudes and direction.

Your vote and consideration of candidate qualification as well as measures and propositions form the bedrock of our system. As our commitment to an open election, Tri-City Voice will publish, as we have done in the past and at no cost candidates, a statement from any who care to participate. Every voter should have an opportunity to understand policies and issues presented by each candidate. Through an informed, active electorate, our representatives will be held accountable and our system of government will survive and thrive.

William Marshak  
PUBLISHER

## Blind dog rescued from hole at California construction site

ASSOCIATED PRESS

Firefighters have rescued a 13-year-old blind dog that fell into a hole at a California construction site.

According to KABC-TV, the dog, named Cesar, lives next to the site in Pasadena with his owner. The dog apparently wandered onto the site, said Cesar's owner Mary, who declined to give her last name. Cesar then fell into the hole, which was about 15 feet deep and 3 feet wide, around 7 p.m. Sept. 20.

Mary was alerted by the barking of her other dog. Cesar responded and she could hear he was no longer in her own yard. A Pasadena search and rescue team soon responded to the scene. Pasadena Fire Chief Chad Augustin said confined-space rescues present unique challenges for firefighters. "There's a lot of steps we need to do to make it as safe as possible. For not just the dog but also our rescuers," Augustin said.

The team hooked up a series of ropes and pulleys to lower one team member into the hole. It took the team member about 12 minutes to reach the dog, secure him in a harness and bring him back to the surface.

Cesar appeared to be healthy and uninjured after he was retrieved from the hole. He shook off a heavy coat of construction dirt and dust and was reunited with his owner at the scene.

## Man pleads guilty to dousing 'Bewitched' statue in red paint

ASSOCIATED PRESS

A man will be sentenced to 18 months of probation after pleading guilty to vandalizing the "Bewitched" statue by dousing the Salem, Massachusetts tourist attraction with red paint over the summer.

The 32-year-old resident was originally sentenced to a year in jail, but a Salem district court judge suspended the sentence on conditions the man repay the cost of repairing the damage inflicted on the bronze statue, The Salem News reported Sept. 20.

The statue depicts actor Elizabeth Montgomery -- as lead character Samantha Stephens in the 1960s sitcom -- sitting on a broomstick in front of a crescent moon. In June, a prosecutor said the man was "going through a rough time and wanted to do something to get arrested," and was held on bail. His attorney said he had been living in a shelter for two weeks since his marriage ended, and had been looking for a new job. He was also charged with disorderly conduct, which will be dismissed after 30 days.

The statue was erected in the city famous for the 1692 witch trials in 2005, despite protests from some who said it trivializes the tragedy of the trials.

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## Fremont City Council

**September 20, 2022**

### Consent Calendar

- Waive Further Reading of Proposed Ordinances.
- Adoption of an Ordinance Amending Fremont Municipal Code; Public Peace, Morals and Welfare, Street Racing and Sideshows.
- Adopt a Resolution Ratifying Indemnity Agreements Between the City and the County of Alameda and Authorizing Indemnity Agreements on Bond Funded Affordable Housing Projects.
- Authorize Purchase Orders for Annual Operating Payments/Renewals and Documents for Public Safety Radio Communications System.
- Appropriate Assistance to Firefighters Grant Funds for \$663,623 for Paramedic Training.
- Execute a Task Order for the Provision of Mental Health, Family Support Services, Youth Development and collaboration with the FUSD Wellness Centers.

Passed unanimously.

### Public Communications

- Coordinator of "Bee Legal" thanked Council for working on animal regulations.
- Several speakers urged greater public input for future surveys regarding animal regulations.
- Resident stated 6,000sq.ft. lot requirement for chicken keeping is overly restrictive.
- Resident requested further revisions of residential chicken and goat keeping regulations.

### Scheduled Items

- Public Hearing to Review the Annual Report on the Rent Review Ordinance and Adopt the FY 2022/23 Annual Fee.

Passed unanimously.

### Other Business

- Introduce Ordinance Amending and Adding Sections to Animal Ownership, Licensing and Vaccinations, Impoundment, Animal Fancier's Permit and Prohibited Activities.

Passed 6-1

### Council Communications:

- Mayor Mei congratulated Councilmember Salwan for representing Fremont on the California League of Cities.
- Councilmember Shao attended the Alameda County Housing Authority meeting and stated that the federal government added more vouchers to Alameda County and that he asserted Fremont's homeless increase over the last three years and requested adequate resources.
- Mayor Mei shared her participation in the U.S. Conference of Mayors Advisory Board and reported that an Asian American/Pacific Islander Alliance has been created in Fremont.

Mayor Lily Mei	Aye
Vice Mayor Teresa Keng	Aye
Raj Salwan	Aye
Teresa Cox	Aye
Yang Shao	Aye
Jenny Kassan	Aye,
Rick Jones	1 Nay

playground structure designed for children with disabilities.

- Authorize remote teleconferenced meetings of the legislative bodies of Union City for the 30-day period beginning September 13.
- Amend the Consulting Services Agreement with VSCE, Inc., for project management services for the Quarry Lakes Parkway Project.

### Public Hearings:

- Introduction of an ordinance for Zoning text amendments to the Union City Municipal Code to add/update standards for residential development, and related miscellaneous updates, and to conditionally allow seasonal sales lots in the CF Zoning District.
- Adoption of a resolution amending the fiscal year 2022-23 Master Fee Schedule to add fees for review of new developments.
- Adoption of a resolution amending the "Policy Statement for the Regulation of Seasonal Sales Lots" for consistency with zoning amendments.

### City Manager Reports:

- Informational update on the Multi-Family Objective Development Standards Project.

Mayor Carol Dutra-Vernaci	Aye
Emily Duncan	Aye
Vice Mayor Jaime Patiño	Aye
Gary Singh	Aye

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## Tonga volcano blast was unusual, could even warm the Earth

BY MADDIE BURAKOFF

ASSOCIATED PRESS  
SCIENCE WRITER

scientist at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration who was not involved with the study, said she expects the effects to be minimal and temporary.

