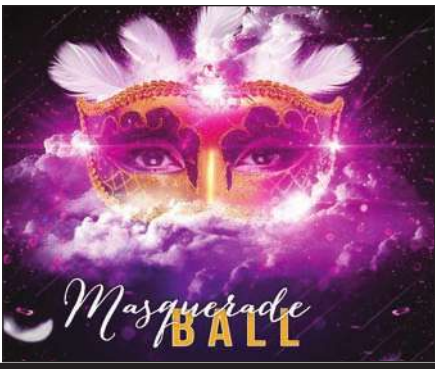




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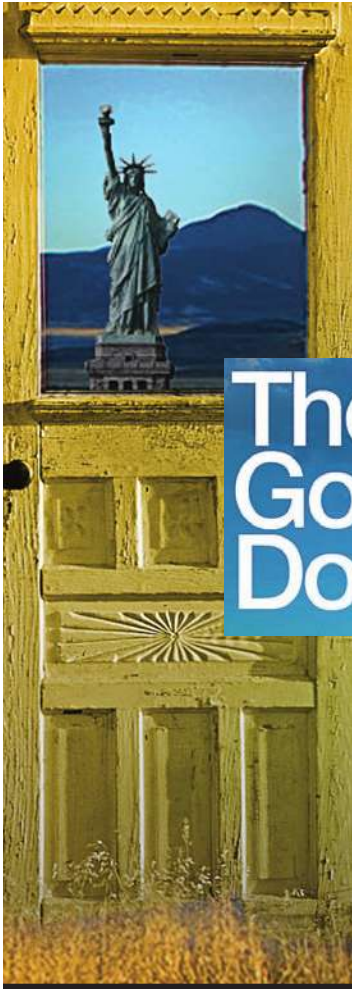
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The Golden Door



‘Golden Door’ shines a light on community
SUBMITTED BY VICKILYN HUSSEY

“Give me your tired, your poor, your huddled masses yearning to breathe free ... Send these, the homeless, tempest-tossed to me, I lift my lamp beside the golden door!” –
The New Colossus by Emma Lazarus, on the pedestal of the Statue of Liberty

In the social media noise about immigration, the faces of individuals are often lost in a dark sea of generalizations, political posturing, ignorance, prejudice and fear. In support of the promise of liberty, Music at the Mission shines a light upon the experiences of Fremont’s community members in the premiere of “The Golden Door,” with a new work by Mark Fish and short film by Music at the Mission.

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“The Golden Door” documentary interviewee Anu Natarajan.
Photo by Vickilyn Hussey



Awash in ‘Watercolor Madness’

SUBMITTED BY BRUCE ROBERTS

“Water, water everywhere, nor any drop to drink!” After all the rain we’ve had this year, this line from Coleridge’s “The Rime of the Ancient Mariner” may have been predicting our winter—though he meant salt water, not our fresh-filled reservoirs.

It seems fitting then after our record rainfall that the Hayward Arts Council’s current exhibit is nothing but watercolors—“Watercolor Madness”—where 18 local watercolor enthusiasts display multiple works to enhance the walls of Hayward’s Foothill Gallery.

Landscapes, plants, and birds are common themes among this excellent variety of work. “Fall Colors” by Janet Metzler gently takes the viewer to a wood of soft yellow leaves. Don Markos’s “Alone with Waves” is a poignant portrait of a lone oarsman rowing through a foggy bay toward a bridge, a city, whereas Jon Neseth’s “Fun in the Sun” is a delightful collage of Hawaiian beach scenes: hula girls and surfboards.

“Bonelli’s Eagle” by Juan Benjumea is a terrifically detailed full body painting of this raptor that roams the Sahara. In contrast, “Barn Owl” by Karla Lopez zeros in on the face, intense and feathery, of our California predator. In “Anna’s Hummingbird,” by Terry Preston, a small, exquisitely

portrayed hummingbird perches delicately atop a fuchsia. That fuchsia is one of many plants catching a painter’s eye.

Meri Furnari’s “Still Fleur” presents a surrealistic array of poppies filling the canvas against a blue sky background, whereas Kate Hardwig’s “California Poppy,” in the best tradition of botanical painters, focuses on a single plant in precise detail, with no background at all to distract.

A line of rowboats by Stan Stadelman, local scenes by Ruey Syrop, Sara Kahn, and Al Murch, reclining ladies in swimsuits by Robert Wolff all serve to fill out the varied subjects displayed here. The most unique may be Loretta Siegel’s “Frenzy,” a joyous jumble of vibrant colors looking for order.

The Foothill Gallery in Hayward is open Thursday through Saturday and will continue this exhibit until Saturday, June 17. Watercolor fans everywhere should take a look, remembering always that the water used and represented here is not to drink, but to admire and enjoy.

Watercolor Madness
Friday, Apr 28 – Saturday, Jun 17
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Rowell Rodeo brings Old West action to East Bay

BY VICTOR CARVELLAS
PHOTOS BY PHIL DOYLE

The 97th annual Rowell Ranch Pro Rodeo is coming to Rowell Ranch Rodeo Park. More than a week full of festivities gets underway May 12, and end with Professional Rodeo Cowboy Association (PRCA) Pro Rodeo main events May 19 through 21.

Begun in 1921 by local legend, cattleman, and philanthropist Harry Rowell, the rodeo honors the roping and riding traditions that have been part of the East Bay since Rancho days of the early nineteenth century.

Professionally sanctioned rodeo makes up a large part of the festivities as rodeo’s best competitors vie for a piece of the more than \$350,000 in added prize money from the SIXPAC Rodeos that includes rodeos in Rowell Ranch (Hayward), Red Bluff, Clovis, Oakdale, Redding, Livermore, and Reno, NV. More than 100 cowboys and cowgirls compete for their share of the prize money during this leg of the California rodeo.

On May 12, the Castro Valley Rotary Club sponsors a Chili Cook-off to get the party started at Rowell Ranch. On May 13, the Rotary also sponsors the

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Washington Township Cardiologist Explains the Dangers and Treatment Strategies for Atrial Fibrillation

When your heart beats too slowly, too rapidly or irregularly, it is known as an arrhythmia. Atrial fibrillation, often called AFib, is the most common arrhythmia in the United States. Caused by a malfunction of the heart's electrical system, AFib occurs when the upper chambers of the heart – the atria – contract irregularly and in an uncoordinated fashion. This causes the lower chambers – the ventricles – to beat erratically and inefficiently.

"AFib is a serious condition that increases your risk for stroke, heart failure and death," says Catherine Dao, MD, a noninvasive cardiologist with Washington Township Medical Foundation (WTMF). "Typical symptoms include palpitations, a sensation that your heart is racing or beating irregularly, chest discomfort, or shortness of breath. Many people with AFib have more vague symptoms, however, such as fatigue, low energy, lightheadedness and a reduced capacity for exercise, or they have no symptoms at all."

Dr. Dao notes that approximately one in five strokes are due to AFib.

"With AFib's erratic heartbeat, blood can pool in the atria and form clots," she explains. "If a clot travels to the brain, it can cause a stroke, which is why people with AFib often require blood thinners called anticoagulants. Many stroke patients were unaware that they had AFib before a stroke occurred because they did not recognize the symptoms. In addition, screening for AFib is not routinely performed unless someone has known risk factors for AFib."

The risk of AFib increases as people age, and the overall incidence of AFib is increasing as the U.S. population ages. Other substantial risk factors for AFib such as high blood pressure (hypertension), diabetes and obesity also are on the rise. Additional risk factors include excessive alcohol and caffeine intake, severe infection, stress, inflammation and thyroid disorders.

"AFib can be diagnosed with an electrocardiogram (ECG), which is a noninvasive test that measures the electrical activity of the heart," Dr. Dao says. "Since AFib may not occur all the time, other people might need to wear an ambulatory ECG monitor, or 'Holter' monitor

for days or several weeks to obtain a diagnosis. The monitor is a small, portable, battery-operated device that measures and records the heart's rhythm continuously as the patient goes about regular daily activities."

AFib can occur in brief, self-limited episodes, or it can be an ongoing condition. Paroxysmal AFib is an episode that terminates in less than seven days. Persistent AFib is a condition in which the abnormal heart rhythm continues for more than a week. In both cases, the faulty electrical signals and rapid heart rate begin suddenly and then stop either on their own or with treatment. AFib is considered "permanent" when it is chronic and the normal heart rhythm cannot be restored with

treatment. Both paroxysmal and persistent AFib episodes may become more frequent over time and may progress to permanent AFib.

"There are several considerations I take when treating patients with AFib," says Dr. Dao. "First, I identify and correct reversible risk factors and manage other chronic risk factors such as diabetes and hypertension. Second, I determine their risk for developing clots and try to prevent the clots by using anticoagulants."

"Warfarin is the most commonly prescribed anticoagulant," she adds. "It is highly effective. It is available in a generic form and is not as costly as many of the

newer anticoagulants that have recently come onto the market. Warfarin can be difficult for some patients to take, however, as it has a narrow therapeutic window. Too much warfarin can lead to increased bleeding; too little is not effective. It also can interact with a number of foods and drugs that affect its level. Therefore, the dose for warfarin needs to be carefully monitored. Blood tests are used to determine the appropriate warfarin dosage. Initially, testing can be very frequent, such as once or twice a week. Once the patient's levels are stable, testing is usually performed on a monthly basis. Several newer anticoagulants may

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Dr. Dao checks patient's heartbeat.



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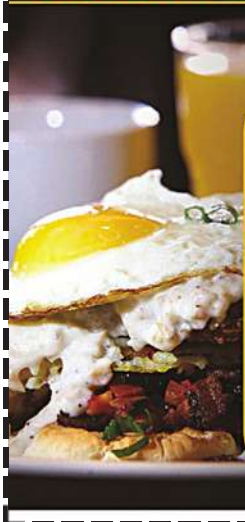
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be easier to take because they might not require such frequent monitoring and may be associated with less bleeding, but they also are far more expensive.”

According to Dr. Dao, there are two main strategies for treating the actual rhythm disturbance that occurs during AFib.

“One strategy is to keep patients out of AFib, and in ‘sinus rhythm’ – their normal heart rhythm,” she says. “This approach is preferred for patients who have symptoms that significantly impact their quality of life, and it sometimes involves the use of antiarrhythmic medications to control the heart rhythm.”

Dr. Dao notes that in some cases, an AFib attack cannot be brought under control with medications, and a short-term treatment called an electrical cardioversion may be appropriate. The procedure involves delivering a shock to the heart via the surface of the chest wall that “resets” the heart back into sinus rhythm.

“While cardioversion can get a patient back into sinus rhythm, its effects are often temporary, as it does not address the underlying structural problem causing AFib,” she cautions. “For patients where medications and cardioversion cannot maintain sinus rhythm, I may refer them to an electrophysiologist for an ablation to restore a normal heart rhythm.”

An ablation is an invasive procedure, performed while the patient is under general anesthesia. The electrophysiologist inserts a catheter into a vein, usually in the groin, and maneuvers it up to the heart.

Small electrodes are placed in the heart to locate the areas where the abnormal electrical activity originates. Radiofrequency energy is then delivered to disrupt the electrical impulses in those malfunctioning areas.

“The other strategy involves allowing the patient to stay in AFib, but keeping their heart rate controlled,” she notes “This strategy might be more appropriate for older patients with persistent or permanent AFib who have minimal or no symptoms. In these cases, I use medications that help control the heart rate, such as beta blockers and calcium channel blockers.”

Dr. Dao takes a multidisciplinary approach to treating AFib by working with other physicians to treat co-morbidities that can contribute to the condition.

“Many people with sleep apnea have higher blood pressure and are more prone to AFib,” she says. “Treating sleep apnea has been shown to lower blood pressure and reduce the recurrence of AFib. I often refer patients that I suspect may have sleep apnea to a sleep medicine specialist to evaluate them and treat them with use of a CPAP, or continuous positive airway pressure, machine. In other cases, people with diabetes may need to work with a primary care physician or an endocrinologist to manage their blood sugar levels, since diabetes is a risk factor for AFib.”

Dr. Dao’s clinical practice is located at 2287 Mowry Ave. in Fremont. If you need help finding a physician, visit the Washington Township Medical Foundation website at www.mywtmf.com and click on the tab for “Your Doctor.”

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Adobe Art Gallery presents the upcoming exhibit “Wake, Sleep, Repeat: Repetition in the Everyday.” This exhibit, open to all Bay Area artists, features a variety of media encompassing the numerous ways repetition is embedded in our daily lives. Work featured in the exhibit might be visually repetitive, feature an everyday scene or include a quotidian working process.

Gallery Director Leah Virsik is looking forward to the variety of work in this exhibit, from found materials to photography to painting and weaving. The exhibition features many local artists as well as those hailing from San Jose, San Francisco, Sunnyvale, and Los Altos.

Participating artists include Kay Athos, Shari Benson, Michelle Boire, Carol Jones Brown, Andrea Ciak, Amber Crabbe, Harlan Crowder, Philip Denst, Patricia Doyne, Shelley

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The Golden Door

Musicians and members of Music at the Mission didn't create the nonprofit's tagline, "Chamber Music Outside the Box" to be "on trend." They wanted to accurately represent their artistic goals and maintain the internal pressure to deliver on them. Artistic Directors Aileen Chanco and Bill Everett's concept for "The Golden Door" on Saturday, May 13 at Old Mission San Jose is even more ambitious than usual. "Many people think of classical music as an art from another era," observed Everett. "This concert is very much about music being alive and modern, but also about it being relevant to both our present day society and to our local community."

"The Golden Door," Mark Fish's new work of music commissioned by Music at the Mission, will be performed with a documentary by local filmmakers. The combined live music and film experience celebrates the multicultural immigrant experience in Fremont, a community of rich cultures brought together by choice and circumstance. Flavors of the Philippines, Mexico, China, India, and Pakistan blend with classical themes in this inspirational World Premiere of "The Golden Door" performed by the virtuosic Music at the Mission Chamber Players.

"If there is anything that defines modern day Fremont, it is multiculturalism," commented

Everett. "There are few cities in this country that have a larger immigrant community, and that draw from so many cultural backgrounds. 'The Golden Door' is a celebration of all these individual immigrant communities, but it is also a celebration of an incredible, unified, multicultural community."

The thematically diverse concert program opens with the spirited, light and lovely Dvorak "American," a transcendent Chinese-Western "Tunes from My Home" by Chen Yi, Revueltas' colorful musical postcard "Música de Feria" ("Fair Music"), and the highly anticipated "The Golden Door." Featured artists are Steve Huber, violin; Matt Szemela, violin; Emily Onderdonk, viola; Adelle-Akiko Kearns, cello; Bill Everett, double bass; and Aileen Chanco, piano.

"We are incredibly lucky to have the talents of composer Mark Fish as part of Music at the Mission. Last year's Charlie Chaplin concert was the first piece of Mark's referencing the local Fremont community, specifically the films made at Niles' own Essanay Studio," said Everett. "This year's work, 'The Golden Door,' goes even further. This is a musical documentary of Fremont today."

Music at the Mission invited community and business leaders Anu Natarajan, Moina Shaiq, Michelle Liu, Patty Maciel, and Ysmael Chanco to participate in "The Golden Door" documentary to describe their early years in India, Pakistan, China, Mexico, and the Philippines, their journeys to the United States, and share candid observations about resettlement and experiences during current turbulent times. "We greatly

appreciate their generosity of spirit in sharing their personal 'golden door' stories with us and hope it will encourage continued openness, mutual understanding and respect in the Bay Area community at large," concluded Everett.

"The Golden Door" production team is Bill Everett, executive producer; Vickilyn Hussey, producer; Julie Wind, director; and Judy Zimbelman, videographer. The short four-part documentary film was taped on the campus of the Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose.

"The Golden Door" is made possible by a grant from San Francisco Friends of Chamber Music, Musical Grant Program and Union Bank. Fremont Bank Foundation is the Music at the Mission Season Sponsor.

There will be a "The Golden Door" After-Party Reception for ticket holders at Mission Coffee in Fremont, sponsored by Griffin Construction.

Tickets range from \$15 (youth) to \$50 (premium seating) and are available at www.musicatmsj.org, www.TheGoldenDoor.BrownPaperTickets.com or at the door. For more information about Bay Area composer Mark Fish, visit www.markfish.com.

The Golden Door
Saturday, May 13
6:45 p.m.: Doors open
7:15 p.m.: Pre-Concert Talk
8:00 p.m.: Concert
Old Mission San Jose
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info@musicatmsj.org
www.musicatmsj.org
www.TheGoldenDoor.BrownPaperTickets.com
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California lawmakers vote to eliminate high school exit exam

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SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP), Lawmakers in the California Assembly have voted to permanently eliminate the state's high school exit exam, which has been suspended since 2015.

Democratic Assemblyman Ash Kalra of San Jose said Thursday the exam known as CAHSEE (KA'-see) is outdated. It was aligned with the curriculum standards in place when the test was started in 2000. California has since adopted new Common Core education standards.

Kalra says his bill would still allow students who failed to receive a high school diploma if they finished twelfth grade in 2004 or later and otherwise completed their graduation requirements. That provision was part of the 2015 bill that initially suspended the exam.

The Assembly's 56-17 vote sends AB830 to the Senate.

Trading Ducks for Cash

5,550 rubber ducks paddled furiously to win prizes for their human partners on April 22, 2017 in the annual Kiwanis of Fremont Ducks for Bucks event at Lake Elizabeth (Fremont). At a breakfast meeting on May 2, 2017, checks totaling \$23,000 were presented to local organizations as a result. All proceeds from Ducks for Bucks are used to support the event and selling organizations. Bayside 4H topped all organizations that received checks, selling 724 ducks and receiving a check for \$2,646! Congratulations to this hardworking group.

Groups contributing to the race flock included: Bayside 4H; St. James Episcopal Church; LOV; Kiwanis Club of Fremont; Calif Retired Teachers Assn; Tri City Ecology Center; Fremont Symphony Guild; Drivers for Survivors; Newark Relay for Life; Washington Township Museum; NAMIACS; Friends of Heirloom Flowers; Kiwanis of San Jose; Sons of Italy; Kiwanis Club West Metro; Guide Dogs for the Blind; Niles Main Street; St. Anne's Episcopal Church; Sierra Center; Soroptimist of Fremont; Order of Eastern Star; SNCCF.

Plans are already underway to round up the 2018 flock. Kiwanians invite those interested in joining their merry band of duck herders to visit a meeting and find out what else they are up to. Meetings are held at Doubletree Hilton Hotel, 39900 Balentine Drive, Newark in the VIP Room behind Bistro 880; 1st & 3rd Tuesday for breakfast 7:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m. and 2nd & 4th Tuesday evening for dinner 6:30 p.m. – 7:45 p.m. More information is available at: www.kiwanisfremont.org



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Staying Healthy in an Age-Friendly Community

SUBMITTED BY
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The Tri-City Elder Coalition along with The City of Fremont (COF) Human Services Department welcomes the community to attend the "Four Seasons of Health Expo" at the Fremont Senior Center in Central Park.

Taking place on Friday, May 12 and subtitled "Staying Healthy in an Age-Friendly Community," the expo will be organized around the World Health Organization's (WHO) eight domains, plus one extra COF domain. In conjunction with the City's efforts to become a WHO Age-Friendly City, the expo will emphasize services related to Health and Wellness, Outdoor Spaces and Parks, Transportation, Social Participation and Inclusion, Volunteering

and Civic Engagement, Community Information, Employment and Learning Opportunities, Housing, and COF's additional domain, Dementia-Specific Support.

Over 1,500 people and 100 exhibitors attended last year, making it one of the most popular health expos in Alameda County. Organizers hope to make this year even more successful. Local organizations are critical partners in our efforts to improve the lives of baby-boomers, older adults, their families, and caregivers as well as U.S. Military Veterans; a U.S. MIA/POW remembrance ceremony is planned.

Several organizations will be on hand providing health and dental screens including blood pressure check, bone density, ear wax check, vision, dental,

diabetes counseling, advance directive counseling, and others. Great entertainment is planned as well as a wonderful lunch available for purchase at the Senior Center.

Organizers expect about 2,500 attendees, and ask that people consider taking public transit or carpooling. The Senior Center is served by AC Transit Lines 239 and 215. Overflow parking and shuttle service to the Expo is available at the Teen Center and Waterpark parking lots.

Four Seasons of Health Expo
Friday, May 12
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Get ready to watch as the Fremont Police and Fremont Fire Departments prepare to face off at a "Battle of the Badges" charity basketball game slated for Saturday, May 20 at Washington High School in Fremont.

Proceeds from ticket sales to the game will benefit Special Olympics Northern California. Doors open at 5 p.m. with an intra-mural pregame basketball competition between City of Fremont employees from the Public Works, Community Services and Community Development departments. Tip-off for the main event

between Fremont Police and Fremont Fire will be at 6 p.m.

The family-friendly event also will include halftime entertainment, raffle prizes, a silent auction featuring sports memorabilia, a chili cook-off tasting competition and photo opportunities with police and fire staff members. A variety of foods and beverages will also be on sale.

Advance tickets are \$5 per person and can be purchased at these locations:

- Fremont Police Department, 2000 Stevenson Blvd. (6 a.m. — 6 p.m. weekdays)
- Fremont Fire Administration, 3300 Capitol Ave., Building A (8 a.m. — 5 p.m. weekdays)
- Fremont Senior Center, 40086 Paseo Padre Parkway (8 a.m. — 3 p.m. weekdays)

• Shaa's Lawnmower Sales & Service, 41144 Roberts Ave. (8 a.m. — 5 p.m. weekdays)

Cash or checks made out to Special Olympics of Northern California will be accepted.

Tickets will also be available at the door starting at 5 p.m. Children younger than 5 admitted free.

Sponsors of Battle of the Badges 2017 charity event, include Fremont Firefighters Local 1689, the Fremont Police Officer's Association, Fremont Unified School District, Washington High School and Fry's Electronics.

For more information about the event, including sponsorship opportunities or to make a tax-deductible donation to Special Olympics Northern California, please visit the event website at www.fremontpolice.org/battle-ofthebadges. To learn more about Special Olympics of Northern California, visit their website at <https://www.sonc.org/>.

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Technology aids BART riders with hearing loss

BY MELISSA JORDAN

A BART platform like the one at Fremont Station can be swamped with sounds: cars rushing by on nearby roads; wind whooshing through; bystanders talking. Cutting through the clamor in order to hear important announcements can be challenging even for those with perfect hearing.

It's even tougher for the hard-of-hearing riders who use hearing aids amid that cacophony of sounds. Through a pilot project, BART is working with the hearing-loss community on new technology that could make a big difference.

The technology is called a hearing loop and it's being installed at Fremont Station with completion expected later this spring. Riders who use most typical modern hearing aids, which employ something called T-coils, will be able to toggle a switch on their hearing aids to get a much clearer, isolated sound of announcements made over the public-address system, or interactions with the station agent.

"It's like wifi for your ears," said Richard McKinley, managing director of Contacta Inc., which is the contractor's vendor supplier on the pilot project.

Carl Orman, project manager for the installation, said the idea came through collaboration with the BART Accessibility Task Force (BATF). Orman also is BART's accessibility program manager in the Office of the District Architect.

"We're trying to improve the situation so people can better hear and understand what's going on in the noisy, environment," Orman said. "This is a pilot so we're going to experiment and see how things go." To set up the loop, grooves were cut into the platform surface; wire was laid in the grooves and sealed over to transmit the electromagnetic signal that is picked up by the T-coil in the hearing aid.

Janice Armigo Brown is a member of the Accessibility Task Force and uses a hearing aid with T-coil technology. "In public transit situations such as BART, noise can be a huge factor," said Brown. "People with hearing loss rely on visual cues such as lip-reading to compensate for or 'fill in the blanks' when communicating with Station Agents, transit personnel or other riders when asking questions or obtaining vital information," she said. "Any added background noise can prevent a person with hearing loss from understanding or deciphering speech."

Hearing assistive technology such as the hearing loop pilot can be a major improvement, said Brown, who has tested hearing loops at other locations that employ hearing loops, such as the Landmark Theaters at Embarcadero Station. It's like your own "personal sound system. Riders with access to the hearing loop system can feel more assured of receiving important information without straining to understand and decipher what is being said;

however, users will still have to factor in different tones, voice volume, speed of speech and/or an accent."

Brown said making riders aware of the technology will be important. Once it is up and running, BART will invite riders who use T-coil hearing aids to test the pilot project and give feedback. Some users have already given feedback on a more limited demonstration project tested at Colma Station. To find out when testers are needed for the Fremont project and get on the list, contact Orman at corman@bart.gov

Indeed, hearing loop technology will also be among the capabilities of BART's Fleet of the Future. BART is working with train car manufacturer Bombardier to develop and test an induction loop system for BART's new fleet. If the testing goes well, this system will transmit audio announcements and other BART information directly to receptive hearing aids and cochlear implants while riding in the new fleet—a much more comprehensive deployment, for which the Fremont pilot project is another step in laying the foundation.

