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A friendly light in the dark

By Julie Grabowski

Art can be practiced in many ways, but for the month of October the artistic flair can be found in the skilled curves and hollows of flashing pumpkin faces.

Ruth Tyson has been carving pumpkins for over a decade, her creations lighting up the Society for the Preservation of Carter Railroad Resources' annual Haunted Railroad at Ardenwood. "I have always loved Jack with his angular features and tireless grin. For all of us I'm sure Halloween would be a different place without the light of pumpkins cheering up the darkness on Halloween night," says Tyson.

Her brother, Bill Wissel, came up with the idea of the Haunted Railroad in 1997, and asked Tyson to help in the ticket booth. Just for fun she brought along a few non-traditional pumpkins. Attendees were delighted and asked if they could do more in the future.

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Photos by Bill Wissel





Discovery Day

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The American Association of University Women (AAUW) Fremont Branch and Hopkins Junior High School proudly sponsor the 33rd "Mother/Daughter Math and Science Discovery Day" on Saturday, November 7 at Hopkins Junior High School. Mothers and their daughters, who are in 5th or 6th grade, are invited to participate in five of the nine classes offered, including Planetarium Show, CSI: Fremont, Digital Life for Girls, Origami Cubes, Build the Tallest Tower, Engineering for Kids, and Household Chemistry. This year discover new classes such as Let's Spin and A Matter of Fact (Mad Science).

The first Discovery Day event was held in 1995, backed by a committee of AAUW who wanted to encourage more girls to engage in math and science. In February 2000, the event was moved to Hopkins Jr. High to include the planetarium. Discovery Day is now offered twice a year, to 5th- and 6th-grade girls in November and 3rd and 4th graders in late February. Last year, AAUW donated \$500 to the planetarium.

Founded in 1881, AAUW's mission is to "advance equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy and research." The Fremont branch was organized in 1961 by a group of

local teachers, who wanted to provide companionship for women with similar interests. The local group is active with many projects and events that have a positive impact in the community as they relate to AAUW's mission statement.

Adult participant in Discovery Day may be a mother, grandmother, or aunt. Dress warmly and comfortably; beverages and snacks will be provided. Bring a tablet or cell phone for the Digital Life class. Popular classes such as Planetarium Show and Household Chemistry fill up fast so do not delay registration. Register online at www.eventbrite.com and search for "AAUW Discovery Day." For questions or registration form, call (510) 623-8483 or e-mail lethasaldanha@gmail.com by Monday, November 2.

Mother/Daughter Math & Science Discovery Day
Saturday, Nov 7
8:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.
Hopkins Junior High School
600 Driscoll Rd, Fremont
(510) 623-8483
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www.eventbrite.com http://fremont-ca.aauw.net/
Registration: \$25 per pair, \$15 for second
daughter (online fees may apply)



Remembering loved ones during Día de los Muertos

By Sara Giusti Photos Courtesy of Niles Altar Walk

It happens to all of us. Some are afraid, in denial, and some at peace with it. No, this isn't about taxes – but death.

Día de los Muertos (Day of the Dead) is a Mexican holiday celebrating and remembering those who've passed. In the last several decades, Day of the Dead has increased in popularity, spreading throughout Central, South, and North America, to Europe and beyond. While other cultures have their own special days of ancestor remembrance, Day of the Dead's iconic symbols of colorful skeletons and marigold flowers have much of the world's heart.

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Free Diabetes Health Fair

ore than 82,000 individuals in Alameda County are diagnosed with type 1 or type 2 diabetes but many more may be unaware they also have the disease, according to Alameda County health officials.

Uncontrolled, diabetes can lead to kidney failure, vision problems, heart and circulatory issues and complications that may exacerbate other health problems.

To increase awareness about diabetes health, Washington Hospital is holding its annual Diabetes Health Fair on Saturday, November 14, at Washington West in Fremont. Free glucose and cholesterol screenings will be available for all who attend and presentations will include discussions on how to manage diabetes and a cooking demonstration focusing on healthy, convenient meals for everyone.

The free Diabetes Health Fair will be held from 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Conrad E. Anderson, MD, Auditorium at 2500 Mowry Avenue, Fremont. A continental breakfast and light afternoon lunch will be provided.

Glucose and cholesterol screenings are scheduled between 8 and 10 a.m. Persons wishing to participate in the screenings need not fast (avoid eating) before the tests.

Dr. Prasad V. Katta, MD, an endocrinologist and medical co-director of Washington Outpatient Diabetes Center, explained that screenings are tools, not diagnostic tests, to show the risk for diabetes and high cholesterol. They will indicate if further testing is indicated, he said. Such tests provide the physician with information to treat the condition which might include drugs, lifestyle changes, nutritional counseling and further testing.

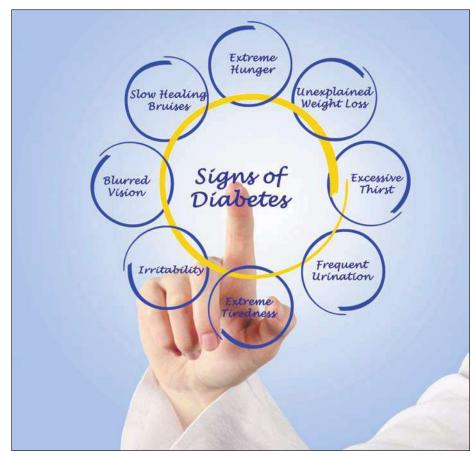
Informational presentations by Dr. Katta, Dr. Archana Bindra, an endocrinologist and medical co-director of Washington Outpatient Diabetes Center, and Diana Jaycox, RN and Certified Diabetes Educator, will focus on diabetes warning signs, what individuals with diabetes need to do on a daily basis to manage diabetes and the total picture of the effects of the disease.

Anna Mazzei, Registered Dietitian and Certified Diabetes Educator, will conduct a Fall Comfort Food Cooking Demonstration. She will demonstrate and share recipes on how to control carbohydrates and fats in one's diet and how to make recipe substitutions to create healthier meals for everyone in the family.

Time will be provided during the presentations for attendees to ask individual questions of the experts.

Dr. Katta added that active management of diabetes is essential to prevent dangerous complications common to uncontrolled diabetes. Diet, exercise and managing blood sugar levels are essential to prevent circulatory problems in the eyes and extremities.

With diabetes, the body cannot properly convert sugar in food into energy, causing sugar levels in the blood and urine to rise,



Join us for a free Diabetes Health Fair on Saturday, Nov. 14, from 8 am to 1:30 pm, to learn more about a condition that affects more than 82,000 residents of Alameda County. Free glucose and cholesterol screenings are scheduled between 8 and 10 a.m

Dr. Katta explained. The complications of uncontrolled diabetes can be very serious and can start very early in the progress of the disease. Most complications stem from changes in the blood vessels and nerves that affect various parts of the body, including the eyes, kidneys, heart and limbs.

Type 1 diabetes generally develops early in life, in infancy through adolescence. Type 2 diabetes usually develops in older adults. Dr. Katta said family history has a strong effect on whether a person will develop either type of diabetes. The inci-

dence of diabetes can be as high as 60 percent when both parents have had the disease and 25 to 30 percent when one parent has had the disease.

While diabetes cannot be "cured" once someone has developed the disease, Dr. Katta added, it can be treated and managed by the patient and his/her physician. "The key is knowledge, and then steady attention to managing the disease," he said.

"Knowledge through education is what we will share with those who attend the Health Fair," he said.

InHealth broadcasts on Comcast Channel 78 in Fremont, Newark and Union City and online at www.inhealth.tv

The full schedule of InHealth programs listed below can also be viewed in real time on the Washington Hospital website, www.whhs.com



| | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY | SUNDAY | MONDAY | |
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| | 10/27/15 | 10/28/15 | 10/29/15 | 10/30/15 | 10/31/15 | 11/1/15 | 11/2/15 | |
| 12:00 PM 12:00 AM 12:30 PM 12:30 AM | Arthritis: Do I Have One of 100 Types? | Get Back On Your Feet: New Treatment Options for Ankle Conditions | Diabetes Matters: New Year, New You | Diabetes in Pregnancy | Lunch and Learn:Yard to Table | Strengthen Your Back | Knee Pain & Replacement | |
| 1:00 PM 1:00 AM | New Treatment Options for Chronic Sinusitis | Varicose Veins and Chronic Venous Disease | | Alzheimer's Disease | Varicose Veins and Chronic Venous Disease | Arthritis: Do I Have One of 100 Types? | | |
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| 3:30 PM 3:30 AM | Do You Suffer From Anxiety or | 17, 2013 | Learn If You Are at Risk | , ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, | Do You Suffer From Breathing Problems? | | | |
| 4:00 PM 4:00 AM | Depression? | | for Liver Disease | | Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease or Asthma | Inside Washington Hospital: Patient Safety | | |
| 4:30 PM 4:30 AM 5:00 PM | Inside Washington Hospital: Rapid Detection of MRSA | Strengthen Your Back! Learn to Improve Your | Crohn's & Colitis | Diabetes Matters: Healthy or Hoax | Community Based Senior Supportive Services | Varicose Veins and Chronic Venous Disease | Do You Suffer From Anxiety or Depression? | |
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| 8:00 PM 8:00 AM 8:30 PM | Washington Township | Women's Health Conference: Can Lifestyle Reduce the Risk of Cancer? Washington Township | | Year, New You | | | What Are Your Vital Signs Telling You? | |
| 8:30 AM 9:00 PM | | | Washington Township | Diabetes Matters:What to Expect When Hospitalized with Diabetes | Cough and Pneumonia: When to See a Doctor | Reach Your Goal: Quit Smoking | Radiation Safety | |
| 9:00 AM 9:30 PM | Health Care District Board Meeting October 14, 2015 | What Are Your Vital Signs Telling You? | Health Care District Board Meeting October 14, 2015 | Diabetes Matters: Strategies for Support | Deep Venous Thrombosis — | Shingles | Inside Washington Hospital Stroke Response Team | |
| 9:30 AM 10:00 PM 10:00 AM | | Raising Awareness About | | Raising Awareness About | | Sports-Related | Heart Healthy Eating After Surgery and Beyond | |
| 10:30 PM 10:30 AM | Movement Disorders, | Stroke | CERD & Value Bill (| Stroke | | Concussions | | |
| 11:00 PM 11:00 AM | Parkinson's Disease, Tremors and Epilepsy | se, GERD & Your Risk of Frankageal Cancer | | Learn If You Are at Risk for | Alzheimer's Disease | Deep Venous Thrombosis | Varicose Veins and Chronic Venous Disease | |
| 11:30 PM 11:30 AM | Inside Washington Hospital:The Emergency Department | Diabetes Matters: Diabetes & Stroke: What's the Connection? | Diabetes Matters: Insulin: Everything You Want to Know | Liver Disease | | | | |

Is It Possible To Cook Healthy Holiday Meals? Come See How It's Done!

et's face it. The upcoming fall and winter holiday season's family gatherings and parties – with all those extra calories, saturated fats and alcoholic beverages – can contribute to weight gain.

According to researchers at the National Institutes of Health (NIH), the average weight gain for American adults during the holiday season is about one pound. While the average gain is only a pound, people who are already overweight tend to gain a lot more, however. One NIH study found that overweight people gained five pounds or more during the holidays. Further studies show most Americans never lose the weight they gain during the winter holidays. So even if you gain only a pound or two, those pounds can add up year after year, playing a role in increased rates of obesity.

"The average American consumes up to 4,500 calories in a typical holiday meal such as the traditional Thanksgiving dinner with beverages, appetizers, the main meal and dessert," says Maggie Guting, a registered dietitian at Washington Hospital. "That includes 230 grams of fat, which is the equivalent of three sticks of butter. That's more than twice the average daily consumption of calories and almost three times the daily consumption of fat – all in a single meal."

To help people in the community avoid gaining those extra holiday pounds, Washington Hospital is sponsoring a "Healthy

Holiday Cooking Demonstration" on Tuesday, November 17, from 1 to 3 p.m. The event will feature Ms. Guting and Washington Hospital's Director of Food and Nutritional Services Kimberlee Alvari, RD. Both dietitians will conduct live cooking demonstrations on how to prepare healthier holiday dishes that the whole family can enjoy.

The cooking demonstration will be held in the Conrad E. Anderson, MD, Auditorium in the Washington West Building located at 2500 Mowry Avenue in Fremont. A \$5 fee will cover the cost of the food supplies, including a recipe that participants will be able to make and take home with them.

"My basic advice for healthier holiday cooking and eating is to choose wisely," Ms. Guting notes. "If you're going to indulge yourself, choose food items you wouldn't get to eat at other times of the year. For example, try the sweet potato casserole and skip the mashed potatoes and gravy that you can have any time of the year. Or, instead of eating everyday chips and salsa for an appetizer, have some of those spiced nuts that you make only during the holidays."

In previous years, the Healthy Holiday Cooking Demonstration at Washington Hospital featured recipes for healthy courses such as appetizers and desserts. This year's program will focus on creating healthy side dishes.

"We want to help people learn 'lighter' ways to make traditional



Learn how to prepare seasonal vegetables for your holiday dishes at this year's Healthy Holiday Cooking Demonstration on Nov. 17. For more information or to register, visit www.whhs.com and click on the tab at the bottom of the home page for "Upcoming Health Seminars" or call (800) 963-7070.

side dishes," says Ms. Guting.

"There are ways to alter recipes to reduce the calories and fat. For example, you can use non-fat or lowfat dairy products. If your traditional recipe calls for eggs, you could use egg substitute or use half regular eggs and half egg substitute. Instead of mayonnaise or sour cream, try using nonfat Greek yogurt, which has the added benefit of extra protein. In many recipes, you may be able to use less butter or substitute olive oil for butter to cut down on the amount of saturated fat. Seasonal vegetables such as winter squashes and root vegetables are great alternatives to heavy side dishes, too."

Seasonal vegetables will be prominent in the cooking demonstration, with recipes for side dishes such as a potatosquash soup, a turnip casserole and a fall harvest salad with butternut squash, kale, pomegranate seeds and pecans.

"We also will be offering ideas for inexpensive holiday décor that will make the meal more festive," Ms. Guting adds. "For example, we'll show people how to serve the potato-squash soup in a hollowed-out squash shell. The fall harvest salad is also beautifully colorful, and it's a great recipe for involving the kids in holiday meal preparation."

To register to attend this year's Healthy Holiday Cooking Demonstration on November 17, or for more information, visit www.whhs.com and click on the tab at the bottom of the home page for "Upcoming Health Seminars" or call (800) 963-7070.

Autumn Kale Salad

1/2 cup large butternut squash, peeled, seeded and cut into 1/2-inch pieces

4 tablespoons olive oil, divided

3/4 teaspoon salt, divided

Fresh ground pepper to taste 2 tablespoons lemon juice

1/8 teaspoon cinnamon

8 cups torn kale leaves (about 2 bunches, de-stemmed)

1/2 cup chopped pecans, toasted

1/4 cup pomegranate seeds

1/2 shallot, thinly sliced

Preheat oven to 425 degrees. Line a baking sheet with parchment paper. Toss the squash with I tablespoon olive oil, I/4 teaspoon salt, and pepper to taste. Spread squash on the baking sheet and roast until tender and golden brown, about 25 minutes.

In a small bowl, whisk together 3 tablespoons olive oil, the lemon juice, 1/2 teaspoon salt, cinnamon, and pepper to taste.

In a large bowl, combine the kale, squash, pecans, pomegranate seeds, sliced shallot and dressing up to an hour before serving.

Makes 8 servings

Nutrition per serving: calories: 178, fat: 12 g, protein: 4 g, sodium: 247 mg

Source: November 2015 issue of Parents magazine

Ask the Doctor

This is an ongoing column in which Dr. Mary Maish answers your health-related questions. Questions for Dr. Maish should be emailed to Ask the Doctor at: askthedoctor@whhs.com

Preventing Seasickness and Infant Earaches

Dear Doctor,

I am heading on a cruise to Alaska in a few months. What can I do to prevent seasickness?

Dear Reader, There are ma

There are many good remedies for seasickness. Try staying on the top decks of the ship and look out at the horizon, keep yourself busy and limit the food you eat. You can ask your doctor to prescribe a scopolomine patch, which helps prevent sickness but keep in mind that it may cause drowsiness. Should you experience motion sickness, there are also some good over-the-counter remedies such as Bonine, Antivert and Dramamine, which can help you get through.

Dear Doctor,

My 18-month-old daughter pulls on her ears a lot. The pediatrician has looked in her ears multiple times and has never found a problem. When should I be concerned?

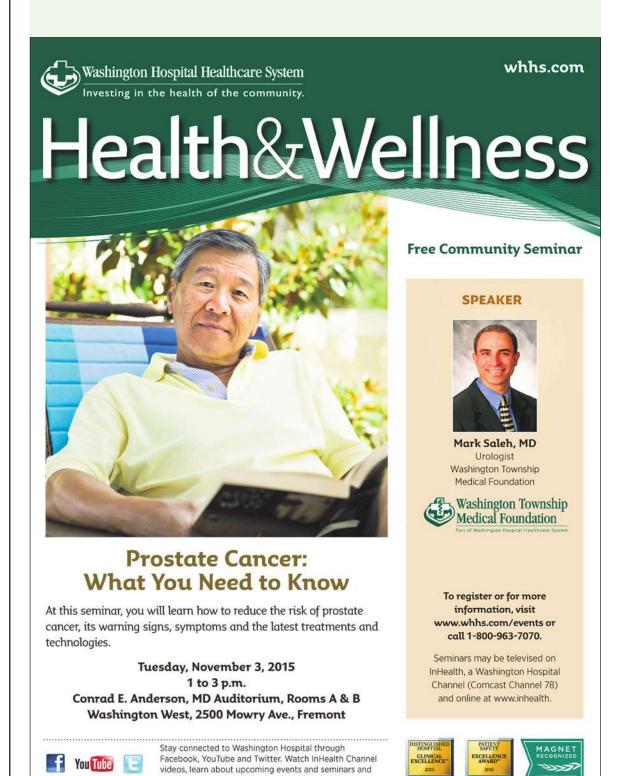
Dear Reader,

Children at that age can pull on their ears for other reasons besides pain. Most commonly when children are tired they will pull on or rub their ears. If you notice that your baby is pulling on one ear in particular, is irritable, inconsolable or has a fever, then you should seek medical attention.

Mary S. Maish, M.D.



Dr. Maish is a board certified thoracic and general surgeon. She holds a Master's degree from Harvard University and completed her thoracic surgery training at Baylor/MD Anderson in Houston, Texas. Dr. Maish currently serves as the Chief of Thoracic and Foregut Surgery at Washington Township Medical Foundation and is on the Medical Staff at Washington Hospital.



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Entertainment Design & Technology at Ohlone

ith the continual growth of the entertainment industry, there is a rapidly increasing demand for backstage technicians and artists with a high level of proficiency in high technology equipment that controls the lighting, audio and special effects of a production. Theater, TV, concerts, trade shows and major events all require a high level of visual and audio spectacle to complete the entertainment package. It is the craft of behind-the-scenes designers and creators continuously delivering greater entertainment value - that make it show business!

Ohlone College's Entertainment Design and Technology (EDT) program is fully aligned to today's entertainment industry, preparing students with industry level skills and hands-on experience using the

latest technology so they can design and run a show, providing maximum impact for the audience. The curriculum is designed to prepare students for all aspects of the design and technology industry, taught by experts in the field with a wealth of professional experience.

Ohlone's EDT program emphasizes the tech skills, but also the "artistry" of the job. Students learn about communicating to the audience through light and sound to create the effect of a director's vision. Students use the high-tech equipment allowing them to create dramatic spectacles, such as loud booms and flashes of light; or subtle nuance—snowflakes falling in a gentle breeze. It's all part of the package that entertains the audience.

"Students become good technicians who understand show business," says Fred Alim, who educates students in the art and

science of scenery construction. "Having learned their skills here, they can go anywhere in the industry." The theatre department produces a fully realized production every fall, a dance production every spring and a musical almost every summer. In addition, students who are highly motivated can work at the Smith Center, which is active every weekend, helping them build a resume of productions they've worked on.

The program is aimed at beginning students as well as entertainment industry professionals desiring to enhance their skills. "Ohlone is a great place to learn," says Matt O'Donnell, EDT professor and award-winning lighting designer. "You can start from ground zero, in terms of experience, and if you're interested and motivated we have so much to teach you!"

Those Who **Can** Do, Teach!



Ohlone's experienced professors have been part of the entertainment industry and worked with big name events, shows and performers. These connections allow the faculty to network with professionals working in the field. Many of these professionals come to campus, or call in via Skype, for a seminar or workshop. Some have stayed on to teach for a semester or more.

Meet the Faculty:

Matt O'Donnell, award-winning lighting designer, is a full-time member of the faculty. Formerly based in L.A., Matt worked extensively in all aspects of live production - from concert tours to corporate events to celebrity appearances. His lighting credits include President Bill Clinton, Al Gore and Newt Gingrich; working the Grammies and trade shows such as Pokemon World Championships; and touring with jazz artists Isaac Hayes, Pat Metheny and Chick Corea, and Rock & Roll Hall of Fame nominee Cheap Trick.

Fred Alim, another full-timer, works with students in the craft of scene construction. has years of experience in the industry, from MTV, the Oscars and the Grammies, to tours with Michael Jackson, Janet Jackson and Barbra Streisand. While Fred was working in the industry he would come back to Ohlone year after year for summer musicals...then, one year he just decided to stay. Fred has been with Ohlone for "a lot more than a decade!"

Rocky Paulson, teaches the rigging class. Well-respected in the industry, his extensive resume includes three years of Super Bowl halftime shows and Pink Floyd's "The Wall" tours in the 1980s. He's taught stage rigging classes and seminars all over the world from Japan and Germany, to Las Vegas.

David Swenson is chief sound designer for the video game "Call of Duty," winning coveted awards in the video gaming world for sound design. Swenson joins Ohlone's EDT program to teach art and animation in spring 2016.

Students are able to learn from these professionals who teach the skills that are applicable in today's entertainment industry and share their firsthand knowledge of how to break into the industry.





Where They Are Now

Ohlone College has been the springboard for many education and their careers in entertainment at Ohlone. Here is a small sampling.

Jason Badger

- · Designed light displays and projections for Disneyland's 60th Anniversary Fireworks Show
- Designed and programmed World of Color, the colorful dancing water show in Disney's California Adven-

ture Park, designing lights, projections and pyrotechnics

Aaron Seibert

 Works at Tait Towers on: Beijing Olympics, Super Bowl, and tours with Madonna & U2

Wilson Zhang

• Currently lighting for the San Francisco Opera

Mark Pranzini

• Works for Showtime on major events such as World Wide Wrestling and Boxing

Richard Rose

- Vice Chair of Graduate Studies at UCLA's department of film and television
- · Author of several books on the field of entertainment design

Scott White

• Executive Producer of TV series Gotham

Jason Gedrose

- Lights "Burning Man" festival
- · Lighting and sound designer for Mountain View Stage Works

Tri-Cities One-Stop Career Expo More than 50 Employers to Attend!

This Friday, October 30, the One-Stop Center is holding a Career Expo, which is free and open to the public. The Expo will bring in employers from a multitude of career fields, including manufacturing, retail, public schools and public agencies, banking, solar tech, information technology, health care and biotechnology to the Ohlone College Newark Center. Visit the One-Stop's web page to find out how to register in advance: tricitiesonestop.com.

tains a continuous relationship with these employers providing a liaison between students and jobseekers. Some of the local employment partners include PG&E, Cisco, Target, Wells Fargo, Fremont Bank, Sephora, Thermo-Fisher Scientific, and Continental.

By focusing its services to benefit community members and students with job search efforts, the Tri-Cities One-Stop Career Center helps connect employers to a well-prepared work force. The community is ultimately the recipient of the economic benefits that result from having the One Stop Center in this region.

Tri-Cities One-Stop Career Center's Fall Career EXPO Friday, October 30 10 am - 1 pm Ohlone College Newark Center Free and Open to the Public tricitiesonestop.com

UPCOMING EVENTS

One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest Ohlone Department of Theatre & Dance November 6-7, 12-14, 19-21 ASL Interpreted November 14 Smith Center at Ohlone College Tickets: smithcenter.com

Tao Lin, Pianist Saturday, November 7 8pm Smith Center at Ohlone College Tickets: smithcenter.com



Scale Up/Scale Down Drawings and Sculptures by Kevin B. Chen Exhibit continues thru November Louie-Meager Art Gallery Smith Center at Ohlone College Free and Open to the Public Check website for gallery hours ohlone.edu/org/artgallery

Honoring Veterans who suffer from PTSD, That Which I Love Destroys Me (TWILDM), documentary (film) Monday, November 9 - 12:30-2:30pm Smith Center at Ohlone College Free and Open to the Public

Tri-Cities One-Stop Center: Focus on Career Readiness

One year ago Amazon.com opened a Sort Center in Newark...a sort of way station for package delivery. They needed to fill their employee ranks quickly in order to open and begin shipping before the holidays, so they approached the Tri-Cities One-Stop Career Center to help them in hiring. The One-Stop helped with outreach to the community, advertised positions, found qualified workers and provided space for Amazon to conduct their screening processes. Within a few weeks, Amazon had hired a full complement of workers to fill four shifts... and they were in business! This is one example of how the Tri-Cities One-Stop fulfills its dual purpose to help employers find workers and help workers get employed.

Ohlone College houses the One-Stop on its Newark campus, and participates with them by providing training or retraining to prepare workers for specific careers or career changes. Over the past 20 years that Ohlone College has partnered with the One-Stop, it has helped hundreds of members of the community successfully navigate the job search process, and helped scores of employers find qualified employees to fill their ranks.

The Tri-Cities One-Stop Career Center provides students and local community members with various services that open up doors for internships, jobs, and



careers including: individualized career advising, labor market information, job fairs and other job opportunities, access to office and computer equipment for job search needs. They offer a wide array of career-readiness workshops to assist community members and students in resume writing, interviewing, networking, and job search strategies. They have also collaborated with local high schools to provide young students with work-readiness skills.

The Tri-Cities One-Stop has developed partnerships with well-known local companies, local and state agencies, and chambers of commerce and main-







Late Start Classes BEGIN NOW THRU 11/13 ohlone.edu/go/latestart

Literacy program donates books to school district

SUBMITTED BY BRIAN KILLGORE

ay Area-based literacy program 'Always Reading' will help kindergartners in the Fremont Unified School District (FUSD) do just that through a generous – and large - donation of books.

Always Reading, a partnership program with Raising A Reader, is focused on the development of early childhood literacy skills for grades Kindergarten through 1st

by building or adding to their home libraries, we can encourage quality family reading time at home."

"This is by far the largest donation of books we have ever received at one time and we are very grateful to Always Reading and its partners for their support of our young students," added FUSD Superintendent, Dr. Jim Morris. "All donations are appreciated, but to have such a sizeable gift come from a local organization – created by a Fremont-native is extra special."





grade. As part of the Always Dream Foundation created by Olympic Figure Skating Champion – and Fremont native – Kristi Yamaguchi, it provides books and technology to classrooms to engage families throughout the Bay Area in strong literacy practices. In late September, Always Reading delivered thousands of books to FUSD – enough to provide 10 books to every Kindergartner in the district.

"We are thrilled to be able to provide these books for the families of Fremont," said Yamaguchi. "Reading to your child daily is so important and it is our hope that,

Volunteers gathered on October 24, as part of Make a Difference Day to stuff bags - provided by Fremont Bank - with 10 books apiece to distribute to Kindergarten students the first week of November.

The Always Dream Foundation has launched Always Reading in underserved classrooms in Fremont, Oakland, Concord, San Jose, Santa Clara, Redwood City and San Francisco. During the 2015-2016 academic year, Always Reading is serving 1,600 students in 64 classrooms across the SF Bay Area, Arizona and Hawaii! Visit www.alwaysdream.org to learn more.

Newark:

Images of America presentation and book signing

SUBMITTED BY BARBARA TELFORD-ISHIDA

Join us at the Newark Library on Tuesday, November 10 for a book release party for long-time Newark resident Frank Addiego's book Newark: Images of America. After a short talk about the book, listen to a dialogue between the author and Tony R. Rodriguez and enjoy a multimedia presentation. The book will be available for purchase and signing and the audience can enter a free raffle to win a copy of the book.

Registration is required. Sign up at the Information Desk at Newark Library, by calling (510) 284-0677 when the library is open, or e-mail: btelford-ishida@aclibrary.org

For a sign language interpreter or other accommodations, please contact the Newark Library at least seven working days prior to the

> **Author Frank Addiego** Newark: Images of America Tuesday, Nov 10 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. **Newark Library** 6300 Civic Terrace Ave, Newark (510) 284-0684 TTY 888-663-0660 btelford-ishida@aclibrary.org Free

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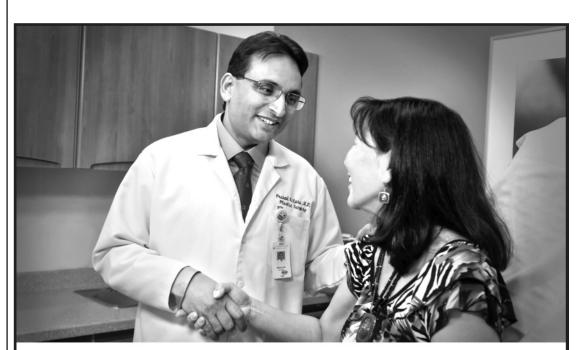
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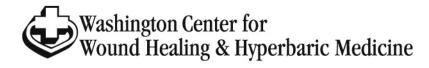
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Benjamin Franklin is credited with the daylight saving time plan, believing that altering time twice a year would cause better use of daylight hours and save on oil used to light winter nights. The plan went into effect in 1918 under U.S. federal law, but states had the option to observe it or not. During World War II daylight saving time was mandatory for the entire country in order to save resources. When the war ended, the time change went back to being optional, and several states and U.S. territories currently choose to ignore it, including Arizona, Hawaii, Guam, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, American Samoa, and the Northern Mariana Islands. The rest of us will be treated to an extra hour of sleep on November 2.

