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## Get your Purim party on

BY SARA GIUSTI

Purim, one of Judaism's most celebratory holidays (in fact, celebrants are encouraged to party more than usual!), is March 24, and three local temples are hosting events open to the public.

The origin of Purim begins in Persia, third or second century BCE. After a celebratory feast, a drunk King Ahasuerus demands a new wife after his previous queen disobeys him. All young women are to be presented to him so he can find a new wife; the beautiful Esther catches his eye. But he is unaware of Esther's origins as an orphan and a Jew, minorities in Persia.

The king's chief minister Haman dislikes Esther's first cousin, Mordecai

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Photo courtesy of Ritu Maheshwari

## Holi Festival of Colors

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"Holi" is a great festive occasion to celebrate and inundate each other with a rainbow of colors. Join thousands of people to spread cheer and enjoy delicious food, dazzling musical and cultural extravaganza, kids water games, raffle prizes, and dance to the beats of Desi Dhol. It is also an opportune time to renew friendships and make new ones as the entire gathering morphs into a huge family celebration.

An ancient Indian festival, Holi celebrates Hindu legends while rejoicing in the arrival of spring and the triumph of good over evil. While based in religious tradition, the holiday has become a popu-

lar event that welcomes all to participate in a celebration of brotherhood.

Federation of Indo-Americans (FIA) of Northern California, Fremont Hindu Temple, and Festival of Globe (FOG) announce their 39th Holi festival celebration on a grand scale. Building on previous successes and huge response, this year's Festival of Colors will be celebrated on Saturday, March 19 at Dixon Landing Park in Milpitas. People from all over California are expected to participate in the festivities along with many dignitaries and community leaders.

Dr. Romesh Japra, FIA President and Founder & Convener of FOG said, "Fremont Holi has over the years played an important role in keeping our culture alive and inculcating pious values in our youngsters. With a new and bigger location, Holi this year promises to be a much more enjoyable experience for the families and friends alike. I invite everyone to participate in this festival with their friends and family."

Festival spokesperson Ritu Maheshwari said, "This year thousands of families,

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## Communal Harmony for Cultural Diversity

SUBMITTED BY JEEVAN ZUTSHI

Now in its 15th year, Indo-American Community Federation's (IACF-USA) annual event, "Unity Dinner," will be held on Friday, March 25 at India Community Center in Milpitas. This year's theme, "Communal harmony for cultural diversity," will bring together community members and local public officials to celebrate the diversity of the Bay Area.

IACF is a nonprofit, public benefit corporation founded in 1994 as the first Indo-American organization to build bridges with mainstream organizations, diverse leadership, think tanks, and public officials. In the wake of the 9/11

attacks, Unity Dinner began in 2002 to promote harmony and unity in diversity. IACF participates in the growth of California by taking up issues which lead to uniting communities.

This year's keynote speaker is San Jose Mayor Sam Liccardo, joined by guest speaker Raj Jaswa, former president of TiE (The Indus Entrepreneurs), and honored guest speaker U.S. Rep. Mike Honda (D-Silicon Valley, Calif.). Honored guests such as Alameda County supervisors Scott Haggerty and Nate Miley; San Jose and Cupertino City Councilmembers; Newark Mayor Al Nagy; Fremont Mayor Bill Harrison;

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## Certified Nurses Day: March 19 celebrates nursing certification of registered nurses

Washington Hospital's certified nurses never stop learning, whether it's in their hospital work or when they take demanding new classes. They are always learning more and improving the way they care for their patients.

On March 19, Washington Hospital will join other hospitals across the country to celebrate Certified Nurses Day, a national event to honor and recognize the important achievement of nursing specialty and subspecialty certification.

"Nursing knowledge advances so quickly," noted Katie Choy, MSN, RN-BC, CNS, NEA-BC, the Hospital's nursing director for education. "Many of our staff are pursuing specialty certification. They have a lifelong dedication to excellence in patient care."

In nursing, there are practices and protocols to meet the exact needs and challenges of various medical specialties, such as cardiac care or surgery. The different certifications equip nurses to serve their patients better by following best practices that lead to better outcomes.

"Each certification a nurse earns demonstrates a commitment to their professional prac-

tice. These certifications validate knowledge and skills in acute and critical care," added Choy.

Anu Tharoor, BSN, RN, CCRN, CNRN, an intensive care nurse who has been with Washington Hospital for 11 years, has certifications in Critical Care Nursing and Neuro Nursing.

"It's about taking care of people when they may be at their worst and helping them recover. Our ultimate goal is to have good outcomes for all our patients," she continued. "The knowledge I have gained through my certification courses gives me confidence to provide the best possible nursing care."

Washington Hospital's nursing units take a team approach, with nurses, doctors, therapists and others working together to offer advanced care.

"We never know what patients and conditions we will have on a specific day. For us, it's not a job but something we look forward to doing every day," said Tharoor. "Sometimes, people come back to thank us, but out greatest reward is knowing we have given our patients the best possible care."

"Being certified makes me feel better prepared," noted Susara Martinez, BSN, RNC-OB, a



From left to right, Washington Hospital certified nurses from multiple areas of specialty: Dyna Agbanlog, BSN, RN-BC; Sabrina Ayllon, RN, CEN; Laurie Neel, BSN, RN, CCRN; Anu Tharoor, BSN, RN, CCRN, CNRN; Roy Coloma, BSN, RN-BC, VA-BC.

labor and delivery nurse at the Hospital for the past 15 years.

Rules, regulations and protocols change over time. She credited the certification materials and interacting with other nurses helped Martinez and her team learn about and use new and evolving labor and delivery practices.

The continuous pursuit of nursing excellence is especially important at Washington Hospital, which is a designated Magnet hospital. This is the highest level of recognition a hospital can receive for the quality of its nursing care.

"In our unit, my nursing certification is appreciated and I'm able to help teach others," Martinez continued. "The certification process helped empower me to plan and lead training sessions for our unit. In the last six months, we've taught six new nurses about various advanced labor and delivery procedures."

She added, "As labor and delivery nurses, we're welcoming a new person into the world. It's an amazing experience and every delivery is different. With my new detailed knowledge, I can

also do a better job of preparing the mother to participate throughout the delivery process."

Dyna Agbanlog, BSN, RN-BC, a medical-surgical nurse for the last nine years, says, "This is my calling. The patients are often elderly and have multiple medical challenges. It requires us to take more time to interact with and reassure patients as we administer care."

"I've gained a lot of useful information through certification," she added. "On the unit, we put the patient at the center

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| 12:00 PM<br>12:00 AM | Diabetes Matters:<br>Diabetes Meal Planning                                       | Washington Women's<br>Center: Cholesterol<br>and Women                            | Snack Attack                                                                      | Your Concerns<br>InHealth: Sun<br>Protection                                                     | Family Caregiver Series:<br>Legal & Financial Affairs                             | Raising Awareness<br>About Stroke                                                 | The Weigh to Success                                           |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 12:30 PM<br>12:30 AM | Colon Cancer:<br>Prevention & Treatment                                           | Family Caregiver<br>Series: Panel<br>Discussion                                   | Colon Cancer: Prevention<br>& Treatment                                           |                                                                                                  | Family Caregiver Series:<br>Legal & Financial Affairs                             |                                                                                   | Colon Cancer: Prevention<br>& Treatment                        |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 1:00 PM<br>1:00 AM   | Minimally Invasive<br>Options in Gynecology                                       |                                                                                   | Knee Pain &<br>Replacement                                                        |                                                                                                  | Don't Let<br>Hip Pain<br>Run You Down                                             |                                                                                   | Varicose Veins and<br>Chronic Venous Disease                   | Learn About<br>Nutrition for a<br>Healthy Life                           |                                                                                   |
| 1:30 PM<br>1:30 AM   | Deep Venous<br>Thrombosis                                                         | Skin Cancer                                                                       |                                                                                   | Family Caregiver Series:<br>Recognizing the Need to Transi-<br>tion to a Skilled Nursing Facilit |                                                                                   | Get Your Child's<br>Plate in Shape                                                |                                                                |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 2:00 PM<br>2:00 AM   | Superbugs:Are<br>We W'inning the<br>Germ War?                                     | Washington Township<br>Health Care District<br>Board Meeting<br>February 10, 2016 | Advanced Healthcare<br>Planning                                                   |                                                                                                  | Washington Township<br>Health Care District<br>Board Meeting<br>February 10, 2016 |                                                                                   | Strengthen Your Back!<br>Learn to Improve Your<br>Back Fitness | Diabetes Matters:<br>Protecting Your Heart                               | Washington Township<br>Health Care District<br>Board Meeting<br>February 10, 2016 |
| 2:30 PM<br>2:30 AM   |                                                                                   |                                                                                   | GERD & Your Risk of<br>Esophageal Cance                                           | Diabetes Matters: Under-<br>standing Labs to Improve<br>Diabetes Management                      |                                                                                   | Radiation Safety                                                                  |                                                                |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 3:00 PM<br>3:00 AM   |                                                                                   |                                                                                   | Cough and Pneumonia:<br>When to See a Doctor                                      | Take the Steps:What You<br>Should Know About<br>Foot Care                                        |                                                                                   | Peripheral Vascular<br>Disease: Leg VWeakness,<br>Symptoms and Treatment          | Heart Healthy Eating<br>After Surgery and Beyond               | Voices InHealth: Medicine<br>Safety for Children                         |                                                                                   |
| 4:00 PM<br>4:00 AM   |                                                                                   |                                                                                   | Voices InHealth: Healthy<br>Pregnancy                                             | Dietary Treatment to<br>Treat Celiac Disease                                                     |                                                                                   | Getting the Most Out of<br>Your Insurance When<br>You Have Diabetes               | Lunch and Learn:<br>Yard to Table                              |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 4:30 PM<br>4:30 AM   | How to Maintain a<br>Healthy Weight: Good<br>Nutrition is Key                     | Voices InHealth:<br>Cyberbullying - The New<br>Schoolyard Bully                   | Minimally Invasive<br>Surgery for Lower<br>Back Disorders                         | Voices InHealth: New<br>Surgical Options for<br>Breast Cancer Treatment                          | Diabetes Matters:<br>The Diabetes Domino<br>Effect: ABCs                          |                                                                                   |                                                                |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 5:00 PM<br>5:00 AM   |                                                                                   | Learn More<br>About Kidney Disease                                                |                                                                                   |                                                                                                  |                                                                                   | Shingles                                                                          | From One Second<br>to the Next                                 |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 5:30 PM<br>5:30 AM   | Low Back Pain                                                                     |                                                                                   |                                                                                   |                                                                                                  |                                                                                   |                                                                                   |                                                                |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 6:00 PM<br>6:00 AM   | Learn If You<br>Are at Risk for<br>Liver Disease                                  | Arthritis: Do I Have One<br>of 100 Types?                                         | Diabetes Matters:<br>Diabetes & Polycystic<br>Ovarian Syndrome                    | Your Concerns<br>InHealth: Senior<br>Scam Prevention                                             | Washington Township<br>Health Care District<br>Board Meeting<br>February 10, 2016 | Washington Township<br>Health Care District<br>Board Meeting<br>February 10, 2016 | Hip Pain in the Young and<br>Middle-Aged Adult                 |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 6:30 PM<br>6:30 AM   |                                                                                   |                                                                                   | Voices InHealth:The<br>Legacy Strength<br>Training System                         |                                                                                                  |                                                                                   |                                                                                   |                                                                |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 7:00 PM<br>7:00 AM   | The Real Impact of<br>Hearing Loss & the<br>Latest Options for<br>Treatment       | Colon Cancer: Prevention<br>& Treatment                                           | Kidney Transplants                                                                | Colon Cancer: Prevention<br>& Treatment                                                          |                                                                                   |                                                                                   | Women's Health<br>Conference: Aging<br>Gracefully              |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 7:30 PM<br>7:30 AM   |                                                                                   | Keeping Your Heart on<br>the Right Beat                                           |                                                                                   | What You Should Know<br>About Carbs and<br>Food Labels                                           |                                                                                   |                                                                                   | Inside Washington<br>Hospital: Patient Safety                  |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 8:00 PM<br>8:00 AM   | Washington Township<br>Health Care District<br>Board Meeting<br>February 10, 2016 | Diabetes Matters:<br>Gasteroparesis                                               | Washington Township<br>Health Care District<br>Board Meeting<br>February 10, 2016 | What Are Your Vital Signs<br>Telling You?                                                        |                                                                                   |                                                                                   | Colon Cancer: Prevention<br>& Treatment                        | Diabetes Matters:What<br>to Expect When<br>Hospitalized with<br>Diabetes |                                                                                   |
| 8:30 PM<br>8:30 AM   |                                                                                   |                                                                                   |                                                                                   | Sports-Related<br>Concussions                                                                    | Crohn's & Colitis                                                                 | Turning 65? Get To<br>Know Medicare                                               | Washington Women's<br>Center: Cancer Genetic<br>Counseling     |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 9:00 PM<br>9:00 AM   |                                                                                   |                                                                                   |                                                                                   | Heart Irregularities                                                                             | How Healthy Are<br>Your Lungs?                                                    | Diabetes in Pregnancy                                                             |                                                                | Family Caregiver Series:<br>Coping as a Caregiver                        | Community Based Senior<br>Supportive Services                                     |
| 9:30 PM<br>9:30 AM   |                                                                                   |                                                                                   |                                                                                   |                                                                                                  |                                                                                   |                                                                                   |                                                                |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 10:00 PM<br>10:00 AM |                                                                                   | Living with Arthritis                                                             | Prostate Cancer:What<br>You Need to Know                                          |                                                                                                  |                                                                                   |                                                                                   | Heel Problems<br>and Treatment<br>Options                      |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 10:30 PM<br>10:30 AM | Movement Disorders,<br>Parkinson's Disease,<br>Tremors and Epileps                | Eating for Heart Health<br>by Reducing Sodium                                     | Inside Washington<br>Hospital:The Green Team                                      | Latest Treatments for<br>Cerebral Aneurysms                                                      | Washington Women's<br>Center: Sorry, Gotta Run!                                   |                                                                                   |                                                                |                                                                          |                                                                                   |
| 11:00 PM<br>11:00 AM | Family Caregiver<br>Series: Hospice &<br>Palliative Care                          | Where Have All<br>The Patients<br>Gone?                                           | Inside Washington<br>Hospital: Stroke<br>Response Team                            | Inside Washington<br>Hospital:The Emergency<br>Department                                        | Family Caregiver<br>Series: Nutrition for<br>the Caregiver                        | Meatless Mondays                                                                  | Family Caregiver Series:<br>Fatigue and Depression             |                                                                          |                                                                                   |

# Take the Day to Focus on You

## Washington Hospital Women's Conference Offers Tips for Better Health and Wellness

When was the last time you took a day to focus on you? If you're like a lot of other women, your days are filled with work and/or kids, with little time left over for yourself. How would you like to learn how to restore a little serenity and balance to your life? This year's Women's Conference at Washington Hospital provides an opportunity to take time out and focus on your health and wellness.

"The Women's Conference offers a day where women can get together and learn about a number of health topics, find out more about services available at the Washington Women's Center, and meet other women from the surrounding community," said Laura Constantine, RN, coordinator of the Washington Women's Center. "It's really about learning how to live a healthier, more balanced life. We are encouraging women to bring their mothers, daughters, and sisters. We'd love to have a multigenerational gathering. Or bring your girlfriends for a day out that will be fun and informative."

The 10th annual Women's Conference will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 16, at the Conrad E. Anderson, MD Auditorium located at 2500 Mowry Avenue (Washington West) in Fremont. The event costs \$25 and includes a continental breakfast and a healthy lunch. Participants will also receive a special gift. Registration is required by calling (510) 608-1301.

### Speaker Lineup

The Women's Conference will feature informative talks by physicians from Washington Hospital and the Washington Township Medical Foundation. In addition, there will be interactive meditation and Tai Chi sessions to help participants learn how to de-stress and bring balance to their lives, Constantine said.

Dr. Mary Maish, a thoracic surgeon who specializes in complex disorders of the esophagus, will talk about gastroesophageal reflux disease or GERD and some of the treatment options that are available. Many people, including pregnant women, suffer from



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heartburn or acid indigestion caused by GERD. It can often be relieved through diet and lifestyle changes, but some people require medication or surgery.

Dr. Tam Nguyen, a family physician at the Nakamura Clinic who specializes in diabetes, will offer tips for weight management. Keeping your weight under control is important for staying healthy and avoiding diseases like diabetes and heart disease.

Maggie Gutting, a registered dietitian at Washington Hospital, will provide a heart healthy cooking demonstration. She will offer tips for making healthy, delicious meals that are lower in salt, fat, and calories.

In addition, Dr. William Dugoni, medical director of the Women's Health Program at

Washington Hospital, will provide opening remarks, and Dr. Victoria Leiphart, a gynecologist who also teaches classes at the Washington Women's Center, will moderate the conference and talk about some of the health and wellness programs available at the Women's Center.

### A Place for Women

The conference is an extension of the women-centered health and wellness services that are available at Washington Hospital and the Women's Center, Constantine explained. The Washington Women's Center offers a number of classes and seminars, as well as massage therapy.

Classes include yoga, meditation, and healing touch. There is also an evening lecture series that includes topics such as women

empowering women and restoring balance to your life. Exercise classes include Zumba, Tai Chi, and a Ladies Choice Program that offers an individualized exercise plan.

The Women's Conference will include drawings to win gift certificates for free wellness massages and exercise classes.

"There are so many wonderful things happening at the Women's Center," Constantine added. "I encourage women to join us for the Women's Conference on April 16 and learn about all the resources that are available to you here at Washington Hospital."

For more information about programs and services offered at the Washington Women's Center, visit [www.whhs.com/women-center](http://www.whhs.com/women-center).

## Ask the Doctor

*This is an ongoing column in which Dr. Tam Nguyen answers your health-related questions. Questions for Dr. Nguyen should be emailed to Ask the Doctor at: [askthedoctor@whhs.com](mailto:askthedoctor@whhs.com)*

### Is a glass of red wine and dark chocolate good for my heart?

Not all bad habits are harmful to your health – some can be beneficial, such as chocolate and alcohol. There have been several studies showing that chocolate consumption is associated with a reduced risk of adverse cardiovascular outcomes. A moderate level of alcohol (1 drink for females and 2 drinks for males) is also associated with several cardiovascular benefits. However, heavy drinking (3 or more standard-drinks per day) can have severe health risks such as heart failure, hypertension, and stroke. Although potentially any alcohol has similar benefits, red wine in particular contains several anti-oxidants which are good for your health so go ahead and enjoy the afternoon with chocolate and wine.

### What should I do about an odd growth on my body/skin?

Odd growths get more common as we get older. Most skin growths including moles and warts are common and benign. Nonetheless, there are growths that can be cancerous and need to be treated. There is no one set rule to determine which growth is benign or cancerous. Different rules such as the ABCD (asymmetry, border uneven, color and diameter) rule can be used to help rule out melanoma for any pigmented lesions. These rules, however, are not perfect and any odd growth should be evaluated by a doctor.

### Tam Nguyen, MD, FAAFP

Tam Nguyen, MD, is board certified by the American Board of Family Medicine and the American Board of Aesthetic Medicine, treating patients of all ages since 2008. He completed his Family Practice residency at San Jose-O'Connor Hospital in California and has served at San Joaquin General Hospital as part of their medical staff and clinical faculty and as the Family Medicine Chair. Dr. Nguyen currently practices Family Medicine at the

Washington Township Medical Foundation – Nakamura Clinic in Union City. For more information, go to [www.myywtmfm.com](http://www.myywtmfm.com).



## Washington Sports Medicine Physician Returns for 5th Year of 'March Madness'

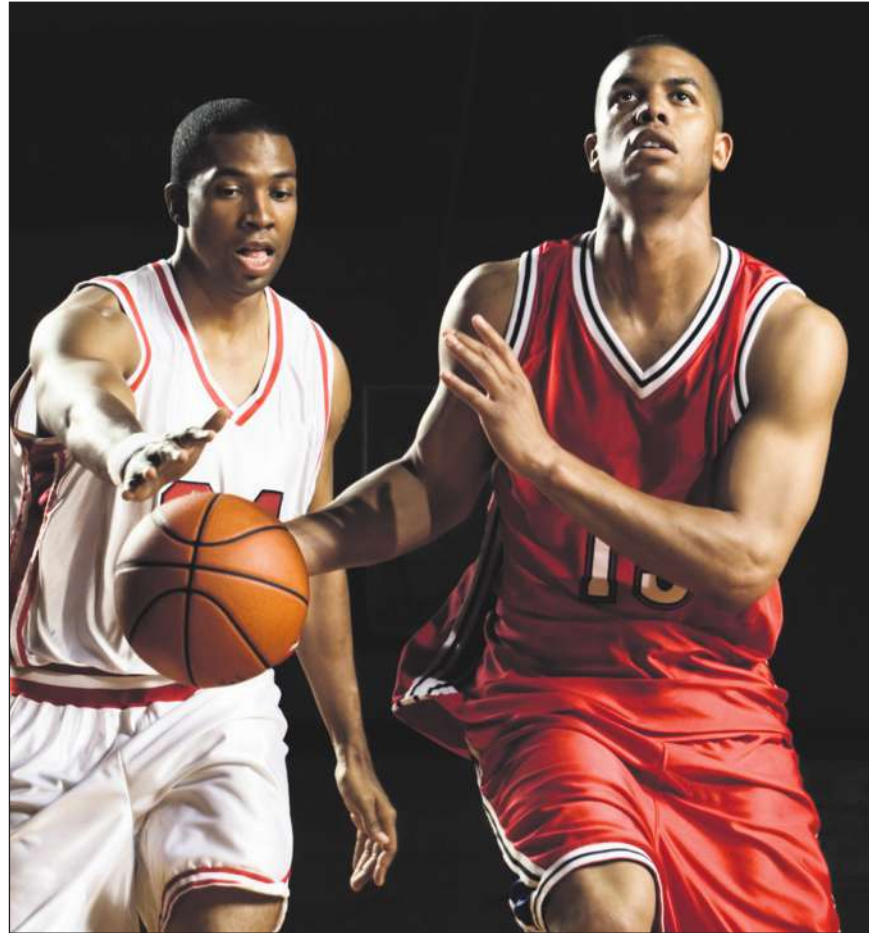


Medical Director of Washington Sports Medicine and Washington Township Medical Foundation orthopedic surgeon, Russell Nord, MD, was a West Coast Conference Basketball tournament physician for the fifth year. Similar to his role at local high school games, Dr. Nord's role as a WCC tournament physician allows him to contribute to player safety and wellbeing.

The month of March came in like a lion for Medical Director of Washington Sports Medicine Russell Nord, MD. An orthopedic surgeon and sports medicine specialist, Dr. Nord returned for his 5th year as a tournament physician for the West Coast Conference (WCC) Basketball Tournament at the Orleans Arena in Las Vegas. Sharing the job with another physician who is a long-time colleague, Dr. Nord covered games for both the men's and women's teams.

"I am constantly impressed with these young people," says Dr. Nord. "They are all very enthusiastic and dedicated to the sport. Plus, they are so polite and respectful. They are truly a credit to their respective schools."

As a tournament physician, Dr. Nord's job is to treat anyone who gets hurt – sometimes including fans, cheerleaders, team mascots, referees and members of the tournament staff as well as players. While some teams already had team doctors, many others did not,



so Dr. Nord and his fellow tournament physician would assist the teams' athletic trainers when players needed help. He also would help out if a team's physician wasn't an orthopedic surgeon and needed his perspective and assistance.

"Most of the teams this year did not have team doctors," he notes. "During the men's quarter finals, especially, there were a fair number of injuries. As physicians working on the sidelines, we are most involved with injuries that can be managed quickly – such as dressing a cut or stitching it up so that the player can return to the game. It's great when you can treat someone and help the player get back to the game right away."

"We also have to recognize when a player has suffered a game-ending injury," he adds. "We don't want to disqualify a player from returning to the game unnecessarily, but our top priority is player safety. We did have some

injuries this year that required players to leave the game, such as one player who suffered a knee injury, but most players were able to get back in the game. And, fortunately, I didn't have to treat any injured cheerleaders or team mascots this year."

Another aspect of serving as a tournament physician involves organizing what medical equipment to bring to the games and determining which facilities in Las Vegas are best suited to care for specific types of injuries, according to Dr. Nord.

"My experience over the previous four years helped me learn a lot about the capabilities of the various medical facilities in Las Vegas," he says. "Still, things change from year to year, with new facilities opening and other ones closing. I also have gotten to know the training staff members for the various

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Jeordan Anudon is an Ohlone Promise Scholarship recipient currently finishing his third semester at Ohlone College. During his last year at Washington high school, Jeordan and his family were concerned about how they might be able to afford college considering their limited finances. At a suggestion from one of his teachers, Jeordan started his search online for a possible solution. There Jeordan found information on the Ohlone Promise.

“I plugged in my high school name and location and up came the Ohlone Promise Scholarship information,” explained Jeordan. “I applied right away and it’s been perfect for me. My family was strapped for funds so the Ohlone Promise Scholarship has had a huge impact on my life.”



Jeordan was so keen to get started at Ohlone that he started taking summer classes only two days after his high school graduation. Currently working on general education courses, Jeordan is looking forward to exploring his interest in helping others in the fields of neurology, psychology, or some other area that can help those afflicted with mental or physical challenges.

“I really believe that the Ohlone Promise Scholarship is an excellent example of programs that help support and encourage students to strive for the American dream.”

When asked about his future education plans Jeordan is reaching high. After finishing his studies at Ohlone, his dream school is Stanford University, but UC Berkeley, UC Irvine and UCLA are also high on his list.

Thanks to its generous donors, the Ohlone College Foundation has increased the number of scholarships offered from 25 in 2015 to 30 scholarships in 2016. To qualify, a student must be a senior graduating from a public high school in Fremont, Newark, or Union City and plan to attend Ohlone College full time.

To apply for the Ohlone Promise Scholarship, please visit [www.ohlonefoundation.org](http://www.ohlonefoundation.org). Applications are now being accepted through April 15. For information on how you can support The Ohlone Promise, call 510-659-6020.



2015 Ohlone Promise Scholarship Recipients

## A celebration of information: Educational Summit provides resources for future success

BY JULIE GESIN  
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Three years ago, when Stan “Data” Dobbs took on the job of Superintendent for the Hayward Unified School District (HUSD), the district had some of the lowest scoring schools in Alameda County; local business community did not want to be associated with that failing sector of the city. In spite of its image, Hayward was educating about 65,000 students within its private, charter, and public schools and colleges. Dobbs came up with an innovative plan to provide resources to Hayward’s underserved students by forming a network of Hayward’s public, charter, and private schools to work side by side with the Alameda County Office of Education and local businesses.

The Made in Hayward movement, in addition to the \$25 million Promise Grant from the U.S. Department of Education, began to revitalize the district and put pride back into the city’s schools. From Tom Hanks, an award-winning actor/filmmaker and a Chabot College alumnus, to Jack Del Rio, head coach of the Oakland Raiders and a former Hayward High football standout, to everyday difference-makers and role models, Hayward’s success stories are gaining momentum on social media and inspiring Hayward’s children, youth, and their families.

“Every day now I receive a success story from someone who was ‘Made in Hayward,’” says Sabrina Aranda, an HUSD Communications Coordinator and



Board of Trustees President Lisa Brunner and Superintendent Stan Dobbs

Hayward success story herself. She shares information about the new programs with a contagious enthusiasm. “Three years ago, I would not have believed that there was a High School Oratorical Festival in Hayward. The first year we only had 12 participants – this year we have 81!”

The Oratorical Festival offers college scholarships, and is one of several after-school programs created by the roundtable of business owners, educational leaders, and Hayward students. Step Off, a popular youth enrichment program rooted in song and dance historically practiced by African-American fraternities, has grown from 1,000 to 3,500 participants. A district-wide Student Pledge Kick-Off Day allows students of all ages to voice and honor their commitment to education. Posters, commitment cards, and a link to a film, “A Message from our Local Leaders,” captures encouraging words from Hayward community leaders such as the mayor and police chief, among others.

The third annual Made in Hayward “Cradle to Career Educational Summit” showcases the resources Hayward offers to ensure

educational opportunities from birth to career for all Hayward students, including the city’s most vulnerable groups. Parents of preschoolers can find out about agencies such as Community Child Care Centers and Head Start – a school readiness program for low-income children under five. Older students can learn about after-school programs and scholarships from the Hayward Student Council formed by members of public, charter, and private schools. California State University, East Bay and Chabot College representatives familiarize college-bound students with the path towards their college career. Armed Forces recruiters offer educational opportunities through military service, while Eden Area Regional Occupational Program presents information on job training and employment services.

In just two years, the Cradle to Career Educational Summit attendance grew from 400 to 650 guests, and this year, an even bigger turnout is expected. Test scores in the district are rising and surpassing the scores of some neighboring towns, while districts such as Fontana Unified and Los



Banos Unified created their own consortiums based on the Made in Hayward model.

The Educational Summit takes place on March 19, on the first floor of Hayward’s City Hall, and is open to the public, free of charge. While the focus of the event is setting Hayward children on their path to college and career, it is also a celebration of the city’s achievement. There are refreshments provided by local businesses and guest speakers, as well as entertainment by the Hayward High School Band, Russ Elementary Shakespearians, Step Team from Tennyson High, and many more.

“The Made in Hayward Education Summit is a visible testament to the Hayward community that quality education (public, private, charter, community or higher education) is our collective priority,” says Superintendent Dobbs. Whether you are a stu-

dent, a Made in Hayward family, a business owner seeking a worthy cause to invest in, or a guest from another town, come and visit the Cradle to Career Educational Summit and see how one city came together to support a meaningful common cause – their children’s future.

For more information, contact Sabrina Aranda at [saranda@husd.k12.ca.us](mailto:saranda@husd.k12.ca.us), (510) 784-2600 Ext. 72617, or Superintendent Stan Dobbs at [sdobbs@husd.k12.ca.us](mailto:sdobbs@husd.k12.ca.us), (510) 784-2640.

**Cradle to Career Educational Summit**  
**Saturday, Mar 19**  
**9:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.**  
**Hayward City Hall**  
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Certified Nurses Day:  
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certification of registered nurses

of our team, as we share and exchange information. Because I have more confidence, I can reassure my patient’s family that their loved one is benefitting from our staff’s experience and receiving the best possible care. I’m proud to be certified.” she said.

Cindy Rogers, BSN, RN, CCRN, CPAN, a nurse at Washington Hospital for 22 years, is a member of the Post Anesthetic Care Unit (PACU), where patients come immediately after surgery.

About her certifications, Rogers reports, “The classes and book-work required for certification are rigorous and demand a lot of time and effort,” said Rogers. “The Hospital is very supportive in helping us to be successful.”

Many of Washington Hospital’s dedicated nurses have embraced the opportunity to become certified. They know the path is often challenging, but it is also personally and professionally rewarding.

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Communal  
Harmony  
for Cultural  
Diversity

Milpitas Mayor Jose Esteves; Fremont City Councilmembers Suzanne Chan, Rick Jones, Lily Mei, and Vinnie Bacon; Washington Hospital Healthcare System Trustees; Ohlone College Trustees; and other public officials will grace the event.

Enthralling cultural programs are scheduled from talented performers of the Bay Area, including Lisa Performing Arts; Kelly Leu from Blooming Lotus Flowers; Emily Chang from Jasmine Blossom; and Sarah Liang, Skylar Qian, and Erin Law from Happy, Laugh, Play. Sumptuous Indian food will be served by Wah Jee Wah, along with a host bar. An awards ceremony will be held to honor Fremont Police Department as the Organization of the Year, Sue Chan as Advocate of the Year, and Cinequest Film Festival for the Unity Award.