"This amount of increase might warm the surface a small amount for a short amount of time," Rosenlof said in an email. The water vapor will stick around the upper atmosphere for a few years before making its way into the lower atmosphere, Toohey said. In the meantime, the extra water might also speed up ozone loss in the atmosphere, Rosenlof added.

The researchers estimate the eruption raised the amount of water in the stratosphere -- the second layer of the atmosphere, above the range where humans live and breathe -- by around 5%. Now, scientists are trying to figure out how all that water could affect the atmosphere, and whether it might warm Earth's surface over the next few years.

"This was a once-in-a-lifetime event," said lead author Holger Voemel, a scientist at the National Center for Atmospheric Research in Colorado.

Big eruptions usually cool the planet. Most volcanoes send up large amounts of sulfur, which blocks the sun's rays, explained Matthew Toohey, a climate researcher at the University of Saskatchewan who was not involved in the study.

The Tongan blast was much soggiest: The eruption started under the ocean, so it shot up a plume with much more water than usual. And since water vapor acts as a heat-trapping greenhouse gas, the eruption will probably raise temperatures instead of lowering them, Toohey said.

It's unclear just how much warming could be in store. Karen Rosenlof, a climate

scientist at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration who was not involved with the study, said she expects the effects to be minimal and temporary.

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But it's hard for scientists to say for sure, because they've never seen an eruption like this one. The stratosphere stretches from around 7.5 miles to 31 miles above Earth and is usually very dry, Voemel explained.

Voemel's team estimated the volcano's plume using a network of instruments suspended from weather balloons. Usually, these tools can't even measure water levels in the stratosphere because the amounts are so low, Voemel said.

Another research group monitored the blast using an instrument on a NASA satellite. In their study, published earlier this summer, they estimated the eruption to be even bigger, adding around 150 million metric tons of water vapor to the stratosphere -- three times as much as Voemel's study found.

Voemel acknowledged that the satellite imaging might have observed parts of the plume that the balloon instruments couldn't catch, making its estimate higher. Either way, he said, the Tongan blast was unlike anything seen in recent history, and studying its aftermath may hold new insights into our atmosphere.

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Alameda County Superintendent of Schools L.K. Monroe is the newest recipient of the California County Superintendents Champion's Award. The award was presented to her by Dr. Debra Duardo, Los Angeles County Superintendent, during a general membership awards dinner meeting held September 20 in Los Angeles.

"L.K. is an incredible leader, and we are so grateful for your contributions to this organization, and the students you have no doubt impacted in your career," Duardo said when presenting the award. "Thank you for all that you have done and we can't wait to root for you in your next endeavor."

The Champion's Award is presented to the county superintendent that has been selected by the five most recent California County Superintendents Past Presidents, as the county superintendent that "epitomizes the mission of the organization." It is the top honor bestowed at the event and was the final award presented that night.

"This is big. Not just this award but my time with all of you," said Monroe to her fellow County Superintendents in accepting the award. "The County Superintendency wasn't something I really aspired to, but like many of you, I saw the opportunity. I saw the opportunity to lead for children and saw the opportunity to actually step up in ways that are unique and responsive. There are very few jobs that elicit so much for kids."



California County Superintendents President Dr. Debra Duardo (left) and Alameda County Superintendent of Schools L.K. Monroe (right).

In a September 22 statement, Alameda County Office of Education officials noted that Monroe was President of the California County Superintendents (2021-22) during a global pandemic in which she led her colleagues, and spearheaded a much-needed year-long strategic plan process. The outcomes of that process positioned the

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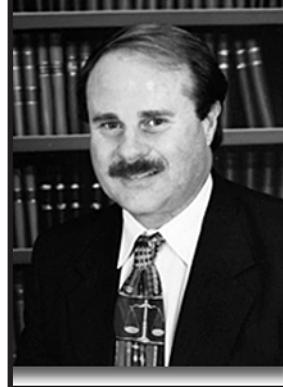
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# Panel: US adults should get routine anxiety screening

BY LINDSEY TANNER  
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MEDICAL WRITER

U.S. doctors should regularly screen all adults under 65 for anxiety, an influential health guidelines group proposed on Sept. 20.

It's the first time the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force has recommended anxiety screening in primary care for adults without symptoms. The proposal is open for public comment until Oct. 17, but the group usually affirms its draft guidance.

The recommendations are based on a review that began before the COVID-19 pandemic, evaluating studies showing potential benefits and risks from screening. Given reports of a surge in mental health problems linked with pandemic isolation and stress, the guidance is "very timely," said Lori Pbert, a task force member and co-author. Pbert is a psychologist-researcher at the University of Massachusetts' Chan Medical School.

The task force said evidence for benefits, including effective treatments, outweighs any risks, which include inaccurate screening results that could lead to unnecessary follow-up care. Anxiety disorders are among the most common mental health complaints, affecting about 40% of U.S. women at some point in their lives and more than 1 in 4 men, Pbert noted.

Black people, those living in poverty, people who have lost partners and those who have other mental health issues are among adults who face higher risks for developing anxiety, which can manifest as panic attacks, phobias or feeling always on edge. Also, about 1 in 10 pregnant and postpartum women experience anxiety.

Common screening tools include brief questionnaires about symptoms such as fears and worries that interfere with usual activities. These can easily be given in a primary care setting, the task force said, although it didn't specify how often patients should be screened.

"The most important thing to recognize is that a screening test alone is not sufficient to diagnose anxiety," Pbert said. The next step is a more thorough evaluation by a mental health professional, though

Pbert acknowledged that finding mental health care can be difficult given shortages of specialists.

Megan Whalen, a 31-year-old marketing specialist who was diagnosed with anxiety in 2013, says regular doctors should screen for mental health issues as commonly as they do for physical problems. "Health is health, whether the problem is visible or not," said Whalen, of Hoboken, New Jersey. She has gotten help from medicine and talk therapy, but her symptoms worsened during the pandemic and she temporarily moved back home.

"The pandemic made me afraid to leave home, my anxiety telling me anywhere outside of my childhood house was unsafe," Whalen said. "I absolutely still struggle with feelings of dread and fear sometimes. It's just a part of my life at this point, and I try to manage it as best as I can."