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Drought notes

¬ 1 Nino is the magic word these days as hope d for a rainy winter season that will bring relief ✓ to drought stricken California and adjacent states. As state officials heighten concern about water reserves and the prospect of continued dry conditions, Tri-City Voice spoke with Alameda County Water District (ACWD) General Manager Robert Shaver and the District's Water Resources Planning Manager Thomas Niesar, P.E. about Tri-City conditions and future resources.

Shaver: We are in a significant drought so we want to emphasize that our customers have heard and responded to conservation measures is a good thing. Not only will water saved this year be available next year if the drought lingers or worsens and, in the long term, saves our customers money. It means additional water supplies are less critical and infrastructure costs decrease. For instance, the Mission San Jose Water Treatment Plant requires upgrades but because of water conservation by our customers and future projections, that facility will not be needed for the next ten years. This will save the District \$4 million of equipment replacements and \$300,000 annual operating costs.

The view held by many that conservation is connected with paying more for water delivery is not necessarily correct. In the short term, customers are asked to use less water and some are making sacrifices to do that. In the long term, overall costs will be less for infrastructure and increases water supply reliability. Using less water reduces long term costs. ACWD revenue has been flat during this drought even with surcharges and rate increases, so for many customers, outlay has not increased.

Niesar: When people conserve, the budget pie gets smaller. We are not-for-profit agency that focuses on recovering its costs. The District follows a strategy of bringing water to our groundwater basin before we need it. Following the State's unprecedented restriction of water delivery, we will reevaluate precautions we can build into the present model and how to analyze State water delivery actions. Another source being evaluated is use of Los Vaqueros reservoir in Contra Costa Water District. This could contain one or two years of emergency reserve. We are seeking more local sources that are self-reliant

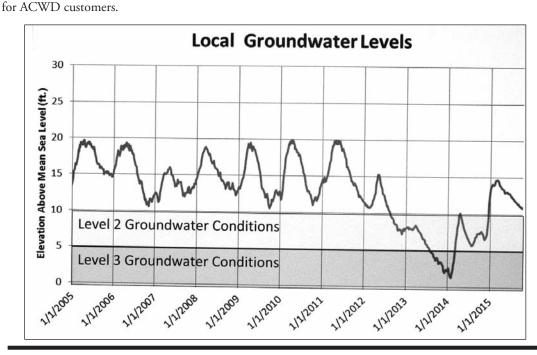
Shaver: In 2014, we entered into an agreement, completed successfully, with Contra Costa County, a federal contractor, to supply 5,000 acre feet of water at a below market rate. Water is supplied through transfers rather than a direct connection. ACWD is continuing with a series of pilot tests to make sure different types of transfers can operate smoothly. There is also the issue of a "Delta Fix" that could address environmental, endangered species and seismic concerns. The strength of ACWD's diversified portfolio of water sources has been demonstrated during this drought. When the State reduced its allocation of water, ACWD was able to draw on its other resources. We also use Hetch Hetchy water to deliver consistent quality to customers since it moderates the hardness of our other supplies.

Niesar: Our two primary long term supplies come from underground storage in Kern County at Semitropic basin and our own groundwater basin. There is a seasonal target for our aquifer. Due to planned construction, we had the unfortunate coincidence of the drought with State reductions and drawing down the local groundwater basin. This depleted our groundwater but it has now recovered to a low normal level. Water stored at Semitropic is planned to supplement our supplies in a five year drought. When necessary, this extra supply can be used for reliability and avoid purchase of additional - and expensive - supplies through other sources such as Hetch Hetchy.

Shaver: California doesn't really have a water supply problem; it has a water storage problem. During wet years, there is plenty of water for people, agriculture and the environment but during the dry years, lack of storage creates a problem. The State is working to create additional storage in the north and south. With that additional State supply and a Los Vaqueros direct connection to the South Bay Aqueduct to increase reliability without complex transfers; that would be a great thing for our

We have also been asked by our Board of Directors to evaluate use of recycled water to augment other supplies.

Tri-City Voice will expand statements on use of grey water and recycled water in a following issue.



Hayward Area Historical Society receives grant

SUBMITTED BY MARCESS OWINGS

Hayward Area Historical Societyhas been selected to receive a competitive Latino Americans: 500 Years of History grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) and the American Library Association (ALA). As one of 203 grant recipients selected from across the country, Hayward Area Historical Society will receive a cash grant of \$3,000 to hold public programming such as public film screenings, discussion groups, oral history initiatives, local history exhibitions, multi-media projectsor performances — about Latino history and culture.

The Hayward Area Historical Society will also receive the six-part, NEH-supported documentary

film "Latino Americans," created for PBS in 2013 by the WETA public television station. The awardwinning series chronicles the history of Latinos in the United States from the 16th century to present day. Learn more about the series at www.pbs.org/latino-americans/en/.

"Latino Americans are the country's largest minority group, with more than 50 million people, and still many people are unaware of their rich and varied history and culture," said Brenda Salguero, Acting Education Director "I'm thrilled that Hayward Area Historical Society has this opportunity to explore this topic in our community."

For a schedule of events, visit www.haywardareahistory.org or call (510) 581-0223.The Hayward Area Historical Societyis located at 22380 Foothill Boulevard in Hayward.



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There's Magic in the air

By Nancy Lyon

alloween is a time of fun for most of us... kids having a great time dressing up in costumes pretending to be their favorite fantasy of the moment, and the excitement of trick-or-treating in the crisp evening air of Autumn... it can be truly magical.

While the spookiness and scary effects can be a hoot for us that understand it's all make-believe, it can be terrifying to our animal companions and the results can be disastrous.

Danger at the door

One of the biggest risk factors is if a member of your animal family cracks under the stress of goblins and ghosties descending on the house and he or she bolts out the door into real danger. Don't be overconfident that it couldn't happen to your mellow mutt or laid-back cat, it only takes a moment of terror and they can be gone.

A quiet room away from the celebrations can relieve the stress and possibly save a life, some recommend playing soothing music. Never be tempted to leave them alone in the backyard while you go off to party or bring the kids around the neighborhood, tricksters can let them out or they can become so frightened they will do anything to escape. Protect them by keeping them in a quiet secure place.

Don't forget to have a flat or breakaway collar with current contact information on at all times and give serious consideration to microchipping your cat or dog, they will greatly improve the chance of getting them home quickly and safely.

Celebrations

If you're planning to celebrate All-Hallows-Eve at home with friends, it can save a lot of grief if you include the members of your animal family in the arrangements. Easy access to goodies not meant for them can prove messy and expensive, not to mention pain and suffering from ingesting forbidden delicacies. Dark chocolate, raisins and alcohol are among that most common and toxic health threats to their wellbeing at party time. Warn your guests that sharing is not caring and can lead to serious illness.

Costumes

From the get go I have to say that I'm not a fan of dressing non-human family members in silly costumes on a regular basis. Why make them appear foolish when they look great as they were created. Perhaps Halloween might be the exception if they are comfortable with the whole process and are monitored for safety. If you're going to be too busy to do this then why not just skip it and put their welfare first.

Decorations

One of the joys of Halloween is the decorating, especially when

it's for the benefit of the trick-ortreating kids (of all ages). Keep in mind that some are dangerous to our pet-family, dangling synthetic "spider webs" can look worth a tasting but end in the veterinary emergency. Wagging tails and curious paws can be burnt by candles so consider battery-operated lights in your Jack-o-Lantern instead to prevent accidental burns

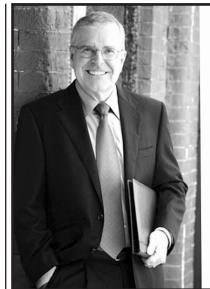
Human hazards

Free-roaming cats and other animals left alone outside on Halloween are, unfortunately, at higher risk of being victims of human mistreatment. Especially black, white but any color cat, left outside at night but especially before, during and right after Halloween is traditionally targeted for abuse. There is increased risk for cats and dogs of any color at this time and the safest place is indoors.

Don't let the necessary precautions to protect your animal companion take away the magic of the holiday, in fact, it will only take away the worry. Be safe, have fun and enjoy All-Hallows-Eve.

For information on food and other substances that may be toxic to your companion animal: ttps://www.aspca.org/pet...poison.../poison-control-okay-or-no-way

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Boulevard Artist show at Mission Coffee

SUBMITTED BY DAN WATSON

Mission Coffee House in Fremont will be graciously hosting the Boulevard Artist paintings during the month of November (1 – 29). Primarily watercolors and mixed media will be shown, with the possibility of a collage or two. Boulevard Artists are alumni of Jan's Art Studio in Fremont. Jan challenges her students to try their skills in water color, pen and ink, alcohol ink, acrylics, gouache, and collage. Many of these students have formal training in art while others have acquired their love of art through her enthusiasm in composition, color, and creativity. Some members of Boulevard Artists are members of the Fremont Art Association, California Watercolor Association, and the Olive Hyde Art Guild.

While at Mission Coffee, look on the piano for the folder with biographies of the artists. You will be pleasantly surprised at the quality of art shown by this group and may leave with a new piece to decorate your home or office. Don't forget that the holidays are just around the corner and a fine piece of art can be enjoyed for decades and passed down to family members!

There will be a reception with the artists from 3 p.m. – 5 p.m. on Sunday November 8 at Mission Coffee. Please come and share your love of art with the artists. For questions, call Dan Watson (510) 386-8018 or email him at dan.watson123@att.net

Boulevard Artist Show at Mission Coffee House Sunday, Nov 1 – Sunday, Nov 29 5 a.m. – 9 p.m. /Monday – Friday

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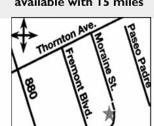




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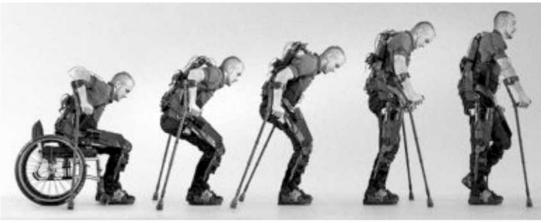


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IFR predicts double digit growth for service robots through 2018

The service robotics industry is relatively new, diverse, and picking up steam daily. Service robotics covers every robotic activity except those described as industrial. They are robots that perform useful tasks for humans and are categorized as either personal or professional.

Service robots cross definitional borders. They collaborate safely with humans and they move goods of all types for all types of purposes. Mobile robots fly, swim, run, jump, clean and glide. They milk. They help. They assist in factories, shops, homes and hospitals. One significant difference between industrial robots and service robotics is that for the latter, there is no multiplier for additional costs associated with getting the robot up and operating in a safe fixed location. Service robots, particularly service robots for personal and private use, tend to be self-contained and/or plug and play and not in need of integration services as is the case with industrial robots.

The International Federation of Robotics (IFR) just published their World Robotics Service Robots statistical review of 2014 (with projections through 2018). The 316-page \$675 report details the sales revenue and units sold by category from a database of approximately 300 service robot manufacturers around the globe.

Revenue from the sale of industrial robots was \$10.7 billion and an additional \$21.3 billion for supporting services such as integration, peripherals, software and systems engineering — \$32 billion in total. Service robotics (both professional and private) totaled \$5.97 billion. Therefore, the combined value of the robotics industry, service, support and industrial for 2014 was \$38 billion.

- In 2014, professional service robots rose by 11.5% from 2013. 24,207 units were sold at a value of \$3.77 billion. The IFR is projecting a growth rate of 19% in units and 11% in dollars through 2018, 36,750 units and \$5.7 billion projected for 2018 respectively.
- Defense applications represent 45% of those figures (unmanned aerial vehicles followed by bomb fighting and demining robots).
- Milking robots represented 24% leaving 31% for medical and logistical robots.
- 2014 personal service robots rose 28% over 2013 with a value of \$2.2 billion for 4.7 million units. The IFR is forecasting a growth rate of 27% in units and 35% in dollars through 2018 with

12.25 million units and \$7.3 billion projected for 2018 respectively.

 More household items (floor and window cleaners, and lawn mowers) with higher price points account for the higher revenue increase over the percentage for units sold.

There are many, many variables that could seriously alter these projections. The IFR acknowledges this problem as follows:

The 4 year projections are conservative due to the character of the company feed-back. Typically companies only report projections of sales of existing products (or at least pre-series products that are about to be launched). Therefore a future product, Jibo for example, is not reported and counted.

Nevertheless, the projections are very likely to be seriously understated for a variety of possible reasons:

- The acceptance and sale of hundreds of thousands of Pepper robots,
- An increased rate of adaption of home floor cleaning robots in the Asian marketplace similar to the success of iRobot in the English-speaking world,
- The acceptance and sale of millions of Jibo and other table-top robotic assistance devices,
- A near-term solution is found which enables collision avoidance thereby letting mass quantities of drones and drone deliveries into the national air space,
- The collaborative robot marketplace could take off at an even greater rate than the present 70% year-over-year sales increase as new low-cost robots are quickly trained and put to work in SMEs [small to medium enterprise] around the globe,
 - And many more.

[The IFR produced their report and based their projections on a limited database of 300 service robot companies of which 15% were startups. The Robot Report's database contains over 900 service robot companies and an additional 400 service startups. The IFR's database is distributed 23% from Asia, 36% from the US and Canada, and 41% from the UK, EU and elsewhere. The Robot Report's database is quite similarly distributed for service companies but it differs significantly in where the startups are located: only 12% in Asia, 48% in the US and Canada, and 40% in the UK, EU, Israel and elsewhere.]

East Bay Greenway Dedication Ceremony

SUBMITTED BY BRENDA MONTANO

The community is invited to the East Bay Greenway Dedication Ceremony on November 6 in Oakland. Please join the East Bay Regional Park District and Alameda County Transportation Commission for the Dedication Ceremony celebrating the completion of the newest segment of the East Bay Greenway Project. This half-mile link, from the Coliseum/Oakland Airport BART Station to 85th Avenue in Oakland, is the initial phase of an envisioned 12-mile bicycle and pedestrian pathway running roughly parallel to the BART tracks from Oakland to Hayward.

The dedication will take place, rain or shine and light refreshments will be served.

East Bay Greenway Dedication Ceremony Friday, Nov 6 3 p.m. - 4 p.m.Coliseum/Oakland Airport BART Station 7200 San Leandro St, Oakland RSVP: (510) 544-2208 bmontano@ebparks.org





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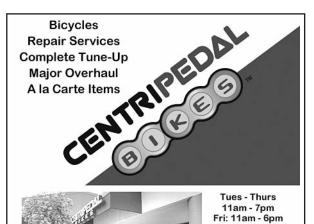
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Connexpedition:

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SUBMITTED BY TSWEI-PING WU

This summer, about one hundred high school students from the Bay Area traveled to Taiwan from July 13 to August 1 to teach underprivileged elementary and middle school students English language and culture. These students are a part of the Connexpedition Team, a program hosted by the internationally recognized non-profit known as Wisdom Culture and Education Organization (WCEO).

Wisdom Culture and Education Organization is a 501(c) (3) non-profit organization founded in 1994. In the beginning it was just a small community Chinese language school based in Fremont. Since then, its mission has evolved to provide children and their parents with the opportunity to expand their educational horizons and to broaden their understanding of the Chinese language and culture. Since a large part of the organization's present day success is due to the support of the community, we make it one of our goals to give back to our community as much as we can. We believe that all children should be given every opportunity to grow and learn, and donate our remaining proceeds to charities that aid children throughout the world.

The Connexpedition Team is a sub-organization within the WCEO. It consists of WCEO support staff and high school volunteers from the Bay Area that spend an entire year training and preparing in order to bring the English language and culture to underprivileged students in other countries. In 2008-2010, the service trip sent team members to an orphanage in Thailand. The team went to Taiwan in 2012 at two locations: an orphanage in Taoyuan and at the Vox Nativa Music School. Due to the success at Vox Nativa, every year since 2012, a group of about 20 high school volunteers have gone to Vox Nativa to bring English curriculum, science experiments, and the American culture to students there.

This year the Connexpedition program with the Easy Leap project and included an additional 86 volunteers. The Easy Leap Program is an international cultural exchange service program hosted by WCEO in collaboration with the New Taipei City's Education Department. The 86 members of this program have spent an entire year, training and preparing in order to make this program a success. The first three weeks were served in Taiwan with underprivileged students from 29 different schools in New Taipei City. The remainder of the time involved periodic online tutoring sessions with the students in New Taipei City via live chats. In addition to serving students in Taiwan, the volunteers also got firsthand experience of Taiwanese culture and the Chinese language.

Students accumulated many hours of community service throughout their training and service trip. As a result, they were all eligible for Presidential Service Awards handed out during a reception held on October 17 in Milpitas at the Culture Center of Taipei Economic and Cultural Office. During the reception, the Connexpedition members were also able to share their various experiences about the trip.

For more information, please visit www.wceoprogram.org or http://blog.con-

nexpedition.com/

Make a Difference in the **Community Awards**

SUBMITTED BY LAUREN SUGAYAN

The Union City Human Relations Commission (HRC) is pleased to present its 5th annual "Make a Difference in the Community" Awards. The awards program recognizes those in the community who make a positive difference in the lives of others through their volunteer and/or vocational efforts. More importantly, these individuals make an impact on the quality of life in Union City for all residents and visitors.

The public is invited to attend this ceremony on Wednesday, October 28 in the City Council Chambers in City Hall. Light refreshments will be served after the award ceremony.

Each commissioner has selected an honoree to be presented with an engraved plaque to commemorate their contributions to the community. Family members, work associates, and community members will be in attendance to express their appreciation for the many contributions of this year's recipients.

Recipients:

John Patrick Segura Nominated by Chairman Jaime Patiño

Bridget Russell Nominated by Commissioner (Dr.) Helen Hsu

Nominated by Commissioner Sahlee Egipto

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> Make a Difference in the **Community Awards** Wednesday, Oct 28 7 p.m.

City Council Chambers, City Hall 34009 Alvarado-Niles Rd, Union City (510) 471-3232 www.unioncity.org

Prostate cancer: what you need to know

SUBMITTED BY LUCY HERNANDEZ

Washington Hospital Healthcare System will host a free, community seminar, "Prostate Cancer: What You Need to Know," on Tuesday, November 3 at Conrad E. Anderson, MD Auditorium (Washington West). Participants will learn how to reduce the risk of prostate cancer, its warning signs, symptoms, and the latest treatments and technologies.

Guest speaker is Dr. Mark Saleh, urologist at Washington Township Medical Foundation. To register or for more information, visit www.whhs.com or call (800) 963-7070.

Seminars may be televised on InHealth, a Washington Hospital Channel (Comcast Channel 78), and online at http://whhs.com/about/inhealth/default.aspx.

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BUSINESS

Scoop, an automated carpooling app

SUBMITTED BY ALISON STOUT

Brothers and tech entrepreneurs Rob and Jon Sadow recently announced the launch of Scoop, a mobile carpooling application for Bay Area commuters. Scoop's automated carpool solution enables commuters to efficiently schedule and share their commute, saving time, money, and the environment.

Unlike other carpooling and ridesharing offerings, Scoop, headquartered in San Francisco, focuses on developing partnerships with Bay Area employers to offer Scoop to their employees as an affordable and effective transportation solution. Scoop began active trips in August, 2015 along pilot routes to Pleasanton in partnership with local employers including Workday, Kaiser Permanente, Clorox and Gap. Scoop now expands its service to North San Jose commuters by partnering with area employers including Cisco, Samsung, Brocade, BD Technologies and more. Thousands of Bay Area commuters have registered early for Scoop in anticipation of wider availability.

The Scoop iOS and Android apps enable commuters to request a carpool for each commute trip one way at a time, without any long-term commitment. Scoop's matching algorithm places commuters into a carpool with neighbors and co-workers utilizing a wide variety of attributes, including home and work locations, employer, traffic conditions, pick-up time, and more. The entire process takes seconds to complete and Scoop handles logistics, sharing of expenses, and trip coordination. With this flexibility, Scoop commuters along Pleasanton routes have taken an average of four trips per week, with some commuters using the service as often as eight to 10 times per week.

By having co-workers and neighbors share trips together, Scoop provides all of the benefits of carpooling at a fraction of the

cost of more expensive ridesharing options. Scoop users split the cost of the commute and riders reimburse the driver for gas and the cost of wear and tear to the car. No cash is ever exchanged - all payment is handled through the app. For riders, Scoop is at least 25 percent cheaper than driving alone. The rider's share of the commute cost is fixed and based on distance traveled with no frustrating "surge" pricing during high traffic time periods. Drivers get 50-100 percent of their commute cost reimbursed, depending on the number of passengers.

All Scoop drivers go through a motor vehicle history check and must verify that they own insurance before driving in a carpool. Scoop commuters can easily set preferences regarding whom they ride with and Scoop's Guaranteed Ride Home program ensures no rider is ever stranded late at night by unforeseen schedule changes.

For general inquiries or to download the application, visit www.takescoop.com

Tech companies face rocky road on the way to making cars

By Bree Fowler **AP TECHNOLOGY WRITER**

NEW YORK (AP), Silicon Valley may think it can build a better car. But should it?

As tech giants like Google and Apple look to automobiles as the next frontier for innovation, they face a looming reality: Cars are a lot harder to manufacture and sell than smartphones.

Industry veterans and critics warn that the auto business is a different animal. It's fraught with massive costs to erect auto plants, complexities in developing new sales and service systems, and daunting liabilities involved when human lives are at stake.

Automakers recalled a record 64 million vehicles in 2014, shattering the old record of 30.8 million set in 2004.

General Motors Co. has had to pay \$5.3 billion to cover fines, victim compensation and the recall of millions of vehicles for faulty ignition switches. Toyota Motor Corp. paid a \$1.2 billion fine for failing to report safety defects, and Volkswagen Group has set aside \$7.3 billion for the potential costs of its emissions scandal.

"I think, like so many Silicon Valley techies, that they believe they are smarter than the world's automobile business, and that they will do it better," said Bob Lutz, a retired General Motors vice chairman. "No way."

He added that tech companies would pay the same high prices for expensive components such as electric car batteries, likely pushing retail prices of their vehicles out of reach for the average driver.

"It will be a huge money loser," Lutz predicted.

To be sure, Google and Apple have plenty of cash to burn, with about \$270 billion in the bank combined. But the challenges of the car industry may be steering them to find ways to revolutionize automotive technology without becoming actual automakers.

GOOGLE

Mountain View, Californiabased Alphabet, the new holding company for Google and its affiliated businesses, has spent six years working on cars that can drive without human assistance. But the company says it doesn't want the responsibility of building the robotic vehicles.

Instead, it plans to make the self-driving system available to automakers that already have factories, dealerships and experience.

"We have enormous respect for the expertise of the automotive industry and how big and complex a job it is to manufacture a vehicle," company spokeswoman Courtney Hohne said. "We'll partner with many different companies to bring this technology into the world safely."

The strategy is consistent with how Google currently operates. It relies on other companies to produce the devices powered by its software. Most smartphones, for example, operate on its Android software. But the company doesn't make any of the devices.

If its self-driving system makes it to market, the company could license the software for a fee or, perhaps, making it free to use like Android.

That's because it makes most of its money from ads within their popular online services. If they no longer need to drive, people might spend time in their cars watching videos on Googleowned YouTube or seeking information on Google's search engine - both of which show ads.

But licensing their technology won't insulate it from safety issues. The company potentially could be held liable if one of its self-driving cars goes awry and injures or kills people in an accident.

APPLE

Apple CEO Tim Cook told an audience this week that the automotive industry is ripe for ``massive change," with new software, electric motors and self-driving capability becoming ``much more important, in a huge way."

But Cook avoided commenting on reports that Apple may be building its own car, according to a video recording of his remarks Monday at a technology conference sponsored by The Wall Street Journal.

"What we really want, hopefully in the short term, is we'd like people as they enter their car to be able to have an iPhone experience in their car," he said.

Apple has developed software for automakers called CarPlay, which lets drivers use an iPhone and its voice-activated assistant Siri to operate some electronic controls and entertainment systems.

In a research note, UBS analyst Steven Milunovich cites the \$2 trillion auto industry as a potential new opportunity at a time when sales of smartphones, tablets and PCs are seeing slower growth globally. Milunovich noted, however,

that cars have significantly lower profit margins than iPhones.

Apple, which makes most of its money from iPhones, reported \$39.5 billion in net income for its last fiscal year, on total sales of \$182.8 billion. GM reported only about \$4 billion in profit for its last fiscal year, on sales of \$151.1 billion.

Apple outsources manufacturing to contractors in Asia. That may be more difficult to do with cars, said Jack Nerad, an analyst at Kelley Blue Book's KBB.com.

While an iPhone is complex, with about 1,700 components in an iPhone 6 Plus, it pales in comparison to a vehicle, which has some 10,000 parts.

Sergio Marchionne, CEO of Fiat Chrysler Automobiles, sees a car in Apple's future, though he doubts they'll attempt to manufacture it themselves. He welcomes the competition.

"I think that this industry in general needs to open up to disrupters," Marchionne said in an interview on CNBC Wednesday. "Whether it's the Google car or the Apple car... it's going to change the traditional nature of car-making."

UBER

Self-driving technology has also piqued the interest of Uber, the fast-growing Silicon Valley startup that operates a ride-hailing service in cities around the world. Uber said earlier this year that it was partnering with Carnegie Mellon University to research and develop new technologies for mapping, vehicle safety and autonomous driving.

The company hasn't said whether it hopes to use autonomous technology to replace its thousands of drivers, who work as contractors driving their

But CEO Travis Kalanick has suggested Uber could someday expand with the help of self-driving vehicles, and touted the technology's promise for improving safety and easing traffic congestion.

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TESLA

Electric car maker Tesla Motors, also based in Silicon Valley, serves as both role model and cautionary tale for companies thinking of getting into the car business.

Tesla is admired for its elegant, emissions-free vehicles packed with technology. It does no advertising but has built a global fan base.

It also illustrates the challenges of the industry.

The 12-year-old company has

never made an annual profit. It has produced only three vehicles, all of which cost more than \$70,000. This year, it expects to make between 50,000 and 55,000 cars. That's two days' worth of production at GM.

Tesla has also felt the pain of safety issues. In 2013, it faced questions after several Model S sedans caught fire after road debris damaged their batteries. Tesla wound up strengthening the battery shield on new and existing cars.

Tesla CEO Elon Musk made it clear recently that he's watching Apple's moves.

"For Apple, the car is the next logical thing to finally offer a significant innovation," he told German newspaper Handelsblatt in an interview earlier this month.

AP Technology Writers Brandon Bailey and Michael Liedtke in San Francisco, and AP Automotive Writers Tom Krisher and Dee-Ann Durbin in Detroit contributed to this report.

A global giant chooses Fremont



Built to conform to LEED platinum and net zero standards, a new Fremont facility to consolidate the operations of Delta Products for the Americas opened its doors at a grand opening on October 22, 2015, unveiling an impressive homage to energy efficiency. Utilizing its own products and services as a base, Delta, a world leader in power supply, networking and energy management displayed a wide array of products and services that illustrate why it has reach global prominence.

In a display area, a variety of products illustrate Delta's commitment to green solutions for homes and businesses; a display shows visitors the real time operational efficiency of the complex including rooftop solar arrays, an environmental system that uses underground pipes to stabilize temperature, product storage management, LED lighting, and intelligent switch systems to manage all facets of this marvel of technology.

To administer all systems of the 180,000 square foot facility is quite a task and Chairman Yancey Hai explained in a tour that every facet of construction was carefully monitored to conform with Delta's commitment to the environment and green building methods. As an extension of the vision of Founder and Honorary Chairman, Bruce Cheng, Delta will attend an international conference in Paris to share its experiences and vision "to provide innovative, clean and energy efficient solutions."

M.S. Huang, President of Delta Americas, noted that the new complex is a testament to use of the latest green standards and a goal of a net zero carbon footprint. In addition to mechanical management, the Delta Americas Headquarters also features a 140,000 gallon rain water harvesting system for irrigation.

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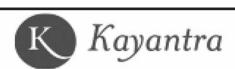
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Sunday, Oct 25

LOV Halloween Quarter Auction \$R

5 p.m. Food, silent & live auction, prizes Costumes optional Newark Community Center 35501 Cedar Blvd., Newark www.lov.org

Tuesday, October 27

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6 p.m. – 8 p.m. Treats, games, prizes and pumpkin contest Dale Hardware

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Wednesday, Oct 28

Shocktoberfest Mixer \$R

5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.FUN Rotary Clubs Zombie Martini

Food, drinks and costumes Bijou Restaurant 1036 B Street, Hayward www.bitly.com/zombiemartini

Thursday, Oct 29 - Saturday, Oct 31

Into the Haunted Woods \$

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Newark Memorial High School 39375 Cedar Blvd., Newark (510) 791-0287

Friday, Oct 30

Halloween Happy Hour

3 p.m. Magic Show and light refreshment Carlton Senior Living 3800 Walnut Ave., Fremont (510) 505-0555

Saturday, Oct 10 - Friday, Oct 30 Candlelighters Ghost House \$

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Friday, Oct 30

Halloween Spooktacular \$

7 p.m. - 10 p.m.Dance, costume contest, food and haunted house Newark 7th & 8th graders only school ID required Silliman Teen Area 6800 Mowry Ave., Newark (510) 578-4620 recreation@newark.org www.newark.org

Friday, Oct 30 - Saturday, Oct 31

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Saturday, Oct 31

Trunk or Treat

3 p.m. – 6 p.m. Games, jump house, food and trick-or-

South Bay Community Church 47385 Warm Springs Blvd., Fremont (510) 490-9500 www.sobcc.org

Saturday, Oct 31

Bolloween Masquerade Ball \$

7:30 p.m. – 1:00 a.m. Dinner, music, dancing and costume

India Community Center 525 Los Coches St., Milpitas (408) 579-9426 karma_guestlist@yahoo.com

Saturday, Oct 31

Halloween Carnival

1 p.m. -4 p.m. Food, games and trick or treats Marina Community Center 15301 Wicks Blvd., San Leandro (510) 577-3462 www.sanleandro.org

Saturday, Oct 31

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4 p.m. Spooky vintage cartoons for kids Niles Essanay Theater 37417 Niles Blvd., Fremont (510) 494-1411 www.nilesfilmmuseum.org

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Friday, Oct 30

Halloween Twilight Hike \$R

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Saturday, Oct 31

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Pumpkin Patch Party

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Trick or Treat Event

3 p.m. - 5 p.m.Balloon art, face painting and trick-ortreating Pacific Commons 43440 Boscell Rd., Fremont (510) 770-9798 www.pacificcommons.com

Saturday, Oct 31

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Holiday Boutique & Sweet Shoppe Friday, Oct 30 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Fremont Senior Center 40086 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont (510) 790-6600 www.fremont.gov/351/Senior-Center www.facebook.com/FremontSeniorCenter

Fremont Fair Housing and Landlord-Tenant Services presents the "Tenants' Rights Workshop" on Thursday, November 5 at Fremont Senior Center. Come learn about signs of housing discrimination; rights of tenants with disabilities; what questions a landlord can ask current or potential tenants; rent increases; repair and pest problems; lease terminations; notice requirements and more. While an RSVP is not required to attend, it is much appreciated so that we can have enough materials on hand. Please contact Christina Nguyen at (408) 470-3745 or cnguyen@housing.org with questions or to RSVP.