The event is co-hosted by Global organization of the People of Indian Origin (GOPIO- Silicon Valley), American Association of Physicians of Indian Origin, Washington Hospital Healthcare System and Fremont Police Association. Grand sponsors include Deepak Ganju, Merrill Lynch Financial Advisory Team, and Global Wealth Management. The event is also supported by media partners India

West, India Abroad, Tri-City Voice, Radio Zindagi, TV Asia, Sitaare TV, Diya TV, and IN-DtvUSA.

Funds raised from the event have supported a nonprofit movie project, “The Last Smile,” highlighting the dangers of health supplements in the past four years. Amit Zutshi Foundation, a nonprofit organization that aims to fight the use of over-the-counter drugs and give scholarships to young people in need, will also benefit from the event. Tickets cost \$80 per person, \$800 for table of 10, and \$1,000 for VIP table of 10. Sponsorship opportunities are also available. For more information, visit [www.indocommunity.us](http://www.indocommunity.us), or contact [Jeevanzutshi@aol.com](mailto:Jeevanzutshi@aol.com) or (510) 589-3702.

Also, please join IACF leaders on the Senate floor in California State Capitol on Monday, March 28 as the State of California celebrates IACF’s “Unity Day.” Visit [www.indocommunity.us](http://www.indocommunity.us) for more information.

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Eden Health District  
sponsors free  
mental health workshop

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JONNIE BANKS

Eden Health District presents the second in a series of community health education workshop events on Tuesday, March 15. This interactive evening focused on information, resources and hope for those dealing with mental health issues will be held at the San Lorenzo Library.

An in-depth presentation by Michele Wms-Smith and Rashad Eady from the Family Education and Resource Center, Mental Health Association of Alameda County, will speak to the far reaching implications mental illness has for society as a whole, and the effects it has on individuals and families.

An interactive Question & Answer discussion will follow the presentation offering the audience an opportunity to engage in dialog with the presenters and special guest speaker, San Francisco opera singer, Sigmund Siegel. Siegel’s inspiring story of his courageous battle with mental illness that began at the age of 18 brings the realities of mental

health issues including, family dynamics, therapeutic treatments, medications and societal stigmas to a very personal level.

Afterwards, several local mental health agencies will be on hand to provide support and resource materials on mental health pertaining to their respective organizations.

EHD wishes to recognize our “Partners in Health” for their participation in this event:

Family Education and Resource Center, Mental Health Association of Alameda County, Alameda County Behavioral Health Care Services, Davis Street Behavioral Health Clinic, National Alliance on Mental Illness, San Lorenzo Unified School District, Department of Social Services.Space is limited, so please RSVP to: (510) 538-2031, ext. 205.

**Mental Health Workshop**  
**Tuesday, Mar 15**  
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*"Cruelty is the only  
unforgivable sin."*

- Tennessee Williams  
(*"Night of the Iguana"*)

On March 3, 2016, "Dallas Morning News" reported on the deaths of a man and a woman, only weeks apart, at a popular backyard rodeo on the outskirts of town. Both deaths occurred during a non-sanctioned and unmonitored event called "steer-tailing" (see Google News - "Mexican rodeos").

Steer-tailing: A mounted cowboy or "charro" chases a running steer down a long arena straightaway. The charro grabs the steer by the tail, wraps the tail around his leg and stirrup, and then rides his horse off at an angle. The intent is to roll the steer gently to the ground. More often than not, the hapless steer is thrown up in the air and then slammed brutally to the ground. Bruises and contusions are routine, and tails may be stripped to the bone or "degloved," even torn off. The horses involved sometimes suffer broken legs when the steers run the wrong way. Some "sport"!

I worked on a 2010 case in Golden, Colo. in which seven steers had their tails degloved in a single afternoon. Two others suffered a broken pelvis and a broken leg, and were euthanized, according to the local Sheriff's Department. Randy Janssen, a Texas charreada promoter (and lawyer), told me that even if the report was true, it was all worthwhile "since the charros had practice time in the arena with their horses." (See his website: www.legalizehorsetripping.com).

But it ain't just Texas and Colorado, folks. These backyard

rodeos are rampant throughout California and the southwest. I'm told there are some 800 sanctioned charreadas held in California every year, all featuring the steer-tailing event. Reportedly, there are hundreds of other non-sanctioned events with no oversight or any veterinary presence—very like the Dallas area situation.

I'm a big fan of cultural diversity but not when it involves animal abuse, which steer-tailing does big time. One of my most treasured possessions is a December 26, 1990 letter from Cesar Chavez, founder of United Farm Workers, in support of my efforts to reform both rodeos and charreadas. We'll soon be celebrating Chavez's birthday on March 31. Here's an excerpt from that letter: "Kindness and compassion towards all living things is a mark of a civilized society. Conversely, cruelty, whether it is directed against human beings or against animals, is not the exclusive province of any one culture or community of people. Racism, economic deprival, dogfighting and cockfighting, bullfighting and rodeos are cut from the same fabric: violence. Only when we have become nonviolent towards all life will we have learned to live well ourselves."

Words to live by. There'll likely be a great deal of lip-service paid to Mr. Chavez in the State Capitol and elsewhere during the coming days, but few take his work and philosophy to heart. Nor do most people know that Chavez was a vegetarian for ethical reasons.

For 25 years I've been seeking a legislator willing to introduce a bill to outlaw the steer-tailing event. No takers. The 25-member Latino Caucus, though sympathetic, won't touch the issue since it's only Mexican-Americans who take part. Other legislators won't carry the bill for fear of a backlash from the Latino

Caucus—a real Catch 22 and the animals suffer accordingly. Truth be told, both sides are playing a form of "reverse racism." Neither tradition nor culture should ever be allowed to trump animal welfare. We're better than this, yes?

There's good precedent: Horse tripping was outlawed in California in 1994. Alameda and Contra Costa counties banned steer-tailing in 1993; the State of Nebraska banned both in 2009. Steer-tailing is not a standard ranching practice anywhere in the U.S., nor is it sanctioned by any Western-style rodeo association. It needs to go.

What you can do: Deadline for bill introduction was February 19. However, most legislators keep handy a so-called "spot bill" for emergency situations, a bill they can "gut and amend" to suit the occasion. Let them hear from you! All legislators may be written c/o The State Capitol, Sacramento, CA 95814. Email pattern for all: senator.lastname@senate.ca.gov; assemblymember.lastname@assembly.ca.gov (mailto:assemblymember.lastname@assembly.ca.gov).

Relatedly: The Rowell Ranch Rodeo Committee (May 21-22) plans to again feature the abusive and nonsensical wild cow milking contest, notwithstanding that the Hayward Area Recreation and Park District (HARD) received more than 300 letters in support of a ban after the death of a cow at the 2014 rodeo. Mutton busting may be offered again, too—a blatant violation of current policy. **Please express your views** to Paul McCreary, HARD's new General Manager, and the Board of Directors: HARD, 1099 E St., Hayward, CA 94544; email mccp@haywardrec.org.

**Recommended reading:**

Pope Francis' August 2015 Encyclical—rife with our duties to animals, the planet and each other.

Grateful winner is also impatient Lottery player

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Kenneth Baguio doesn't mess around when he plays Scratchers tickets. He rarely even makes it home with the tickets unscratched! He usually scratches them in the car, and that's just what he did when he recently purchased the \$10 Silver & Gold Scratchers ticket. He started from the bottom and went up. When he saw "Win" he cautiously scratched the prize, saying, "I started shaking when I saw all those zeros." That's because he won the top prize! That's right, he won \$1 million!

Baguio has been playing the Lottery since he was 18 and has won a variety of prizes ranging from \$100 to \$500. In fact, just the week before he won this he won \$600 on three different tickets all on the same purchase. He's definitely on a lucky streak.

Baguio buys his tickets where he grocery shops, at the Lucky store located at 3443 Castro Valley Boulevard in Castro Valley. The retailer will receive a bonus of \$5,000 from the Lottery just for selling that winning ticket.

As far as any plans he has for his newfound wealth, he wants to pay off his house and take his family on a vacation. "All I can say is thank you," he



Kenneth Baguio celebrates his \$1 million win on the California Lottery's Silver & Gold Scratchers ticket

said. "I am so grateful for this. It takes the stress off of us and puts us in a much better situation after having a rough year!"

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**Washington Sports Medicine Physician Returns for 5th Year of ‘March Madness’**

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teams over the years. It helps that we have learned how to work with each other well. Basketball is an incredibly fast-paced game, and seconds really matter.”  
Having worked with a number of local high school football teams for several years, Dr. Nord is very familiar with the responsibilities of a team physician.  
“Working as a team physician for local schools, I get to watch kids throughout their high school athletic careers,” he notes. “I have seen players suffer season-ending injuries and then come back the next year. It’s rewarding to see athletes bounce back and succeed. Since this was my 5th year as a tournament physician, I’ve had a similar opportunity to see some of these athletes come back to the tournament after a serious injury in a previous season.”

During the WCC tournaments, Dr. Nord sometimes covered up to four games a day, treating a variety of injuries and other conditions, while providing logistic support as well.  
“In general, the injuries you see in basketball are different from the ones you see in football, but injuries can happen in any sport,” he notes. “For example, there were no concussions while I was working the basketball tournament. In basketball, the women players are more predisposed to suffer anterior cruciate ligament (ACL) injuries, perhaps because of the anatomic differences in the knee in females. With the men, who have more weight to throw around, there are more injuries incurred when there is a loose ball on the floor.”  
Although Dr. Nord’s main sports and been soccer and volleyball, he has always been an avid basketball fan.  
“I went to Duke University for my undergraduate degree, and that is a big powerhouse basketball school,” he explains. “The WCC tournament has a similar air of excitement. The atmosphere at Orleans Arena was positively electric, and it was packed for the big games. This is such a big deal for these athletes, to get far enough to advance to the ‘Big Dance.’ They’re playing for their dreams. I enjoy being able to contribute to the players’ safety and well-being, which is what I strive to do for all my patients – including student athletes and ‘weekend warriors’ who live active lifestyles.”

For more information about the Washington Sports Medicine Program, visit [www.whhs.com](http://www.whhs.com) and click on the link for Sports Medicine Program under the “Services” tab.  
The West Coast Conference of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) includes a number of local Bay Area college teams, including the University of San Francisco, Saint Mary’s College in Moraga, and Santa Clara University. Other schools in the WCC include Gonzaga University in Spokane, Washington; Brigham Young University (BYU) in Provo, Utah; Loyola Marymount University in Los Angeles, California; University of the Pacific in Stockton, California; Pepperdine University in Malibu, California; University of Portland in Oregon; and University of San Diego in southern California.

This year, Gonzaga defeated St. Mary’s in the Men’s WCC Tournament on Tuesday, March 8, by a score of 85 to 75, to win the championship and earn an automatic entry to the NCAA Men’s Basketball Tournament.  
In the WCC Women’s Tournament on March 8, San Francisco University upset BYU, 70 to 68, for the conference championship and a berth in the NCAA Women’s Basketball Tournament.  
For more information about WCC sports, including this season’s basketball tournaments, visit [www.wccsports.com](http://www.wccsports.com)

**Spring Egg Hunt**

Alvarado Historic District Merchants Association (AHDMA) invites you to “Spring Fest Egg Hunt” on Saturday, March 19 at Old Alvarado/Cesar Chavez Park. All families are welcome to join. The event features DJ Solo’s Hip Hop Bunny Club, a photo booth, Mighty4’s hip hop dance lessons, Tickle My Face’s face painting, Old Alvarado Farmers’ Market, and an egg hunt for different age groups. Kids will get to meet the Easter Bunny. Alameda County Fire Department and Union City Police Department will be onsite as well.  
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Representative Pingree's proposed bill would seek to address change through provisions such as disclaimers under manufacturers' "sell-by" dates, tax credits for farmers who harvest less cosmetically-perfect produce, an expanded Good Samaritan law for organizations looking to donate food, and increased awareness campaigns targeted at consumers.

Food waste in U.S. households has increased 50 percent as com-

## California lawmakers vote to raise smoking, vaping age to 21

"With California having such a huge population, it's going to be very impactful nationwide," said Cathy Callaway, associate director of state and local campaigns for the society.

"All the progress we've made since 1965 to educate people about the hazards of smoking may be for naught as vaping has started a new generation of nicotine junkies that will be helplessly addicted and will ultimately graduate to smoking cancer sticks," said Sen. Jeff Stone, a Republican.

Hopefully with guidance from a proposed congressional bill and a joint USDA and EPA plan to reduce the country's food waste by 50 percent by 2030 (<http://www.usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?contentid=2015/09/0257.xml>), Americans will become more aware and re-think their own habits.

# A wheezing, unloved bull market tries to keep running

BY STAN CHOE  
AP BUSINESS WRITER

NEW YORK (AP), It's been seven years since one of the stock market's best-ever runs began, but the anniversary is passing without a party yet again.

This bull market is the third-longest in history, and investors in mutual funds that track the broad U.S. market have more than tripled their money since a 6 percent jump seven years ago Thursday marked the start of the run.

Investors still don't believe in it. This bull market has been mistrusted and unloved from the start, even though it has managed to stagger higher amid a government shutdown, a debt crisis in Europe that nearly tore apart the European Union and a growth slowdown in China, the world's economic engine.

At times, even as the market stayed strong, regular investors were pulling money out of stocks instead of investing more as in past bull markets. Now, worries are high that the market has already topped out, and that a recession may be coming to knock the Standard & Poor's 500 index down again.

The index is down about 7 percent from its peak in May, and other investments like oil and emerging-market stocks have crashed in recent months, turning from bull to bear by falling 20 percent in value from recent highs. It's an indication of what a strange bull market this has been, and another reminder of how important it is to stay diversified. Nearly three quarters of retirement savings in 401(k) and similar plans is in stocks, according to a survey of plans at Vanguard, one of the largest retirement account administrators.

## HOW THIS BULL MEASURES UP

This bull market may soon become the second-longest since World War II.

Yes, stocks have been weak this year, and at one point last month the S&P 500 was down as much as 14 percent from its peak. But the index has so far managed to avoid a drop of 20 percent, the arbitrary line where market watchers say a bull market

morphs into a bear market. If that were to happen, traders would say the bull market ended on May 21, when the S&P 500 set its last record high.

If the bull market does manage to stay alive, it would join only two others that made it into an eighth year. One of those, in the 1950s, petered out less than two months after passing the milestone. The other became the longest bull market, extending from late 1990 into 2000, according to S&P Capital IQ.

## UNLOVED BULL

This bull market had to overcome the challenges and doubts that haunted the nation after the 2008 financial crisis, which helped wipe out more than 8 million jobs and half of stock investors' holdings.

At first, investors didn't trust the bull because the job market was so slow to recover. Later, in 2011, it was concerns about the still-weak economy combined with worries about political tensions around the world. Fear spiked that the U.S. government could default on its debt and that the European Union could unravel due to its debt crisis. The S&P 500 dropped nearly 20 percent from late April 2011 into early October 2011, coming close to falling into a bear market before recovering.

Even when the stock market was doing well, like in 2013 when the S&P 500 returned 32 percent, investors were slow to embrace the bull. Some thought the market's gains hinged on unprecedented stimulus from the Federal Reserve that could evaporate or lose its power at any moment.

At times money went into U.S. stock mutual funds and exchange-traded funds, but never with the fervor that gripped investors during the dot-com boom or other bull markets. Over the last year, investors withdrew a net \$66 billion from U.S. stock funds, even as they invested elsewhere. Just over \$205 billion went into foreign stock funds over the same time, and nearly \$8 billion entered taxable bond funds.

## WHY ALL THIS DISTRUST STILL?

One word: recession. Investors are worried again that the economy, which has been growing

only modestly, is about to go into reverse. The same fear has gripped investors repeatedly through the bull market. It started so early in the economic recovery, which began in June 2009, that "double-dip recession" became a common phrase.

The worries now focus on the slowdown in China, which is the world's second-largest economy and for years was its main engine of growth. Economies in Europe and elsewhere are also still growing only modestly, if at all, which pressures U.S. exporters.

And the Federal Reserve has almost no room to cut rates to stimulate the economy because rates are still close to a record low.

All that is against the backdrop of an economic recovery that, like the bull market, is also geriatric at nearly seven years old. The average economic expansion has lasted less than five years, going back to 1945, according to the National Bureau of Economic Research.

## YOU SHOULD SEE THE OTHER GUY

Investors may be uninspired by the broad U.S. market, but it has demonstrated its value to investors by holding up better than many other investments in recent months and years.

Oil has lost nearly two thirds of its value over the last two years, a result of a global oversupply. That's dragged down the value of energy companies in the S&P 500 by 30 percent. China's struggles have hurt stock markets across the developing world. Emerging-market stocks have lost 26 percent since a recent peak in April.

Even portions of the U.S. stock market outside the energy industry, like small U.S. company stocks, fell into a bear market, though they have recovered somewhat in recent weeks.

Many strategists on Wall Street say they expect the bull market for the S&P 500 to persevere, even if few expect huge gains. U.S. companies – and the stock market – have so far weathered a lot, strategists from Deutsche Bank wrote in a recent research report.

"In our view, this increases the chances of this being a slow but long expansion that rivals the 10-year record," they said.

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**Chinese Medicine Day**

SUBMITTED BY JUI-LAN LIU

Chinese Medicine Day was first celebrated in 1929 in mainland China in the month of March and has since become a yearly tradition. The Chinese medical community of Northern California has been celebrating this important day annually for the past thirty-four years in the San Francisco Bay Area.

In celebration of the 2016 Chinese Medicine Day, on Saturday, March 19, Fremont Main Library is co-sponsoring a free health evaluation event with United California Practitioners of Chinese Medicine (UCPCM) and Citizens For Better Community (CBC). In addition to free consultation (no needles), the Chinese medical doctors will

offer free massages, time permitting. All are welcome!

Additionally, from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m., there will be a bilingual health seminar conducted in Mandarin and English on: "Facial Rejuvenation with Chinese Medicine and Acupuncture" by Lillian Huang, L.Ac., O.M.D., Ph.D.

For sign language interpreter or other accommodations, please contact the library at least seven working days prior to the event. No reservations are required.

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SUBMITTED BY  
NATHAN SILVA

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The Start Smart program is a driver safety education class which targets new and future licensed teenage drivers between the age of 15 - 19 and their parents/guardians.

Please contact the Castro Valley Library at (510) 667-7900 or the California Highway Patrol to register.

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**Alert Day 2016**

SUBMITTED BY ALAMEDA COUNTY  
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American Diabetes Association's "Alert Day" is an annual event held every fourth Tuesday in March. It is a one-day wake-up call asking the public to take the Diabetes Risk Test to find out if they are at risk for developing type 2 diabetes. Type 2 diabetes is a growing epidemic in the U.S., but it can be controlled with knowledge and healthy behavior. Early intervention via lifestyle changes, such as weight loss and increased physical activity, can help delay or prevent the onset of type 2 diabetes.

On Alert Day 2015, nearly 29,000 people committed themselves to taking the test. Results uncovered an overwhelming outcome—over 37 percent of those tested that day alone were considered high risk for developing type 2 diabetes.

The test takes just one minute to complete, but doing so can protect people for a lifetime. Alert Day 2016 will take place on Tuesday, March 22. All Americans are encouraged to take the free risk test at <http://goo.gl/52T9qz> or by calling 1-800-DIABETES, and share it with everyone they know. Though Alert Day is on March 22, the Diabetes Risk Test is available online year-round.

**Empathy & Writers**

SUBMITTED BY ART CAREY

Poet and playwright Alison Luterman will discuss the use of empathy in writing at the Fremont Area Writers meeting on Saturday, March 26. It's a prelude to the 20th anniversary of National Poetry Month in April.

Luterman's topic is "The Joy of Walking in Someone Else's Shoes (Even in a Poem!)." She will explain how the ability to understand and share the feelings of others creates a powerful energy that helps writers overcome personal barriers.

She is the author of three books of poetry, "The Largest Possible Life," "See How We Almost Fly," and "Desire Zoo." In addition, Luterman has written an e-book of personal essays, "Feral City."

You can find out more about Luterman at her website, [www.alisonluterman.net](http://www.alisonluterman.net)

The writers group meets on the fourth Saturday of the

month, except in July and December, from 2-4 p.m. at DeVry University, 6600 Dumbarton Circle, in Fremont. Meetings are open to the public.

An Open Mic for writers to read their work is held from 7-9 p.m. at Suju's Coffee and Tea, 3620 Thornton Ave., in Fremont, on the fourth Monday of the month.

Fremont Area Writers is a branch of the 1,700-member California Writers Club. To find out more, log on to [www.cwc-fremontareawriters.org](http://www.cwc-fremontareawriters.org) or contact Shirley Ferrante at (510) 791-8639.

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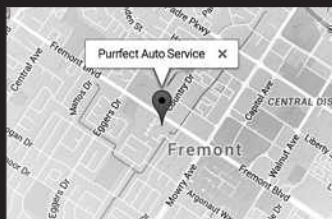
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## Kia Sedona: A family hauler that will move you



BY STEVE SCHAEFER

What do you use your car for? If its primary job is moving lots of people, then a minivan is probably your best choice.

I know you may be grimacing and shaking your head. "Me, drive a minivan?" A lot of people bypass the minivans in the showroom and focus their attention on crossovers—those car-based SUVs. Those tall wagons look cooler, seem more macho, or are just trendier. But if space efficiency is your prime consideration, driving a minivan is worth it.

And, with the Kia Sedona, it's a darned nice-looking package. The proportions have to be somewhat boxy to give you all that space, but the Audi mindset of Peter Schreyer, the head of Kia (and sister division Hyundai), is unmistakable, even in this realm. Yeah, there were no Audi minivans to design, but this is a handsome vehicle. There are actually 19-inch chrome alloy wheels here. You get dual sunroofs. There's a hands-free power tailgate. This is living large.

The Sedona, named after the Arizona artist colony/retirement community with all those cool red rocks, is in its second year of



the current design iteration. Little has changed as you might expect. It still comes in five levels: L, LX, EX, SX, and SXL, and prices haven't budged since the 2015 models—not a penny. So, you can grab the L for \$27,295 and work your way up to the SXL at \$40,795.

Little upgrades for 2016 include a rear back-up camera in all models, upgraded tricote cloth in the lower L and LX trims, standard heated front seats in the EX level, eight-passenger seating with the Technology package in the SX and SXL, and snazzy chrome accents on the side sills of the SXL. Not much, but remember: it doesn't cost you a dime more than the 2015 equivalents.

Every Sedona moves its 4,600 lbs. of girth around with a strong

3.3-liter V6 engine through a six-speed automatic. The 276 horsepower and 248 lb.-ft. of torque are the power stats. For EPA numbers, it's 17 city, 22 highway, and 19 overall. I averaged 20.1 mpg. Green scores are 5 for smog and 4 for greenhouse gas.

There's nothing here to especially incite environmental activism, but these are not surprising figures for a more than two-ton people hauler. Remember, though,

that this cruiser could replace two regular cars with its big family hauling abilities.

So, how much can you haul in the Sedona? With all three rows of seats up, full of people, you can still carry almost 34 cubic feet. That's twice what a standard trunk will hold. Drop the third row seats and you're up to 78.4 cubic feet. Lower the second row and you're up to a mammoth 142 cubic feet. How many flat-screen TVs or bags of mulch is that?

Here's another important number—5. That's the number of stars the Sedona earns in the Government Safety Ratings. That's the top score. You can thank Kia's Iso-Structure design, with extra rigidity, along with reinforced roof pillars, larger diam-

eter welds, and other factors. There's also the usual host of electronic safety tech features, including Electronic Stability Control, Brake Assist, Rollover Mitigation, and more. It's what customers expect from a car built for schlepping your loved ones around.

The SXL Technology Package (\$2,800) brings in a whole passel of modern-day goodies, such as Xenon HID headlights with automatic high beam on/off, a Lane Departure Warning System, a surround view mirror, smart cruise control (to set the distance from the car in front), and a 115 Volt power inverter in the luggage area. It never ends.

The Sedona is a pleasant vehicle to spend time in. The Tri-Zone Automatic Climate Control keeps everybody comfortable. The Infinity Surround Sound audio system gives the big hauler a concert hall ambiance. The Nappa leather seats are cushy soft.

I drove a lot of freeway miles during this test week, and it felt like you could head for almost anywhere and it would be smooth sailing. There's loads of insulation, so it's very quiet in there. The Smart Cruise Control makes it easy to "set it and forget it" on long trips. My Bright silver SXL tester had the optional rear seat entertainment system (\$1,095), which would help the miles melt away for rear seat passengers.



## Auto Review



Over the past 23 years, Steve Schaefer has tested more than 1,000 cars and published a weekly story on every one. As a teenager, he visited car dealers' back lots to catch a glimpse of the new models as they first rolled off the transporter. He is a founding member of the Western Automotive Journalists. Contact Steve at [sdsauto@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sdsauto@sbcglobal.net). My blog for alternative vehicles: [stevegoesgreen.com](http://stevegoesgreen.com)

The Kia Sedona is built in Korea, using virtually all Korean parts (only 2 percent U.S./Canadian content). Many Korean brand cars are built in the U.S. today, but this is not one of them.

When you're shopping for a minivan, of course you'll likely look at the popular Honda and Toyota models—they're the sales leaders—but you'd be doing yourself a disservice if you neglected to cross-shop the Sedona.

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5619 or visit [Sulekha.com/FOG](http://Sulekha.com/FOG).

The admission ticket (online special) is \$5 and group of 10 or more is \$4 each that includes one free color for each ticket.

Other local organizations will also be observing the holiday; Rajasthan Association of North America (RANA) celebrates with vibrant hues, refreshing Thandai, delicious Rajasthani food, live DJ, dance and much more on March 26. Bay Area Youth Vaishnav Parivar hosts three events: Holikotsav on March 22, Dhuleti March 26, and Dolotsav March 27.

**FOG Holi**  
**Saturday, Mar 19**  
**Noon – 6:00 p.m.**  
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**Holikotsav**  
**Tuesday, Mar 22**  
**6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.**  
**Bay Area Youth Vaishnav Parivar**  
**25 Corning Ave, Milpitas**  
**(408) 489-7361**  
**Bayvp.org**  
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**Dhuleti**  
**Saturday, Mar 26**  
**11:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.**  
**Bay Area Youth Vaishnav Parivar**  
**25 Corning Ave, Milpitas**  
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**RANA Holi Celebrations**  
**Saturday, Mar 26**  
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**Dolotsav**  
**Sunday, Mar 27**  
**3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
**Bay Area Youth Vaishnav Parivar**  
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# Get your Purim party on

(who fostered Esther), as he does not bow to Haman at the palace gates. Haman discovers that Mordecai is Jewish and begins plotting to kill him and all the Jews in the empire as revenge. Haman casts lots (“purim”) to decide on which day to unleash his evil plan. The thirteenth of the Hebrew month of Adar is chosen.

Mordecai quickly catches wind of Haman’s plan, and pleads with Esther to tell the king and put a stop to it. However, the king has a strict law: no one is allowed to approach him, or death swiftly follows. Mordecai pushes Esther to take the risk. After hard consideration, she bravely decides to tell the king and risk her life.

Esther invites the king to two feasts, and at the second reveals her heritage and tells him of Haman’s plan. Ahasuerus is furious, and immediately orders Haman hanged on the very gallows he was building to hang Mordecai.

It is on the fourteenth of Adar (usually falling in February or March) that Purim and the deliverance of the Jewish people is celebrated. Celebrations include reciting and listening to the Book of Esther, also called the Megillah; donating to charity; giving gifts of food and drink, known as mishloach manot, that come in colorful baskets; dressing up in costumes; drinking wine or other alcoholic beverages; and general joviality.

Fremont’s Temple Beth Torah is hosting “Pizza and Purim” on March 23, and costumes are encouraged (those in costume get a discount on pizza!). There will be a reading of the Megillah, and music by SF Bay Area musician Mark Levy. Donations will also be received to benefit MAZON, a Jewish Response to Hunger.

“Purim is a fun, celebratory festival that everyone gets to enjoy, young and old. By design, it’s crazy, offbeat, and full of surprises,” explained Rabbi Avi Schulman of Temple Beth Torah. “Purim is meant to be topsy-turvy, irrelevant, full of spirit.”

Castro Valley’s Congregation Shir Ami has two days of festivities planned – a family-friendly Purim service on March 25 and a carnival on March 27. There will be games, face painting, treats, and crafts galore. Costumes are highly encouraged at both celebrations.

“People often bring and eat homemade hamantaschen, which is a triangular shaped cookie [traditionally filled with poppy seed], fashioned after Haman’s hat,” said Bonnie Frey of Congregation Shir Ami. “[When Haman’s

name] is said aloud, people use groggers or noisemakers and say boo, hiss and often stomp their feet to drown out his name,” she explained.

San Leandro’s Temple Beth Sholom, one of the oldest synagogues west of the Mississippi at 130 years old, is hosting three days of Purim festivities. On March 18, catch a Purim spiel, a comedic dramatization of the Megillah, by the Berkeley Jewish Renewal Spielers. The group will perform “A Proper and Moral Land.” On March 20, enjoy a Purim Carnival, sponsored by the Gersten Religious School and Beth Sholom Preschool. There will be games, prizes, hamantaschen, and more – don’t forget to wear a costume! Finally, on March 23, there will be a Megillah reading and hamantaschen bake-off.

**Let loose, enjoy good company, and have fun this year at Purim!**

**Purim and Pizza**  
**Wednesday, Mar 23**  
**6:30 p.m.: Pizza Dinner**  
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**Purim Service**  
**Friday, Mar 25**  
**7 p.m. - 9 p.m.**  
**Purim Carnival**  
**Sunday, Mar 27**  
**11:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.**  
**Congregation Shir Ami**  
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**A Proper and Moral Land**  
**Friday, Mar 18**  
**8 p.m.**  
**Purim Carnival**  
**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**10 a.m. - Noon**  
**Megillah Reading and Hamantaschen Bake-Off**  
**Wednesday, Mar 23**  
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# Meals on Wheels celebrates

By WILLIAM MARSHAK

*“It is easy to forget that in every neighborhood, there are elders who need food; they can’t afford it or they can’t shop or have disabilities or conditions that don’t allow shopping or preparing food.”*

Patricia Osage, Executive Director  
LIFE ElderCare

For 39 years, Meals on Wheels volunteers have delivered nutritious meals every day to frail seniors throughout the Tri-City area. In addition, LifeEldercare coordinates a Visiting

Every year, public officials gather to officially honor this service that quietly provides hot, nutritious meals for those who otherwise would be malnourished. Meals on Wheels volunteers share a few hours with their neighbors who depend on outside assistance for a bit of cheer and sustenance. Some spend a portion of every weekday delivering food, others less often, but all show up with a meal and a smile.

In Fremont, just as every other weekday, volunteers gathered on Thursday, March 10th to wait for the LIFE ElderCare truck filled with hot meals. To celebrate the continuation of Meals on Wheels, several elected officials came by to support and honor those who provide this valuable service. In attendance were Newark Mayor Alan Nagy, a



Alameda County Supervisor Scott Haggerty getting ready to distribute Meals on Wheels.

program for isolated seniors, teaches Fall Prevention in the home and provides free transportation with destination help to doctor appointments and shopping. Patricia Osage, Executive Director of LIFE Eldercare says that it is often difficult to find those in need since, due to their conditions and isolation, they may not be visible. Not only do Meals on Wheels volunteers deliver 350 meals every day, but they provide social contact and a safety net to make sure those they deliver to are okay. As a “window” to their clients, LIFE Eldercare is able to monitor Meals on Wheels recipients and notify other agencies if additional services are required.

volunteer for many years and Fremont City Councilmember Rick Jones. Mayor Nagy spoke about the need for the program and told anecdotes of his experiences as a volunteer. He noted that “It didn’t take long to figure out that this program is more than the delivery of food. It is about contact with homebound seniors; it means so much to them.”