BART customers who use hearing aids and/or cochlear implants with T-coils will be invited to try out the new onboard system and provide feedback. *(Note: those who might be interested in participating can send an email to bartresearch@bart.gov.)*

Healthy fresh foods direct-to-door via food bank

SUBMITTED BY BARBARA ARCHER

Farm Fresh To You (www.farmfreshtoyou.com), a Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) and home delivery service that provides fresh, local, organic produce and artisanal farm products to consumers' doorsteps, announced today that it has teamed with the Alameda County Community Food Bank to donate produce boxes to the food bank's clients through the service's Donate-A-Box program.

Founded in 2014, Farm Fresh To You's Donate-A-Box program has donated over 25,000 produce boxes to regional food banks. Farm Fresh To You customers can conveniently opt to donate their produce boxes to a neighboring food bank when they put a vacation hold on their deliveries, or at any time through the website donation page.

The general public can also donate boxes at: <http://www.farmfreshtoyou.com/donate>

Donate-A-Box delivers weekly boxes to seven regional food banks – Alameda County Community Food Bank, Jacobs & Cushman San Diego Food Bank, Sacramento Food Bank and Family Services, SF-Marin Food Bank, Westside Food Bank, Volunteers of America Los Angeles and Yolo Food Bank.

"Alameda County Community Food Bank provides healthy food to one in five Alameda County residents—which is only possible thanks to generous donations from our community partners. More than half the food we provide is farm-fresh produce and food banks like ours are always in need of quality food items like these. On behalf of our neighbors, we are extremely grateful for Farm Fresh To You's support," said Michael Altfest, Associate Director, Communications & Marketing, Alameda County Community Food Bank.

"We are grateful to have a new food bank partner in the East Bay to help us create more access to fresh produce," said Thaddeus Barsotti, farmer and co-CEO, Farm Fresh To You. "The food banks we work with tell us that increased intake of fresh fruits and vegetables helps their clients live healthy lifestyles."

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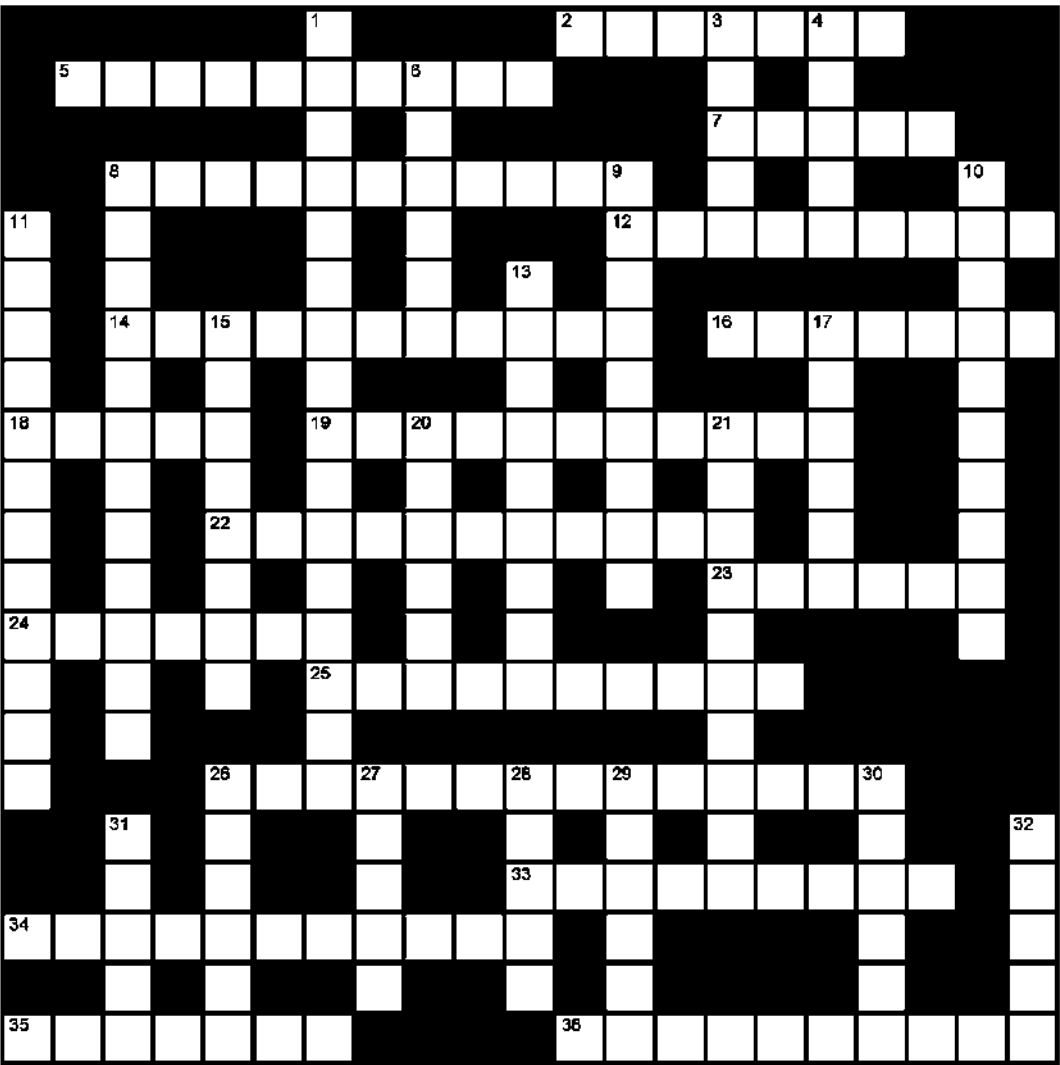
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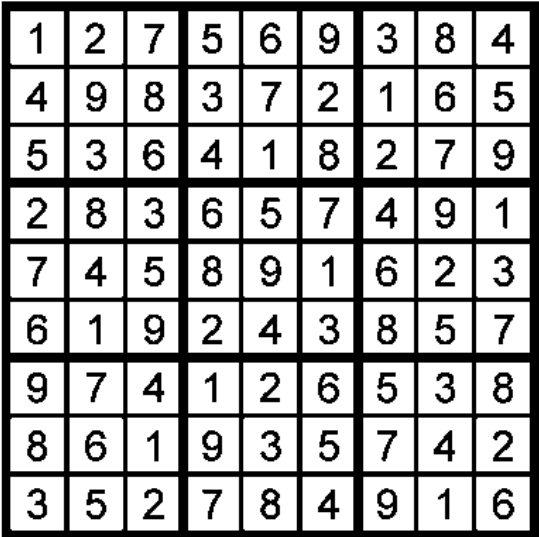
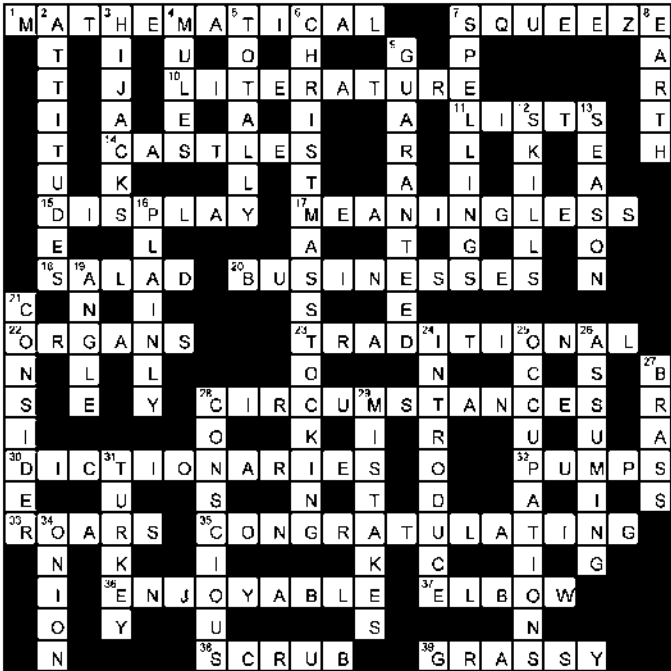
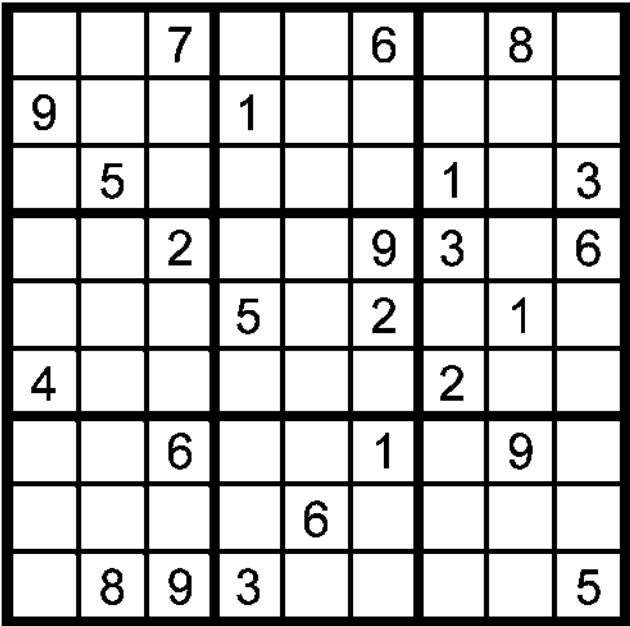
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Tri-City Stargazer FOR WEEK: MAY 3 - MAY 9

For All Signs: May 17 and 18, 2017 are especially favored days this month. I mentioned this on May 3, 2017, so I hope you read that and planned to start new things this week. I will re-print the overview of this favorable energy here:

Saturn is moving into favorable position with Uranus. The exact date is May 19, 2017. The energy began early this year, but with all the noise in the solar system, its meaning has been blurred beyond consciousness. Saturn rules the old, the traditional, and the status quo. Uranus points at the new, the

updated, the fresh idea or technology. When they meet in a flowing aspect, it is a good time to integrate the new and the old into an improved system. The aspect favors ordered, disciplined and gradual change rather than overthrow or rebellion. This is the month the two systems may find a workable blend. The energies repeat in November 2017. The umbrella of time on this aspect carries through the end of the year. We can only hope that many conflicts in Congress could be bridged during these months.

Aries the Ram (March 21-April 20): Irritability and a tendency to short temper may be your companions this week. Beware the temptation to obsess over minor issues. Take especially good care of your body at this time. You are in a physically low cycle and subject to accident or minor injuries with tools, or vehicles.

Taurus the Bull (April 21-May 20): Mercury travels rapidly through your sign between May 15 and June 6. During these weeks, there likely will be greater emphasis on communications, errands, and other short distance travels. You are prone to self-indulgence now. This is a good time to find a different solution for your cravings.

Gemini the Twins (May 21-June 20): There is a shift of your attention to matters of your personal history that may go back quite a long time. You will be looking inside yourself for meditative peace, answers to serious questions, and encouragement from your source. Journaling, hypnosis, meditation or counseling are favored activities now.

Cancer the Crab (June 21-July 21): You may feel out of sorts this week. Your feelings are in conflict with your ideal self and your values. You want to put your best foot forward, but circumstances do not feel quite right. If the conflict is deep, it is usually best to wait and not yield to whatever pressure is around you. Take your time. You will soon sort it all out.

Leo the Lion (July 22-August 22): The beginning of the week is busy, as you finish projects. On the weekend your mind shifts attention to communications. You probably feel the need to pay closer attention to your neighborhood, roommates, siblings and the casual relationships in your life. Get out and about, breathe some fresh air, take some walks.

Virgo the Virgin (August 23-September 22): You are caught between what you should do and what you want to do. The routine is safe, but also boring. Your mind may play tricks on you and you could be distracted easily. This is not a good time to do work that requires discipline with details. Take a break from

the routine and go somewhere you've never been.

Libra the Scales (September 23-October 22): Partners and friends may be offering temptations that are hard to avoid. If you want to take better care of yourself, move to another place in the room or take a walk and breathe deeply. It is probably a good idea to avoid a financial extravagance for the present. Think about it again in a couple of weeks.

Scorpio the Scorpion (October 23-November 21): You and your partner may have an issue over shared resources. That includes time, money, cars, or anything else. A discussion is likely to ensue. There simply may not be "enough" which requires a sacrifice. You may feel somewhat edgy and irritable this week. Use that edge to exercise or do some other muscular project.

Sagittarius the Archer (November 22-December 21): Warning to those on diet and exercise programs: this week it is just too easy to break training. If you mean what you've promised to yourself, don't go anywhere in

which you would be in harm's way. It is a time in which you feel more outgoing and extroverted. Social life is a pleasure.

Capricorn the Goat (December 22-January 19): Read the lead paragraphs carefully. You may have already begun to integrate the new into the traditional in your life. If so, you are right on target with your timing. Just this week your reflexes are off. You need to give attention to what your body is doing. If you exercise heavily, lighten up for a short period.

Aquarius the Water Bearer (January 20-February 18): You are in the right place at the right time to facilitate an action that

will be for the greater good of all involved. This is a project that you may have been working toward for a matter of weeks or months. It is something that makes you smile and gives you the sense that you were "supposed" to be in this place and time.

Pisces the Fish (February 19-March 20): You may feel pressured into spending time, energy, savings or other resources on something you would rather not. This is related in some way to your partner or other affiliations in your life. Your energy at this time is in short supply. Give attention to your body.

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Fremont News Briefs

SUBMITTED BY
CHERYL GOLDEN

Bike to Work Day is May 11

Thursday, May 11, marks the Bay Area's 23rd Bike to Work Day, an annual celebration to encourage bicycling as a healthy and enjoyable form of transportation to work. The event is part of National Bike Month.

Many Bay Area residents live close to their workplace, and this would be an ideal time to consider bicycling to work. Energizer Stations will be located along local bike commute routes in all nine Bay Area counties to provide free beverages, snacks, and encouragement to bicyclists. Fremont will be hosting seven Energizer Stations. Stop by with your bike and visit any of the following Energizer Stations in Fremont for a free Bike to Work Day bag and refreshments:

**Host: City of
Fremont/ Washington Hospital
Fremont BART Station
2000 Bart Way
7 a.m. – 9 a.m.**

**Host: Western Digital
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Warm Springs/South Fremont
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45193 Warm Springs Blvd.
7 a.m. – 9 a.m.**

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**Host: ClubSport Fremont
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7 a.m. – 9 a.m.**

**Host: Don Edwards
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Bikeways for Fremont will be hosting a Bike Happy Hour at Whole Foods Market, 3111 Mowry Ave., from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. For more details, visit www.bikeeastbay.org/bikehappy-hour_2017

For complete details, including prizes, other Bike to Work Month activities, and The Team Bike Challenge, visit www.Fremont.gov/BiketoWork-Day or the Bike East Bay Bike to Work Day website at www.bikeeastbay.org/btwd_2017.

May is National Bicycle Safety Month – Be a Roll Model

The Fremont Police Department and the California Office of Traffic Safety (OTS) call upon bicycle riders and motorists alike to be cautious during

May's National Bicycle Safety Month along with every other month during the year.

For riders and drivers, "Roll Model" means actively decreasing the risks of traffic crashes, preventable injuries, and deaths. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) reports that 818 bicyclists died and over 45,000 were injured in crashes in 2015, with deaths rising over 12 percent from 2014 numbers. Over the 10-year period from 2006 to 2015, the average age of cyclists killed in motor vehicle crashes increased from 41 to 45. Alcohol involvement—either for the motor vehicle operator or for the cyclist—was reported in 37 percent of all fatal cyclist crashes in 2015.

California adopted the Move Over Law to share the road, requiring motorists to pass bike riders with at least a 3-foot cushion. Support local efforts in your community and be involved in bicycle safety, whether while riding a bike or driving a vehicle.

Be a Roll Model:

- Ride and Drive Focused - Never ride or drive distracted.
- Ride and Drive Prepared - Always expect the unexpected.
- Safety First - Always wear a bicycle helmet when on a bicycle and a seat belt when in a vehicle.
- Know the Rules of the Road - A bicyclist is considered a vehicle on the road with all the rights and responsibilities of motorized traffic.

• Share the Road - Both motorist and bicyclist should look out for each other and show mutual respect.

For more information on Bicycle Safety Month, please visit www.NHTSA.gov/bicycle-safety.

A Life-Transforming Experience for Dads coming to Fremont Family Resource Center

Calling all dads! Attend a one-hour information night about the upcoming R3 Academy, a fatherhood program aimed to improve your relationships with your children, co-parent, and at work. Find out what this life-changing, 24-hour program is all about. Learn how dads improved their relationships with their children. Hear how men gained crucial skills to find a job or advance to a better job. Discover the financial incentives of attending this no-cost program.

The R3 Academy is a 12-week course starting on June 1 and ending August 17 that meets Thursday evenings from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Fremont Family Resource Center (FRC), located at 39155 Liberty St., between Capitol and Walnut avenues in Building EFGH in the Pacific Room.

Interested fathers should attend one of the upcoming information sessions on May 10, May 18, or May 25, from

6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the Fremont Family Resource Center to learn more about this program.

Online pre-registration is required at www.R3Academy.org/Alameda. Application deadline is May 25, and space is limited. For more information, contact info@relationshipsca.org.

The R3 Academy is brought to you by Healthy Relationships California and the Dads and Kids Initiative West Coast. Funding for this project was provided by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families.

Fremont Budget Hearings Coming Up

The City of Fremont's proposed operating budget for the next fiscal year, which runs from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018, will be presented to the City Council at their regularly scheduled Council meeting on May 16 at 7 p.m. The first public hearing to comment will be held on June 6, and the second hearing and adoption is on June 13. Both public hearings are part of the Council meeting and will begin at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 3300 Capitol Ave., Building A.



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Pelargonium pandemonium and geraniums galore

ARTICLE AND PHOTOS BY
DANIEL O'DONNELL

Founding father, president, the Constitution, the Declaration of Independence, Monticello, the Louisiana Purchase, and if you are a gardener, Pelargonium inquinans, a species of geranium, are the first thoughts that come to mind when people hear the name Thomas Jefferson.

It is well documented that Thomas Jefferson had one of the first, if not the first geranium in the United States. Geraniums and pelargoniums have been popular plants from the early 1800s onward for planting beds, hanging pots, walkway borders, and indoor planters. They offer a wide variety of flower colors, leaf shapes and sizes, and range in height from small groundcovers to large shrubs.

True geraniums and pelargoniums are two different plant genera from the family Geraniaceae, both commonly referred to as geraniums. Many species from both genera have characteristics that make them appear similar. Some popular

year, and some are long-lived evergreens, or perennials.

Pelargoniums are most commonly native to South Africa and are sometimes called storksbills. There are about 200 different species of pelargoniums. Many have succulent-like stems to withstand dry summers and rounded leaves to provide shade to the plant's interior from the hot sun. The majority are evergreen perennials. Pelargonium seeds have feather-like structures, unlike true geraniums, which catch the wind and help disperse them over long distances.

There can be an argument for using the non-botanical generic "geranium" name when looking at some of the common attributes these two plant genera have. Most geraniums prefer full sun but can tolerate semi-shade. They have adapted to survive dry summers. This makes them ideal candidates for areas in the garden that might not get a lot of gardening attention or places that have soils that dry out quickly such as pots, hanging baskets, or sidewalk strips. Geraniums can



pelargoniums are commonly misnamed Ivy Leafed Geraniums, Zonal Geraniums, and Scented Geraniums. There are a few notable differences between the two plant groups.

There are over 400 different types of true geraniums that can be found throughout many parts of the world, but are primarily indigenous to the Mediterranean. Geraniums, sometimes called cranesbills, have herbaceous stems and cut leaf patterns. Some are annuals that flower and complete their life cycle every year, some are evergreen biennials that flower and die after their second

survive in poor soil and a richer planting medium as long as it does not stay wet for a prolonged period of time.



True geraniums and pelargoniums are so popular that they can be purchased almost anywhere that sells plants including many grocery stores. Their bright flower colors include red, white, pink, and lavender and often have dark green leaves. A wider range of flower colors including salmon, blue, purple, burgundy, yellow, and some multi-color petal combinations as well as fascinating leaf patterns and foliage colors can be found and possibly special ordered from specialty nurseries such as Dale Hardware in Fremont, Regan Nursery in Fremont, and Evergreen Nursery in San Leandro. Plant World Seeds (www.plant-world-seeds.com) has an extensive selection of seeds for an even more exotic selection of hard to find geraniums that can be purchased online. Use Geraniaceae in the search bar.

Here are five true geraniums and pelargoniums that show how diverse and captivating these plants can be:

- Geranium viscosissimum, commonly known as the sticky wild geranium, is a protocarnivorous plant. It has the ability to trap very small insects on its sticky leaves and digest the nutrients that are broken down from the microbes and bacteria living on its leaves. It has edible purple flowers that attract butterflies and its green foliage turns red in the fall.

- Geranium maderense, sometimes called Madeira Island Geranium, is the largest geranium species. It can grow up to six feet tall and produces a canopy of hundreds of pink or white flowers during its second year before it dies. During year one it can be enjoyed for its large, lush, dark-green, fern-like leaves that hide their stems, giving them the appearance of floating on air.

- Pelargonium "Chocolate Mint." The chocolate comes from the deep maroon splotches that fill the interior of the pale green leaves. The mint comes from the plant's fragrant mint smell. Although it can grow to four feet wide, the cascading nature of its branches makes it a good choice for trailing over large pots.

- Pelargonium citrosum or the Mosquito Geranium has oils in its leaves that when crushed smell

like citronella. This led to a belief that the plant deterred mosquitoes. Unfortunately, multiple studies have proven this to be a myth. But there is still much to like about the sweet smell and the pretty pink flowers.

- Pelargonium hortorum "Vancouver Centennial" is frequently referred to as a fancy leafed geranium because of the soft maple leaf shaped foliage. This particular plant stands out from other "fancy leaf geraniums" not only because of its shape but because of the deep burgundy color and yellow-tipped leaves.

Geraniums and pelargoniums are two types of plants that have been admired and used in landscapes across America for a long time. There are very few garden applications that they cannot be used for. That is why they are so popular and commonly seen today. Sometimes common might seem boring in a garden, but with all the different and exotic geranium choices, even a common plant can be exciting.

Daniel O'Donnell is the co-owner and operator of an organic landscape design/build company in Fremont.

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An evening of mystery & intrigue

BY MAURICIO SEGURA

Celebrating their 47th year of providing great social services for San Leandro, San Lorenzo, Castro Valley, and unincorporated Hayward, the Davis Street Foundation will be hosting their 2017 spring gala fundraiser on Wednesday, May 24.

This year's gala, held at the Sequoyah Country Club in Oakland, will be a 15th-century themed "Masquerade Ball" where patrons can choose to be incognito and add to the night's mysterious vibe. A mask will be included with every ticket purchased, but if one wants to be a little more extravagant and bring their own eccentric piece, even better. There will be plenty of specially themed entertainment and amazing food items to make the gala a most memorable evening while benefiting a worthy cause. "The event itself is going to be a great time," states Davis Street Operations Director Daniel Johnson. "It's an evening of mystery and intrigue, so we have a couple of fun and surprising little things going on throughout the night that kind of play along with going to a masquerade type event. It will be a fun time for all." In addition to all the fun, a few items will be up for auction including a one-week vacation timeshare in Mazatlan, Mexico.

Along with cocktails and hors d'oeuvres, a delicious menu of Cajun cuisine will further enhance the Mardi Gras/Carnival feel of the evening. With a choice between Gulf Coast Grouper, Ribeye Steak Au Poivre, or Vegetarian Gumbo, everyone's pallets are sure to be completely satisfied.

The Davis Street Family Resource Center was founded in 1970 and is now a nonprofit, full social services agency. Servicing the Eden area, they provide an emergency food bank, clothing bank, and assist low-income residents with housing and utilities. They also provide great seasonal assistance such as holiday toy drives and back to school backpacks full of supplies for the area children. Last but not least, as of two years ago, a federally qualified health center providing medical, dental, and behavioral health services began operating at the center. Funds from the 2017 gala will go to the basic needs programs such as the food pantry, clothing bank, and housing assistance.

With each year's themed Spring Gala (this year marks their 15th), The Davis Street Foundation is looking to raise money and awareness for their cause, while providing an evening of pure enjoyment for all who attend. Past gala themes have included a 1920s Gatsby, Humphrey Bogart's Casablanca, and a 007 James Bond, which were all huge successes, raising anywhere from \$100,000 – \$125,000. According to Johnson, this year's gala is promising to be their best one yet, with expectations of raising at least \$130,000.