> Tenants' Rights Workshop Thursday, Nov 5 11 a.m.

Fremont Senior Center 40086 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont RSVP: (408) 470-3745 cnguyen@housing.org

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Folk music from Ireland & Scotland

SUBMITTED BY SHIRLEY SISK

On Sunday November 8, the League of Volunteers (LOV) and Newark Arts Council present in concert Men of Worth, featuring Scotsman Donnie Macdonald and Irishman James Keigher - maestros of the music, mirth and melancholy of their homelands. Together they blend their voices with harmony and support their melodies with a variety of instruments. The show is a unique combination of humor exciting tunes and soulful heartfelt ballads.

The concert is free and held at Thornton Junior High in Fremont. Complimentary refreshments are served during intermission.

> Men of Worth Concert Sunday, Nov 8 2 p.m. (Doors open at 1 p.m.) Thornton Jr High, Auditorium 4356 Thornton Ave, Fremont (510) 793-5683 www.lov.org Free



Adventure &

SUBMITTED BY OHLONE COLLEGE

Under the direction of Tony Clements, Ohlone Community Band presents "Stories: Adventure & Legend" on November 4. Enjoy music from movies to classics, including Alfred Reed's '50s-era "A Festival Prelude" and John Williams' soundtrack of the 2014 film "Lincoln" and the toe-tapping march from the movie "Midway." The adventurous wonders of nature are celebrated in "Sunrise at Angel's Gate" by Philip Sparke and contrasted in Steven Reineke's "Into the Raging River." Hear principal trumpet Gene Boyle solo in Clifton Williams' "Dramatic Essay," Jacob de Haan's "The Saint and the City" telling a Dutch legend in music, and more!

> Stories: Adventure & Legend Wednesday, Nov 4 7:30 p.m. Smith Center at Ohlone College Jackson Theatre 43600 Mission Blvd, Fremont (510) 659-6031

http://ohlonecommunityband.org/ https://tix4.centerstageticketing.com/sites/ohlone/selecttix_nochar t.php?s_id=356&p_id=303622

> Tickets: \$10 general admission; \$5 seniors, students, staff, youth 12 and under **Event Parking: \$4**

Special November meetings by **Kiwanis Club of Fremont**

SUBMITTED BY SHIRLEY SISK

The Kiwanis Club of Fremont has scheduled some interesting speakers for its November meetings. On November 3 – a breakfast meeting at 7 a.m. with feature Ellen Cuozo, Program Director of Alzheimer's Services of the East Bay. A dinner meeting will be held on November 10 at 6:30 pm. The speaker will be Dr. Gari Browning, President of Ohlone College, who will bring everyone up to date on all the new construction and improvements on the Fremont campus.

The Kiwanis Club meets the 1st & 3rd Tuesday mornings at 7 a.m. for breakfast and the 2nd & 4th Tuesdays for dinner at 6:30 p.m. at My Café, 5475 Thornton Ave in Newark.

Be our guest and learn more about Kiwanis and our many

services to the community. Enjoy an informative speaker and become acquainted with people like you who are interested in being involved and helping to make a difference. Check out our website: kiwanisfremont.org

Kiwanis Club NOVEMBER MEETINGS

Alzheimer's Services Program/Breakfast Meeting Tuesday, Nov 3 7 a.m.

Ohlone College Program/Dinner Meeting Tuesday, Nov 10 6:30 p.m.

My Café 5475 Thornton Ave, Newark kiwanisfremont.org Free

Community meeting for San Leandro Creek Trail Master Plan Study

SUBMITTED BY TERESA MEYER

The City of San Leandro announced that it will be hosting a community meeting regarding the San Leandro Creek Trail Master Plan Study on Thursday, October 29. The San Leandro Creek Trail Master Plan will be a feasibility study that is anticipated to start in November 2015. The study will analyze the possibility of having a multi-use trail along segments of San Leandro Creek and is funded by a \$201,510 grant that was awarded to the City by the State of California Department of Transportation (Caltrans).

The Creek Trail Master Plan Study process will involve extensive community input and outreach, and the Cities of San Leandro and Oakland encourage the public to attend and participate at future meetings and community workshops in order to provide feedback.

The City does not anticipate that construction of a creek trail will be feasible along the entirety of the study area, which runs from Lake Chabot Dam to the MLK Regional Shoreline in Oakland, because many areas lack sufficient public right-of-way, especially in residential areas. If such a multi-use trail were eventually developed following community input, it could generate many public benefits, such as increased access to walkers, runners and cyclists, while bringing increased awareness to the creek.

To stay informed or to be added to the notification list please call or email Anjana Mepani, Planner II at (510) 577-3348, or amepani@sanleandro.org.

Additional project information is also posted on the project webpage: https://www.sanleandro.org/depts/cd/projects/slcreek/default.asp.

> San Leandro Creek Trail Community Meeting Thursday, October 29 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. San Leandro Main Library, Estudillo Rm 300 Estudillo Ave, San Leandro (510) 577-3348



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Home & Garden

Reflect your personality with your décor

house becomes a home when the owner's personality is reflected in the décor. The best way to accomplish this is through accessories. Family photos, your mother's teacups, and the ceramic box your daughter made in third grade—all of those cherished treasures deserve a special place in your home. How do you display accessories successfully? Here are some tips to keep in mind.

• Generally speaking, arrange accessories in odd-numbered groupings. On any surface such as a coffee table or buffet, arrange accessories in groups of three, five, or even seven if the surface is large enough.

will have more impact if you group them together in a bookcase, although one camera on a stack of photography books on your coffee table would make a great conversation starter. Collections of small items such as buttons or shells can be displayed in glass bowls or vases. One client has a collection of beautiful rocks and minerals; I suggested a shadow box coffee table for these. This type of coffee table has a glass top and a velvet lined drawers to use for display, and is a great way to display smaller items like coins and medals.

• Arrange a grouping of accessories on a tray to give it more impact and importance.



This also keeps them corralled and makes it easy to move out of the way if needed.

- Plants and flowers add life, color and texture to your groupings. If you have a green thumb, real plants are best, but high-quality artificial plants work well also. Succulents are very popular nowadays and are great for people like me who have a hard time keeping live plants looking healthy.
- Use accessories to accentuate the theme or color in artwork. For example, a red vase placed in front of a painting will highlight the red found in that painting. Another example: Place an antique musical instrument alongside a painting with a musical theme.
- Large-scale rooms need large-scale accessories. Small items will just get lost in the room. This goes for artwork too; large walls need large pieces of art.
- Resist the urge to fill every inch of shelf or tabletop space. Leaving some "white space" will allow the eye to rest and also to focus on the accessories that are there.



One large-scale item, like a ceramic urn or pot, can also work well. That said, occasionally pairs of items work well too, especially if you prefer symmetrical arrangements.

- Choose accessories of varying heights, and arrange in a pyramid or triangular shape. Use a tall item like a lamp, pillar candle or sculpture in the center. The next item should be approximately 2/3 the height of the tallest item. The last item should be about 1/3 the height of the tallest item. Boxes or books can be used to raise items to the desired height.
- Group like items together rather than scatter them throughout the room. Your collection of antique cameras, for example,





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A friendly light in the dark

Tyson now carves 18 to 25 pumpkins per year that are on display for the second weekend of the Railroad.

In a broad departure from the typical smile, she uses a technique from Pumpkin Masters, placing an image drawn on paper over the pumpkin and punching dots with a pointed tool along the image lines. A tiny saw is used to connect the dots and extraneous pieces are removed to reveal the completed picture. "I find this technique gives even the non-artist an ability to create incredibly detailed images," says Tyson.

In addition to using stencils from a kit, carvers can make their own drawings come to life by following this method. Tyson has sketched a number of images, her designs inspired by cards, neighbor's displays, and magazines. Employing a combination of patterns and freehand methods, she has created seascapes, butterfly gardens, pirate scenes, snakes, an aquarium, and a clock about to strike midnight. "The most beloved pumpkin every year has been a rendering of a witch stirring her caldron surrounded by large plumes of steam," says Tyson. "Among my favorite pumpkins was my own creation, a merry-go-round pumpkin on a Lazy Susan, which might have been among the very first of its kind."



When carving a pumpkin, one must get the positive and negative spaces right, and choose a design that lets the artwork shine. "You're looking for something that has detail but that lets out a lot of light," says Tyson. "You have to worry about what it looks like from a distance, with the Railroad especially."

Depending on beginner or advanced patterns, carving can take a short amount of time or up to one and a half hours.

Tyson recommends beginning carvers look at kits and start with an easy pattern to get the lay of the land. "The ideas is iust to have fun."

Tyson began her pumpkin carving journey on her own, but over the years has welcomed help from neighborhood kids and received support from her husband and a few adults. The Perry Family Pumpkin Patch and Safeway Newark have donated many pumpkins throughout the years, and Tyson hopes to get more local involvement with Tri-City junior and high school art students taking part.

A sociologist by trade, Tyson loves looking at events in communities and doing things that are the most socially beneficial for people, such as the friendly, whimsical

spookiness of the Haunted Railroad and her pumpkins.

"I proudly have been a benevolent community witch who believes and has left surprise pumpkin displays on the eve of Halloween in the front of households who have been victimized and are in a period of despair. I would even quietly encourage others to consider that the surprise delivery of a single amazing pumpkin to an outside



porch on Halloween Eve can bring encouragement and/or support, it would be nice to think even hope, to an individual or family who need cheer or to give a special thanks," says Tyson.

"I have loved working on pumpkins for the Haunted Railroad. I've done it to inspire and help provide a gentle presence in the community on Halloween. I have done it to energize the weary spirits of the volunteers themselves on the last weekend of the event. It's hard work to haunt a railroad!'

Though the pumpkins' majesty lasts only a short time and turns to compost in the end, you can be sure that another delightful batch will be winking in next Halloween's darkness.

For more information on the Haunted Railroad, visit http://www.spcrr.org/.

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| CASTRO VALLEY TOTAL SALES: 12 Highest \$: 952,000 Median \$: 680,000 | 25616 Eldridge Avenue 94544 470,000 3 1210 1955 09-14-15 25912 Gushue Street 94544 580,000 3 1558 1991 09-10-15 | |
| Lowest \$: 360,000 Average \$: 663,500 | 25657 Sublett Drive 94544 385,000 3 951 1951 09-09-15 | |
| ADDRESS ZIP SOLD FOR BDSSQFT BUILT CLOSED | 25023 Tarman Avenue 94544 480,000 3 951 1949 09-11-15 | |
| 21927 Baywood Avenue 94546 650,000 4 1812 1947 09-15-15 22499 Charlene Way 94546 680,000 3 1783 1950 09-10-15 | 913 Neil Way 94545 268,500 3 998 1951 09-09-15 | |
| 2304 Farley Street 94546 488,000 2 996 1947 09-11-15 | 1234 Stanhope Lane #268 94545 335,000 2 1007 1989 09-11-15 21109 Gary Drive #114 94546 386,000 2 1070 1981 09-09-15 | |
| 4111 Heyer Avenue 94546 682,000 3 1505 1960 09-15-15 | 1886 Knox Street 94546 410,000 2 1330 1985 09-11-15 | |
| 4855 James Avenue 94546 520,000 3 1514 1954 09-11-15 | MILPITAS TOTAL SALES: 8 | |
| 18902 Natalie Court 94546 777,000 3 1356 1956 09-15-15 5064 Rahlves Drive 94546 755,000 3 1848 1953 09-09-15 | Highest \$: 1,258,000 Median \$: 835,000 | |
| 18890 Santa Maria Ave 94546 683,000 3 1517 1948 09-11-15 | Lowest \$: 490,000 Average \$: 864,375 ADDRESS ZIP SOLD FOR BDSSQFT BUILTCLOSED | |
| 20042 Santa Maria Ave 94546 735,000 5 1923 1947 09-15-15 | 814 Alcosta Drive 95035 1,030,000 4 2183 1981 09-17-15 | |
| 4445 Sargent Avenue 94546 680,000 4 1332 1946 09-11-15 | 1186 Claridad Loop 95035 850,000 4 2524 2006 09-18-15 | |
| 19110 Vaughn Avenue 94546 360,000 2 877 1949 09-10-15 5519 Gold Creek Drive 94552 952,000 4 2590 1997 09-11-15 | 350 Garcia Court 95035 835,000 5 1634 1964 09-17-15 | |
| FREMONT TOTAL SALES: 44 | 1563 Mt. Shasta Avenue 95035 960,000 4 2030 1966 09-21-15 383 North Temple Drive 95035 490,000 3 1122 1972 09-15-15 | |
| Highest \$: 1,505,000 Median \$: 700,000 | 251 Smithwood Street 95035 800,000 4 1370 1959 09-16-15 | |
| Lowest \$: 270,000 Average \$: 777,080 | 2070 Stratford Drive 95035 1,258,000 4 2690 1984 09-22-15 | |
| ADDRESS ZIP SOLD FOR BDSSQFT BUILT CLOSED | 143 Tiny Street 95035 692,000 3 1309 1958 09-17-15 | |
| 5128 Brophy Drive 94536 920,000 4 1944 1964 09-10-15 38627 Cherry Lane #75 94536 304,000 I 623 1974 09-11-15 | NEWARK TOTAL SALES: 9 | |
| 36085 Dering Place 94536 975,000 4 1714 1971 09-11-15 | Highest \$: 837,000 Median \$: 615,000 Lowest \$: 265,000 Average \$: 573,333 | |
| 4682 Devonshire Cmn 94536 476,000 2 945 1987 09-15-15 | Lowest \$: 265,000 Average \$: 573,333 ADDRESS ZIP SOLD FOR BDSSQFT BUILTCLOSED | |
| 4755 El Rey Avenue 94536 598,000 3 1136 1955 09-11-15 | 38801 Bluegrass Court 94560 710,000 3 1391 1969 09-11-15 | |
| 132 Galway Terrace 94536 794,500 3 1664 1989 09-10-15 | 6126 Castillon Drive 94560 615,000 3 1100 1959 09-14-15 | |
| 35620 Goldsmith Drive 94536 1,025,000 - 1939 1979 09-09-15 4712 Granado Avenue 94536 700,000 3 1106 1954 09-11-15 | 35988 Cherry Street 94560 665,000 3 1422 1959 09-09-15 | O |
| 37335 Lantana Common 94536 970,000 4 2054 1998 09-10-15 | 6746 George Avenue 94560 502,000 3 1012 1947 09-11-15 37391 Oak Street 94560 350,000 2 782 1941 09-09-15 | _ |
| 4076 Lorenzo Terrace 94536 535,000 3 1126 1972 09-09-15 | 6317 Potrero Drive 94560 655,000 2 1388 1990 09-15-15 | \dashv |
| 3387 Manchester Cmn 94536 680,000 3 1640 1976 09-15-15 | 37250 Spruce Street 94560 561,000 3 986 1949 09-09-15 | |
| 36833 Marlowe Street 94536 818,000 3 1503 1976 09-15-15 4716 Portola Drive 94536 700,000 3 1097 1954 09-15-15 | 8084 Thornton Avenue 94560 265,000 09-09-15 | |
| 37352 Spruce Terrace 94536 293,500 I 593 I986 09-10-15 | 5874 Wintergreen Drive 94560 837,000 3 1756 1967 09-15-15 | |
| 4278 Westminster Circle 94536 880,000 3 1524 2002 09-15-15 | SAN LEANDRO TOTAL SALES: 13 Highest \$: 729,000 Median \$: 550,000 | |
| 39447 Blue Fin Way 94538 660,000 3 1354 1962 09-15-15 | Lowest \$: 321,500 Average \$: 548,000 | S |
| 42849 Everglades Park Dr 94538 790,000 4 1736 1962 09-14-15 | ADDRESS ZIP SOLD FOR BDSSQFT BUILTCLOSED | 0) |
| 4140 Fairwood Street 94538 1,136,000 3 950 1959 09-10-15 39149 Guardino Dr #355 94538 384,000 1 693 1987 09-11-15 | 301 Bowling Green Street 94577 520,000 2 1531 1942 09-09-15 737 Cary Drive 94577 729,000 2 1240 1936 09-09-15 | M |
| 3682 Langdon Common 94538 690,000 2 1174 1998 09-11-15 | 737 Cary Drive 94577 729,000 2 1240 1936 09-09-15 13500 Doolittle Drive 94577 600,000 2 1466 1941 09-10-15 | _ |
| 39256 Marbella Terraza 3M 94538 585,000 2 1071 1991 09-09-15 | 1237 Estudillo Avenue 94577 510,000 2 1365 1951 09-11-15 | |
| 132 Peony Court 94538 638,000 4 1302 1961 09-10-15 | 115 Pershing Drive 94577 551,500 3 1435 1944 09-15-15 | (D |
| 5706 Poplar Common 94538 460,000 3 1149 1970 09-14-15 40503 Robin Street 94538 685,000 3 1452 1962 09-11-15 | 2058 Reynolds Street 94577 480,000 2 1487 1989 09-11-15 | S |
| 40503 Robin Street 94538 685,000 3 1452 1962 09-11-15 3695 Stevenson Blvd E306 94538 525,000 2 1040 1991 09-15-15 | 1442 138th Avenue #3 94578 321,500 2 811 1970 09-14-15 2022 Lomita Drive 94578 700,000 4 2498 1993 09-15-15 | |
| 43756 Abeloe Terrace 94539 1,050,000 3 1428 1986 09-10-15 | 16230 Maubert Avenue 94578 482,000 2 1492 1947 09-09-15 | |
| 121 Action Court 94539 915,000 3 1234 1961 09-15-15 | 15000 Costela Street 94579 400,000 4 1658 1951 09-11-15 | |
| 41943 Chadbourne Drive 94539 1,221,000 3 1475 1958 09-15-15 | 1690 Hickory Avenue 94579 550,000 3 1076 1953 09-09-15 | |
| 49002 Cinnamon Fern 229 94539 700,000 2 1229 2009 09-10-15 40385 Dolerita Avenue 94539 1,300,000 3 1881 1975 09-09-15 | 15350 Sullivan Avenue 94579 680,000 3 1392 1955 09-11-15 14750 Wiley Street 94579 600,000 4 1849 1951 09-10-15 | (D |
| 181 East Warren Cmn #63 94539 649,500 3 1204 1982 09-11-15 | 14750 Wiley Street 94579 600,000 4 1849 1951 09-10-15 SAN LORENZO TOTAL SALES: 4 | 77 |
| 785 Little Foot Drive 94539 1,215,000 - 1780 1977 09-11-15 | Highest \$: 540,000 Median \$: 505,000 | O |
| 107 Mohave Terrace #2 94539 610,000 2 1200 1986 09-11-15 | Lowest \$: 480,000 Average \$: 507,500 | |
| 41858 Olympus Avenue 94539 1,505,000 3 1937 1961 09-11-15 43787 Paso Nuez Cmn 94539 890,000 3 1543 2010 09-15-15 | ADDRESS ZIP SOLD FOR BDSSQFT BUILTCLOSED 16103 Paseo Del Campo 94580 505,000 3 1126 1944 09-10-15 | |
| 109 Rabbit Court 94539 1,100,000 3 1728 1989 09-11-15 | 17484 Via Estrella 94580 480,000 2 1197 1948 09-09-15 | |
| 47112 Warm Springs #225 94539 270,000 I 760 1982 09-09-15 | 15995 Via Toledo 94580 540,000 3 1260 1951 09-09-15 | |
| 2785 Washington Blvd 94539 1,210,000 4 1906 1952 09-09-15 | 90 Via Verde 94580 505,000 3 1702 1951 09-09-15 | (1 |
| 4061 Caribbean Common 94555 575,000 4 1474 1970 09-11-15 4844 Creekwood Drive 94555 952,000 4 1863 1989 09-11-15 | UNION CITY TOTAL SALES: 13 | |
| 34310 Newton Court 94555 812,000 3 1305 1970 09-09-15 | Highest \$: 895,000 Median \$: 528,000 Lowest \$: 213,000 Average \$: 548,846 | |
| 34571 Pueblo Terrace 94555 550,000 2 918 1988 09-11-15 | ADDRESS ZIP SOLD FOR BDSSQFT BUILTCLOSED | |
| 34718 Siward Drive 94555 895,000 4 1647 1987 09-14-15 | 4446 Alamo Street 94587 381,000 2 875 1971 09-11-15 | |
| 5264 Tacoma Common 94555 550,000 2 1100 1989 09-11-15 | 4856 Cheryl Court 94587 805,000 4 1880 1977 09-09-15 140 Donoso Plaza 94587 365,000 2 880 1986 09-10-15 | |
| HAYWARD TOTAL SALES: 18 | 32637 Endeavour Way 94587 410,000 3 1137 1972 09-14-15 | |
| Highest \$: 1,000,000 Median \$: 420,000 Lowest \$: 250,000 Average \$: 505,806 | 230 Famoso Plaza 94587 213,000 3 1135 1986 09-10-15 | |
| ADDRESS ZIP SOLD FOR BDSSQFT BUILT CLOSED | 32223 Glenbrook Street 94587 705,000 3 1591 1968 09-11-15 | |
| 22900 7th Street 94541 784,000 3 2361 1920 09-10-15 19120 Calabria Place 94541 530,000 3 1676 1980 09-11-15 | 3004 Miraloma Way 94587 895,000 4 2357 1993 09-10-15 | |
| 19120 Calabria Place 94541 530,000 3 1676 1980 09-11-15 1780 Dover Place 94541 350,000 - 1274 1978 09-09-15 | 35984 Nickel Street 94587 848,000 3 2250 2005 09-14-15 31241 San Andreas Drive 94587 650,000 4 1675 1969 09-11-15 | |
| 24036 Myrtle Street 94541 420,000 3 1085 1947 09-14-15 | 3157 San Joaquin Way 94587 528,000 4 1530 1971 09-09-15 | |
| 21305 Ocean View Drive 94541 560,000 3 1388 1952 09-11-15 | 34809 Starling Drive #2 94587 340,000 2 903 1972 09-14-15 | |
| 23158 Palazzo Del Kayla 94541 778,000 4 2066 2008 09-15-15 | 642 Tamarack Drive 94587 580,000 3 1402 1957 09-11-15 | |
| 24254 Rolling Ridge Lane 94541 751,000 4 2578 1994 09-14-15 722 West Sunset Blvd 94541 367,000 2 1152 1950 09-09-15 | 4508 Ventura Way 94587 415,000 2 1054 1971 09-09-15 | |
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Recall of Seyma Happy Snacks products

California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Director and State Public Health Officer Dr. Karen Smith is warning consumers with allergies to peanuts, soy, or wheat, not to eat the following items manufactured by Seyma Products, Inc. under the Happy Snacks Brand, because they contain undeclared allergens:

Combo Con Chile (Botana Mixed) - 4.5 oz. - UPC: 671552000505 (Peanuts, Soy, Wheat)

Cacahuate Japones Original (Japanese Peanuts) - 5.5 oz. – UPC:

671552000468 (Soy, Wheat)

Cacahuate Japones (Crunchy Peanuts) - 2.0 oz. - UPC: 671552000109 (Soy, Wheat)

Cacahuate Japones Con Chile (Japanese Chili Peanuts) - 5.5 oz. – UPC: 671552000451 (Soy, Wheat)

People who have peanut, soy, and/or wheat allergies risk life-threatening reactions if these products are consumed. To date, no illnesses have been

The products are packaged in clear cellophane pouches and have an oval shaped label with a red and white striped border. "Happy Snacks" appears in yellow letters and the product names appear in black lettering. Consumers in possession of these products should return them to the place of purchase for refund, or dispose of them in the trash.

Consumers that have experienced an allergic reaction after consuming these products should contact their health care provider. Anyone observing the products being offered for sale, without the corrected labeling that identifies the allergens is encouraged to call CDPH's toll free complaint line at 1-(800) 495-3232.

Santa Clara County Supervisors approve ordinance to deter road rage

SUBMITTED BY JANICE ROMBECK

Users of Santa Clara County highways and expressways have a new tool to fight road rage, whether they are driving cars, riding bicycles or walking.

Responding to complaints from bicyclists who say they have been threatened and endangered by motorists, the Board of Supervisors, on October 20, approved an ordinance that would allow them to file a civil lawsuit against another person for hostile behavior and, if successful, could collect up to \$1,000.

Supported by the County's Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee, the issue was brought to the board by Supervisor Dave Cortese nearly a year ago. At his request, the proposed ordinance was broadened to include acts of road rage suffered by anyone on County roads, including motorists, cyclists, pedestrians or equestrians.

"While motorists and cyclists have become more aware of each other, especially on narrow roads, bad behavior still happen all too fre-

quently," said Supervisor Cortese. "This ordinance will allow victims to take legal civil action and could be a deterrent to these acts of harassment."

Examples of bad behavior witnessed on County roadways include motorists driving too closely to cyclists or pedestrians, making threats and cutting them off roadways or throwing objects.

Besides the ordinance, the Board's action focuses attention on other ways the County has to reduce conflicts on roadways:

Education and outreach - Provide road users with safety tips and information on best practices in sharing the road.

Road engineering – creating buffer zones between bikes and cars by redesigning roads, making bike lanes more visible and building

bike-only paths parallel to the roads. Increased enforcement Targeting areas that are frequented by bicyclists and motorists to

deter hostile behavior. For more information, call the Office of

Supervisor Dave Cortese at (408) 299-5030.

Turf's Up!

fence in Central Park at Stevenson Boulevard surrounds a field of what was once grass and now bare ground. Stripped of its green cover, a process has now begun to cover the area with artificial turf. It is a highly technical procedure, one of the most complex projects of Parks and Recreation.

Tri-City Voice spoke with Fremont Parks Planning and Design Manager Roger Ravenstad and Senior Landscape Architect Mark Mennucci about the process. Central Park Fields 9 & 10 are not the first artificial turf projects tackled by the City. The first was at Irvington Community Center about eight years ago; others include Sigman Baseball/Softball Field at Centerville Community Park and Karl Nordvic (soccer, football, baseball). Other areas in Fremont also use artificial turf. For instance, artificial turf is used

beneath the new rings sculpture at Paseo Padre Parkway and Stevenson Blvd to avoid mowing problems, beneath the entry sign at the water park, landscaped areas at the skate park and at the dog park (a product designed specifically for dog parks).

TCV: What are the advantages of artificial turf?

Ravenstad: On high use fields, synthetic turf has proven to be valuable when considering maintenance and programming/field play. If it rains on a regular turf field, play stops until the field dries out in a day or two. Conditions of synthetic turf do not deteriorate under similar circumstances and play can continue. On the maintenance side, there is a dramatic savings of water [roughly 1 million gallons per acre per year], mowing and use of fertilizer.

TCV: How is the ground prepared for artificial turf?

Mennucci: Soil is being removed to the sub-grade level to make sure the field will drain from high to low points. The next step is digging trenches that will hold water and, if necessary during major rain storms, drain water through a drainage system to Lake Elizabeth. A curb and fence will surround the field enclosing a layer of permeable rock covered by a 'performance layer" acting as a cushion for the top carpet layer. When completed, the field is permeable; holes every three inches allows water to move through the turf.

TCV: When is the field expected to be ready for play?

Mennucci: Carpeting is expected February/March 2016 depending on weather and ready for play, probably in April or

TCV: What about reports of environmental effects and health concerns?

Ravenstad: This will be our fourth field. The first is at Irvington Community Center where we have performed tests and invited the Environmental Protection Agency to test as well. No pollutants have been detected and we feel confident about the safety of use. We are using a different product for Fields 9 and 10 in Central Park and feel we have addressed concerns about artificial turf to the best of our ability.

TCV: How is artificial turf maintained?

Mennucci: It comes in 15 foot wide rolls of 300 feet. Each strip is stitched to adjoining strips by the manufacturer. Fibers are tested for 'tough bind' and last 5-15 years. Although we are seeing wear of the Irvington turf, we can ask the manufacturer to replace sections instead of the entire field. When the carpet is worn, only the top layer is replaced as long as the drainage and grading remains undamaged. Artificial turf fields are rinsed and brushed regularly. Once a year, the manufacturer performs deep cleaning operations.

TCV: Will all sports fields be replaced with artificial turf?