Alameda County Supervisor Scott Haggerty reflected on his mother’s experience with Meals on Wheels and noted that even though family support was nearby, Meals on Wheels volunteers were a

source of hope and connection with others that cared about her. Supervisor Haggerty recalled times when he delivered meals to people who lived in very different circumstances and understood the importance of daily contact with Meals on Wheels volunteers. “It is very important to stop, reflect and say ‘Thank You’ to the volunteers.” A representative of Mike Honda’s office lauded the Meals on Wheels program and noted its benefits across the nation.

Ceremonies concluded with comments from “Volunteer of the Year,” Larry Roberts, who began to deliver meals one day a week following retirement. Now, delivering meals every weekday, he says, “I love it and meet great people.”

**LIFE ElderCare**  
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# Burgers & Sushi & Wine, oh, my!

BY LINDA-ROBIN CRAIG

San Leandro's premier wine and food event is nearly upon us, offering a tasty way to support leadership in the city. The 21st annual "Taste of San Leandro" provides plenty of room, lots of free parking, and most importantly – lots of yummy food, wine, and craft beers. The popular event is put on by the San Leandro Chamber of Commerce in support of their Leadership San Leandro program (LSL), which fosters professional development, networking, and outreach. In fact, says Emily Griego, interim CEO at the chamber, "one hundred percent of the funds raised by this event will go to the LSL program, which has been educating community leaders for just over 20 years."

LSL Program Director Breanna Hatcher says, "It is no secret that we feel our city's most valu-



able resource is its people." Led by an executive leadership coach, LSL participants receive training throughout the program on leadership strategies. They also take tours of local institutions and businesses and hear directly from government and business leaders



about their roles, experiences, and professional growth. Guest presenters represent a diverse cross-section of the community, ranging from elected officials to high-tech innovators, traffic engineers to police detectives, communications experts to entrepreneurs.

Speaking of entrepreneurs, the owners and dreamers behind 21st Amendment Brewery (21A), Nico Freccia and Shaun O'Sullivan, are hosting this year's benefit. One of San Leandro's newest success stories, 21A opened in the city just two years ago. Freccia stated, "When Shaun and I first started our small brew pub in San Francisco, we never thought we'd be opening a fairly impressive brewery with a tasting room here in San Leandro." The first beers out of San Leandro will be exciting new releases. Freccia added, "We'll also be experimenting with our brew neighbors, Drakes Brewery, and Cleophus Quealy, to produce some really inventive collaboration beers." These partners in craft brewing look forward to making San Leandro beer central.

When asked about how their dream brewery got started, O'Sullivan said, "Both Nico and I got into brewing as a creative endeavor; to make interesting beers that craft beer drinkers can enjoy and that certainly will be the case here at our new facility."

Together with 21A, Alexander Family Vineyards, Boulevard Burger, Cleophus Quealy, CreAsian Taste of the Himalayas, Delicieux Catering & Patisserie, Drakes Brewing, Frog's Tooth Winery, Horatio's, Miraglia Catering, Rubiano's, Tsuru Sushi, Nothing Bundt Cakes, Harry's Hofbrau, The Vine & Tapas, La Pinata#2, The Tea Room Chocolate Company, La Salsa, Garré Vineyard & Winery, and Verbena will be serving up a savory array of culinary treats and sample pours and pairings to tempt every taster.

Attendees can also win delicious and adventurous prizes at the raffle and silent auction. Explore 21A, and for those who don't know, the 21st Amendment repealed the 17th Amendment and ended prohibition, so eat, drink,

and be merry! Hatcher invites residents of the Tri-Cities to "Network with entrepreneurs and professionals in a city that has carved a niche for Bay Area tech innovators, start-ups, and artisans."

This event sold out last year, so get your tickets soon so you don't miss out! Waste Management (Think Green) and F H Daily Chevrolet top a long list of sponsors, but it is not too late to get in on the action as a sponsor.

For more information, contact Leadership San Leandro at (510) 317-1400 or [leadershipsl@sanleandrochamber.com](mailto:leadershipsl@sanleandrochamber.com), or visit <http://sanleandrochamber.chambermaster.com/events/details/taste-of-san-leandro>.

**Taste of San Leandro**  
**Tuesday, Mar 22**  
**5 p.m. - 8 p.m.**

**21st Amendment Brewery**  
**2012 Williams St, San Leandro**  
**(510) 317-1400**  
**<http://sanleandrochamber.chambermaster.com/events/details/taste-of-san-leandro>**  
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## Holy Week Schedule

### Communal Reconciliation

Mon., Mar. 21 at 7:00 p.m. Confessions

### Holy Thursday

Mar. 24 at 7:30 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper

### Good Friday

Mar. 25 at 12:30, 5:00 & 7:30 p.m. The Lord's Passion, Veneration of the Cross & Holy Communion

### Holy Saturday

Mar. 26 at 8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil

### Easter Sunday

6:00 a.m., 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m.

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# Home & Garden

## Succulent Desert Gardens *Satisfy like Dessert*



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DANIEL O'DONNELL

A succulent dessert instantly calls to mind rich chocolate cake, a tender soufflé, or luxurious cream-filled pastry. A succulent garden, on the other hand, suggests a dry, hot, and sometimes barren landscape. However, what should come to mind is a dry yet lush, diverse landscape rich in color and texture.

A succulent plant stores water in its leaves or stem to survive in arid climates and dry soils. This does not mean that all succulents have to live in sunny locations usually associated with dry and arid climates. Some succulents prefer shade, others favor semi shade, while others thrive in direct sunlight. Some succulents can tolerate a wide range of light levels and react differently. Some Aloes stay green in the shade and turn yellowish orange in the direct sunlight. Senecio mandraliscae will retain its vibrant blue color in the shade or the sun.



Succulents grow best in a fast-draining soil that is neither overly rich nor devoid of nutrients. Small amounts of compost added to a very sandy soil will be appreciated. Succulents will not tolerate the poor drainage of a heavy clay soil and compost alone will not be enough to amend that soil. Gravel, coarse sand, or wood chips can be added to get adequate drainage.

Plants can require watering once or twice a week in warm weather if they are small and in direct sunlight for most of the day. The larger the plant, the more water it can store. Some can survive with watering once a month and others with no additional water if the winter's rainfall was sufficient.

Warm to hot temperatures are not usually a problem for most succulents, nor are cool to cold temperatures. It is when the temperature gets close to freezing that the potential for damage is a concern because of their high water content. Moistening the ground and covering the succulents with a sheet or blanket—not

plastic—on nights with the likelihood of frost will help keep warm air from the ground around the plant.

Succulents vary in size and shape. They can be used as a ground cover, a border plant, a shrub, or a small tree. They are perfect when planted in rows in a modern garden, and provide a lushness, balance, and flow to a less formal landscape.

The year-round foliage color is more important than the flowers. This is what makes succulents so striking. Succulent flowers are beautifully rich in color, but are short lived. If the ground of a garden provides the canvas, then the large array of different succulent leaves will provide the color palette. Crimson, gray, blue, purple, chartreuse, purple, bronze, orange, green, yellow, lavender, and black are some of the eye-catching colors. Variegation in some species can expand the color palette to include red, white, and pink.

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The diversity among succulents leaves, be it color, shape, size, and texture, cannot be found in any other plant group.

Every cactus is a succulent, but not every succulent is a cactus. The spines on a cactus are modified leaves and often a sticking point for many home gardeners. Unfortunately the spines are often considered dangerous, evil looking, and unattractive. What the spines actually do is help shade the plant from intense sunlight and trap moist air around the surface of the plant. On foggy mornings the water will condense and fall to the ground and water the roots; on drier days the moisture will help reduce evaporation. The spines are also a deterrent to trespassers. Cacti or succulents such as some Agaves that have pointed tips will deter unwanted guests when planted in front of a vulnerable window or a low fence.

Succulents have shallow roots making them perfect to grow in pots and window boxes. They can be used in topiaries, living walls,

and rooftop gardens. Many can be grown indoors in a pot on a well-lit window sill.

These plants are among the easiest to propagate (turning one plant into two or more). It is as easy as breaking off a stem and placing it in soil for many varieties. Roots will begin to develop usually within a month or so. Wanting more succulents is like wanting more dessert. The difference is that with dessert you should not have more, with succulents you will feel you should have more!

Succulents can be purchased anywhere plants are sold including grocery and hardware stores but the varieties are limited. For a larger selection and expert advice contact, Regan Nursery in Fremont at (510) 797-3222, or Cactus Jungle Nursery and Garden in Berkeley at (510) 558-8650.

*Daniel O'Donnell is the owner and operator of an organic landscape design/build company in Fremont.  
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# A ‘real world’ connection

Fifth grade classes at Vallejo Mill Elementary in Fremont have been reading the Tri-City Voice weekly. We have deeply analyzed articles related to our individual interests and causes we support, and have cut out some of the articles for our reports. Specifically, we look for an author’s point of view to determine what are facts and opinions, and if they are supported by evidence. Consequently, we have become better readers and informed citizens of Fremont. Thank you for delivering your newspaper to our school.

Fifth grade students and teachers? Kathryn Straub and Mira Gillet, Vallejo Mill? Elementary School

*Note:  
On March 9th, Tri-City Voice publisher William Marshak spoke with students during their lunch break about how the newspaper began and the work necessary to publish and distribute the newspaper every week.*



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| 20646 Maria Court              | 94546 | 592,500             | 3 | 1569 | 199302-17-16 |
| 2321 Regent Way                | 94546 | 1,165,000           | 8 | 3520 | 196302-18-16 |
| 5331 Greenridge Road           | 94552 | 861,000             | 3 | 3380 | 197902-11-16 |
| 21297 Justco Lane              | 94552 | 725,000             | 3 | 1652 | 199002-17-16 |

| FREMONT   TOTAL SALES: 32       |       |                     |         |       |               |
|---------------------------------|-------|---------------------|---------|-------|---------------|
| Highest \$: 1,351,000           |       | Median \$: 815,000  |         |       |               |
| Lowest \$: 360,000              |       | Average \$: 784,969 |         |       |               |
| ADDRESS                         | ZIP   | SOLD FOR            | BDSSQFT | BUILT | CLOSED        |
| 3516 Atwater Court              | 94536 | 950,000             | 4       | 1980  | 1972 02-11-16 |
| 4247 Blue Ridge Street          | 94536 | 1,005,000           | 3       | 1564  | 1961 02-16-16 |
| 3550 Buttonwood Terrace #313    | 94536 | 505,000             | 2       | 940   | 1985 02-11-16 |
| 38875 Canyon Heights Drive      | 94536 | 1,010,000           | 3       | 1762  | 1977 02-11-16 |
| 38627 Cherry Lane #20           | 94536 | 403,500             | 2       | 789   | 1974 02-18-16 |
| 38860 Emrol Avenue              | 94536 | 600,000             | 3       | 1148  | 1959 02-11-16 |
| 37401 Gillett Road              | 94536 | 1,075,000           | 4       | 2380  | 2000 02-17-16 |
| 35407 Gustavo Court             | 94536 | 900,000             | 4       | 1387  | 1966 02-18-16 |
| 35461 Gustavo Court             | 94536 | 950,000             | 3       | 1232  | 1966 02-17-16 |
| 38519 Kerlin Street             | 94536 | 970,000             | 3       | 1594  | 1958 02-17-16 |
| 3443 Pepperwood Terrace #3029   | 94536 | 360,000             | 1       | 714   | 1986 02-18-16 |
| 38895 Riverbank Terrace         | 94536 | 780,000             | 3       | 1474  | 1987 02-17-16 |
| 38527 Royal Ann Common          | 94536 | 527,500             | 3       | 1180  | 1970 02-16-16 |
| 36423 Sea Breeze Common         | 94536 | 850,000             | 3       | 1747  | 2004 02-17-16 |
| 368 Serramonte Terrace          | 94536 | 633,000             | 3       | 1440  | 1973 02-11-16 |
| 37346 Vineland Terrace          | 94536 | 861,000             | 3       | 1537  | 1997 02-16-16 |
| 5618 Chestnut Common            | 94538 | 425,000             | 2       | 945   | 1971 02-17-16 |
| 3553 Ellery Common              | 94538 | 726,000             | 2       | 1174  | 1999 02-18-16 |
| 3113 Estero Terrace             | 94538 | 815,000             | 2       | 1644  | 2013 02-18-16 |
| 3119 Estero Terrace             | 94538 | 836,000             | 3       | 1712  | 2013 02-11-16 |
| 39078 Guardino Drive #1089      | 94538 | 378,000             | 1       | 693   | 1990 02-11-16 |
| 3695 Stevenson Boulevard #A141  | 94538 | 556,000             | 2       | 1040  | 1991 02-11-16 |
| 41249 Thurston Street           | 94538 | 1,000,000           | 4       | 1631  | 1959 02-11-16 |
| 49002 Cinnamon Fern Common #234 | 94539 | 735,000             | 2       | 1274  | 2009 02-11-16 |
| 268 Fountain Grass Terrace      | 94539 | 777,000             | 2       | 1300  | 2008 02-11-16 |
| 271 Gable Drive                 | 94539 | 1,351,000           | 5       | 2386  | 1962 02-11-16 |
| 240 Hackamore Common            | 94539 | 413,500             | 2       | 878   | 1984 02-17-16 |
| 40790 Las Palmas Avenue         | 94539 | 1,010,000           | 4       | 2087  | 1978 02-17-16 |
| 44960 Lynx Drive                | 94539 | 1,090,000           | 4       | 1728  | 1989 02-18-16 |
| 5256 Fairbanks Common           | 94555 | 615,000             | 2       | 1100  | 1989 02-17-16 |
| 34140 O'Neil Terrace            | 94555 | 1,119,000           | 4       | 1857  | 1990 02-17-16 |
| 34535 Tar River Court           | 94555 | 892,500             | 4       | 1467  | 1976 02-11-16 |

| HAYWARD   TOTAL SALES: 15 |       |                     |         |       |               |
|---------------------------|-------|---------------------|---------|-------|---------------|
| Highest \$: 5,400,000     |       | Median \$: 435,000  |         |       |               |
| Lowest \$: 265,000        |       | Average \$: 788,333 |         |       |               |
| ADDRESS                   | ZIP   | SOLD FOR            | BDSSQFT | BUILT | CLOSED        |
| 1289 B Street             | 94541 | 450,000             | 5       | 1888  | 1906 02-18-16 |
| 24072 Dover Lane          | 94541 | 355,000             | 3       | 1274  | 1978 02-18-16 |
| 740 Harmony Drive         | 94541 | 435,000             | 2       | 854   | 1942 02-17-16 |
| 18380 Haven Street        | 94541 | 430,000             | 2       | 1172  | 1942 02-17-16 |
| 363 Medford Avenue        | 94541 | 530,000             | 3       | 1100  | 1918 02-16-16 |
| 637 Paradise Boulevard    | 94541 | 415,000             | 2       | 1171  | 1942 02-11-16 |
| 24020 Quinn Lane          | 94541 | 300,000             | 2       | 1413  | 1957 02-18-16 |
| 2998 Oakes Drive          | 94542 | 680,000             | 3       | 1609  | 1960 02-18-16 |
| 258 Bridgewater Road      | 94544 | 750,000             | 3       | 2104  | 1999 02-11-16 |
| 981 Cheryl Ann Circle #39 | 94544 | 327,000             | 3       | 1245  | 1979 02-16-16 |
| 485 Ramos Avenue          | 94544 | 520,000             | 3       | 1608  | 1940 02-11-16 |
| 27690 Cliffwood Avenue    | 94545 | 400,000             | 3       | 1119  | 1955 02-18-16 |
| 23653 Eden Avenue         | 94545 | 5,400,000           | 2       | 1156  | 1949 02-17-16 |
| 1432 Fry Lane             | 94545 | 568,000             | 3       | 1359  | 1959 02-11-16 |
| 25930 Kay Avenue #111     | 94545 | 265,000             | 1       | 982   | 1982 02-11-16 |

| MILPITAS   TOTAL SALES: 7     |       |                     |         |       |               |
|-------------------------------|-------|---------------------|---------|-------|---------------|
| Highest \$: 1,145,500         |       | Median \$: 835,000  |         |       |               |
| Lowest \$: 450,000            |       | Average \$: 824,071 |         |       |               |
| ADDRESS                       | ZIP   | SOLD FOR            | BDSSQFT | BUILT | CLOSED        |
| 562 Bayview Park Drive        | 95035 | 751,000             | 2       | 1146  | 1984 02-18-16 |
| 723 Elderberry Drive          | 95035 | 805,000             | 2       | 1357  | 2013 02-22-16 |
| 1263 Gingerwood Drive         | 95035 | 915,000             | 3       | 1615  | 1991 02-19-16 |
| 1486 North Hillview Drive     | 95035 | 1,145,500           | 4       | 2500  | 1989 02-19-16 |
| 700 South Abel Street #212    | 95035 | 450,000             | 2       | 1259  | 2007 02-18-16 |
| 219 South Park Victoria Drive | 95035 | 835,000             | 4       | 2001  | 1966 02-23-16 |
| 574 Tramway Drive             | 95035 | 867,000             | 3       | 1318  | 1972 02-18-16 |
| 1134 Traugbher Street         | 95035 | 880000              | 4       | 1754  | 1971 02-12-16 |

| NEWARK   TOTAL SALES: 5 |       |                     |         |       |               |
|-------------------------|-------|---------------------|---------|-------|---------------|
| Highest \$: 925,000     |       | Median \$: 625,000  |         |       |               |
| Lowest \$: 460,000      |       | Average \$: 668,000 |         |       |               |
| ADDRESS                 | ZIP   | SOLD FOR            | BDSSQFT | BUILT | CLOSED        |
| 37917 Birch Street      | 94560 | 925,000             | 4       | 2550  | 1993 02-11-16 |
| 35122 Lido Boulevard #L | 94560 | 460,000             | 2       | 1076  | 1984 02-11-16 |
| 6260 Madelaine Drive    | 94560 | 625,000             | 3       | 1100  | 1959 02-18-16 |
| 6093 Moores Avenue      | 94560 | 795,000             | 4       | 1968  | 1972 02-18-16 |
| 39921 Parada Street #A  | 94560 | 535,000             | 2       | 1249  | 1985 02-18-16 |

| SAN LEANDRO   TOTAL SALES: 14 |       |                     |         |       |               |
|-------------------------------|-------|---------------------|---------|-------|---------------|
| Highest \$: 800,000           |       | Median \$: 510,000  |         |       |               |
| Lowest \$: 355,000            |       | Average \$: 544,321 |         |       |               |
| ADDRESS                       | ZIP   | SOLD FOR            | BDSSQFT | BUILT | CLOSED        |
| 1346 Accolade Drive           | 94577 | 538,000             | 3       | 1460  | 2003 02-17-16 |
| 298 California Avenue         | 94577 | 582,500             | 2       | 1154  | 1941 02-11-16 |
| 244 Cherrywood Avenue         | 94577 | 660,000             | 3       | 1686  | 1927 02-17-16 |
| 350 Myers Court               | 94577 | 715,000             | 3       | 1757  | 1968 02-17-16 |
| 13723 Seagard Drive           | 94577 | 465,000             | 2       | 990   | 1988 02-16-16 |
| 2545 West Avenue              | 94577 | 800,000             | 5       | 2242  | 1948 02-11-16 |
| 16545 Hannah Drive            | 94578 | 425,000             | 4       | 1960  | 1941 02-11-16 |
| 1268 Margery Avenue           | 94578 | 415,000             | 2       | 1058  | 1947 02-11-16 |
| 1457 Plaza Drive              | 94578 | 355,000             | 2       | 1090  | 1946 02-18-16 |
| 16636 Winding Boulevard       | 94578 | 730,000             | 4       | 2348  | 1975 02-18-16 |
| 14765 Wyman Avenue            | 94578 | 510,000             | 3       | 1376  | 1946 02-18-16 |
| 14742 Bethany Street          | 94579 | 430,000             | 3       | 1485  | 1951 02-17-16 |
| 15358 Bittern Court           | 94579 | 575,000             | 3       | 1321  | 1999 02-17-16 |
| 14637 Juniper Street          | 94579 | 420,000             | 3       | 1096  | 1953 02-16-16 |

| SAN LORENZO   TOTAL SALES: 2 |       |                     |         |       |               |
|------------------------------|-------|---------------------|---------|-------|---------------|
| Highest \$: 600,000          |       | Median \$: 520,000  |         |       |               |
| Lowest \$: 520,000           |       | Average \$: 560,000 |         |       |               |
| ADDRESS                      | ZIP   | SOLD FOR            | BDSSQFT | BUILT | CLOSED        |
| 15558 Tracy Street           | 94580 | 600,000             | 2       | 1016  | 1947 02-18-16 |
| 17043 Via Perdido            | 94580 | 520,000             | 3       | 1068  | 1947 02-17-16 |

| UNION CITY   TOTAL SALES: 12 |       |                     |         |       |               |
|------------------------------|-------|---------------------|---------|-------|---------------|
| Highest \$: 1,290,500        |       | Median \$: 685,000  |         |       |               |
| Lowest \$: 410,000           |       | Average \$: 724,083 |         |       |               |
| ADDRESS                      | ZIP   | SOLD FOR            | BDSSQFT | BUILT | CLOSED        |
| 1758 Baylor Street           | 94587 | 715,000             | 4       | 1534  | 1960 02-16-16 |
| 32442 Celeste Court          | 94587 | 685,000             | 4       | 1566  | 1971 02-17-16 |
| 4402 Drywood Court           | 94587 | 685,000             | 4       | 1389  | 1974 02-16-16 |
| 910 G Street                 | 94587 | 453,000             | 0       | 1324  | 1978 02-18-16 |
| 32205 Gacoscas Street        | 94587 | 1,290,500           | 0       | 0     | 02-16-16      |
| 32207 Gacoscas Street        | 94587 | 1,156,500           | 0       | 0     | 02-16-16      |
| 2827 Mann Avenue             | 94587 | 750,000             | 4       | 1550  | 1970 02-18-16 |
| 359 Monte Carlo Avenue       | 94587 | 639,000             | 3       | 1008  | 1956 02-11-16 |
| 4457 Queensboro Way          | 94587 | 645,000             | 3       | 1120  | 1970 02-11-16 |
| 4553 Queensboro Way          | 94587 | 545,000             | 3       | 1357  | 1970 02-17-16 |
| 3011 Risdon Drive #8         | 94587 | 410,000             | 2       | 908   | 1987 02-18-16 |
| 3154 San Angelo Way          | 94587 | 715,000             | 4       | 1762  | 1968 02-11-16 |

Laura’s Law  
Mental Health  
Forum

SUBMITTED BY  
SUZANNE BARBA

Mental Illness has become a crisis across our country—and even in our local communities. Recently, the Alameda County Board of Supervisors approved implementing Laura’s Law as a pilot program. If it is successful, they will expand the program to treat additional patients with severe mental illness.

Laura’s Law went into effect in 2002 and is an Assisted Outpatient Treatment program for people with severe mental illnesses who refuse specific treatment because their illness impairs their ability to make rational decisions. Alameda County joins seven other counties that have approved implementation of the law.

Laura’s Law and how it will impact patients who suffer with severe mental illness, is the focus of a forum featuring a panel of experts on March 18 at the San Lorenzo Library. The event is sponsored by the League of Women Voters Eden Area.

Speakers include, Alameda County Supervisor Wilma Chan; Rebecca Gebhart, Acting Director, Alameda County Health Care Services Agency; Diane Urban, Hayward Chief of Police; and Gail Steele, former Alameda County Supervisor.

The Forum will review the impact of Laura’s Law in the county, how it is going to be implemented, the role of law enforcement agencies and the impact on families.

The program begins at 12:30 p.m. RSVP’s are required for all attendees. To reserve a seat, please call Suzanne Barba at (510) 538-9678 or email: suzbarba@comcast.net

**Laura’s Law- Mental Health Forum**  
**Friday, Mar 18**  
**12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.**  
**San Lorenzo Library**  
**395 Paseo Grande, San Lorenzo**  
**RSVP required:**  
**(510) 538-9678**  
**suzbarba@comcast.net**

AP Studio  
Art Senior  
Show

SUBMITTED BY  
GEOFF LANDREAU

The Mt. Eden Gallery of Art is proud to present the 2016 “AP Studio Art Senior Show,” opening with a reception on Thursday, March 17. Advanced Placement (AP) senior art students are preparing for submission to the College Board on May 6. The students in AP Studio Art: Drawing must create 24 finished drawings by that date and students in AP Studio Art: 3D Design must finish 18 sculptures. This show features the best works from each student.

**AP Studio  
Art Senior Show**

**Thursday, Mar 17 – Friday,**  
**Apr 15**  
**Monday – Friday:**  
**8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.**  
**Thursday until 5 p.m.**

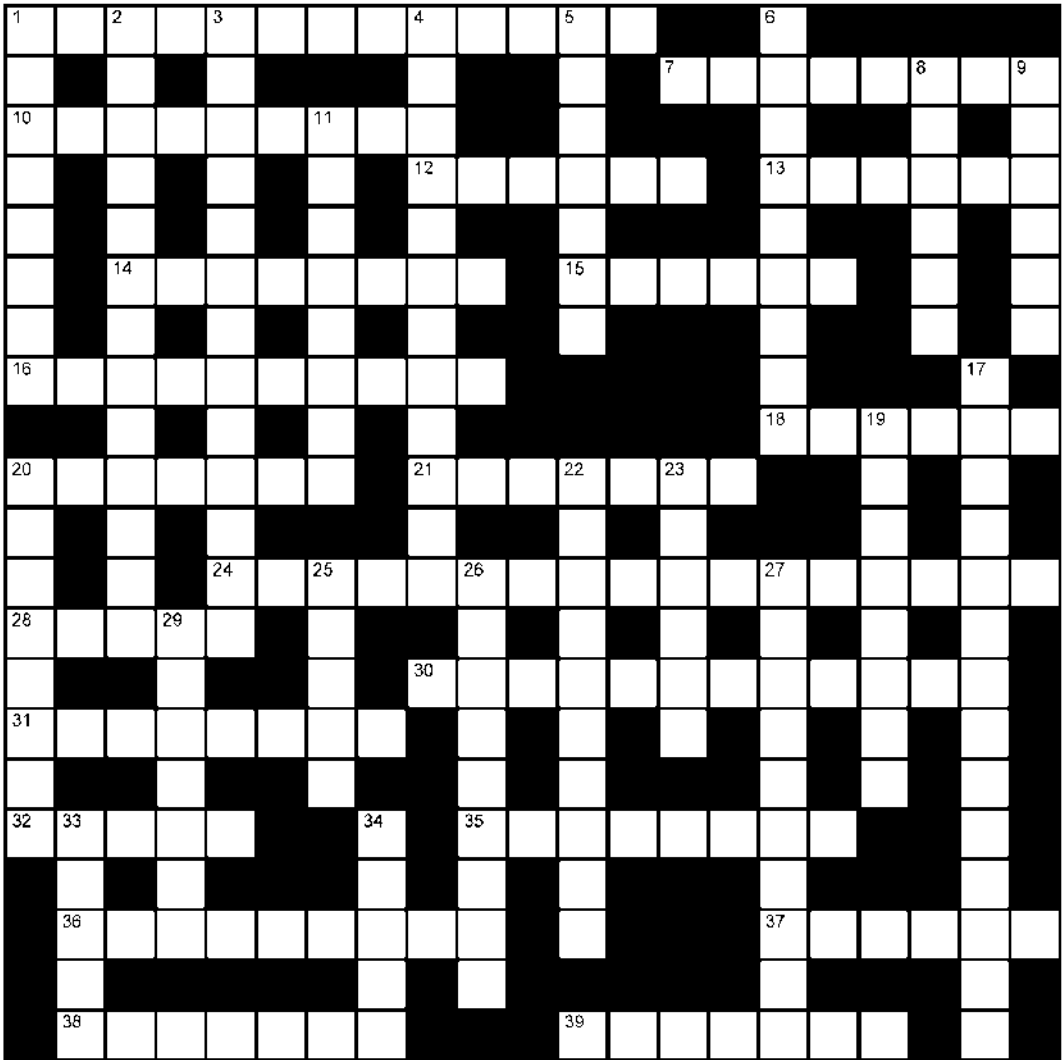
**Opening Reception**  
**Thursday, Mar 17**  
**2:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

**Mt. Eden Gallery of Art**  
**Mt. Eden High School**  
**2300 Panama St, Hayward**  
**Room L4**  
**(510) 723-3180 ext. 62274**



# Mind Twisters

## Crossword Puzzle B 359



- Across

1

reference materials (13)

7

impressive or wonderful (8)

10

legal right of possession (9)

12

Grand (6)

13

Near (6)

14

taking off (8)

15

tolerate (6)

16

bank, e.g. (10)

18

part of a river (6)

20

white (superlative) (7)

21

Like some pitches (7)

24

holiday item (9,8)

28

Adhesive (5)

30

something in common (12)

31

Shipping hazards (8)

32

elegance (5)

35

glistening (8)
- 36

mode of action (9)

37

water, juice etc. (6)

38

looking (7)

39

Ticked off (7)
- Down

1

large (8)

2

talking socially (13)

3

distance around a circle (13)

4

clarifications (12)

5

changed (7)

6

fast food (9)

8

mass of ice (6)

9

musical (6)

11

weighty (8)

17

management (14)

19

pocketknife (8)

20

covering (8)

22

writing paper (10)

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disappointment (6)

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extend between specified limits (5)

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shapes (9)

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primarily (10)

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used in cigarettes (7)

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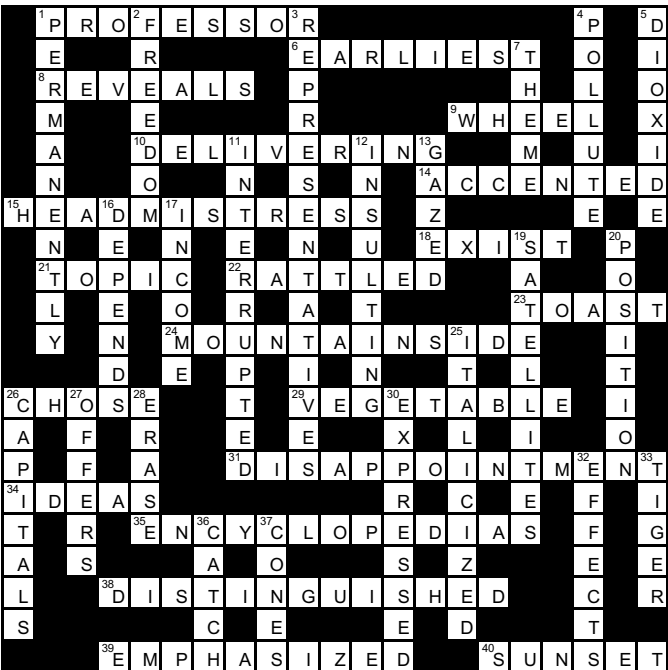
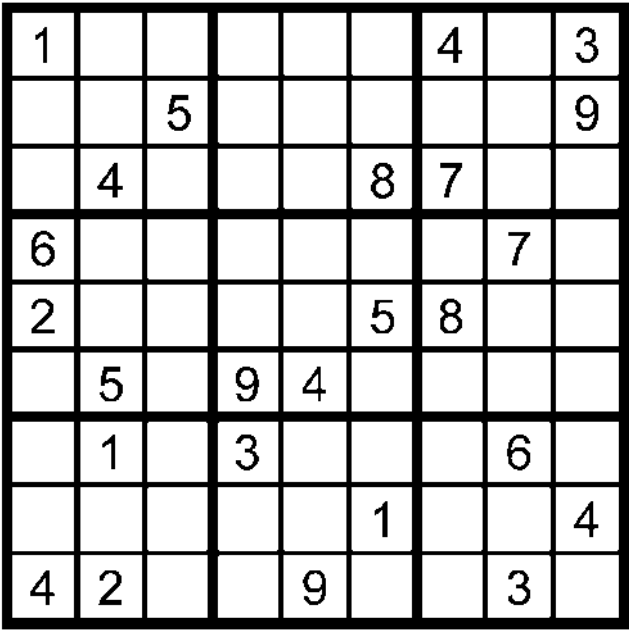
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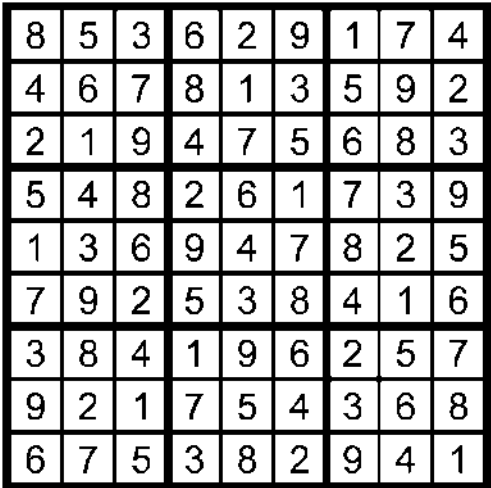
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## Sudoku:

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



B 360



## Tri-City Stargazer MARCH 16 - MARCH 22, 2016

For All Signs: The spring equinox occurs on March 20 at 12:37 a.m. EST. This is one of the two points in the annual cycle at which we (theoretically) experience equal days and nights. It is the moment the sun appears to move into the sign of Aries. For many agricultural and herding peoples of ancient times (pagans), the equinox was one of the eight holiday festivals of the year. It was customary in those days to prepare for the coming season by welcoming its arrival through appropriate rituals and celebration. It is widely thought that Stonehenge and other such structures were built for the express purpose of marking the seasonal changes. Now in our air conditioned, urbanized society, we hardly give the equinox a moment's thought. It is a sad development that we so rarely honor the annual cycle of Mother Earth in our culture.