The task force said there isn't enough solid research in older adults to recommend for or against anxiety screening in those aged 65 and up. The group continues to recommend depression screening for adults and children, but said there isn't enough evidence to evaluate potential benefits and harms of suicide screening in adults who show no worrisome symptoms.

In April, the group issued similar draft guidance for children and teens, recommending anxiety screening but stating that more research is needed on potential benefits and harms of suicide screening kids with no obvious signs.

Guidelines from the task force often determine insurance coverage, but anxiety is already on the radar of many primary care doctors. In 2020, a group affiliated with the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists recommended routine primary care anxiety screening for women and girls starting at age 13.

Melissa Lewis-Duarte, a wellness coach in Scottsdale, Arizona, says rhythmic breathing, meditation and making a daily list of three things for which she is grateful have all helped with her anxiety.

"Doctors say, 'Make sure you're sleeping, control your stress.' Yeah, I get that, but not everyone knows how," said the 42-year-old mother of three. "It's difficult to prioritize self-care, but that's what's necessary."

## NTSB wants all new vehicles to check drivers for alcohol use

BY TOM KRISHER  
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The National Transportation Safety Board is recommending that all new vehicles in the U.S. be equipped with blood alcohol monitoring systems that can stop an intoxicated person from driving. The recommendation, if enacted by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, could reduce the number of alcohol-related crashes, one of the biggest causes of highway deaths in the U.S.

The new push to make roads safer was included in a report released Sept. 20 about a horrific crash last year in which a drunk driver collided head-on with another vehicle near Fresno, California, killing both adult drivers and seven children.

NHTSA said the week of Sept. 19 that roadway deaths in the U.S. are at crisis levels. Nearly 43,000 people were killed last year, the greatest number in 16 years, as Americans returned to roads after pandemic stay-at-home orders. Early estimates show fatalities rising again through the first half of this year, but they declined from April through June, which authorities are hoping is a trend.

The NTSB, which has no regulatory authority and can only ask other agencies to act, said the recommendation is designed to put pressure on NHTSA to move. It could be effective as early as three years from now. "We need NHTSA to act. We see the numbers," NTSB Chairman Jennifer Homendy said. "We need to make sure that we're doing all we can to save lives."

The NTSB, she said, has been pushing NHTSA to explore alcohol monitoring technology since 2012. "The faster the

technology is implemented the more lives that will be saved," she said.

The recommendation also calls for systems to monitor a driver's behavior, making sure they're alert. She said many cars now have cameras pointed at the driver, which have the potential to limit impaired driving.

But Homendy says she also understands that perfecting the alcohol tests will take time. "We also know that it's going to take time for NHTSA to evaluate what technologies are available and how to develop a standard."

A message was left Sept. 20 seeking comment from NHTSA.

The agency and a group of 16 automakers have been jointly funding research on alcohol monitoring since 2008, forming a group called Driver Alcohol Detection System for Safety. The group has hired a Swedish company to research technology that would automatically test a driver's breath for alcohol and stop a vehicle from moving if the driver is impaired, said Jake McCook, spokesman for the group. The driver wouldn't have to blow into a tube, and a sensor would check the driver's breath, McCook said.

Another company is working on light technology that could test for blood alcohol in a person's finger, he said. Breath technology could be ready by the end of 2024, while the touch technology would come about a year later. It could take one or two more model years after automakers get the technology for it to be in new vehicles, McCook said. Once the technology is ready, it will take years for it to be in most of the roughly 280 million vehicles on U.S. roads.

Under last year's bipartisan infrastructure law, Congress required NHTSA to make

automakers install alcohol monitoring systems within three years. The agency can seek an extension. In the past it has been slow to enact such requirements. The legislation doesn't specify the technology, only that it must "passively monitor" a driver to determine if they are impaired.

In 2020, the most recent figures available, 11,654 people died in alcohol-related crashes, according to NHTSA data. That's about 30% of all U.S. traffic deaths, and a 14% increase over 2019 figures, the last full year before the coronavirus pandemic, the NTSB said.

In the fatal crash included in the report, a 28-year-old driver of an SUV was headed home from a 2021 New Year's Day party where he had been drinking. The SUV went off the right side of State Route 33, crossed the center line and hit a Ford F-150 pickup truck head-on near Avenal, California.

The pickup was carrying 34-year-old Gabriela Pulido and seven children ages 6 to 15 home after a trip to Pismo Beach. The truck quickly caught fire and bystanders couldn't save the passengers, the NTSB said.

The SUV driver's blood alcohol level was 0.21%, nearly three times California's legal limit. He also had marijuana in his system, but the agency said the alcohol was more than enough to severely impair his driving. The SUV was traveling 88-to-98 miles per hour, the report said.

The crash happened less than a second from when the Journey re-entered the road, giving Pulido no time to avoid the collision, the NTSB said.

Juan Pulido, 37, whose wife and four children were killed in the crash, said he's happy the NTSB is pushing for alcohol monitoring because it could stop another person from losing loved ones. "It's something that their families have to live with," he said. "It doesn't go away tomorrow."

Pulido's lawyer, Paul Kiesel, says driver monitoring systems also could stop crashes caused by medical problems or drowsiness, saving anguish and billions in hospital treatment costs.

## San Leandro City Council Meeting

September 19, 2022

### Recognitions:

- Mayor's Award for Kindness given to James Madison Elementary School Principal Paulette Smith.
- Adopt a resolution appointing representatives to the Community Police Review Board (CPRB), scheduled to meet on the third Wednesday of each month from 6:00pm - 7:30pm.

Passed 6-0-1

- Adopt a resolution bestowing the title of "Mayor Emeritus" to Mayor Pauline Russo Cutter.

Passed 6-0-1

- Adopt two resolutions honoring Council Members Corina Lopez and Victor Aguilar, Jr. for their roles as the first Latinx and Gay Latinx Council Members, respectively, in San Leandro's known history.

Passed 6-0-1

### City Manager and City Attorney Reports and Comments:

- Assistant City Manager Janelle Cameron shared that the City had a new contract for the Steven Taylor Park design and that the project was moving forward.