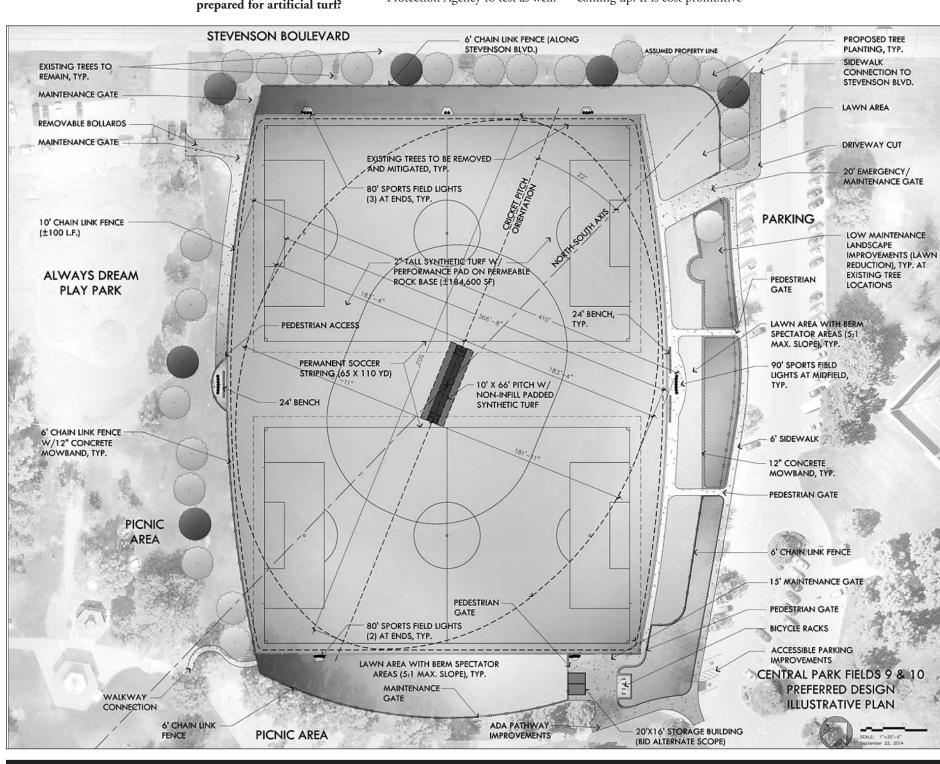
Ravenstad: No, just targeted fields of high volume where we are struggling to meet demand. We have some turf renovations coming up. It is cost prohibitive to replace all fields. Also, we are interested in providing a varied experience for sports teams, both natural and artificial turf. With synthetic turf, we can service many more customers and equalize usage. Our goal is to increase the capacity of what we already have. Artificial turf is expensive, but an efficient way to do this. A planned major sports facility, Pacific Commons Sports Park, will use artificial turf.

TCV: What types of sports will be played on Field 9/10?

Ravenstad: Two soccer fields plus a cricket overlay; Fremont's first cricket field of regional quality. Four inch lines of different colors for each game are glued into the carpet.

TCV: Do players feel any difference when on artificial turf?

Ravenstad: There is a bit of a learning curve for those used to regular turf. It is different and takes time understand how it responds to player movements. The only down side is the surface can become hot on extremely hot days. Our mild climate mitigates this problem.



Kiwanis Club of Fremont to hold Turkey/Holiday Food Drive

SUBMITTED BY SHIRLEY SISK

On Saturday, November 21 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., members of the Fremont Kiwanis Club, along with the club's sponsored youth organizations will be at the three Fremont Safeway stores, collecting turkeys and food items for the holidays. All food will be donated to support League of Volunteers (LOV) 27th annual Thanksgiving Day Feast. Last year the holiday event served 4,132 dinners at the Newark Pavilion and to the homebound in Fremont, Newark, Union City, Hayward, Castro Valley, San Leandro and San Lorenzo.

Participating Safeway stores are at: Fremont - Hub 39100 Argonaut Way, 3902 Washington Blvd and at 46848 Mission Blvd in Fremont. Along with the turkeys, Kiwanians will be accepting canned goods and other non-perishable items as well cash donations. A flyer, with a list of the food items and supplies needed, will be available at all stores. The Kiwanis Club of Fremont urges everyone to help make this holiday a little brighter for those less fortunate. For more information contact Marsha Badella at (510) 489-9305.

Kiwanis Turkey/Holiday Food Drive

Saturday, Nov 21 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Fremont Safeways: 39100 Argonaut Way 3902 Washington Blvd 46848 Mission Blvd (510) 489-9305

Donations benefit League of Volunteers Thanksgiving Day Feast

Katrina Scott-Vance takes oath as San Leandro Postmaster

SUBMITTED BY AUGUSTINE RUIZ, JR

On Friday, October 23, Katrina Scott-Vance followed a tradition that dates back to 1937 when Michael E. Neish became the first Postmaster of San Leandro. Scott raised her right hand to be sworn in as the new Postmaster.

Scott-Vance started her postal career as a Letter Carrier in 1998 in Oakland. She carries on a family tradition started by her parents who were postal workers. Scott-Vance began her managerial career as an acting supervisor soon after she completed the Associate Supervisors Program. This was followed by higher level managerial assignments in Berkeley and as Manager Customer Services at the Laurel Post Office in Oakland.

"As the new San Leandro Postmaster, it is an honor and privilege to be appointed to this important and civic position," said Scott-Vance. "I am passionate about striving for excellence and committed to the needs of all Postal customers. I want my customers to know that the United States Postal Services is the best place to do business."

Scott-Vance is a graduate of Mc Clymonds High School in Oakland. She has a BA degree in Sociology from California State University Hayward and a MA in Organizational Management from University of Phoenix. She volunteers with youth activities



in the community, helping them make career choices for their future.

As San Leandro Postmaster, Scott-Vance manages all operations at the San Leandro Main Post Office, South San Leandro Station, Estudillo Station, and Washington Manor Station, with a total of 106 carrier routes and 52,382 delivery points (residential business addresses) and 1686 PO Boxes. She manages 188 employees who process and deliver an average of 103,935 pieces of mail daily.

Park It

BY NED MACKAY

fter several months' leave of absence, East Bay Regional Park District's Wednesday Walks program will resume with a hike on Nov. 4 at Leona Canyon Regional Open Space Preserve in Oakland. The Wednesday Walkers are an informal group that explores a different regional park periodically on a naturalistled hike. Hikes vary in difficulty; everyone is welcome.

The **Leona Canyon hike** will be a moderate four-miler. Meet at 9:30 a.m. at the Canyon Oaks parking area. To get there, turn off Keller Avenue onto Campus Drive, then right onto Canyon Oaks Drive.

Next on the Wednesday **Walks** schedule will be a 10-mile hike around Lake Chabot on Nov. 25. For more information and a Wednesday Walks schedule, call 510-544-3182 or check the hiking page at www.ebparks.org.

Out at Black Diamond Mines Regional Preserve in Antioch there's a turkey trek scheduled from 10 a.m. to noon on Sunday, Nov. 1, led by naturalist Virginia Delgado. It's a free, 2?-mile walk around the park's River View Loop Trail, designed for ages 7 and older. The group will keep a lookout for turkeys and turkey vultures. Meet Virginia at the parking lot at the upper end of Somersville Road, 3? miles south of Highway 4 in Antioch. Black Diamond Mines has a parking fee of \$5 per vehicle. The hike is free of charge.

Park district officials are advising the public to keep out of the water at Big Break Regional Shoreline in Oakley, due to a bloom of blue-green algae. Initial tests have determined that the algae is not toxic, but blue-green algae can unexpectedly become so. District staff will continue to monitor water samples along the Delta shoreline. Kayaking and fishing are still allowed, and fish can be eaten after the guts are removed and fillets rinsed in tap water.

There's still lots to do on dry land at Big Break. Little kids accompanied by a parent will enjoy a free program from 10 to 11 a.m. Monday, Nov. 2 at the park, led by naturalist Ashley Grenier. It's a bird-watching stroll designed for children ages 1 through 5.

Ashley will lead a Big Break kids' walk in search of mammals at the same time on Dec. 7. Delta Discoveries runs from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. every Saturday and Sunday, with hands on arts and crafts activities showcasing the Delta environment. And you can help test Delta water quality from 9 to 10 a.m. every Saturday and Sunday. Results go into a regional database used by multiple agencies.

Big Break is located at 69 Big Break Road off Main Street in Oakley. For information, call 888-327-2757, ext. 3050, or email

BigBreakVisit@ebparks.org.

The secret life of the woodrat will be unveiled in a program from 10:30 a.m. to noon on Sunday, Nov. 1 at the **Environmental Education Center** in Tilden Nature Area near Berkeley. Learn about the woodrats and other animals that share their large nests. Then from 1:30 to 3 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 1, interpretive student aide Sharona Kleinman will show how to make cornhusk dolls. You can make your own doll (husks provided) and take it home.

Works by the local Guild of Natural Science Illustrators are on display at the center from Nov. 3 through Dec. 28. Art works depict the plants and animals of the East Bay Regional Parks and other open spaces. There's a reception at the center to meet the artists from 3 to 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 6.

The center is located at the north end of Tilden's Central Park Drive. It's open from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesdays through Sundays. For information, call 510-544-2233.

Nature's own recycling pro**gram** is the theme of a hike from 10 a.m. to noon on Sunday, Nov. 1 at Redwood Regional Park in Oakland, led by naturalist Morgan Dill. It's a family-friendly walk starting at the park's Canyon Meadow Staging Area off Redwood Road. For information, call 510-544-3187.

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New Pail Crossing warning system planned for Sunol

SUBMITTED BY DAWN ARGULA

On Wednesday, October 21, 2015, the Sunol Citizen's Advisory Committee heard a presentation from staff of San Joaquin Regional Rail Commission (SJRRC), operators of Altamont Corridor Express (ACE) service, who presented an update on the installation of a new rail crossing warning system in Sunol. Supervisor Scott Haggerty, who represents part of Sunol and serves on the SJRRC board of directors, introduced the item to the committee.

Haggerty championed improvements to the rail crossing warning system in response to community complaints about sound impacts to residents as a result of the noise generated by locomotive train horns and increased rail traffic from passenger and freight rail crossing through Sunol. The installation of a wayside horn-warning device is installed at the railroad crossing and emits an audible warning to oncoming motorists when a train is approaching. This reduces the need for a train locomotive to sound its horn as required beyond the vicinity of a public grade crossing.

Haggerty met with local residents in 2013 to discuss their concerns about the noise and increased train activity through Sunol. At the time, ACE was embarking upon planning efforts to modernize its rail service. Haggerty flagged Sunol as an area to investigate options to improve noise impacts from rail activity.

ACE staff examined options including the wayside horn device and a quiet zone designation for the crossings. The quiet zone designation required extensive engineering at the crossings that would impact adjacent roadways and businesses, narrowing feasible options to a wayside horn. The community was notified, and on December 15, 2014 a temporary wayside horn was field tested at the Sunol crossing.

The project is being conducted in cooperation with Union Pacific Rail Road, ACE, and Alameda County. The cost for wayside horn devices installed at crossings at Main Street and at Bond Street is estimated at \$714,000, and will be funded through Measure B county-wide sales tax funding for transportation projects. The tentative schedule, pending California Public Utilities Commission ap-

James Logan locked down after shooting threat

SUBMITTED BY UNION CITY PD

On Friday, October 23, at about 12:48 pm, Union City PD received an anonymous 911 call who warned of an impending shooting that was going to occur at James Logan High School. The police department worked with New Haven Unified School District, and the school was placed on "lock down," as officers conducted a systematic search of the campus. No threats were found on campus, and the "lock down" was lifted at approximately 3:25 pm.

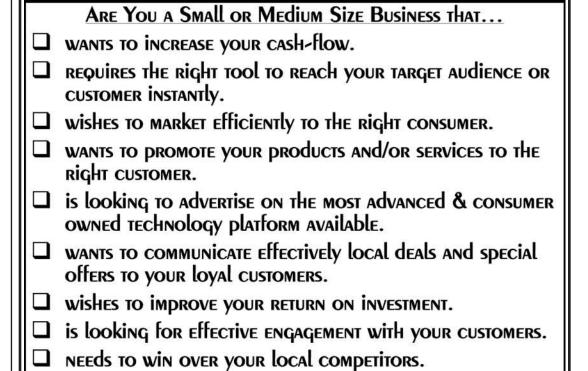
Union City PD is investigating the origin of the phone call. Anyone with further information regarding this incident may contact the Union City Police Department at (510) 471-1365, or anonymously at (510) 675-5207.

proval, shows construction starting April 2016 (tentative) and full operation of the wayside horn device system in June 2016.

For more information on the wayside horn project, visit https://www.acerail.com/About/ Public-

Projects/ACEforward/Events/141 215_WSH-FAQs.pdf.





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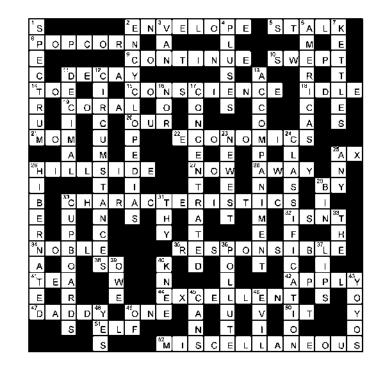
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For All Signs: The planets Venus and Mars will be aligned on November 2 in the sign of Virgo. Venus, the ancient goddess of love, carries broad feminine and romantic symbolism. Mars is the warrior god and prevails over masculine territory. The symbolism suggests the conclusion of one relationship and the beginning of another. Alternatively the conjunction speaks of the beginning and ending of episodes or cycles within a single relationship. The current closing cycle began in April 2013. This new conjunction marks the beginning of a fresh cycle that will last for 23 months. Take advantage of this opportunity to repair rifts and achieve positive closures. New beginnings or fresh agreements in all relationships, whether romantic, platonic or business, are important now.

Aries the Ram (March 21-

April 20): It's time to take a good look at your self-care habits and beef up your resolve to avoid sliding into old patterns. Create a new agreement with yourself to exercise frequently and eat a nutritious diet. You may be at the beginning of a new job or project at your workplace or in your daily activities. Perhaps you will be sharing the load with one or more new co-workers.

Taurus the Bull (April 21-

May 20): Venus is your Avatar planet and this week she encounters her partner, Mars, in your house of romance, creativity and children. If you are an artist of any type, this is the time to begin anew on a project. Venus made significantly favorable aspects last week, so you may have already encountered the other.

Gemini the Twins (May 21-June 20): You may feel as though you came from another planet this week. Communications may be misunderstood, snarled or lost altogether. Compensate for this problem by concentrating on

speaking the truth as you know it

and listening very carefully to

what the other tells you. You'll be back on track after November 2.

Cancer the Crab (June 21-July 21): Your attention is glued on to home, hearth and family. That includes family of origin. It is important that you share your feelings with those you love now. Let them know how important they are to you, over and above any little squabbles in the past. You will feel better for it and so

will they.

Leo the Lion (July 22-Au**gust 22):** During the next two weeks you will be contemplating your existence. You are thinking about how you can position yourself in order to feel more sense of meaning in your work, family and relationships. Some may be pondering on the level of

the spiritual. "What is the best

that I can become?"

Virgo the Virgin (August 23-**September 22):** This month's Venus/Mars alignment brings you face to face with your identity versus your relationship. You must consciously evaluate how you will manage to meet your personal needs and yet remain

connected to the other in your life. This is a 22-month project, so it doesn't have to be done overnight.

Libra the Scales (September **23-October 22):** The

Venus/Mars conjunction occurs in the 12th house of the unconscious. Scan your thoughts for evidence of a change in your attitude. Important things may be revealed through dreams. It is possible you could sabotage your primary relationships by becoming critical of little things about the other.

Scorpio the Scorpion (October 23-November 21): The

Venus/Mars conjunction occurs in your third house of neighborhood, roommates, siblings and nearby travel. Sometimes this house includes your usual vehicle. You may have already initiated a fresh start in any of these areas. New information that crosses your path may prove to raise your awareness of your local surroundings.

Sagittarius the Archer (November 22-December 21): Your sign is graced with a Jupiter/Uranus parallel. There

may be a breakthrough on your career scene. You are able to gracefully manage almost any challenge, whether that is management, athletic, or persuading others to your point of view. You are probably in the midst of a winning streak. Projects that are concluding are very successful.

Capricorn the Goat (December 22-January 19): This is a quiet week for the Goats. After the aspects from Mercury and Uranus that occurred this week, you are likely glad to have a respite. Recent changes in your home and family life may have been exhausting. Take a break and smell the flowers.

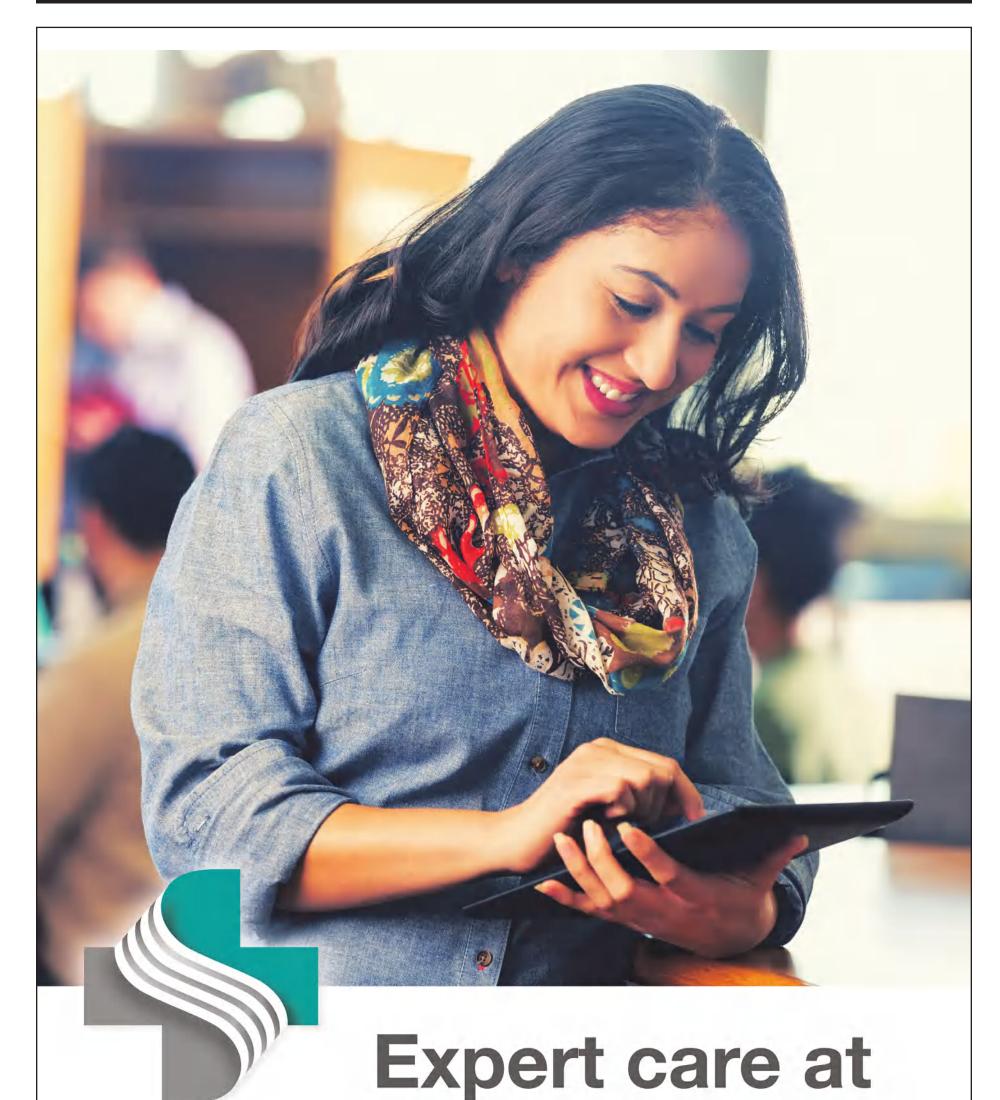
Aquarius the Water Bearer (January 20-February 18): This week you are leaning more into your rebellious side. This is related to circumstances among siblings, neighbors and roommates. It could also surface while driving locally. If you are composing a letter or speaking to others in your life, you may really enjoy saying something outrageous.

Pisces the Fish (February 19-March 20): You may be in the midst of a new deal related to partnership and clientele. Perhaps you feel you must raise your fee or price if you are selling something. Or maybe you are ready to make a new statement about who you are in your partnership.

Are you interested in a personal horoscope? Vivian Carol may be reached at (704) 366-3777 for private psychotherapy or astrology appointments (fee required).



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Home Sharing Offers Creative, **Affordable Housing Solutions**

In an effort to create more affordable housing options for its residents, the City of Fremont reached out to HIP Housing, the San Mateo based nonprofit that runs one of the nation's largest Home Sharing programs and has been around for more than 40 years. As of August 1, 2015, the organization now serves those who are seeking housing who live or work in the City of Fremont and persons with a room to rent who live in Fremont, Newark and Union City. In San Mateo County, HIP provides affordable housing for more than 1,400 people each year.

The Home Sharing Program creates affordable housing from the existing housing stock by matching people who have spare bedrooms with those looking for a place to live. It is a mutually beneficial solution – those renting out a room in their home (Home Providers) can supplement their income, while those who need a place to live (Home Seekers) can find stability and security at an affordable rate.

Since sharing a home can come with occasional conflicts, HIP Housing has developed a system to help prevent and mitigate any problems. When matches are made, both parties sit down with one of the organization's experienced counselors to perform a "Living Together Agreement", wherein they outline the rules, details, musts,



HIPhousing

and deal-breakers for cohabitating. From there, every participant has long-term counseling available to them for as long as they remain in the program, with the staff serving as an unbiased, professional support system for the clients.

HIP Housing's solutions are especially useful in the current housing climate as the average cost of rent continues to rise. New affordable housing units are built, but not fast enough to account for the rapidly growing numbers of people who cannot afford to live here. The organization has seen a sizeable increase in calls about Home Sharing from those hoping to boost their income, those trying to recover from homelessness, and everyone in between. And, after 41 years, HIP Housing's Home Sharing Program has become a strong network of staff, board members, and clients truly invested in this community.

For more information about HIP Housing's Home Sharing Program, please contact HIP Housing Coordinator Laura Moya at 510-574-2173 or visit Fremont's Human Services Department at 3300 Capitol Ave., Building B in Fremont.



We all have a responsibility to protect our planet. The City of Fremont is clearly doing its part as it was recently ranked the 10th greenest city in America!

It's no secret that clean energy and other "green" practices – such as recycling - benefit the environment and public health. But, cities across the United States are finally catching on to the fact that these practices benefit the bottom line, and they are aligning their sustainability efforts with their economic goals.

The City of Fremont has been way ahead of the game, with efforts ranging from our Green Challenge - a greenhouse gas reduction and sustainable community initiative – to our solar permitting improvements to our Climate Action Plan. It also doesn't hurt that Fremont is a semifinalist in the Georgetown University Energy Prize and working toward dramatically reducing energy consumption over the next two years.

With that said, WalletHub went on a mission to find out which cities are making it a priority to encourage an environmentally-friendly lifestyle. It conducted a study based on data from 100 U.S. cities and

ranked them according to 13 different key metrics, ranging from greenhouse-gas emissions per capita to number of smart-energy policies and initiatives.

There's no question that Fremont is leading the charge to go green! For more information, visit www.Fremont.gov/WalletHubGreenCity.



What Independent Retail and Restaurants Would You Like To See in Downtown Fremont?



Downtown Fremont's first mixed use development, the State Street Project, will be breaking ground in 2016. It will include 157 multi-family residential units and approximately 21,000 square feet of ground floor retail and restaurant space directly along Capitol Avenue.

Plans are underway to identify independent retailers and restaurants that would be a good fit with the community. We want to hear from you! What independent retail and restaurants would you like to see in Downtown Fremont? Using Fremont Open City Hall, the City's online forum for civic engagement, the City is asking its residents what independent retail and restaurants they would like to see in the State Street Project.

The feedback on Fremont Open City Hall will be shared with a brokerage team directly working with TMG Partners and Sares Regis, the project development team. An interest list for potential restaurants and retail uses for these spaces is being formed. The goal is to ultimately create a unique and vibrant Downtown experience. Visit www.Fremont.gov/OpenCityHallStateSt to submit your suggestions.

We Need Volunteers! Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program

Looking for a different kind of volunteer work? Interested in helping your community? Consider volunteering to help low- to moderate-income families and individuals file their income taxes for the 2016 tax season.

The Fremont Family Resource Center's (FRC) Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program is recruiting volunteers for the 2016 tax season. FRC VITA prepares income tax returns and e-files them for low- to moderate-income individuals and families at no cost. In many cases, tax refunds are their lifeline. Not only does the VITA Program provide tax preparation services, VITA volunteers also connect families to important services such as CalFresh benefits, financial coaching, asset building programs, financial education workshops, and referrals to other valuable programs available at the FRC.

Here are 10 reasons why you should consider becoming a VITA volunteer:

I. Participating in VITA means being an active part of rejuvenating your local economy. By helping provide free and quality tax return preparation to those who cannot normally afford it, we ensure that taxpayers claim their Earned Income Tax Credit, a refundable tax credit that can be up to \$6,242 for a family with three qualifying children. Last year, the FRC VITA Program filed 2,636 tax returns, resulting in \$3.7 million in claimed refunds and credits. Much of this money is spent within the community, thereby boosting the local economy.

2. VITA volunteer hours are extremely flexible. VITA volunteers generally serve 3 to 5 hours a week from January 2016 to April 2016. We offer day and evening hours, weekdays, and Saturdays.

3. VITA sites are available at multiple locations around Alameda County. Locally, volunteers can find opportunities at the Fremont Family Resource Center, the New Haven

Adult School in Union City, the Tri-Cities One-Stop Career Center at the Ohlone College Newark campus, and at Tri-Cities Volunteers, making it easy to get involved.

4. Put your language skills to use. VITA is looking for bilingual Spanish, Farsi, Punjabi, and American Sign Language volunteers to serve as interpreters within our diverse and varied community.

5. Build your resume. VITA volunteers learn valuable skills and work with a wide variety of organizations. In addition, studies show that volunteering increases important employable skill sets, including time management, teamwork, and professional job skills.

6. There are many different volunteering opportunities, depending on your interests. We are looking for translators, greeters, screeners, financial advocates, and tax preparers.

7. Volunteering, like meditation, exercise, and sleep, lowers stress. Seventy-eight percent of people who volunteered in the last month said that it significantly lowered their stress levels.

8. Volunteering makes you happy. Ninety-six percent of volunteers say

it enriches their sense of purpose in life, and 94 percent said it radically improves their overall mood.

9. Volunteering keeps you involved with your community. Not only do you create life-long friendships with a wide and diverse group of people, but 81 percent of volunteers said the experience strengthened their relationships with their colleagues.

10. Lastly, volunteering keeps you physically healthy. More than threefourths of volunteers say it has affected their physical health, and those who volunteered for a year or

longer said their health has noticeably improved over the last year.

If you are interested in becoming a VITA volunteer, then attend a VITA Volunteer Information Meeting on Wednesday, October 28 from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Pacific Conference Room at the Fremont Family Resource Center, 39155 Liberty Street - Building EFGH in Fremont.

For more information, contact VITA Site Coordinator Harriet Commons at hcommons@fremont.gov or 510-574-2019.













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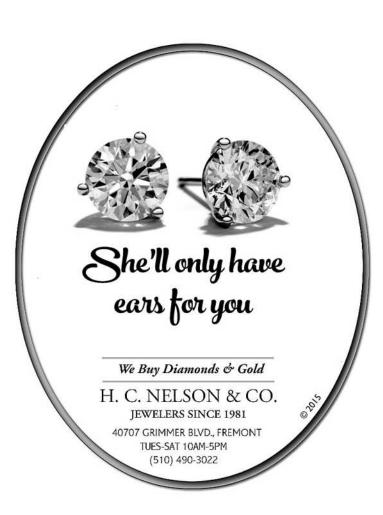
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4:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Food Trucks offers culinary treats No smoking and no alcohol Downtown Fremont Capitol Ave., Fremont www.fremont.gov/Calendar

Mondays, Sep 14 - Nov 16

Preschool Story Time

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Stories, songs and play Union City Branch Library 34007 Alvarado Niles Rd., Union City (510) 745-1464 www.aclibrary.org

Thursday, Friday & Saturday, Sep 24 thru Nov 20

Holiday Show

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Hayward Arts Council exhibit Foothill Arts of the Bay 22394 Foothill Blvd., Hayward (510) 538-2787 www.haywardarts.org

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday, Sep 24 thru Dec 31

Wildlife Beyond Borders Ex-

Mon: 5 p.m. - 10 p.m. Tues & Thurs: 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Animal photography display Reception with live animals Saturday, Sept 26 from 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. PhotoCentral 1099 E St., Hayward (510) 881-6721 http://www.photocentral

Monday, Sept 28 - Friday, Nov 20

A.R.T. Members Fall Exhibit

8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Variety of art mediums on display John O'Lague Galleria 777 B Street, Hayward (510) 538-2787 www.haywardarts.org

Fridays, Oct 2 thru Oct 30 **Toddler Ramble: Animal Loco-**

motion

10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. Explore animals that fly, hop or swim Ages 1-3Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center 4901 Breakwater Ave., Hayward (510) 670-7270

Friday, Oct 3 - Sunday, Jan 10

Views of Nature

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10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Wildlife photography and art by Bazzani and Preston

Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center 4901 Breakwater Ave., Hayward (510) 670-7270 www.haywardrec.org

Mondays, Oct 5 thru Nov 9 Community Emergency Re-

sponse Team Training – R

6:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Emergency assistance procedures for Hayward residents

Must attend all classes Hayward City Hall 777 B St., Hayward (510) 583-4948 www.Hayward.CERT@haywardca.gov

Tuesdays, Oct 6 thru Dec 1

Booklegger Training

9:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Volunteers read aloud to school children Fremont Main Library 2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont (510) 745-1421 www.aclibrary.org

Fridays, Oct 9 thru Oct 30

Teen Night Out!