**Aries the Ram (March 21-April 20):** Both the Sun and Mercury are moving into your sign this week, bringing at least one, if not two or more new beginnings at this time. For the next three weeks there will be much in the way of moving from place to place, phone calls, and communications by every means.

**Taurus the Bull (April 21-May 20):** Be aware that you are in a sensitive frame of mind and may misinterpret that which is said to you. You may be the one who hears what you want to hear. So take your impressions with a grain of salt until you clarify what was originally intended.

**Gemini the Twins (May 21-June 20):** Early in the week you may be tending an old emotional or physical wound. This could be your own or that of another. Circumstances may seem to repeat themselves in not so pleasant ways. The mood or activity will change on the 21st and you will move into a much better place.

**Cancer the Crab (June 21-July 21):** You may not be feel-

ing quite comfortable with yourself this week. It appears your mind is in conflict with your feelings. Do the best you can to deal with this issue up front, perhaps by journaling or discussing it with a friend. Keep in mind that there is not a mandate for you to settle on a decision right now.

**Leo the Lion (July 22-August 22):** At this time of year, the Sun shines upon your 9th house of travel and expansion. You are probably already making plans for your next vacation. Aspects favor opening yourself to greater territory in your life. You may be thinking of beginning a new study, a spiritual pursuit, or creating a website.

**Virgo the Virgin (August 23-September 22):** Love, romance, play, pleasures and creativity will be on the menu this week. You may be seeing the positive development of a creative work begun a long time ago. Your partner or a very close friend is wounded, whether physically or emotionally, and needs some of your attention.

**Libra the Scales (September 23-October 22):** Events of this

week trigger your sense of compassion and draw you into the need to assist in the healing of another. As you live into this experience, you will discover that having compassion also heals you. Your spirit will be lifted. Don't avoid the call.

**Scorpio the Scorpion (October 23-November 21):** At last! The Sun shines and there is a breakthrough of the clouds in your life. You may become the leader in a project that will be good for many. Love life appears or perhaps it improves and you are enjoying your roles in life. This is a time in which you may realize that your struggles have been worth the effort.

**Sagittarius the Archer (November 22-December 21):** This will be a week to celebrate. You are recognized for the value you bring to the world at large. It is possible that the results bring improvements in your income. Meanwhile your reflexes are off right now. Watch the accelerator foot and handle sharp instruments with respect.

**Capricorn the Goat (December 22-January 19):** This spring you are given a boost of

power by Jupiter. This represents the help that comes to you from behind the scenes. Legal, educational, publishing and religious interests are bent in your favor. You can make progress in these arenas at this time.

**Aquarius the Water Bearer (January 20-February 18):** Life is tough on you right now. You do not have all the resources you need, but the Waterbearer always has a Plan B up his/her sleeve. Hold onto faith and hang tough; you will accomplish the goal with perseverance and hard work.

**Pisces the Fish (February 19-March 20):** The next couple of weeks are especially good for discussing important subjects

with partners. You each are in a cooperative frame of mind and communications flow well. You can give and receive mutual help at this time and improve the overall energy in the relationship. Your senses are wide open to the energies around you. You may have psychic flashes or unusual dreams.

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



# Music at the Mission

## delivers ‘Piano Brilliance’

SUBMITTED BY VICKILYN HUSSEY

The Music at the Mission Salon Series continues this month with “Piano Brilliance” featuring Katherine Lee, a member of Fremont’s Music at the Mission Chamber Players, and guest artist Alison Lee. In the tradition of Music at the Mission’s “Chamber Music Outside the Box” performances, this concert is not only virtuosic, but also unique. The program is composed entirely for two pianos.

“The thrilling highlight of our afternoon concert on March 20 is Leonard Bernstein’s ‘West Side Story Symphonic Dances for Two Pianos,’ an electrifying instrumental narrative of young star-crossed lovers, gang conflict and hope for a better future,” says Aileen Chanco, Executive Director of Music at the Mission.

Spiced with Latin dance themes, the finger-snapping “West Side Story” is Bernstein’s most memorable Broadway score and the foundation for “West Side Story Symphonic Dances.” The Tony and Academy Award-winning musical themes are brilliantly charged with dramatic tension.

The concert opens with a work by one of the world’s most beloved pianists whose keyboard technique was also formidable, Rachmaninoff’s “Symphonic Dances, Op.45 for Two Pianos.” Although criticized during his lifetime for composing what was deemed to be overly nostalgic,



his “beautiful melodies and moody romanticism” now rank among “the greats.”

Paul Dukas’ “The Sorcerer’s Apprentice” feels contemporary no matter what the era because it is meticulously crafted and delightfully ingenious. It has a long association with Disney’s “Fantasia,” with Mickey Mouse as the apprentice. However Dukas’ tone poem isn’t from the 1940s; it was written in 1897, based on Goethe’s 1797 literary poem of the same name.

Another enchanting work on the program, also inspired by a poem, was a favorite of the French Impressionists from the moment it was composed, Debussy’s “Prelude a l’Apres-midi d’un Faune for Two Pianos.” The conductor of its first public performance was “amazed at the

composer’s ability to reproduce at the keyboard, all the orchestral colors and the nuances of the individual instruments.”

Katherine Lee is in full command of colors and nuances, having received her Doctor of Musical Arts in piano performance from the University of Texas at Austin, where she was showered with honors and studied with Anton Nel, winner of the prestigious Naumburg International Piano Competition. She received her Bachelor of Music degree from USC where she studied with acclaimed piano virtuosos John Perry and Norman Krieger.

Currently a doctoral student at the University of Minnesota where she studies with Lydia Artyimiw, Alison Lee holds a master’s degree from Rice University, and a

bachelor’s from Oberlin Conservatory where she studied with the much-lauded Dr. Jon Kimura Parker and Angela Cheng. Lee’s performance has been described as “magical” and “ethereally played” by the international press.

“The magnificent artistry of Music at the Mission Players and the wonderful concert programs are reasons enough to give our Salon Series a try. But when you include fine wines and gourmet hors d’oeuvres at a lovely private home, why hesitate?” as season subscriber Sandi Pantages aptly puts it.

“Piano Brilliance” takes place on Sunday, March 20. Tickets are \$55 for a single or \$100 per couple and include wine and hors d’oeuvres. Advance reservations are required, and the concert address in Fremont will be disclosed upon ticket order confirmation. If you have any questions, please contact Music at the Mission at [info@musicatmsj.org](mailto:info@musicatmsj.org).

**Piano Brilliance**  
**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**3:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.**  
**Location disclosed upon ticket order**  
**Fremont**  
**(510) 402-1724**  
**[info@musicatmsj.org](mailto:info@musicatmsj.org)**  
**[www.musicatmsj.org](http://www.musicatmsj.org)**  
**Tickets: \$55 single, \$100 couple**

## Sign up to audition for upcoming theatrical collaboration

SUBMITTED BY STAGE 1 THEATRE AND  
OHLONE COLLEGE SUMMERFEST

Stage 1 Theatre and Ohlone College SummerFest are pleased to announce auditions for their first collaborative production.

Due to contractual restrictions, this show, written by the award winning composer/lyricist team of Stephen Flaherty and Lynn Ahrens, with book by Terrance McNally, will be announced April 2016. With songs like “Wheels of a Dream” and “Getting Ready Rag,” this turn of the century musical has it all!

**Audition dates are by appointment only:**  
**Friday, April 8, 7 p.m.-10 p.m.**  
**Saturday, April 9, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.**  
**Sunday, April 10, 12 p.m.-4 p.m.**

Auditions held at Newark-Memorial High School Theatre, 39375 Cedar Blvd, Newark.  
Callbacks (by invitation only) held at Ohlone College, Monday, April 18, 6 p.m.-10 p.m.

Please prepare 16-32 bars of an up-tempo song, not from the show. Bring sheet music in your key. An accompanist will be provided. No Karaoke or Acappella. Please dress comfortably to learn a short dance routine.

Performances and Rehearsals are held at Ohlone College 43600 Mission Blvd. Fremont. Rehearsals are Monday-Thursday, 7 p.m.-10:30 p.m. and some Saturdays, and will begin on April 25 with orientations and read through.

Performance Dates: Friday, July 8- Saturday, July 23 at 8 p.m.  
(July 8, 9, 14, 15, 16, 21, 22 & 23)

No Sunday Matinees due to performing in an outdoor amphitheatre. There are no pre-cast roles. We are a non-profit non-equity theatre group; there are no acting stipends.

Go to: [www.stage1theatre.org](http://www.stage1theatre.org) to schedule an Audition Appointment. Please print and complete Audition Forms and Conflict Sheet and bring them with you to auditions along with two copies of your resume and two headshots.

## Auditions: A Year with Frog and Toad

SUBMITTED BY  
SHARON FILIPPI

Stage 1 Theatre in Newark Memorial High School will be holding auditions on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 19 and 20, for the production of “A Year with Frog and Toad.” Based on Arnold Lobel’s beloved children’s books, “A Year with Frog and Toad” is a family-friendly musical that tells the story of two best friends, Frog and Toad, as they navigate through an adventure-filled year. They are joined by some colorful, whimsical woodland characters such as Snail, Turtle, Mouse, Squirrel and many more. Set to a jazzy score, this charming musical has plenty of ensemble roles and accessible music.

Performances will be held in August. Youth ages 5 to 18 are welcome; no experience is required. Being part of this musical experience

is one that your children will always remember. Being on stage in costume with a group of like-minded musical children is beneficial to your child’s growth. Please consider taking part and contact Lynette Pang at [lpang@stage1theatre.org](mailto:lpang@stage1theatre.org) with any questions you might have. For more information, visit [www.stage1theatre.org](http://www.stage1theatre.org).

**Auditions: A Year with Frog and Toad**  
**Tuesday, Apr 19 & Wednesday, Apr 20**  
**6:30 p.m. – 9 p.m.**  
**Newark Memorial High School Main Theatre**  
**39375 Cedar Blvd, Newark**  
**[lpang@stage1theatre.org](mailto:lpang@stage1theatre.org)**  
**[www.stage1theatre.org](http://www.stage1theatre.org)**  
**Workshop fee: \$250 per child; \$150 per sibling**

## City of Fremont News Briefs

SUBMITTED BY CHERYL GOLDEN

**Coming Soon: 2016 State of the City Address**

If you want to learn more about the issues and opportunities facing the City of Fremont, stay tuned! Fremont Mayor Bill Harrison will be presenting the annual State of the City Address at a luncheon hosted by the Fremont Chamber of Commerce on Thursday, March 24, noon to 2 p.m. at the Fremont Marriott Silicon Valley. To buy tickets, please call the Fremont Chamber of Commerce at 510-795-2244 or visit [www.Fremontbusiness.com](http://www.Fremontbusiness.com).

And in case you can’t make it, the State of the City Address will be rebroadcast on Fremont Cable TV Channel 27, as well as posted to the City website by the end of the following week.

**Giving Hope Program’s Crab Feed Fundraiser**

This Crab Feed means two things: supporting a noteworthy cause and an all-you-can-eat crab feast! The Niles Main Street Association and the City of Fremont will host a Crab Feed fundraiser on March 19 that will benefit the City’s Giving Hope Program and the Niles Community. You won’t want to miss it! By participating in this fundraiser, you will have the opportunity to help out local families and seniors in need, while enjoying a full spread of all-you-can-eat crab, pasta, salad, garlic bread, and dessert. But the fun doesn’t stop there! Enjoy live music before dinner provided by

the great Newark Saxophone Quartet. After dinner enjoy the no-host-bar and DJ music, bid on auction items, keep the silent auction bidding going, take photos, and dance if the music moves you.

The event on Saturday, March 19 will take place at the Fremont Veterans’ Hall, 37154 Second St. in Fremont’s Niles District. The doors open at 6 p.m.—grab your table and enjoy the first hour mixer. Feel free to dress in the spirit of our Under the Sea theme for a special prize for the best dressed. Concerned about the supply of crab? All our crab is coming from the clean waters of Oregon and Washington.

Tickets can be purchased online at [www.niles.org/crab-feed](http://www.niles.org/crab-feed) for \$50. Last year was a sell-out and tickets are required for entry, so get your tickets now!

Additional donations and sponsorships are always welcomed. Please contact Han Trinh at [hnt Trinh121@gmail.com](mailto:hnt Trinh121@gmail.com) or Jane O’Hollaren at [johollaren@fremont.gov](mailto:johollaren@fremont.gov).

**AARP Tax Assistance for Seniors**

AARP Tax-Aide volunteers will be at the Fremont Senior Center on Tuesdays and Thursdays through Thursday, April 14 to help seniors with their 2015 Federal and State Income Tax Returns. Call the Fremont Senior Center to schedule your appointment at 510-790-6600.

**Compost Giveaway**

Thank you Fremont residents for feeding your green organics cart each week with food scraps and yard waste. Now you can feed the plants in your garden with quality compost that was made from your yard trimmings and food scraps. Pick up two free bags of compost on Sunday, April 3, from 8 a.m. to noon or while supplies

last at the Fremont Recycling and Transfer Station located at 41149 Boyce Rd. The event will be held rain or shine. Avoid the lines by arriving after 9:30 a.m.

Bring your current Republic Services garbage bill to show that your household participates in the City’s curbside organics program. Carefully follow the signs and watch for the traffic controls that will direct you to the loading area where crews will place the compost into your vehicle. If your neighbor or a family member is unable to attend, you may bring their Republic Services bill and pick up their compost for them.

Compost Giveaway is brought to you by the City of Fremont, in partnership with Republic Services and the Fremont Recycling and Transfer Station. For more information, contact Republic Services at 510-657-3500.

**Youth Scholarship Program**

The City of Fremont’s Parks and Recreation Scholarship Fund is seeking donations for their scholarship program administered by the Community Services Department. The program is designed for children who, without financial assistance, would not have the opportunity to participate in the Department’s youth activities. More than 400 scholarships were given out last summer and a 10 percent increase in need is anticipated for this summer. Children who qualify for the “School Lunch” program are eligible to apply. One hundred percent of donations are directed toward subsidizing these classes and activities for low-income youth that need the support. For more information please contact Lance Scheetz at 510-494-4331 or [lscheetz@fremont.gov](mailto:lscheetz@fremont.gov).

**Memoir Writer’s Workshop**

Everyone has a story to tell. However, if it’s not recorded somewhere it will be lost forever. Join us for this free 90-minute Memoir Writer’s Workshop being offered at the Fremont Senior Center on Wednesday, March 30 from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. Don’t miss the opportunity to share your history, culture and memories with your descendants. Learn how to capture your life so that future generations of your family will come to know you. Contact the Fremont Senior Center for more information at 510-790-6600.

**Fremont Crab Feed a Major Success!**

The Fremont Senior Center’s 9th annual Crab Feed, held at Fremont Elks Lodge on Friday, February 19, was a successful and fun evening for all who attended. While guests enjoyed endless supplies of crab, shipped in fresh from Oregon, gift baskets were raffled off to 58 lucky winners. Our oldest guest in attendance, George Sekovich, 99 years old, was awarded a \$100 prize. George entertained the audience all night long and informed everyone that he is ‘single and ready to mingle.’ The Senior Center is grateful to all those who attended and supported the event. The community event raised almost \$25,000 for the Senior Center. Make sure to mark your calendars for next year’s Crab Feed which will be held on Friday, February 17, 2017.

WARNING: DON'T DO THIS PAGE ALONE!

# It's Bunny Buddy Time!



 Buzz and Beeper Bunny like to play games together. Find somebunny to be your buddy and do this page together! If the page looks easy, share it with somebunny younger than you. If it looks hard, share it with somebunny older.

## EGGS 23

**You Need:**  
Each player needs 8 markers. Buttons, pebbles or even small squares of paper make good markers.

**Goal:**  
Be the first person to get to the sum of 23.

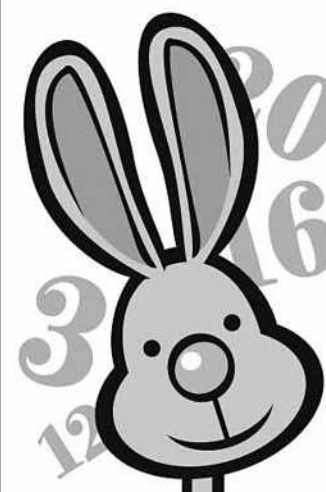
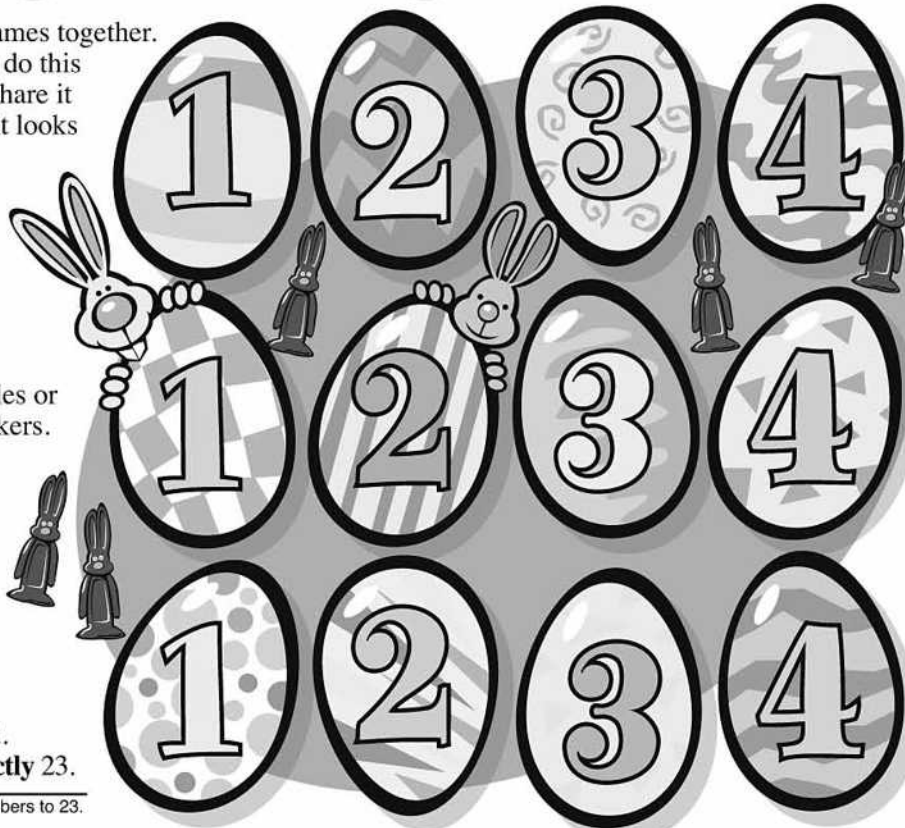
- How to Play:**
1. The first player puts one marker on a number and says the number aloud.
  2. The second player places a marker on another number, adds that number to the previous number and says the **total** aloud.
  3. Play continues until one player reaches **exactly** 23.

**Standards Link:** Mathematics: Calculate the sums of whole numbers to 23.

**Buzz's Eggs-tra Challenge:**  
Change the numbers in each egg above, using the numbers 5 through 8.

**Beeper's Eggs-tra-ordinary Challenge:**  
Begin with 23 and subtract the amounts to reach zero.

**Standards Link:** Mathematics: Subtract single digits from single and double digits.



## Puzzling Patterns

Solve Beeper's message by writing the next number in the patterns below. You may need to add, subtract, multiply or divide. Then write the matching code word beside the number on the message line.

**Message:**

|                       |       |
|-----------------------|-------|
| 3, 6, 9, _____        | _____ |
| 48, 24, 12, 6, _____  | _____ |
| 90, 80, 70, 60, _____ | _____ |
| 5, 10, 20, 40, _____  | _____ |
| 25, 20, 15, _____     | _____ |

|              |             |            |            |            |
|--------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|
| <b>Code:</b> | basket = 29 | egg = 16   | a = 80     | happy = 39 |
|              | bunny = 3   | Every = 12 | buddy = 10 | needs = 50 |

**Standards Link:** Reading Comprehension: Follow simple directions. Mathematics: Students solve a variety of problems.

### Extra! Extra!

#### Spring Hunt

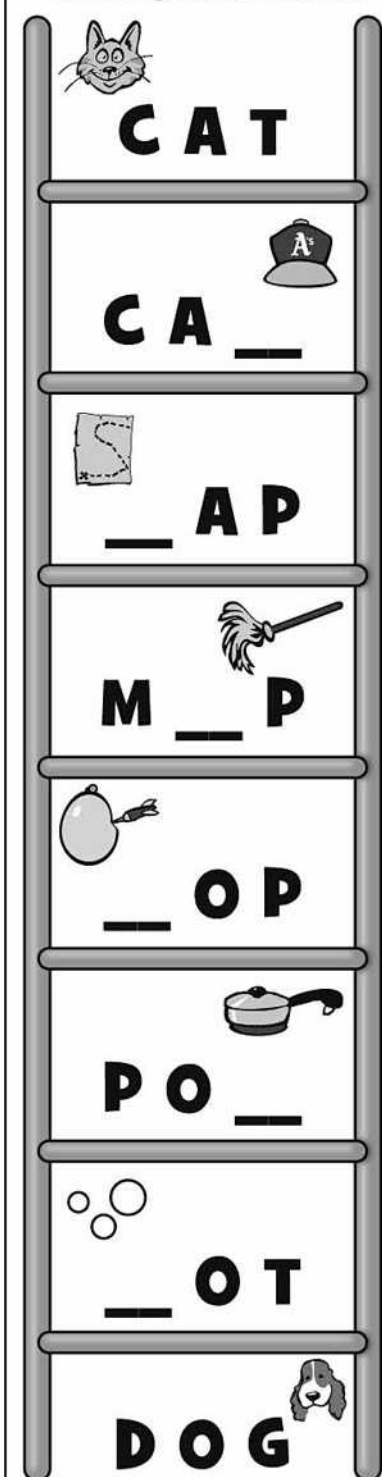
Look through the newspaper for signs of spring. Can you find:

- a flower
- an egg
- a baby animal
- another sign of spring?

**Standards Link:** Science: Classifying objects.

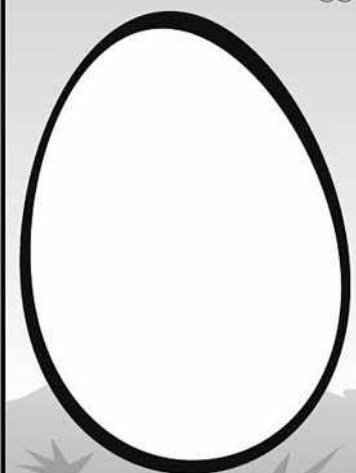
## Easter Word Ladder

Change CAT into DOG by changing just one letter in each word along the word ladder.



## Color It!

Decorate the Easter Egg



## Kid Scoop VOCABULARY BUILDERS

This week's word:  
**TRUST**

The noun **trust** means a firm belief in a character, strength or truth of someone or something.

I left my cat in the **trust** of my neighbor.

Try to use the word **trust** in a sentence today when talking with your friends or family members.

## Bunny Hunt



**Standards Link:** Visual discrimination.

## Double Double Word Search

GAMES  
BUNNY  
BASKET  
PATTERNS  
PATH  
TRUST  
EGGS  
SPRING  
CHALLENGE  
PAGE  
SIGNS  
HUNT  
EASTER  
RACE  
PLAY

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

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| R | Y | G | A | M | P | E | G | G | S |
| A | S | G | P | H | P | A | T | H | L |
| C | H | A | L | L | E | N | G | E | R |
| E | U | M | A | B | A | S | K | E | T |
| A | N | E | Y | S | P | T | I | N | R |
| S | T | S | P | R | I | N | G | P | U |
| T | B | U | N | N | Y | G | T | I | S |
| E | U | M | S | C | E | A | N | G | T |
| R | P | A | T | T | E | R | N | S | R |

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

## FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

### Trust

Whom do you trust? Do you know why? Can you find a picture in the newspaper of someone you trust? Can you find a picture of someone you would not trust? Think about why you selected each picture.

**Standards Link:** Health: Identify support systems in the community.

## YOLK DEPARTMENT



## Write On!

### Easter Bunny Spotted

The Easter Bunny has been spotted and you're the reporter covering the story. Be sure to tell *who, what, when, where, why* and *how*.

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# Family Day at the Park

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KAREN MORALDA

The spring season is upon us, and what better way to welcome the spring equinox than taking part in "Family Day at the Park," hosted by the City of Newark's Recreation and Community Services Department on Saturday, March 19. Newark Community Park will be the site of family-friendly activities such as arts and crafts, egg dyeing, games and egg hunts. The event also features a petting zoo and a community resource faire.

"The City has been offering an 'Easter Egg Hunt' for more than 40 years, then in 1996 I came up with the idea to expand the Easter Egg Hunt to include a community-wide resource faire, children's games, arts and crafts, petting zoo, egg dyeing, photo with the bunny, face painting, and more. I changed the name to 'Family Day at the Park.' The event attracts more than 1,500 people if the weather is good. This will be my 27th year running the program, and we have only had four years of rain," shares Karen Moralda, Senior Recreation Supervisor.

The event is supported by City of Newark, Newark Optimist Club, Newark Rotary Club and teen volunteers. Guests are advised to bring a camera and an Easter basket. For more information, call (510) 578-4432 or visit [www.ci.newark.ca.us](http://www.ci.newark.ca.us).



**Family Day at the Park**  
**Saturday, Mar 19**  
**9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**  
**Newark Community Park**  
**35501 Cedar Blvd, Newark**  
**(510) 578-4432**  
**[www.ci.newark.ca.us](http://www.ci.newark.ca.us)**  
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This is the expectation behind Transitions, the short-stay rehabilitation center at the Masonic Homes. It opened its doors to residents and the Tri-City community in the fall of 2016, and provides specialized care for cardiac, orthopedic, stroke, and neurosurgical rehabilitation.

Transitions includes 17 private patient rooms, a dining room, and a well-equipped fitness center. The staff-to-patient ratio is much higher than that of most skilled nursing units, and on the whole, higher credentialed. (All Transitions nurses are registered nurses.) The typical patient stay is just 10 to 18 days, so staff has been trained for fast and frequent coordination with medical, insurance, and social services. A care manager eases care decisions, and a social services manager leads discharge planning. Within 48 hours of a patient's admission, there is a team meeting to bring all these pieces together.

"It's different from other places that I've worked," says Marlou Canosa, RN and Transitions unit supervisor. "We have the opportunity to get to know our patients well. We provide the one-on-one care that each patient deserves."

Transitions walks the line between hospital and hotel. Music plays softly in the background of communal spaces. An onsite gym boasts state-of-the-art equipment. Patients and visitors enjoy restaurant-style dining with table service, and a coffee and juice bar is set up daily for early risers. Upon checking in, patients receive slippers and a shower tote. Each private room has a large-screen television with cable, and comfortable seating for visitors. Out-of-town visitors can rent an apartment next door at Acacia Creek Retirement Community.

But it's not just about the physical space and amenities. The program is also designed with compassion for the patient, and sensitivity to the challenges of rehabilitation. During recovery from a major medical event, even small things can be a source of stress, like how to keep one's room presentable for visitors or figuring out how to work the TV remote. Transitions staffers go to great lengths to predict and prevent these issues. Twelve hours a day, a concierge greets patients and their families, introducing them to the space and answering

any questions. In the morning, he makes rounds to all the patient rooms, taking note of patient needs and working with housekeeping and nursing to resolve them.

"We provide services that go beyond what currently exist," says Franco Diamond, executive director of the Masonic Homes in Union City. "We modeled it for the future of the senior care industry."

For information about the Transitions short-stay rehabilitation center, call (510) 471-3434 Ext. 0



## A TAIL-WAG TO RECOVERY

Looking for a non-pharmaceutical solution to decrease anxiety, stress, depression, and fatigue? Animal therapy is a popular and comforting option.

Many health care facilities and retirement communities now include animal-assisted therapy as part of the repertoire of services. Recent studies indicate that therapy dogs and other assistance animals can positively impact people who are struggling to deal with a range of health issues – from heart disease to mental health disorders. And, according to the Mayo Clinic, "It's not only the ill person who reaps the benefits. Family members and friends who sit in on animal visits say that they feel better, too."

Many members of the Tri-City community volunteer with pet therapy animals at the Masonic Homes, bringing joy to residents and staff alike. For more information about volunteering at the Masonic Homes, contact Carlene Voss, volunteer and community resource program manager, at (510) 429-6469 or [cvoss@mhcuc.org](mailto:cvoss@mhcuc.org).