Don't miss this evening of great entertainment for all the senses. An evening of mystery and intrigue, an evening of mouth watering Cajun cuisine, and an evening where you can help make the lives of the less fortunate just that much better.

Contact Davis Street's Development Manager at development@davisstreet.org or (510) 347-4620 ext. 109 with any questions.

**Masquerade Ball
Wednesday, May 24
5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Sequoyah Country Club
4550 Heafey Rd, Oakland
(510) 347-4620
<http://davisstreet.org/>
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ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD	FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
2609 Acorn Street	94546	665,000	3	1042	1951	04-06-17
19159 Crest Avenue	94546	585,000	2	1624	1948	03-31-17
3633 Jamison Way	94546	628,000	3	1401	1953	03-31-17
4639 Malabar Avenue	94546	1,160,000	3	2457	2009	04-06-17
3442 Middleton Avenue	94546	680,000	3	1160	1948	03-31-17
18880 Sydney Circle	94546	710,000	4	1901	1993	04-04-17
3159 Terry Court	94546	795,000	3	2016	1961	03-31-17
19538 Yuma Street	94546	825,000	3	2964	1962	04-03-17
18525 Buren Place	94552	848,000	4	2251	2003	04-11-17
37789 Palomares Road	94552	1,333,000	3	2120	1976	04-03-17
5062 Stone Canyon Dr	94552	1,060,000	4	2334	1999	04-05-17

FREMONT TOTAL SALES: 43						
Highest \$: 2,370,000		Median \$: 1,050,000				
Lowest \$: 365,000		Average \$: 1,049,442				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD	FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
38796 Argonaut Way	94536	960,000	3	1513	1962	04-04-17
35778 Augustine Court	94536	1,065,000	4	1732	1971	03-31-17
37531 Fremont Boulevard	94536	890,000	2	1634	1922	04-03-17
4060 Gibraltar Drive	94536	440,000	2	884	1970	04-05-17
3518 Knollwood Ter #202	94536	587,000	2	1083	1984	04-11-17
4741 La Mesa Court	94536	760,000	3	1150	1956	04-11-17
36371 Magellan Drive	94536	745,000	3	1238	1954	04-05-17
38564 McDole Terrace	94536	503,000	2	1080	1972	03-31-17
280 Preston Court	94536	1,022,000	4	1889	1977	03-31-17
103 Ray Court	94536	1,430,000	4	2981	1989	03-31-17
386 Stonebridge Drive	94536	930,000	3	1370	1989	04-11-17
35377 Terra Cotta Circle	94536	1,050,000	4	2221	1999	03-31-17
40591 Blacow Road	94538	760,000	3	1148	1960	03-31-17
4445 Cambria Street	94538	816,000	3	1269	1961	04-05-17
3731 Franklin Avenue	94538	1,150,000	3	1000	1958	04-06-17
39224 Guardino Dr #115	94538	365,000	1	693	1990	04-11-17
39224 Guardino Dr #204	94538	370,000	1	693	1990	03-31-17
3379 Mission View Drive	94538	640,000	3	950	1958	03-31-17
42862 Newport Drive	94538	550,000	3	1000	1958	04-11-17
45730 Cayuga Court	94539	1,335,000	3	1682	1975	04-03-17
151 Linmore Drive	94539	650,000	3	900	1954	04-03-17
44192 Lupine Place	94539	1,715,000	5	3320	2003	03-31-17
44717 Lynx Drive	94539	1,250,000	3	1960	1989	04-06-17
1803 Marabu Way	94539	1,100,000	-	1650	1977	04-06-17
44631 Partlet Court	94539	2,370,000	4	3342	1994	03-31-17
753 Praderia Circle	94539	990,000	2	1364	1988	04-04-17
48299 Purpleleaf Street	94539	1,051,500	3	1298	1962	04-05-17
107 Wenatchee Com #13	94539	602,000	2	936	1987	04-04-17
46953 Zapotec Drive	94539	1,655,000	-	2507	1976	04-05-17
34754 Comstock Com	94555	960,000	3	1607	1988	03-31-17
4946 Conway Terrace	94555	625,000	2	1069	1989	04-11-17
3070 Darwin Drive	94555	1,052,000	4	1632	1972	04-05-17
5277 Diamond Com	94555	1,209,000	4	1812	1989	03-31-17
34314 Kenwood Drive	94555	1,185,000	3	1812	1989	04-06-17
5363 Ridgewood Drive	94555	1,050,000	3	1769	1991	04-05-17
34108 Spur Way	94555	1,594,000	-	-	-	04-11-17
34125 Spur Way	94555	1,457,500	-	-	-	03-31-17
34129 Spur Way	94555	1,542,500	-	-	-	04-03-17
34133 Spur Way	94555	1,526,500	-	-	-	03-31-17
5716 Via Lugano	94555	868,000	3	1617	2014	03-31-17
5232 Wrangler Court	94555	1,465,000	-	-	-	03-31-17
5248 Wrangler Court	94555	1,434,000	-	-	-	03-31-17
5252 Wrangler Court	94555	1,406,000	-	-	-	03-31-17

HAYWARD TOTAL SALES: 26						
Highest \$: 938,000		Median \$: 577,500				
Lowest \$: 335,000		Average \$: 597,750				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD	FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
1600 D Street	94541	648,000	4	2022	1930	04-11-17
1510 East Street #36	94541	360,000	2	1036	1974	04-04-17
1265 George Circle	94541	635,000	3	1809	2013	03-31-17
1251 George Circle #251	94541	630,000	3	1809	2013	03-31-17
2700 Randall Way	94541	751,000	3	1747	1954	03-31-17
3023 Randall Way	94541	750,000	3	1936	1955	03-31-17
338 Redbud Lane	94541	365,000	3	1032	1950	04-04-17
22175 Rio Vista Street	94541	938,000	7	2898	1958	04-05-17
18019 Silverado Road	94541	480,000	3	1270	1973	03-31-17
16 West Blossom Way	94541	565,000	3	1014	1951	04-06-17
26926 Claiborne Court	94542	785,000	3	2400	1968	04-11-17
27889 Pebble Court	94542	860,000	4	2024	1973	04-03-17
584 Ainslee Court	94544	500,000	3	960	1928	03-31-17
670 Blaine Way	94544	577,500	3	1210	1955	04-06-17
25809 Booker Way	94544	601,000	3	1477	1954	04-06-17
926 Cheryl Ann Circle #23	94544	375,000	2	1060	1979	03-31-17
28411 East 12th Street	94544	441,000	3	1256	1943	03-31-17
1027 Inglewood Street	94544	600,000	3	1042	1952	04-05-17
27422 Manon Avenue	94544	449,000	3	1009	1922	03-31-17
23 Raintree Court #15	94544	370,000	2	1000	1986	04-04-17
27420 Susan Place #3	94544	335,000	2	869	1980	03-31-17
2515 Admiral Circle	94545	928,000	-	-	-	03-31-17
26740 Contessa Street	94545	555,000	3	1128	1957	04-03-17
28332 Cubberley Court	94545	642,000	3	1386	1966	04-04-17
2700 Shellgate Circle	94545	936,000	5	2600	2003	04-11-17
886 West Winton Avenue	94545	465,000	3	998	1951	03-31-17
21103 Gary Drive #112A	94546	480,000	2	1100	1993	03-30-17

MILPITAS TOTAL SALES: 8						
Highest \$: 980,000		Median \$: 885,500				
Lowest \$: 600,000		Average \$: 839,563				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD	FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
859 Alisal Court	95035	600,000	4	2496	1988	04-07-17
235 Ayer Lane	95035	950,000	4	2025	1997	04-07-17
604 Berryessa Street	95035	980,000	-	1664	1960	04-10-17
912 Coyote Street	95035	800,000	3	1368	1979	04-07-17
837 Garden Street	95035	916,000	-	-	-	04-07-17
1828 Lee Way	95035	885,500	3	1622	2013	04-06-17
1224 North Hillview Dr	95035	905,000	3	1501	1966	04-07-17
1101 South Main St #222	95035	680,000	3	1386	2007	04-07-17

NEWARK TOTAL SALES: 19						
Highest \$: 935,000		Median \$: 744,000				
Lowest \$: 364,000		Average \$: 716,289				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD	FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
37375 California Street	94560	656,000	3	950	1959	04-05-17
39821 Cedar Blvd #103	94560	364,000	1	777	1986	04-05-17
39931 Cedar Blvd #204	94560	535,000	3	1283	1985	04-06-17
39887 Cedar Blvd #345	94560	487,000	2	1071	1986	04-04-17
36635 Deborah Street	94560	570,000	2	752	1953	04-05-17
36147 Fig Tree Lane	94560	894,000	-	-	-	04-03-17
36193 Fig Tree Lane	94560	935,000	-	-	-	04-03-17
37175 Greenpoint St	94560	800,000	3	1417	1978	04-05-17
37633 Masts Cove Way	94560	795,000	-	-	-	03-31-17
35872 Newark Blvd	94560	744,000	3	1464	1963	04-04-17
5039 Northampton Ct	94560	835,000	3	1610	1967	03-31-17
5609 Pandorea Terrace	94560	709,500	-	-	-	03-31-17
36410 Ruschin Drive	94560	790,000	4	1314	1959	04-05-17
39872 Sawyer Terrace	94560	825,500	-	-	-	03-31-17
8548 Schooner Way	94560	928,000	-	-	-	03-31-17
6237 Thornton Avenue	94560	560,000	-	-	-	03-31-17
6239 Thornton Avenue	94560	668,500	-	-	-	04-04-17
6241 Thornton Avenue	94560	684,000	-	-	-	04-06-17
36281 Toulon Place	94560	829,000	3	1100	1960	03-31-17

SAN LEANDRO TOTAL SALES: 23						
Highest \$: 950,000		Median \$: 530,000				
Lowest \$: 260,000		Average \$: 549,435				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD	FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
1052 Broadmoor Blvd	94577	530,000	2	978	1930	03-31-17
1400 Carpentier St #234	94577	425,000	2	1187	1983	04-11-17
1649 Castro Street	94577	690,000	4	1692	1953	04-11-17
499 Estudillo Ave #304	94577	410,000	2	1122	1981	04-03-17
2273 Lakeview Drive	94577	855,000	3	2182	1959	04-04-17
1351 Maria Drive	94577	530,000	5	1479	1953	04-11-17
505 Mitchell Avenue	94577	950,000	2	1986	1946	04-11-17
398 Parrott Street #306	94577	260,000	2	956	1976	04-11-17
2471 Sitka Street	94577	510,000	3	1018	1951	04-04-17
940 143rd Avenue	94578	535,000	3	1154	1955	03-31-17
1299 144th Avenue	94578	507,500	2	820	1944	04-06-17
1469 151st Avenue	94578	500,000	4	1726	1952	03-31-17
1525 168th Avenue	94578	574,000	4	1314	1968	04-06-17
806 Carmel Court	94578	611,000	4	1361	1957	03-31-17
854 Chico Drive	94578	650,000	3	1139	1954	03-31-17
1524 Halsey Avenue	94578	420,000	3	1260	1948	03-31-17
14828 Martell Avenue	94578	563,000	3	1008	1952	04-06-17
16243 Miramar Place	94578	549,000	3	1519	1985	04-04-17
16554 Toledo Street	94578	787,000	3	1751	1970	04-06-17
680 Fargo Avenue #17	94579	357,500	2	850	1965	04-06-17
690 Fargo Avenue #2	94579	365,000	2	1020	1965	03-31-17
15335 Washington Ave #104	94579	375,000	2	1010	1985	04-11-17
15250 Wiley Street	94579	683,000	4	1830	1952	04-03-17

SAN LORENZO TOTAL SALES: 3					
Highest \$: 641,000		Median \$: 535,000			
Lowest \$: 505,500		Average \$: 560,500			
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
15250 Wiley Street	94579	683,000	4	1830	1952 04-03-17
16370 Elgin Court	94580	535,000	3	1462	1995 04-04-17
17279 Via Andeta	94580	505,500	3	1512	1944 04-11-17
1052 Via Honda	94580	641,000	4	1467	1948 03-31-17

Counseling Corner

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Look before you leap (into a career)

BY ANNE CHAN, PH.D., MFT

An emergency room doctor quit her job to pursue a degree in English Literature. Another doctor said farewell to his patients to become an actor. A civil engineer became a local chocolatier (you can read his story in my Tri City Voice article: [http://www.tricityvoice.com/ar-](http://www.tricityvoice.com/ar-ticlefiledisplay.php?issue=2008-1022&file=CounselingCorner+Chocol.txt)

[ticlefiledisplay.php?issue=2008-1022&file=CounselingCorner+Chocol.txt](http://www.tricityvoice.com/articlefiledisplay.php?issue=2008-1022&file=CounselingCorner+Chocol.txt)). These are just three of the many people I've personally met who have made dramatic career changes. I myself made a big leap into the unknown when I decided to become a career counselor and psychotherapist. I haven't looked back since and do not have a single regret about my decision. This is not to say that the decision was an easy one. On the contrary, it was one of the toughest decisions I have ever made. I agonized over this decision for years, worrying that I would make a terrible and costly mistake. Thankfully, my career leap resulted in complete job satisfaction – the thing I most craved when I sought a change in my work life.

A career change might be exactly what you need if you are burned out. However, note my use of the word "might." Not everyone needs a major career overhaul. Sometimes, a tweak like asking for a lateral job shift or moving to a new company or sector might shift things enough to rejuvenate your career. However, if your misery extends far beyond a simple tweak, I recommend that you do the following before making your career leap:

Figure out what is truly important to you
Be very clear about what you

are seeking in your new career. In my case, I needed to feel that my work was meaningful. But at the beginning of my career search, I was not clear on what I needed in order to find meaning in work. With the help of several career counselors, I eventually got clarity on what was truly important to me. Not having this clarity would have been like going on a wilderness trek without a compass. Do not skip this first step; take the time to discover what you are seeking and what is important to you. Career counselors, friends, family, and mentors can be helpful in this critical first step.

Know that nothing is perfect
A new career will (hopefully!) not have the same issues as your old one, but it will have different issues and problems. Don't seek a new career hoping that all your problems will magically disappear. Instead, expect that you will encounter new challenges. Be prepared to learn new skills to address these challenges.

Lower your money expectations
How I wish I had a magic wand and could grant every career-changer a high-paying salary! Sadly, a cut in pay is almost always the reality that will face most career-changers. This is particularly true and painful for

those who have been on the job for many years or those who are moving from a lucrative sector. I would recommend lowering your money expectations right from the outset. At the same time, think of the trade-offs: you may not earn as much, but perhaps you will get better work-life balance or feel more fulfilled. For some individuals, an intangible such as loving one's job can be as important as the number of digits on one's pay stub.

Conduct a fair amount of internet research
Do extensive research on your new career, but don't get lost in your research. One excellent online resource is the Occupational Outlook Handbook (<https://www.bls.gov/ooh/>). I do not recommend that you spend an inordinate amount of time doing online research. Some people fall into the rabbit-hole of the internet and never surface to make a career change. Set a reasonable limit to your online research and move on to the real world (see the next step).

Real world research
It's time to step into the real world after you've done your online research. Talk to real people (preferably face-to-face) who are currently working in your desired career. Conduct extensive informational interviews ([http://www.tricity-](http://www.tricityvoice.com/articlefiledisplay.php?issue=2016-05-10&file=InformationalInter+Anne+Chan+694+++TCV.txt)

[tyvoice.com/articlefiledisplay.php?issue=2016-05-10&file=InformationalInter+Anne+Chan+694+++TCV.txt](http://www.tricityvoice.com/articlefiledisplay.php?issue=2016-05-10&file=InformationalInter+Anne+Chan+694+++TCV.txt)). Seek out opportunities to volunteer; this will enable you to test out the waters in your new career.

Find out about shortcuts
Many people balk at changing careers because of the extensive training or education that may be appear to be required, but lengthy training may not always be a necessity. Sometimes, insiders might know of shortcuts or strategies that can launch you into your new career.
Utilize the connections between your old and new career.
Bidding farewell to one career does not mean that you cut all ties with your old career. A smart career-changer is one who recognizes and takes advantage of the linkages between her old and new life. For instance, your former colleagues might now be potential clients. Your former work skills could still be utilized in your new career.

Making a leap into a new career is a daunting prospect that requires courage, perseverance, and faith. However, it's not an impossible prospect. With careful planning, thought, and a little luck, a career change could well be a lifesaver. You might even find that the grass is greener on the other side after you've made your career leap!

Pulitzer Prize-winning ‘Doubt’ at Broadway West

SUBMITTED BY MARY GALDE
PHOTO BY CHRISTIAN PIZZIRANI

Broadway West Theatre Company in Fremont presents “Doubt: A Parable” by John Patrick Shanley and directed by John Tranchitella. The show runs from Friday, May 12 to Saturday, June 10 and features Jeffrie Givens, Louis Schilling, Rebecca Soltau, and Sue Trigg.
This is the gripping, Pulitzer Prize-winning story of a Bronx school principal who takes matters into her own hands when she suspects that a priest is behaving improperly. The story is less about scandal and more about the fascinating nuanced questions of moral certainty.
Performances are at 8 p.m. Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays. A Continental



Brunch will be offered at 12:15 p.m. Sunday, May 21, followed by the show at 1 p.m. Sunday matinees will be at 3 p.m.
May 28 and June 4.
Tickets are \$27 general admission; \$22 seniors/students/TBA; \$20 Thursdays,

May 18, June 1, and 8; \$10 Bargain Saturday, May 13; \$10 Bargain Thursday, May 25 (first come, first seat). All tickets are \$27 on Brunch Sunday and Opening Night. Price of admission includes refreshments, Opening Night Gala, and Sunday Continental Brunch.
For reservations, call (510) 683-9218 or book online at www.broadwaywest.org.
Doubt: A Parable
Friday, May 12 – Saturday, Jun 10
Thursday – Saturday: 8 p.m.
Sunday, May 21 at 1 p.m.
Sundays, May 28 & Jun 4 at 3 p.m.
Broadway West Theatre Company
4000-B Bay St, Fremont
(510) 683-9218
www.broadwaywest.org
Tickets: \$10 – \$27

Gomes Elementary celebrates Project Reset

ARTICLE AND PHOTO
SUBMITTED BY LYNNE SHINOHARA

The Gomes Elementary family recently came together to celebrate the hard work, and fundraising journey as they reached their goal of \$25,000 to purchase and install 30 new computers and monitors for the school's computer lab.
A call to modernize the computer lab to bring it in line with the latest technology standards kicked off efforts to raise funds for the lab equipment. Soon a plan was in place with the creation of “Project Reset.” The school pulled together with leadership and

funding from Student Site Council, Gomes-PTA, the school's administration, individual parents and community members, as well as contributions from every grade level team of teachers.
A ribbon cutting ceremony on Wednesday, April 12 was time for celebration. Cub Scout Troop 447 and Gomes Student Body President Kyle Bazzone opened the ceremony along with Principal, Doug Whipple, PTA President Purvi Shah, and third grade teacher, Suzanne Ford-Negley. Students from Pre-Kindergarten to sixth grade let out a big cheer as the enormous red ribbon was cut. Seeing this vision come to fruition was a phenomenal feat.



Your Muslim neighbors

SUBMITTED BY MUNIR SAFI

Islam is growing in Fremont and across the U.S., but many find it still unfamiliar. If you would like to visit one of the city's largest mosques to get answers to your questions, including what Islam really teaches and why it is blamed for violence, then drop by the Islamic Society of East Bay on Saturday May 13.

In a proactive community outreach effort, youth at the Islamic Society of East Bay have organized #VisitMyMosque, an invitation to our Tri-City neighbors to get a first-hand, unbiased grasp of Islam.

Guests are invited for a lunch, a mosque tour, and to hear from five observant Muslims who will weave in their own personal narrative to answer the most common questions and misconceptions about Islam. The topics include:

- “Islam 101”: Basic Tenets of the Islamic Faith (Dr. Asad Tarsin)
- “Addressing Common Misconceptions” (Hina Khan-Mukhtar)
- “Why I’m a Better American After Islam” (Sara Kim)
- “American Naval Officer Addresses “Jihad” and “War” in Islam” (Mike Kim)
- “Addressing the Elephant in the Room: What do Muslims think about ISIS?” (S. Mahdy Amine)

The complimentary lunch is from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The “Your Muslim Neighbor’s Panel” is from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. The panel encourages questions. If you cannot make the panel, you can watch this and past panels at: <http://mcceb.org/neighbor-panel>

Speaking for Ourselves
A Panel of Your East Bay Muslim Neighbors
Saturday, May 13
11:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Islamic Society of East Bay
33330 Peace Terrace, Fremont
Free
RSVP requested at www.mcceb.org/panel

SPITTLEBUGS

TRI-CITY GARDEN CLUB MEETINGS:

Friends of Heirloom Flowers

Work Parties - Every Tuesday - at Shinn Park, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

1251 Peralta near Mowry, Fremont (510) 656-7702

Bring gloves and tools. - Social Hour afterward

Every Thursday, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Niles Rose Garden - 36501 Niles Boulevard, Fremont

Bring gloves and tools.

[Across Driveaway from Mission Adobe Nursery]

Contact Joyce Ruiz: 659-9396

Meetings are held quarterly. Call for details

Fremont Senior Center Garden Club

First Friday of each month, 1-2 p.m.

Tanya Mendoza, Program Coordinator 510-790-6602

Fremont Garden Club

The Fremont Garden Club meets the third Wednesday of each month,

February - October, in members' homes & gardens, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30

p.m. Locations are posted on the Fremont Garden Clubs' web site at

www.fremontgardenclub.org call Lynn at 510-604-8206

Gardens at the California Nursery Historical Park

Every Thursday 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

36501 Niles Boulevard, Fremont

Bring gloves and tools

Park near entrance across from rose garden

contact bart.balk@comcast.net for details

Find us on Facebook:

www.facebook.com/FriendsofCaliforniaNurseryHistoricalPark

Pat Kite's Garden

froth becomes annoying, a strong



PAT KITE

L. Patricia [Pat] Kite's several garden books include KISS Guide to Gardening, Gardening Wizardry for Kids, Raccoons, Ladybug Facts and Folklore and Silkworms. They may be found at Amazon.com and Alibris.com.



drying out. The nymph food? Plant sap. It is fortunate that spittlebugs are so small; they don't do much plant damage. In about six weeks from egg to adult, the spittlebug leaves the froth and wanders around. An adult spittlebug is about one-eighth inch to one-fourth inch long. It is brownish, and has wings. Many folk think it is a leafhopper, but the spittlebug adult is smaller than a leafhopper, and has a frog-like face. In some areas, it is called a "froghopper," rather than a spittlebug. It both hops and leaps. Its food? Plant sap. If for some reason the white

blast of water will remove it. No Aside from the technical stuff, here is some fun information: there are 23,000 spittlebug varieties. Some have wing stripes. Though we commonly call them spittlebugs, alternate names are Spit Bugs, cuckoo spit, frog spit and snake spit. In some long-ago legend, it was said that when fairies peed or pooped, the remnants appeared as white foam on the plant.

A note: If you have nothing to do one fine day, try to find the spittlebug nymph within the froth.

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BY PAT KITE
PHOTO BY HELEN MACKY

If you get up-close and personal, you will see small clumps of spittlebug white froth on plant leaves. Author May Berenbaum puts it more concisely: Every spring the spittlebug "briefly engages in activities that in New York people regularly get ticketed for doing." However, the white clump of frothy fluid surrounding the teensy spittlebug doesn't even come from the insect mouth. The bubbles are ejected from the spittlebug back end.

This all started last summer when adult spittlebugs laid eggs on plant crevices. These eggs hatched in early spring. The greenish young, or nymphs, crawled along, attaching themselves to plants. From their rear end, they pump out a liquid. When the nymphs wiggle this way and that, the liquid assumes bubble form. Now the nymphs use their hind legs to cover themselves with the bubbly sticky froth. Not only does this froth protect them from predators, it also keeps the nymph haven from

Leadership Fremont

SUBMITTED BY KK KANESHIRO

It's that time of year again: graduations. The Fremont Chamber of Commerce is no exception. A graduation ceremony to honor 13 chamber members and community leaders graduating from the chamber's Leadership Fremont program is slated for Tuesday, May 16.

The event, which also includes a luncheon will take place from noon to 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 16 at Washington West Anderson Auditorium, 2500 Mowry Ave., Fremont. Keynote speaker will be Vera Packard from HERS Breast Cancer Foundation.