6 p.m. - 9 p.m. Play pool, air hockey and video games Ages 12 – 17 Union City Teen Center 1200 J St., Union City (510) 675-5600 www.UnionCity.org

Thursday, Friday & Saturday, Oct 10 thru Nov 21

Juried Art Exhibit

11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Wide range of pieces and mediums Adobe Art Center 20395 San Miguel Ave., Castro Valley (510) 881-6735 www.adobegallery.org

Thursday, Oct 15 - Saturday, Nov 7

Celebrating the Beauty of Life

11 a.m. – 5p.m. Mixed media art and alters Artists' Reception and Day of the Dead Celebration

Saturday, Oct 31 from 2 p.m. – 6 p.m. Sun Gallery 1015 E St., Hayward (510) 581-4050 www.SunGalllery.org

Friday, Oct 16 - Sunday, Nov 8

On Golden Pond \$

8 p.m., Sunday 2 p.m. An elderly couple reconnects with their daughter

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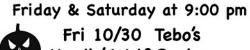


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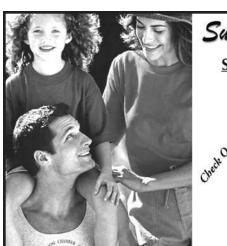
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Hayward City Plaza 777 B. St., Hayward 1-800-897-FARM www.agriculturalinstitute.org

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Bayfair Mall

Saturdays

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Tuesdays

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Please contact us at stjosephinfo@sjsmsj.org or (510) 656-6525

Thursday, Oct 23 - Sunday, Nov 21

Members Juried Show

12 noon - 5 p.m. Variety of mixed media on display Artist reception Friday, Oct. 23 from 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. Olive Hyde Art Gallery 123 Washington Blvd., Fremont (510) 791-4357 www.olivehydeartguild.org

Tuesdays, Oct 27 - Dec 29

Lectio Divina - Prepare to Live the Sunday Gospel

7:15 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Practice reading scripture to enlighten

Dominican Sisters of Mission San 43326 Mission Blvd., Fremont (510) 933-6335

Thursdays, Oct 29 - Nov 19 **Thomas Merton Spiritual Mas**ter Book Club Series - R

www.msjdominicans.org

3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Examine the spiritual journey Dominican Sisters of Mission San

43326 Mission Blvd., Fremont (510) 933-6360 http://bit.ly/MertonBook1

Saturdays, Oct 31-Dec 19

Bridges to Jobs

9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Job interview training class Centerville Presbyterian Church 4360 Central Ave., Fremont (510) 299-2223 http://bridgestojobs.org

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www.pathwaycommunity.info to register

Sunday, Nov 1 - Saturday, **Nov 29**

Boulevard Artist Show Display

5 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Watercolors, pen and ink, acrylics and collage pieces

Artist reception Sunday, Nov 8 at 3 p.m. Mission Coffee Roasting House 151 Washington Blvd., Fremont (510) 474-1004

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THIS WEEK

Tuesday, Oct 27

Drop-In Advanced Math Help

6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Algebra, geometry, calculus, trigonometry and physics Newark Branch Library

6300 Civic Terrace Ave., Newark

Wednesday, Oct 28

Toddler Time \$

(510) 284-0677

10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Stories, chores and fun for tiny tots Ardenwood Historic Farm 34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont (510) 544-2797 www.ebparks.org

Wednesday, Oct 28

Neighborhood Traffic Calming Meeting

6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Discuss concerns about speeding and pedestrian safety Hayward City Hall 777 B St., Hayward

(510) 208-0410 sai.midididdi@hayward-ca.gov

Wednesday, Oct 28 **Photograph Picturesque Niles**

10 a.m. - 12 noon Artist led walk, photo assistance and no host lunch

Photographer P.Kay Hille-Hatten provides insight Niles Town Plaza 37592 Niles Blvd., Fremont

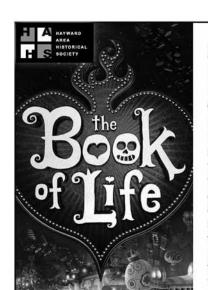
Thursday, Oct 29

(510) 791-4357

Drop-In Computer Help

3 p.m. - 5 p.m. Internet, Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint

Newark Branch Library 6300 Civic Terrace Ave., Newark (510) 284-0677



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Wednesday, Oct 28

Dr. & McDuff Ave., FREMONT

12:45 – 2:15 Glenmoor School, 4620 Mattos Drive, FREMONT 2:45 – 3:45 Mission Hills Middle School, 250 Tamarack Dr., UNION CITY 4:00 – 4:30 Purple Lotus Buddhist School, UNION CITY 6:00 – 6:30 Camellia Dr. & Camellia Ct., FREMONT

Thursday, Oct 29

10:00 – 10:30 Daycare Center Visit, CASTRO VALLEY 10:45 – 11:45 Daycare Center Visit, CASTRO VALLEY 1:20 – 1:50 Daycare Center Visit, HAYWARD 2:15 – 3:15 Cherryland School,

585 Willow Ave., HAYWARD

Monday, Nov 2

9:30 – 10:05 Daycare Center Visit, UNION CITY 10:25 – 10:55 Daycare Center Visit, UNION CITY 1:45 – 2:45 Delaine Eastin School, 34901 Eastin Dr., UNION CITY 4:15 – 4:45 Contempo Homes, 4190 Gemini Dr., UNION CITY 5:15 – 6:45 Forest Park School, Deep Creek Rd. & Maybird Cir., FREMONT

Tuesday, Nov 3

9:45 – 11:30 Daycare Center Visit – FREMONT 2:30 – 3:25 Cabrillo School, 36700 San Pedro Dr., FREMONT 4:45 – 5:30 Baywood Apts., 4275 Bay St., FREMONT 5:50 – 6:30 Jerome Ave. and Ohlones St., FREMONT

Wednesday, Nov 4

1:00 – 2:00 Del Rey School, Via Mesa at Via Julia, SAN LORENZO 2:30 – 3:00 Eden House Apts., 1601 165th Ave., SAN LEANDRO 3:30 – 4:00 Baywood Ct., 21966 Dolores St., CASTRO VALLEY 6:00 – 6:30 Camellia Dr., & Camellia Ct., FREMONT

Milpitas Bookmobile stops Renew books by phone (800) 471-0991 For more information (408) 293-2326 x3060

Wednesday, Nov 4

1:45 – 3:00 Foothill School, 1991 Landess Ave., MILPITAS 3:15-3:45 Friendly Village Park, 120 Dixon Landing Rd., MILPITAS



Thursday, Oct 29

Flu Shots \$

11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Bring Medicare card or pay discounted rate

Fremont Senior Center 40086 Paseo Padre Parkway, Fremont (510) 790-6600

Thursday, Oct 29

San Leandro Creek Trail Meeting

6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Discuss master plan of multi-use trail San Leandro Main Library 300 Estudillo Ave., San Leandro (510) 577-3348 http://www.sanleandro.org/depts /cd/projects/slcreek/default.asp

Friday, Oct 30

Fall Career Expo

10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

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2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont
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www.fixitclinic.org
www.aclibrary.org

Saturday, Oct 31

Children with Developmental Delays Playgroup

10:30 a.m.

Tactile and sensory toys provided
Fremont Main Library
2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont
(510) 745-1400
www.aclibrary.org

Saturday, Oct 31

Pet Costume Party \$

1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Photo booth and canine trick or treating

Hayward Animal Shelter

Hayward Animal Shelter 16 Barnes Ct., Hayward (510) 293-7200 www.haywardanimals.org

Saturday, Oct 31

Marshlands of Dreams

10 a.m. - 11 a.m. One mile walk on LaRiviera Trail SF Bay Wildlife Refuge 1 Marshlands Rd., Fremont (510) 792-0222

Saturday, Oct 31

Find the Elusive Gray Fox 2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Search for clues to find wildlife SF Bay Wildlife Refuge 1 Marshlands Rd., Fremont (510) 792-0222

Saturday, Oct 31

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City of Fremont News Briefs

SUBMITTED BY CHERYL GOLDEN

Attracting and Retaining Employees

Business owners know that good employees are needed for a successful company. Learn best practices for finding and keeping those good employees at an upcoming free workshop for small businesses hosted by the Alameda County Small Business Development Center (SBDC). The workshop will help business owners get ideas and learn about best practices to help locate, attract, hire, and retain the best employees.

The workshop will be held on Monday, November 9 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Fremont Main Library, located at 2450 Stevenson Blvd. in Fremont. For more information or to register for the workshop, visit www.acsbdc.org/events2.

Big Plans to Celebrate 60th Anniversary

Next year represents a big milestone for Fremont

– celebration of its 60th anniversary!

On January 23, 2016, the City of Fremont will host a celebration to applaud how far the City has come in the past 60 years, from establishing itself as a city to creating a brand new Downtown for its residents.

To memorialize this exciting day, Fremont will be holding a time capsule ceremony. The time capsule, which will include items that reflect Fremont's culture, diversity, life, and energy from the perspective of our city's youth, will be assembled at the event and installed on the site of the City's future Civic Center. Contents are being collected via a partnership with the City's Youth Advisory Commission and Fremont Unified School District. Intended to be opened at the City's 100th anniversary, Fremont's newest generations will have the honor of opening the time capsule and uncovering pieces of Fremont history.

In addition to this memorable ceremony, a section of Capitol Avenue will be closed to cars for a festive community picnic in the middle of the street! Stay tuned for more information as we get closer to the event.

Local businesses, nonprofits, and community groups are also invited to host various festivities to commemorate the celebration throughout 2016. Between now and next January, get a head start on planning such festivities for this memorable occasion. It can be as simple as weaving in the City's 60th anniversary into events already being planned for 2016 or creating a new signature event to commemorate this milestone.

To spread the word, a calendar of events will be posted to the City's website to share when and where 60th anniversary events will be happening. Don't miss out on this opportunity to experience fun and fellowship with other Fremont community members as we celebrate our City's achievements over the past 60 years.

Calling All Older Adults

Are you 55 years or older and a member of the Fremont community? If so, the City of Fremont is looking for your input. Fremont residents can help inform the City of Fremont and Alameda County about the needs of older adults and the best way to create an aging-friendly community. It just takes 15 minutes of your time.

Complete the online survey at www.surveymon-key.com/s/ACOlderAdultSurvey2015 or pick up a paper copy at the Fremont Senior Center, 40086 Paseo Padre Pkwy. You may also download a printed version of the survey in Cambodian, English, Farsi, Mandarin, Spanish, Tagalog, and Vietnamese at www.seniorservicescoalition.org/alameda-county-older-adult-survey-toolkit.

Local pastor releases uplifting book

SUBMITTED BY AMY WILHELM

Fr. Mathew Vellankal has announced the release of his new book, From Humor to Inspiration: Jokes, Reflections, and Quotes to Enliven Your Day.

Fr. Vellankal serves at Fremont's Holy Spirit Church, where he has become well-known for his lively humor and kind spirit. Fr. Vellankal has been with Holy Spirit Church since 2006; his background includes multiple degrees in areas such as philosophy, history, and education. He has been to 65 countries as an International Youth Chaplain, and his favorite pastime is performing magic shows to teach about God.

In his new book, Fr. Vellankal also infuses his unique wit into spiritual messages contained in 178 short stories that are both humorous and spiritually driven. "The jokes in this book have been gathered over several years from different sources — conversations, friends, books, and magazines. They have served to make my presentations and homilies interesting and thought provoking. In fact, I have rarely given a Sunday homily or conducted a presentation without at least once making my listeners laugh," he said.

From Humor to Inspiration: Jokes, Reflections, and Quotes to Enliven Your Day is available at Createspace and Amazon.



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Get details for these Chamber Member events at www.newark-chamber.com! Or call 510-744-1000. Find out about the benefits of becoming a Member!

Oct. 29 (Th) 8 am, Chamber Mixer -Emergency Preparedness, Homewood Suites by Hilton. RSVPs

Nov. 3 (Tu) 5 pm. Hometown Buffet Mixer/Ribbon Cutting . RSVPs

Nov. 10 (Tu) 5 pm. Cedar Dental Care Mixer/Ribbon Cutting. RSVPs

Nov. 19 (Th) 12 pm. Chamber Luncheon, "The State of Healthcare Now & Ahead." Tickets available

Dec. 1 (Tu) 5 pm. Chamber Member Holiday Mixer,

Dec. 10 (Th) 12 pm. Chamber Annual Holiday Luncheon & Social, Tickets available

Boutique Calendar

Friday, Oct 30

Holiday Boutique and Sweet Shoppe

9 a.m. -4 p.m. Handmade jewelry, crafts, needlework and quilts Fremont Senior Center 40086 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont

Saturday, Nov 7

(510) 790-6600

Holiday Art and Craft Fair

9 a.m. – 3 p.m. Ceramics, jewelry, garden art, and unique gift items Benefit for Hayward Area Recreation Kenneth A. Senior & Community Center 17800 Redwood Rd., Castro Valley (510) 881-6738 www.haywardrec.org

Saturday, Nov 7

Holiday Boutique

9 a.m. -3 p.m. Craft items, music, food and raffle South Hayward Parish 27287 Patrick Ave., Hayward (510) 785-3663

Saturday, Nov 7

Boutique and Crafts

9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Handmade items and decorations 50/50 drawing benefits SAVE 38325 Cedar Blvd., Newark (510) 589-1167 cbncboutique@gmail.com

Thursday - Sunday, Nov 15 thru Dec 20

Holiday Boutique

11 a.m. – 5 p.m. Handmade holiday gift items Sun Gallery 1015 E Street, Hayward (510) 581-4050 www.sungallery.org

Saturday, Nov 21 - Sunday,

Holiday Boutique

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.Variety of homemade goodies Dominican Sisters of MSJ 43326 Mission Blvd., Fremont (510) 933-6334 www.msjdominicans.org

Saturday, Dec 5

Holiday Boutique 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Handmade crafts, gift items, food and Hill and Valley Club House 1808 B Street, Hayward (510) 924-7622 (510) 593-7377

rambosmom@comcast.net

Saturday, Dec 5

Holiday Boutique

10 a.m. − 5 p.m. Vendors plus arts and crafts Proceeds benefit Grad Night Activities

Arts and craft vendors wanted American High School 36300 Fremont Blvd., Fremont ritu saksena@hotmail.com

Saturday, Dec 12

Holiday Boutique

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.Holiday décor, crafts and treats First Presbyterian Church 35450 Newark Blvd., Newark http://www.tricitymoms.org/



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Remembering loved ones during Día de los Muertos

Day of the Dead is traced to Mexico's indigenous cultures, and the holiday is speculated to be 2,500 to 3,000 years old. Originally, celebrations were dedicated to the Aztec goddess "Lady of the Dead," today now known La Calavera Catrina, one of the most recognized symbols of the holiday.

Over time, Day of the Dead has been celebrated on October 31, November 1 and November 2, coinciding with the Catholic festivals of All Hallows' Eve, All Saints' Day, and All Souls' Day. Although there are technically three days of the holiday, November 1 and 2 are the most known and celebrated.

November 1 honors deceased infants and children, and November 2 honors deceased adults. Families and friends create personalized altars at home, called ofrendas in Spanish, for those who've passed, including the deceased's favorite food and drink, memorabilia, and pictures. Toys are left at children's altars, and tequila for adults. One of the altar's main goals is for the deceased's soul to visit, listen to their family's prayers and protect them. Pillows and blankets can also be left out for the deceased's soul to rest, as the journey back is a long one.

Colorful sugar skulls are another popular tradition during Day of the Dead. Edible sugar skulls are made from cane sugar and decorated with frosting. Decorative sugar skulls with beads and feathers are placed at altars alongside Mexican marigolds. These bright orange flowers have been used ceremonially for centuries, dating back to the Aztecs.

Tri-City area Día de los Muertos events include:

For Ohlone College students, take a break from studying and check out the Newark Campus' Día de los Muertos event on October 29. There will be face painting, sugar skull and paper marigold crafts, tastings of traditional bread and Mexican coffee, and a special presentation by Ohlone College counselor Maria Elena Ramirez.

Hayward's Sun Gallery is hosting an exhibition entitled Celebrando la Hermosura de la Vida (Celebrating the Beauty of Life) now through November 7, and will have an artists' reception and celebration on October 31. Expect an afternoon of music, dance performances, and authentic Mexican food.

Hayward's Chapel of the Chimes' Day of the Dead event, on October 31, is perfect for the whole family. Make sugar skull decorations, eat a traditional Mexican lunch, listen to mariachi, and check out folklore dancing and a Farmer's Market. Catholic Mass will also be held at 10 a.m.

Catch two dance performances at Union City's James Logan Center. With an ensemble of over fifty dancers from Ballet Folklorico Costa de Oro, "Fiesta en el Pateon" will be a vibrant tribute to Day of the Dead.

The Niles Altar Walk, now in its fourth year, will feature refreshments, face painting, and entertainment throughout the day in the Niles Plaza. Altars will also be on display in Niles; all are encouraged to make an altar for the event. "[Making altars are] so cathartic, but end up being really joyous," said event founder Rae Steckler-Homorody.

Remember and celebrate your passed loved ones

during Day of the Dead.



Día de los Muertos at Ohlone Thursday, Oct 29 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. **Ohlone College Newark Campus** 39399 Cherry St, Newark (510) 742-2300 www.ohlone.edu Free; for Ohlone students only

"Celebrating the Beauty of Life" Artists' Reception and Celebration Saturday, Oct 31 2 p.m. - 6 p.m. Sun Gallery 1015 E. St., Hayward (510) 581-4050 sungallery.org \$5 suggested donation

Día de los Muertos at Chapel of the Chimes Hayward Saturday, Oct 31 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Chapel of the Chimes Hayward 32992 Mission Blvd, Hayward (510) 474-0412 Free

Fiesta en el Pateon Sunday, Nov 1 2 p.m. and 5 p.m. James Logan Center for the Performing Arts 1800 H Street, Union City (510) 397-1980 www.brownpapertickets.com Tickets: \$20 advanced, \$25 at the door

> Niles Altar Walk Sunday, Nov 1 12 p.m. - 8 p.m. Niles Town Plaza 37592 Niles Blvd, Fremont niles.org/niles-day-dead/ Free

Dia de los Muertos Art Exhibit Monday, Nov 2 - Monday, Nov 30 Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m., Thursday until 5 p.m. **Opening Reception:** Monday, Nov 2 3:30 p.m. - 5 p.m. Mt. Eden Gallery of Art Room L4 Mt. Eden High School

2300 Panama St, Hayward

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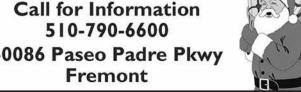
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> Saturday, December 5 10am - 5pm

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We are looking for quality arts and crafts vendors for our Holiday Boutique. The booths are 10' x 10' and cost \$70.00 each until November 6th, 2015.

After that until December 1st, 2015 the cost of the booth goes up to \$80. All proceeds will benefit the Class of 2016 Grad Night/Senior Activities

Contact: Ritu Saksena Email: ritu_saksena@hotmail.com

Special Events

Fremont Art Association Gallery

The Absence of Sound: Landscapes by Nancy Benton October 24 - November 8, Reception November 25, I-4pm

> Alexa Brown - Henna Art Demonstration Wednesday, November 4, 7-9pm

Elegant Holiday Workshop by Ema Kubo Creating a Japanese Picture Letter November 21 or December 12, 10am-noon \$40

Fremont Art Association 37697 Niles Boulevard Fremont, CA 94536 (510)792-0905



Sunday, Nov 1 **Ballet Folklorico Costa de Oro**

2 p.m. & 5 p.m. Fiesta en el Pateon: Day of the Dead

James Logan High School 1800 H Street, Union City (510) 397-1980 www.bfcostadeoro.com

Sunday, Nov 1

The Itsy Bitsy Spider \$

10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Hike the farm and search for critters Ardenwood Historic Farm 34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont (510) 544-2797

www.ebparks.org Sunday, Nov 1

Meet the Bunnies \$

1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Interact with rabbits Ardenwood Historic Farm 34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont

(510) 544-2797 www.ebparks.org

Sunday, Nov 1

Putting the Garden to Bed \$

1 p.m. - 2 p.m. Discover the secret to building better soil Ardenwood Historic Farm 34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont (510) 544-2797 www.ebparks.org

Sunday, Nov 1

Niles Altar Walk

12 noon - 8 p.m. Altars, refreshments, face painting and entertainment Niles Town Plaza

37592 Niles Blvd., Fremont niles.org/niles-day-dead/

Sunday, Nov 1

Day of the Dead Celebration 2 p.m. - 5 p.m. & 6 p.m. - 9

Los Horribles play live music Mudpuddle 34733 Niles Blvd., Fremont (510) 794-9935 info@michaelmcnevin.com

Monday, Nov 2

Neighborhood traffic Calming Meeting

7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Discuss concerns about speeding and pedestrian safety Matt Jimenez Community

Center 28200 Ruus Road, Hayward sai.midididdi@hayward-ca.gov

Monday, Nov 2

Dia De Los Muertos Art Show

3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Drawings, ceramics, jewelry, photography and 3D works Mt. Eden High School

2300 Panama St., Hayward (510) 723-3180 x62274

Tuesday, Nov 3

Prostate Cancer What You Need to Know – R

1 p.m. - 3 p.m. Discuss warning signs, symptoms and treatments

Washington Hospital 2500 Mowry Ave., Fremont (800) 963-7070 www.whhs.com/events

Saturday, Nov 7

Mother/Daughter Math & Science Day \$R

8:30 a.m. - 12:45p.m. Hands on science and math fun Hopkins Jr. High 600 Driscoll Rd., Fremont (510) 683-9377 lethasaldanha@gmail.com www.eventbrite.com

Monday, Nov 9

Golf Open at Stonebrae \$

9 a.m.

Breakfast, box lunch, tee prizes, contests and awards

Benefit for Hayward at-risk youth TPC Stonebrae 222 Stonebrae Country Club Dr., Hayward (510) 352-2002 akenyon@thefirstteeeastbay.org

Smith Center at Ohlone College presents Tao Lin

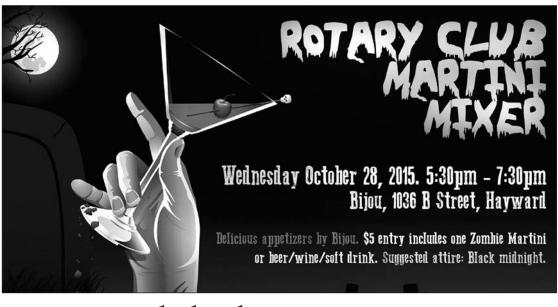


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Internationally recognized for his "keen musical intelligence and excellent facility," (Miami Herald), pianist Tao Lin, a native of China, will perform great piano works by Brahms, Chopin, and Liszt on Saturday, November 7.

> Pianist Tao Lin Saturday, Nov 7 8 p.m. Ohlone College, Smith Center 43600 Mission Blvd, Fremont (510) 659-6031

Tickets: www.smithcenter.com \$20 General / \$15 Students/Seniors/Youth Under 12



Rotary clubs host martini mixer

SUBMITTED BY ANNA MAY

The Rotary Clubs of F.U.N. (Fremont, Union City and Newark) Sunset, Hayward, Castro Valley and San Leandro are hosting their third annual martini mixer themed "Shocktoberfest" on Wednesday, October 28 at Bijou Restaurant and Bar

The \$5 fee includes a signature zombie martini (or other featured beverage) and delicious appetizers while they last. For more information and to RSVP, please visit www.bitly.com/zombiemartini.

> Shocktoberfest Martini Mixer Wednesday, Oct 28 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Bijou Restaurant and Bar 1036 B St, Hayward www.bitly.com/zombiemartini

Ruby's Place takes the **Purple Purse Challenge**

SUBMITTED BY HAYWARD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month, and Hayward's own Ruby's Place wants you to help us send a national message of "Not in our Town!" through Allstate Foundation's Purple Purse Challenge, a nationwide online fundraising competition where the winner will receive \$100,000 in matching funds. Ruby's Place is the only Bay Area domestic violence shelter competing in this chal-

Every dollar counts and brings us closer to a future free from domestic violence and homelessness. You can help make this happen by donating online at www.crowdrise.com/rubysplace or www.rubysplace.org through Tuesday, October 27.

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East Bay Takes First Place at Invitational

Women's Swimming

SUBMITTED BY STEVE CONNOLLY

The Cal State East Bay swim team cruised to first place at the October 24 Bay Area Invitational at Mills College, scoring 762.5 points to best College of Idaho, UC Santa Cruz, Mills, and conference rival Biola University.

In their second meet of the season, the Pioneers claimed victories in 10 of the day's races, including all three relays. Seniors Madison Mauanio and Rachel Shimizu were typically impressive, and freshman Ryleigh Weight turned in an outstanding performance to earn unofficial 'Swimmer of the Meet" honors, as voted on by her teammates.

The foursome of Mariam Lowe, Makila Schuck, Cassidy Humphrey, and Hauanio took first place with the 400 medley relay in 4:00.09. The Pioneers also dominated both freestyle relays. Humphrey, Vivy Hua, Alyssa Littlefield, and Hauanio clocked in at 1:39.62 in the 200 free relay, while Shimizu, Weight, Jacqueline Whitehead, and Kali Kearns paced the 800 free relay in 7:59.69.

Hauanio also shined in her individual races, taking home four first-place finishes. She captured the 100 backstroke in 58.72 and the 200 backstroke in 2:05.50, edging out Lowe in both races. She out-touched Littlefield in the 50 freestyle by six-tenths of a second with a time of 24.12, and she bested Humphrey for top honors in the 100 butterfly with a time of 58.64.

East Bay was outstanding in the distance events, as well. They notched the top five finishers in the 500 freestyle, led by Shimizu with a time of 5:08.55. She also paced the field in the team's first 1650 freestyle race of the season, touching the wall in 17:46.94 to edge out fellow senior Hannah Cutts.

"I was pleased that we raced well across a variety of events today, both long and short," head coach Ben Loorz said.

Senior Arolyn Basham took home a victory in the 200 butterfly, touching the wall with an impressive time of 2:15.46. Overall, the Pioneers had six of the top nine finishers in the 100 fly and six of the top eight swimmers in the 200 fly.

Cougars top Warriors in tough contest



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Football

SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY MIKE **HEIGHTCHEW**

Just a few weeks are left in 2015 Mission Valley Athletic League (MVAL) season and the Mission San Jose Warriors and Newark Memorial Cougars were still looking for their first league win on October 24th.

The Cougars brought the right combination of ground and passing attack to the field and came home with a 28-18 victory but not without a tough



fight from the Warriors. In a contest where a play or two in an opposite direction could have made a difference, it was not an easy win.

A quick lead in the first quarter by the Cougars was countered by the Warriors who with tenacious defense, came within two points in the third quarter. In the fourth quarter, Cougar offense found holes in the Warrior defensive line and opened a 10 point lead for the win.

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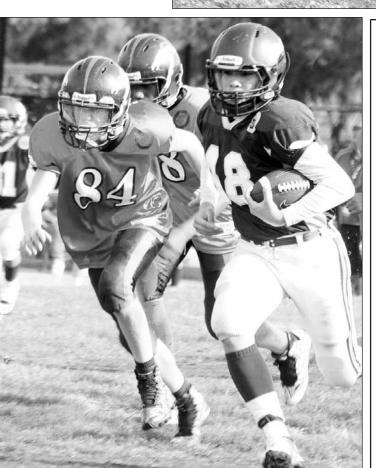
Fremont Football readies for playoffs

Football

SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

As November approaches, playoffs in the Fremont Football League will begin soon. Competition is fierce.





Women's Volleyball

Renegades Report

SUBMITTED BY JEREMY PENAFLOR

Ohlone College vs. Cañada College October 21, 2015

Cañada d. @ Ohlone, 3-2 (25-19, 21-25, 25-22, 17-25, 15-10)

- Sophomore outside hitter Jenni Brochu led in kills with 19 to go with 2 service aces, 20 digs, and 1 block
- Sophomore outside hitter Alexis Chang led in service aces with 3 to go with 8 kills and 10
- Sophomore libero Krissa Marie San Juan led in digs with 25
- Sophomore setter Briana Hill led in assists with 48 to go with 19 digs and 3 kills

Pool tournament honors local volunteer

PHOTOS COURTESY OF **JEN TIBBETTS**

Hayward Area Recreation and Park District (HARD) presents the 6th annual "Rich Wicker Pool Tournament" on Thursday, November 5 at Kenneth C. Aitken Senior and Community Center in Castro Valley. The pool tournament is held in memory of Rich Wicker, a dear friend and volunteer at the Senior Center.

According to HARD Recreation Coordinator Jen Tibbetts, "[Wicker] was an avid pool player at the Center as well. After his passing his wife, Elaine Wicker, and daughter, Michelle Korbas, approached me about having a pool tournament in his honor at the Center." The tournament, co-sponsored by the Wicker and Korbas families, had over 20 participants last year.



There are two divisions – beginner and advanced brackets - so all skill levels are welcome. Lunch will be provided for participants, raffle prizes will be given out, as well as trophies to the winners of each bracket.

Download the application form at http://haywardrec.org/DocumentCenter/V



iew/2965; please register by Monday, November 2. The \$5 entry fee goes to the Senior Center. For more information, call the Senior Center at (510) 881-6738.

> **Rich Wicker Pool Tournament** Thursday, Nov 5 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Kenneth C. Aitken Senior & **Community Center** 17800 Redwood Rd, Castro Valley (510) 881-6738 http://haywardrec.org/DocumentCenter/View/2965 Cost: \$5 per player

Support underserved youth with The First Tee

SUBMITTED BY NADINE GLINSKI

The First Tee of the East Bay (TFTEB) will host a golf fundraiser on Monday, November 9 at TPC Stonebrae in Hayward. The event provides critical funding that supports TFTEB scholarships and outreach programs directly benefiting youth from Oakland and Hayward. Other activities include a live

auction, raffle and awards reception to follow.