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**Tuesday, Jan 21 - Sunday, Apr 2**

**Children's Book Illustrator Exhibit**

11 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
*Illustrators share their artwork*  
Artist reception Saturday, Mar 12 @ 1 p.m.  
Sun Gallery  
1015 E St., Hayward  
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www.sungallery.org

**Tuesdays, Feb 2 thru Apr 12**

**Free Quality Tax Assistance**

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
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**Tuesdays & Thursdays, Feb 2 thru Apr 14**

**AARP Income Tax Assistance - R**

Tues: 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.  
Thurs: 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
*Volunteers assist seniors with tax returns*  
Fremont Senior Center  
40086 Paseo Padre Parkway,  
Fremont  
(510) 790-6600

**Wednesday, Feb 3 - Friday, Apr 15**

**Free Quality Tax Assistance**

Wed & Thurs: 4 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
Fri: 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
*Tax help for low income households*  
Fremont Family Resource Center  
39155 Liberty St. (at Capitol),  
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**Monday, Feb 5 - Friday, Apr 4**

**Landscapes, Brilliant in Light and Color**

8 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
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**Saturdays, Feb 6 - Apr 16**

**Free Quality Tax Assistance**

10 a.m. - 2 p.m.  
*Tax help for low income households*  
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**Saturdays, Feb 6 - May 7**

**Sabercat Creek Habitat Restoration**

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**Mondays, Feb 8 thru Apr 11**

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**Thursday, Feb 19 thru Sunday, Mar 19**

**Fremont: An Affectionate Focus Photography Exhibit**

12 noon - 5 p.m.  
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### FREMONT:

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Year-round  
Bonde Way at Fremont Blvd.,  
Fremont  
(510) 909-2067  
www.fremontfarmersmarket.com

**Downtown Fremont**  
**Farmers' Market**  
**Wednesdays**  
**3 p.m. – 7 p.m.**  
May thru October  
Capital Ave. between Liberty St.  
and State St.  
www.westcoastfarmersmarkets.org

**Kaiser Permanente Fremont**  
**Farmers' Market**  
**Thursdays**  
**10 a.m. – 2 p.m.**  
Year-round  
39400 Paseo Padre Pkwy.,  
Fremont  
800-949-FARM  
www.pcfma.com

**Irvington Farmers' Market**  
**Sundays**  
**9 a.m. – 2 p.m.**  
Year-round  
Bay Street and Trimboli Way,  
Fremont  
800-949-FARM  
www.pcfma.com

**Niles Farmer's Market**  
**Saturdays**  
**9 a.m. - 2 p.m.**  
Year-round  
Niles Town Plaza  
37592 Niles Blvd., Fremont  
www.westcoastfarmersmarket.org

### HAYWARD:

**Hayward Farmers' Market**  
**Saturdays**  
**9 a.m. - 1 p.m.**  
Year-round  
Hayward City Plaza  
777 B. St., Hayward  
1-800-897-FARM  
www.agriculturalinstitute.org

**South Hayward Glad Tidings**  
**Saturdays**  
**9 a.m. - 3 p.m.**  
Year-round  
W. Tennyson Rd. between Tyrell  
Ave. and Tampa Ave., Hayward  
(510) 783-9377  
www.cafarmersmarkets.com

### SAN LEANDRO:

**Kaiser Permanente**  
**San Leandro**  
**Wednesday**  
**10 a.m. - 2 p.m.**  
June 11, 2014 to  
December 31, 2014  
2500 Merced St, San Leandro  
www.cafarmersmarkets.com

**MILPITAS:**  
**Milpitas Farmers' Market at**  
**ICC**  
**Sundays**  
**8 a.m. – 1 p.m.**  
Year-round  
India Community Center  
525 Los Coches St.  
800-949-FARM  
www.pcfma.com

**NEWARK:**  
**Newark Farmers' Market**  
**Sundays**  
**9 a.m. - 1 p.m.**  
Year-round  
NewPark Mall  
2086 NewPark Mall, Newark  
1-800-897-FARM  
www.agriculturalinstitute.org

**Bayfair Mall**  
**Saturdays**  
**9 a.m. - 1 p.m.**  
Year-round  
Fairmont and East 14th St., San  
Leandro  
(925) 465-4690  
www.cafarmersmkts.com

**UNION CITY:**  
**Kaiser Permanente Union**  
**City Farmers' Market**  
**Tuesdays**  
**10 a.m. – 2 p.m.**  
Year-round  
Kaiser Permanente Medical  
Offices  
3553 Whipple Rd., Union City  
800-949-FARM  
www.pcfma.com

**Union City Farmers' Market**  
**Saturdays**  
**9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**  
Year-round  
Old Alvarado Park  
Smith and Watkins Streets,  
Union City  
800-949-FARM  
www.pcfma.com

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**Mondays, Feb 22 thru Mar 21**  
**Family Caregiver Support Pro-**  
**gram – R**  
10 a.m. - 12 noon  
*Training and resources to care for the*  
*elderly*  
Fremont Senior Center  
40086 Paseo Padre Parkway,  
Fremont  
(510) 790-6600  
fsharifi@fremont.gov

**Saturdays, Mar 5 - Mar 26**  
**Homebrewing Workshop \$R**  
1 p.m. - 3 p.m.  
*Brew and bottle Ardenwood Ale*  
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Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd.,  
Fremont  
(510) 544-2797  
www.ebparks.org

**Tuesdays, Mar 1 thru Apr 26**  
**Bridge 1**  
9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.  
*Introduction to set up, bid play and score*  
*keeping*  
Newark Senior Center  
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark  
(510) 578-4840  
www.newark.org

**Tuesdays, Mar 1 thru Apr 26**  
**Bridge 2**  
10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.  
*Mastering game strategy*  
Newark Senior Center  
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark  
(510) 578-4840  
www.newark.org

**Tuesdays, Mar 1 thru May 31**  
**Drop-In Advanced Math Help**  
6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.  
*Algebra, geometry, calculus, trigonome-*  
*try and physics*  
Newark Branch Library  
6300 Civic Terrace Ave., Newark  
(510) 284-0677

**Wednesday, Mar 2 - Sunday,**  
**Mar 30**  
**Roving Artists Showcase**  
5 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
*Paintings featuring fruits and vegetables*  
Mission Coffee Roasting House  
151 Washington Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 474-1004  
www.fremontcoffee.com

**Thursday, Mar 3 - Saturday,**  
**Mar 19**  
**Urinetown the Musical \$**  
7 p.m.  
Sat: Mar 12 at 2 p.m.  
*Hilarious tale of greed and corruption*  
*during a water shortage*  
Irvington High School  
41800 Blacow Rd., Fremont  
(510) 590-7510  
http://www.ihsdrama.com/

**Thursdays, Mar 3 - Apr 28**  
**Bingo \$**  
1 p.m.  
*Games, refreshments and door prizes*  
Newark Senior Center  
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark  
(510) 578-4840  
www.newark.org

**Fridays, Mar 4 thru Mar 25**  
**Toddler Ramble Colorpalooza**  
10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.  
2:30 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.  
*Kids play with color*  
Ages 1 – 3  
Hayward Shoreline Interpretive  
Center  
4901 Breakwater Ave., Hayward  
(510) 670-7270  
www.haywardrec.org

**Saturday, Mar 5 - Sunday,**  
**Mar 20**  
**Chicago the Musical \$**  
Fri & Sat: 8:00 p.m.  
Sun: 2:30 p.m.  
*Women on trial for murder set in the*  
*jazz era*  
Newark Memorial High School  
39375 Cedar Blvd., Newark  
(510) 791-0287  
http://www.stage1theatre.org/tick  
ets/

**Saturdays, Mar 5 - Mar 26**  
**Ax of Murder \$**  
8 p.m.  
*Zany comedic murder mystery*  
Sunol Glen School  
11601 Main St., Sunol  
(925) 449-2693  
www.sunol.net

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Find all the details for these and more Chamber Member events at [www.newark-chamber.com](http://www.newark-chamber.com). Prospective Members: Come see the benefits of becoming a Newark Chamber Member!

Wed, March 16, 5pm-7pm, a fun St. Patrick's Day themed Chamber Mixer, hosted by Swiss Park Newark, at 5911 Mowry Ave. Chamber members, bring a friend! Prospective members - meet and get to know Newark business people!

Tue, March 29, 5pm-7pm, a Tri-City Chamber Mixer, hosted by the Fremont Elks at the Elks Lodge & Banquet Hall, 38991 Farwell Dr, Fremont. Come enjoy the party! You'll hear what the Elks do in our own communities!

Tue, April 12, 5pm-7pm, Celebrate Spring! at this month's Chamber Mixer hosted by the DoubleTree by Hilton-Newark|Fremont, at 39900 Balentine Dr, Newark. You'll love mixing it up!

Thur, April 21, 11:15am-1:30pm, Newark 's Annual "State of the City" Luncheon. This popular event fills up fast. Hear exciting updates about our City, from Mayor Alan L. Nagy. At the DoubleTree Hilton—Newark-Fremont, 39900 Balentine Dr. Get the reservation form on [www.newark-chamber.com](http://www.newark-chamber.com)

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REMINDER: THE CHAMBER HAS RELOCATED Find us in the Community Center Building at 35501 Cedar Blvd. Call to schedule appointments at 510-578-4500 or to get more information. Our email address is: [info@newark-chamber.com](mailto:info@newark-chamber.com)

**Saturdays, Mar 5 - Mar 26**  
**Mental Wellness Series for**  
**African Americans**  
9 a.m. - 12 noon  
*Manage stress, depression and improve*  
*communication*  
La Quinta Inn & Suites  
20777 Hesperian Blvd.,  
Hayward  
(510) 828-3017

**Sunday, Mar 6 - Tuesday,**  
**Mar 29**  
**Shared Perceptions**  
11 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
*San Lorenzo Adult School Exhibit*  
Artist reception Saturday,  
Mar 12, 12 noon  
Alameda Historical Museum  
2324 Alameda Ave., Alameda  
(510) 521-1233  
www.alamedamuseum.org

**Mondays, Mar 7 thru Apr 25**  
**Bunco**  
10 a.m.  
Dice game  
*No experience necessary*  
Newark Senior Center  
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark  
(510) 578-4840  
www.newark.org

**Tuesday, Mar 8 - Sunday,**  
**Mar 27**  
**Fiber Art Showcase**  
11 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
*Crochet, knit and needlepoint*  
Fremont Art Association  
37697 Niles Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 792-0905  
www.FremontArtAssociaion.org

**Friday, Mar 11 - Saturday,**  
**Mar 19**  
**Centerstage Showcase \$**  
Fri: 7:00 p.m.  
Sat: 2:30 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.  
*Youth troupe sings, dances and acts*  
Milpitas Community Center  
457 E. Calaveras Blvd., Milpitas  
(408) 586-3210  
www.centerstagepa.org

**Saturday, Mar 19 - Sunday,**  
**Mar 20**  
**Fremont Friends of the Library**  
**Book Sale \$**  
Sat: 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
Sun: 12 noon - 3 p.m.  
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**Thursdays, Mar 17 thru May**  
**26**  
**Street Eats**  
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500 Via Mercado, San Leandro  
thefoodtruckmafia@gmail.com  
www.thefoodtruckmafia.com

**Thursday, Mar 18 - Sunday,**  
**Apr 16**  
**Barefoot in the Park \$**  
Thurs - Sat: 8 p.m.  
Sun: 12 noon  
*Comedy about a newlywed couple*  
Broadway West Theatre Com-  
pany  
400-B Bay St., Fremont  
(510) 683-9218  
www.broadwaywest.org

**Wednesdays, Mar 23 thru**  
**May 25**  
**Food Truck Mafia**  
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**Tuesday, Mar 15**  
10:00 – 11:15 Daycare Center Visit – UNION CITY  
1:45 – 2:30 Fremont Hills Senior Living, 35490 Mission Blvd., FREMONT  
3:50 – 4:20 Mission Gateway Apts., 33155 Mission Blvd., UNION CITY  
4:50 – 5:30 Mariner Park, Regents Blvd. & Dorado Dr., UNION CITY  
5:40 – 6:20 Sea Breeze Park, Dyer St. & Carmel Way, UNION CITY

**Wednesday, Mar 16**  
2:00 – 4:00 Warm Springs Community Center, 47300 Fernald St., FREMONT  
4:15 – 4:50 Lone Tree Creek Park, Starlit Way & Turquoise St., FREMONT  
6:00 – 6:30 Camellia Dr. & Camellia Ct., FREMONT

**Thursday, Mar 17**  
9:30 – 10:15 Daycare Center Visit, UNION CITY  
10:30 – 10:50 Daycare Center Visit, UNION CITY  
2:00 – 2:30 Daycare Center Visit, SAN LORENZO  
2:45 – 3:40 Bay School, 2001 Bockman Rd., SAN LORENZO

**Monday, Mar 21**  
10:00 – 10:40 Daycare Center Visit, FREMONT  
10:45 – 11:15 Daycare Center

Visit, FREMONT  
1:30 – 2:00 Acacia Creek, 34400 Mission Blvd., UNION CITY  
2:45 – 3:45 Ardenwood School, 33955 Emilia Lane, FREMONT  
5:15 – 6:45 Forest Park School, Deep Creek Rd., & Maybird Cir., FREMONT

**Tuesday, Mar 22**  
9:45– 10:15 Daycare Center Visit – FREMONT  
10:45 – 11:15 Daycare Center Visit – FREMONT  
2:15 – 2:45 Daycare Center Visit - NEWARK  
4:30 – 5:20 Weibel School, 45135 South Grimmer Blvd., FREMONT  
5:50 – 6:40 Booster Park, Gable Dr. & McDuff Ave., FREMONT

**Wednesday, Mar 23**  
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 Budhist School, UNION CITY  
6:00 – 6:30 Camellia Dr. & Camellia Ct., FREMONT

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**Wednesday, Mar 16**  
1:45 – 3:00 Foothill School, 1991 Landess Ave., MILPITAS  
3:15-3:45 Friendly Village Park, 120 Dixon Landing Rd., MILPITAS

## THIS WEEK

**Tuesday, Mar 15**  
**Home Energy Efficiency Workshop**  
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
*Project tips and financial incentives information*  
Fremont Main Library  
2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 745-1400  
www.FremontEnergy.eventbrite.com

**Wednesday, Mar 16**  
**Shinn House Docent Training**  
10 a.m. - 12 noon  
*Volunteers train to become tour guides*  
Shinn House  
1251 Peralta Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 552-4839  
alminard@comcast.net

**Wednesday, Mar 16**  
**Social Security Retirement Seminar**  
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.  
*Discuss benefits and healthcare*  
Corpus Christi Church  
37891 3rd St., Fremont  
(408) 634-6640

**Wednesday, Mar 16**  
**Outdoor Discoveries: Adopt a Tree \$R**  
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.  
*Explore park for oaks, willows and other trees*  
Sunol Regional Wilderness  
1895 Geary Rd., Sunol  
(510) 544-3249  
www.ebparks.org

**Wednesday, Mar 16**  
**eMarketing to Create New Customers – R**  
8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.  
*Utilize tools to generate and service clients*  
Hayward City Hall  
777 B St., Hayward  
(510) 208-0410  
http://acsbdcl.org/node/21075

**Wednesday, Mar 16**  
**Music Together**  
5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
*Songs, movement and instrument play*  
Toddlers - 5 years  
Fremont Main Library  
2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 745-1400  
www.guides.aclibrary.org/fremont

**Wednesday, Mar 16**  
**Storytime and Crafts**  
3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
*Books and projects for grades K – 2*  
Irvington Library  
41825 Greenpark Dr., Fremont  
(510) 795-2626  
www.guides.aclibrary.org/irvington

**Wednesday, Mar 16**  
**Ohlone Community Band \$**  
7:30 p.m.  
*Honor, Service and Home*  
*Music dedicated to our nation's service people*  
Smith Center  
43600 Mission Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 659-6031  
www.smithcenter.com

**Thursday, Mar 17**  
**Fremont Business Resource Seminar**  
9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.  
*Discuss sales, marketing and tax basics*  
Warm Springs Community Center  
47300 Fernald St., Fremont  
(510) 791-4318  
http://www.boe.ca.gov/cgi-bin/seminar.cgi?FLAG=466

**Thursday, Mar 17**  
**Lego Club – R**  
3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
*Creative building with bricks*  
Ages 6+  
Centerville Library  
3801 Nicolet Ave., Fremont  
(510) 795-2629  
www.guides.aclibrary.org/center-ville



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**Thursday, Mar 17**  
**Baby Bounce Special**  
11 a.m.

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Infants crawling up to 18 months  
Newark Branch Library  
6300 Civic Terrace Ave., Newark  
(510) 795-2627  
www.guides.aclibrary.org/newark

**Friday, Mar 18**  
**Taize Prayer Around the Cross**  
8 p.m. - 9 p.m.  
*Peaceful song and prayer*  
Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose  
43326 Mission Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 502-5797  
www.msjdominicans.org

**Friday, Mar 18 - Saturday, Mar 19**  
**American Red Cross Blood Drive – R**  
7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.  
*Call to schedule an appointment*  
Drop-ins welcome  
Fremont-Newark Blood Center  
39227 Cedar Blvd., Newark  
(800) 733-2767  
www.redcrossblood.org

**Friday, Mar 18**  
**Science Lecture and Demonstration**  
4:30 p.m.  
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Presented by Mission San Jose HS  
Fremont Main Library  
2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 745-1400  
www.aclibrary.org

**Friday, Mar 18**  
**Leprechaun Land for Wee Folks \$**  
5 p.m., 6 p.m. & 7 p.m.  
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Fremont Teen Center  
39770 Paseo Padre Pkwy., Fremont

(510) 494-4344  
www.Fremont.gov/Lep-rechaunLand

**Friday, Mar 18 - Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Spring Concert \$**  
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Sun: 2 p.m.  
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Douglas Morrison Theatre  
22311 N Third St., Hayward  
(510) 881-6777  
www.dmtonline.org

**Friday, Mar 18**  
**Italian Pops Dinner \$**  
6 p.m.  
*Music and silent auction fundraiser*  
American High School  
36300 Fremont Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 796-1776 x57708

**Friday, Mar 18**  
**Purim Spiel**  
8 p.m.  
*Performance of a Proper and Moral Land*  
Temple Beth Sholom  
642 Dolores Ave., San Leandro  
(510) 357-8505  
www.tbssanleandro.org

**Friday, Mar 18**  
**Mental Health Workshop – R**  
12:30 p.m.  
*Discuss therapy, medications and family dynamics*  
Interactive presentation  
San Lorenzo Library  
395 Paseo Grande, San Lorenzo  
(510) 538-2031 x205

**Saturday, Mar 19**  
**Pet First Aid and CPR \$R**  
9 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
*Focus on basic first aid*  
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Fremont Main Library  
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(510) 745-1400  
www.aclibrary.org

**Saturday, Mar 19****Chores for Little Farmers \$**

10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

*Prepare treats for farm animals*  
Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd.,  
Fremont  
(510) 544-2797  
www.ebparks.org

**Saturday, Mar 19****Apple Cider Pressing \$**

12 noon - 12:30 p.m.

*Squeeze juice and sample results*  
Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd.,  
Fremont  
(510) 544-2797  
www.ebparks.org

**Saturday, Mar 19 - Sunday, Mar 20****Fremont Friends of the Library Book Sale \$**

Sat: 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Sun: 12 noon - 3 p.m.

*\$1 per inch stacked; clearance Sunday \$5 per bag*  
Bring your own bags  
Fremont Teen Center  
39770 Paseo Padre Pkwy.,  
Fremont  
(510) 494-1103

**Saturday, Mar 19****FOG Holi - Festival of Colors \$**

12 noon

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1771 Milmont Dr., Milpitas  
(408) 586-3210  
http://events.sulekha.com/fog-holi-festival-of-colors\_event-in\_milpitas-ca\_305833

**Saturday, Mar 19****Crafting Coiled Yarn Baskets - R**

11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

*Create beautiful art with yarn*

Supplies provided  
Hayward Main Library  
835 C St., Hayward  
(510) 881-7980  
http://tinyurl.com/baskets-hpl

**Saturday, Mar 19****Potterfest for Kids - R**

2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

*Board the Hogwarts Express for magical fun*

Grades 2 - 6  
Hayward Main Library  
835 C St., Hayward  
(510) 293-3302  
http://tinyurl.com/potter-mar16

**Saturday, Mar 19****Marshland of Dreams**

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

*Docent led 1 mile walk along tidelands*

SF Bay Wildlife Refuge  
1 Marshlands Rd., Fremont  
(510) 792-0222

**Saturday, Mar 19****Family Bird Walk - R**

2 p.m. - 4 p.m.

*Use field guides and binoculars to search for birds*

Ages 5 - 10  
SF Bay Wildlife Refuge  
1 Marshlands Rd., Fremont  
(510) 792-0222 x362  
https://donedwardsfamilybird.eventbrite.com

**Saturday, Mar 19****Twilight Marsh Walk - R**

6:30 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.

*Enjoy sights and sounds of nature at night fall*

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https://donedwardstwilight.eventbrite.com



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www.haywardareahistory.org

**Saturday, Mar 19****Fun with Felting \$**

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Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd.,  
Fremont  
(510) 544-2797  
www.ebparks.org

**Saturday, Mar 19****Wonders of Wetlands \$**

10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

*Explore habitats for wildlife*

Ages 6+  
Coyote Hills Regional Park  
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd.,  
Fremont  
(510) 544-3220  
www.ebparks.org

**Saturday, Mar 19****Calaveras Ridge Trail**

11:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

*Naturalist led hike*

Steep but leisurely for ages 8+  
Sunol Regional Wilderness  
1895 Geary Rd., Sunol  
(510) 544-3249  
www.ebparks.org

**Saturday, Mar 19****Crab Feed \$R**

6 p.m.

*Food, music, dancing and raffle*

Giving Hope Program benefit  
Fremont Veterans Hall  
37154 Second St., Fremont  
(510) 612-0488  
www.niles.org/crab-feed

**Saturday, Mar 19****Family Fishing Fun**

9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

*Fishing basics for ages 6+*

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

**Saturday, Mar 19****American Red Cross Blood Drive**

10:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

*Call to schedule an appointment*

Drop-ins welcome  
Milpitas Library  
160 North Main St., Milpitas  
(800) 733-2767  
www.redcrossblood.org

**Saturday, Mar 19****Make a Family Book Workshop**

2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

*Create a book using photographs*

Union City Branch Library  
34007 Alvarado Niles Rd.,  
Union City  
(510) 745-1464  
www.guides.aclibrary.org/unioncity

**Saturday, Mar 19****Spring Luau \$R**

6:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

*Buffet, hula dancing, no host bar and auction*

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Ages 2 – 10  
Old Alvarado Park  
3871 Smith St., Union City  
(510) 675-5488  
<https://www.facebook.com/events/11752963028269761/>

**Saturday, Mar 19**  
**Family Day in the Park**  
9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.  
*Egg hunt, resource faire, games and crafts*  
Newark Community Park  
35501 Cedar Blvd., Newark  
(510) 578-4432  
[www.ci.newark.ca.us](http://www.ci.newark.ca.us)

**Saturday, Mar 19**  
**Cradle to Career Educational Summit**  
9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
*Guest speakers, performers and refreshments*  
Hayward City Hall  
777 B St., Hayward  
(510) 784-2600 x72617  
[www.husd.k12.ca.us/madeinhayward](http://www.husd.k12.ca.us/madeinhayward)

**Saturday, Mar 19**  
**General Plan Update and Workshop**  
10 a.m. - 12 noon  
*Community input to shape city's future*  
Ruggieri Senior Center  
33997 Alvarado Niles Rd., Union City  
(510) 675-5495  
[www.uc2040.com](http://www.uc2040.com)

**Saturday, Mar 19**  
**Comedy Short Subject Night \$**  
7:30 p.m.  
*The Rink, Convict 13, Shooting Mad*  
Niles Essanay Theater  
37417 Niles Blvd, Fremont  
(510) 494-1411  
[www.nilesfilmmuseum.org](http://www.nilesfilmmuseum.org)

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Open House \$**  
1 p.m. - 3 p.m.  
*Docent led tours of historic home*  
Shinn House  
1251 Peralta Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 793-9352

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**A Taste of the Refuge**  
2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.  
*Discover edible plants on docent let walk*  
SF Bay Wildlife Refuge  
1 Marshlands Rd., Fremont  
(510) 792-0222

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Farmyard Story Time \$**  
10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.  
*Join the circle for classic barnyard tales*  
Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 544-2797  
[www.ebparks.org](http://www.ebparks.org)

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Grow What You Sow \$**  
11 a.m. - 12 noon  
*Prepare soil and plant seeds*  
Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 544-2797  
[www.ebparks.org](http://www.ebparks.org)

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Corn Mosaics \$**  
12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
*Create a craft with rainbow corn*  
Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 544-2797  
[www.ebparks.org](http://www.ebparks.org)

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Speed History Hike \$**  
1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.  
*Discuss Victorian farm on a 1.5 mile walk*  
Ardenwood Historic Farm  
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 544-2797  
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**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Wild Edibles and Plant Uses – R**  
9 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
*Gather and sample wild foods*

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(510) 582-2206  
[www.ebparksonline.org](http://www.ebparksonline.org)

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**What Does it Mean to Be Human?**  
11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
*Interactive Dharma discussion and lunch*  
Southern Alameda County  
Buddhist Church  
32975 Alvarado Niles Rd., Union City  
(510) 471-2581  
[sacbc@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sacbc@sbcglobal.net)  
[www.sacbc.org](http://www.sacbc.org)

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Secret Life of Plantkton**  
11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
*Kids use microscopes to view water creatures*  
Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center  
4901 Breakwater Ave., Hayward  
(510) 670-7270  
[www.haywardrec.org](http://www.haywardrec.org)

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Piano Brilliance Salon Series \$R**  
3 p.m.  
*West Side Story music, food and wine*

Location address provided upon RSVP  
Music at the Mission  
(510) 402-1724  
[info@musicatmsj.org](mailto:info@musicatmsj.org)  
[www.musicatmsj.org](http://www.musicatmsj.org)

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Purim Carnival**  
10 a.m. - 12 noon  
*Hamanstaschen cookies, games and prizes*  
Temple Beth Sholom  
642 Dolores Ave., San Leandro  
(510) 357-8505  
[www.tbssanleandro.org](http://www.tbssanleandro.org)

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Tri-City Youth Chorus Concert**  
4 p.m.  
*Spring sing and live music*  
Niles Discovery Church of Fremont  
36600 Niles Blvd., Fremont  
(510) 797-0895  
[www.tricityyouthchorus@weebly.com](mailto:www.tricityyouthchorus@weebly.com)

**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**Talkie Matinee \$**  
4 p.m.  
*I Cover the Waterfront*  
Niles Essanay Theater

37417 Niles Blvd, Fremont  
(510) 494-1411  
[www.nilesfilmmuseum.org](http://www.nilesfilmmuseum.org)

**Monday, Mar 21**  
**Telling Tales: Swimming with Sharks \$**  
8 p.m.  
*Share your story about times you were in danger*  
Douglas Morrison Theatre  
22311 N Third St., Hayward  
(510) 881-6777  
[www.dmtonline.org](http://www.dmtonline.org)

**Tuesday, Mar 22**  
**Water Conservation Showcase – R**  
9 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
*Discuss water saving ideas with professionals*  
PG & E Energy Center  
851 Howard St., San Francisco  
(415) 973-2277  
[www.usgbc-ncc.org](http://www.usgbc-ncc.org)

**Tuesday, Mar 22**  
**Weekday Bird Walk**  
7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.  
*All levels of experience welcome*  
Ages 12+  
Sunol Regional Wilderness  
1895 Geary Rd., Sunol  
(510) 544-3249

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

**Tuesday, Mar 22**  
**Taste of San Leandro \$**  
5 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
*Food, drinks and networking*  
21st Amendment Brewery  
2010 Williams St., San Leandro  
(510) 317-1400  
[www.sanleandrochamber.com](http://www.sanleandrochamber.com)

**Tuesday, Mar 22**  
**Robotics Workshop – R**  
3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
*Build catapults, straw towers and drive robots*  
Centerville Library  
3801 Nicolet Ave., Fremont  
(510) 795-2629  
[www.guides.aclibrary.org/center-ville](http://www.guides.aclibrary.org/center-ville)

**Tuesday, Mar 22**  
**Adult Crafting – R**  
6 p.m. - 7 p.m.  
*Presented by Christie's Creative Cup-board*  
Materials provided  
Centerville Library  
3801 Nicolet Ave., Fremont  
(510) 795-2629  
[www.guides.aclibrary.org/center-ville](http://www.guides.aclibrary.org/center-ville)

## Judges needed for debate tournament

Response, a homeschool speech and debate club, a member of Stoa, a national Christian home school forensic league will hold a parliamentary debate tournament on Saturday, March 19th. Topics range from current events, philosophy and popular culture. The public is invited to stop by anytime to observe. Anyone 19 years old or older can be considered to be a judge. Judges will receive orientation and training. To register as a volunteer judge, visit: <https://palmplarli.homeschooldebate.net/judges>. For questions, contact Marie Ung at [mrsdig@aol.com](mailto:mrsdig@aol.com).

**Parliamentary Debate Tournament**  
**Saturday, Mar 19**  
**1st Round 8:30 a.m. – 6th Round 3:00 p.m.**  
**Newark Community Church**  
**37590 Sycamore St., Newark**  
**[mrsdig@aol.com](mailto:mrsdig@aol.com)**

## Young Writers Essay Contest Awards

SUBMITTED BY ART CAREY

Three sophomores from Fremont high schools have won awards and cash prizes in a Young Writers Essay Contest sponsored by the Fremont Area Writers Club. The topic was “My Life in the East Bay.” First place and \$100 went to Ethan Mehta of Washington High School. Second place (tie), and \$50 each, went to Aiyanna Smith of John F. Kennedy High School and Keren Godwin of Fremont Christian High School. Honorable Mention awards went to Ivanna C. Casulla and Jaylen Risinger-Esquibel, both of John F. Kennedy High School. Essays were judged for content, organization, creativity and individuality, and grammar/punctuation. “The judges praised the creativity and diversity of content shown by this year’s entrants,” said Liz Breshears, contest coordinator. Fremont Area Writers is a branch of the 1,700-member California Writers Club. To find out more, visit: [www.cwc-fremontareawriters.org](http://www.cwc-fremontareawriters.org) or contact Shirley Ferrante at (510) 791-8639.



(L to R): Keren Godwin, Fremont Christian High School; Jayleen Risinger-Esquibel, Kennedy High School; Aiyanna Smith, Kennedy High; and Ethan Mehta, Washington High School.



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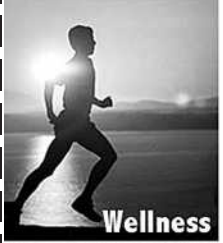
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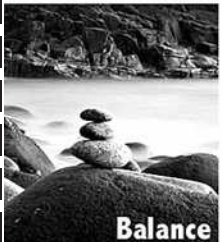
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# RAC Tennis Academy

receives 2016 Best of Milpitas Award

**SUBMITTED BY RAMON CAPISTRANO**

RAC Tennis Academy has been selected for the 2016 Best of Milpitas Award in the Tennis Instruction category by the Milpitas Award Program.

Each year, the Milpitas Award Program identifies companies that have achieved exceptional marketing success in their local community and business category. These are local companies that enhance the positive image of small business through service to their customers and community. These exceptional companies help make the Milpitas area a great place to live, work and play.

Various sources of information were gathered and analyzed to choose the winners in each category. The 2016 Milpitas Award Program focuses on quality, not quantity. Winners are determined based on the information gathered both internally by the Milpitas Award Program and data provided by third parties.

## Chabot College baseball

**SUBMITTED BY MATT SCHWAB**

The Chabot shortstop with the hot bat has “Gladiator” in his baseball bloodlines. Kenny Corey, a sophomore transfer from Fresno State, has followed his dad, Dana, and brother, Kevin, into the Chabot program. In fact, Dana was a teammate of legendary Chabot coach Steve Friend. So, it’s all in the family.