The cost is \$28 for chamber members; \$40 for non-members. Reservation should be made by Friday, May 12 by visiting the chamber website at www.fremontbusiness.com. Leadership Fremont Class of 2017 graduates include:

- David Ashton, Alameda County Water District
- Tigist Awel, Washington Hospital Healthcare System
- Christy Casey, Washington Hospital Healthcare System
- Ernesto Diaz, Royal Ambulance
- Jimmy Dilks, City of Fremont
- Melissa Espinoza, SAVE
- Jasbir Hora, Kaiser Permanente
- Nina Hourel, Fremont/Newark YMCA
- Joshua Kim, Greenstein Rogoff Olsen & Company, LLP
- Angela Kinerman, Kaiser Permanente
- Nick Legge, Washington Hospital Healthcare System
- Annette Lewellyn, HERS Breast Cancer Foundation
- Jagat Sheth, Tri-City Health Center

Leadership Fremont

Luncheon and graduation ceremony
Tuesday, May 16 - Noon - 2 p.m.
Washington West Anderson Auditorium
2500 Mowry Ave.

\$28 for Chamber of Commerce members
\$40 for non-members

Reservation deadline: Friday, May 12
(510) 795-2244

www.fremontbusiness.com

Restaurant Stroll

SUBMITTED BY KEVIN FINNERTY

Our 8th annual Union City Lions Club Restaurant Stroll is coming up on May 18, 2017. All proceeds from the event are donated back to our community and also help fund the Ear of Lion and Lions Eye Foundations.

If you have not participated in the past, this is your chance to enjoy an evening with friends, family and fellow Lions as you stroll the Union Landing shopping complex in Union City, sampling food from the various restaurants and visiting merchants unique to the Union City area.

Please support our Lions Club, so together we can continue to support and serve our community. Get your tickets early as it sells out every year!

Union City Lions Club Restaurant Stroll

Thursday, May 18
5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Union Landing Mall

\$20 per person
To purchase tickets:

Call Sign-A-Rama at 510-475-4110, or
https://lionsclubofunioncity.wildapricot.org/event-2496082, or
www.UCLions.com and follow the link for the Restaurant Stroll

Celebrate spring with Music & Art

SUBMITTED BY JOE NAVARRO

Please join us at the California School for the Blind for two concurrent shows featuring the creative talents of blind and visually impaired students through music and visual art. Both events will take place on Wednesday, May 17 and Thursday, May 18 and are open to the public. Guests must sign in at the administration office when they arrive.

Spring Concert 2017

The talented students of the California School for the Blind will play and sing a fun mix of original works, and some great arrangements of classics we all love. The concert is presented by Music Director, Wayne Siligo, and Music Assistant, David.

An afternoon concert is set for Wednesday, May 17 from 1:30 p.m. - 3 p.m. An evening concert will be Thursday, May 18 from 7:30 p.m. - 8:45 p.m. with a small reception after the show. Both concerts will be on the main stage in the school theater. Admission is free.

Spring Art Show

Imagine blind and visually impaired students expressing their artistic talents. You will be

pleasantly impressed. The show, presented by art teacher Minda Tayam, opens with a reception in the gym at 10:15 a.m. The show continues until 3:30 p.m. and opens again on Thursday, May 18 from 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. Admission is free.

The California School for the Blind, which is located in Fremont, is the only California public school that is dedicated to providing academic and life skills to blind and low-vision students from all over the state, giving students a wide range of opportunities to enhance their lives.

Spring Concert and Art Show

Concert:
Wednesday, May 17,
1:30 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Thursday, May 18
7:30 p.m. - 8:45 p.m.

Art Show:
Wednesday, May 17
10:15 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Thursday, May 18
9 a.m. - 9 p.m.

California School for the Blind
500 Walnut Ave., Fremont
(510) 794-3800
Free



Mother's Day is Sunday, May 14th!

Celebrate Mother's Day the Earth friendly way! Honor the mothers in your life with a handmade card or buy local flowers. Be sure to recycle paper cards and place wilted flowers in your organics cart!

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Weekly Writing Corner

Hummingbirds

Spring is here. It is time to watch for the tiny hummingbirds flitting around your neighborhood. Hummingbirds are part of the second largest bird family in the world, with more than 300 species worldwide and 13 species in North America.

Find the differences between these two hummingbirds.

Use the code to learn more.

	= A		= B		= E		= F		= G
	= I		= L		= N		= P		= Y

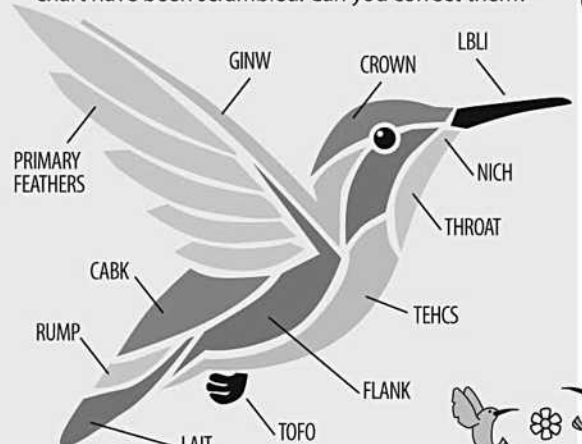
The ruby-throated hummingbird weighs less than a

To get energy, hummingbirds eat sugar in the form of nectar from flowers or from homemade nectar in feeders, which they lap up using their long tongues.

The smallest hummingbird lives in Peru and is the size of a

Do hummingbirds hum? Yes! Their wings make a faint humming sound when they are

Some of the names of a hummingbird's body parts in this chart have been scrambled. Can you correct them?



Win a Hummingbird Feeder Kit from Perky-Pet®

Perky-Pet®, the world's top manufacturer of bird feeders, wants to help you celebrate spring by providing 25 lucky Kid Scoop readers with a free Perky-Pet® Hummingbird Feeder Kit, which includes a feeder, nectar packet, feeding guide and more! To enter to win, send a postcard or letter with your name and mailing address to:

Perky-Pet® Feeder Contest
c/o Kid Scoop
P.O. Box 1802
Sonoma, CA 95476

No purchase necessary. Entry must be received no later than May 31, 2017. Void where prohibited.

Dot-to-Dot

On one page of the newspaper, try to find and circle one of each letter of the alphabet. Connect the circles to make a picture.

Standards Link: Language Arts: Follow simple written directions.



Hungry, Hungry Hummingbirds

Hummingbirds have an incredibly fast **metabolism** so they need to eat all day long. One hummingbird can eat up to twice its body weight and feed on hundreds of flowers in a single day. If humans had a metabolism as fast as a hummingbird's, we would need to eat more than 1,500 of these in one day:

Circle every third letter. JS@VWATBNESADKNMZAPRS

Kid Scoop Puzzler

Draw what comes next in each row to continue the spring pattern.

Standards Link: Math: Recognise and extend patterns.

Double Double Word Search

FIND the words in the puzzle. Then look for each word in this week's Kid Scoop stories and activities.

CAMOUFLAGE	FEATHERS	COLORFUL	DESIGNED	HUMMING	SPECIES	SPRING	FAMILY	WINGS	LIGHT	SPOTS	MALE	MATE	RUBY	TINY
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Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognized identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

FROM THE LESSON LIBRARY

Abbreviations

An abbreviation is a short version of a word. Look at a newspaper page and circle every abbreviation. Copy these onto a piece of paper and write the long version of each word.

Standards Link: Research: Use the newspaper to locate information.



Why do hummingbirds hum?



ANSWER: Because they don't know the words.

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Think Fremont



Health and Wellness Resource Fair for Seniors, Veterans, and Families

The Tri-City Elder Coalition and City of Fremont Annual Health and Wellness Expo will take place on Friday, May 12 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Central Park and the Fremont Senior Center.

The Expo is open to everyone and will host more than 90 organizations. With the City of Fremont's Age Friendly Fremont initiative and partnership with AARP and the World Health Organization's Age Friendly Cities programs, this year's Expo will emphasize services related to nine domains: Health & Wellness, Outdoor Spaces, Transportation, Social Participation & Inclusion, Volunteering & Civic Engagement, Community Information, Employment & Learning Opportunities, Housing, and Dementia Specific Support.

Exhibitors from public and nonprofit organizations plus private businesses serving seniors and veterans will be on hand to answer questions on a variety of topics including housing, health care, retirement planning, Social Security, Medicare/Medi-Cal and other services. Health screenings such as blood sugar checks and diabetes counseling, blood pressure checks, ear wax screenings and bone-density screenings will also be provided. Additionally, free dental screen services and pharmacist consultations regarding medication concerns will be available.

Representatives from Washington Hospital, Kaiser Permanente, Palo Alto Medical Foundation, Alameda County Public Health, Unitek College Nursing program, and Chabot College's Dental Hygiene program will be on hand. Medicare/Medi-Cal and Social Security representatives will be available to answer questions as well.

Multiple transportation agencies will also be on hand to answer questions regarding transportation services and how to access them. An AC Transit bus will be parked nearby so you can board and check out the system. If you are 65 years of age or older, bring proof of age documentation and sign up for a Senior Clipper Card, the all-in-one transit fare payment card.

Come out and enjoy a fun-filled morning at the Expo! The festivities kick off with Wadaiko Taiko Drummers from the City of Newark at 8:30 a.m., followed by music provided by The Magic Notes led by Ed Ramirez. A POW/MIA ceremony will take place at 11:30 a.m. Also, a variety of demonstrations representing the Fremont Senior Center classes in Zumba, Yuanji Dance, and Bollywood Dance will perform. At noon, Dixie Dominus Jazz Band from Fremont Christian School led by Thomas Banuelos will perform until 1:15 p.m.

For more information about the event, contact Linette Young at FourSeasonsExpo@comcast.net.



Annual Kids 'n' Kites Festival Aqua Adventure Pre-season Splash to be Held Saturday, May 20

Free Kites to First 4,000 Children

The City of Fremont Community Services Department – Recreation Services is holding its annual Kids 'n' Kites Festival on Saturday, May 20 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sponsored by Fremont Bank, Washington Township Medical Foundation, and Unitek, this event is located within Central Park, next to Aqua Adventure Waterpark. The festival is free to the public and includes free kites to the first 4,000 children in attendance. There will be live entertainment on the main stage, interactive booths highlighting summer activities, play area for the kids, food, and more. This community event is a great way to spend the day with your family, not to mention find out about some great programs with the City of Fremont and meet other community groups. Take in all that Central Park has to offer, the festival, Aqua Adventure Waterpark, Sabercat Playground, and Lake Elizabeth and make it a fun and exciting day! Check out the interactive

event map for directions, turn restrictions, and booth layout at www.Fremont.gov/KiteMap.

On the same day, Aqua Adventure will offer a Pre-season Splash (weather permitting) from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., with a special one-time entrance price of \$6 per person, along with concessions specials. Festival-goers can make their way next door and get a look at Fremont's Aqua Adventure Waterpark. Attractions include 40-foot waterslides, a 700-foot lazy river, and a little squirt play area. Season passes will be on sale, and the retail shop open. The Waterpark will officially open for business on Saturday, May 27. Both events are guaranteed to be great fun for the entire family!

For more information on the Kids 'n' Kites Festival, visit www.Fremont.gov/KiteFestival or call 510-494-4300. For more information on the Aqua Adventure Sneak Peek, visit www.GoAquaAdventure.com.



SmartAsset Names Fremont 6th Best City for Women in Tech in 2017

It's an undeniable fact that women are often underrepresented in the tech industry and that gender pay inequality persists across the country, despite women's key contributions to the economy. According to a recent report from the National Center for Women & Technology, women make up 57 percent of the

professional workforce but only 25 percent of the workforce in computer-related positions.

However, the City of Fremont ranked as the 6th Best City for Women in Tech in 2017—with one of the smallest gaps in gender pay and highest ratio of female tech workers—by SmartAsset! This is Fremont's third year in a row making the list.

In Fremont, 27 percent of mathematical and computer related jobs are fulfilled by women and the average salary for women in tech is 16 percent less than their male counterparts. Fremont's income after housing is one of the highest in the nation at \$68,180, and its four-year tech employment growth rate is also

among the highest on the list, landing at 28 percent.

To pull this study together, SmartAsset analyzed Census Bureau data around 59 of the largest U.S. cities in which there are enough tech workers to prove statistically reliable and compared them across four metrics: gender pay gap, income after housing costs, women as a percentage of tech workforce, and four-year tech employment growth.

Fremont is the only California city ranked in the top 15 and this is Fremont's third year listed in the top 10.

The full study can be found at <https://smartasset.com/mortgage/best-cities-women-in-tech-2017>.

Fremont's New EV Requirements help Reduce Community GHG Emissions

The City of Fremont has recently adopted green building standards that require residential and non-residential new construction projects and additions to include parking spaces that are "Electric Vehicle Ready." Fremont's specific EV Ready parking standards require that single-family residential projects include one EV Ready parking space per each dwelling unit and that all multifamily and non-residential projects include EV Ready parking spaces for 10 percent of the total number of new parking spaces. All EV Ready parking spaces must also be equipped with the EV charging unit.

Fremont currently boasts some of the highest EV ownership levels in the region. With over 5,000 EV drivers to date, Fremont represents one-third of all of the EVs in Alameda County, and Fremont's 94539 zip code has more EV owners than any other zip code in California. Efforts to encourage the transition to cleaner vehicles such as EVs are a significant Fremont Climate Action Plan initiative. Since 2013, the conversion to zero-emission EVs has alone reduced local greenhouse gas emissions by over 20,000 tons of CO2. The new codes adopted by Fremont will provide additional opportunities

for residents to charge their vehicles at home, at work, and at places of commerce, further encouraging the transition to electric vehicles and decreasing community greenhouse gas emissions.

Furthermore, home energy consumption in Fremont has decreased nearly 15 percent over the past four years, even with increasing numbers of residents plugging in their vehicles to charge at home. These energy reductions can be attributed to significant improvements in energy efficiency as well as the installation of over 2,800 rooftop solar electric systems to date. Ongoing residential climate

action initiatives continue to provide opportunities for residents to reduce their greenhouse gas footprint while at the same time saving money. Such initiatives include efforts like the California Youth Energy Services "Green House Calls", the SunShares residential solar and clean vehicle discount

program, and the www.Fremont-GreenChallenge.org climate action engagement platform.

Further details regarding Fremont's EV Readiness and other new green building requirements can be found at www.Fremont.gov/GreenBuilding.



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Car lovers will have plenty to talk about when the annual "Spring Fever Niles Car Show" rolls into town on Saturday, May 13. Presented by the Niles Merchants Association, no car is too old or too new to be showcased, and the event expects between 200 to 250 vehicles from the 1900s to present day.

Local resident and property owner Gary Mills brings four or five of his vehicles to downtown Niles every weekend for display, and will be showing them off again at the car show.

The day will also include a 50/50 raffle, live music, and a few vendors. The Nile Café will have a food booth, and the rest of the Niles restaurants will be happy to serve attendees. "We want them to do well so we don't bring in a lot of food booths," says organizer Marie Dear.

If you have a great car you'd like to show off, car owners can register the day of the event in front of the Merchants' train car for \$30. Judges will be giving out awards in fun categories such as Best Chick Magnet and Best White Walls.

Proceeds from the car show go to the popular Festival of Lights parade held in Niles every December. Donations are always welcome.

H and I streets will be closed; Second Street will be open for traffic. Contact Marie Dear for more information at (510) 552-6034.

Spring Fever Niles Car Show
Saturday, May 13
9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
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4700 Calaveras Ave., Fremont
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Thursdays, Apr 6 thru May 25

Senior Softball \$
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
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Centerville Community Center
3375 Country Dr., Fremont
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Wednesday, Apr 5 - Sunday, Jul 30

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www.haywardareahistory.org

Mondays, Apr 10 thru May 15

Memoir Writing Class - R
10 a.m. - 11 a.m.
Tips to organize notes, prepare to write, provide feedback
Newark Senior Center
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark
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Monday, Apr 10 - Friday, Jun 2

10th Street After-School Program
4 p.m. - 6 p.m.
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10th Street Community Center
33948 10th Street, Union City
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www.unioncity.org/departments/community-recreation-services

Tuesdays, Apr 11 thru May 9

Community Emergency Response Team Training - R
6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
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Silliman Activity Center
6800 Mowry Ave., Newark
(510) 578-4620
<https://www.eventbrite.com/event/community-emergency-response-team-basic-training-in-newark-tickets-32164712521>
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Tuesdays, Apr 11 thru Jun 27

Bridge 1
9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Set up, bid play and score keeping
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Tuesdays, Apr 11 thru Jun 27

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Mahjong
9:15 a.m.
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Mondays, Apr 17 thru May 22

Heartfulness Meditation – R
11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
Participants age 55+
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Mondays, Apr 17 thru Jun 26

Bunco
10 a.m.
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Sun 5/21: 1 p.m.
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4:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
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Capitol Ave., Fremont
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Wednesdays, Aug 16 thru Oct 25

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4:50 – 5:30
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4:15 – 4:50 Lone Tree Creek
Park, Starlite Way & Turquoise
St., FREMONT
6:00 – 6:30
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Thursday, May 11

2:40 – 3:40 Bay School, 2001
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Monday, May 15

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Mission Blvd., UNION CITY
2:45 – 3:45 Ardenwood School,
33955 Emilia Ln., FREMONT
5:15 – 6:45 For-
est Park School, Deep Creek Rd.
& Maybird Circle, FREMONT

Tuesday, May 16

4:30 – 5:20
Weibel School, 45135 South
Grimmer Blvd., FREMONT
5:50 – 6:40
Booster Park, Gable Dr. & Mc-
Duff Ave., FREMONT

Wednesday, May 17

12:45 – 2:15 Glenmoor School,
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4 p.m.

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Union City
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www.unioncity.org/departments/community-recreation-services

Wednesday, May 10

Health and Nutrition for Homeschoolers

2 p.m. - 3 p.m.

Discuss social responsibility

Ages 10 – 15
Fremont Main Library
2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont
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Wednesday, May 10

Golden Follies Spring Show and Luncheon \$

12 noon

High energy Las Vegas style show and lunch

Newark Senior Center
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark
(510) 578-4840
www.newark.org

Thursday, May 11

Celebration of Life – R

7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Cancer survivors and loved ones enjoy inspirational stories

Washington Hospital
2500 Mowry Ave., Fremont
(510) 608-1301

Thursday, May 11

Wall of Miracles Student Art Exhibit

7 p.m. - 9 p.m.

View digital art, photography, paintings, ceramics

James Logan High School
1800 H Street, Union City
<http://www.jameslogan.org/>

Thursday, May 11

Senior Scam Stopper Event

1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Experts provide fraud protection strategies

Ruggieri Senior Center
33997 Alvarado Niles Rd.,
Union City
(510) 583-8818
lyanne.mendez@asm.ca.gov

Friday, May 12

Chili Cook-Off

5 p.m.

Rowell Ranch Rodeo kick off

Rowell Ranch
9711 Dublin Canyon Road
Interstate 580, Between
Castro Valley and Dublin
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www.rowellranchrodeo.com
www.cvchilicookoff.com

Friday, May 12

Four Seasons of Health Expo

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Health and nutrition information for seniors

Ages 50+
Fremont Senior Center
40086 Paseo Padre Parkway,
Fremont
(510) 917-3241
FourSeasonsExpo@comcast.net

Friday, May 12

Nerf Battle for Kids

3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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Hayward Weekes Branch Library
27300 Patrick Ave., Hayward
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Friday, May 12

Bridging Divides, Changing Minds Choir Performance \$

7:30 p.m.

Social justice, equality, peace concert

Chabot College
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Friday, May 12

007 Casino Night \$

6 p.m. - 10 p.m.

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Saturday, May 13

Indo-American Charity Ball \$R

6:30 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

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Saturday, May 13

Marshland of Dreams

9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Discuss farming and salt production

Docent led walk
SF Bay Wildlife Refuge
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Saturday, May 13

Salt Marsh Walk – R

10:30 a.m. - 12 noon

Docent led tour of marshlands

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<https://marshwalk.eventbrite.com>

Saturday, May 13

Meet the Chickens \$

1 p.m. - 2 p.m.

Interact with chickens in the coop

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Fremont
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Saturday, May 13

Itsy Bitsy Spider \$

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

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Bird Walk \$R
9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Docent led bird watching along shoreline
Hayward Shoreline Robert’s Landing
2655 Grant Ave, San Lorenzo
(510) 881-6700
www.haywardrec.org

Saturday, May 13
The Golden Door \$
7 p.m.
Documentary film and music celebrating diversity
Old Mission San Jose
43300 Mission Blvd., Fremont
(510) 659-6158
www.musicatmsj.org

Saturday, May 13
Fixit Clinic
10 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Repair small appliances, electronics, textiles
Union City Branch Library
34007 Alvarado Niles Rd., Union City
(510) 745-1464
www.aclibrary.org

Saturday, May 13
Dreadly Pirates Band
8 p.m. - 11 p.m.
Rock, soul, and blues music
Bronco Billy’s Pizza
41200 Blacow Road, Fremont
(510) 438-0121

Saturday, May 13
Abstract Art Demonstration
2 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Presented by ART Inc. and Elizabeth Hack
Adobe Art Center
20395 San Miguel Ave., Castro Valley
(510) 881-6735
www.adobegallery.org

Saturday, May 13
Documentary Film Roadmap to Apartheid
1:30 p.m.
Film explores parallel between South Africa and Israel
Niles Discovery Church of Fremont
36600 Niles Blvd., Fremont
(510) 797-0895
www.nilesdiscoverychurch.org

Saturday, May 13
Cell Phone Bling Crafting – R
10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Supplies provided
Bring your own case
Ages 12+
Hayward Weekes Branch Library
27300 Patrick Ave., Hayward
(510) 881-7975
heidi.ontiveros@hayward-ca.gov

Saturday, May 13
Poles 3 Practice Hike Plus Yoga \$R
8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Advanced pole hike to improve focus
9 mile trail hike
Pole experience required

Sunol Regional Wilderness
1895 Geary Rd., Sunol
(510) 544-3249
www.ebparks.org/register

Saturday, May 13
Pretty Peacocks \$
11 a.m. - 12 noon
Visit the beautiful birds, make a craft
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
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www.ebparks.org

Saturday, May 13
Scrumptious Sourdough \$
2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Taste one of the oldest forms of leavened bread
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Saturday, May 13
Herbivores on the Hills
11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Explore trails for plant eating animals
Ages 12+
Coyote Hills Regional Park
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd., Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, May 13
Connecting to Our Roots
1 p.m. - 2 p.m.
Discover plants used as medicine
Ages 5+
Coyote Hills Regional Park
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd., Fremont
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www.ebparks.org

Saturday, May 13
Movie Night \$
7:30 p.m.
Rin Tin Tin “Clash of the Wolves”
Niles Essanay Theater
37417 Niles Blvd, Fremont
(510) 494-1411
www.nilesfilmmuseum.org

Saturday, May 13
Wine Tasting and Live Music \$
12 noon - 5 p.m.
Music by Delta Deuce
Big Dog Vineyards
4545 Felter Rd., Milpitas
(669) 244-3645
www.bigdogvineyards.com

Saturday, May 13
Fremont Youth Symphony Orchestra
3:30 p.m.
Spring concert
Irvington Presbyterian church
4181 Irvington Ave., Fremont
(510) 657-3133
http://fremontsymphony.org/youth-orchestra/

Saturday, May 13
Pops in the Park
12 noon
Old fashioned concert, pop songs, folk tunes

Bring blankets, low chairs, picnic
Fremont Central Park
Performance Pavillion
4000 Paseo Padre Parkway, Fremont
(510) 790-5541
http://ohlonecommunityband.org/

Saturday, May 13
Welcome Back Swallows – R
1 p.m. - 2 p.m.
Docent led walk to bird mating grounds
SF Bay Wildlife Refuge
1 Marshlands Rd., Fremont
(510) 792-0222
yttps://sonedwardsswallows.eventbrite.com

Saturday, May 13
Mother’s Day at the Refuge – R
10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Guided bird walks, shows, games, crafts
Alviso Environmental Education Center
1751 Grand Blvd., Alviso
(408) 262-5513 x102
https://eecmotherscelebration.eventbrite.com

Saturday, May 13
Rowell Ranch Rodeo Parade
10 a.m.
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Downtown Castro Valley
Castro Valley Blvd., Castro Valley
(510) 537-5300
http://www.rowellranchrodeo.com/parade.htm
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Saturday, May 13
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6:00 p.m. BBQ
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http://www.rowellranchrodeo.com/sorting_and_bbq.htm

Saturday, May 13
Spring Fever Niles Car Show
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Cars, 50/50 raffle, live music
Downtown Niles
Niles Blvd., Fremont
(510) 552-6034
https://m.facebook.com/NilesCarShow/

Sunday, May 14
Cooking in the Country Kitchen \$
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Treats prepared on a wood burning stove
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34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Sunday, May 14
Mother’s Day Bugging Out \$
1 p.m. - 2 p.m.
Search shoreline for bugs
Ages 6+
Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center
4901 Breakwater Ave., Hayward
(510) 670-7270
www.haywardrec.org/hayshore.html