A 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization formed in 2004, TFTEB is a positive youth development organization that teaches youth important life skills and character education through golf, with additional emphasis on obesity and high school dropout rates. Ninety-five percent of TFTEB participants are Latino/Hispanic, African American, Asian or





multi-racial; over 80 percent of students participate on scholarships funded by individual and corporate donations.

The organization's nine core values are the foundation of TFTEB's lessons - honesty, integrity, confidence, judgment, respect, sportsmanship, courtesy, responsibility and perseverance. TFTEB works with and is supported by The Golden State Warriors, University of California Women's Golf, Oakland Parks

and Recreation, and Oakland Boys and Girls Clubs. Classes are offered in the spring, fall and summer sessions.

Registration costs \$225 per player or \$800 per foursome. The fee includes breakfast buffet, boxed lunch, tee prize, contests and award reception. For more information about the tournament, please contact April Kenyon, The First Tee East Bay Executive Director, at akenyon@thefirstteeeastbay.org

or (510) 352-2002. Visit www.thefirstteeeastbay.org to register or sponsor the event.

2015 Open at Stonebrae Monday, Nov 9 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. **TPC Stonebrae** 222 Country Club Dr, Hayward (510) 352-2002 akenyon@thefirstteeeastbay.org www.thefirstteeeastbay.org \$225 per player; \$800 per foursome

Raiders Women's Association supports Crucial Catch

SUBMITTED BY AUGUSTE DEROSE-JONES PHOTOS COURTESY OF RAIDERS.COM

October is recognized as Breast Cancer Awareness Month and The Oakland Raiders have been busy on and off the field in an effort to help in the fight against the disease. On October 13, 2015, The Raiders Women's Association, which consists of spouses and significant others of players, coaches and staff, traveled to the Tri-City Health Center in Fremont to be a part of the Crucial Catch event. The purpose of the NFL's Crucial Catch program is to inform women of the importance of getting yearly mammograms, while also having the resources to schedule a screening right at the event and perhaps do a screening the same day.

Will Lacro, Planning and Development Director of the Tri-City Health Center, shared his thoughts on the importance of the community being behind this cause: "Bringing the community together over one specific topic is always important especially when it is pertaining to health. I think it is important to educate our community about not only the importance of breast cancer awareness but the importance of getting tested and also knowing what these people are going through."

The Raiders Women's Association showed their support to those in attendance by passing out pink Raiders Breast Cancer Awareness baseball caps and by



Raiders Women's Association and Raiderettes receive the Quality of Life Award from the American Cancer Society

sharing experiences with those attending the event. Also in attendance at Tuesday's event were the Raiderettes, who took pictures and showed their support.

Linda Del Rio, Raiders Women's Association member and wife of the Raiders Head Coach Jack Del Rio discussed the impact cancer has had in her own life and the difference women can make together by standing up to cancer: "I think it is really important for women to support other women in all aspects of life but especially through the peaks and the valleys and cancer is definitely one of those valleys. My mother had breast cancer and my sister had uterine cancer so I have two survivors that are extremely close to me and my family."

The Raiders were also honored by the American Cancer Society

with the "Lane Adams Quality of Life Award." This award is given to individuals or organizations that promote improved quality of life for all persons with cancer and their families.



Raiders Women's Association hand out pink caps during the Crucial Catch event at Tri-City Health Center



THE AWARD-WINNING PRINT & ONLINE FAMILY FEATURE







Lotus flower

cup

Goldcovered statue of Tutankhamun standing on a raft with a

harpoon

In 1922 an archeologist named Howard Carter found an underground stairway in the Egyptian desert. It led to a tomb with its treasure untouched. It was the tomb of the pharaoh Tutankhamun!



Gold funeral mask inlaid with

semi-precious stones. This

mask gives us an idea of what Tutankhamun looked like.

Thousands of years ago, Egyptian kings, called pharaohs, were buried in tombs filled with incredible treasure. The Egyptians believed people would need these things in a life after death.

Look at some of the objects Carter found. What do you think they tell about life in ancient Egypt?

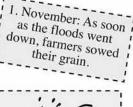
Standards Link: History: Students identify the human and physical characteristics of the places they are studying and explain how those features form the unique character of those places.

Shortly after Howard Carter found King Tut's tomb, Lord Carnarvon, Carter's employer and patron, died suddenly.

A rumor spread that a curse fell upon anyone entering a pharaoh's tomb. Is it true?

The problem with the curse is that Carter, who spent years excavating the tomb, lived for many years and died peacefully. Lord Carnarvon had been in poor health for many years prior to the discovery of the tomb.

4. Winnowing was done by the women. The grain was tossed up in the air and the breeze blew the chaff away.





Use Egyptian numbers to rewrite five or more numbers found in today's newspaper.

Standards Link: Math/Number Sense: Compare the structure of different number systems to base 10 and place value

kid Scoop

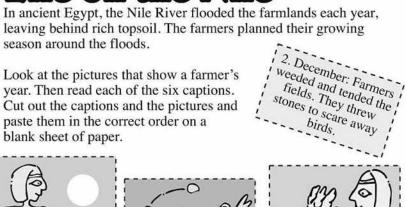


3. March-May: The grain was harvested with sickles.



6. June: When the floods came, the men went to work for the pharaoh. Young boys and old men stayed home and fished.

5. The grain was weighed and stored in large granaries.









Standards Link: History: Students analyze the economic, cultural and social structures of the early civilization of Egypt.

ore than 5,000 years ago, the people of Egypt developed a system of counting that is much like ours. Look at the chart to read the Egyptian numbers and discover the answers to the questions.

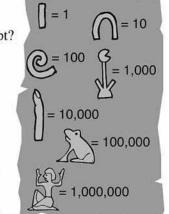
1. How old was Tutankhamun when he became king of Egypt?

years old.

2. The Nile River is the longest in the world. How long is it? miles.

About how old was King Tut when he died?

years old.



Standards Link: Math/Number Sense: Understand the structure of different number systems and bases

Double Double

GRAIN **ARTIFACTS** COUNTING SOWED **PATRON** TALES **SEASON TOMB PHARAOH KING** RIVER CURSE **NILE**

DEATH

EGYPTIANS

Find the words in the puzzle, then in this week's Kid Scoop stories and activities.

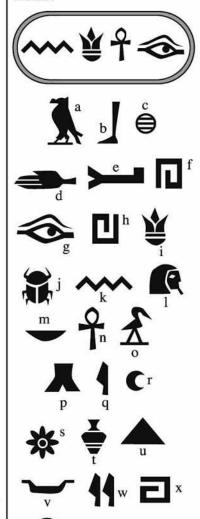
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Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognized identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

Picture Writing

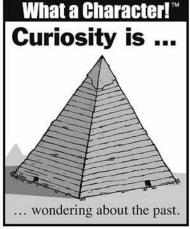
In ancient Egypt, people wrote with pictures. The symbols in this kind of writing are called **hieroglyphics** (hi-ro-GLIF-iks). Sometimes a picture meant exactly what it showed. Other pictures stood for letters. The pharaoh's name was spelled out inside an oval border called a cartouche (kar-toosh).

Read the cartouche to find out what the word PHARAOH means.



Use the hieroglyphics pictured here to write your name in the cartouche below.





This week's word: **TOMB**

The noun **tomb** means a place to hold the bodies of one or more dead people.

The pyramids were constructed as giant tombs for Egyptians rulers.

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

Simply Similes

Use similes to describe the people, places and things found in today's newspaper. King Tut's curse is as_

A pharaoh's treasure is as as a The weather is as as a

Standards Link: Literary Analysis: Identify figurative language

Why is it so fascinating to study mummies!

ANSWER: Because you can get so wrapped up in them.

Imagine you have found a pile of rags. Wait! It's a mummy— and it's mmmoving! Tell a story about this mummy and an adventure you have together.

PG&E upgrades power lines with airpower

By Tamar Sarkissian Photos by Mike Heightchew

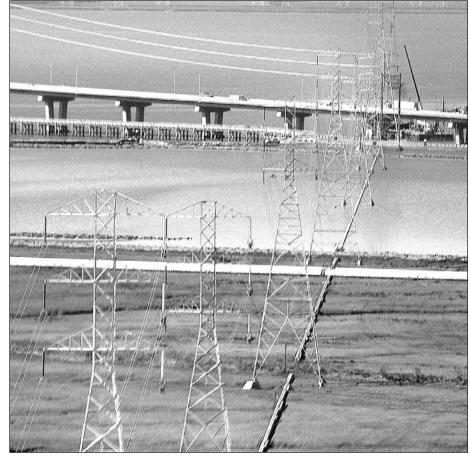
Beginning in September 2015 and continuing into January 2016, PG&E is using helicopters to upgrade a major electric power line in Alameda County. The project, kicked off in Fremont, will improve reliability and ensure adequate power supplies as electricity demand grows. It will upgrade approximately seven miles of power line and electric transmission towers

in the southwest corner of Alameda County and along the Dumbarton Bridge.

Projects like this have helped PG&E deliver record electric reliability to its customers for six straight years. Since 2009, PG&E has consistently reduced the average duration of power outages, and in 2014 customers experienced the fewest number of outages in company history.

The utility is using helicopters to modify existing towers and pull new wire across the top of towers. PG&E uses helicopters





to complete select projects in a safe and efficient manner. Helicopter-use reduces heavy trucks and equipment on the ground, lessening environmental impacts.

Linemen, using a technique called longlining, are transported to the tops of the towers, hanging from a line attached to a helicopter. PG&E was one of the first utilities to develop this technique, which is used across the country today.

Drivers crossing the Dumbarton Bridge may notice the helicopters doing work overhead, and the impressive work of linemen hundreds of feet above the ground. We remind drivers to keep safety at the forefront and their eyes on the road. We have located signage near the Dumbarton Bridge to inform commuters of the project.

Electrical service to customers should not be impacted due to this project.

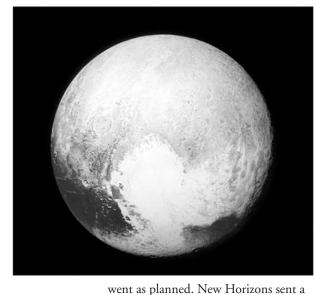
The project in numbers:

- Project covers a 7 mile stretch of transmission line
- The line is a 230 kV transmission line
- Each tower is between 150-180 feet tall
- Well over half a million PG&E customers will benefit from the project

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Hello, Pluto!

One of the final images taken before New Horizons made its closest approach to Pluto on 14 July 2015. Image Credit: NASA/Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory/Southwest Research Institute.



By Katie McKissick National Aeronautics and Space Administration

t's over three billion miles away from Earth. We've only known about it since 1930. Pluto is an icy rock about a fifth the size of Earth. We called it a planet until 2006, but now we say it's a dwarf planet. Scientists decided that it's not a planet like Venus or Jupiter because it's just one of many objects in the Kuiper Belt. That's a ring of icy rocks on the edge of our solar system.

But just because it's not quite a planet like Venus and Jupiter, that doesn't mean we don't want to learn more about it. It's so far away that it's hard to see with even the most powerful telescopes. To get a better look, we sent a small spacecraft named New Horizons to visit Pluto. It left Earth on January 19, 2006.

New Horizons is the fastest spacecraft ever launched. It left Earth travelling

31,000 miles per hour.

That's really fast. But because Pluto is so far away, it still took nine and half years to make it there.

It flew right by Pluto on July 14, 2015. For 22 hours, it took lots of pictures and measurements of this icy world. While it collected information, we couldn't talk to the spacecraft.

New Horizons has a radio antenna, cameras, and other tools. It uses the antenna to send messages to Earth. But New Horizons couldn't point its cameras at Pluto and keep its antenna pointed toward Earth. This meant it couldn't photograph Pluto and send messages to Earth at the same time. Scientists chose to get as many pictures of Pluto as possible, even if that meant we couldn't get messages from New Horizons for a while.

After the flyby, the mission team reconnected with the New Horizons spacecraft. They wanted to make sure everything

message to Earth saying it was OK. Because the spacecraft was so far away, the message took 4 hours and 25 minutes to reach us.

When we heard from New Horizons on July 14, 2015, it was just past 9 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time. Everyone was overjoyed. We sent a probe to Pluto, we took pictures, and the spacecraft worked just right.

For months to come, New Horizons will keep sending back the information it collected near Pluto. It takes a long time to get data from so far away. We'll learn about Pluto's surface, temperature, atmosphere, and moons—especially its largest moon, Charon. That's not bad for a spacecraft the size of a baby grand piano!

Do you want to learn more about Pluto? Visit http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/ice-dwarf

Thousands eligible for PG&E CARE Program

SUBMITTED BY TAMAR SARKISSIAN

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) has helped customers save more than \$7 billion on their energy bills through the California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) Program. Currently, more than 1.4 million income-eligible customers throughout Northern and Central California are enrolled in CARE. However, an estimated 14 percent of eligible customers are not signed up for the program and are missing out on significant energy savings.

After signing up for the program, combined gas and electric customers receive 30 percent or more in monthly savings on their energy bill; gas-only customers receive 20 percent or more in monthly savings.

"We understand that families need support for their monthly home energy bill. We want the thousands of eligible customers not enrolled in the CARE Program to sign up to get the relief that they need," said PG&E Senior Vice President and Chief Customer Officer Laurie Giammona.

Customers can apply for CARE online and, if they qualify, will begin receiving the CARE program discount within the next billing cycle. Paper applications also are available through numerous community agencies throughout PG&E's service area.

Customers already participating in the CARE Program can save even more energy and money through the Energy Savings Assistance Program, which provides enrolled customers with free energy-saving improvements to maximize energy efficiency in their home.

Every year, the California Public Utilities Commission adjusts the maximum qualifying income levels for CARE to reflect changes in the federal poverty guidelines. CARE is funded through a rate surcharge paid by all utility customers. These income limits may be adjusted each year depending on inflation.

To learn more about the CARE Program, visit www.pge.com/care. To learn more about the Energy Savings Assistance Program, visit www.pge.com/energysavings.

Wetlands can protect communities

SUBMITTED BY DICK WAYMAN

In a report released on October 19, over 200 scientists and government officials propose a new approach to manage the challenge of sea level rise in San Francisco Bay: Work with nature, rather than against it, to protect homes, businesses and shoreline communities from sea level rise, extreme storms and flooding.

The report: "The Baylands and Climate Change: What We Can Do," presents the latest science and new findings on the health and future of the bay's shore. It assesses the biggest threats and suggests a science-based roadmap to protect our communities with more resilient shorelines.

"If we have the courage to act now and follow these scientific recommendations, we can secure much of what is most

precious about living in the Bay Area and ensure the gratitude of future generations," states Sam Schuchat, Exectutive Officer, State Coastal Conservancy.

Instead of relying only on levees and sea walls, the report suggests ways to use wetlands along the shore to buffer the seven million people living in the Bay Area from rising seas and extreme storms. Wetlands knock down large waves, absorb excess water, filter pollutants, provide habitat for wildlife and places for people to enjoy the outdoors, and are part of the iconic beauty of San Francisco Bay.

For more information and to review the report, visit www.baylandsgoals.org

Government Briefs

City Council summaries do not include all business transacted at the noted meetings. These outlines represent selected topics and actions. For a full description of agendas, decisions and discussion, please consult the website of the city of interest: Fremont (www.fremont.gov), Hayward (www.hayward-ca.gov), Milpitas (www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov), Newark (www.ci.newark.ca.us), Union City (www.ci.union-city.ca.us).

City Council/Public Agency MEETINGS

Readers are advised to check websites for special meetings, cancellations, minutes, agendas and webcasts

CITY COUNCILS

Fremont City Council Ist/2nd/3rd Tuesday @ 7 p.m. City Hall, Bldg A 3300 Capitol Ave., Fremont (510) 284-4000 www.fremont.gov

Hayward City Council 1st/3rd/4th Tuesday @ 7 p.m. City Hall, second floor 777 B Street, Hayward (510) 583-4000 www.ci.hayward.ca.us

Milpitas City Council 1st/3rd Tuesday @ 7 p.m. 455 East Calaveras Blvd., Milpitas (408) 586-3001 www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov

Newark City Council 2nd/4th Thursday @ 7:30 p.m. City Hall, 6th Floor 37101 Newark Blvd., Newark (510) 578-4266 www.ci.newark.ca.us

San Leandro City Council Ist/3rd Monday @ 7 p.m. 835 East 14th St., San Leandro (510) 577-3366 www.sanleandro.org

Union City City Council 2nd/4th Tuesday @ 7 p.m. City Hall 34009 Alvarado-Niles Rd., Union City (510) 471-3232 www.ci.union-city.ca.us

WATER/SEWER

Alameda County Water District 2nd Thursday @ 6:00 p.m. 43885 S. Grimmer Blvd., Fremont (510) 668-4200 www.acwd.org

East Bay Municipal Utility District 2nd/4th Tuesday @ 1:15 p.m. 375 11th St., Oakland (866) 403-2683 www.ebmud.com

Santa Clara Valley Water District 2nd/4th Tuesday @ 6:00 p.m. 5700 Almaden Expwy, San Jose (408) 265-2607, ext. 2277 www.valleywater.org

Union Sanitary District 2nd/4th Monday @ 7:00 p.m. 5072 Benson Rd., Union City (510) 477-7503 www.unionsanitary.com

SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Castro Valley Unified School Board 2nd/4th Thursday @ 7:00 p.m. 4400 Alma Ave., Castro Valley (510) 537-3000 www.cv.k12.ca.us

Fremont Unified School Board 2nd/4th Wednesday @ 6:30 p.m. 4210 Technology Dr., Fremont (510) 657-2350 www.fremont.k12.ca.us

Hayward Unified School Board 2nd/4th Wednesday @ 6:30 p.m. 24411 Amador Street, Hayward (510) 784-2600 www.husd.k12.ca.us

Milpitas Unified School Board 2nd/4th Tuesday @ 7:00 p.m. 1331 E. Calaveras Blvd., Milpitas www.musd.org (406) 635-2600 ext. 6013

New Haven Unified School Board 1st/3rd Tuesday @ 6:30 p.m. 34200 Alvarado-Niles Rd., Union City (510) 471-1100 www.nhusd.k12.ca.us

Newark Unified School District 1st/3rd Tuesday @ 7 p.m. 5715 Musick Ave., Newark (510) 818-4103 www.newarkunified.org

San Leandro Unified School Board 1st/3rd Tuesday @ 7:00 p.m. 835 E. 14th St., San Leandro (510) 667-3500 www.sanleandro.k12.ca.us

San Lorenzo Unified School Board 1st/3rd Tuesday @ 7:30 p.m. 15510 Usher St., San Lorenzo (510) 317-4600 www.slzusd.org

Sunol Glen Unified School Board 2nd Tuesday @ 5:30 p.m. 11601 Main Street, Sunol (925) 862-2026 www.sunol.k12.ca.us

Fremont City Council

October 20, 2015

Consent Calendar:

• Authorize purchase order for software maintenance with Tiburon, Inc. for \$260,838.

 Recognize Domestic Violence Awareness Month, October 2015. Representatives of SAVE (Shelter Against Violent Environments) accepted proclamation.

Public Communications:

Speaker commented on current developments that focus on high-end apartments and renters who do not identify with Fre-



Recognize American Association of University Women (AAUW) One Book, One Community Read Program.



Recognize Domestic Violence Awareness Month, October 2015. Representatives of SAVE (Shelter Against Violent Environments) accepted proclamation.

- Approve final map for Tract 8163 at 39311 Mission Blvd.
- Accept COPS grant in the amount of \$353,375.

Ceremonial Items:

• Recognize American Association of University Women (AAUW) One Book, One Community Read Program. Overview and discussion on Monday, Nov 9 at 8:30 p.m. (Fukaya Room in Fremont Main Library).

mont. Need exists for affordable, basic housing with density compatible with surrounding neighborhoods and adequate parking.

Mayor Bill Harrison Aye Vice Mayor Suzanne Lee Chan Aye

Vinnie Bacon Absent Lily Mei Aye Rick Jones Aye

Newark City Council

October 22, 2015

Consent:

Approve cancellation of November 26 and December 24 city council meetings.

Non-Consent:

Amend 2014-16 Biennial Budget to provide additional staffing in Public Works Department to address increased work load; move Chamber of Commerce and police work space to Community Center.

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

Let's go solar together

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

In celebration of October as Energy Awareness month, the City of Fremont invites residents to explore opportunities to purchase or lease solar panels for their homes and save on energy bills for years to come.

East Bay SunShares, offered in partnership with the Vote Solar Initiative, provides local residents a discount of approximately 15 percent for the purchase or lease of rooftop solar systems.

East Bay SunShares pools the purchasing power of local residents to make the process of going solar simple and more affordable. In just nine weeks, more than 535 residents have signed up for solar assessments. In fact, there are over 70 new solar projects currently being installed as a result of this program!

With pricing as low as \$3.50/watt, now is a great time to consider solar. Residents can not only take advantage of discounted pricing, but there is also a federal tax credit to cover 30 percent of the installed system cost. This incentive is set to expire at the end of 2016.

This innovative and exciting offering is time-sensitive, with the enrollment window coming to a close on October 31. Residents interested in getting started with a no cost, no obligation site assessment from the preselected program providers should visit the East Bay SunShares website at: http://www.mygroupenergy.com/group/eastbaysunshares

For more information, visit http://www.fremont.gov/2295/East-

Bay-SunShares or call (510) 494-4451.

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Steve Basta, former CEO of AlterG, to discuss Entrepreneurship

By Shilpi Sharma

Fremont's Startup Grind Chapter continues to engage the East Bay's entrepreneur community with a series of lively fireside chats. The most recent program featured a discussion with EdCast CEO Karl Mehta covering his ideas about using social media to innovate education.

Mehta, CEO of EdCast and Fremont resident, shared his personal journey and philosophy that a "purpose statement" for a startup is necessary in order to remain consistently driven and inspired. He told his story of being a veteran of online payment systems and then deciding to tackle education, thanks to his desire to make a difference and his belief that "outsiders" can challenge industry experts because they're willing to question basic assumptions. His company EdCast focuses on making lifelong learning easy and accessible in order for employees to stay relevant and employable.

Startup Grind (www.startup-grind.com/fremont) is an international business startup community with the mission of connecting, educating, and inspiring entrepreneurs with chapters in over 175 cities and 70 countries. Follow Startup Grind Fremont on Twitter @Fremont-Grind, like us on Facebook at StartupGrindFremont, and attend an upcoming event.

Next Thursday, October 29, 2015, Startup Grind Fremont will host its third event with Steve Basta, former CEO of AlterG, manufacturer of an antigravity treadmill and bionic leg company. Basta has rich experience building and managing medical device companies including BioForm Medical, Inc., where he navigated the company through the successful commercialization of aesthetics products. He also served in key roles at Merz Aesthetics, Gliatech, Inc., Creative BioMolecules, Inc., and The Immune Response Corporation. Basta began his career in investment banking with Dillon, Read and Co. Inc. He holds a BA from The Johns Hopkins University and an MBA from the Kellogg Graduate School of Business at Northwestern University.

Don't miss what's sure to be a great conversation on Thursday, October 29, from 6 p.m. – 9 p.m. at DeVry University. Tickets are available online at http://bit.ly/1MYscwM.

Can't make next week's event with Steve Basta? No worries. Check back in for our recap of the event. And we have two more events scheduled in the upcoming months:

• November 19, 2015:

Andrew Ponec, founder of dFly Systems, creator of a solar power amplifier.

• December 16, 2015: Dr. Micah Yari, CTO &

Dr. Micah Yari, CTO & founder of Tactus Technology, a touch screen technology company

• January 19, 2016: Preetish Nijhawan, Managing director of Cervin Ventures, funds B2B companies.

Milpitas City Council Meeting

October 20, 2015

Presentations:

- Proclaim October as Filipino Heritage Month
- Present thanks to those who helped with screening of "Delano Mangongs" as Filipino-American Month event on Saturday, October 10.
- Proclaim October as CPR Awareness Month.
- Proclaim Help Mentally Challenged People Days October 17-18, 2015 by the Knights of Columbus: St. Elizabeth Council and St. John Council.

Public Hearing:

Hold a public hearing and adopt a resolution for summary vacation of a portion of the Public Service Utility Easement along the Northerly projection of Railroad Court parallel to Union Pacific Railroad

Report of Mayor and Commission:

Receive presentation from the Library Advisory Commission and accept the work plan for 2016.

New Business:

- Authorize staff to attend out of state training for Milpitas Fire Department's personnel management program.
- \bullet Approve request from Rotary Club to waive fee for pumpkin patch in the amount of \$873.06
- Authorize letter to the 2014-15 Santa Clara County Civil Grand Jury Final Report titled "A Slow Rising Emergency—Sea Level Rise."

Ordinance:

Adopt ordinance removing supplemental water penalties per state law.

Resolution: Amend resolution amending the classification plan to add an Assis-

tant City Engineer position. Agreement:

Amend free credit agreement Transit Area Specific Public Facilities with Milpitas Station venture.

| Mayor José Esteves: | Aye |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Vice Mayor Carmen Montano: | Aye |
| Debbie Indihar Giordano: | Aye |
| Garry Barbadillo: | Aye |
| Marsha Grilli: | Ave |

OPINION



WILLIAM MARSHAK

ertain terminology evokes a complex mix of actions and emotions that go far beyond words. Tom Wolfe wrote a book, published in 1979, with the title The Right Stuff. It chronicled the lives of postwar test pilots and the first astronauts of the Project Mercury who road atop huge rockets, minimally tested and extremely dangerous. The book and subsequent movie in 1983 explored the psyche of these men and their families who tested the limits of human fortitude and endurance.

Although the book and movie displayed a group of people who were well known and facing explicit dangers, others in the past and present have also displayed the right stuff when facing unknown obstacles and public scrutiny. We can see such efforts in every societal unit including family, friends, education, volunteers, government and business. Often unrecognized, but nonetheless critical for our welfare and safety, the right stuff

The right stuff

emerges all around us without much fanfare.

The people who demonstrate the right stuff can illustrate the best of mankind in recognizable ways but are often found in the trenches of everyday life. In local political circles, the health and wellbeing of the community is often a result of efforts by ordinary citizens. They may be elected to positions of leadership or others watching and demanding clarification of political actions. At this time, the Greater Tri-City area of the Southeast Bay is flexing its economic might, expanding through investment by major international companies and housing growth. These influences are similar to a powerful engine that can lead to glorious accomplishments yet risk danger of explosive and deadly consequences.

It is incumbent upon all of us - leaders and citizens - to carefully observe and resist temptations of irresponsible growth. If unchecked, such growth can become malignant and lead to disastrous consequences. The drumbeat for development verges on an irresistible siren song but when it comes at the cost of sensible infill and a solid infrastructure, the engine of growth can mislead and destroy. Do we have roads, parking, schools, transportation and resources to manage unrestrained construction?

It is time to step back and look at our actions in context of how people will move about and connect with all parts of our cities and their services. If General Plans are subverted by Planned Districts with their own rules and guidelines, we will be left with a patchwork of developments that fail to support a carefully constructed vision.

Many developments have already been approved and many more are yet to reach planner's desks. As these projects move through the political system for approval, there are a few who monitor their ramifications and speak up. Our elected leaders should also have the right stuff to closely examine and, if necessary, say no to projects that are injurious to their community's health.

Sometimes the right stuff is the courage to say no.

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Increase in students earning State Seal of Biliteracy

SUBMITTED BY BRIAN KILLGORE

Preparing for an increasingly global society, both the Fremont Unified School District (FUSD) and State of California are proud to announce an increase in high school graduates earning the State Seal of Biliteracy.

In an October 9 press release, the California Department of Education reported that more high school students graduated with a State Seal of Biliteracy in 2015 than ever before – nearly three times the amount of when the program started in 2012. The program, which California was the first state in the nation to create and since emulated across the country, recognizes high school graduates who have attained a high level of proficiency in speaking, reading, and writing in languages other than English.

In 2015, 31,816 graduating California public high school students earned the biliteracy gold seal, which was affixed to

their diplomas, for achieving proficiency in multiple languages including Spanish, French, Mandarin, German, Japanese, Latin, Korean, Vietnamese and Cantonese. This number is nearly three times the 10,685 reported in 2012. That number increased to 19,586 in 2013 and 24,151 in 2014. The recognition is awarded by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction in accordance with specified criteria set forth in Education Code Section 51461.

"Becoming multilingual is a huge asset in today's global economy, so I applaud the rising numbers of students attaining high levels of proficiency in multiple languages," said State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Tom Torlakson. "These skills will help students to live, work, and thrive in a multicultural, multilingual, and highly connected world."

At FUSD, 184 graduating seniors, representing all five of the District's comprehen-

sive high schools, earned the Seal in 2015 – an increase of three students from 2014 and 12 students from 2013. FUSD offers foreign language courses in Spanish, French, Mandarin, Japanese, Korean, Hindi and Tamil.

"I congratulate all students for such an impressive accomplishment, as well as the State of California for creating such a valuable program to prepare young men and women for a changing world," said FUSD Superintendent, Dr. Jim Morris. "I look forward to celebrating more and more of not only our students, but those from around California leaving school ready to communicate with businesses, educators and leaders from around the world."

The State Seal of Biliteracy was established by Assembly Bill 815. For more information, please visit the California Department of Education's State Seal of Biliteracy Web page at:

www.cde.ca.gov/sp/el/er/sealofbiliteracy.asp.

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CTA files charge against San Lorenzo School District

SUBMITTED BY MIKE MYSLINSKI

Amid an ongoing bargaining showdown over fair salaries for the low-paid educators in the district, the CTA union (California Teachers Association) has filed an unfair labor practice charge against the San Lorenzo Unified School District for interfering with a peaceful lunch hour union meeting at a high school and trying to have a union organizer escorted off campus by three Alameda County sheriff's deputies.