“I think I’m getting goose-bumps as I talk about it,” Friend said of the program’s Corey family ties. “It’s kind of neat. The father, the older son and the younger son — it’s a tradition of Gladiator baseball. It’s a good mix of a blue collar family and a blue collar team.” Friend is also delighted with Kenny’s play. He’s tearing it up on offense and making plays on defense.

In Chabot’s two recent wins 10-4 over Cabrillo and 13-9 over Solano, Corey was a combined 5 for 8 from the plate with four RBIs, three runs scored, two doubles and a triple.

Corey, who entered the week with a .380 batting average and 13 RBIs (runs batted in), and second baseman Michael Hidalgo both had three hits against Cabrillo. Cal Stevenson and Max Sanderson were each 2 for 4.

“We just had a good approach,” Corey said of the 14-hit effort at Gene Wellman Field. “We were hunting the fastball early in the count, and when we got it we weren’t missing it, really.”

The Gladiators entered the week riding a four-game winning streak, riding a four-game winning streak. They will open play at home in the Coast-Golden Gate Conference on March 15 (4 p.m.) against West Valley.

Corey, a former three-year varsity player at Willow Glen High in San Jose, redshirted his first year at Fresno State before making 25 starts for the Bulldogs last season, 13 at designated hitter, eight at second base and four in left field. He recorded six multi-hit games, batting .324, scoring 18 runs and driving in 21.

So he was a great pick-up for the Gladiators, who boast a strong new cast of transfers. As for those family ties, Dana also played at San Jose State, and Kevin, an infielder/pitcher, moved on to Austin Peay in 2013. Corey is having a great time at Chabot. The players are beginning to mesh as a unit.

“It’s definitely a really fun team,” he said. “There are a lot of really funny guys, and I think that’s also a reason we’re starting to play better: People are starting to get out of their shells and just hanging out more and having a better time.”

For more information, visit: <https://www.chabotcollege.edu/sports/baseball/>



Kenny Corey

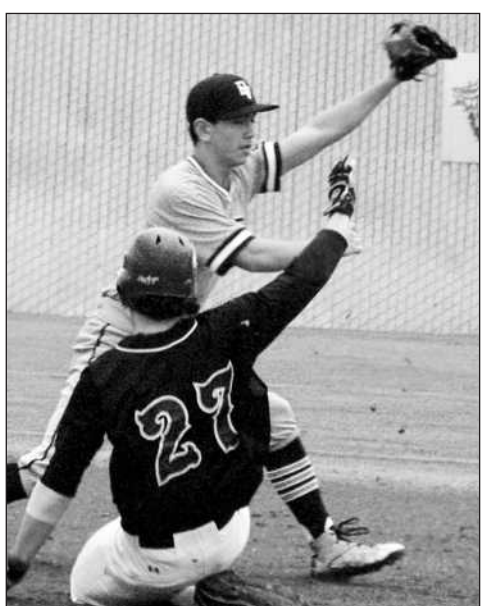
## Lady Titans top Lady Vikings

**SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY MIKE HEIGHTCHEW**

In a game filled with great defensive plays, cross-town rivals, John F. Kennedy and Irvington battled on March 8th. The Lady Titans of Kennedy came out on top, 6-0.

The Titans jumped to take the lead and held a determined Viking squad that was foiled by outstanding defensive infield plays. Although the Lady Vikings fought hard to come back, they could not put the right combination together to score.





## Darkness and rain end Cougars contest in a tie

Baseball

**SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY MIKE HEIGHTCHEW**

Although the Newark Memorial Cougars took an early lead, the Dougherty Valley Wildcats rallied back to tie a game that was ended by darkness and weather on March 10th. A wet and rainy afternoon set the mood for a game that settled into a pitcher’s duel with good fielding that ended baserunner threats. Final Score: Newark Memorial 4, Dougherty Valley 4.

## Lady Colts soccer goalkeeper commits to Eastern Oregon University

**SUBMITTED BY NEW HAVEN UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Congratulations to Logan senior Sonia Nichols who committed to attend Eastern Oregon University and play as goalkeeper for their women’s soccer program. Eastern Oregon University, part of the Cascade Collegiate Conference, is affiliated with the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) and is seen as having an up-and-coming soccer program.

Sonia, starting senior goalkeeper for the Mission Valley Athletic League (MVAL) champion Colts, had seven shutouts in route to her second consecutive North Coast Section (NCS) playoff appearance. She joins teammates Madison McNamara and Denisse Ramirez as Colts who will be playing collegiate soccer this fall. The Logan girl’s soccer program hopes to add a few more seniors to this list before our school ends this coming June. Congratulations to Sonia and the Nichols family!

Softball

## Lady Colts top Rancho Cotate

Although the Rancho Cotate Cougars scored in the first inning, that was all they were able to put on the scoreboard. The Lady Colts tied the game in the third inning and scored in every inning thereafter - two runs in the fourth and fifth, and another in the sixth inning - to break the game open and finish with a solid 6-1 victory.

# Tri-City Youth Chorus – Spring Sing



**SUBMITTED BY**  
**MARILYN SINGER AND ANN MELIOUS**  
**PHOTO BY COURTESY OF JOHN R. SMITH**

Last September, a new venture began the Tri-City Youth Chorus. It is a community chorus for students in grades five -eight.

The group currently has 20 youngsters, singing under the direction of Joy Suh and hope to expand that number in the future. It is a diverse group of kids from all over the area. The chorus is sponsored by the Niles Discovery Church; but is not a church choir, rather an attempt to offer vocal musical instruction to any child who wants to

sing. There is a fee that is used to pay the director and purchase music. Niles Discovery Church provides the facility and facilitates the operation of the chorus as a community outreach.

On Sunday, March 20, The Tri-City Chorus will present “Spring Sing” at the Niles Discovery Church in Fremont. This free concert will include a guest artist, jazz trumpeter Ben Gunnarson, accompanied by Amy Lourenco.

The community choristers in grades five through eight will sing a diverse program highlighted by the anti-bullying anthem “Butterfly.” Other selections include “Arirang,” “Nine Hundred Miles,” “Alexander’s Ragtime Band” and

more. There will be a public reception after the performance.

For students interested in more information about the chorus, please visit <http://tricityyouthchorus.weebly.com> or call (510) 797-0896 ext. 1.

**Tri-City Youth Chorus – Spring Sing**  
**Sunday, Mar 20**  
**4 p.m.**  
**Niles Discovery Church**  
**36600 Niles Blvd. at Nursery Ave, Fremont**  
**(510) 797-0896 ext. 1**  
**<http://tricityyouthchorus.weebly.com>**  
**Free**

## Men’s Basketball

### Mariners lose a heartbreaker

SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

On March 11th, the Moreau Catholic Mariners came up just short at the 2016 CIF State Boys Basketball Tournament. A second half rally was not quite enough to propel the Mariners beyond the first level of championship play as the final score, 88-85, favored the Sheldon Huskies.

An impress show of speed and fast breaks by the Huskies led them to a 25-9 lead in the first quarter. The Mariners woke up and fought back with a 21 point run of their own but ended the first half with a 50-30 deficit. The third quarter gave the Mariners hope as they outscored the Huskies 26-19 but in the fourth quarter, momentum shifted and Huskies defense began to take charge. Even with a Mariner offense that again outscored the Huskies 29-19 in the fourth quarter, it wasn't enough to offset the gap.



## Lady Cougars rally falls short



## Women’s Basketball

**SUBMITTED BY DARRYL REINA**  
**NEWARK MEMORIAL**  
**GIRLS VARSITY**  
**BASKETBALL COACH**

Playing in an exciting CIF Northern California post-season atmosphere at Los Gatos High School on March 9th, the Newark Memorial Girls Varsity Basketball Team fell behind by as many as 22-points in the first-half, and trailed 42-23 at halftime.

But the Lady Cougars rallied back in the second-half to take a

54-52 lead with just two-minutes left in the game, only to have the Wildcats respond in the closing minute to edge Newark Memorial by the score of 57-56, and end the team’s post-season.

Individual scoring: Haylee Nelson (game-high 22-points), Rita Evans (8-points), Maricela Matos (7-points), Tiara Banford (7-points), Tyler McNeil (5-points), Kylie Chan (5-points), Savanna Norberg-Swickard (2-points).

The Lady Cougars finished the season with an outstanding 21-8 record and many team accomplishments throughout the

year. The team won the annual Newark Optimist Club Holiday Classic, had an 11-game winning streak from December 17-January 19, finished third in the Mission Valley Athletic League, were awarded the #3 seed in the North Coast Section, and advanced to the CIF Nor-Cal as the #11 seed.

Sophomore Haylee Nelson and senior Tiara Banford were named to the MVAL All-League First Team, while senior Maricela Matos and sophomore Kylie Chan received Honorable Mention recognition.

## Historic Season Halted

## Women’s Basketball

**SUBMITTED BY STEVE CONNOLLY**

The greatest season in the history of Cal State East Bay women’s basketball came to an end on March 11th, as the Pioneers fell to No. 21 UC San Diego 74-59 in the first round of the NCAA Division II West Regionals.

It was the third matchup of the season between East Bay and UCSD, who shared the CCAA regular season title with identical 18-2 records. The Tritons won 56-54 during the regular season, then the Pioneers earned a 79-77 overtime victory in the CCAA semifinals en route to CSUEB’s first ever tournament championship.

UCSD entered the NCAA West Regional as the No. 4 seed, with the Pioneers slotted at No. 5. Unfortunately, the rubber match between the two squads was not an instant classic like the previous two, as East



Bay struggled to hit shots with consistency throughout the evening. The Tritons (25-4) ultimately put an end to the East Bay’s 14-game winning streak, and the Pioneers

finished their historic season with a record of 27-5.

All four of East Bay’s senior starters scored in double figures in their final game

donning the red and black. Tori Breshers led the way with 16 points, six rebounds, and three blocks, going 7-for-16 from the field. Madison Craig scored 14 and grabbed five boards. Bland and Effenberger added 10 points each and combined for nine assists. The Pioneers ended up shooting 41.7 percent from the field, but went just 4-for-17 from long distance.

As a team, this year’s Pioneers established new school records for victories and winning percentage. Led by six standout seniors and the No. 3 ranked scoring defense in the nation, this Cal State East Bay squad raised the bar for success at the Division II level. With five straight appearance in the CCAA postseason, the CSUEB figures to remain a contender in the years to come under coach Barcomb. But for now, all future teams will be measured against the remarkable 2015-16 Pioneers.

# 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](http://www.fremont.gov)), Hayward ([www.hayward-ca.gov](http://www.hayward-ca.gov)), Milpitas ([www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov](http://www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov)), Newark ([www.ci.newark.ca.us](http://www.ci.newark.ca.us)), Union City ([www.ci.union-city.ca.us](http://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  
1st/2nd/3rd Tuesday @ 7 p.m.  
City Hall, Bldg A  
3300 Capitol Ave., Fremont  
(510) 284-4000  
[www.fremont.gov](http://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](http://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](http://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](http://www.ci.newark.ca.us)

San Leandro City Council  
1st/3rd Monday @ 7 p.m.  
835 East 14th St., San Leandro  
(510) 577-3366  
[www.sanleandro.org](http://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](http://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](http://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](http://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](http://www.valleywater.org)

Union Sanitary District  
2nd/4th Monday @ 7:00 p.m.  
5072 Benson Rd., Union City  
(510) 477-7503  
[www.unionsanitary.com](http://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](http://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](http://www.fremont.k12.ca.us)

Hayward Unified School Board  
2nd/4th Wednesday @ 6:30 p.m.  
2441 I Amador Street, Hayward  
(510) 784-2600  
[www.husd.k12.ca.us](http://www.husd.k12.ca.us)

Milpitas Unified School Board  
2nd/4th Tuesday @ 7:00 p.m.  
1331 E. Calaveras Blvd., Milpitas  
[www.musd.org](http://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](http://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](http://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](http://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.slzsd.org](http://www.slzsd.org)

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

## Union City City Council Meeting

### March 8, 2016 Presentations and Proclamations:

- Recognize March as American Red Cross Month.
- Recognize March as National Social Work Month.

#### Consent:

- Appropriate FY 2015/16 grant funds from the National Parkinson's Foundation in the total amount of \$13,800 to the Community & Recreation Services Department.
- Adopt a resolution approving a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$120,000 from the Solid Waste Management Fund.
- Adopt a resolution authorizing a sole source agreement in the amount of \$75,585 with HF&H Consultants, LLC to perform review of the rate adjustment application for the year ending June 30, 2017.
- Adopt a resolution authorizing the execution of the certifications

and assurances and authorized agent forms for the Low Carbon Transit Operations Program for the Union City Transit Program.

- Authorize mayor to attend the Liyang Tea Festival as the city's delegate. Authorize reimbursement of incidental expenses.
- Accept the comprehensive annual financial report for the fiscal year which ended June 30, 2015.
- Adopt a resolution declaring the intention to authorize the annexation of certain territories.

#### City Manager Reports:

- Proposed new title: Fiscal Year 2015-16 2nd Quarter report on budget-to-actual results for the period of July 1 through December 31, 2015, appropriate a fiscal year 2014-15 carryover of \$2,498,909 to the adopted fiscal year 2015-16 general fund operating budget.

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| Mayor Carol Dutra-Vernaci: | Aye    |
| Vice Mayor Emily Duncan:   | Aye    |
| Lorin Ellis:               | Absent |
| Pat Gacoscos:              | Aye    |
| Jim Navarro:               | Aye    |

## Union City to update General Plan

SUBMITTED BY  
LAUREN FINNEY BURCH

In the past 25 years, the Bay Area has changed dramatically. How could Union City change and grow in the next 25 years? That's what Union City is asking its residents. To keep up with the times, the City is taking a look at its General Plan, the long-term roadmap for City growth and development.

As part of the General Plan Update, Union City is asking residents and stakeholders to attend one of two upcoming community workshops. City representatives will provide some information on benefits and impacts of different development patterns and residents will be able to share their preferences and opinions about how Union City will grow in the future.

Help shape the future of Union City by being heard at one

of these community workshops. There will be two meeting dates to choose from: Saturday, March 19 and Thursday, March 31.

Those who can't be at the workshops still have a chance to learn more about the General Plan Update and share their opinion in the online Town Hall. For more information, visit: [uc2040.com](http://uc2040.com)

**Union City General Plan Workshops**  
**Saturday, Mar 19**  
**10 a.m.12 p.m.**  
**Ruggieri Senior Center**  
**33997 Alvarado-Niles Road,**  
**Union City**

**Thursday, Mar 31**  
**6:30 p.m.8:30 p.m.**  
**Holly Center**  
**31600 Alvarado Boulevard,**  
**Union City**  
**(510) 675-5408**  
**[www.uc2040.com](http://www.uc2040.com)**

## Ohlone College Board of Trustees Meeting

### March 9, 2016

#### Ceremonial Items:

- Proclaim March 31, 2016 as Cesar Chavez Day.
- Proclaim emeritus status for Richard Grotegut, computer professor and programmer.

#### Consent:

- Approve February payroll warrants in the amount of \$2,347,362.95.
- Approve February purchase orders in the amount of \$492,444.32.
- Approve auditing services with Gilbert Associates in the amount of \$83,360.
- Approve change order to contract with CW Driver for athletic fields in the amount of \$53,938.
- Approve contract with Best Contracting Services, Inc. in the amount of \$725,782 for roof replacement.
- Approve contract with Gilbane Building Company for academic core buildings project in the amount of \$3,680,161.
- Approve contract amendment with Cannon Design for academic core buildings in the amount of \$100,000 bringing

contract amount to \$11,874,560.

- Approve change order with Smith & Sons electric in the amount of \$17,808 for security cameras in the South Parking Structure.

- Approve amendment to contract with Teecom Design Group in the amount of \$32,800.

- Ratification of contracts in the amount of \$897,107.13

#### To the Board for Discussion and/or Action:

- Require a daily use fee for electric vehicle charging stations in the amount of \$3.00 per day effective April 1, 2016. (7 ayes, 1 nay: Watters)

- Establish board policies on workplace violence, gifts, auditing and auditing fees to be placed on consent at subsequent meeting.
- Chair Rich Watters: Aye, 1 Nay  
Vice Chair Vivien Larsen: Aye  
Greg Bonaccorsi: Aye  
Teresa Cox: Aye  
Jan Giovannini-Hill: Aye  
Ishan Shah: Aye  
Garrett Yee: Aye (telecommute)  
Student Member Rahul Patel (advisory only)



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## TAKES FROM SILICON VALLEY EAST

### LEDs Will Shine Bright for Years to Come

BY ALEX LAU, MARKETING & BRAND MANAGER AT FLIP CHIP OPTO/STARLITE LED

As we continue our ongoing Q&A series with cleantech executives based in Fremont, we caught up with Alex Lau, marketing and brand manager at Flip Chip Opto (FCOPTO)/Starlite LED. While relatively new to the LED market, Starlite LED — a subsidiary of COFAN USA with over 25 years of business happening right here in Fremont — aims to design and provide affordable and cutting-edge technology to the lighting market.

Follow along as Alex shares his fresh take on the cleantech and LED industries, how Fremont serves as a cleantech hub, and his predictions for 2016.

City of Fremont: Starlite LED has a long history here in Silicon Valley and Fremont. Can you share how Fremont aids in the company's day-to-day operations?

Alex Lau (AL): We have always viewed our relationship with the City of Fremont as a partnership. They share our passion for "green technology" and the overall reduction of power consumption. We definitely feel supported as we aim to raise awareness of our cleantech technology, and Fremont helps us to broadcast and promote our message to the general public. In order to help reduce our nation's overall power consumption, resources need to be accessible and affordable — and that's exactly what we aim to provide.

Fremont: Clearly, cleantech is very top-of-mind for you. Do you think the future of cleantech looks just as bright for other Silicon Valley-based companies?

AL: As technologies continue to advance, we see not only ourselves, but also our Silicon Valley counterparts developing more efficient and safe ways to manufacture and develop cleantech solutions, such as LED lighting. The cleantech industry can certainly be described as a type of art. It takes something that is non-efficient, dirty and/or toxic, and creates a new method to reduce the level of toxic substances and increase efficiency. It's a complete 180-degree transformation. So to answer your question, yes, I

think we are all headed in the right direction.

Fremont: Are there any major challenges the cleantech industry has to overcome in the near future?

AL: The biggest challenge plaguing the cleantech industry is conformity. It requires a lot of convincing for companies or even individuals who are set in their ways to convert to being "green." As the saying goes, "You can't teach an old dog new tricks." But cleantech is trying to do just that.

However, even in instances where people are onboard and ready to convert to cleantech, the technology might not exist or the cost of conversion may be too high. This is also a problem that needs to be addressed by the industry as a whole.

A cleantech company's success definitely comes from within the team. Of course, support from local government, funding, or regulations also plays a critical role.

Fremont: Despite some of these challenges, how far has the industry come in the last year? Do you have any predictions for the remainder of 2016?

AL: The LED industry, specifically, has certainly come a long way to get to where it is today. The LED Flip Chip is a new technology that was invented only a few years back. We took the Flip Chip invention and re-invented it in way that allows the industry to create high-powered flips chips. As 2016 continues to progress, LEDs will only continue to become more energy-efficient, and prices will continue to drop. In that sense, most, if not all lighting will soon be replaced by LEDs.

Fremont: Anything else you'd like to add before we wrap up? Perhaps any interesting research you can share?

AL: Our firm has created the world's most powerful source of LED light, and we expect to be the industry leaders for the next three to five years, until new technology surpasses our current patented technology. Additionally, our R&D firm is working to push a new LED product out that contains UV functions for additional applications in the food industry, the horticultural industry, as well as sterilization applications.

## Community input needed for Civic Center Plaza

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

The City of Fremont has always maintained the belief that every community deserves to have a central downtown, where visitors and residents alike can come together to connect, communicate and celebrate. In 2012, Fremont City Council adopted the Fremont Downtown Community Plan and Design Guidelines to begin work on its downtown initiative.

A critical component of these downtown efforts includes the development of a Civic Center. Planning of the new Civic Center Plaza is currently underway. The design goals for the plaza are to create a space that will accommodate a variety of events and activities for the community. The size of the plaza can be compared to San Francisco's Union Square. Fremont would like to know what type of programs and events residents want to see in the plaza in order to create a lively public space for the community to enjoy.

To share your input, visit our online forum for civic engagement at [www.fremont.gov/OpenCityHallPlaza](http://www.fremont.gov/OpenCityHallPlaza).

# OPINION

## Perspective



WILLIAM MARSHAK

As current events unfold, past patterns of behavior are recognized by those of us who have been around long enough to relate them to personal experiences and observations. What is new to some mimics the past for others; a replay of sorts. Invariably, generations recede into the past, and as they do, lessons learned and perspective can be lost. Valuable information - history, people, events and heritage - may be relegated to dusty corners of rooms reserved for scholars and academics. This is regrettable, but fortu-

nately countered by public and private museums that display and engage visitors.

A noteworthy trend exploration of our DNA through companies such as 23andme, ancestryDNA and others reveal clues of our origins; they are an indication of an innate curiosity of who we are and where we came from. Artifacts of the past are remnants of real people and real events. Critical thinking and evaluation of current events should be placed in context; understanding and appreciation of the past is the gateway toward logical and rational evaluation of present controversies and events.

Recently, several local historical societies decided to create a unified representative group. This is a major step toward forming an integrated reservoir of knowledge that can present a comprehensive and compelling presentation to citizens and visitors. Although displays including structures, documents and artifacts are available, a centralized depository and inventory is nonexistent. In some cases such as the Hayward Area Historical Society, expansion of display area has occurred, in most cases, a small group of citizens protect and preserve our history without the benefit of

adequate space, organization or funding. This needs to change!

Our future - the younger generation - deserves to learn lessons of the past and embrace their heritage, whether through their own genetic trail or an adopted immigrant past. It is important to understand what happened here that led to the present. That tale can be told through exhibits at a venue called a museum. Although there are many facets to the story, at least we can honor its importance by creating a central location housing important artifacts and pointing to historical sites throughout our communities that enhance the experience.

At this time, Fremont is defining and planning a Civic Center; why not include an area Museum of History as part of the grand design?

William Marshak  
PUBLISHER

## Call for nominations: 2016 Transportation Awards

SUBMITTED BY METROPOLITAN  
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Do you know a person, project or organization that is improving the way people get around in the Bay Area each day? Nominate them for a 2016 Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) Award.

MTC welcomes nominations for: innovations that promote more efficient use of the transportation network; community leaders, bus drivers or other professionals who contribute to transportation on the job or through volunteer service; efforts that significantly improve transportation services for the elderly or persons with disabilities; successful efforts

that encourage alternatives to driving alone; and endeavors to boost smart growth and climate-friendly behavior in the region.

Nominees must have been active and/or projects underway between April 2014 and March 2016. Winners will be announced in the fall of 2016. To submit a nomination online, or for further information, visit <http://mtc.ca.gov/whats-happening/awards>. For a copy of the nominating form or questions, email [info@mtc.ca.gov](mailto:info@mtc.ca.gov) or call (510) 817-5757. Deadline is Monday, April 4.

MTC is the transportation planning, financing and coordinating agency for the nine-county San Francisco Bay Area.

## Special offer for summer camps

SUBMITTED BY  
RAJUL SHETH

Due to popular demand, India Community Center is launching all 11 weeks of dance summer camps at our state-of-the-art table tennis center, located at 1507 N. Milpitas Blvd. in Milpitas. The dance summer camps will also include 1.5 hours of introduction to our world-class table tennis program. Dance camps will be offered by Bay Area's Mona Khan Company.

We are offering a special \$30 early-bird discount to all our camps. Limited spots are available. Register before April 30 to reserve your spot with this special discount. Camps will run from June 6 through August 19. Visit [www.indiacc.org](http://www.indiacc.org) for more information.

## Ohlone College & Gallaudet University partner on ASL Interpreters program

SUBMITTED BY OHLONE COLLEGE

On March 2, Ohlone College and Gallaudet University signed an agreement between the two institutions, enhancing the long standing partnership between Gallaudet and Ohlone.

The partnership allows students in the two-year Associate Degree Interpreter Preparation Program (IPP) at Ohlone to transfer credits into Gallaudet's four-year Bachelor of Arts in Interpretation (BAI) program. Students who transfer to Gallaudet will live and study with Deaf people from the United States and abroad on Gallaudet's bilingual campus.

Gallaudet is the only university in the world to offer interpreter programs from the bachelor's level to the doctorate level within a sign language immersive environment. Gallaudet's award-winning interactive interpretation laboratories prepare students for a high-demand career through hands-on training in a variety of medical, business, education, and government settings. Graduates from Gallaudet's interpretation degree

programs work in a variety of settings for organizations, individuals, and government agencies. Alumni of the programs work in settings such as business, education, government, theatre, medicine, law, health care, and video relay.

The interpretation classes are optimized for American Sign Language instruction and classrooms are equipped to serve the needs of the rapidly advancing field of interpretation. The department's amenities include tools that allow for recording live and interactive interpreting role play, video conferencing for national and global collaboration among students and faculty, and private recording booths and central computer stations for individual and class activities. The Center for the Advancement of Interpretation and Translation Research includes a library, filming rooms, video relay services (VRS) simulation center, and student research bays with video and statistical software.

For more information, call Ohlone Deaf Studies at (510) 659-6269, videophone (510) 344-5740 or email: [dgunsauls@ohlone.eddgunsauls@ohlone.edu](mailto:dgunsauls@ohlone.eddgunsauls@ohlone.edu)

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## Newark City Council

March 10, 2015

### Presentations and Proclamations:

Introduction of new and recently promoted employees  
Soren Fajeau - Public Works Director

Nick Icasiano – Equipment Mechanic II

Cheri Good – Senior Administrative Support Specialist

Jessie Mero – Building Mechanic II

• Proclaim March 10, 2016 as Arbor Day in Newark. Newark has been recognized as a “Tree City USA” for 29 years. Maintenance Supervisor Neal Hornbeck received the proclamation.

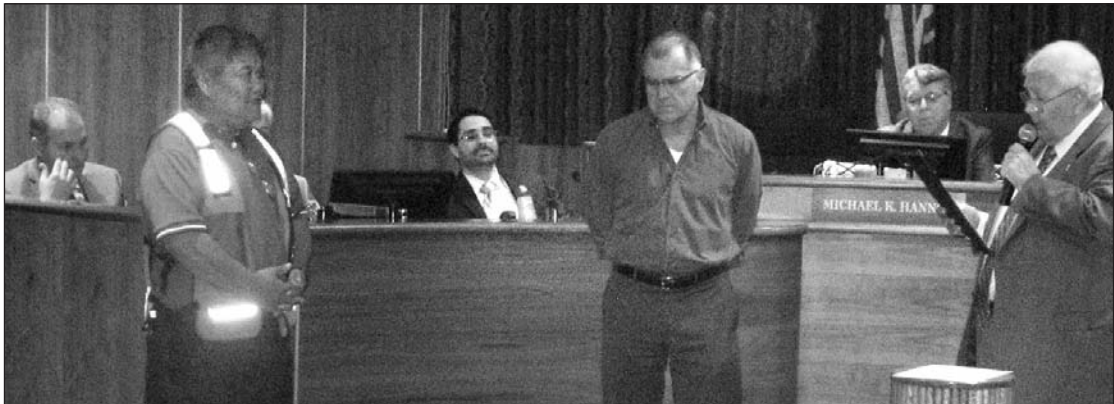
• Proclaim March as Red Cross Month in Newark. Greg Portillo and Bernie Nillo accepted the proclamation.

• PG&E representatives Treva Reid and Marvin Nushwat explained the Community Pipeline Safety Initiative that identifies and will work with the City and private property owners to mitigate access obstruction to high

pressure pipelines. An inventory and inspection of sites indicates that trees, shrubs and structures can block access by first responders. PG&E has been working with the City and will contact affected private property owners through an extensive outreach program. Additional information is available at: [pge.com/Gas-Safety](http://pge.com/Gas-Safety). To view a pipeline map, visit: [pge.com/pipelinelocations](http://pge.com/pipelinelocations). Treva Reid can be contacted at: (510) 874-2244 or [treva.reid@pge.com](mailto:treva.reid@pge.com)



Introduction of new and recently promoted employees



• Proclaim March as Red Cross Month in Newark. Greg Portillo and Bernie Nillo accepted the proclamation.

### Written Communications:

• Optional review of duplex construction at 37070 Locust Street. (Freitas recuse) No Review

### Consent:

• Second reading and adoption to rezone 41 acres of the Gateway Station West Project, a 589 unit res-

idential along Willow Street.

• Reclassify Administrative Assistant position in the City Attorney’s Office.

### City Council Matters:

• Recognition of Libby Macris as an Inspirational Woman by Assemblymember Kansen Chu (25th District)

• Relay for Life Chili Cookoff on Saturday

• Recognize Newark Employee of the Year Ray Collier

• Recognize Meals on Wheels

### Oral Communications:

• Resident asked council to consider retrofitting Library in new Civic Center planning.

Mayor Alan Nagy Aye

Vice Mayor Luis Freitas Aye

(1 recusal)

Sucy Collazo Aye

Michael Hannon Aye

Mike Bucci Aye

## Learn how your home can be more energy-friendly

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

What if your home could be more comfortable, more energy efficient, and save you money? Would you make the upgrade? Would you know how to begin?

Sometimes it can be hard to decide where to start. Is your upgrade a small project or a major remodel? Should you use different products and approaches depending on the scale of your upgrade? If so, which ones?

On Tuesday, March 15 at the Fremont Main Library, experts from StopWaste, the City of Fremont, Rising Sun Energy Center, and Service Champions will lead a free workshop to help you make the best, most cost-effective choices for your green home improvement.

Sign up for the Fremont Green Home Workshop at EventBrite: [FremontEnergy.eventbrite.com](http://FremontEnergy.eventbrite.com) and come ready to learn and discuss:

How a more energy-efficient home can benefit your day-to-

day activities

How to evaluate opportunities for and prioritize your energy efficiency improvements

How to select a contractor and what questions to ask

How to sign up for free home retrofits with the nonprofit Rising Sun Energy Center

How to use Home Energy Score—a quick report on your home’s energy performance

How to identify state and local incentives for energy improvements – up to \$6,500

Refreshments will be provided, and all participants will receive an LED and tote bag.

### Energy Friendly Homes

#### Workshop

Tuesday, Mar 15

6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Fremont Main Library

2400 Stevenson Blvd, Fremont

RSVP:

[FremontEnergy.eventbrite.com](http://FremontEnergy.eventbrite.com)

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

The City of Fremont boxART! program requests submissions to transform our traffic signal control boxes with compelling and creative imagery. We are looking for innovative artists to enhance the utility boxes in a dramatic and new way.

This is a tremendous opportunity for forward thinking artists to let the community see your work. Hundreds of people will drive or walk by the boxes daily. In addition, photographs of the boxes will be displayed on the City of Fremont website and other venues with your name and contact information.

Artists must be San Francisco Bay Area residents.

The theme for Phase 3 is “Conversation.” Conversation is vital to any community and it defines how we interact culturally, socially, or politically. Artists are encouraged to provide their own interpretations.



Stipend is \$650, which includes material costs.

For more information, visit <http://www.fremont.gov/boxart> or contact Program Manager Susan Longini at (510) 494-4555 or [boxart@fremont.gov](mailto:boxart@fremont.gov)

## Women’s History Month

SUBMITTED BY ASSEMBLYMEMBER KANSEN CHU

This year, House Resolution 35 designates March 2016 as Women’s History Month. The legislature acknowledges the accomplishments and contributions of those who helped improve the status of women in the United States. With that, I held an Inspirational Women Awards Ceremony on March 10 to recognize and honor outstanding women in the 25th State Assembly District who have made a difference in our community.