### Public Comments:

- San Leandro citizens thanked Councilmembers Aguilar and Lopez for their efforts.
- Resident suggested appointment of Latinos to the CPRB.

- Resident questioned fees for City Employees Association Compensation study.

### City Council Calendar and Announcements:

- Councilmember Simon recognized organizers of Assumption School's Fall Festival and thanked the Police Force for keeping the community safe.

- Councilmember Azevedo attended the Assumption Festival and congratulated Paulette Smith for her Kindness award.

- Councilmember Lopez congratulated Mayor Cutter for her new title and thanked CPRB members.

- Councilmember Cox attended Assumption School's Fall Festival; San Leandro Education Foundation Gala; Rediscover Downtown event, and; announced Made In San Leandro event October First, 12-5pm at Westgate Parkway & Charlotte Ave. The event celebrates San Leandro making things for the past 150 years. The gathering will offer a pumpkin patch and other activities for kids, food trucks and music.

- Vice Mayor Ballew attended the Moon Festival at the library.

- Councilmember Aguilar congratulated new Community Police Review Board appointees.

### Consent Calendar:

- Second Reading to adopt an ordinance amending San Leandro Zoning Code to extend by two years the entitlements for qualified housing projects.

- Authorize a Consulting Services Agreement between the City of San Leandro and Koff & Associates to conduct a Classification and Total Compensation Study for

- San Leandro City Employees Association.

- Approve changes to construction contract with Columbia Electric Inc. for the Davis St./Carpentier St. Pedestrian Hybrid Beacon Project.

- Authorize a Consulting Services Agreement with CSG Consultants, Inc. for on-call civil engineering and land surveying consulting services.

- Approve a Consulting Services Agreement with Baker Tilly Management Partners for staffing and organizational review of the Public Works Department.

- Authorize a grant agreement between the City of San Leandro and the State of California, Division of Boating and Waterways for abatement of abandoned watercraft at the San Leandro Marina and the San Leandro Shoreline.

- Accept a \$30,000 bequest from the Pamela Kung Living Trust for the expansion of Chinese language materials at the San Leandro Public Library.

Passed 6-0-1

### Items Removed From Consent Calendar:

- Second Reading to adopt an ordinance levying a special tax within the City of San Leandro Monarch Bay Shoreline Community Facilities District.

Passed 5-0-1 abstention - 1 recusal

- Adopt a resolution to appoint new Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC) Members.

Passed 6-0-1

- Adopt a resolution to authorize a Consulting Services Agreement with RRM Design Group for landscape architectural

- services for the Steven Taylor Sanctity of Life Memorial Project.

Passed 6-0-1

- Adopt a resolution to declare thirteen vehicles and two motorcycles as surplus and authorize the sale of the surplus assets at public auction.

Passed 6-0-1

### Public Hearings:

- FY 2021-2022 Community Development Block Grant, Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER) approval and submittal authorization.

- Senior Housing Specialist Maryann Sargent presented the Community Development Department and Housing Services Division's CAPER.

Passed 6-0-1

### Council Requests To Schedule Agenda Items:

- Councilmember Lopez requested an urgency resolution in opposition to East Bay Municipal Utility District's Bayside Water project for November Council meeting.

Passed 6-0-1

- Councilmember Simon requested an urgent first reading of the Council pay increase alternatives ordinance for Oct. 17th with ordinance data presented to Council Nov. 7; and a second reading Nov. 21st.

Passed 4-2-1

- Councilmember Lopez requested an urgency resolution to honor all living former Mayors of San Leandro with Emeritus status.

Passed 5-1-1

- Councilmember Aguilar suggested renaming the main San Leandro Library room after

- first LatinX Councilmember Corina Lopez and asked the Rules Committee to put the item on next agenda. (discussion only)

- Vice Mayor Ballew requested priority consideration for renaming the library's Dave Karp Room to honor Alameda County literacy champion Wilma Chan. (discussion only)

### City Council Reports:

- Councilmember Aguilar attended Alameda County Mosquito Abatement meeting and the League of California Cities annual conference in Long Beach.

- Councilmember Cox attended the Alameda County Transportation Commission legislative meeting.

- Councilmember Lopez attended the League of California Cities annual conference.

- Councilmember Simon Fire Advisory Commission meeting and recognized Chief McDonald and the firefighting staff for their work in San Leandro.

Mayor Pauline Russo Cutter Absent

Vice Mayor Pete Ballew Aye, 1 recusal, 1 Nay

Victor Aguilar Aye  
Bryan Azevedo Aye  
Fred Simon Aye  
Deborah Cox Aye, 2 Nay  
Corina Lopez Aye

## Russell City justice project meeting set

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF HAYWARD

A second meeting of former Russell City residents and descendants to form a Steering Committee to direct the work of the Russell City Reparative Justice project is set for Thursday, September 29 in Hayward. The online meeting will start at 5:30 p.m. via the Zoom app.

The Russell City Reparative Justice Project was initiated by the City of Hayward in response to calls for Hayward to redress inequitable treatment of Russell City residents arising from redevelopment of the area.

Established in 1853, Russell City was an unincorporated area of Alameda County near the Hayward shoreline between present-day Chabot College and Hayward Executive Airport. In the early 1960s, it was annexed into the city as part of a redevelopment plan that entailed relocation of residents and businesses and rezoning of property for industrial development.

On Nov. 16, 2021, the Hayward City Council voted unanimously to formally apologize for the city's historical role in and perpetuation of racial discrimination and cited in particular participation in the redevelopment of Russell City.

Initial phases of the Reparative Justice Project have and continue to entail identification and contacting of former Russell City residents and descendants, a program of fact-finding and academic research, and formation of a governing structure including a Steering Committee to direct the project.

For project details, including a video of the first meeting held September 13, visit the City of Hayward website at [www.hayward-ca.gov](http://www.hayward-ca.gov), then enter "Russell City Reparative Justice Project" into the search field and follow the link that appears. For Zoom access information, contact Regina Youngblood, Assistant City manager at [Regina.Youngblood@hayward.gov](mailto:Regina.Youngblood@hayward.gov).