Sunday, May 14
Farm Moms \$
10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Visit mama hens, goats, sheep and babies
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
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www.ebparks.org

Sunday, May 14
Rabbit Rendezvous \$
1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Interact with the bunnies
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www.ebparks.org

Sunday, May 14
Tussie Mussie for Mom \$
2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Create floral messages for someone special
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(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Sunday, May 14
Dust Marsh Bird Hike
9 a.m. - 11 a.m.
Search for shorebirds on easy 2 mile hike
Coyote Hills Regional Park
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd., Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Sunday, May 14
Engaging Ectotherms
1 p.m. - 2 p.m.
Search for reptiles, fish and butterflies
Ages 5+
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Sunday, May 14
Laurel and Hardy Talkie Matinee \$
4 p.m.
Bouncing Babies, Come Clean, Dirty Work
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(510) 494-1411
www.nilesfilmmuseum.org

Monday, May 15
Milpitas Rotary Club Meeting
12 noon - 1:30 p.m.
MUSD Superintendent discusses her career
Dave and Busters
940 Great Mall Dr., Milpitas
(408) 957-9215
http://www.clubrunner.ca/milpitas

Monday, May 15
Outdoor Discoveries Nature Grubs \$R
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Science activities for preschool and home school kids
Sunol Regional Wilderness
1895 Geary Rd., Sunol
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www.ebparks.org/register

Monday, May 15
Salvation Army Emergency Services Canteen
11:15 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.
Visit mobile kitchen, enjoy hot dogs and beverages
Hayward City Hall
777 B St., Hayward
(510) 581-64444
Amy.Mefford@usw.salvation-army.org

Tuesday, May 16
Start Smart Teen Driving Program
6 p.m.
Driver safety education for ages 15 – 19
Castro Valley Library
3600 Norbridge Ave., Castro Valley
(510) 667-7900
www.aclibrary.org

Tuesday, May 16
Hikes for Tykes
10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
Enjoy outdoors with your child
No strollers
Anthony Chabot Campground and Park
9999 Redwood Rd., Castro Valley
(510) 690-6677
www.ebparks.org

Tuesday, May 16
Newark Days Volunteer Meeting
7 p.m.
Join Newark Days committee
League of Volunteers Office
8440 Central Ave., Ste A, Newark
(510) 793—5683
www.newarkdays.org

Thursday, May 18
Consulate General of China Counselor Yihang Yang \$R
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Speaker discusses international trade
Lunch included
Golden Peacock Banquet Hall
24989 Santa Clara Street, Hayward
(510) 537-2424
www.hayward.org

Wrestling Stars Face Off for Autism

SUBMITTED BY
TRACEY HILL

On Saturday, May 20th, former two-time WWF/WWE Intercontinental Champion and Tag Team Champion Tito Santana, a WWE Hall of Famer, will be on hand at the Newark Autism Fundraiser presented by Big Time Wrestling and the Newark Unified School District. Big Time Wrestling is putting on a Supershow, which begins with a VIP meet-and-greet with superstars including Tito Santana, former WWE Women’s Champion Lisa Marie Varon, former WWE superstar Swoggle, and Lucha Underground’s Rey Fénix at 5 p.m. at Newark Memorial High School. The live wrestling event kicks off at 7:30 p.m. with seven matches featuring the main event of Tito Santana & “Hawkeye” Shane Kody vs El Guerrero & Chico Navarro, BTW World

Champion “The Flying Unicorn” Kimo facing off with Impact Wrestling’s Eli Drake, and Swoggle vs former WWE superstar Mascarita Dorado (aka El Torito). Advance tickets are \$20 ringside, \$15 general admission, and \$10 general admission for ages 12 and under. Tickets can also be purchased at the door. Advance tickets can be purchased at Jacki’s Barbershop at 5598 Thornton Ave, the BTW hotline at (510) 494-9648 or online at www.btwrestling.com. For more information, visit BTW on facebook.com/btwrestling.

Big Time Wrestling Supershow
Saturday, May 20
5:00 p.m. Meet-and-greet
7:30 p.m. Show
Newark Memorial High School
39375 Cedar Blvd, Newark
Tickets \$10 – \$20
(510) 494-9648
www.btwrestling.com

National Salvation Army Week Special events

SUBMITTED BY
LT. JOHN KELLEY

National Salvation Army Week was first declared by President Dwight D. Eisenhower in 1954. In the proclamation, Eisenhower noted: “Among Americans, The Salvation Army has long been a symbol of wholehearted dedication to the cause of human brotherhood... Their work has been a constant reminder to us all that each of us is neighbor and kin to all Americans; giving freely of themselves, the men and women of The Salvation Army have won the respect of us all.” Salvation Army centers nationwide, along with local volunteers, businesses and governments commemorate the week with special events and activities.

The Salvation Army Hayward will celebrate with a series of community events:

Monday, May 15
Come see our Emergency Disaster Services canteen (mobile kitchen) and enjoy a hot dog, salad, side and beverages at City Hall Plaza, 777 B St., Hayward from 11:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m.

Tuesday, May 16
We will deliver gift bags to fire stations in Hayward, Castro Valley and San Lorenzo to honor first responders whom we support when our canteen is deployed to emergency disaster locations.

Wednesday, May 17
We will visit police departments in our service area and provide “appreciation kits” to recognize and thank public safety personnel for putting their lives

on the line so that we may go freely about our business. Our canteen also supports them when disaster strikes. In the afternoon, members of our Troops (scouts) Program will march along A Street from Princeton St. to Mission Blvd at 3:45 p.m.

Thursday, May 18
We will host an Open House at 430 A St., Hayward from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Interested in learning more about our 25 social services programs and how they benefit the community, about volunteer opportunities, becoming an Emergency Disaster Services team member, program sponsorship and the many ways you can support The Salvation Army Hayward? Register for the Open House at (510) 581-6444 or email Amy.Mefford@usw.salvationarmy.org.

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Rattlesnake safety in the Regional Parks

SUBMITTED BY
ISA POLT-JONES

■ A reminder from the East Bay Regional Park District that spring and summer are active snake seasons in parks and open spaces.

Park District staff advises that as the weather heats up, snakes, rattlesnakes especially, become more active. They, like humans, like to explore when the weather gets warm. Snakes are able to regulate their body temperature by moving in and out of shade. A warmer body allows a snake to move faster when trying to catch prey. Depending upon the species, snakes eat insects, slugs, frogs, birds, bird eggs, small mammals, and other reptiles.

Several kinds of snakes live in the Bay Area. Most snakes are harmless to humans and pets, but any snake will bite in self-defense. Because a rattlesnake bite is

poisonous, it is considered a medical emergency: call 9-1-1.

Within the past week, the Park District staff has received six reports of rattlesnake sightings, including May 1 when a 47-year-old male was bitten by a rattlesnake near the top of Mission Peak Regional Preserve in Fremont. Over the weekend of April 29, a pet dog was bitten by a rattlesnake at Del Valle Regional Park in Livermore on the arroyo side along the trail. A park ranger assisted the owner to his car so the dog could be taken to a vet. Additional rattlesnake sightings were reported at Castlerock Regional Recreation Area in Walnut Creek in a picnic area, on the Delta DeAnza Regional Trail in Pittsburg, and in the parking lot outside of EBRPD Police Headquarters at Lake Chabot Regional Park. No snake bites were reported with those sightings.

Park staff urges taking snake safety precautions when visiting regional parks at this time of year. A ‘Common Snakes’ brochure is

available and may be downloaded from the Park District’s website, www.ebparks.org. Search for “common snakes.”

Some safety tips when visiting Regional Parks:

- Always hike with a friend so you can help each other in case of emergency.
- Look at the ground ahead of you as you are walking.
- Look carefully around and under logs and rocks before sitting down.
- Avoid placing your hands or feet where you can’t see clearly.
- Check the immediate area around picnic tables, campsites, and barbecues before using them or camp area. If you encounter a rattlesnake in these areas, notify park staff. Do not disturb it. Stay calm. Give it plenty of room and leave it alone.
- Also bring plenty of water for yourself and your pets as many parks do not have direct water supply.

- Keep pets on the designated trails and away from snakes if they see one.

You should learn to recognize rattlesnakes. Rattlesnakes have a triangular head, much wider than the neck, a thick body with dull skin, black and white bands on the tail, and a blunt rattle at the tip. It may or may not shake the rattle in warning. The rattle sounds like bacon sizzling. Contrast the rattlesnake to the gopher snake, which is not venomous. A gopher snake’s head is narrow, and only slightly larger than the neck. The body is slender and usually shiny, and the tail is pointed.

If you see a rattlesnake on a trail, leave it alone; do not try to capture or harm it. All park wildlife is protected by law. Wait for the snake to cross and do not approach it; after it has passed, move carefully and slowly away.

If bitten by a rattlesnake, stay calm and send someone to Call 911. The victim should remain calm by lying down with the affected limb lower than the heart. Do not waste precious time on tourniquets, “cutting and sucking,” or snake bite kits. If you are by yourself, walk calmly to the nearest source of help: another person, a park employee, or a phone to Dial 911. Do not run!

If bitten by any other kind of snake, leave the snake alone.

Wash the wound with soap and water or an antiseptic and seek medical attention.

If you are not sure what kind of snake bit you, check the bite for two puncture marks (in rare cases one puncture mark) associated with intense, burning pain. This is typical of a rattle snake bite. Other snakebites may leave multiple teeth marks without associated burning pain.

Though snake sightings are common in the regional parks, it is generally a rare occurrence to be bitten by one. Bites do happen, though, so please be aware of your surroundings while enjoying the parks.

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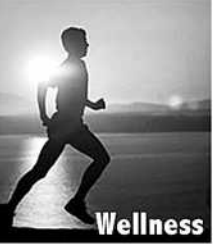
Lady Cougars stay on track with victory



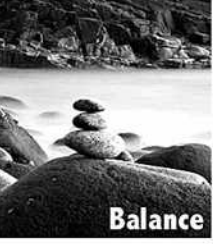
Softball

SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

The Newark Memorial Lady Cougars remained on track for a great season as they met the Lady Huskies of Washington (Fremont) on May 2nd. Cougars hitting and pitching was in synch and proved too much for a depleted Huskies squad missing several starters due to injury.



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Huskies pull out a close victory

Baseball

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The Washington Huskies (Fremont) beat the American Eagles (Fremont) 2-0 in a hard-fought game on May 5th that went right down to the wire. All runs were scored early, during the second and third innings, but from then on, the Eagles defense dug in and kept the game close. Eagles hitters made it exciting in the late innings but could not come up with the right combinations of hits to overcome Huskies pitching and defense.



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Lady Mariners overcome Eagles in extra innings



Softball

SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

The Moreau Catholic Lady Mariners (Hayward) beat the American Lady Eagles (Fremont) 5-3 in extra innings on May 4th when they scored two go-ahead runs in eighth inning to pull out the victory. Starting out as a pitcher's battle and defensive struggle, the Eagles finally broke the deadlock in the fifth inning with some great hits and took the lead with two runs. But then the Mariners rallied in top of the sixth inning to take the lead with three runs. The Eagles would not go quietly as they tied the game in the bottom of the sixth inning with a run. It wasn't until the eighth inning that the Mariners were finally able to secure the victory as both teams played excellent defense, especially at home plate.

Stone named Jack Nicklaus Award Semifinalist



Cal State East Bay senior Adam Stone has been named as a semifinalist for the 2017 Division II Jack Nicklaus Player of the Year Award presented by Barbasol. He is one of 30 golfers across the nation under consideration for the sport's highest award. After capturing the California Collegiate Athletic Association (CCAA) individual championship as a junior and leading the Pioneers to their first ever CCAA team title, Stone has enjoyed the best season of his career as a senior. He ranks 12th in the nation and third among West Region golfers with a 71.76 scoring average. The Garstang, England native has two individual tournament victories this season and seven top-10 finishes. Most recently, he took fifth place in recent CCAA Championships, earning a spot on the All-Tournament team. Stone set a program record

in 2016-17, five times capturing the CCAA's Golfer of the Week award. Finalists for the award will be named on May 18, and the five Nicklaus Award recipients will be announced June 1 with the honor presented by Jack Nicklaus at a ceremony during the final round of the Memorial Tournament presented by Nationwide at Muirfield Village Golf Club. In addition to receiving the National Player of the Year Award, the five recipients will compete in the Barbasol Shootout for an exemption into the PGA TOUR's Barbasol Championship, held July 20-23 at the Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail at Grand National in Opelika, Ala. The Barbasol Shootout will take place Saturday, June 3 at Scioto Country Club in Columbus, Ohio—the same club where Jack Nicklaus first learned the game of golf as a young boy.

Logan High earns top tennis honors



MVAL champs Ritihik Sardana, Kobe Tran, and Rashab Sardana.

SUBMITTED BY TONY RODRIGUEZ

The Mission Valley Athletic League (MVAL) had many memorable moments of highly competitive tennis throughout the 2017 season. At the end of the tennis season, during the MVAL Singles & Doubles tennis tournament, a few strong North Coast Section teams like James Logan, Mission San Jose, and Irvington managed to secure spots in the tournament finals. In the end, James Logan High School earned top honors with championship titles in both singles and doubles competition. Kobe Tran of James Logan, the #1 seeded men's singles player, defeated Jay Pandit (Irvington) in straight sets: 6-1, 6-0. James Logan's Rashab Sardana and Ritihik Sardana, the #1 seeded men's doubles team, defeated Ian Wong and Jae Kim (Mission San Jose) in a final match score of 6-3, 6-2. All three of these James Logan tournament champions are nationally-ranked athletes.



MVAL Semi-finalists and finalists.

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Fremont City Council

May 2, 2017

Consent Calendar:

- Second reading of ordinance to require installation of photovoltaic solar energy systems in new residential construction.
- Authorize additional hours at Fremont Main Library (Sunday) and Centerville Library (Saturday)
- Award contract to O’Grady Paving, Inc. in the amount of \$3,164,927.15 for pavement rehabilitation project.
- Amend Taxi Voucher Program to increase by \$100,000 to meet increased projected need through June 30, 2017.

- Authorize \$97,000 for Main Library upgrades.
- Introduce ordinance to form Fremont Industrial Development Authority.
- Approve emergency storm drain repair on Ridgewood Drive between Deep Creek Road and Tacoma Common.

- Approve FY 2017-18 Action Plan for Community Development Block Grant Fund.
- Approve issuance of Tax-Exempt Bonds for Fairfield Warm Springs Affordable LP (continued to June 6, 2017).

Ceremonial Items:

- Proclamation to acknowledge Affordable Housing



Proclamation to acknowledge Affordable Housing Week, May 11 – May 21. Anthony Federico of East Bay Housing Organizations (EBHO) received the proclamation.

Week, May 11 – May 21. Anthony Federico of East Bay Housing Organizations (EBHO) received the proclamation. EBHO will sponsor a bike tour of affordable housing developments on Saturday, May 20, 2017 beginning at 10 a.m. leaving from the Fremont BART Station. Theme for this year is “Together for Housing Justice.”

Oral Communications:

- BART sound wall
- Items Removed from Consent Calendar:
- Approve service agreement with FUSE Corps to provide a FUSE Fellow to work jointly

with Fremont Unified School District to develop a plan to implement maker education in Fremont (Removed by Bonaccorsi). Request for supplemental corporate funding (partnership) and protocols with City and school district and possibly extend fellowship beyond one year.

Scheduled Items:

- Discuss boundary map exhibits and election sequencing for transition to district based elections beginning 2018. City Attorney Harvey Levine responded to comments by Chamber of Commerce panel discussion to address rank choice voting, number of council seats

and alternatives to transition schedule. Mr. Levine noted that AB350 is the “safe harbor” providing a 135-day process, no extensions allowed. This is structured for district voting, not another type of process such as rank choice that would only be possible as a Charter City [Fremont is a General Law City]. Change to six councilmembers (plus mayor) is allowed by ordinance (choice is four, six or eight). Five potential district draft maps discussed. Next public meeting May 16th.

- Public comment from members of Afghan community regarding location of their businesses and residences. Comments regarding exploration of alternatives to current timeline and methods to remain under safe harbor and district composition. Proposed maps need to be altered to reflect neighborhoods and common interests with contiguity.

- Council comments generally favored Plans C & A with some changes (e.g. separation of north and south Fremont in Area 1, school attendance areas). Examination of division by homeowners’ associations and district incumbents was also discussed (Glenmoor vs. Glen Manor).

Mayor Lily Mei	Aye
Vice Mayor Rick Jones	Aye
Vinnie Bacon	Aye
Raj Salwan	Aye
David Bonaccorsi	Aye

Fremont high schools top-ranked by U.S. News

SUBMITTED BY BRIAN KILLGORE

In its annual rankings of high schools across the United States, U.S. News & World Report has listed three high schools from the Fremont Unified School District (FUSD) as among the best in California and two among the top 500 in the United States.

The U.S. News rankings include data on more than 20,000 public high schools in 50 states and the District of Columbia. A four-step process determined the Best High Schools. The first three steps ensured schools served their students well, using performances on the math and reading parts of their state proficiency tests and graduation rates as the benchmarks. For those schools that made it past the first three steps, a fourth step assessed the degree to which schools prepare students for college-level work. Schools were awarded Gold, Silver or Bronze medals based on their overall performance.

According to U.S. News, Mission San Jose High School was the 12th-highest rated school in California, Irvington High School was rated 78th and American High School was ranked 121st. Nationally, Mission San Jose was ranked 76th in the country and Irvington 461st to earn Gold medals, while American earned a Silver.

“We are proud of all five of our comprehensive high schools that have each been recognized as California Gold Ribbon Schools over the past two years,” said FUSD Superintendent, Dr. Jim Morris. “To receive additional recognition from a national publication is another great source of pride for the hard work of our students, teachers and staff.”

Milpitas City Council Meeting

May 2, 2007

Presentations:

- Proclaim May 2017 as Mental Health Month.
- Proclaim May 2017 as Building and Safety Month.
- Proclaim Affordable Housing Week for May 12-19, 2017.
- Proclaim Public Service Recognition Week for May 7-13, 2017.
- Proclaim Economic Development Week for May 7-13, 2017.

Unfinished Business:

- Approve mid-year budget appropriations follow up for the fiscal year 2016-17 Capital Improvement Program Budget in the amount of \$1,005,023.
- Consider request for more than four hours of staff time to study and return with an ordinance related to wage theft.
- Approve amendment to the consulting services agreement with Vali Cooper and Associates, Inc. to extend the term to January 31, 2018 and increase the compensation in the additional amount of \$303,000 to continue support on the Silicon Valley Rapid Transit

Program Berryessa Extension project and Montague Expressway Widening Project CIPs.

- Continue Milpitas Sports Center turf field access discussion.

New Business:

- Receive City of Milpitas investment portfolio status report for the quarter ended March 31, 2017.

Resolution:

- Accept donation of \$3,000 to the Milpitas Fire Department for Office of Emergency Services and appropriate those funds to the office of emergency services for purchase of a Shaker Trailer—an emergency preparedness educational tool.

Agreement & Bid:

- Adopt a resolution authorizing sole source purchase of a RapidView IBAK closed circuit television all-in-one sewer inspection vehicle for the public works department from Jack Doheny Companies for \$337,528.

Mayor Richard Tran	Aye
Vice Mayor Marsha Grilli	Aye
Garry Barbadillo	Aye
Bob Nuñez	Aye
Anthony Phan	Aye

An electrifying addition to new BART station

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

The new Warm Springs/South Fremont BART station in Fremont has officially opened 22 ChargePoint Level 2 electric vehicle chargers that support 42 EV parking spaces as part of a new pilot program. The 42 new EV charging spaces at Warm Springs is BART’s first installation of EV chargers anywhere in its service territory, and is also the largest deployment of publicly accessible EV chargers at a single site in Fremont. With these new stations, Fremont now hosts 143 Level 2 and 31 DC fast charging parking spaces for public use, providing essential infrastructure that helps support the

transition to a cleaner vehicle fleet within our community.

To aid this transition, the City of Fremont last year deployed 16 EV parking spaces at the City’s Development Services Center, the Central Park Boathouse, and along Capitol Avenue between Fremont Boulevard and State Street, and will be adding an additional 18 EV parking spaces along Capitol Avenue between State Street and Paseo Padre Parkway this spring. In addition, the City recently adopted an electric vehicle readiness policy that requires new commercial developments and multifamily housing projects to include EV parking spaces equipped with chargers for 10 percent of total parking capacity.

The EV parking spaces at Warm Springs/South Fremont BART station are open to BART patrons with electric vehicles who pay to park. All vehicle charging costs are included in BART’s daily reserved parking fee of \$6/day. The deployment of EV charging stations at the Warm Springs/South Fremont BART is just one of many sustainability features the newest BART station has. This station also boasts 512 kW of solar electric power—enough to fully power the station’s energy needs, including the EV chargers. BART riders who charge their vehicles at the Warm Springs Station will be driving on 100 percent renewable energy.

OPINION



WILLIAM MARSHAK

In the dash to the finish line of district elections in Fremont, there are plenty of competing interests. At the May 2, 2017 council meeting/public hearing, five draft maps created by a demographer using population counts and a variety of other factors were reviewed. These were presented as a starting point for reaction by the council and public. At the next hearing, scheduled for May 16, 2017, amended maps will be discussed [Maps are also available online at: www.fremont.gov/districtelections].

During the week preceding the May 2nd council meeting, a panel discussion hosted by the Fremont Chamber of Commerce questioned the method and momentum of transition. In response, City Attorney Harvey Levine explained that options without undue legal risk are somewhat limited. He noted that delays and alternative voting procedures were not only restricted by law, but could lead to murky legal waters and possible extensive litigation. In other words, the timeline of a “safe harbor” is prescribed; peripheral issues such as ranked choice voting, creation of a charter city or extending the period of debate through negotiation with those threatening a lawsuit are not current viable options. It also seems clear that a majority of councilmembers are in favor of the transition schedule and creating two additional seats by expanding to six districts with retention of a citywide mayoral election.

Winners and Losers

The advent of six council districts has significant implications for those seeking political control. Currently, council elections are citywide and require significant resources to mount a successful campaign. Expenditures have reached into six figures and it is almost impossible for candidates to canvass the entire city. Those who have experienced the escalation of political maneuvering and financial commitment will attest to the fierce nature of these contests as the city has grown. Districts, especially if six are created, will allow residents without massive financial resources to participate. As a result, power brokers who represent specific interests may have considerably less influence over elections and the election process.

Those presently on council may also face incumbency problems in future elections if a district boundary includes more than one residence of sitting councilmembers. According to initial maps, this is not only a possibility but a probable outcome. To be fair, suggestions of boundary changes should be viewed with scrutiny to exclude gerrymandering for political gain. If compensation for councilmembers remains as is (\$25, 426/yr.), it should be adequate to expect good representation of district and citywide issues.

Potential winners in this change will be those who aspire to public office but do not have the backing of organized groups or monied interests. Opening candidacy to a wider range of people, especially those known by their neighbors can substantially change Fremont’s political landscape. Personal door-to-door campaigns are more realistic and can be very effective when districts are small and compact.

Questions of commonality whether through school district boundaries or ethnic identification are not necessarily the best indicators of voting preferences. Although parents of school age children may be heavily involved in school

activities, many do not center their politics around schools. Also, high school, middle school and elementary school communities differ. School districts, although integral to a city’s infrastructure, are governed separately and do not represent all residents since some have no school age children in their homes.

The same can be said of ethnic divisions, especially in Fremont. Although threat of a lawsuit that began this journey toward district elections is based on perception of ethnic bias, Fremont is not populated by concentrated silos of minorities. Fears of isolation expressed by the Afghan community at the May 2nd meeting did not appear to be centered on political will or council representation, rather division of the ethnic community. Statements at the council meeting evoking love for Fremont were good to hear, but had little relevance to current deliberations over district boundaries, social services or political freedom. Dividing Fremont into ethnic “barrios” is not only unrealistic but can create dangerous divisions within the City.

Fremont has grown as an inclusive city, a plethora of ethnic backgrounds without excessive rancor or hostility toward minority groups. In fact, there is no majority group, rather a plurality of interests within the City. Councilmembers have expressed solidarity when addressing citywide concerns even when in disagreement over tactics necessary to achieve a successful strategy. Let’s keep it that way.

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Ohlone College Foundation receives check for scholarships

SUBMITTED BY RANDY FEWEL

It was all smiles during a recent celebration when the Fremont Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) presented a \$4,000 check to the Ohlone College Foundation.

The money will benefit winners of four AAUW scholarships. Ninety-one applicants applied for this year’s scholarships through the Ohlone Foundation. Scholarships are for women who plan to continue their education at a four-year college in the fall of 2017. As part of the qualifications for the scholarships, applicants also must have attended a local high school, contributed to their community, and participated in some form of leadership.