An upcoming event that I am holding is a Senior Scam Stopper Seminar on Tuesday, March 22 at the Clark W. Redeker Newark Senior Center from 10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Scams that target seniors and immigrants have become more prevalent. While scams are often unreported and hard to get prosecuted, there are ways to prevent you and your family from becoming

the next scam victims. Come join me at this free seminar to learn about ways to protect yourself. For more information or to RSVP, please contact my District Office at (408) 262-2501.

Also, if you have any bill ideas, questions or concerns, please feel free to contact my District Office or visit my website at [asm.ca.gov/chu](http://asm.ca.gov/chu)

Assemblymember Kansen Chu, D- San Jose, represents the 25th Assembly District, which encompasses Newark, Milpitas, Santa Clara and portions of Fremont and San José.

### Senior Scam Stopper

Tuesday, Mar 22

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Clark W. Redeker Newark Senior Center

7401 Enterprise Dr, Newark

(408) 262-2501

## Spring Break Camps for kids

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

Spring Break for schools is just around the corner and the City of Fremont Recreation Services Department has you covered! We’ve got indoor and outdoor sports camps, tennis camps, just for fun camps, academic enrichment camps, and everything in-between.

Most of our camp locations offer extended care to help with full day coverage from 8:00 am to 6:30 pm. So don’t delay – register today, and enjoy the holidays knowing that your kids are safe and having a great time with the City of Fremont. We’ll see you in camp!

For more information about our Spring Break Camps, check out: <http://fremont.gov/263/Camps> or call (510)-494-4300.

## Hayward Coalition for Health and Youth

SUBMITTED BY MICHAEL SCIPPA

Representatives from Hayward visited the Washington, D.C. area to join more than 2,700 substance abuse prevention specialists and advocates from throughout the country for Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America’s (CADCA) 26th Annual National Leadership Forum.

“It was so exciting to be able to spend several days with other similar organizations from across the country, learning and honing our prevention skills so our community can be a better place, one that doesn’t suffer from the harms of drug and alcohol abuse,” says Thania Balcorta, Program Manager at Eden Youth and Family Center.

CADCA’s Forum covered a wide range of topics – everything from how to prevent prescription drug abuse and the abuse of synthetic drugs and marijuana to how to create tobacco-free environments and develop policies to reduce underage and excessive drinking. “We plan to

come back reenergized with new strategies under our belts to tackle drug use in Hayward,” said Robert Dousa, HCHY Coalition member.

Dalila Gomez and Karen Andrade, students at Tennyson High School, Jennifer Armenta and Nestor Diaz, students at Mt. Eden High School, and Sophia Espinosa, a student at Moreau Catholic High School, attended the youth portion of the conference called CADCA National Youth Leadership Institute and participated in the advance track called “Policy and Advocacy Course.” “Being surrounded with other young people that are as passionate about reducing substance abuse in their community was an eye opening experience that I will never forget,” says Dalila Gomez, a 16-year-old student at Tennyson High School.

The Coalition has recently impacted the community by developing “Make your Mark,” a youth coalition comprised of 27 youth from the community. The adults and youth have worked together to address unregulated alco-

hol servers at community events, speaking up around concerns of selling alcohol at a new theater and establishing a retail recognition program to share merchants’ stories of best practices of selling alcohol and tobacco. The youth members are particularly concerned with youth-friendly products in our retail environment and providing healthier options.

The attendees are excited about implementing newfound knowledge and skills. The three Hayward Coalition members and five youth members from Hayward met with Congressman Eric Swalwell and with the offices of Senator Diane Feinstein and Senator Barbara Boxer at the CADCA Forum’s Capitol Hill Day event on Wednesday, February 3. “Meeting with our legislators in Washington D.C. was an empowering experience,” says Jennifer Armenta, 16-year-old student at Mt. Eden High School.

Visit the Forum website at [forum.cadca.org/](http://forum.cadca.org/) for more information.

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| <b>FREMONT COIN CLUB</b><br>Established 1971<br>Meets 2nd & 4th Tues 7pm<br>At the Fremont Elks Lodge<br>38991 Farwell Dr., Fremont<br>All are welcome, come join us<br>www.fremontcoinclub.org<br>510-792-1511                                                                                                                                           | <b>National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) FREE confidential 10 week informational course - Adults living with mental health challenges Focused on Recovery 2 hrs Tuesdays</b><br>Call Kathryn Lum 408-422-3831 for time and location                                                                                                           | <b>League of Women Voters Fremont-Newark-Union City www.lwvnuc.org</b><br>Free meetings to inform the public about local, regional and statewide policy issues.<br>Participate in non-partisan in-depth, discussions with guest speakers at our meetings.<br>All sites are wheelchair accessible                       | <b>10 lines/\$10/ 10 Weeks \$50/Year</b><br><b>510-494-1999 tricityvoice@aol.com</b><br><br><b>Shout out to your community</b><br><br>Our readers can post information including:<br><b>Activities</b><br><b>Announcements</b><br><b>For sale</b><br><b>Garage sales</b><br><b>Group meetings</b><br><b>Lost and found</b><br><br>For the extremely low cost of \$10 for up to 10 weeks, your message will reach thousands of friends and neighbors every TUESDAY in the TCV printed version and continuously online.<br>TCV has the right to reject any posting to the Community Bulletin Board. Payment must be received in advance.<br><br><div><div><b>Tri-City Bike Park Community group of mountain bikers and BMX bikers.</b><br/>Come enjoy this activity for adults, teens and toddlers. Help us get this park built!<br/>www.newarkparks.org</div><div><b>Sun Gallery FREE Art Saturday Classes For families on the 2nd &amp; 4th Sat. of each month and Summer Art Camp</b><br/>Gallery Shows &amp; Exhibits<br/>FREE admission to all shows<br/>1015 E. St. Hayward<br/>510-581-4050<br/>www.SunGallery.org</div></div> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>Tri-City Society of Model Engineers</b><br>The TCSME located in Niles Plaza is currently looking for new members to help build & operate an N Scale HO layout focused on Fremont & surrounding areas.<br>We meet Fridays 7:30-9:30pm.<br>Please visit our web site:<br>www.nilesdepot.org                                                              | <b>ABWA-Pathfinder Chap. American Business Women’s Assoc.</b><br>provides opportunities for women personally & professionally thru leadership, education, networking<br>Dinner Meetings: 3rd Wednesday each month. Spin A Yarn Rest. (Fremont ): 6:30-9:00 pm<br>Call Karen 510-257-9020<br>www.abwa-pathfinder.org                                | <b>FREE AIRPLANE RIDES FOR KIDS AGES 8-17</b><br>Young Eagles<br>Hayward Airport<br>various Saturdays<br>www.vaa29.org<br>Please call with questions<br>(510) 703-1466<br>youngeagles29@aol.com                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| <b>NARFE National Assoc. of Active &amp; Retired Federal Employees</b><br>Meet 4th Friday of Month<br>Fremont Senior Center<br>Central Park @ Noon<br>All Current or Retired Federal Employees are welcome<br>Call Ellen @ 510-565-7973<br>donodo@comcast.net                                                                                             | <b>Scholarships for Women</b><br>Our Fremont philanthropic organization, PEO, offers many scholarships for women entering college, earning another degree or returning to school after 2+ years. Low interest education loans available, also.<br>510-794-6844<br>www.peointernational.org                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>Newark Toastmasters Club Build Self Confidence Great for Job Seekers Early Risers/Guest welcome</b><br>Meets Every Tuesday Morning 7am-8am<br>at Newark Library<br>6300 Civic Terrace Ave. Newark<br>http://1118.toastmastersclubs.org<br>Bill 510-796-3562                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>TROPICS BINGO EVERY WEDNESDAY Doors Open 4:30pm</b><br>Flash games start 6:30pm<br>All Games pay over \$100<br>Tropics Mobil Home Park<br>33000 Almaden Blvd., Union City<br>Snack Bar Open 5pm<br>Door Prizes & Free Coffee<br>Contact Richard 408-839-3358                               |
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Alameda County  
Chief Information Officer  
recognized



Tim Dupuis (right), Alameda County Chief Information Officer, receives the CIO of the Year for Local Government from Carlos Ramos, Chief Information Officer for the State of California.

SUBMITTED BY  
GUY ASHLEY

Tim Dupuis, Alameda County’s Chief Information Officer (CIO), has been named CIO of the Year for Local Government by e.Republic, publisher of Government Technology magazine and GovTech.com. The award was presented on Thursday, February 25, 2016 at the 2016 California Public Sector CIO Academy, the premier leadership event for California’s senior level technology executives.

In his three years as Alameda County CIO, Dupuis has focused on using technology to enhance, encourage and increase Alameda County’s citizen engagement efforts through innovation and creativity. In that short time, Dupuis has helped to transform Alameda County’s Information Technology Department into a progressive organization with a startup feel that

is at the forefront of efforts to change the way the County does business with the community and its employees.

“Not only has Tim transformed our Information Technology Department, he is driving changes that are impacting the entire Alameda County organization for the better,” said Susan S. Muranishi, Alameda County administrator.

Scott Haggerty, president of Alameda County Board of Supervisors, added, “I am very pleased that Tim is being recognized with this great award because he has done so much in a short period of time to improve the way Alameda County serves its residents. He is also helping to bring technology to most every aspect of County government, which is helping us attract top IT talent in an area that has some of the top technology companies in the world.”

Warwick Elementary school play wraps up



SUBMITTED BY ANGELICA EVANS

Congratulations to the cast and crew of Warwick Elementary School in Fremont for their performances “The Fearsome Pirate Frank” play! This is their annual school play and it was a huge success! Special thanks to April Bishop, Paivi Flannery and all the volunteers for their dedication and hard work.

Watercolorist to  
exhibit at Mission Coffee

SUBMITTED BY LISA BLAYLOCK

Local watercolorist, Lisa Blaylock, is pleased to announce her upcoming art show April 1 – 30 at Fremont’s Mission Coffee Roasting Company, featuring a variety of her original watercolors.

Lisa began pursuing art five years ago when her ailing artist grandmother told her, “Don’t wait till you retire—do it now.” Lisa’s artwork represents a desire to push color, try new techniques and subjects. Although, she recently picked up the brush, Lisa has been using her creativity in her successful real estate business for over 30 years. In addition to facilitating successful sales for both parties, she also stages homes—often with her own art! It is remarkable that as a career woman and artist, she has been recognized as outstanding in both. Blaylock was ranked as #37 of 1150 Bay Area Coldwell Banker agents in 2015 and has received numerous awards

for her art. Talk about having a colorful life!

Stop by for a cup of coffee and meet artist Lisa Blaylock from 3 p.m. – 5 p.m. on Sunday, April 10 and see her inspiring work!

Lisa Blaylock is a member of the Fremont Art Association, Santa Clara Valley Watercolor Society, East Valley Artists, Olive Hyde Art Gallery, Sketchers, California Watercolor Association, and the National Watercolor Society.

**Lisa Blaylock, Watercolorist**  
**Friday, Apr 1 – Saturday, Apr 30**  
**6 a.m. – 9 p.m.**  
**Sunday, Apr 10 - Opening Reception with Artist**  
**3 p.m. – 5 p.m.**  
**Mission Coffee Roasting Company**  
**151 Washington Blvd, Fremont**  
**(408) 377-5472 / (510) 623-6948**

Life West students clean up Hayward

SUBMITTED BY DIANA ROHINI LAVIGNE

Several Life Chiropractic College West students teamed up with Hayward City Parks and Recreation and the Resonate Church of Hayward on Saturday, February 17, to clean up city streets and parks. Volunteer teams picked up trash in the streets surrounding Ruus Park.

Picking up a significant amount of trash, the teams also had another impact. Life West students wanted to show the larger community how they embrace a giving, loving, and serving culture. Life West student Lucas Melendez said, “It is exciting to see the interest and the dedication of Hayward to clean up and make meaningful improvement. This was a great chance for students to volunteer and show their support for Hayward. I wore my ‘I love Hayward’ shirt with pride.”



# Friday Supper Club

Local café offers special farm-to-table dinners

BY DAVID R. NEWMAN  
PHOTOS BY FELIX LIM

Looking for a one-of-a-kind dining experience? Look no further than the Cannery Café in Hayward, that offers a farm-to-table pop-up dinner once a month. These three-course meals are sure to impress as well as educate.



Patrons can learn all about the farm-to-table movement that has gained so much popularity, especially in the Bay Area, while enjoying such entrees as prime rib or fried chicken.



Located in downtown Hayward inside the newly opened Hayward Area Historical Society's Center for History & Culture, the Cannery Café offers delicious food with a touch of class. For proprietors Debbie Pfisterer and Elizabeth Fazzio (of Blue Heron Catering fame), it is a dream come true. "We have always had a vision of offering the community a café where friends can gather in a comfortable, safe place that offers a culinary driven menu at reasonable prices." They brought in Chef Jeff Rosen, a longtime friend of Pfisterer's, to create the café recipes and menu. With over 25 years of experience in the Bay Area restaurant scene, Rosen is no stranger to fine dining using fresh ingredients. "I came out here in 1987 to be closer to Alice Waters and that whole movement. This was be-

fore buying local and sustainability were even a thing." Since then Rosen has opened a few restaurants in San Francisco and currently runs his own catering service. He also helps out with Blue Heron Catering. When the Cannery Café opened, they offered breakfast, lunch, and weekend brunch, a schedule that was created to mirror museum hours. But soon, people

were clamoring for dinners. They are currently working to expand their hours, but as a temporary solution they set up the Friday night pop-up Supper Club. This was about a year ago. "The community

response has been outstanding," says Chef Rosen. In fact, the past two events have sold out. When this happens, they add another evening to accommodate overflow. A sample menu includes a Chef's Choice snack, an appetizer, an entrée, and dessert. Coffee, tea, lemonade, and iced tea are included, and there is wine and beer for sale. And sometimes the meals are inspired by certain themes, such as Dios de las Muertes, or the movie "Big Night," a film about a big Italian family. Says Chef Rosen, "When we write a menu for a pop-up we take into account what our vendor partners have that's in season, and we like to feature something fun. We try to keep it honest and approachable and make it as good as we can make it." Chef Rosen prepares each pop-up meal himself, and before



## NSW Newark Symphonic Winds

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There also will be a performance by the Newark Saxophone Quartet.

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For information, call 510-552-7186 or visit us on the web at [newarksymphonic.org](http://newarksymphonic.org)

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serving, explains the menu to guests. He also talks about the ingredients gathered at local farms. One of those farms is at Tenyson High School in Hayward. Through a program called Project

EAT, students learn about gardening and nutrition. Project EAT also offers an internship program where participants work in restaurants, like the Cannery Café, and get to see how the whole food process works, from farm to table. Tickets cost \$30 per person, \$35 at the door, and are available at the café or online through Brown Paper Tickets (<http://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/2520972>). The next pop-up dinner is scheduled for March 25, Good Friday, and will feature warm early Spring Delta asparagus with wild mushrooms, sweet onions, and sauce Bea-maise; sautéed Pacific petrale sole with lobster essence; wild nettle and leek polenta; and garden arugula. The vegetarian option is crispy rosemary and sage tofu with emerald herb sauce, wild nettle and leek polenta, and arugula. Sweet tooths will be sat-

ified with house-made peanut butter cups. The Cannery Café is open 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Wednesday through Sunday with brunch available Saturday and Sunday. For more information on the café or Friday Supper Club, call (510) 581-0103 or visit [www.haywardareahistory.org/cafe/](http://www.haywardareahistory.org/cafe/).

**Friday Supper Club**  
**Friday, Mar 25**  
**6:30 p.m.: social time**  
**7:00 p.m.: dinner served**  
**Cannery Café**  
**Hayward Area Historical Society**  
**22380 Foothill Blvd, Hayward**  
**(510) 581-0103**  
**[cafe@haywardareahistory.org](http://cafe@haywardareahistory.org)**  
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**Tickets: \$30 in advance,**  
**\$35 at the door**

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## BART Police Log

SUBMITTED BY  
LES MENSINGER

### Auto Theft - Fremont Station Monday, February 29

A victim reported his red 1999 Dodge Caravan was stolen while parked at Fremont Station between 2:50 p.m. and 7:35 p.m.

### Tuesday, March 1

Officers arrested a male suspect for attempting to steal a bicycle at Hayward Station. Further investigation revealed the suspect was also in possession of a burglary tool. Subsequently, the suspect was issued citations for attempting to steal the bicycle and possessing a burglary tool.

A Union City Station agent called to report that he saw a man under a parked vehicle, and he appeared to be working on the car. A few minutes later, the male, who had a power tool, removed an object from underneath the vehicle. He then got into a vehicle with another suspect and drove from the

lot. The witness was able to provide a description of the vehicle and the suspects for responding officers. He was also able to provide the license plate of the suspect vehicle. Responding officers located the suspect vehicle and conducted a traffic stop. The vehicle was found to contain three catalytic converters and the tools used to take them. The witness positively identified the suspect vehicle and the two suspects. Detectives were called and responded to interview the suspects, who will be booked into the Santa Rita Jail for the listed charges. The victim vehicle still had the catalytic converter slightly attached, but it had been cut.

A victim reported the theft of their silver 1997 Honda Civic between 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. at Bayfair Station.

### Wednesday, March 2

A victim reported the theft of their turquoise TwoHip motocross bicycle (unknown serial number) from Bayfair Station. The victim parked his bike at 3:25 p.m. and secured the bike to the bike rack using a chain and lock. The victim returned at 9:30 p.m. and discovered his bike was stolen.

A victim reported the theft of

their green Cannondale brand bicycle, valued at \$2,400, while it was cable locked at Castro Valley Station on between 9:10 a.m. and 7:40 p.m. An officer contacted the victim and completed a report.

### Thursday, March 3

A victim reported the theft of their 2002 Acura CL's catalytic converter while the vehicle was parked in lot A, stall 367, at Union City Station between 6:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. An officer contacted the victim and completed a report.

### Friday, March 4

Officers responded to a report of a subject who was underneath the train on platform 2 of Hayward Station. Fire and medical also responded and they were able to rescue the adult male subject from underneath the train. The subject sustained major injuries and was taken to Eden Hospital. An independent witness stated that they saw the subject intentionally jump in front of the train as it entered the station. Evidence technicians responded to the incident. Trauma response team members were notified and responded. The on-call detective was also advised of the incident.

## Structure fire on Fremont Blvd

SUBMITTED BY DIANE HENDRY,  
DIVISION CHIEF, FREMONT FD

On March 8, at 9:30 p.m., the Fremont Fire Department responded to a report of a structure fire at 38891 Fremont Blvd. Four Engines, one Truck and two Battalion Chiefs responded.

The first arriving Engine advised that there was heavy fire showing from a first floor unit in a two-story apartment complex. They also advised that the fire was extending to the unit above the involved apartment and requested a second alarm. The second alarm brought an additional three Engines, one Truck and one Division Chief to the scene.

Fire crews made an aggressive attack and were able to contain the fire to the unit of origin. The unit above the fire suffered heat and smoke damage. The unit across from the fire unit suffered minor heat damage. Seven residents were displaced by the fire and they received assistance from the American Red Cross. There were no injuries to either civilians or fire personnel.

A Fire Investigator was on scene and at the time of this report the cause of the fire and damage estimates are still undetermined.

## Fatal collision in Hayward

SUBMITTED BY  
SGT. JASON CORSOLINI, HAYWARD PD

On March 2 at approximately 7:22 p.m., a fatal collision occurred at the intersection of Foothill Boulevard and City Center Drive between a pedestrian and a vehicle. The pedestrian, a 51-year old man from Hayward, was crossing Foothill Boulevard eastbound near the crosswalk when he was struck by a northbound vehicle. He was transported to Eden Hospital but succumbed to his injuries shortly after his arrival. After the collision, the vehicle continued to drive northbound and out of the area.

Witnesses reported the vehicle that fled was a dark colored Jeep Grand Cherokee with significant front end damage. Additionally, one witness reported the pedestrian was walking in the roadway against the "don't walk" signal and that northbound Foothill Boulevard traffic had a green signal. During the investigation these signals were determined to be functional.

It is unknown if alcohol and/or drugs are a factor in this collision.

Any witnesses to the collision are encouraged to contact Sergeant Jason Corsolini from the Hayward Police Department Traffic Bureau at (510) 293-7149.

## Hate Crime suspect criminally charged by Distict Attorney

SUBMITTED BY LT. ROBERT McMANUS,  
SAN LEANDRO PD

On March 10, San Leandro Police detectives presented their investigation on the arrest of a 21 year old, San Leandro man, who they said was responsible for the racially-motivated graffiti found on the San Leandro Unified School District annex office on Juniper St., the morning of March 7.

Detectives focused their investigation on Cody Sisson, who they considered a person of interest, after finding that he had been stopped riding a bicycle without a headlight at 2:30 a.m. on the morning of Saturday, March 5, which fell within the timeframe that police determined that the disturbing crime occurred.

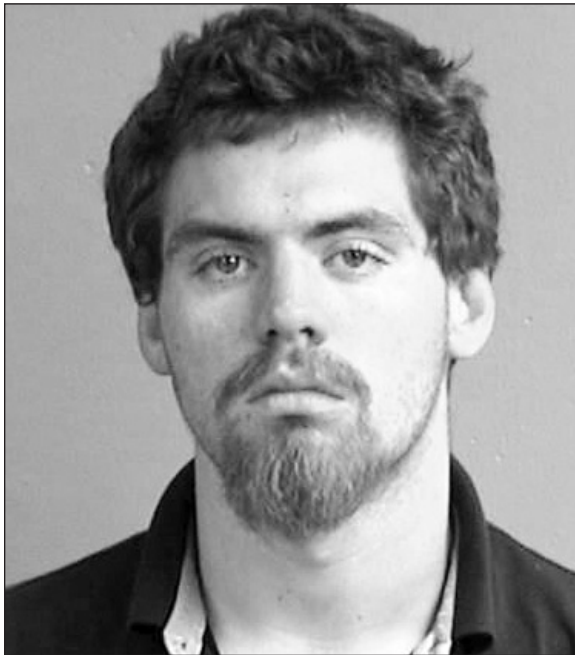
Detectives, after learning that Sisson was on probation for an unrelated offense, continued their investigation, and found Sisson riding a freshly-painted BMX bicycle in the 1200 block of Manor Blvd. Police increased their suspicions about Sisson's connection to the crime, when they saw that the bicycle was red and white in color – the same color as the racially motivated slurs painted on the school office doors.

Investigators arrested Sisson for being under the influence of drugs and for being in violation of his probation. They interviewed Sisson at the San Leandro Police Department regarding his possible involvement in the racially-motivated crime. At the conclusion of the interview, detectives were confident that they had arrested the correct person, and knew that he was responsible for the hate crime.

Sisson has been charged with felony vandalism resulting from the damage sustained to the school building, which included the racial slurs sprayed onto the doors. He is being held without bail for the criminal charges and was scheduled to appear in the Alameda County Superior Court.

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**  
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## PUBLIC NOTICES

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Fremont Finance Department is holding unclaimed funds in Accounts Payable, Payroll and Recreation totaling \$17,628.46. Listed are the individual payee and check amounts.

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The payee may claim these funds by submitting a written claim to the City of Fremont Finance Department c/o Anita Chang, Accounting Technician, P.O. Box 5006 Fremont, CA, 94537-5006, NO LATER THAN 5:00 PM ON April 15, 2016. Payee must include; name, address, amount of claim, grounds for claim, and any additional information you feel will benefit in getting the claim resolved. If the City of Fremont does not receive a written claim by April 15, 2016, the funds will become property of the City of Fremont.

CNS-2852761#

## CIVIL

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG16806376

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda  
Petition of: Adano Anthony Quintana for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:  
Petitioner Adano Anthony Quintana filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Adano Anthony Quintana to Anthony Michael Genberg

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: July 14, 2016, Time: 01:30 PM, 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

Date: MAR 4, 2016  
Morris D. Jacobson  
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court  
3/15, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5/16

CNS-285596#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG15795494

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda  
Petition of: Srivas Sarva for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:  
Petitioner Srivas Sarva filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Srivas Sarva to Jay Srivas Sarva  
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: April 14, 2016, Time: 01:30 PM, 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

Date: DEC 04, 2015  
Winifred Y. Smith  
Judge of the Superior Court  
3/15, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5/16

CNS-285512#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG16799942

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda  
Petition of: Rosa Maria Ehler for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:  
Petitioner filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Rosa Maria Ehler aka Rosy Maria Ehler to Rosy Marie Ehler

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: Thurs. 5/12/16, Time: 1:30 PM, Dept.: 503  
The address of the court is Hayward Hall of Justice, 24405 Amador Street, Room 108, 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: JAN 13, 2016  
Morris D. Jacobson  
Judge of the Superior Court  
3/15, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5/16

CNS-2855127#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG16805317

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda  
Petition of: Roobina J. Shaikh for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:  
Petitioner Roobina J. Shaikh filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Roobina J. Shaikh to Roobina M. Saiyad

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: 7-07-2016, Time: 1:30 p.m., Dept.: 503  
The address of the court is 24405 Amador Street, Room 108, 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

Date: Feb. 25, 2016  
Morris D. Jacobson  
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court  
3/1, 3/8, 3/15, 3/22/16

CNS-2851308#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS  
NAMESFICTITIOUS BUSINESS  
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 515687

Fictitious Business Name(s):  
**Attiser, 34420 Alberta Ter, Fremont, CA 94555,** County of Alameda  
34420 Alberta Ter, Fremont, Alameda, CA 94555  
Registrant(s):  
Seema Asnani, 34420 Alberta Ter, Fremont, CA 94555

Business conducted by: An Individual  
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 01/01/2016

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/ Seema Asnani

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on March 10, 2016

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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).

3/15, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5/16

CNS-2857093#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS  
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 514796

Fictitious Business Name(s):  
**California Offender Program Services (COPS), 333 Ohlone St., Fremont, CA 94539,** County of Alameda

Mailing address: 643 Sultana Ct., Ripon, CA 95366, County of San Joaquin

Registrant(s):  
Jesus Flores, 333 Ohlone St., Fremont, CA 94539

Michael Wynne, 643 Sultana Ct., Ripon, CA 95366

Business conducted by: a General partnership  
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/ Michael Wynne, General Partner

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on February 19, 2016

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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3/15, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5/16

CNS-2856397#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS  
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 515579

Fictitious Business Name(s):  
**Poke Me Up, 207 Montevina Way, Hayward, CA 94545,** County of Alameda

Registrant(s):  
Yung Tu, 207 Montevina Way, Hayward, CA 94545

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/ Yung Tu

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on March 8, 2016

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3/15, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5/16

CNS-2855957#

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT  
OF USE OF FICTITIOUS  
BUSINESS NAME

File No. 468310

The following person(s) has (have) abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: **Express Towing, 3841 Cosmic Pl., Fremont, CA 94538**  
The fictitious Business Name Statement being abandoned was filed on 8-9-2012 in the County of Alameda.

Fawad Roshan, 3841 Cosmic Pl., Fremont, CA 94538

Farzan Roashan, 3841 Cosmic Pl., Fremont, CA 94538

S/ Fawad Roshan

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on March 3, 2016.

3/15, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5/16

CNS-2855166#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS  
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 515252

Fictitious Business Name(s):  
**Paint Your Dragon, 4017 Coralline Court, Fremont, CA 94555,** County of Alameda

Registrant(s):  
Phillip Burgess, 4017 Coralline Ct, Fremont, CA 94555

Business conducted by: An Individual  
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 3/14/2006

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/ Phillip Burgess

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on February 29, 2016

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).

3/15, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5/16

CNS-2855113#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS  
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 515223

Fictitious Business Name(s):  
**ToryJacob Photography, 38025 Heritage Common, Apt. 162, Fremont, CA 94536,** County of Alameda

Registrant(s):  
Tory Jacob Smith, 38025 Heritage Common, Apt. 162, Fremont, CA 94536

Business conducted by: an Individual  
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 01/01/2015

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/ Tory Jacob Smith

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on February 22, 2016

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3/8, 3/15, 3/22, 3/29/16

CNS-2853583#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS  
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 515154

Fictitious Business Name(s):  
**Dunkel Logistics, 44850 Industrial Dr., Unit D, Fremont, CA 94538,** County of Alameda

Registrant(s):  
Dunkel Logistics Machinery Moving Rigging, LLC, 44850 Industrial Dr., Unit D, Fremont, CA 94538; CA

Business conducted by: a Limited partnership  
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 12/014

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/ Joelan Dunkel, Manager

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on February 25, 2016

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3/8, 3/15, 3/22, 3/29/16

CNS-2853218#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS  
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 515259

Fictitious Business Name(s):  
**Pardes Times, 36415 Ruschin Dr, Newark, CA 94560,** County of Alameda

Registrant(s):  
Balbir Singh, 36415 Ruschin Dr, Newark, CA 94560

Business conducted by: An Individual  
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on Feb 1, 2016

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/ Balbir Singh

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on Feb 29, 2016

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3/8, 3/15, 3/22, 3/29/16

CNS-2852412#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS  
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 515191

Fictitious Business Name(s):  
**National Electrical Supply, 37454 Glenmoore Dr, Fremont, CA 94536,** County of Alameda

Registrant(s):  
Michael Costello, 5615 Cleveland Pl, 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/ Michael Costello

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on February 26, 2016

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3/8, 3/15, 3/22, 3/29/16

CNS-2852272#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS  
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 515189

Fictitious Business Name(s):  
**Mc Metals Recycling, 5615 Cleveland Place, Fremont, CA 94538,** County of Alameda

Registrant(s):  
Michael Costello, 5615 Cleveland Pl, 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/ Michael Costello

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on February 26, 2016

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3/8, 3/15, 3/22, 3/29/16

CNS-2852270#

# California right-to-die law will take effect in 3 months

By JONATHAN J. COOPER  
AND JULIE WATSON  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP), — Terminally ill California residents will be able to legally end their lives with medication prescribed by a doctor starting this summer, ending months of uncertainty for dying patients hoping to turn to the practice.

State lawmakers adjourned a special session on health care Thursday, paving the way for the law allowing physician-assisted suicide to take effect June 9.

The law approved last year made California the fifth state in the nation to adopt the practice, but patients were left in limbo until the special session wrapped up and the law could take effect 90 days later.

It passed following the heavily publicized case of Brittany Maynard, a 29-year-old California woman with brain cancer who moved to Oregon to legally end her life in 2014.

Supporters say they do not know how many terminally ill patients have been waiting for the law to go into effect. Opponents say it could lead to premature suicides.

One prominent advocate, Christy O'Donnell, a 47-year-old single mother with lung cancer who sued the state to demand the right to life-ending medication, died last month at her home north of Los Angeles before getting the option.

Elizabeth Wallner, a Sacramento resident with stage 4 colon cancer that has spread to her liver and lungs, said she is relieved a date has been finally set.

"It gives me a great peace of mind to know that I will not be forced to die slowly and painfully," Wallner said in a statement provided by Compassion & Choices, a right-to-die advocacy group that worked closely with her and others to campaign for the law.

Marilyn Golden, a senior policy analyst with the Disability Rights Education and Defense Fund, said the law doesn't go far enough to protect people from being coerced into a premature suicide by an abusive caregiver or heir. It also could allow people denied medication by one doctor to shop around for the lethal drugs.

The California Catholic Conference, which opposed the law, said it would increase support for the dying.

"Quality palliative care, spiritual and emotional support and a respect for our human dignity are the compassionate response — not a lethal dose of drugs from a physician," Executive Director Edward "Ned" Dolejsi said in a statement.