Meanwhile, a second, separate incident added insult to injury, educators say, when the school board refused to allow a high school student who supports teachers to speak at a packed public meeting – the board adjourned the public comment portion of the meeting instead, but the student delivered his speech anyway. Both incidents occurred October 20, the same day that more than 600 teachers, students and parents held a protest rally at the district's offices against the disrespect shown by the school board and Superintendent Fred Brill at the bargaining table.

The San Lorenzo Education Association (SLEA) declared a bargaining impasse October 13 as they fight for fair raises for educators who are among the lowest-paid in Alameda County, where the superintendent is among the highest paid. A state mediation session is set for October 30.

Rustico Foods recalls packaged soup products

SUBMITTED BY USDA FOOD SAFETY
AND INSPECTION SERVICES

Rustico Foods, a Los Angeles establishment, is recalling approximately 2,659 pounds of packaged soup products that were produced without the benefit of federal inspection and outside inspection hours, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) recently announced.

The ready to eat soups were produced from Sept. 24, 2015, through Oct. 21, 2015. The following products are subject to recall:

2-lb. individual plastic container of soup labeled "Chicken Matzo Ball."
1.6-lb. individual plastic container of soup labeled "Chicken Matzo Ball."
1.6-lb. individual plastic container of soup labeled "Turkey Chili with Beans."

1.6-lb. individual plastic container of soup labeled "Chicken Vegetable."

The products subject to recall bear establishment number "P-45180" inside the USDA mark of inspection. They also bear lot codes "Lot #2662015" through "Lot #2942015" on the bottom of the container and "Best By 10/21/15" through "Best By 11/18/15" stickers on the sides of the container.

There have been no confirmed reports of adverse reactions due to consumption of these products. Anyone concerned about a reaction should contact a healthcare provider. Consumers who have purchased these products are urged not to consume them. These products should be thrown away or returned to the place of purchase.

FSIS routinely conducts recall effectiveness checks to verify recalling firms notify their customers of the recall and that steps are taken to make certain that the product is no longer available to consumers. When available, the retail distribution list(s) will be posted on the FSIS website at www.fsis.usda.gov/recalls.

Consumers with questions about the recall can contact Jorge Castaneda, Plant Coordinator, at (213) 749-9670.

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Union Sanitary District crews continue work on Union City sinkhole

SUBMITTED BY MICHELLE POWELL

Repairs to a sewer line damaged by a sinkhole in Union City will take longer than initially projected, although repair crews hope to conduct the work in a way that minimizes the impact on traffic in the area.

Over the October 17-18 weekend, crews from Union Sanitary District (USD) were able to do a more thorough examination of the damage than had been possible when the sinkhole remained flooded by a broken water main. That examination revealed that damage to the sewer pipe some 20 feet underground was more extensive than previously believed. The pipe now appears to be damaged in two different spots about 20 feet apart. Further, a manhole at the site of the sinkhole has been extensively damaged by the shifting ground.

The cause of the sinkhole is not known at this time. USD's focus has been and continues to be completing repairs as safely and quickly as possible.

Soil conditions in the area, as well as a high level of groundwater, have made excavation more difficult and will complicate the repair options available to work crews.

USD crews have been on site since the sinkhole was first discovered, although excavation and diagnostic work had to wait until the water main above the sewer line was repaired.

USD is evaluating several possible methods of repair, and will have to conduct additional diagnostic work before determining which method to use. No timetable for completing the repair is possible at this time.

Motorists, however, should see an improvement to the traffic situation on Alvarado Boulevard and the surrounding area soon. One westbound lane of the boulevard will remain closed throughout the repair project, as USD crews bypass the damaged pipeline while repairs are made.

For more information, please visit www.union-sanitary.ca.gov

Hayward Water Pollution Control Facility receives EPA Green Power Leadership Award

SUBMITTED BY FRANK HOLLAND

The City of Hayward's Water Pollution Control Facility announced on October 19 that it has received a 2015 Green Power Leadership Award from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). EPA's annual Green Power Leadership Awards recognize the country's leading green power users for their commitment and contribution to helping advance the development of the nation's voluntary green power market. EPA presented Hayward's Water Pollution Control Facility with an On-site Generation award at the 2015 Renewable Energy Markets Conference in Arlington, Virginia on October 19.

Hayward's facility was one of only three organizations nationwide to receive a Leadership Award for on-site green power generation. The award recognizes EPA Green Power Partners who distinguish themselves using on-site renewable energy applications, such as solar photovoltaic (PV) or landfill gas. The City's Water Pollution Control Facility is currently generating nearly 11 million kilowatt-hours (kWh) of green power annually from solar and bio-gas energy systems, which is enough green power to meet more than 100 percent of the facility's electricity use.

EPA updates its Top Partner Lists quarterly at http://www.epa.gov/greenpower/toplists/.
The City of Hayward was one of the first cities in California to adopt a Climate Action Plan (2009), demonstrating its commitment to environmental protection and sustainability.
For additional information, please visit http://www.epa.gov/greenpower/awards/

Community meetings on Hayward traffic

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF HAYWARD

Traffic. Whether we walk, ride or drive, it's something almost everyone can relate to, especially in the neighborhoods in which we live. In an effort to address concerns such as speeding, cut-through traffic and pedestrian safety, the City is developing a Neighborhood Traffic Calming Program, and it all starts with you.

The City of Hayward is hosting a series of public outreach meetings to gather valuable input from Hayward residents, which will help build the foundation of our Neighborhood Traffic Calming Program.

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Community Meetings on Hayward Traffic

Wednesday, Oct 28 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. City Hall, Room 2A 777 B St, Hayward

Monday, Nov 2 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Matt Jiménez Community Center 28200 Ruus Rd, Hayward Info: sai.midididdi@hayward-ca.gov

Study shows prenatal vaccination decreases severe illness/death in pediatric pertussis cases

SUBMITTED BY ANITA GORE AND ORVILLE THOMAS

California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Director and State Public Health Officer Dr. Karen Smith recently announced the results of a CDPH study that shows additional benefits of prenatal pertussis vaccination. Vaccination of pregnant women against pertussis (whooping cough) has been found to prevent whooping cough in their infants, however no vaccine is 100 percent effective and some infants of vaccinated women develop pertussis.

The study found that infants were significantly less likely to have severe illness or die from pertussis if their mother had received the Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis) vaccine during pregnancy.

"Prior studies have demonstrated that prenatal Tdap vaccination reduces the risk of whooping cough among infants less than two months of age," Dr. Smith said. "However, this is the first study that CDPH is aware of that has evaluated the impact of Tdap vaccine during pregnancy on the outcomes of infants who do become infected with pertussis. This study provides more evidence that getting the Tdap vaccine is the best way for pregnant mothers to protect their babies from pertussis and its complications."

CDPH's Immunization Branch conducted the study among 690 California infants younger than two months of age who had pertussis. The study showed that infants with whooping cough whose mothers received Tdap vaccine during pregnancy were less likely to be hospitalized or admitted to an intensive care unit. Researchers also found that infants whose mothers re-

ceived Tdap vaccine during pregnancy had significantly shorter hospital stays when hospitalization was needed. In addition, there were no deaths among infants whose mothers were vaccinated with Tdap.

Pregnant women should receive the whooping cough vaccine at 27 weeks, the start of the third trimester of each pregnancy. When pregnant women are vaccinated, maternal antibodies are transferred to the fetus and help protect young infants until they are old enough to receive their own vaccination against pertussis. This is the only way to provide direct protection to infants.

Whooping cough continues to spread at abovenormal levels in California following a major epidemic in 2014, when the number of reported cases was the highest seen since the 1950s. Disease rates and the risk of hospitalization and death are highest for infants younger than three months of age.

Classic whooping cough in children and adults starts with a cough and runny nose for one-to-two weeks, followed by weeks to months of rapid coughing fits that sometimes end with a whooping sound and vomiting. Fever is rare. Symptoms of whooping cough vary by age and vaccination history. Infants often do not have typical whooping cough symptoms and may not appear to cough. Instead, they may have difficulty breathing, their face may turn purple, and they may even stop breathing.

CDPH also reminds parents that Tdap vaccination is a requirement for advancement into the 7th grade. Tdap vaccinations are widely available at doctors' offices, clinics, and pharmacies. For more information, visit www.cdph.ca.gov

East Bay Regional Park District releases Mission Peak Draft EIR

SUBMITTED BY CAROLYN JONES

The East Bay Regional Park District has released the Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the Stanford Avenue Staging Area Expansion Project for public review.

The EIR examines two options to expand the existing Stanford Avenue staging area, in order to provide additional parking and restrooms to better accommodate visitor demand. By expanding and improving the staging area, the Park District anticipates that existing noise, trash and safety issues on the neighborhood streets will be reduced, and that park visitors will be better served. Thousands of visitors hike and bike at this immensely popular park.

Both options include 300-space maximum parking areas, new restrooms, a kiosk, picnic tables, landscaping and storm-water controls. Option A calls for a parking lot northeast of the existing lot, while Option B includes a parking lot southeast of the existing lot.

The Draft EIR can be read at: http://www.ebparks.org/parks/mission or at the Fremont main library or Park District headquarters. The public can comment on the draft through 5 p.m. November 30 by writing to Michelle Julene, Senior Planner, East Bay Regional Park District, P.O. Box 5381, Oakland 94605-0381, or emailing StanfordAveProject@ebparks.org.

The Park District Board of Directors are expected to discuss and vote on the report in 2016.

For information, please call (510) 544-2217, or email: cjones@ebparks.org

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November 17, 1929 - October 13, 2015

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October 21, 2015

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August 30, 1942 – October 22, 2015

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October 20, 1975 – October 20 2015

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Obituary

Maria S. da Costa

Resident of Fremont



Survived by her mother Maria L. da Costa; and her siblings: Anna Maria da Costa, Antonio da Costa, and Anibal da Costa. Also survived by 3 nieces, 2 nephews, and other extended family members and friends.

Visitation will be held on Monday, October 26th, from 5-8pm with a Vigil at 6:30pm at Fremont Memorial Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd., Fremont, CA 94536. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, October 27th, 10am at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 37588 Fremont Blvd., Fremont, CA 94536. Burial will follow at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward, CA.

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Obituary

Mary Ann Bryant

Resident of Fremont April 10, 1951 – October 20, 2015



Born on April 10th, 1951 in Berkeley, California, and entered into rest on October 20th, 2015 in Stanford, California at the age of 64.

Mary Ann grew up in San Lorenzo, where she first met her husband-to-be, Jeff at Arroyo High School. Mary Ann was always interested in sports, and taught swimming at the local pools in the summer. She also was voted most athletic in High School. She was accepted to the University of California - Berkeley, where she majored in Physical Education, and also got a teaching credential. After college Mary Ann taught PE for five years in Union City, then had two kids, Jeannette and Erik. After the kids were established in school, she started substitute teaching at the kids Elementary School. Mary Ann joined Beta Sigma Phi Inter-

She also wanted to do a bike ride, and did the Chico Metric Century, some 65 miles two years ago. However, about this time, she started to become out of breath, and in a few months found out she had Aplastic Anemia. Two ATG treatments later, it still wasn't cured. So, she sought out a Bone Marrow Transplant. She ended up with seven perfect matches, an unusually high number when the average person has just 50% chance of a match. A brave young Polish medical student was the best match, and he offered his match. So a transplant was done and seemed to be working. However, Mary Ann caught a fungus in her lung, and although she and anti-fungal drugs shrunk the fungus, so many other complications related to the problem got in the way from her Bone Marrow Transplant recovery.



national sorority in Nov. 1987 was a member of Epsilon Phi Master of Fremont.

When son Erik reached his senior year of high school, there was no tennis coach, and Irvington High School was not going to be able to play tennis that year. So, Mary Ann stepped up and said "I will coach", and over the next 12 years she and Erik built the team into the point where they won the League Championship. Plus her teams had some of the best GPA's for all sports.

While her kids were going to school the family camped at Burney Falls State Park, and Lair of the Bear Family Camp. There are now 4 generations of her family that have attended the Lair.

In retirement Mary Ann wanted to travel. So she and Jeff started travel to Hawaii. They both went on a big tour to China, where they saw the Great Wall, and Terra Cotta Warriors, and more importantly Eric and Marina's Chinese wedding ceremony and feast. She had traveled to Europe several times, including for five weeks in 1992 to the Summer Olympics.

But most of all, she wanted to spend time with her cherished grandkids: Patrick, Alice and Marcus. She just loved them so much, reading to them, talking to them, and teaching them. One of her favorite things to do was to swim in her swimming pool with them, she was already teaching them to swim and to enjoy the water!

Mary Ann is survived by her husband Jeff, daughter Jeannette (James), son Erik (Marina), and three grandchildren: Patrick, Alice, and Marcus. She is also survived by her sister Eileen (Ken) and brother Rob (Beth).

A Celebration of Life will be held for Mary Ann on Sunday, November 1st, 3pm at Fremont Memorial Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd., Fremont, CA 94536. If you can, wear blue and gold for Cal, or red, Mary Ann's favorite color. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Mary Ann's favorite charity, Heifer International.

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Outrun zombies at Running Dead

SUBMITTED BY ROBERT MAGBANUA PHOTOS BY DIANE BAGAOISAN **PHOTOGRAPHY**

he zombie apocalypse is near! Union City Leisure Services will be holding its 3rd annual "Running Dead 5K/10K Fun Run & Walk" this coming Halloween, complete with a Zombie Challenge for those who dare to participate! Runners will get two flags to wear on their hips to try and protect from zombies on the 5K or 10K trail; those who survive the challenge by finishing the race with both flags intact will be eligible for special prizes.

The event draws anywhere from 100 to 120 people. Vendors from local businesses will be onsite with booths to inform runners of their services and offer prize items for post-race raffles. Current participants are ChiroSports USA, Massage Envy, Solar City, Tri-City Physical Therapy, Connection Café Chiro, BV Dental, and Ameriprise Financial. Prizes include free massage sessions, spine evaluations, personal training, three month gym membership, and more. We will also have a spray paint artist at the event who will be offering his artistic services to decorate clothing for the Halloween-themed run.

There are boys and girls categories for 12 and under and 13-17, and men's and women's categories for 18-29, 30-54, and 55 and up. The race also includes a 5K Stroller Division and 5K Pet Walking Division.

Adults (18+) fees are \$25 or \$15 (no shirt) for Sports Center members; \$30 or \$20 (no shirt) for Union City residents; and \$35 or \$25 (no shirt) for non-residents. Youth (17 and under) fees are \$20 or \$10 (no shirt) for Sports Center members; \$25 or \$15 (no shirt) for Union City residents; and \$30 or \$20 (no shirt) for



non-residents. There will be a small donation of \$5 to enter the Zombie Challenge, with proceeds going to the American Diabetes Association.

Registration forms can be picked up and returned to any one of our community centers (Mark Green Sports Center, 31224 Union City Blvd; Holly Center, 31600 Alvarado Blvd; Kennedy Center, 1333 Decoto Rd; Rugierri Senior Center, 33997 Alvarado-Niles Rd) or register online at http://www.active.com/union-city-ca/running/distance-running-races/the-runningdead-iii-5k-10k-fun-run-and-walk-2015.

For more information, call (510) 675-5600.

Running Dead III 5K/10K Fun Run & Walk Sunday, Nov 1 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

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Life West **Chair and students** visit Mexico

SUBMITTED BY DIANA ROHINI LAVIGNE PHOTO COURTESY OF Marissa A. Sum

On September 24-26, 2015, Life Chiropractic College West was represented by a delegation of students at the World Congress of Chiropractic Students (WCCS) regional event hosted by Universidad Estatal del Valle de Toluca Chiropractic University in Mexico. Life West's representation led by Dr. Ron

Oberstein had the largest student delegation at the event aside from the host school. Dr. Oberstein accompanied third year Life West students John Christman, Kenya Hodges and Marisa Sum; and second year student Christina Coblish. Dr. Oberstein, Life West Board of Regents Chair and practicing chiropractor, was one of the speakers at the event.

For more information on WCCS, please visit http://wccsworldwide.org. To learn more about Life West, visit http://lifewest.edu.



From left: John Christman, Marisa Sum, Life West Board of Regents Chair Dr. Ron Oberstein, Kenya Hodges and Christina Coblish

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Fremont **Police Log**

SUBMITTED BY GENEVA BOSQUES, FREMONT PD

Thursday, October 15

At 7:05 a.m., Ofc. Montojo investigated a petty theft, where the victim invited the suspect to his house at 1:45 a.m., after meeting the suspect online through the social networking site, GRINDR. The suspect stole the victim's iPhone and fled the residence while the victim was in another room. The suspect was described as a black male adult, 18-19 years old, 5'07", 150 lbs., clean shaven, wearing a black shirt and pants, and having thick black hair and brown eyes.

At 10:19 p.m., a residential burglary was reported on the 3600 block of Wyndham Drive. The burglary occurred between 6:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Entry was made by a rear slider that was shattered. The majority of rooms were ransacked.

Friday, October 16

Officers responded to the 1100 block of Alder Court to investigate a residential burglary that occurred between 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. The unknown suspect(s) entered the backyard and broke a rear sliding glass door. Losses were jewelry and electronics. The victim's red 1998 Porsche Carrera (two-door) was also stolen from the garage. The victim had left his car keys in the house. License plate is CA #3ADC789. Ofc. Montojo is in-

Saturday, October 17

At 12:15 p.m., officers responded to a center in the 6000 block of Stevenson Boulevard. to investigate multiple auto burglaries. No suspect information was available.

At 4:40 p.m., Ofc. Navas and Field Training Officer (FTO) Perry contacted an adult male as he exited a vehicle near Doan Street and Sweetwood Street. Pursuant to his probation terms, the 35-year-old adult male was searched. The male was arrested for possession of burglary tools, possession of a controlled substance, wrongful display of license plate, receiving known stolen property and probation violation.

Sunday, October 18

At 9:34 a.m, the victim of a residential burglary that occurred in San Jose in April 2015 reported that he located his electronic device via remote tracking at a location in Fremont. Ofc. Chinn made contact at the location and recovered the device. The person possessing the device said he purchased it from someone at a gas station several months ago.

At 6:37 p.m., Ofc. Piol investigated a residential burglary on the 40300 block of Paseo Padre Parkway. Entry was made through a window. Loss was a laptop.

Monday, October 19

Ofc. Wong and FTO Ehling investigated a robbery in the 34000 block of Paseo Padre Parkway. The suspect was described as a black male adult (late teens), who took a chain from the victim's person. The suspect fled in a red, four-door sedan.

Ofc. Dias investigated the grand theft of a lawnmower and an assault with a deadly weapon in the area of Indian Hill Place and Cherokee Lane. The suspect was a male who drove his white Dodge Caravan into the victim, while the victim was trying to take a photo of the suspect and suspect vehicle. The victim was

transported to a local hospital with nonlife-threatening injuries.

Tuesday, October 20

At 10:18 a.m., officers were dispatched to a parking lot located on the 5300 block of Mowry Avenue to investigate an auto burglary. A suspect in a green, four-door Lexus burglarized a vehicle in the retail parking lot. The suspect gained entry by smashing the front passenger window. The suspect then reached in to take a backpack containing a computer.

Wednesday, October 21

An auto burglary occurred in the parking lot of Pacific Commons near Old Navy between 1:15 - 1:30 p.m. It was a late report with no suspect leads. Officer Dias investigating.

Officers are dispatched to the area of Ross Common regarding a promiscuous shooting. The reporting party hears gunshots and people yelling. The caller reports multiple subjects are seen running and several vehicles leave the area. Arriving officers locate two of the vehicles in the Food Max parking lot and detained the occupants. Several other subjects are detained on Sundale running. Officers locate two casings in the parking lot of Ross Common. Investigation reveals a group of subjects drinking in the parking lot are interrupted by unknown subjects who drive by and fire several rounds. No victims are located and no suspects are identified. Officer Hartman documents the incident.

Thursday, October 22

A package is taken from the porch of a residence located in the 4900 block of Coco Palm Dr. The suspect vehicle is a white 4-door Honda Civic. Suspect description: Two Hispanic male adults, one wearing white shorts and white t-shirt.

Newark **Police Log**

SUBMITTED BY CMDR. MIKE CARROLL, **NEWARK PD**

Tuesday, October 13

At 12:47 p.m., Ofc. Rodgers investigated the burglary of a garage at Sycamore Bay Apartments (37171 Sycamore St.) that occurred between 6:30 p.m. the previous night and 6:30 a.m. in the morning. The losses were a 52" flat screen TV and six firearms.

At 2:28 p.m., Ofc. Jackman handled a citizen's arrest/shoplifting case at the NewPark Mall Macy's store. A 34-year-old male from Fremont was cited and released for shoplifting.

Wednesday, October 14

At 8:48 p.m., Ofc. Jackman responded to Macy's and ac-

cepted the arrest of two adult females for shoplifting. A 23-yearold female of Union City and an 18-year-old female of Hayward were both released from the scene with a citation.

Saturday, October

At 8:56 p.m., Community Service Officer (CSO) Parks investigated a window smash auto burglary in the lower level of the NewPark Mall parking structure that occurred between 7:42 p.m. and 8:56 p.m. Losses were electronics and jewelry.

Sunday, October 18

At 1:15 p.m., Ofc. Musantry investigated a traffic collision at Birch Street and Bitterroot Avenue. The victim, an 18-year-old male, was riding his bicycle when he lost control and crashed into the rear of a parked vehicle. The victim was launched from his bike through the rear windshield of the vehicle. The victim suffered visible injuries to his face and head. The victim was transported to a local hospital. The victim's injuries did not appear to be life threatening.

At 11:01 p.m., Ofc. Simon investigated a domestic disturbance at 37171 Sycamore St., where a 38-year-old male of Newark v arrested for domestic violence battery. He was booked at Santa Rita Jail.

Monday, October 19

At 8:31 p.m., Ofc. Kovach investigated an assault with a deadly weapon and theft at Spirit Halloween Store. Two adult females stole a bag full of merchandise and fled to their vehicle in the parking lot. The store manager followed to take a picture of the suspect vehicle, at which time the driver struck the manager, sending him over the hood of the vehicle. The manager was treated at the scene for his injuries. Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to contact Newark Police Department.

Hollister pair arrested in stolen vehicle

SUBMITTED BY

SGT JOSEPH HEYLEN, MILPITAS PD

On October 11, at approximately 11:03 p.m., a Milpitas Police officer was patrolling the parking lot of a local motel and saw a 1995 Nissan Quest parked in the lot. Two people, later identified as Juan Cabrera (29 yearold Hollister resident) and Jessica Valadez-Ramirez (26-year old Hollister resident), were sitting inside the vehicle. The officer ran the license plate through the State database and found the vehicle was reported stolen in Hollister.

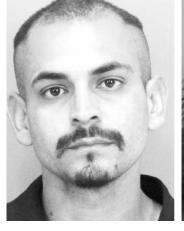
Cabrera and Ramirez were arrested. Officers searched the vehicle and found the ignition and steering column damaged. Cabrera and Ramirez were eventually

booked into the Santa Clara County Jail for possession of a stolen vehicle.

Anyone with any information regarding this investigation or other incidents in Milpitas is encouraged to call the Milpitas Police Department at

(408) 586-2400. Information can be given anonymously by calling the Crime Tip Hotline at (408) 586-2500 or via the Milpitas Police Department website at:

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Looking for a different kind of volunteer work? Interested in helping your community? Consider volunteering to help low- to moderate-income families and individuals file their income taxes for the 2016 tax season.

The Fremont Family Resource Center's (FRC) Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program is recruiting volunteers for the 2016 tax season. FRC VITA prepares income tax returns and e-files them for low- to moderate-income individuals and families at no cost. In many cases, tax refunds are their lifeline. Not only does the VITA Program provide tax preparation services, VITA volunteers also connect families to important services such as Cal-Fresh benefits, financial coaching, asset building programs, financial education workshops, and referrals to other valuable programs available at the FRC.

Participating in VITA means being an active part of rejuvenating your local economy. By helping provide free and quality tax return preparation to those who cannot normally afford it, we ensure that taxpayers claim their Earned Income Tax Credit, a refundable tax credit that can be up to \$6,242 for a family with three qualifying children. Last year, the FRC VITA Program filed 2,636 tax returns, resulting in \$3.7 million in claimed refunds and credits. Much of this money is spent within the community, thereby boosting the local economy.

VITA volunteer hours are extremely flexible. VITA volunteers generally serve 3 to 5 hours a week from January 2016 to April 2016. We offer day and evening hours, weekdays, and Saturdays.

VITA sites are available at multiple locations around Alameda County. Locally, volunteers can find opportunities at the Fremont Family Resource Center, the New Haven Adult School in Union City, the Tri-Cities One-Stop Career Center at the Ohlone College Newark campus, and at Tri-Cities Volunteers, making it easy to get involved.

Put your language skills to use. VITA is looking for bilingual Spanish, Farsi, Punjabi, and American Sign Language volunteers to serve as interpreters within our diverse and varied community.

Build your resume. VITA volunteers learn valuable skills and work with a wide variety of organizations. In addition, studies show that volunteering increases important employable skill sets, including time management, teamwork, and professional job skills.

There are many different volunteering opportunities, depending on your interests. We are looking for translators, greeters, screeners, financial advocates, and tax preparers.

If you are interested in becoming a VITA volunteer, then attend the VITA Volunteer Information Meeting on Wednesday, October 28 or call (510) 574-2019.

VITA Volunteer Information

Meeting Wednesday, Oct 28 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Fremont Family Resource Center, Bldg EFGH, Pacific Conf Rm 39155 Liberty St, Fremont hcommons@fremont.gov

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PUBLIC NOTICES



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the City Council of the City of Union City for the purpose of considering the following:

Zoning Text Amendment (AT-15-003)

The City of Union City is proposing to update Chapter 18.40, Article IV, Use of Hazardous Materials, of the Union City Municipal Code to: clarify existing provisions, update outdated references, reflect current practices and regulations, and streamline the review process for certain types of hazardous materials storage and use and update Chapter 18.48, *Agricultural District*, to require an Administrative Use Permit for any use within the Agricultural zoning district that requires a CUPA hazardous materials permit from the Environmental Programs Division.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that the City Council will consider a determination that the proposed amendments are exempt from environmental review in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3), which is the general exemption for projects with no potential for significant effect on the environment.

The Planning Commission reviewed this project at its October 15, 2015 meeting and recommended approval on a 5-0 vote.

This item will be heard at a public hearing by the City Council at the meeting listed below. You may attend the meeting and voice your comments in person, or you may submit comments in writing prior to the hearing. The project planner, Carmela Campbell, can be reached at (510) 675-5316 or via email at CarmelaC@unioncity.org.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday, November 10, 2015 Said hearing will be held at 7:00 p.m. In the Council Chambers of City Hall, 34009 Alvarado-Niles Road, Union City

The meeting packet, which includes the meeting agenda and staff report for this project, can be accessed on-line on the City's Agendas and Minutes webpage which is located at http://www.ci.union-city.ca.us/departments/city-manager-s-office/city-clerk/agendas-andminutes. Meeting packets are generally available on-line the Friday before the meeting.

City Hall is accessible by Union City Transit lines 1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9 and AC Transit line 97. BART riders can transfer to these bus routes at the UC BART station. For information, please call Union City Transit at (510) 471-1411 and AC Transit or BART at 511. Union City Transit maps and schedules are available at www.uctransit.org.

If you challenge the above described project in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Planning Commission and/or City Council public hearing(s) for this project, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission or to the City Council at, or prior to, the public hearing.

/s/ Kuldip Singh Pallian

/s/ Kuldip Singh Pallian
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of
Alameda County on October 20, 2015
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a)
of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement
generally expires at the end of five years from the
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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).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 510687
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Chenguan Construction, 4452 Richmond Ave,
Fremont, CA 94636, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):

Alex Guangyi Min, 4452 Richmond Ave., Fremont, CA 94536

Alex Guangyi Min, 4452 Richmond Ave., 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/ Alex Guang Yi Min
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on October 19, 2015
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).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 510664
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Kelley General, 448 Calistoga Circle, Fremont,
CA 94536, County of Alameda

Registrant(s): John Kelley, 448 Calistoga Circle, Fremont, CA

John Kelley, 448 Calistoga Circle, Fremont, CA 94536
John Everett, 6440 Sky Point Drive, Suite 140, Las Vegas NV 89131
Business conducted by: A Joint Venture
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/ John Kelley
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on October 16, 2015
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.

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STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

File No. 480315 The following person(s) has (have) abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: JDD Enterprises, 39679 Lahana Way, Fremont, CA

The Fictitious Business Name Statement for the Partnership was filed on July 09, 2013 in the County of Alameda. Diana L. Dudley, 39679 Lahana Way, Fremont, CA 94538

John F Dudley, 39679 Lahana Way, Fremont, CA 94538

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on October 7, 2015 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17/15

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

Fictitious Business Name(s): Relational Repair, 310 Mowry Ave., Suite 303, Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda Registrant(s): Esther I. Weit, 700 Mesa Cir., Hayward, CA 94541 Business conducted by: an Individual The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 3/2015

declare that all information in this statement

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].)

one thousand dollars [\$1,000].) /s/ Esther I. Wei This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on October 6 2015 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

NAME STATEMENT File No. 510227 Fictitious Business Name(s):

S/ John F Dudley, Owner

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CNS-2809132#

CNS-2808592#

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. HG15789686
Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Sripriya Devarajan Ramesh
Santhanakrishnan, on behalf of Arjun Sharavan
Ramesh, minor for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Sripriya Devarajan Ramesh
Santhanakrishnan, on behalf of Arjun Sharavan
Ramesh, minor filed a petition with this court for a
decree changing names as follows:
Arjun Sharavan Ramesh to Arjun Shravan
Ramesh

Arjun Sharavan Ramesh to Arjun Shravan Ramesh
The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 2-11-2016, Time: 1:30 p.m., Dept.: 503
The address of the court is 24405 Amador Street, Hayward, CA 94544
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Tri-City Voice Newspaper
Date: Oct. 15, 2015

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Date: Oct. 15, 2015
WINIFRED Y. SMITH

Judge of the Superior Court 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17/15

CNS-2806874#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. Hc15787727
Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Sarabjit Kaur for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Sarabjit Kaur filed a petition with this Petitioner Sarabjit Kaur filed a petition with this

court for a decree changing names as follows: Sarabjit Kaur to Nina Seniaray The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the netition without a hearing.