This year’s winners will be announced in mid-May.

The AAUW’s mission is to advance equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research.



Pictured left to right: Thomas Hsu, Ohlone College Foundation Specialist; Kathy Bray, AAUW College Scholarship Committee; Randy Fewel, AAUW Local Scholarship President; Binh Nguyen Ohlone College Foundation Director; and Lisa Antoine, Ohlone College Foundation staff member

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Obituary

Gary Paul Rees

June 11, 1935 – April 27, 2017

Resident of Fremont

Predeceased by his daughter
Amber Rees. Survived by his wife
of 60 years, Carolee Rees of
Fremont; children: Lori Rees
Mumma of San Ramon, and
Paul Rees of Fremont; sister
Terry Kay Haynes of Oceanside;
6 grandchildren; and
5 great-grandchildren.

A Memorial Service will be
held on Tuesday, May 9th, 11am
at Fremont Chapel of the Roses,
1940 Peralta Blvd., Fremont, CA
94536.

Fremont Chapel of the Roses
510-797-1900



Born on June 11th, 1935 in
California, and entered into rest
on April 27th, 2017 in Fremont,
California at the age of 81.

Obituary

David Lee Culbertson

November 23, 1943 – April 27, 2017

Resident of Union City

David L. Culbertson, 73,
passed away on April 27th, 2017
at St. Rose Hospital from heart
failure. David is survived by his
beloved wife of 35 years,
Kimberly, two daughters;
Jennifer Johns-Miller (Brian) and
Angela Sage (Jermy Smith), and
four grandchildren, Stosh, Ivan,
Drew and DuRae. He is also
survived by his sister Deborah
Cunningham (Frank), his nieces;
Brenda Ehli and family, and
Teresa Tracy and family.

David was a native
Californian raised in San Mateo.
He was a Vietnam Veteran who
served as a helicopter crew chief
in the 101st Airborne. He

eventually made his home in
Union City, CA with his wife and
two daughters. He spent the
majority of his career as a
maintenance machinist at
Baxter Biotech in Hayward, CA.

One of his greatest passions
was classic cars. David and
Kimberly belonged to several
local car clubs throughout the
years. They were currently
members of the Golden Gate
Goats and Nor-Cal Chevelle
Caminos Car Clubs. One of his
favorite things to do was to
participate and go to car shows
on the weekend with Kimberly.

As an animal lover, David had
a soft spot for rescuing animals.

He enjoyed his time with his
kitties and his chocolate
Labrador, Allie whom he would
take with him everywhere.

David was an active member
in the community, he went out of
his way to be there for his family,
friends and neighbors. He will be
greatly missed by all those who
knew and loved him, and will live
on in our hearts.

A Memorial Service will be
held for David on Friday,
May 5th, 11am at Fremont
Chapel of the Roses, 1940 Peralta
Blvd., Fremont, CA 94536.

Fremont Chapel of the Roses
510-797-1900

Obituary

Carol Ann Ratfield

February 3, 1938 – April 28, 2017

Resident of Newark

Born on February 3, 1938 and
entered into rest on April 28,
2017 in Fremont at the age of 79.
Carol is survived by her loving
and devoted husband of 60 years
Kenneth Ratfield; two sons
Tod and Bret Ratfield; daughters
Cheryl and Kristine; brother
Vern DeCosta, Sisters Adelaide
DeCosta, Bobbi Mattos and
Iva Ratfield; four grandchildren
Garrett, Madeline, Megan and
Spencer and several nieces and
nephews. Predeceased by her
mother Isabel and father Ernie
Mattos and brothers Michael
Mattos and Tom Ratfield.

Carol was a devoted loving
wife to her husband “Kenny”.
She enjoyed raising her two sons
and watching them play sports
and score keeping at the little
league baseball park. She showed
her love to her family through her
fabulous cooking. Ken and Carol
loved spending time at their
cabin near Pinecrest, traveling on
cruises with family and friends,
stopping at any casino along the
way, and most of all seeing her
grandchildren pursue their
education.

Visitation will be held on
Thursday, May 4th, from 5-8pm



with a Vigil at 6:30pm at
Fremont Memorial Chapel,
3723 Peralta Blvd., Fremont, CA
94536. Funeral Mass will be
celebrated on Friday, May 5th,
12:30pm at Holy Spirit Catholic
Church, 37588 Fremont Blvd.,
Fremont, CA 94536. She will be
laid to rest at Holy Sepulchre
Cemetery in Hayward, CA.

Fremont Memorial Chapel
510-793-8900

Obituary

Dolores “Lola” Tostado

January 26, 1941 – May 6, 2017

Resident of Fremont

Dolores “Lola” Tostado was
born on January 26, 1941 in
Oakland, CA and entered into
rest on May 6, 2017 in Fremont,
CA at the age of 76. She is
survived by her loving husband
of 50 years, Jose Tostado. Beloved
children: David Tostado,
Dianna Tostado, Michael
Tostado, Melissa Roche, and

Edward Tostado. Cherished
grand-mother to
13 grandchildren and caring
sister to Philip, Steven, Joseph,
and Leonard.

Lola was an active parent
with CYO basketball, PTA and
NCLL baseball.

Visitation will be held on
Tuesday, May 9 from 4-8pm and

Wednesday, May 10 from
9-11am at Fremont Chapel of
the Roses, 1940 Peralta Blvd.,
Fremont, CA 94536. A burial at
Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in
Hayward will follow.

Fremont Chapel of the Roses
510-797-1900

Obituary

Norman Franklin Dees

September 12, 1935 – April 22, 2017

Resident of Fremont

Norm passed away Saturday, April 22, 2017 surrounded by his loving family. Predeceased by parents, George and Ruby Dees; Sister, Barbara J. Adams (Joe); and Son, David K. Dees.

Those left to mourn are Best friend and daughter, Viki Raab (Gordon) and Beloved Son, Scott Dees. Proud Grandfather of Kris Bradford, Courtney Husk, Melissa Dees and Shelby Roth and 10 Great Grandchildren, whom he adored. He will also be missed by Longtime Friends, Arlyne Dinizo and Steve Paine.

Norm had a heart of gold and touched many lives, especially those he met in his years of Rving, traveling the coast of California and Oregon.

The SF 49ers and SF Giants have lost one of their most avid fans! BOOYAH!!!!

Special thanks to Dr. Rajiv Ahuja; the 3rd and 5th floor nursing staff at Washington



Hospital and the staff at Brookdale Assisted Living Facility

At his request, no services will be held and his remains will be spread in the Sierra Mountains.

Contributions in his memory are welcomed by Niles Centerville Little League. (www.ncll.com). A pancake breakfast fundraiser in his memory will be held on May 20 at the NCLL ball field.

Fremont Chapel of the Roses
510-797-1900

Obituary

Lorraine Louise McHugh

August 25, 1950 – April 29, 2017

Resident of Williams



Lorraine Louise McHugh, 66, passed Saturday, April 29th, 2017 at VA Medical Center in Mather, CA.

Lorraine was born August 23rd, 1950 in Hernandez, NM. Graduated from Newark High and enlisted in the U.S. Navy in 1970. Lorraine was a jack of all trades, a volunteer at L.O.V. of Newark, CA, she served as a judge for local elections for over 15 years, and was secretary of L.U.N.A., amongst countless other things. She was admired for

her arts & crafts, being an avid reader, and her love of BINGO.

Lorraine is survived by her mother and step-father Cordy and Alex Lopez, her daughters: Tammy, Michele, and Jennifer Martinez, 10 grandchildren, 4 great grandchildren, sister Barbara Castillo, and brothers: Gilbert, and Sam Lovato.

She was preceded in death by her husband John P. McHugh, father Benito Lovato, sisters: Loretta, and Lucy, and grand-daughter Alexis McHugh.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, May 9th, from 5-8pm with a Vigil at 6:30pm at Fremont Memorial Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd., Fremont, CA 94536. Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, May 10th, 10:30am at St. Edward’s Catholic Church, 5788 Thornton Ave., Newark, CA 94560. Burial will follow at Sacramento Valley National Cemetery in Dixon, CA.

Fremont Memorial Chapel
510-793-8900

Obituary

Lillian May Currie

December 30, 1921 – May 2, 2017

Resident of Fremont

Lynn, age 95, passed peacefully at home surrounded by family. She was born and grew up in Midland, Michigan, 5th of 7 children. She was a resident of Fremont for 67 years.

Lynn’s father passed when she was 13 and her mother worked and rented out the farm until the children graduated from high school. Lynn received a scholarship, allowing her to attend the University of Michigan Ann Arbor where she met her husband, Mac. They were married in 1943 and moved to CA after their honeymoon, which they spent riding a train through the Canadian Rockies. They first lived in San Jose, then settled in Fremont in 1950.

For several years Lynn volunteered as a Pink Lady at Washington Hospital. When her youngest daughter started school, she got her teaching credential and became a 3rd grade teacher, mostly at Blacow Elementary School. She loved teaching and tried to expand her students’ horizons beyond the standard



curriculum by exposing them to classical music and ideas that traditionally are introduced in more advanced grades. At home she enjoyed being a mother to her 4 girls, baking bread, sewing, listening to music, and gardening. She was proud of her roses, daffodils, strawberries and vegetables. She loved to read and she valued education;

Obituary

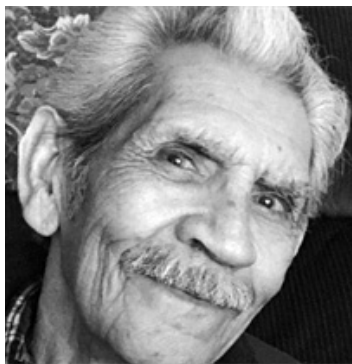
Trine Lopez

July 9th, 1935 - April 11th, 2017

Resident of Tracy, CA

Passed away peacefully at the age of 81.

Trine Lopez was born July 9th, 1935 in Grants, New Mexico to Paz Morris and Severo Lopez. He cherished his siblings which were his 3 brothers: Polo, Estevan, and Alex; and 2 sisters: Margaret and Ida. He was the father of 2 loving children: son Daniel and daughter Dina. He adored his daughter in law Margie and 3 grandchildren: Linda, Lana, and Daniel Jr. He moved from New Mexico at the age of 25 to Union City, CA where he lived for 20 years, he retired in Tracy



for his remaining 15 years where he loved to live and appreciate the Valley.

Trine was a hard-worker who worked at Junction Nursery for 20 years and then he went on to

work for Pacheco Brothers for 20 years which he enjoyed very much and retired from.

His hobbies were things such as side jobs, mechanics, and one of his favorites was camping, barbecuing and fishing on the Rivers or at the Wildlife. He also loved to spend as much time with his family and friends as possible.

He will be missed dearly by everyone whose life in which he has ever touched.

Trine was laid to rest at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward, CA.

Fremont Memorial Chapel
510-793-8900

Obituary

Donna Rae Hoover

April 30, 1941 – May 4, 2017

Resident of Fremont

Donna passed away suddenly and now resides in Heaven. She is survived by her loving husband of 56 years, Frank Hoover. She was Mom to 4 children : Charlene Juhasz (hus-band Ken), Keith Hoover (wife Tanya), Roxanne Mccomb (husband Mike) and Neal Hoover. She was Nana to 9 grandchildren: Cheriese & Travis Juhasz, Joshua, Timothy& Charlene Roxanne Hoover, Trent & Alanna McComb and Owen & Ryan Hoover.

She was also known as Miss Donna to many. Donna was an amazing Mother, Grandmother and Friend. She positively touched many lives through her kindness and her joy for the Lord. She volunteered for Real options Pregnancy Clinic, was a volunteer for 19 years at Richardson Grove State park visitor center and was a greeter at



church. She enjoyed being with her family, friends, be-ing a Red Hatter, traveling, camping and praising the Lord.

Celebration of Life to be held Thursday, May 11th at 2pm located at Fremont Memorial Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd.,

Fremont. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Real Options Pregnancy Medical Clinic of Union City.

Fremont Memorial Chapel
510-793-8900

Police investigating fatal motorcycle crash

SUBMITTED BY GENEVA BOSQUES,
FREMONT PD

An emergency 911 call to Fremont police dispatchers about a suspected violation of a criminal protection order brought several patrol officers to a residence on Vancouver Common on Sunday, April 30. As officers arrived at 10:13 p.m. they spotted the male suspect on a motorcycle in front of the residence.

The man rode away as officers arrived, traveling west on Mowry Avenue. Officers attempted to stop him, but the man sped away and officers lost sight of him. The officers returned to the residence to continue the investigation of the criminal protection order violation. A short time later, dispatchers received several 911 about an injury collision involving a motorcycle at the intersection of Paseo Padre Parkway at Peralta Boulevard.

Callers reported a motorcyclist had collided with a traffic signal and was in the roadway. Additional

officers were sent to the scene and found the motorcyclist lying in the roadway unconscious and not breathing. Officers provided first aid to the driver, but he was pronounced dead at the scene by Fremont Fire Paramedics. No other vehicles or people appeared to be involved.

Through their investigation, officers determined the motorcyclist, a 50-year-old Fremont resident, was the suspect associated with the reported violation of a criminal protection order. Several witnesses were present and stayed at the scene.

The collision is being investigated by the Fremont Traffic Unit and the violation of the criminal protection order is being investigated by the Fremont Police Patrol Division. Anyone with information that could help with the investigation is asked to contact Traffic Officer Tran at Ltran@fremont.gov.

Unanimous approval for transit redesign

SUBMITTED BY SANTA CLARA VALLEY
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

The Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority’s plan to do an extensive redesign of its transit service network was approved unanimously by the VTA Board of Directors at the agency’s May 4th Board meeting. The Board Directors moved forward with the plan with the following caveats: maintain Bus Route 45, consider operating Rapid 500 on San Fernando Street, coordinate with cities on alternative mobility options and establish an evaluation framework for ongoing plan refinements.

The Board’s decision concludes the planning portion of the transit service plan, which included extensive input with more than 3,000 comments from members of the public.

Our Final FY18-19 Transit
Service Plan:

- Increases service levels in high-ridership areas and decreases service levels in low-ridership areas.
- Increases frequencies on many routes.
- Expands the number of Rapid Routes.
- Increases the number of residents and jobs with access to frequent service by 160,000 and 150,000 respectively.
- Extends service later in the evening on many routes and adds more service on weekends.

Under the plan, VTA Light Rail service will be modified to include the following:

- A new Orange Line that runs from Mountain View to Milpitas and then to the Alum Rock Transit Center, will be an option

and will run every 15 minutes on weekdays.

- The Green Line from Mountain View to Winchester will end at Mountain View-Old Ironsides but will run every 15 minutes on weekdays.
- Express trains from Santa Teresa to Baypointe will turn around at St. James but we will double the number of trains to six morning and six evening trains.

For route-by-route details of the Final Transit Service Plan, please visit <http://nextnetwork.vta.org/route-info>. Although VTA’s fiscal year begins in July 2017, the approved changes will not be implemented until passenger service on VTA’s BART Silicon Valley Extension is available, which is currently projected by the end of the calendar year.

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SUBMITTED BY
JULIE CURSON

The Visual Art Department of James Logan High School is holding its 4th annual student art exhibition. This year's theme is "Paredes de Milagros" or Wall of Miracles.

Three floors of stunning artwork by Advanced Placement Art, Digital Art, Photography, Drawing, Painting, Multicultural Art (mixed media), and Ceramics students will be on display Thursday, May 11. Students operate the gallery, learning about and working real world jobs such as curator, museum technicians, docents, marketing, gallery store, activities coordinators and caterers. Others share business cards and network with fellow art

students and members of the community.

Three hundred students crafted their gratitude, or wish for a miracle out of aluminum cans, creating an impressive 12' x 12' sculpture. Attendees are invited to add to this sculpture. The Photography Club will operate a photo booth for a small fee.

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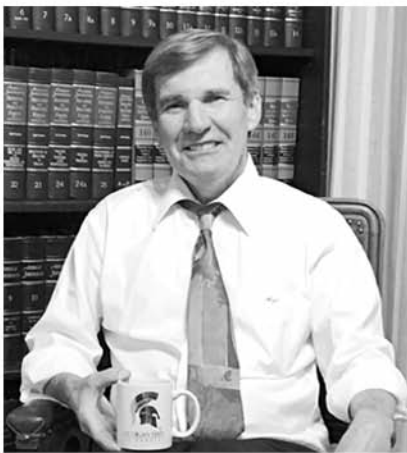
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Fremont Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
**GENEVA BOSQUES,
FREMONT PD**

Friday, April 28

At about 1:05 p.m. a resident came home in the 3700 block of Savannah and found three people trying to open the rear door to her house. The suspects left in a white SUV. Minutes later, at approximately 1:10 p.m., a resident in the 4300 block of Crestwood St was home when two suspects broke into the house through the garage. The suspects fled when the resident screamed. Motor Officer Piol located a vehicle matching the description with three to four occupants, and a pursuit onto I-680 southbound began. The pursuit ended when the suspect vehicle reached the area of I-680 and 101 in San Jose. The suspect vehicle was a white Jeep Wrangler with paper plates. The first suspect was described as a Hispanic man, wearing a red hooded sweatshirt with the hood up, very baggy blue jeans, skinny build, approximately 19-year-old. The second suspect was described as a Hispanic man, dressed the same as the first suspect and about 19-year-old. The third suspect was described as black male or female, wearing a gray hooded sweatshirt, black pants, round diamond stud earrings with dark short curly hair and a chubby build, and about 19-years-old.

Officer Rodarte investigated a residential burglary on Jamestown Road after the resident returned home to find it ransacked. Entry was made through an unlocked bedroom window. Taken: jewelry and a laptop computer.

Saturday, April 29

At 4:15 p.m. officers were dispatched to Kato Road near Warm Springs Boulevard for a collision involving a vehicle that

rolled over. The swing shift traffic bureau responded and determined that a single vehicle had been reckless driving and attempted to drift a corner but lost control. The vehicle sheared a pole and a fire hydrant then rolled several times. The driver and passenger were both injured and taken to a regional trauma center. Officer Hartman investigated.

At 9:30 p.m. Officers De Stefano and Paiva were dispatched to the area of Chapel Way/Irvington Ave to investigate a suspicious 55- gallon metal drum. Both Officer De Stefano and Officer Paiva immediately closed the road and set up a large safety perimeter. ACSO Bomb Squad and Fremont Fire Hazmat both responded to assist. The bomb squad conducted an X-ray on the drum and confirmed it was most likely empty. Fremont Fire Hazmat tested for odors and also cleared the drum as not a Hazmat situation. Fremont Fire took possession and disposed of the drum.

Sunday, April 30

At about 11:36 p.m. a robbery occurred in the area of Argonaut Way and Mowry Avenue near Safeway at the Hub. The victim was confronted by two suspects in dark clothing who were both armed with knives. The suspects took the victim's wallet and iPhone. Officer Roberts, while checking the area, noticed a white Honda speeding through the Food Max parking lot. He suspected it might be related to the robbery. The white Honda fled westbound on Walnut Avenue to Parkhurst. Officer Manrique located the vehicle driving eastbound on Sundale Drive and attempted a vehicle stop. The vehicle did not stop and a short pursuit started and finished at Sundale and Liberty when the suspect struck a curb. Officer Manrique and Officer Harvey chased apprehend the man in the parking lot of the court house. Arrested was a 30-year-old Newark man. He

was not identified as the robbery suspect but still went to jail and was booked for obstructing a police officer and resisting arrest. At 2:09 a.m., the original robbery victim while out looking for his wallet is confronted again by the same two suspects still armed with knives. Officer Oliveira arrived on the scene and detained one of the suspects, a 19-year-old Fremont man. He was positively identified and arrested on suspicion of robbery. The second suspect was not located.

Monday, May 1

At approximately 10:20 a.m. two suspects stole items from the Lucky's store at Charter Square shopping center. During the incident they threatened to shoot an employee who chased them out of the store and then attempted to run over the employee as they fled the lot southbound on Fremont Boulevard. As officers were responding, dispatch was advised that two suspects with the same description were just involved with a theft at Walgreens, located in the 3800 block of Decoto Road. Several patrol units began checking other shopping center parking lots and Officer Collins saw a possible match in the Walgreens (Mowry Avenue) lot. The vehicle was lost but was again located by Sgt. Morrison now in the Safeway Hub parking lot. As units began arriving in the area, a person matching the description of one of the suspects entered the passenger side of the vehicle which immediately began driving, exiting the parking lot onto Mowry Avenue. Once sufficient units and the canine unit arrived, a high risk vehicle stop was conducted in front of McDonalds on Fremont Boulevard and the suspects were detained without incident. In the end, an 18-year-old Alameda resident, and a 19-year-old Hercules resident were positively identified for the robbery. They also received charges of theft from the Walgreens incident on Decoto Road.

Bicycle Safety Month

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

In recognition of National Bike Safety Month during May, it's a good time for cyclists to review safety rules of the road and the benefits of biking.

There are many benefits to biking, some of which include having fun and promoting a healthy lifestyle. Bicycling also can save money and time. But for whatever reason people ride bicycles, safety is paramount. Here are tips cyclists can follow to make sure they arrive safely to their destinations.

- Use a Bike Checklist to make sure brakes are working, chains are oiled and tires have the right amount of pressure
- Always wear a helmet
- Always ride with the traffic flow
- Obey all traffic laws
- Yield to traffic when appropriate
- See and be seen by wearing neon or fluorescent clothing day or night
- Install reflectors and / or proper lighting front and rear on your bike

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) reports that 818 bicyclists died and more than 45,000 were in-

jured in crashes in 2015, with deaths rising more than 12 percent from 2014 numbers. Over the 10-year period from 2006 to 2015, the average age of cyclists killed in motor vehicle crashes increased from 41 to 45. Alcohol involvement — either for the motor vehicle operator or for the cyclist — was reported in 37 percent of all fatal cyclist crashes. Be safe out there!

For more information, visit the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration web site at www.nhtsa.dot.gov.

Man's shirt leads to charges in package theft case

SUBMITTED BY
**LT. RAJ MAHARAJ,
MILPITAS PD**

Just after 1 a.m. on Friday, April 21 Milpitas police arrested a man on suspicion of driving a stolen 1998 Mercedes-Benz near McCarthy Boulevard and booked him into the Santa Clara County Jail. Police later identified the suspect as Francisco Mojica Lopez, 34, of Milpitas.

But during the arrest, a sharp-eyed officer recognized a shirt worn by Lopez and recalled

an incident which involved a man suspected of stealing a package from a residence in Milpitas while wearing the same shirt. The shirt had a distinctive phrase printed on it stating, "Heros Are Remembered Legends Never Die."

Four days later, Milpitas Detectives contacted Lopez regarding the package theft, which occurred in the 100 block of Piedmont Road, on April 18. Detectives determined Lopez was responsible for the crime. He was issued a citation for petty theft.



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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CITY OF FREMONT
PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FREMONT WILL HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON THE FOLLOWING PROPOSALS. SAID PUBLIC HEARINGS WILL BE HELD AT 7:00 P.M., ON THURSDAY, MAY 25, 2017, AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL, 3300 CAPITOL AVENUE, FREMONT, CALIFORNIA, AT WHICH TIME ANY AND ALL INTERESTED PERSONS MAY APPEAR AND BE HEARD.

FIVE-YEAR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM - GENERAL PLAN CONFORMITY FINDING - Citywide - PLN2017-00266 - To consider a General Plan Conformity Finding for the five-year Capital Improvement Program for FY 2017/18 through FY2021/2022, and to consider a finding that the proposed project is exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per CEQA Guidelines Section 15378 as it does not meet the definition of a project.
Project Planner, Joel Pullen, (510) 494-4436, jpullen@fremont.gov

For further information on any of the above items, call (510) 494-4440 and request to speak with the project planner in charge of the particular project.