## Get ready to dump your junk

SUBMITTED BY  
NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

A Community Cleanup event, co-sponsored by the City of Newark Public Works Department and Republic Services, is set for Saturday, October 8 for Newark residents who want to discard unwanted household items.

The event will be at Newark Service Center on Filbert Street. Appointments are required; no walk-up service will be available. Only Newark residents are eligible to participate, and they must provide proof of residency by bringing a California driver license or ID card and a utility bill with a current Newark address with them. Appointments can be made online by sending an email to [mainreq@newark.org](mailto:mainreq@newark.org).

Participants are limited to one standard-sized pickup truck load per household. No trailers or commercial vehicles will be permitted. The event may close early if the trash bins become full.

### Accepted items:

- Appliances
- Reusable household goods
- Furniture
- Mattresses

- Metals
- Wood
- Carpeting
- Tires
- Electronic waste

### Items not accepted:

- Household trash
- Dirt, rocks, concrete, construction material or demolition rubble
- Household hazardous wastes (paint, batteries, motor oil, chemicals, light bulbs, etc.)
- Propane tanks, gas cylinders, lawn mowers or anything that previously stored hazardous materials

### Community Cleanup

Saturday, Oct 8

7 a.m. – 11 a.m.

### Newark Service Center

37440 Filbert St., Newark

Appointments required by email:  
[mainreq@newark.org](mailto:mainreq@newark.org)

(510) 578-4806

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## Fremont Unified School District Board Meeting Summary

**September 14, 2022**

### Action taken in Closed Session

- The Board approved Johannes Van Der Pool as Director of Child Nutrition Services.

### Superintendent Report

- Superintendent thanked everyone for their perseverance during the recent heat wave, and acknowledged SEIU employees (School Employees International Union) and Director of Maintenance, Operations and Grounds Tom Ekman for their efforts.

### Approve 2021-22 Unaudited Actual Financial Report

- Director of Accounting Services Robert Pascual and Interim Associate Superintendent Bruce Colby presented the 2021-2022 financial report. The

district's unrestricted general fund ending balance for the 2021-22 year ending June 30, 2022 is \$64.1 million.

### Approve 2022-23 Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP)

- Assistant Superintendent of Instructional Services Leticia Salinas presented the final 2022-2023 Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP). The plan provides extensive supplemental materials for students who have skill gaps that need to be addressed, and social-emotional counseling for students in need of support.

### Agreements with School Employees International Union (SEIU)

- SEIU Collective Bargaining Agreement allow (FUSD) and

SEIU to submit re-openers for contract bargaining.

### Secondary Technology Purchases

- Each FUSD junior high school/middle school and comprehensive high school offers Project Lead The Way (PLTW) engineering courses. PLTW courses expose students to the engineering design process through hands-on activities. These funds will be utilized for the purchase of technology materials in PLTW courses and for teacher training.

President Dianne Jones	Aye
Vice President Vivek Prasad	Aye
Yajing Zhang	Aye
Desrie Campbell	Aye
Larry Sweeney	Aye
Sissi Zhang	Aye

- Resolution authorizing the acceptance of the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP) grant through the State of California Office of Traffic Safety (OTS)

### Public Hearing

- Consider a resolution approving amendment to the general plan, Bayside Newark Specific Plan, and Grand Park agreement.
- Introduction of an ordinance amending the zoning map for approval of the FMC Willow and Grand Park projects consisting of 279 residential units.

### Other Business

- Adopt two resolutions approving agreements and deed of trust for the Towne Place Suite Homekey Project known as Cedar Community Apartments. Passed
- City Council Matters**
- Adopt a resolution approving the mayor's appointment of Patricia Pippitan to the Planning Commission
- Commending those who helped with Newark Day

Mayor Alan Nagy	Aye
Michael Hannon	Aye
Sucy Collazo	Aye
Luis Freitas	Aye
Mike Bucci	Aye

## Newark City Council

**September 22, 2022**

### Presentations:

- Commending the Newark U16 Boys National Premier League, Soccer National Champions.
- Introduction of new employees Gustavo Perez, Mark Valdez and Roberto Garcia-Acosta.

### Newark Library presentation

### Consent Calendar:

- Approval of audited demands
- Approval of September 8, 2022 minutes
- Resolution confirming the continued existence of a local emergency due to COVID-19 pandemic
- Resolution finding there is a proclaimed state of emergency; authorizing continued remote teleconference meeting of legislative bodies of Newark for the next 30-day period beginning September 22, 2022
- Resolution amending the conflict-of-interest code for non-elected officials and designated employees
- Resolution approving Amendment No. 1 to the contractual services agreement with GHD Inc. for additional traffic engineering and transportation planning services

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## Ohlone College Board of Trustees

**September 14, 2022**

### Ceremonial Items:

- Deaf Awareness Month Proclamation.
- Latinx/Hispanic Heritage Month Proclamation.

### Approval of Minutes:

- Approval of Minutes – August 10, 2022 Meeting.

### Consent Agenda:

- Approval of Education Protection Account Expenditure Plan for fiscal year 2022-23.
- Approval of August 2022 payroll warrants.
- Approval of personnel actions.
- Board policies for approval (Compensation, Classified Employees and Leaves).
- Approval of the tentative

- Naming of capital assets - Dean Mark Lieu.

### Discussion/Action:

- Review and acceptance of the fourth quarter 2021-22 financial report and related budget changes.
- Approval of the 2022-23 final budget.

- Board policies for 1st Reading (Board Membership and Annual Organizational Meeting).

- Approval of timeline and application process for appointment of vacant Area 7 Board position.

Lance Kwan	Aye
Jan Giovannini-Hill	Aye
Rakesh Sharma	Aye
Greg Bonaccorsi	Aye
Richard Watters	Aye
Suzanne Lee Chan	Aye
Elisa Martinez	Aye
Ayan Taylor, Student	Aye

agreement between Unite Faculty of Ohlone and Ohlone Community College District: Contract period: July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2023.

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Approval for trustee out-of-state travel.

California Community College Trustees Board Report.

Resolution: Designation of Signatures

Review of purchase orders.

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## Ballot Propositions

### PROVIDED BY STATE OF CALIFORNIA DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

Requires on-site licensed medical professional at kidney dialysis clinics.