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Notice of Hearing:
Date: 2-11-16, Time: 1:30pm, Dept.: 503
The address of the court is 24405 Amador Street, Hayward, CA 94544
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: What's Happening Tri City Voice
Date: Sep 30, 2015
WINIFRED Y, SMITH
Judge of the Superior Court

Judge of the Superior Court 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/15

CNS-2802320#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. HG15787479
Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Sunita Fnu for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Petitioner Sunita Fnu filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Sunita Fnu to Sunita Klair

Sunita Fnu to Sunita Klair
Sunita Fnu to Sunita Klair
Sunita to Sunita Klair
The Court orders that all persons interested in
this matter appear before this court at the hearing
indicated below to show cause, if any, why the
petition for change of name should not be granted.
Any person objecting to the name changes
described above must file a written objection that
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court days before the matter is scheduled to be
heard and must appear at the hearing to show
cause why the petition should not be granted. If
no written objection is timely filed, the court may
grant the petition without a hearing.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 12/03/15, Time: 1:30 p.m., Dept.: 503
The address of the court is 24405 Amador St.,
Hayward, CA 94544
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be

Haywara, NA 3700...
A copy of this Order to Show Cause Strain of published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: general circulation, printed in Tri City Voice Date: Sep. 28, 2015 WINIFRED Y. SMITH Judge of the Superior Court 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27/15

CNS-2800483#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAMES

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 510735
Fictitious Business Name(s):
S & S Transport, 31755 Alvarado Blvd., #206,
Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):

Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda Registrant(s):
Kuldip Singh Pallian, 31755 Alvarado Blvd., #206, Union City, CA 94587
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].)

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). 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17/15

CNS-2808212#

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME File No. 445357

The following person(s) has (have) abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: Emka Hardware Group, 46560 Fremont Blvd., #416, Fremont, CA 94538; 571 Sweet Fig Terrace,

Fremont, CA 94539 The Fictitious Business Name Statement for the Partnership was filed on 11/30/2010 in the County

Jeffery G. Norris, 571 Sweet Fig Terrace, Fremont, Yi-Chih Chung, 571 Sweet Fig Terrace, Fremont,

S/ Jeffery G. Norris This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on October 20, 2015 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17/15

CNS-2808209#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 510543
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Al Bahar, 34720 Alvarado Niles Rd., Union City,
CA 94587, County of Alameda
Mailing address: 2605 Hazelwood Ave., Stockton,
CA 95207
Renistra

Registrant(s): Mirza Mahmood, 9033 Ewing Ave., Skokie, IL 60076

Registrant(s):
Mirza Mahmood, 9033 Ewing Ave., Skokie, IL 60076
Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 10/13/2015
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/ Mirza Mahmood
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on October 13, 2015
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 14/11, 11/13, 11/10, 11/17/15

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

File No. 497975
The following person(s) has (have) abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: Personal Technology Services, 47220 Havasu St., Fremont, CA 94539

The Fictitious Business Name Statement being abandoned was filed on 11/05/2014 in the County Eric Thomas Layton, 47220 Havasu St., Fremont,

S/ Eric T. Layton S/ Eric I. Layton This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on October 7, 2015 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17/15

CNS-2807561#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 510470
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Thind Tutoring, 403 Summerwood Dr.,
Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Mailing address: 403 Summerwood Dr., Fremont,
CA 94536
Registrost/

CA 945.50 Registrant(s): Jalale Thind, 403 Summerwood Dr., 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/ Jalale Thind

Is/ Jalale Thind
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of
Alameda County on October 9, 2015
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

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).

CNS-2806732#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 510498
Fictitious Business Name(s):
YMTronics, 4409 Drywood Court, Union City,
CA 95487, County of Alameda

Registrant(s): Yan Man Tsui, 4409 Drywood Court, Union City, CA 95487

CA 95487
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/ Yan Man Tsui

Is/ Yan Man Tsui
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of
Alameda County on October 12, 2015
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 derk, 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). 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10/15

CNS-2806728#

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

File No. 453590
The following person(s) has (have) abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: Alar Connection, 4160 Darwin Drive, Fremont, CA

The Fictitious Business Name Statement being abandoned was filed on 06/30/2011 in the County of Alameda. Robert Gexin Zhang, 4160 Darwin Drive, Fremont, CA 94555

CA 94555 Yanli Liu, 4160 Darwin Drive, Fremont, CA 94555 S/ Robert Zhang This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on October 1, 2015. 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10/15

CNS-2806724#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 510573
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Go Go Customs Brokerage, 271 Bryant
Common, Apt. #106, Fremont, CA 94539,
County of Alameda
Registrant(s):

County of Alameda Registrant(s): Mei Yee Cheung, 271 Bryant Common, Apt. #106, Fremont, CA 94539
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/ Mei Yee Cheung This statement was filed with the County Clerk of In is statement was filed with the County Clerk or Alameda County on October 14, 2015 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 dark experts as possibled 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

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CNS-2806460#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 510355
Ficititious Business Name(s):
Fremont Webnet, 56 Snyder Way, Fremont, CA
94536, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Jeff Bowen
The registrant began to transact business using
the ficititious 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].)
Isi Jeff Bowen

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This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on October 8, 2015
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). 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/15

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CNS-2804270#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 509956
Fictitious Business Name(s):
DNJ Radio, 4036 Clipper Court, Fremont, CA
94538, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
American Media Systems, Inc, 4036 Clipper
Court, Fremont, CA 94538; CA
Business conducted by: A Corporation
The registrant began to transact business using
the fictitious business name(s) listed above on
9/15/15

The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 9/15/15

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].)

Is/ Frank Wang, President
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on September 28, 2015

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.

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CNS-2803323#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 510079
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Ferratti Trading Group, 43180 Christy Street,
Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda

Fremont, CA 94306, County of Alameda Registrant(s): Jingming Feng, 1020 Munich Street, San Francisco, CA 94112 Ruan Woping, 1326 E 12th St, Oakland, CA 94806

Quan Wu, 2620 Wakefield Ave, Oakland, Business conducted by: A General Partnership

Business conducted by: A General Partnership The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on NIA 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

that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].

Is/ Jingming Feng, CEO General Partner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on September 29, 2015

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.

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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). 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/15

CNS-2802233#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 509746
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Angelcare Home Health Services, 33
Wolcott Common, Fremont, CA 94538, Cou
of Alameda; 3356 Wolcott Common, Fremo CA 94538

CA 94538 Registrant(s): Shikha Mittal, 3356 Wolcott Common, Fremont

CA 94538
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/ ShikhA Mattal

one thousand dollars [\$1,000].) IS/S hikha Mattal
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on September 23, 2015
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). 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27/15

CNS-2801935#

CNS-2801935#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 509662

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Bridge Bay Apartments, 35655 Haley St,
Newark, CA 94560, County of Alameda
PO Box 5358, San Mateo, San Mateo, CA 94402 Registrant(s):

Registrant(s): John Leung, 1730 S El Camino Real, #450, San Mateo, CA 94402 Joanna Leung, 1730 S El Camino Real, #450, San Mateo, CA 94402

Mateo, CA 94402
Business conducted by: A General Partnership
The registrant began to transact business using
the fictoric business name(s) listed above on

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/ John Leung, General Partner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of

Alameda County on September 21, 2015 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 filled 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. Alameda County on September 21, 2015

filed before the expiration.
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CNS-2801522#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 509948
Fictitious Business Name(s):
The Ultimate Deli, 39706 Cedar Blvd., Newark, CA 94560, County of Alameda

CA 94560, County of Alameua Registrant(s): Hemant Kumar H. Goswami, 3939 Bidwell Dr., Apt. 442, Fremont, CA 94538 Business conducted by: an individual The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 8-1-2015

the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 8-1-2015
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 guiltly of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)

//s/ Hemant Kumar H. Goswami
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on September 28, 2015
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). 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27/15

CNS-2800978#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. 509823
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Nail Chic, 5932 Newpark Mall Dr., Newpark, CA
94560, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):

Thuy Nguyen, 28351 Rugs Rd., Hayward, CA 94544

Registrant(s):
Thuy Nguyen, 28351 Rugs Rd., Hayward, CA 94544
Huong Vuong, 3814 Seven Trees Blvd. #1, San Jose, CA 95111
Business conducted by: Co-partners
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].)
Is/ Thuy Nguyen
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on September 24, 2015
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). 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27/15

CNS-2799842#

GOVERNMENT

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
Pursuant to Calif. Govt. Code Secs. 6061, 65090, 65091, 65094, 65095 & 65905, on November 10, 2015, at or after 7:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 37101 Newark Blvd., Newark, CA, the Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider:

Chamibers, 3710 i Newark Bivd., Newark, CA, interplanning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider:

(1) Adopting a resolution recommending City Council approval of RZ-15-28, a rezoning for an approximately 68.55 acre portion of Tentative Tract Map 8270 from R-6000 (Low Density Residential) to LDR-FBC (Low Density Residential) to LDR-FBC (Low Density Residential) to Commission of the City Council approversion of the

the public hearing.

TERRENCE GRINDALL

Assistant City Manager

CNS-2808444#

NOTICE OF PETITION TO **ADMINISTER ESTATE OF**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate.

or both, of: Viola Marie Fisk
A Petition for Probate has been filed by Randy Morris. Public Administrator in the

Randy Morris, Public Administrator be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your

creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal

may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. You may examine the file kept by the court.

If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the

CNS-2804563#

PROBATE

VIOLA MARIE FISK CASE NO. RP15787351

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda.

The Petition for Probate requests that

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court on Nov. 12, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. in Dept. 201 located at 2120 Martin Luther King Jr. Way, Berkeley, CA 94704.
If you object to the granting of the petition,

attorney. If you are a creditor or a contingent

delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority

court clerk. Petitioner: P.O. Box 2071, Oakland, CA

94604, Telephone: 510-577-1979 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/15

PUBLIC NOTICES

TRUSTEE SALES

T.S. No.: 2014-07244-CAA.P.N.:507-0800-137-00
Property Address: 35870 Vivian Place, Fremont, CA 94536 NOTICE OT TRUSTES' SALE
PURSUANT TO CIVIL CODE \$2923.3(a), THE
SUMMARY OF INFORMATION REFERRED TO BELOW IS NOT ATTACHED TO THE RECORDED COPY OF THIS DOCUMENT BUT ONLY TO THE COPIES PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR, NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OF WHERE YOU ARE NOTICE TO WHERE YOU ARE NO

A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. 10/20, 10/27, 11/3/15

CNS-2805208#

T.S. No.: 2014-03364-CA A.P.N.:525-1651-221-00 Property Address: 3629 STEVENSON BOULEVARD #304, FREMONT, CA 9453 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE PURSUANT TO CIVIL CODE § 2923.3(a), THE SUMMARY OF INFORMATION REFERRED TO BELOW IS NOT ATTACHED TO THE RECORDED COPY OF THIS DOCUMENT BUT ONLY TO THE COPIES PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR. NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 05/21/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Trustor: VALERIE BROWN Duly Appointed Trustee Westem Progressive, LLC Recorded 06/04/2000 as Instrument No. 2007208223 in book —, page—and of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Alameda County, California, Date of Sale: 11/12/2015 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: AT HE FALLON STREET EMERGENCY EXIT OF THE ALAMEDA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 1225 FALLON STREET EMERGENCY EXIT OF THE ALAMEDA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 1225 FALLON STREET EMERGENCY EXIT OF THE ALAMEDA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 1225 FALLON STREET EMERGENCY EXIT OF THE ALAMEDA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 1225 FALLON STREET EMERGENCY EXIT OF THE ALAMEDA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 1225 FALLON STREET EMERGENCY EXIT OF THE ALAMEDA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 1225 FALLON STREET SALE WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK DRAWN NON A STATE OR NATIONAL BANK, A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION A SAVINGS ASSOCIATION OR CAVINGS BANK SPECIFIED IN SECTION 5102 OF THE FINANCIAL CODE AND AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THIS STATE: All right, tille, and interest conveyed to and now held by the truste in the hereinafter described property under address or other common desi Address or other common designation of rea property: 3629 STEVENSON BOULEVARD #304 FREMONT, CA 94538 A.P.N.: 525-1651-221-00 property: 3629 STEVENSON BOULEVARD #302.

The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$468,572.09. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary of the Deed of Trust has executed and delivered to the undersigned a written request to commence foreclosure, and the undersigned caused a Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. the county where the real property is located. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on this property. NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Note: Because the Beneficiary reserves the right to bid less than the total debt NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgage be perfeciency. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (866)-960-8299 or visit this Internet Web site http://www.altisource.com/MortgageServices/DefaultManagement/TrusteeServices.aspx using the file number assigned to this case 2014-03364-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: October 2, 2015 Western Progressive, LLC, as Trustee for beneficiary C/o 30 Corporate Park, Suite 450 Invine, CA 92606 Automated Sale Information Line: (866) 960-8299 http://www.altisource.com/MortgageServices/DefaultManagement/TrusteeServices.aspx Fonon-Automated Sale Information, cali: (866) 240-3530 Trustee Sale Assistant WESTERN PROGRESSIVE, LLC MAY BE ACTING AS DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY

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T.S. No.: 2015-00326-CA A.P.N.:525-1605-010
Property Address: 43337 Columbia Avenue, Fremont, CA 94538 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE PURSUANT TO CIVIL CODE § 2923.3(a), THE SUMMARY OF INFORMATION REFERRED TO BELOW IS NOT ATTACHED TO THE RECORDED COPY OF THIS DOCUMENT BUT ONLY TO THE COPIES PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR. NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT BUT ONLY TO THE COPIES PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR. NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 10/28/2003. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Trustor: THIERRY R. SALLAZ, A SINGLE MAN Duly Appointed Trustee: Western Progressive, LLC Recorded 11/12/2003 as Instrument No. 2003670839 in book ---, page--- and of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Alameda County, California, Date of Sale: 11/16/2015 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: AT THE FALLON STREET EMERGENCY EXIT OF THE ALAMEDA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 1225 FALLON STREET, OAKLAND, CA Estimated amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$ 231,589.52 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, A SAVINGS ASSOCIATION OR SAVINGS BANK SPECIFIED IN SECTION 5102 OF THE FINANCIAL CODE AND AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THIS STATE: All right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described as: More fully described in said Deed of Trust. Street Address or other common designation of real property: 43337 Columbia Avenue, Fremont, CA 94538 A.P.N.: 525-1605-010 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation of real pro title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$231,589.52. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary of the Deed of Trust has executed and delivered to the Deed of Trust has executed and delivered to the undersigned a written request to commence foreclosure, and the undersigned caused a Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in

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Domestic violence suspect arrested

SUBMITTED BY LT. ROBERT McManus, San Leandro PD

On October 21, a 63 year old San Leandro woman was taken to a local hospital complaining of pain to her head and upper body, as a result of being assaulted by her husband at their San Leandro home. While being treated, her condition rapidly declined. She has since been transferred to another hospital, where she remains in critical condition. Doctors do not know whether or not she will survive the injuries.

At 10:00 p.m., the 63 year old woman was brought to an area hospital by a family member. She did not have any visible injuries, but

complained of pain to her head and upper body, as a result of being assaulted by her 53 year old husband, who police have identified as Luisito Villaruz of San Leandro.

As the woman was being treated, her condition changed for the worse. She is now listed in critical condition with a traumatic brain injury and suffers from paralysis on one side of her body.

Doctors have been unable to determine whether or not the woman will survive the head trauma, and have told investigators that if she does survive, she will likely suffer from brain damage and paralysis for at least a year, while recovering.

Police were notified October 22 at 6:55 a.m. of the victim's declining condition and within two hours, had taken the suspect into custody as he left his home in the 1200 block of Douglas Court in San Leandro. As standard protocol, detectives checked the house for additional victims, to find a loaded handgun and rifle on the kitchen table, not normally kept there. Villaruz is being held on suspicion of domestic violence that resulted in great bodily injury.

October is Domestic Violence Awareness and Prevention month. Police encourage anyone who witnesses or is victimized by domestic violence to please contact them, so that they can help stop the cycle of violence.

Please contact the San Leandro Police Department's Criminal Investigation Division with any information regarding this case or any other case at (510) 577-3230. Information may also be submitted anonymously by:

> • Phone: Anonymous Crime Tips at (510) 577-3278 Text Message: Text "TipSLPolice" to 888777

Suspect arrested for slashing tires

SUBMITTED BY LT. ROBERT McManus, San Leandro PD

On October 18 at 4:30 a.m., residents of the Parkside Commons Apartment Home community in San Leandro called police to report that they had seen a man slashing the tires of parked cars in the complex. Officers responded to the scene, but were unable to locate and identify the suspect responsible for the crime.

A resident in the complex located at 900 143rd Ave., woke up to the sound of what he thought was a gas leak. Upon looking outside, he saw someone slashing tires on parked cars owned by residents of the apartment home community. The man called police, who responded to the gated community and found at least 16 vehicles that had one or more tires deflated. The investigation determined that this was an intentional act. They believe that a large knife or similar tool was used to puncture the tires, causing them to quickly deflate.

As the investigation continued, police developed information regarding a person of interest, and later named him as a suspect in the case. Police have identified 35 year old Brandon Thompson of Hayward as the person believed to be responsible for the vandalism and say that Thompson has family living in the apartment home community where the crime

On October 19 at 1:30 p.m., detectives located Thompson in the area of B St. and Third St. in Hayward and arrested him without incident on suspicion of vandalism. Due the estimated damage exceeding \$5,000, the crime qualifies as a felony.

Police credit the witnesses and others who reside in the complex for helping them solve this crime. The Parkside Commons Apartment Home community has 300 apartments, with more than 900 residents. Parkside Commons is a member of the police department's Crime Free Multi-Housing Program – a partnership between police, the management group and residents. Police credit the witnesses, the management company, and other residents in the complex for helping them solve this crime.

Thompson will be interviewed by detectives and transported to Santa Rita Jail. Police are asking that anyone who has information about this vandalism, or was victimized during this crime, to please contact them at (510) 577-2740.

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The Bookworm

The Bookworm is Terri Schlichenmeyer. Terri has been reading since she was 3 years old and she never goes anywhere without a book. She lives on a hill in Wisconsin with two dogs and 11,000 books.

"Prince of Darkness: The Untold Story of Jeremiah Hamilton, Wall Street's First Black Millionaire" BY SHANE WHITE

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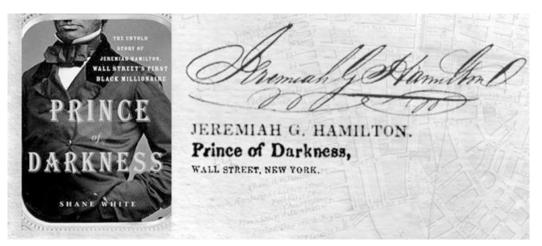
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Ah, another worthless lottery ticket. No shopping spree or mortgage payoff for you. You'll have to go to work and get your incredible wealth just like everybody else. Or, as you'll read in "Prince of Darkness" by Shane White, you could become rich the old-fashioned way: through grift.

Though he showed up in New York City in the

transactions, kept their \$25,000, and gained the moniker of "Prince of Darkness."

For the rest of his life – even after being forced to declare bankruptcy - Hamilton always landed on his feet, "shunned" other African Americans, and even invested in companies that overtly practiced racism. He died in 1875 in a "comfortable and elegant" residence he shared with his white wife and family.



wake of scandal, nobody knew for sure where Jeremiah G. Hamilton had come from. Some sources said he was born in the Caribbean - which he admitted to, but he also claimed Richmond, Virginia, as his first home. Nobody knew, though, because Hamilton, an African American man, spent most of his adult life hiding facts and creating fiction.

Wherever he got his start, Hamilton launched himself early: in 1828, and "barely into his twenties," he was involved in a counterfeit scam in Haiti that would've meant death, had he been caught. With the help of locals, however, he escaped and arrived in "Gotham," but not without notice: newspapers of the day splashed the story, but Hamilton managed to keep mum on who'd helped him.

Almost immediately, he started borrowing money in a "frenetic, almost desperate" way, money he had no intention of paying back, which ultimately landed Hamilton in court: there were at least ten lawsuits against him between 1830 and 1835, and there may've been more. Then came The Great Fire of 1835 in which "dozens of acres" of Manhattan were burned to the ground, along with the records of several businessmen who'd been convinced to invest with him. Hamilton denied the

So why are history books silent on Hamilton's story? That's a question author Shane White had, after he discovered Hamilton's name and began digging. Could it have been due to the color of Hamilton's skin?

It's possible, White says, but in "Prince of Darkness," he also indicates that the lack of documentation may've been because Hamilton rankled white financiers and investors, and didn't appear to care that he'd done so. That insouciance, in light of the racism that Hamilton surely endured, would be an interesting story itself but White embellishes the tale with an abundance of history and extensive biographies of other influential people of Hamilton's time. That's good – to a point – but it occasionally can also makes this book deadly dull. I found my mind wandering much more than I might've liked.

So is this book worth reading? I think so, but you may want to give it a rest now and then to regenerate yourself. Start it, take a break, repeat as necessary and you might find "Prince of Darkness" to be just the ticket. c.2015, Palgrave McMillan

c.2015, Palgrave McMillan \$27.99 / \$32.50 Canada 368 pages

Local junior high school does it again!



SUBMITTED BY 7TH GRADE STUDENT JOURNALISTS, ROOM 36, THORNTON JR HIGH

On the evening of October 7, Thornton Junior High in Fremont hosted their second successful Family Math and Science Night (FMSN). This special event, coordinated by teachers Mrs. Norling and Mrs. Thomas, provided students and their families a chance to explore a variety of science and math activities.

From math origami to LED circuits, from 3D printing to learning about DNA extraction, FMSN proved engaging to people of all ages. One popular attraction was Reduce, Reuse, Replant. This activity provided families a chance to learn how to help the environment. Another engaging attraction was the chemistry show put on by the American Chemical Society. Gasps were heard from the crowd when in one amazing experiment, created a mini-explosion.

"I think Family Math and Science Night was a success because we had over 1,000 people attend. Every room was full of families having fun together, asking questions, building, and discovering," said Mrs.Norling.

This special event couldn't have taken place without the support of PTSA (Parent Teacher Student Association), ASB (Associated Student Body), parent donations, the American Chemical Society, Dale Hardware, Cresco Rents, Tesla, CSU East Bay, San Jose State University, Ohlone College, American High School, and LEAF (Local Ecology and Agriculture Fremont).

National essay contest

SUBMITTED BY PAUL KELLEY

Are you a high school student who's interested in healthcare technology? If so, consider participating in AAMI's (Advancing Safety in Healthcare Technology's) essay contest. In 500-700 words, describe the healthcare technology (medical devices or systems) of the future. Explain what the device or system would do and how it would improve patient care.

The deadline is December 1, and essays should be sent to Patrick Bernat at pbernat@aami.org

Please use the following format for your file names and e-mail subject line: ESSAY-MMDDYY-LASTNAME. For example, a submission from Bill Smith on November 22, 2015, should have "ESSAY-112215-SMITH" in the e-mail subject line and "ESSAY-112215-SMITH.doc" as the file name.

Members of AAMI will vote on the submissions. Winners will be announced the second week of January 2016. Prizes will be awarded as follows: first place: \$500 gift card; second place: \$300 gift card; and third place: \$200 gift card. Additionally, the top three authors will receive a complimentary one-year AAMI student membership.

Also, the top submission, along with an article about the author, will be published by AAMI.

Again, please submit your essay to pbernat@aami.org by December 1, 2015.

Host Red Cross blood drives and become eligible for scholarships

SUBMITTED BY SARA O'BRIEN

This winter high school and college students can help save lives and be eligible to win a scholarship of up to \$2,500 by hosting an American Red Cross blood drive. Registration is now open through November 15 to host drives between December 15, 2015, and January 15, 2016.

"Winter is a difficult time to collect enough blood to meet patient needs with inclement weather and seasonal illnesses reducing the number of volunteer donors that come out to give," said Red Cross spokesperson, Sara O'Brien. "Our Leaders Save Lives program gives students an opportunity to learn valuable leadership skills and help ensure blood is available for patients in need of lifesaving transfusions by recruiting their friends and family to give blood."

Students who host a drive can be eligible to win a scholarship up to \$2,500 for higher education and earn a gift card. A total of six scholarships will be awarded to students who host a blood drive collecting 25 blood donations or more. All students who collect at least 25 pints at their blood drive will receive a gift card to giftcertificates.com.

For more information and to register to host a Leaders Save Lives blood drive, visit redcrossblood.org/leaderssavelives

Newark Educational Foundation supports Science Camp

SUBMITTED BY NEWARK EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

The Newark Educational Foundation (NEF) is donating \$1,000 to the eight Newark elementary schools to help cover the cost of attending science camp for all 6th grade students in the Newark Unified School District. Science Camp is a tradition in Newark, but raising money for the camp can be a burden for students, teachers and families. The donation will help reduce that burden.

"The Newark Educational Foundation feels that science camp exemplifies a focus on science and fuels a love of learning. Time away at science camp is uniquely focused on the importance of science," comments Terrence Grindall, the Foundation's President. Grindall continues, "We are continuing to work toward supporting major initiatives around support for music and science education and we need help to implement that mission. We need donations and volunteers."

The Newark Educational Foundation is a non-profit organization that promotes educational excellence. The Foundation enable donors and volunteers to become involved in unique opportunities to make a difference in the quality of Newark schools and programs which promote and value education in the community. NEF is independent of the Newark Unified School District, and the Board of Directors is an all-volunteer group of citizens. It is a non-profit charity.

For information about the NEF or to donate, please call Terrence Grindall, Newark Education Foundation President, at (510) 578-4208.

Suspect shot following exchange of gunfire

SUBMITTED BY SAN LEANDRO P.D.

San Leandro Police are currently investigating an officer-involved shooting that occurred Friday, October 23 in the 1500 block of 137th Ave. in San Leandro. The suspect sustained a gunshot wound, and has been transported to a hospital for treatment.

At about 9:00 a.m., police received a call reporting that a suicidal man was in his vehicle in the 1500 block of 137th Ave. Officers with specialized training, including crisis intervention, hostage negotiations and special weapons and tactics (SWAT) responded to the scene to investigate, with a goal of resolving the situation peacefully.

Detectives are in the process of interviewing witnesses and officers on scene, reviewing body camera videos, and collecting evidence, while attempting to determine how the event unfolded.

At one point, there was an exchange of gunfire between the suspect and at least one officer at the scene. The suspect sustained a gunshot wound, which police do not know if that was a self-inflicted injury, or caused by police gunfire.

Officers immediately removed the man from the vehicle and began to provide first aid for his injury, while waiting for fire and paramedic personnel to arrive. Police did recover a handgun that was in the man's possession.

"At this time, its too early to tell how everything occurred and we don't want to speculate," stated Lt. Robert McManus. "This is an unfortunate situation, one that we hoped to peacefully resolve. But instead, officers were forced into a situation in which they had to protect themselves and the community that they serve. No officer wants to be in the position that the officers ended up in this morning," he said.

This incident occurred in close proximity to two San Leandro high schools, the 9th grade Fred Korematsu campus and the district's main high school campus, which educates students in grades 10-12. As a precautionary measure, police and school officials placed both campuses on temporary lockdown, until the shooting scene was deemed safe, less than an hour later.

Three investigations will be conducted as a result of this incident, to include criminal and administrative investigations by members of the San Leandro Police Department, as well as an independent review by the Alameda County District Attorney.

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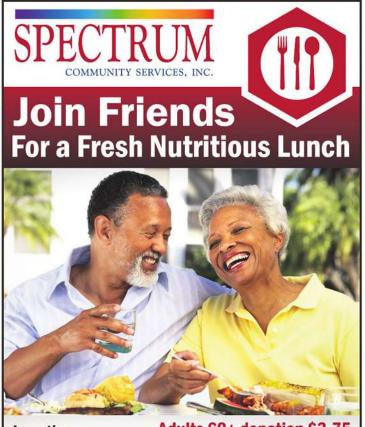
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Holiday Show at the Foothill Gallery

SUBMITTED BY WINDA SHIMIZU

Foothill Gallery presents a Holiday Show by members of the Hayward Arts Council through November 20. Meet and greet the artists at a reception on Saturday, November 7.

The exhibit includes an impressive collection of art mediums such as acrylic, fabric, photography, pencil, woodcut print, ceramics, mixed media, jewelry, silk painting, watercolor, and oils. Fifty-nine pieces represent twenty-five local artists whose creative works are delighting visitors.

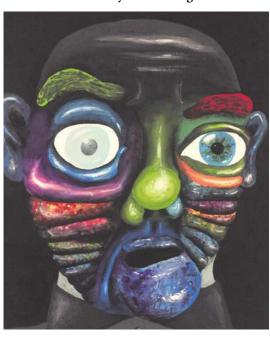
Participating artists include Ellen Bailey, Rosa Bazzani, Barbara Berrner, Jeanne Bertolina, Clint Boerner, Virginia Bourassa, Valerie Caveglia, Kris East, Kristen Egan, Bev Lindsay, Janet Lyons, Ann Maloney-Mason, Nell Mays, Dr. Shannon Jurich, Joanie Miller, Patra Nesseth-Steffes, Jon Nesseth, Jason Oberbeck, Leah Procita, Damionne Reed, Amanda Sanders, Zoie Sanders, Loretta Siegel, Ruey Syrop, and Robert Wolf.

The Holiday Show is sponsored by Hayward Arts Council, which promotes local artists and supports visual and performing arts in the community.

> **Holiday Show** Thursday, Sep 24 - Friday, Nov 20 Thursday – Saturday, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Artists' Reception: Saturday, Nov 7 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

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