* NOTICE *

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

WAYNE MORRIS, SECRETARY
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Registrant(s):
Rafi M Hassani, 6271 Brittany Ave, Newark, CA 94560
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/ Rafi M. Hassani, Owner
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CNS-3008448#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 529980
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Angara Enterprises, 919 Snowberry Court, Hayward, CA 94544-5730, County of Alameda
Mailing Address: 919 Snowberry Court, Hayward, CA 94544-5730
Registrant(s):
Andrew James N Galtho, 919 Snowberry Ct, Hayward, CA 94544-5730
Business conducted by: An Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 01/01/17
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/ Andrew James N Galtho, Owner
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STATEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL
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FILE NO. 505829

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Shinder Singh, 825 Hancock St., #209, Hayward, CA 94544
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
S/ Martha Singh
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 3, 2017.
5/9, 5/16, 5/23, 5/30/17

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S/ Martha Singh
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CNS-3007607#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 529981
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Skyworld Travel Service, 3573 Braxton Common, Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda; Mailing Address: 3573 Braxton Common, Fremont, CA 94538
Registrant(s):
Lourdes Orquin, 3573 Braxton Common, Fremont, CA 94538
Business conducted by: an Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 2010
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/ Lourdes T. Orquin
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 17, 2017.
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CNS-3007552#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 529904
Fictitious Business Name(s):
The Bird Tals, 42221 Woodcrest Ct., Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Alena Trizna, 42221 Woodcrest Ct., Fremont, CA 94538
Maria Trizna, 801 Dexter Ave. N. #104, Seattle, WA 98105
Business conducted by: a General Partnership
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 01/01/2013.
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/ Alena Trizna, General Partner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 13, 2017.
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CNS-3007396#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 530219
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Ability Revolution Consulting, 4014 Penny Terrace, Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda; Mailing Address: 3984 Washington Blvd., #513, Fremont, CA 94538, Alameda County
Registrant(s):
Jennifer Camota Luebke, 4014 Penny Terrace, 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/ Jennifer Camota Luebke
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 24, 2017.
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CNS-3007727#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 530329
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Cisco Investments Inc., 9000 Crow Canyon Rd. #179, Danville, CA 94506, County of Contra Costa; Mailing Address: 9000 Crow Canyon Rd. #179, Danville, CA 94506
Registrant(s):
Cisco Investments Inc., 9000 Crow Canyon Rd. #179, Danville, CA 94506; California
Business conducted by: a Corporation
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/ Adel Abu Ghazaleh, CEO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 25, 2017.
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CNS-3007268#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 530558
Fictitious Business Name(s):
IOIP USA Inc, 1939 Ivy Way, Fremont, CA 94539, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Intelligent Optical Image Processing, Inc., 1939 Ivy Way, Fremont, CA 94539; California
Business conducted by: a Corporation
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/ Cheng-Huan Yu, CEO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 1, 2017.
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CNS-3007252#

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT
OF USE OF FICTITIOUS
BUSINESS NAME

File No. 483623-7
The following person(s) has (have) abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: (1) **Bay Area Auto Glass Depot, (2) US Auto Glass Depot, (3) Auto Glass Inc., (4) Auto Glass Restoration, (5) US Auto Glass, 2557 West Winton Ave #7C, Hayward, CA 94545**
Mailing Address: 2557 West Winton Ave #7C, Hayward, CA 94545
The Fictitious Business Name Statement being abandoned was filed on 10/9/2013 in the County of Alameda.
Cisco Investments Inc, 2557 West Winton Ave #7C, Hayward, CA 94545; California
S/ Adel Abu-Ghazaleh, CEO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 25, 2017.
5/9, 5/16, 5/23, 5/30/17

CNS-3007247#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 530512
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Safe Harbor Counseling Center, 32145 Alvarado Niles Rd. Ste 208, Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Kenneth Richard Meagher, 2476 Balmoral St, Union City, CA 94587
Business conducted by: An Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 06/04/2008
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/ Kenneth Richard Meagher, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 28, 2017
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CNS-3006373#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 530519-21
Fictitious Business Name(s):
1) AFA Wolverines, 2) AFA, 3) AFA Football, 3854 Village Terrace #130, Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 448; Alameda, CA 94501
Registrant(s):
Alameda Football Association, 3854 Village Terrace #130, Fremont, CA 94536; CA
Business conducted by: A Corporation
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 1/11/17
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Alex Jannetty, President
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CNS-3006350#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 530315
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Glenn Kamei & Co., Inc, 38272 Acacia St., Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Glenn Kamei & Co., Inc, 38272 Acacia St., Fremont, CA 94536; California
Business conducted by: a Corporation
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 09/23/1994
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/ Edgar Kamei, President
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 25, 2017
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CNS-3005812#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 530255
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Woof Dog House, 37679 Niles Blvd, Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Michelle Rivera, 33328 3rd Street, Union City, CA 94587
Business conducted by: An Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Michelle Rivera
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CNS-3005434#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 529625
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Falcon, 36012 Magellan Dr, Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Jatinder S. Dhani, 36012 Magellan Dr, Fremont, CA 94536
Business conducted by: An Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 04/06/2017
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/ Jatinder S. Dhani, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 25, 2017
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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/ Jatinder S. Dhani, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 6, 2017
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.

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CNS-3005431#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 530225
Fictitious Business Name(s):
RS Trucking, 4246 Solar Cir, Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1395, Union City, CA 94587
Registrant(s):
Rashpal Singh, 4246 Solar Cir, Union City, CA 94587
Business conducted by: An Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Rashpal Singh
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 24, 2017
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CNS-3005426#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 530188
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Winchoice, LLC, 34215 Chamberlain Terrace, Fremont, CA 94555, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Winchoice, LLC 34215 Chamberlain Terrace, Fremont, CA 94555; California
Business conducted by: A Limited Liability Company
The registrant began to transact business using

CNS-3001856# FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 529736 Fictitious Business Name(s): Goodwill Trucking, 32433 New Harbor Way, Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda Registrant(s): Jagvirinder Singh, 32433 New Harbor Way, Union City, CA 94587 Business conducted by: An Individual The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 4-10-17 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/ Jagvirinder Singh This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 10, 2017 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.	of Alameda Registrant(s): JP Factoring Group LLC, 48834 Kato Rd Ste 101-A, Fremont, CA 94538; California Business conducted by: A Limited Liability Company 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/ Wheng Wang, Manager This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 11, 2017 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.	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/ Mingqui Yang - CEO This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 3, 2017 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). 4/18, 4/25, 5/2, 5/9/17	5/9/17 CNS-3007567# CITY OF FREMONT ORDINANCE NO. 06-2017 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FREMONT AMENDING FREMONT MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 15.35.150 TO INCLUDE FIRE SPRINKLERS IN ALTERATIONS TO ANY BUILDING THAT IS MORE THAN 50 PERCENT OF THE SQUARE FOOTAGE NOW, THEREFORE, The City Council of the City of Fremont does ordain as follows: SECTION 1. FMC CHAPTER 15.35 SECTION 15.35.150 AMENDED- Fremont Municipal Code Title 15 (Building and Construction) Division 1 (Fremont Building Standards Code) Chapter 15.35 (Fremont Fire Code), Section 15.35.150 is amended as follows: Sec. 15.35.150 Amendments to 2016 CFC Section 903 (Automatic Sprinkler Systems). Section 903.2.25 of the 2016 California Fire Code is amended as follows: 903.2.5 ALTERNATIONS to existing A, B, E, F, H, L, M, R-1, R-2, R-2.1, R-4, S, and certain miscellaneous U Occupancies: Where the gross floor area of a proposed alteration and the gross floor area of any alterations that have been undertaken in a 10-year time period starting from January 1, 2017 that exceeds 50 percent of the existing gross floor area of the building, an automatic fire extinguishing system (AFES) shall be required throughout the entire building. The standard for calculating the size of alteration for determining the threshold for fire sprinkler systems shall be: 1. The square footage of every room being added or altered shall be included in the calculation of total square footage of addition or alteration. 2. The entire square footage of an individual room shall be considered added or altered when at least 50 percent of the greater of the interior length of interior wall sheathing or ceiling of any one wall within the room is new, removed, or replaced.	does not influence the competitive nature of the bid. The City Council will award the project, if it is awarded, to the lowest responsible Bidder as determined by the Total Base Bid only. The City of Newark hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business and women owned business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, marital status, sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, age, sexual orientation, including a perception that the person has any of those characteristics or that the person is associated with a person who has, or is perceived to have, any of those characteristics in consideration for an award. Pursuant to Section 12939 of the California Labor Code, the minimum rate of wages in the county in which the work is to be done has been determined by the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations of the State of California. These wages are set forth in the General Prevailing Wage Rates for this project. The Contractor and all subcontractors shall be required to provide the general prevailing wage under this Contract salaries or wages at least equal to the general prevailing wage rates for the particular crafts, classifications or types of workers employed on this project. These wage rates appear in the latest Department of Industrial Relations publication. Future effective wage rates shall have been predetermined and are on file with the Department of Industrial Relations are referenced but not printed in said publication, and are available on the internet at www.dir.ca.gov. Dated: April 27, 2017 SHEILA HARRINGTON, City Clerk City of Newark, Alameda County, California Publish Dates: Tuesday, May 2, 2017 Tuesday, May 9, 2017 5/2, 5/9/17
CNS-3001277# FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 529737 Fictitious Business Name(s): Good Will Express, 32433 New Harbor Way, Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda Registrant(s): Kuldeep Singh, 32433 New Harbor Way, Union City, CA 94587 Business conducted by: an individual The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 11-2-2011 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/ Kuldeep Singh This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 10, 2017 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.	CNS-2999671# FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 529135 Fictitious Business Name(s): Shergill, 31224 Fredi St, Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda Registrant(s): Iqbal Singh Gill, 31224 Fredi St., Union City, CA 94587 Business conducted by: An Individual The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].) /s/ Iqbal Singh Gill This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on March 22, 2017 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.	CNS-2997203# FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 529612 Fictitious Business Name(s): Ardees, 12 Snyder Wy, Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda Mailing Address: 12 Snyder Wy, Fremont, CA 94536 Registrant(s): Vinh B.D. Ha, 12 Snyder Wy, Fremont, CA 94536 Business conducted by: An Individual The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 3-15-89 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/ Vinh Ha Sole Proprietor Resident This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 5, 2017 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). 4/18, 4/25, 5/2, 5/9/17	CNS-2997203# CITY OF UNION CITY OFFICIAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Public Hearing for Master Fee Schedule Fiscal Year 2017-2018 and Adjustments Thereto for Changes in the Consumer Price Index and Adjustments in the Municipal Code. Date: Tuesday, May 23, 2017 Time: 7:00 p.m. Notice Type: HRG - NOTICE OF HEARING Public Hearing Master Fee Schedule for Fiscal Year 2017-2018 and Adjustments I am a citizen of the United States and a resident of the City of Alameda. I am over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to or interested in the above entitled matter. I am the principal clerk of the printer and publisher of the WHATS HAPPENINGS TRI-CITY VOICE - UNION CITY, a newspaper published in the English language in the city of Alameda, California, and I am the publisher of a newspaper of general circulation defined by the laws of the State of California by the Superior Court of the County of ALAMEDA, State of California. Place: Union City Council Chambers 34009 Alvarado-Niles Road, Union City, CA 94587 Copies of the Master Fee Schedule will be available for inspection no later than Thursday, May 18, 2017, in the Office of the City Clerk, 34009 Alvarado-Niles Road, Union City. Persons interested in the above are invited to attend the meeting to speak or offer written testimony for or against this proposal. Dated: May 4, 2017 Published: May 9, 2017 and May 16, 2017 Signed: Anna Brown, City Clerk 5/9/17	CNS-3005056# NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS Sealed bids will be received in the Office of Purchasing Services at 3300 Capitol Ave., Bldg B, Fremont, California, up to the hour of 2:00 P.M. on Tuesday, May 30, 2017, at which time they will be opened and read out loud in said building for: CONCRETE WALKWAY IMPROVEMENTS AT PLAZA PARK (PW8

does not influence the competitive nature of the bid. The City Council will award the project, if it is awarded, to the lowest responsible Bidder as determined by the Total Base Bid only. The City of Newark hereby notifies all bidders that it will not discriminate against anyone in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business and women owned business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, ethnicity, sex, age, marital status, sexual orientation, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, marital status, sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, age, sexual orientation, including a perception that a person has any of those characteristics or that the person is perceived to have, any of those characteristics in consideration for an award. Pursuant to Section of 1773 of the Labor Code, the general prevailing rate of wages in the county in which the work is to be done has been determined by the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations in the State of California. These wages are set forth in the General Prevailing Wage Rates for this project. The Contractor and all subcontractors shall pay all their employees performing labor on this project the prevailing wage rate, which is equal to the general prevailing wage rate for the particular crafts, classifications or types of workers employed on this project. These wage rates appear in the latest Department of Industrial Relations publication. Future effective wage rates will be published by the Department of Industrial Relations but not printed in said publication, and are available on the internet at www.dir.ca.gov.
Dated: April 27, 2017 SHEILA HARRINGTON,
County Clerk of Newark, Alameda County,
California Publish: Tuesday, May 2, 2017
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CONCRETE WALKWAY IMPROVEMNETS AT PLAZA PARK (PWC8826) AND BROOKVALE TRAIL. THE PROJECT IS LOCATED AT PLAZA PARK – END OF MADERA COURT, FREMONT, CA; AND BROOKVALE TRAIL, BETWEEN PASEO PADRE PARKWAY AND NICOLET AVENUE, FREMONT, AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

Project scope includes, but is not limited to the construction of concrete sidewalks and landscape improvements, including planting and irrigation. Scope also includes the preparation of existing sites for proposed concrete sidewalk and landscape improvements, including clearing and grubbing, demolition and removal of existing paving and base, adjustment of existing irrigation, storm drainage and other utilities identified.

Alternates

Alternate 1: Full Concrete Section at Brookvale Trail
Alternate 2: Landscape Enhancements at Brookvale Trail
Alternate 3: Spare Sleeves at Brookvale Trail
Alternate 4: Seating Area and Pervious Concrete at Plaza Park
Alternate 5: Full Concrete Section at Plaza Park

PRE-BID CONFERENCE :A non-mandatory pre-bid conference is scheduled for **2:00 p.m., Friday, May 12, 2017**, at the Brookvale Trail Site. Meeting at the Centerville Library parking lot, located at 3801 Nicolet Ave., Fremont, Ca 94536. Meeting will continue on to Plaza Park. The bidders' conference is for the purpose of acquainting all prospective bidders with the Contract Documents and the Worksite.

Plans, special provisions and standard proposal forms to be used for bidding on this project can be obtained for a non-refundable fee at ARC Santa Clara located at 821 Marin Avenue, Santa Clara, CA 95050 or through Planwell at www.e-arc.com/ca/santaclara, Phone (408) 295-5770. No partial sets will be issued, cost is non-refundable. Call to confirm availability of copies before coming to pick up documents. For more information on this project, contact the City of Fremont Purchasing Department at (510) 494-4620.

Sandy Smith
Purchasing Division
CITY OF FREMONT
5/2, 5/9/17

CNS-3004222#

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

On May 25, 2017, at or after 7:30 p.m., in the Council Chambers, 37101 Newark Blvd., Newark, CA, the Newark City Council will hold a public hearing to consider:

An amendment to the Municipal Code amending Chapter 3.24 - Development *Impact* Fees and adoption of a Public Safety *Impact* Fee, a Community Service Facilities *Impact* Fee, and Transportation *Impact* Fee.

Development Impact Fee Nexus Study, and a Transportation Impact Fee Nexus Study were conducted and have concluded that Development Impact fees are justified.

According to the studies:

The maximum fees supported for a Public Safety Service Facility Impact Fee are \$311 per residential unit, \$172 per commercial square foot, and \$36 per industrial square foot.

The maximum fees supported for a Community Service Facility Impact Fee are \$3,451 per residential unit, \$119 per commercial square foot, and \$50 per industrial square foot.

The maximum fees supported for a Transportation Impact Fee are \$266 per single family detached residential unit, \$268 per townhome unit, \$3,203 per apartment unit, \$8.81 per commercial square foot, and \$4.82 per industrial square foot.

The fees would be applicable to new residential and commercial development in the City of Newark.

The studies which establish the estimated costs required for providing the service for which the fee is levied and the revenue sources anticipated to provide the service are available to the public. Details are available at the Community Development Department, 37101 Newark Avenue, Newark, CA, 94560, or by contacting Terrell Grindall, Assistant City Manager (510) 578-4208.

If you challenge a City action in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the City Council at, or prior to, the public hearing. Subject to exhaustion of administrative remedies, Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.6 requires you to initiate such a proceeding in court within 90 days of the final decision in this matter.

SHEILA HARRIN
City Clerk

5/9, 5/16/17

CNS-3003477#

**TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE
MATTER OF THE PROCEEDINGS FOR THE
CALIFORNIA HOME FINANCE AUTHORITY
CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAM AND PACE
PROGRAM:**

Golden State Finance Authority ("GSFA"), formerly known as California Home Finance Authority ("CHF") is seeking to amend the validation order. Judgment obtained in Sacramento County Superior Court, Case No. 34-2015-00174212, which authorized the use of the proceeds of the acquisition, installation and improvement of energy efficiency, water conservation and/or renewable energy improvements affixed to or on real property and in buildings, whether the real property or buildings are privately or publicly owned, for the purpose of the financing of such use for residential, commercial, industrial, or other purposes (the "Clean Energy Program") and authorized the CHF Property Assessed Clean Energy ("PACE") Program to include the financing of the seismic strengthening infrastructure for all types of property located in GSFA jurisdictional areas.

GSFA is now seeking to amend the validation Judgment, to include (1) Resolution No. 2016-05, (2) to amend the Program Report for the PACE program to authorize the financing of seismic strengthening improvements that are permanently fixed to residential, commercial, industrial, agricultural or other real property in California pursuant to AB 811, and (3) to authorize the levy of a special tax to finance or refinance Authorized Improvements which shall include seismic improvements pursuant to AB 2618.

GSFA is now seeking to amend the validation amendment to the validation Judgment must provide written notice to Danielle Sakai at Best Best & Krieger LLP, 3390 University Ave., 5th Floor, Riverside, CA 92501, phone number (951) 686-1450, by May 22, 2017, or appear at the hearing on May 22, 2017 at 10:00 AM in Courtroom 1 of the Sacramento County Superior Court located at 720 9th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814.

4/25, 5/2, 5/9/17

CNS-3001264#

PROBATE

COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD

Let's Do Lunch! Volunteer for LIFE ElderCare – Meals on Wheels Mon – Fri, 10:30-12:30 Choose your day(s) Call Tammy 510-574-2086 tduran@fremont.gov www.LifeElderCare.org	ABWA-Pathfinder Chap. American Business Women's Assoc. provides opportunities for women personally & professionally thru leadership, education, networking Dinner Meetings: 3rd Wednesday each month. Spin A Yarn Rest. (Fremont): 6:30-9:00 pm Call Harriet 510-793-7465 www.abwa-pathfinder.org	The 23rd Annual Juried Photo Exhibit co-sponsored by Fremont Cultural Arts Council & The Fremont Photographic Society • Photo submission April 7-9 at FCAC offices • Winners reception April 29th • Photos displayed in Fremont library to June 3rd http://fremontculturalartscouncil.org under 'Events' for detail & rules.	10 lines/\$10/ 10 Weeks \$50/Year 510-494-1999 tricityvoice@aol.com Shout out to your community Our readers can post information including: Activities Announcements For sale Garage sales Group meetings Lost and found 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. TCV has the right to reject any posting to the Community Bulletin Board. Payment must be received in advance.	Payment is for one posting only. Any change will be considered a new posting and incur a new fee. The “NO” List: • No commercial announcements, services or sales • No personal services (escort services, dating services, etc.) • No sale items over \$100 value • No automobile or real estate sales • No animal sales (non-profit humane organization adoptions accepted) • No P.O. boxes unless physical address is verified by TCV
League of Women Voters Fremont-Newark-Union City www.lwvfnuc.org Free meetings to inform the public about local, regional and statewide policy issues. Participate in non-partisan in-depth, discussions with guest speakers at our meetings. All sites are wheelchair accessible	TRI-CITY DEMOCRATIC FORUM MEETING Every Third Wednesday 7:00 pm Chandni Restaurant 5748 Mowry School Rd Newark, CA 94560 http://www.tricitydems.com/	FREMONT COIN CLUB Established 1971 Meets 2nd & 4th Tues 7pm At the Fremont Elks Lodge 38991 Farwell Dr., Fremont All are welcome, come join us www.fremontcoinclub.org 510-792-1511		First Church of Christ Scientist, Fremont Sunday Service 10am Sunday School 10am Wed. Eve Service 7:30pm Chld Care is available all services. Reading Room Open Tuesday - Wednesday 1-3pm 1351 Driscoll Rd., Fremont 510-656-8161
Make a senior's life a bit easier Volunteer for LIFE ElderCare – VIP Rides Drive seniors to appts/errands Flexible weekday scheduling Call Valerie 510-574-2096 vdraeseke@fremont.gov www.LifeElderCare.org	American Assoc. of University Women Fremont Branch Advances equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research. to join or for more information: fremont-ca.aauw.net	Scholarships for Women! Our Fremont Philanthropic organization, PEO, sponsors scholarships for women entering college, earning another degree, or returning to school after 2 + years. Low interest education loans. www.peocalifornia.org (Apply online for these.) 510-794-6844 for more info		
A Cut Above Toastmasters Club #8597 Meet 1st,3rd,5th Mon7-8pm Christ's Community Church 25927 Kay Ave., Hayward Lester: 510-825-3751 8597.toastmastersclubs.org Dev. Communications & Leadership skills, greater self-confidence, personal & professional growth	Is food a problem? Try Overeaters Anonymous Mon 7 PM & Wed 7 PM St. James Episcopal Church 37051 Cabrillo Terr., Fremont Sat 10:30 AM No dues or fees All are welcome! First Presbyterian Church 35450 Newark Blvd., Newark www.oasaco.org	Tri-City Society of Model Engineers 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. We meet Fridays 7:30-9:30pm. Please visit our web site: www.nilesdepot.org	FREMONT SYMPHONY GUILD Enthusiastic music lovers who support the Fremont Symphony! First Tuesday each month 7:30 pm Fremont Community Activities Center 3375 Country Drive, Fremont Visitors are welcome! call 510-656-8763 or email mmherstory@comcast.net	
FREMONT STAMP CLUB SINCE 1978 Meets 2nd Thurs. each month 7pm Cultural Arts Center 3375 Country Dr., Fremont Everyone is welcome. Beginners to Advanced. For questions or more information: www.fremontstampclub.org/ or call Dave: 510-487-5288		F.U.N. (Fremont, Union City, Newark) PROGRESSIVES Join us for pizza and politics Bronco Billy's Pizza 41200 Blacow Road Fremont Most meetings 6pm - third Sun of the month. For Info Visit our website: www.funprogressives.com Contact us at: funprogressives@gmail.com	FREE AIRPLANE RIDES FOR KIDS AGES 8-17 Young Eagles Hayward Airport Various Saturdays www.vaa29.org Email for more information youngeagles29@aol.com	
Mission Peak Fly Anglers Fishing Club Meets 4th Wed. each month @7pm - Silliman Aquatic Center 680 Mowry Ave., Newark Call Steve 510-461-3431 or 510-792-8291 for more information www.missionpeakflyanglers.org	Fremont Cribbage Club teaches cribbage to new players & tournament cribbage to all players of any skill level every Tues. 6:15pm at Round Table Pizza 37480 Fremont Blvd., Centerville Email:Accgr43@gmail.com American Cribbage Congress www.cribbage.org	New Dimension Chorus Men's 4 Part Vocal Harmony In the "Barbershop" style Thursdays at 7pm Calvary Luther Church 17200 Via Magdalena SanLorenzo Contact: ndchorus.org 510-332-2481	Start Your Own Business with only \$200 East Bay Self Employment Assoc Calling all unemployed, including able bodies or disabled, retired, men & women for "FREE COUNSELING" One to One, How to start your small business Call 408-306-0827	
	2017 Walk to Cure Arthritis - Tri-Valley Saturday, May 6th at LifeStyleRx 1119 E. Stanley Blvd., Livermore Registration begins at 8:00 a.m. Walk begins at 10:00 a.m. 1 or 3 mile options, Post-Walk BBQ, Expo, Raffle Prizes, Kids Zone, Canine Corner For more information & to register Visit www.walktocurearthritis.org/TriValley or Call (415) 356-1230	The Friendship Force San Francisco Bay Area Experience a country & its culture with local hosts; meet global visitors here. Japanese guests in 2017 Travel to Kenya in 2018 Many Bay Area social activities. www.fffba.org www.thefriendshipforce.org Call 510-794-6844 or 793-0857	SONS OF ITALY Social Club for Italians And Friends 1st Friday of month (No meetings July/Aug/Dec) 5:30 social hour 6:30 potluck dinner (\$5) Newark Pavilion - Bld. 2 (Thornton Blvd. & Cherry Blvd., Newark) Info: Gina 510-943-7403 www.giuseppemazzini.org	Cougars Girls Summer Basketball Camp June 26-30 Girls Ages 8-15 Silliman Activity Center 6800 Mowry Ave., Newark Full & Half Day Options Camp Director: Coach Darryl Reina www.newark.org 510-578-4620
SAVE's Domestic Violence Support Groups FREE, compassionate support Domestic violence survivors Drop-in, no reservations needed Every Tues & Thurs 6:45-8:45 pm Every Friday 9:15 to 11 am 1900 Mowry Avenue, Fremont (510) 574-2250 or 24-hour Hotline (510) 794-6055 www.save-dv.org	SAVE's Empowerment Ctr. Services FREE for domestic violence survivors.Need support, a place to heal, or referrals? SAVE can help! Advocacy, workshops, counseling & more 24-hour Hotline: (510) 794-6055 Advocate: (510) 574-2256 1900 Mowry Ave., #201,Fremont www.save-dv.org	SAVE's Restraining Order Clinics Free for domestic violence survivors Seeking protective orders Locations: Fremont, Hayward & San Leandro Every Monday, Tuesday & Thursday Call SAVE's 24-hr Hotline (510) 794-6055 for details www.save-dv.org	SENIORS IN SCHOOLS Senior Volunteers are needed to help Newark school children with reading and basic math in their classrooms. If you can volunteer one or more hours a week, you can give a life-long gift of learning to a child. To help CALL Tom 510-656-7413 or email tkfederico@sbcglobal.net	"Neighborhood Village" Non-profit to help people stay in their homes as they age Eden Area Village is developing a non-profit membership group to serve Hayward, Castro Valley & San Lorenzo area. Public outreach meeting held 1st Friday each month - 2pm Hayward City Hall 777 B Street, Hayward
FREE QUALITY INCOME TAX PREPARATION IRS-Certified Tax Preparers \$54,000 or less annual household income. Restrictions may apply Fremont Family Resource Center 39155 Liberty St, Bldg EFGH, Fremont Open: now through April 14, 2017 Wednesday & Thursday: 4 pm - 8 pm Friday: 10 am - 1 pm Call 510-574-2020 for more info	Interested in Taking Off Pounds Sensibly Join our TOPS Support Team Thursdays - 10am 35660 Cedar Blvd., Newark We are a friendly and fun non-profit support group, sharing the same goals. co-ed group ALL are welcome! Contact Shirley at Shirley3163@sbcglobal.net	Fremont Garden Club Join enthusiasts from Tri-City area Meets Feb. - Oct. 3rd Wednesday of the month at various locations Social time: 6:15 pm Presentation: 7-8:30 pm Annual dues: \$30 indi, \$50 couples Call Lynn: 510-604-8206 www.fremontgardenclub.org	A-1 Comm. Housing Svcs 1st Time Home Buyers Workshop Learn the process of homeownership Down Payment Assistance Every 3rd Sat. 10am-1pm 22693 Hesperian Blvd. #150 Hayward, CA 94541 Register: www.a1chs.org Call: 510-674-9227	TCSME Model RR & Niles Depot Museum 6th Annual Open House FREE Family Fun! HO & N Train layouts operating Weekend June 10 & 11 Saturday 10am-5pm Sunday 10am-4pm 37592 Niles Blvd. Fremont http://www.nilesdepot.org Q: bobcz007@comcast.net
FREE QUALITY INCOME TAX PREPARATION IRS-Certified Tax Preparers \$54,000 or less annual household income. Restrictions may apply. New Haven Adult School 600 G Street, Union City Saturdays: now through April 15, 2017 10 am – 1:30 pm (Closed Mar 4) Walk-in and self-prep services available Call 510-574-2020 for more info	SparkPoint Financial Servicesfor Low-Income Residents FREE financial services & coaching. SparkPoint Info Session 3rd Thursday, 6-7pm City of Fremont Family Resource Center To register, call 574-2020. Fremont.gov/SparkPointFRC	Attend Free Classes Become A Travel Trainer & teach others how to travel at wholesale Prices. Tax Benefits & Free Health Care Reserve your seating. Arleen 510 695 7278 insidertravel4u@gmail.com	Soiree Seniors For People Over 60 Many Activities Potluck Dinners, Dancing, TGI's, Birthdays and more Call Dianne for information (510) 581-9008	Native Plant Sale May 7th 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. Over 60 species & 500 plants Experts, Garden Designers & EBMUD Convert Lawns & Get Rebates Tour gardens, kid's activities, lunch San Lorenzo HS Environmental Club 50 E. Leweling, San Lorenzo www.bringingbackthenatives.net