### PRO 29

Your General Election ballot will include 7 propositions. These are proposed state policies placed on the ballot so voters have the opportunity to vote for or against them. The Legislature has the ability to place constitutional amendments, bond measures, and other proposed changes in law on the ballot, while any California voter can put an initiative or a referendum on the ballot.

### PRO 30

Provides funding for programs to reduce air pollution and prevent wildfires by increasing tax (1.75%) on personal income over \$2M.

### PRO 31

Would prohibit the retail sale of certain flavored tobacco products.

### Dates to Remember

**October 10, 2022**

Vote-by-mail ballots sent out

**October 24, 2022**

Last day to register to vote

**November 8, 2022**

Election Day

Polls are open

7:00 am – 8:00 pm.

For more information visit [voterguide.sos.ca.gov](http://voterguide.sos.ca.gov)

## Meet a cop, or two, for coffee

### SUBMITTED BY FREMONT POLICE DEPARTMENT

Community members, students and local business owners in Fremont are invited to a meet-and-greet "Coffee with a Cop" event on Wednesday, October 5 with members of the Fremont Police Department (FPD).

The one-hour event will start at 11:00 a.m. in the parking lot/front lobby area of the FPD building at 2000 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont. Sponsored by Mission Coffee Roasting Company, the informal gathering is designed to let people ask questions or voice neighborhood concerns with officers and command staff members in a relaxed setting. No formal presentation is planned, so people can drop by anytime during the event.

**Coffee with a Cop**  
Wednesday, Oct 5  
11:00 a.m. – 12 noon  
FPD parking lot/front lobby  
2000 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont  
[www.fremontpolice.org](http://www.fremontpolice.org)  
(510) 790-6800  
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## Milpitas Police Log

### SUBMITTED BY MILPITAS PD

### Saturday, September 3

- At 12:08 a.m. an officer patrolling Cardoza Park and contacted a 27-year Milpitas man. A record check showed multiple warrants totaling \$110,000 charging domestic violence, exhibiting a weapon, possession of a firearm as a convicted felon, theft, and resisting arrest. He was arrested and booked into Santa Clara County Main Jail.
- At 1:29 p.m. officers responded to a report about a theft

at a business near the 100-block of Great Mall Drive. The suspect, a 24-year-old Fremont resident, allegedly took several pairs of jeans before fleeing the store. Arriving officers found the suspect nearby. A record check showed a felony warrant charging theft and narcotics related offenses. The suspect was arrested and booked into jail; the stolen property was recovered and returned to the store.

### Monday, September 5

- At 1:42 p.m. officers responded to a report about two juveniles vandalizing a virtual reality machine and causing over \$8,000 in damage at the Great Mall. The juveniles fled the area but were found by officers nearby. Both juveniles were arrested on suspicion of vandalism and released to their parents.

## PUBLIC NOTICES

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF FREMONT PLANNING COMMISSION

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FREMONT WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE FOLLOWING PROPOSALS: THE PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD VIA TELECONFERENCE ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2022, AT 7:00 PM. THIS PUBLIC HEARING WILL NOT BE HELD IN-PERSON. A PUBLICLY ACCESSIBLE LOCATION WILL NOT BE PROVIDED FOR THE PUBLIC HEARING. THE CITY HAS DEEMED IT NECESSARY IN THE INTEREST OF PUBLIC HEALTH TO LIMIT THE ATTENDANCE OF PUBLIC ASSEMBLIES TO PREVENT OR MITIGATE THE EFFECTS OF CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19). ACCORDINGLY, SAID PUBLIC MEETING WILL BE HELD VIA TELECONFERENCE AND MADE ACCESSIBLE TELEPHONICALLY OR OTHERWISE ELECTRONICALLY TO IMPOSE AND PROMOTE SOCIAL DISTANCING PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54953(E) (ASSEMBLY BILL 361). INFORMATION ON HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING BY TELECONFERENCE WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE ON THE MEETING AGENDA POSTED ONLINE [HTTP://CITY.FREMONT.GOV/PLANNINGCOMMISSION](https://city.fremont.gov/planningcommission) AT LEAST THREE DAYS PRIOR TO THE MEETING.**

**MILTONIA TOWNEHOMES — 41223 Roberts Avenue — (PLN2017-00241)** - To consider a Discretionary Design Review Permit, Vesting Tentative Tract Map No. 8300, and a Private Street for development of 17 townhome units at 41223 Roberts Avenue in the Irvington Community Plan Area, and to consider a finding that no further environmental review is required pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), per, without limitation, CEQA Guidelines Section 15332, In-Fill Development, and CEQA Guidelines Section 15183, as the project is consistent with the density established by the General Plan, for which an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) (SCH#2010082060) was previously prepared and certified. Each of the foregoing provided a separate and independent basis for CEQA compliance. Project Planner — Mark Hungerford, (510) 449-4541, [mhungerford@fremont.gov](mailto:mhungerford@fremont.gov)

**ELLSWORTH MIXED USE PROJECT 43401 Ellsworth Street — (PLN2021-002921)** - To consider a Discretionary Design Review, Private Street, and Tentative Tract Map No. 8596 for a mixed use development with approximately 4,581 square feet of commercial space and 12 residential units consisting of six duet units in three buildings and six detached townhomes at 43401 Ellsworth Street in the Mission San Jose Community Plan Area and the Mission San Jose Historical Overlay District, and to consider a finding that no further environmental review is required pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), per, without limitation, CEQA Guidelines Section 15332, In-Fill Development, and CEQA Guidelines Section 15183, as the project is consistent with the density established by the General Plan, for which an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) (SCH#2010082060) was previously prepared and certified. Each of the foregoing provided a separate and independent basis for CEQA compliance. Project Planner — James Willis, (510) 449-4543, [jwillis@fremont.gov](mailto:jwillis@fremont.gov)

**NATURAL WELLNESS CENTER MASSAGE — 46292 Warm Springs Boulevard — (PLN2022-000059)** - To consider a Conditional Use Permit to allow massage services at 46292 Warm Springs Boulevard #638 in the Warm Springs Community Plan Area; and to consider a categorical exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per CEQA Guidelines Section 15301, Existing Facilities. Project Planner — Marc Cleveland, (510) 494-4543, [mcleveland@fremont.gov](mailto:mcleveland@fremont.gov)

\* NOTICE \* If you challenge the decision of the Planning Commission in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing.