Democratic Sen. Bill Monning, who helped author the bill, said patients or their family members have been contacting his office daily since Gov. Jerry Brown signed the legislation last October.

"It's obviously a great sense of achievement and historic achievement for California, but it is tempered by the loss of great people who fought to get the billed passed," he said.

California's law includes strong protections for both patients and physicians, Monning said.

Religious institutions, like Catholic hospitals, can opt out and ban their doctors from participating in any assisted deaths. Patients must have two separate meetings with a physician before a doctor can prescribe a life-ending drug.

If there is any doubt over the person's mental capacities, physicians are required by law to refer the patient to a mental health care provider. Certified translators must also be required for patients who are non-native English speakers.

*Watson reported from San Diego.*

## By BRANDON BAILEY AP TECHNOLOGY WRITER

SAN FRANCISCO (AP), — Apple will hold its spring product launch on March 21, one day before it squares off with federal prosecutors over the government's demand for help unlocking an encrypted iPhone.

Analysts and tech blogs are expecting Apple will announce a new, 4-inch iPhone, a smaller iPad Pro and new bands for the Apple Watch. But the company provided no details with its announcement of the event, in keeping with its usual effort to build anticipation for its new products.

An invitation sent to reporters on Thursday said only "Let us loop you in." Apple's headquarters is located on a road called Infinite Loop in Cupertino, California.

Apple's twice-yearly product events are highly anticipated and the speculation that precedes them is rampant. The backdrop to this year's event is a high-stakes legal dispute with the FBI and the Obama administration, which has chafed at Apple's use of encryption that make its customers' data unreadable to others.

# Apple planning product launch on March 21

Federal authorities want Apple's help in over-riding security features on an iPhone used by one of the San Bernardino mass shooters, so the FBI can attempt to examine the phone. Apple CEO Tim Cook contends the government's demand would make other iPhones vulnerable. Both sides will make their case to a federal magistrate in Riverside on March 22.

While Apple executives say the company is continually working on increased security measures, they haven't said whether they will announce any new encryption or other safeguards at this month's event. What is more certain is a push by Apple to boost sales with new versions of some popular products.

A 4-inch iPhone would reverse an industry trend, which has turned out larger and larger screens. The most recent iPhone models have come with 4.7- or 5.5-inch screens, which have sold extremely well, particularly in Asian countries where larger phones made by Apple's rivals had been big sellers in previous years.

But with sales now starting to plateau, analysts say Apple could spark additional demand by offering an updated 4-inch iPhone

alongside the bigger models. The smaller phone is expected to sell at a lower price and would appeal to those who never bought into the larger screens. In an upgrade from older 4-inch iPhones, the new model is expected to have a faster processor and features like Apple Pay, which until now has been available only on larger iPhones.

Similarly, Apple has been trying to boost sagging iPad sales by offering more sizes and models. The new iPad tablet is expected to be a 9.7-inch version of the iPad Pro, which Apple introduced last year. While the new model will be the same size as Apple's regular iPads, it's also a step back from the first iPad Pro, which has a larger, 12.9-inch screen and other features for professional users — including a thin, detachable keyboard and stylus that are sold separately.

Tablet sales from all makers are expected to fall nearly 6 percent this year, according to analysts at International Data Corp., but more people are buying new models with detachable keyboards. A longtime Apple rival, Microsoft, has seen strong demand for its Surface Pro tablets with keyboards.

## Fremont Police Log

SUBMITTED BY  
GENEVA BOSQUES,  
FREMONT PD

### Friday, March 4

Community Service Officer (CSO) Oliveira investigated a residential burglary in the 1400 block of Harrington Street that had occurred between March 2 and March 3, 2016. The unknown suspect used a pry tool to force entry through the garage to the house. Losses reported was cash and jewelry.

A residential burglary occurred in the 5200 block of Diamond Common (Ardenwood). Unknown suspects entered the rear yard and smashed the rear sliding glass door. Several small electronics, cameras and banking documents were taken.

Ofc. Roberts and Ofc. Robinson investigated six vehicles reported burglarized from Pacific Commons shopping center. Five of the burglaries occurred near the cinemas in the 43800 block of Pacific Commons, and one was reported in the 43800 block of Boscell Road. Based on witness accounts, the burglaries all occurred around 10:00 p.m. In all cases, a rear window was smashed and backpacks and/or gym bags (many of which were visible in the back seat) were taken. Witnesses told officers that they had seen a grey Infinity with tinted windows occupied by four males in the area during the time of the burglaries.

### Saturday, March 5

At 11:30 a.m., Ofc. Navas located an unoccupied stolen vehicle in the area of Higgins Way and Dorne Place. Officers spotted a 25-year-old adult male walk to the vehicle and sit inside the front driver's seat. He was contacted and arrested for possession

of a controlled substance, taking a vehicle without permission, and a probation violation. Ofc. Navas also arrested a 25-year-old adult female for warrants when he contacted her at a residence in the neighborhood connected to his investigation.

### Sunday, March 6

At approximately 2:00 p.m., Fremont Police Department (FPD) units were detailed to Dale Hardware to investigate a robbery. Two suspects, later identified as a 28-year-old adult male and a 35-year-old adult male, attempted to make a fraudulent purchase of power tools using someone else's credit card. When stopped, they assaulted an employee before being restrained. The 28-year-old also had two outstanding warrants. Ofc. J. Roberts investigated the case.

At approximately 5:15 p.m., Ofc. T. Bobbitt was detailed to the 4200 block of Lorren Drive to investigate the report of a robbery. The victim was an Amazon delivery driver, who was robbed of packages. The victim was not injured; the unknown male suspect fled in a black Jeep Cherokee.

At 2:39 a.m., officers responded to a business on the 43800 block of Osgood Road to investigate an in-progress commercial burglary. Loss prevention reported that an unknown suspect was seen via video surveillance walking around the store. The suspect appeared to get spooked when he realized the janitors were in the building and fled out the back doors. Officers set up and searched for the suspect; however, he was not located. Two backpacks full of electronics were recovered. The suspect was described as a white male adult, approximately 30-40 years old, last seen wearing a black baseball cap. Case was investigated by Ofc. Hernandez.

### Monday, March 7

At approximately 7:40 p.m.,

officers were detailed to provide traffic control by shutting down Niles Canyon at the request of Alameda County Fire Department, who was working on a train derailment in the Canyon. As details came in dispatch learned that a train car had come derailed and was partially submerged in water. FPD units then rolled code to assist. FPD units arrived on scene about the same time as Alameda County Sheriff's Office (ACSO) units. They found a train car derailed with passengers still inside the train, some needing first aid and some needing assistance to exit the train. Additional FPD units were sent to assist and several helped with getting passengers out of the train cars. The case is being investigated by Union Pacific Police Department. Fremont units cleared at about 11:00 p.m.

### Tuesday, March 8

A suspect was seen by a resident at Briarwood Apartments attempting to break into a locked storage shed. The witness called the manager who then called FPD. While patrol units were responding, a maintenance worker confronted the suspect who then fled the area. The 25-year-old adult male was located a short distance away behind a business and was determined to be the suspect. The male was transported to Santa Rita where he was booked for commercial burglary. Det. McDonald and Det. Kindorf responded to the scene and assisted with the case.

### Wednesday, March 9

Ofc. Kerner and Field Training Officer (FTO) Richards were detailed to Bacinada Court to take a report of an assault. It was learned that a female acquaintance had visited and became involved in a verbal argument. The female grabbed a knife and cut the victim on the arm. The female fled the residence prior to police arrival.

# Track closure and bus bridge on select weekends

SUBMITTED BY  
LES MENSINGER

BART crews will continue their work this year, replacing aging track and components of our system to ensure safe and reliable service. As part of the Building a Better BART program, there will be no train service between San Leandro and Bay Fair stations on select weekends between March and June to perform vital repairs to the equipment and tracks. The first weekend track closure will be March 26-27.

A bus bridge will be provided during normal service hours. The bus bridge will cause 30 minutes to 1 hour delays for some customers. Customers travelling between Fremont to Richmond will have to transfer to the bus bridge at Bay Fair, back to a train at San Leandro and then transfer to a

Richmond-bound train (we recommend Lake Merritt Station).

Closure dates and schedule:

**March 26-27:** From end of service Friday and all day Saturday and Sunday

**April 9-10:** From end of service Friday and all day Saturday and Sunday

**April 23-24:** From end of service Friday and all day Saturday and Sunday

May 7-8: From end of service Friday and all day Saturday and Sunday

**May 28-30:** From end of service Friday and all day Saturday, Sunday and Monday

**June 11-12:** From end of service Friday and all day Saturday and Sunday

Dates may be subject to change. Visit [www.bart.gov](http://www.bart.gov) for updates.

## Eden Health District checks into 2016 with grants and new name

SUBMITTED BY JONNIE BANKS

Eden Township Healthcare District rings in the New Year with a new name, "Eden Health District," a new logo, and \$250K in Community Health Fund Grants. On December 16, 2015, the ETHD Board of Directors approved grant recommendations presented by the ETHD Community Health Advisory Committee (CHAC).

Since 1999 ETHD has given more than \$9.0 million in grants to non-profit organizations and some government agencies within the District's communities. Funding priorities are based on under-served areas such as Ash-

land/Cherryland and Hayward, services provided directly to the community, referrals to services for those who are not aware of available health care options, as well as services to veterans and seniors.

**The following local non-profit organizations are recipients of this year's grant funding:**

Eden I & R: 2-1-1 Alameda County: \$18,000  
CV VFW Post 9601: \$5,000

George Mark Children's House: \$15,000

San Leandro Unified School District: \$10,000

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**Walter Jensen**

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Obituary

Audrey Wilson

1918 - 2016

Resident of Fremont

Audrey Wilson, aged 97,  
passed away in peace surrounded  
by her loving family on February  
27th, 2016. She was a 60 year  
resident of Fremont who was  
beloved and respected by family,  
friends, and neighbors. She was  
admired for her grace and quiet  
manner.

Audrey enjoyed every day of  
work at Stanford University for  
more than 20 years as an  
accounting supervisor. She was an  
avid bridge player and a longtime  
member of the Washington  
Township Women's Club where  
she served as treasurer for several  
terms. For many years she was a  
faithful member of Holy Spirit  
Parish.

Audrey leaves her daughter  
Anne Marie Sylva and husband  
Don, her son Richard Wilson  
and wife Maryanne, her daughter  
Susan Tedford, and her son John  
Wilson and wife Sharon. She was  
preceded in death by her husband  
Robert Wilson, her sister Lillian  
Cramer and husband Robert  
Cramer, her young daughter  
Rosemary Wilson, and infant son  
David Wilson.

Audrey was adored by her  
grandchildren Matthew Sylva,  
Mark Sylva and wife Kristen,  
Benjamin Tedford, Kathryn  
Tedford Bostic and husband Ted,  
Patrick Wilson, and Devon  
Wilson. She was a treasure to her  
greatgrandchildren Madilyn



Sylva, Charlotte Sylva, and Trevor  
Bostic. She will be remembered  
as a loving aunt to Michael,  
Steven, and James Cramer and  
their dear families.

Audrey and her sister Lillian  
were born in Butte, Montana as  
children of Irish immigrants.  
The sisters set out together for  
California where they each  
married and raised families.  
Love of family and strength of  
char-acter were their hallmarks.  
We cherish the memory of  
Audrey and the love that  
we shared.

In lieu of flowers, donations  
may be made in honor of her  
family to the Leukemia and  
Lymphoma Society (www.lls.org).

A Memorial Service will be  
held on Saturday, March 19th,  
12pm at Fremont Memorial  
Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd.,  
Fremont. Burial private.

Obituary

Walter O'Neal Jensen

February 16, 1925 – March 9, 2016

Resident of Fremont

Walter Jensen was born on February 16, 1925 in Moroni, UT and  
entered into rest on March 9, 2016 in Fremont, CA at the age of 91.  
He is survived by his son Allen Jensen. Preceded in death by his wife  
Laverne Jensen in December 2014.

He was head custodian at Centerville Jr. High for over 20 years.  
Walter enjoyed fishing and gardening.

On Monday, March 21st he will be laid to rest with Navy Honors  
at Sacramento Valley National Cemetery in Dixon, CA.

Obituary

Dorothy May Tavash

June 27, 1934 – March 13, 2016

Resident of Fremont



Fremont—Dorothy Tavash, 81, a long-time resident of Fremont, passed away on March 13, 2016 from cancer at Park Central Rehabilitation Center. Our loving thanks to those who cared for her while she was there. Dorothy often referred to them as “family”.

Dorothy was born in 1934 to Vera Minnie Tavash and Ramon Rodriguez. She grew up in Oakland, with her brother, Bob, and sister, Betty. Dorothy worked for many years as a cashier at Grocery Outlet in Newark up until the age of 80. When she was younger, she liked to bowl and owned her own ball and bowling bag. Her favorite pastimes were playing the lottery and the slot machines at the casinos. She is survived by her sister Betty Langfield (and her daughters Amalia and Marisa NietoGomez), and her brother Bob and his wife De Langfield (with their son, Derek Langfield). She will be missed by her family. At her request, there will be no services.

Obituary

Manuel Farias Bernal

September 30, 1932 – March 8, 2016

Resident of Newark

Manuel Farias Bernal, 83 years, passed away on March 8, 2016. He was born in Michoacán, Mexico and immigrated to the United States alone, at the age of 15. He was always so proud saying he learned the English language in 3 months, and shortly settled in the Tri-City area. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Catalina Flores Farias, who he married at the age of 23. Manuel is survived by his wife and children, Louis, Manuel, Irene, Carmen, Edward, Carlos and Estela. He is also survived by eleven grandchildren and ten great grandchildren and will be heartfully missed. Manuel enjoyed fishing, bowling, playing pool and socializing with his friends. If he hadn't seen you in a long time, upon leaving, he would always tell you, "write down the house number so you don't forget". He worked for Libby, McNeill & Libby Cannery and DelMonte Cannery where he taught himself how to weld, becoming certified and eventually becoming a cannery mechanic.



Visitation will be held on Wednesday, March 16 from 5:30- 8:30pm with a Memorial Vigil at 6:30pm at Fremont Memorial Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd., Fremont, CA 94536. A Memorial Mass will be held on Thursday, March 17 at 10:30am at St. Edward's Catholic Church, 5788 Thornton Ave., Newark, CA 94560. Inurnment will take place at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward, CA.

Parcel Tax renewal measure

SUBMITTED BY BRIAN KILLGORE

At its March 9 meeting, the Fremont Unified School District (FUSD) Board of Education unanimously voted to place a measure extending the District's expiring, voter-approved local education funding on the June 7, 2016, ballot for voters' consideration. "Our local schools need continued funding to help maintain small class sizes, quality teachers, student safety and the math, science, reading and writing programs that are essential to a good education," said FUSD Superintendent Dr. Jim Morris. To offset state takeaways, in 2010, voters approved a measure to provide stable funding at FUSD schools. These dollars have helped maintain quality education in local schools by helping to keep school libraries open and maintaining math and science programs. In the most recent audit issued by the expiring measure's Citizens' Oversight Committee, which provides audits annually to the community, the Committee reported all funds have been spent locally, benefitting all District students, as promised, with no funds spent on administrators' salaries or pensions. "Providing a solid educational foundation in math, science, reading and writing is a top priority in our local schools," said FUSD Board of Education President, Larry Sweeney, "If enacted, the

measure would continue to provide the funds needed for the District to help relieve overcrowding in classrooms, keep school libraries open and maintain programs to prepare students for college and the workforce." If adopted by voters, the FUSD continuation measure would renew the existing voter-approved local funding at an adjusted annual rate of \$73, per parcel, for nine years to provide additional resources to help local schools continue attracting and retaining highly-qualified teachers, including science teachers, for 21st century education, maintaining math, reading and writing programs and protecting student safety and security. "It is critical for our local schools to support a 21st century education curriculum with computers and instructional technology," Dr. Morris added. "If approved, funding from the measure will help support classroom and learning technology that will help prepare students for college and the 21st century job market." If the Measure is approved by voters, senior citizens who have previously applied for a waiver from the Parcel Tax will remain eligible for the entire nine-year term. Waiver information for new senior citizen applicants will be posted as soon as possible. The waiver will also be expanded to include residents with certain disabilities.

Purse snatch robberies

SUBMITTED BY SGT. MATIAS PARDO, UNION CITY PD

During the months of January and February, the Union City Police Department investigated a string of 11 purse snatches throughout the city. In the majority of these cases, the suspects would steal the victim's purse from either a shopping cart or from grabbing/pulling from the victim's person. During a purse snatch investigation, conducted by Fremont Police Department, a witness provided the suspect's vehicle license plate. The suspect vehicle was a dark blue BMW, four door. Fremont Police Department, working collaboratively with the Union City Police Department, was able to identify the driver, Alexis Bostick (24) and a juvenile male (16) as being involved in the series of purse snatch thefts/robberies. Alexis Bostick and the juvenile have been arrested. Both Bostick and the juvenile are believed to be involved in at least ten (10) purse snatches, which are considered robberies. In most instances the victim was unharmed; however, in one case a female victim was dragged for a short distance, which caused her moderate injuries. Bostick has been charged with four counts robbery, one count felony battery, seven counts grand theft, three counts fraudulent use of debit card, two counts possession of stolen property, and one count

battery with injury. The juvenile will be facing similar charges. The Union City Police Department urges shoppers to pay attention to their surroundings and report suspicious activity. The following are additional steps to avoid becoming a victim: Secure your valuables (purse) inside your vehicle prior to unloading/loading up goods into your vehicle. Don't leave purse in shopping cart. Wear purse tight to your body. Remember that you are more important than your purse. Don't fight attackers. Keep valuables to a minimum. Beware of vehicles slowly driving around.

Detectives are still actively investigating these cases and possible additional cases. Anyone with information concerning this incident should contact Detective Daniel Dejong, Union City Police Department, (510) 675-5227. Anonymous tips regarding this incident can be made by calling (510) 675-5207 or emailed to [Tips@union-city.org](mailto:Tips@union-city.org)

Launching a capital campaign

SUBMITTED BY HAYWARD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The Hayward Nonprofit Alliance will be focused on fund-raising at its meeting on Thursday, March 17 when the presenter will be Tanya Hauck, vice president for university advancement at California State University, East Bay. Title of her presentation will be “Launching a Capital Campaign” and the meeting will be held at the Hayward Area Historical Society. Hauck was hired by the university in 2015 and has nearly two decades of comprehensive higher education and campaign experience. Previously, she served as vice president for institutional advancement at Mills College in Oakland. Before that, she launched the \$500 million Learn by Doing Promise campaign at Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo. All Hayward chamber members and their guests are welcome to attend the Hayward Nonprofit Alliance.

Hayward Nonprofit Alliance  
Thursday, Mar 17  
10 a.m.  
Hayward Area Historical Society  
22380 Foothill Blvd., Hayward  
(510) 537-2424

Teamwork and involvement key to success of band students

ARTICLE AND PHOTO SUBMITTED BY QUEENIE CHONG

With a little over 10 hours of rehearsal time together, over 140 top-notch junior high and high school band members of Fremont Unified School District (FUSD) delivered a captivating performance for the community on January 30 at Smith Center, Ohlone College in Fremont. Featuring students from the junior high and high schools of all the attendance areas in Fremont, FUSD's “Honor Bands in Concert” attracted a full house of supportive community members and families that appreciate the value of music education and play a pivotal role in supporting music students. Also instrumental in the achievement of these music students are their dedicated school band directors. Kudos to Adam Anaya, Greg Conway, William Flaherty, Ross Gershenson, Monica Kraft, Paul Lorigan, Amberle Mitchell, Veronica Peiffer, Charles Rodda, Robert Sterling, Richard Wong, and Qian Zhang! The junior high school honor band was directed by Troy Davis, a distinguished music educator and Director of Bands and Jazz at Aragon High School, while his mentor, Dr. Eric Hammer, Professor of Music Education at the University of the Pacific Conservatory of Music, directed the high school honor band. Both guest conductors were impressed by the high-caliber performance presented by these diligent and accomplished youths of Fremont. Many of these students were also participants in the All-Northern Honor Bands and All-State Honor Bands this year.



# Park It

BY NED MACKAY

Lots of family-friendly activities will be the highlight of “**Splash Into Spring and Egg Scramble**” on Saturday, March 19 at Crab Cove Visitor Center in Alameda. It’s a free, all-day event sponsored by East Bay Regional Park District, Alameda Recreation and Parks Department, and Alameda Rotary Club. Here’s the schedule:

From 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. activity stations will feature crafts, games, music and more. The egg scramble hunt is at 11:30 a.m. At the center’s Old Wharf Classroom you can take a virtual dive into San Francisco Bay from 1:30 p.m. to 2 p.m. From 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., Family Nature Fun will feature animals that lay eggs. And from 3 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. it’s fish feeding time at the center’s large aquarium. Family Nature Fun repeats on Sunday, March 20 at the same time.

Crab Cove is at 1252 McKay Ave. off Alameda’s Central Avenue. For information, call (510) 544-3187.

Down at Coyote Hills Regional Park in Fremont, there’s a **wetlands exploration** planned from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, March 19 led by naturalist Kristina Parkison. The group will embark on a scavenger hunt for insects, mammals, fish and birds using dip nets and binoculars. The activity is for ages 6 and older. Meet at the park visitor center at the end of Patterson Ranch Road off Paseo Padre Parkway. For information, call (510) 544-3220.

At Tilden Nature Area near Berkeley, **moon games** are on the agenda from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. on Sunday, March 20. This is because the moon will pass behind the Earth’s shadow on March 22. The program will include astronomical information and

some solar-system craft making. Moon games will be at Tilden’s Environmental Education Center at the north end of Central Park Drive. Call (510) 544-2233 for information.

The naturalist-led “**Hikes for Tykes**” series continues with a 1-mile hike at Lake Temescal for parents with small children. It’s from 10:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. on Tuesday, March 22. Meet at Lake Temescal’s north entrance on Broadway near the junction of Highways 13 and 24. Bring a snack. Strollers aren’t recommended. For information, call (510) 544-3187.

Weather permitting, the family animated comedy, “**Minions,**” will be the **featured attraction at a free outdoor movie night** from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 19 at Kennedy Grove Regional Recreation Area in El Sobrante. Rain cancels the show.

Arrive early to secure a good seat and enjoy pre-movie entertainment. You should bring a flashlight, clothes to stay warm, and a blanket or chair for sitting. There will be snacks and drinks for sale. No pets, please.

To reach Kennedy Grove, drive north on Camino Pablo from Orinda. Camino Pablo becomes San Pablo Dam Road; the park entrance is about a mile past the entrance to San Pablo Dam Recreation Area. For information, call (510) 544-2553.

**Plants of the Delta** are the topic of a program from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, March 19 at Big Break Regional Shoreline in Oakley. The staff naturalists will talk about what grows in the Delta and help visitors make a native plant seed ball to take home for their gardens. Big Break is at 69 Big Break Rd. off Oakley’s Main Street.

**Naturalist Mike Moran continues his citizen-assisted bird census** with a bird walk from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Thursday, March 31 on the Marsh Creek Regional Trail in Brentwood. Mike has spent years documenting the variety and numbers of birds of prey on the east side of Mt. Diablo, and you can help him. No experience is needed; Mike will explain how to identify the hawks, falcons and eagles.

The hike is free, but registration is required. Call (888) 327-2757 (option 2), and refer to program 12758.

## Innovative housing idea

Local Group Explores Innovative Housing Idea

### Three Bay Area communities customize the cohousing concept

Neighborhoods are as distinctive as the people who live in them. When the people intentionally form their own neighborhoods, the distinctiveness may be magnified. Three neighborhoods in the Bay Area exemplify how this works. They have embraced the cohousing model and made it their own. They are Temescal Creek and Swan’s Market in Oakland, and Mountain View Cohousing in Mountain View. All three will be available for touring April 30 on National Cohousing Open House Day.

Cohousing is a term that describes the old/new idea of neighbors intentionally creating the best aspects of small-town living—living in privately owned homes in a neighborhood designed to stimulate community interaction. A group of Southern Alameda County friends has formed Mission Peak Cohousing with the intention of establishing a neighborhood of its own in Fremont, and many of the members will attend the three Bay Area communities’ Open House Day to gain inspiration and seek advice.

“We’re still early in the process,” points out Jane Mueller, one of the founding members of Mission Peak Cohousing. “We are searching for a site and sorting out our priorities. The tour will give us some ideas to fuel discussion.”

Temescal Creek is a cohousing community fashioned primarily by retrofitting existing residences in a neighborhood in north Oakland. Begun in 1999, it has 12 units, a common house, a community garden and hot tub. It is a model for innovative urban infill housing that incorporates the community’s ideals of environmental sustainability and social justice.

Swan’s Market, completed in 2000, was the 50th cohousing community to open in North America. Located in downtown Oakland, it is still the most urban cohousing community in the U.S. Its 20 households share an innovative mixed-used historic-preservation development site with affordable rental apartments, retail, offices and eight restaurants. They have a 3,500 square-ft. common house and a garden.

Mountain View is a new old-fashioned neighborhood of 19 upscale, energy-efficient condominiums and common facilities located on a 1.1-acre lot in the Old Mountain View residential neighborhood, within walking distance of the center of town and the CalTrain and light rail station. Residents moved in last year. They have renovated the Abbott House, a historic (1885) farmhouse that existed on the property. They are still working on some aspects of the landscaping and organic garden.

National Cohousing Open House Day is open to the public. Also open to the public in April, internationally known cohousing experts Kathryn McCamant, president at CoHousing Solutions, and Charles

Durrett, principal at McCamant & Durrett Architects, will be in Fremont to present an overview of cohousing to a local audience. The City of Fremont is joining with Mission Peak Cohousing to sponsor a public presentation at 6:45 p.m. on April 8 in the Fukaya Room at Fremont Main Library.

The following two days, April 9-10, Mission Peak Cohousing members will take a major step forward in making the cohousing concept a reality for the Tri-City area. They will participate in a weekend workshop conducted by McCamant and Durrett entitled “Getting It Built.”

#### Event Details:

**Presentation: Put the Neighbor Back in Neighborhood**  
**Friday, Apr 8**  
**6:45 pm.**  
**Fremont Main Library**  
**2400 Stevenson Blvd, Fremont**  
**Open to the public without charge**

**Getting It Built—A Weekend Workshop on Cohousing**

#### Saturday & Sunday, Apr 9 & Apr 10

Topics: the cohousing process (organizing and roles); technical issues (financing and designing); working together (decision making and group interaction); and what next (next steps to getting it built).

Enrollment: Eight spots are left for potential residents and developers interested in building a cohousing community. Pre-registration only. Fee: early-bird discount is \$350 if postmarked by March 22; after March 22, \$400 by March 31. To register, contact MissionPeakCohousing@gmail.com.

#### National Cohousing Open House Day

##### Saturday, Apr 30

Hours vary by location. For detailed information, see [www.cohousing.org/openhouse2016](http://www.cohousing.org/openhouse2016).

*Next week: Local group joins increasingly popular cohousing movement*  
*Mission Peak Cohousing is a group of friends forming a cohousing community in Fremont. For information, contact*  
*MissionPeakCohousing@gmail.com.*

Below: Photo By Marcia Lepler, Mountain View Cohousing



## Cortese proposes new initiatives for 2016: The year of transformation

BY SUPERVISOR  
DAVE CORTESE



I am honored to serve a second year as president of the Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors, and I know the community will come together, as it did last year, to face our most pressing challenges of 2016.

At the State of the County event on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, I declared 2016 as the Year of Transformation. We can build on the progress we made last year on homelessness, health and immigration, environment, services for youth, and also take on new initiatives that will make our County a better place to live, work and play.

I believe we should make transforming our jails as our first priority, while continuing to tackle homelessness and our work on other core areas.

Jail reform: After the death of inmate Michael Tyree in our Main Jail last year, we created a Blue Ribbon Task Force on Custody Operations to conduct an independent review of our jail system. I look forward to their recommendations to the Board at our meeting on April 12. Dramatic changes need to be made, and I’m hoping we can start by providing treatment for mentally ill offenders instead of jailing them. I support a permanent Oversight Commission to make sure that our jails will be safe for inmates, corrections officers and visitors.

Homelessness: The Housing Task Force that last year came up with new ideas to help our homeless population set us on a course to expand services and shelter, with a focus on homeless veterans. No man or woman who fought for his country should sleep under a bridge at night.

I am challenging all of us to start looking at homelessness not as a problem to be solved by a moral obligation to be filled – by all of us. I ask you to start by keeping an open mind when a site is proposed for temporary shelter, rent apartments to homeless veterans and support nonprofits that serve the homeless.

Here are some other initiatives I propose for 2016. I will keep you updated with how to get involved.

Immigrant relations: Working with our new Office of Immigrant Relations, I advocate that we set up an Immigrant Programs Task Force with the goal of creating a one-stop shop for immigration services. We recently celebrated our future Vietnamese American Service Center, which also is a hub for services.

Alviso Marina: Last year, we started educational boat tours at Alviso Marina County Park, using the navigable waterway to the Bay. I’m proposing that the Alviso Marina be designated regionally as an access port for emergencies and rescue services.

National Heritage Area: We are embarking on a mission to have the U.S. Congress designate the County as a National Heritage Area. The designation not only celebrates our history, traditions and culture, but can open the door to federal grants. I’m proposing a Task Force to guide the process along and involve the community.

Outreach Strike Team: Let’s create an Outreach Strike Team, a unit of employees who can mobilize face-to-face when it is crucial that information be received and understood by all the residents in our County.

To read the State of the County Speech or view it, visit [www.sccgov.org](http://www.sccgov.org). And you can contact me at (408) 299-5030 or email me at [dave.cortese@bos.sccgov.org](mailto:dave.cortese@bos.sccgov.org).

# Students to compete at Ohlone College High School *Theatre Festival*



SUBMITTED BY  
OHLONE COLLEGE

For two days each spring, the Ohlone College campus is overrun with performers from high schools across the state. Virtually every open space is staked out as a rehearsal area and at any time you may encounter someone reciting Shakespeare, singing Broadway show tunes, or liberally applying stage makeup in preparation for their upcoming shot onstage.

The Ohlone College High School Theatre Festival, which takes place March 18-19, has been held every year by the Ohlone Theatre Department for the past 22 years.

The Festival is the largest of its kind in Northern California with over 850 high school students participating from more than 20 different high schools from all around the Bay Area—and some from as far away as Grass Valley and Hollister. They converge on the Ohlone College campus in Fremont for competition, inspiration, and instruction at the Festival.

“We are excited to welcome back high school students from all over California to support the work they do in theatre, dance, and film. Ohlone is proud to cultivate and celebrate the next generation of artists,” says Festival

organizer and Ohlone professor Michael Navarra. The festival requires a huge effort on the part of many individuals to plan and run the event. Support for the High School Theatre Festival requires 30 high school teachers, almost 100 judges, and 60 Ohlone student and staff coordinators.

Designed to encourage young theatre artists developing their craft, the festival provides a venue for students to showcase their talents through energetic competition. Students also benefit from being introduced to exciting new material, interacting with other students, and observing their peers while watching all the events.

Students compete for 100 awards in 35 categories in performance, improvisation, dance, technical theatre, and design in dramatic, musical, contemporary, or classical theater productions put on by the students. Professional theatre artists from all over the Bay Area serve as judges to provide feedback and support for the students’ work.

Three top awards are given to high schools with the most points scored: the Festival Sweepstakes for the highest cumulative score, the Judges Sweepstakes for the highest scored single performance, and the Tech Sweepstakes for the highest total score for tech and design.

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