**JOEL PULLIN, AICP, SECRETARY  
FREMONT PLANNING COMMISSION**



CNS #3628120

### BULK SALES

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE (U.C.C. §6104, 6105)

ESCROW #: 0126018834

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to creditors of the within named seller that a bulk sale is about to be made of the assets described below.

The names and business address of the Seller(s) is/are: Hy Partners LLC 31812-31822 Alvarado Blvd., Union City, CA 94587

The location in California of the Chief Executive Office of the seller is: same as above

As listed by the seller, all other business names and addresses used by the seller within three years before the date such list was sent or delivered to the buyer are: None

The telephone and business address of the Buyer(s) is/are: Gong Cha CA Franchise LLC 31812-31822 Alvarado Blvd., Union City, CA 94587

The assets to be sold are described in general as: All stock in trade, furniture, fixtures, equipment and other property

And are located at: 31812-31822 Alvarado Blvd., Union City, CA 94587

The business name used by the Seller(s) at those locations is: "Bamboo"

The anticipated date of the bulk sale is: October 14, 2022

At the office of Old Republic Title Company @ 1000 Burnett Avenue, Suite 400, Concord, CA 94520.

The bulk sale is subject to California Uniform Commercial Code Section 6106.2. If so subject, the name and address of the person with whom claims may be filed is as follows: Old Republic Title Company @ 1000 Burnett Avenue, Suite 400, Concord, CA 94520 or FAX to 925-265-9040.

The last day for filing claims shall be October 13, 2022 which is the business day before the sale date specified herein.

Dated: September 16, 2022

Buyer(s):  
Gong Cha CA Franchise LLC  
By: Tian-Wen Jing, Member  
By: Larry Chen, Member  
By: Michelle Chen, Member

9/27/22

CNS-3628154#

### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES

#### STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

File No. 578035

The following person(s) has (have) abandoned the use of the Fictitious Business Name(s):

The Fictitious Business Name Statement filed on May 12, 2021 in the County of Alameda.  
**MADE BY ARIE, 618 ATHERTON PLACE, HAYWARD, CA 94541**, County of: ALAMEDA. Registered Owner(s):  
**ARIANNE RILEY, 618 ATHERTON PLACE, HAYWARD, CA 94541**, County of: ALAMEDA.

This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to this section that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

/s/ ARIANNE RILEY

This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on SEP 16, 2022. 9/27, 10/4, 10/11, 10/18/22

CNS-3628265#

#### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 591495

Fictitious Business Name(s):  
**ALL SHADES MEDICAL SCRUBS, 39899 BALENTINE DR STE 200, NEWARK, CA 94560**, County of: ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):  
**SHEREE DYER, 36000 FREMONT BLVD, FREMONT, CA 94536**

Business conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL.

The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)

/s/ SHEREE DYER

This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on AUG 24, 2022

NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.

The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code), 9/6, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27/22

CNS-3620668#

### GOVERNMENT

#### CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNION CITY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Union City will hold a public hearing on the following matter:**

**CITYWIDE STREET NAME SIGN  
INSTALLATION PROJECT PWC 8996**

A PRE-BID CONFERENCE: There is no Pre-Bid Conference for this project

Plans, special provisions and standard proposal forms to be used for bidding on this project can be obtained for a non-refundable fee at ARC Solutions located at 821 Martin Avenue, Santa Clara, CA 95050 through Planwell [www.e-arc.com/location/santa-clara](http://www.e-arc.com/location/santa-clara) or via Phone(408) 295-5770. Please reference BID #23-008 No partial sets will be issued, cost is non-refundable. Call to confirm availability of copies before coming to pick up documents. For more information on this project, contact the City of Fremont Purchasing Department at [jbecerra-scola@fremont.gov](mailto:jbecerra-scola@fremont.gov) 9/27/22

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received in the Office of Purchasing Services at 3300 Capitol Ave., Bldg. B, Fremont, California up to the hour of 2:00 PM on October 11, 2022 Due to the current safety measures in place there will not be a public bid opening for this project. The bids will be opened by Purchasing and the initiating department representative. A preliminary bid result will be posted on the City's website the same day.

2023 CITYWIDE PAVEMENT CRACK SEAL PROJECT PWC 8195-V1A

PRE-BID CONFERENCE: There is no Pre-Bid Conference for this project

Plans, special provisions and standard proposal forms to be used for bidding on this project can be obtained for a non-refundable fee at ARC Solutions located at 821 Martin Avenue, Santa Clara, CA 95050 through Planwell [www.e-arc.com/location/santa-clara](http://www.e-arc.com/location/santa-clara) or via Phone(408) 295-5770. Please reference BID #23-008 No partial sets will be issued, cost is non-refundable. Call to confirm availability of copies before coming to pick up documents. For more information on this project, contact the City of Fremont Purchasing Department at [jbecerra-scola@fremont.gov](mailto:jbecerra-scola@fremont.gov) 9/27/22

CNS-3627565#

County of Alameda Public Auction/Public Sale of Surplus Property

Property:109 Grove Way, Hayward, CA

Auction/Sale Date: Wednesday, October 12, 2022

Time: 11:00 AM

Bid Packets and Deposits – Due Date: Tuesday, October 4, 2022

Contact: Madeline Serafin at (510) 208-9532

Specifications regarding the above may also be obtained at the Alameda County GSA Current Contracting Opportunities Internet website at [www.acgov.org](http://www.acgov.org).

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## BART Police Log

SUBMITTED BY  
LES MENSINGER AND  
BART PD

### Friday, September 16

- At 12:31 p.m. a man identified by police as David Brown, 38, of Santa Clara was arrested at Fremont station on suspicion of indecent exposure, battery on a police officer and resisting arrest. After being medically cleared, he was to be booked at Santa Rita Jail.

### Sunday, September 18

- At 10:16 a.m. a man identified by police as Patrick O'Neill, 36, of San Leandro was arrested at Bay Fair station in San Leandro after allegedly grabbing a female on board a train. He was booked into Santa Rita Jail on charges of battery and possession of drug paraphernalia.

## Fremont Police Log

SUBMITTED BY MONICA LEON, FREMONT PD

### Thursday, September 15

- Officers responded to a report about a robbery at a market on Thornton Avenue. Store employees reported that a suspect armed with a knife entered the store and stole beer. Officers found the suspect nearby, and an arrest was made.

### Monday, September 19

- About 20 minutes after a vehicle reported stolen triggered a community camera in the area of Fremont Boulevard and Sundale Drive in central Fremont, officers tracked the vehicle to Washington Boulevard where it was found near a grocery store. As officers met with the driver, a shoplifting incident occurred inside the store. After investigating, two adult acquaintances from San Mateo were arrested.

# SPORTS

## Pioneers Golf finish 4th at Regional Preview

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COMMUNICATIONS

The final round of the NCAA Regional Preview took place Tuesday, September 20 at Foxtail Golf Club. Cal State East Bay men's golf team placed fourth among 11 teams, while Fraser Owenson finished sixth on the leaderboard.

Here are some individual highlights for Cal State East Bay throughout the tournament.

- Owenson placed sixth at 6-under-par 210. He had one eagle and 11 birdies on 54 holes played.

- Tied for 13th on the leaderboard were Won Jun Lee and Quintyn Kowata – each 1-under-par 215. Kowata competed as an individual, thus

his score did not affect the Pioneers' team score.

- Lee, Kowata and Ananjan Kaushik had 12 birdies each.

- In addition to Owenson's eagle, Easton Hether had an eagle in his first career tournament with Cal State East Bay.

Cal State East Bay head coach Alan Sue reflected on the team's performance. "This was a solid start to our season," stated Sue. "The team battled hard in all three rounds. We got some valuable education on this regional course and will be ready for the challenge in the second preview in April."

The host team, Sonoma State, won the team competition. At 15-under-par 201, Edvin Backstrom from Holy Names was the individual medalist atop the leaderboard.



Fraser Owenson of CSUEB Men's Golf

### Monday, September 19

- At 3:14 a.m. officers responded to a report about a male on the ground at Hayward station. Medical responders also arrived to provide aid, but the male was declared dead. No foul play is suspected.

### Tuesday, September 20

- At 10:52 a.m. a man identified by police as David Luna, 38, of Union City was arrested at Union City station on suspicion of possessing a switchblade and on outstanding warrants. He was booked into Santa Rita Jail.

### Wednesday, September 21

- At 8:11 p.m. a man identified by police as Ryan Magnan, 53, of Oakland was arrested at Union City station on suspicion of battery on a transit worker and making criminal threats. He was issued a prohibition order and booked into Santa Rita Jail.

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## Music at the Mission: Vayamos!

that this music belonged in the concert hall, that it deserved the same respect as classical music.

"In doing so, he at first alienated both extremes. The tango purists thought he was maligning their art form. The classical audiences thought bringing what they saw as the music of the brothels into the concert halls was sacrilege. Thankfully he persevered, and proved a point I've always tried to



make: We can categorize and try to define genre, but in the end great music is great music."

Everett is joined by Quinteto Quilombo musicians Seth Asarnow, bandoneon; Ertan Torgul, violin; Aileen Chanco, piano; and Carlos Caminos, electric guitar. "I'm happy we will be joined again by dancer and choreographer Count Glover. While this incredible music can stand on its own," said Everett, "it is dying to be danced to!" Inna Yureneva will also be dancing as part of the concert.

There will be two performances of "Vayamos!": A one-hour concert followed by an After Party & Milonga with empanadas and wine. And who better to teach you Milonga (literally, a tango dance party) moves than Glover, who studied with the world's most renowned tango maestros and is considered one of the best?

A full-length two-hour concert will take place at Jackson Theatre, part of the Smith Center for the Performing Arts. "We are performing for the first time at Smith Center at Ohlone College," noted Everett, "While we love our main venue, Mission San Jose, the larger hall will allow us to do the staging and lighting that the music and dancing call for." Jackson Theatre holds 400, so you can invite all your friends, all ages, to dance in their seats along with you!

### Vayamos!

#### Thursday, Oct 13

6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

All Saint's Episcopal Church

911 Dowling Blvd., San Leandro

AfterParty & Milonga

Tickets: \$60 - Limited Seating

#### Sunday, Oct 16

3 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Jackson Theatre

Smith Center for the Performing Arts

Ohlone College

43600 Mission Blvd., Fremont

Tickets: \$40 - General Seating

(510) 402-1724

[www.musicatmsj.org](http://www.musicatmsj.org)

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## Washington trounces Newark in varsity football

BY ERIC DONATO

Washington Huskies (Fremont) varsity football team won Saturday's home non-conference game against Newark Memorial Cougars (Newark) by a score of 30-14.

The Huskies took the early momentum with a touchdown in the first couple minutes of the first quarter, closing the period with a 7-0 lead. They continued their energetic drive again early in the second quarter with a quarterback high yardage rush to the endzone extending the lead to 14-0. The Cougars managed to find their stride scoring on the eight-minute mark with a note-worthy 40-plus-yard rush play to the endzone, 14-7. Huskies quarterback was momentarily relieved during the second quarter due to a slight injury during a tackle, but returned a few drives later. A field goal from the Huskies wrapped up the half at 17-7.

Washington continued their dominance over the Cougars 30-7 in the third quarter with two additional touchdowns, but got short-changed for an extra point with a missed field goal at the first touchdown of the third quarter. The Cougars made an earnest effort to close the gap in the fourth quarter with determined drives scoring a touchdown, but fell short and yielded to a Huskies victory, with a final score of 30-14.

It was an exciting matchup with a game highlight-worthy displays of play rushes and breathtaking completed deep passes from both sides while adding the mix of forced turnovers, third-down conversions and quarterback tackles. Washington Huskies improved their football standing in the MVAL with a 4-1 record and moved up in the California North Coast Section Division 4 Football rankings.



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