PUBLIC NOTICES

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
JUANA MARTINEZ LEMA, AKA
JUAN M. LEMA****CASE NO. RP17857049**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Juana Martinez Lema, aka Juana M. Lema

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Beatris Bernstine in the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda.

The Petition for Probate requests that Beatris Bernstine be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The Petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court on 06-05-17 at 9:31AM in Dept. 201 located at 2120 Martin Luther King, Jr. Way, Berkeley, CA 94704.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Petitioner/Attorney for Petitioner: Daphne C. Lin, Esq., Trump, Alioto, Trump, & Prescott, LLP, 2201 Walnut Avenue, Suite 200, Fremont, CA 94538, Telephone: 510-790-0900
5/2, 5/9, 5/16/17

CNS-3003299#**NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
ROSE ELLEN LEMA, AKA ROSE
ELLEN LEMA-CARRANZA****CASE NO. RP17857039**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Rose Ellen Lema, aka Rose Ellen Lema-Carranza

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Luz Martinez in the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda.

The Petition for Probate requests that

Luz Martinez be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The Petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

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5/2, 5/9, 5/16/17

CNS-3003297#**NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
ALEJANDRO SEBASTIAN
QUINONEZ AKA ALEJANDRO S.
QUINONEZ****CASE NO. RP17856565**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Alejandro Sebastian Quinonez aka Alejandro S. Quinonez

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Roberto A. Quinonez in the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda.

The Petition for Probate requests that Roberto A. Quinonez be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The Petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The

independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court on May 30, 2017 at 9:31 in Dept. 201 located at 2120 Martin Luther King, Jr. Way, Berkeley, CA 94704.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

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Petitioner/Attorney for Petitioner: Robert Lowell Johnson, Esq., 38750 Paseo Padre Parkway, Suite A-4, Fremont, California 94536, Telephone: (510) 794-5297
4/25, 5/2, 5/9/17

CNS-2999825#

TRUSTEE SALES

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. CA-14-652767-JP Order No.: 09-8-410055 NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED TO THE COPY PROVIDED TO THE MORTGAGOR OR TRUSTOR (Pursuant to Cal. Civ. Code 2923.3) YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 9/22/2005, UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): DALJIT AULAKH and HARINDER KAUR AULAKH, HUSBAND AND WIFE AS JOINT TENANTS Recorded: 10/3/2005 as Instrument No. 2005425463 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of ALAMEDA County, California. Date of Sale: 5/25/2017 at 9:00 AM Place of Sale: At the Scottish Rite Center, 1547 Lakeside Dr., Oakland, CA 94612 in the 3rd Floor Lodge and Banquet Room Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$1,174,678.37 The

purported property address is: 40695 LADERO ST., FREMONT, CA 94539 Assessor's Parcel No.: 525-0130-034 NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, and a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 800-280-2832 for information regarding the trustee's sale or visit this Internet Web site <http://www.qualityloan.com> using the file number assigned to this foreclosure by the Trustee: CA-14-652767-JP. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, including if the Trustee is unable to convey title, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the monies paid to the Trustee. This shall be the Purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Trustor, the Trustee, the Beneficiary, the Beneficiary's Agent, or the Beneficiary's Attorney. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. QUALITY MAY BE CONSIDERED A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Date: Quality Loan Service Corporation 411 Ivy Street San Diego, CA 92101 619-645-7711 For NON SALE, information only Sale Line: 800-280-2832 OR Login to: <http://www.qualityloan.com> Reinstatement Line: (866) 645-7711 Ext 5318 Quality Loan Service Corp. TS No.: CA-14-652767-JP IDSPub #0125659 5/2/2017 5/9/2017 5/16/2017

CNS-3002337#

T.S. No.: 2014-01919-CA A.P.N.:543-0252-080-00 Property Address: 4500 Santee Road, Fremont, CA 94555 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE PURSUANT TO CIVIL CODE § 2923.3(a) and (d), THE SUMMARY OF INFORMATION REFERRED TO BELOW IS NOT ATTACHED TO THE RECORDED COPY OF THIS DOCUMENT BUT ONLY TO THE COPIES PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR. NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 09/02/2004, UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Trustor: Juliet Tabajonda, and Wilfredo Tabajonda Duly Appointed Trustee: Western Progressive, LLC Deed of Trust Recorded 09/15/2004 as Instrument No. 2004416785 in book ---, page--- and of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Alameda County, California. Date of Sale: 05/31/2017 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: AT THE FALLON STREET EMERGENCY EXIT

CNS-3001756#Newark
Police LogSUBMITTED BY
CMDR. MIKE CARROLL,
NEWARK PD**Thursday, April 27**

At 8:17 p.m. Officers responded to a disturbance on Noel Avenue at Leon Street. Officer Mapes arrested a 27-year-old transient male on suspicion of felony battery and probation violation. The man was booked into the Fremont Jail.

At 8:42 p.m. Officer Allum responded the area of Jarvis Avenue on a report of cars racing and screeching their tires. Allum cited two drivers on Dumbarton Circle in Fremont for a speed contest violation. One vehicle was towed from the scene because the driver was unlicensed.

Friday, April 28

At 12:09 a.m. Officer Khairy conducted a routine traffic stop on a vehicle and contacted the occupants, a 44-year-old man and a 55-year-old man, both from Newark. During a probation search of the vehicle Khairy found a lock-picking device. Both men were issued citations for possession of burglary tools and released at the scene.

Saturday, April 30

At 1:57 p.m. Officer Hogan investigated a hit-and-run accident at the Silliman Center, 6800 Mowry Avenue. The investigation is ongoing.

At 9:03 p.m. Officers responded to an auto accident on Thornton Avenue at Mayhews Landing Road. Officer Pacheco contacted and arrested a 29-year-old Newark man on

suspicion of felony driving under the influence. The man was booked into the Fremont Jail. The driver of the victim's vehicle was taken to a local hospital for observation.

At 11:21 p.m. Officers responded to a report of vehicles racing near Gateway Boulevard. Officers located the vehicles on Campus Court in Fremont. An 18-year-old man and a 20-year-old man were cited for reckless driving and their vehicles impounded for 30 days.

Monday, May 1

At 9:25 p.m. Officer Herbert responded to a report of an indecent exposure incident in front of XPlore Yoga at 5572 NewPark Mall. The suspect was not located.

Tuesday, May 2

At 10:48 a.m. Officer Johnson located an occupied stolen vehicle in the Chase Suites parking lot, 39150 Cedar Boulevard. Johnson arrested a 33-year-old male transient on suspicion of possessing stolen property, a controlled substance, drug paraphernalia, burglary tools and identity theft. The suspect was booked into the Fremont Jail.

Wednesday May 3

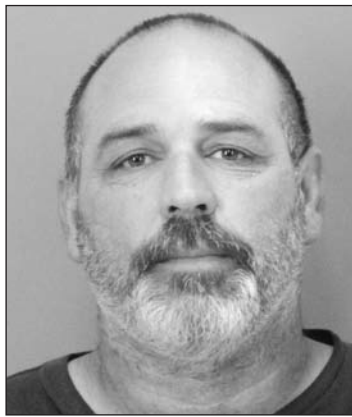
At 3:22 a.m. Officer Herbert responded to a residence on Redwood Court where the homeowners confronted a woman that had just climbed inside the house through an open window. The woman fled the residence on foot and was located by Officer Cervantes an hour later during an extensive area check. The 41-year-old Hayward woman was positively identified by the homeowners and placed under citizen's arrest for trespassing. She was booked into the Santa Rita Jail.

Man arrested after vandalism with hammer

SUBMITTED BY
SGT. JOSEPH HEYLEN,
MILPITAS PD

An early morning fight between motorists in Milpitas that involved a hammer landed a 50-year-old man in jail on suspicion of vandalism and assault.

At about 7:53 a.m. Monday, April 17 Milpitas police officers were dispatched to a fight between the occupants of two cars in the parking lot of a shopping center on West Calaveras Boulevard near Butler Street. Officers determined the altercation may have started as a road rage incident resulting from earlier traffic collusion between the two cars in the area of



Anthony Gerald Silva

Calaveras Boulevard and North Hillview Drive.

After the collision, both cars were stopped in traffic on the westbound side of the Calaveras overpass near North Abel Street. One of the drivers, later identified

as Anthony Gerald Silva, 50, of Tracy, got out of his white 2004 GMC Sierra 1500 extended cab long bed pick-up truck and used a hammer to smash the windows of a gray 2000 Nissan Sentra sedan. Next, he punched the driver of the Nissan Sentra several times. Silva was booked into the Santa Clara County main jail for vandalism and assault.

Anyone who saw the traffic collision or saw the vandalism & assault is asked to call the Milpitas Police Department at (408) 586-2400. Information can also be given anonymously by calling the Crime Tip Hotline at (408) 586-2500 or via the Milpitas Police Department website at www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov/crimetip.

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Rowell Rodeo brings Old West action to East Bay

colorful Rodeo Parade, which every year draws huge crowds to Castro Valley Boulevard. This year's theme is "Local Heroes, Service Above Self." Bill Nott, Chair of the Parade Planning Board, hopes that "this year's theme will inspire people to acknowledge and celebrate the people around who serve their communities." More than 100 participants are expected. Visit www.RowellRanchRodeoParade.com for full information on parking and the parade route.

Don Guillermo Castro is recognized as presenting the first rodeos in Hayward during the early 1800s in what is now the Hayward Library Park. Hayward (or Haywards as it was once known, named for its first American settler) is located on the former San Lorenzo Rancho, first granted by the Mexican government to Don Castro in 1841.

In the early nineteenth century there were no cattle fences. Instead, every spring, all the cattle would be gathered at one of the ranchos and separated by their brands. New, unbranded calves would be branded according to the brand of their mothers. These gatherings or "rodeos" also provided an opportunity for Native American and Mexican cowboys to exhibit their skills in many competitive activities at the conclusion of each spring gathering.

In 1921, Harry Rowell revived the historical sport of rodeo on the athletic fields of the Burbank School in downtown Hayward, and in 1925, produced his first rodeo at his Dublin Canyon ranch, the current site of the Rowell Ranch Rodeo Park. Rowell eventually became known as the biggest rodeo stock contractor in the West, supplying rodeos with cows and other animals for their events.

Harry and his wife, Maggie, were inducted posthumously into the National Cowboy Hall of Fame and Western Heritage Center in Oklahoma City. Harry is also in the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association Hall of Fame in Colorado Springs.

After Harry died in 1969, Maggie stipulated in her will that the Hayward Area Recreation and Park District could purchase the site if it promised to make it available every year for the Hayward Rodeo and Junior Rodeo.

The event requires year-round preparation and thrives on the help from volunteers, people like Janet Lemmons who has been on the Board "for a very long time." Her two sons Ethan and Ory are participating in the rodeo. Now in their mid-twenties the two started off in Junior Rodeo at the age of six. Lemmons recommends that young people interested in the sport should seek out a qualified rodeo school where "they can be in contact with people who are experts on the techniques and equipment involved."

A local Team Roping event kicks off the heart of rodeo

weekend on Thursday, May 18 at 5 p.m. Visitors can root for hometown cowgirl Jana Centoni as she competes for a champion belt buckle and bragging rights.

The Rowell Ranch Pro Rodeo officially thunders into town on Friday, May 19 with the PRCA Professional Bull Riding "Rocking Bull Bash" event featuring a live performance by Wolf Hamlin and the Front Porch Drifters.

The rodeo action continues on Saturday and Sunday with performances beginning at 1:30 p.m. The historic Rowell Ranch Pro Rodeo grand entry of a single rider carrying the American Flag gallops into the arena at full speed from "Harry's Hill" to open the Saturday and Sunday performances.

Rodeo Special Events:

Chili Cook-Off
Friday, May 12
5:00 p.m.
www.cvchilicookoff.com
Free entry; tickets for tasting, food & drink available

Rowell Ranch Rodeo Parade
Saturday, May 13
10:00 a.m.
Castro Valley Blvd,
Castro Valley
www.RowellRanchRodeoParade.com
Free

Local Team Roping
Thursday, May 18
5:00 p.m.
Free

Cowgirl Picnic – Ladies Only Luncheon
Thursday, May 18
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Rowell Ranch Rodeo Park
Earl Dawes Picnic Area
Purchase tickets at Rowell's Saddlery (3473 Castro Valley Blvd, Castro Valley)
(510) 581-2577 or Rowell-RanchRodeo@aol.com
Tickets: \$50
(tables \$375 – \$600)

Rowell Pro Ranch Rodeo Main Events:

Rockin' Bull Bash
Friday, May 19
6:00 p.m.: Gates open
7:30 p.m.: Bull riding
Tickets: \$17 and up; \$25 general admission at gate

PRCA Pro Rodeo
Saturday & Sunday,
May 20 & 21
10:00 a.m.: Gates open (Operation Mom collecting items for troops)
11:00 a.m.: Cowboy Experience
1:30 p.m.: Grand Entry
5:00 p.m.: BBQ and live music (Sat. only)
Tickets: \$17 and up;
\$25 general admission at gate

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THE ROBOT REPORT

By FRANK TOBE
PHOTO CREDIT: BOSCH

Amongst all the activity in autonomously driven vehicle joint ventures, new R&D facilities, strategic acquisitions (such as Mobileye being acquired by Intel) and booming startup fundings, two big players in the industry, NVIDIA and Bosch, are partnering to develop an AI self-driving car supercomputer.

Bosch CEO Dr. Volkmar Denner announced the partnership during his keynote address at Bosch Connected World, in Berlin.

The Bosch AI car computer will use NVIDIA AI PX technology, the upcoming AI car superchip, advertised as the world's first single-chip processor designed to achieve Level-4 autonomous driving. The unprecedented level of performance is necessary to handle the massive amount of computation required for the various tasks self-driving vehicles must perform which include running deep neural nets to sense surroundings, understanding the 3D environment, localizing themselves on an HD map, predicting the behavior and position of other objects, as well as computing car dynamics and a safe path forward.



Essentially, the NVIDIA platform enables vehicles to be trained on the complexities of driving, operated autonomously and updated over the air with new features and capabilities. And Bosch, which is the one of the world's largest auto parts makers, has the Tier 1 credentials to mass-produce this AI-enabled supercomputer for a good portion of the auto industry.

Today's most advanced cars use about half a teraflop of computing power (a measure of the ability of the computer to calculate 1 trillion floating-point operations per second). This will rise to around 50 teraflops in cars equipped with Level 4 self-driving systems (Level 4 is fully capable of driving the car with no human intervention, but only under specific circumstances. Brake pedal and steering wheel must be present. Most of the Level

4 systems under development depend on highly detailed maps and are thus geofenced, or limited to operating in mapped areas.)

The NVIDIA AI PX chip presently works at 11 teraflops speed but Nvidia plans to improve the chip and increase its speed to handle Level 4 operations.[Nvidia is also partnering with automakers Audi and Mercedes-Benz.]

"This is the kind of strategic tie-up that lets both partners do what they do best — Nvidia can focus on developing the core AI supercomputing tech, and Bosch can provide relationships and sales operations that offer true scale and reach," said Darrell Etherington for TechCrunch.

Courtesy of The Robot Report. For more information, visit www.therobotreport.com.

Renegades begin best of three

SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS
BY DON JEDLOVEC

The Ohlone Renegades' baseball and softball squads began best-of-three series on Friday, May 5th.

Softball:

Softball won their first game; the difference was a squeeze bunt by Isabel Gonzales-Velarde that scored Kassie Kochan.

Baseball:

The number three seeded Renegades were blown out 10-1 by Consumnes River. Freshman Joshua Congress of Consumnes



Squeeze bunt by Isabel Gonzales-Velarde scores Kassie Kochan for Lady Renegades win



Consumnes River Freshman Joshua Congress had a no hitter until the seventh inning



Center field catch by Meida Taulalatasi

River had a no hitter until the seventh inning.



Union City Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
LT. MATIAS PARDO,
UNION CITY PD

Monday, April 24

At around 10:20 p.m. Officer Stables was dispatched to the 32200 block of Dyer Street to investigate a reported robbery in progress. A suspect had grabbed the victim’s laptop computer and ran off with it, getting into a vehicle. He was described as a black man in his 20s, about 5-feet-11-inches to 6-feet tall with a muscular build, short black hair and a short goatee. A second suspect who briefly got out of the vehicle was described as an 18-year-old black man, about 5-feet-7-inches tall. The vehicle was described as a gray or dark

blue 2007 Mazda four-door hatchback.

Saturday, April 29

At around 4:15 a.m. Officer Solverson made a traffic stop in the area of Santa Maria Drive and San Ramon Court. The vehicle was reported stolen out of Hayward. Arrested on suspicion of vehicle theft, possession of stolen property and burglary tools was Eric Mackowiak, 30, of Hayward.

At around 2:45 p.m. Officer Olson was in the area of 10th and H streets when he saw a vehicle reported stolen out of San Leandro. He attempted to make a vehicle stop, but the driver would not stop. After a short pursuit, during which the driver hit a parked vehicle, the driver abandoned the vehicle and fled on foot. Olson gave chase and ultimately apprehended him. Arrested on suspicion of vehicle theft, possession of burglary tools, evading a police officer, hit

and run and possession of drug paraphernalia was Raymond Rodriguez, 29, of Union City.

Sunday, April 30

At around 10 a.m. Officer Moreno was dispatched to the 31900 block of Alvarado Blvd. A woman reported that a female suspect pepper-sprayed her in the face and attempted to steal her vehicle. During a struggle, the suspect grabbed the victim’s wallet and left the scene. She then attempted to steal a purse out of another victim’s car nearby. A female suspect in the area was detained and identified by both victims. She was still in possession of the first victim’s wallet, which was recovered. Lily Mehraban, a 38-year-old Union City resident, was arrested on suspicion of robbery, carjacking, illegal use of tear gas, possession of burglary tools, resisting arrest, and providing false identification to a police officer.

New Haven students recognized

SUBMITTED BY NEW HAVEN
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

The African American Regional Education Alliances (AAREA), was formed to emerge, sustain, and grow a regional collaborative network targeting the needs of African American youth and their families in the East Bay Area. On Saturday, April 29, at AAREA’s 13th Annual African American Student Achievement & Excellence Awards, the following New Haven Unified students were honored. Congratulations!

Hillview Crest Elementary School
Nyarah Anderson-Brown

Kitayama Elementary School

Lauren Summers

Cesar Chavez Middle School
SirJude Brown
Senit Ghile
Hannah Jefferson
Damurryon Laimont
Imani Lewis
Cydnee McPheeters
Meiko Monasterial
Joel Osei
Brianna Rice
Car’Leon Rogers
Kieana Saunders
RaeUnjali Scott
Yasmin Seymore
Jalynn Summers
Aamoni Talanoa
Kairah Underwood

Itliong-Vera Cruz Middle School
Kaleb Elarms-Orr

Samiyah Gardner
Asiyah Glover
Phillip Griffin
Neveah Heard
David Henry
Jaylean Higgins
Deyon Hodges
Brandon Houston
Joycelyn Jackson
Darnell Jennings
Josephine Jones
Keniyah Larkins
Robert Lee III
Maurion McHenry
Maurshan McHenry
Yaa Owusu
Isaiah Pennington
Kamelah Simmons
Jonathan Watts
Aliyah Wiley

James Logan High School
Savannah Simpson

Salvation Army grand opening and dedication

New community center for the Tri-Cities

BY LT. DAVID KIM

Following the groundbreaking in September 2015, The Salvation Army Tri-Cities will host the Grand Opening & Dedication of its new community center on Thursday, May 25. Everyone is welcome. Lt. Col. Steve Smith, Personal Secretary, The Salvation Army USA Western Territory and Major Ivan Wild, Commander, Del Oro Division, will be among the guests. Obtain free tickets by May 19 at TC-GrandOpening.eventbrite.com, call (510) 793-6319 or email MeiHar.Kong@usw.salvation-army.org.

The old facility, a dilapidated former funeral home on the same site, has been replaced by an 11,000 sq. ft., state-of-the-art building that includes well-equipped classrooms, a computer lab, offices for counseling and needs assessments, conference room and a commercial kitchen. The multi-purpose hall is a venue for social and cultural gatherings.

More importantly, the new community center offers an expanded range of social services for neighbors in need. The

Salvation Army, best known for its humanitarian work, provides clients with a hand-up, not a hand-out. Since Methodist minister William Booth, and his wife Catherine, founded the organization in London in 1865, its dual mission remains pastoral care and satisfying the basic needs of food, clothing and shelter.

“It doesn’t matter who you are or where you’re from. If you’re hungry, The Army will feed you; if you need warmth, The Army will clothe you; if you need a safe place to stay, The Army will shelter you,” explain Lieutenants David and Sharon Kim, Tri-Cities Corps Officers.

The Tri-Cities Corps (church and community center) offers temporary and long-term relief for those in the greatest need, from the homeless to the hopeless. Parents struggling to support their families find services that build a stable foundation for their future. Seniors, neglected and isolated, receive the care and love of their community.

\$1.4M is needed to fully-fund the construction project. The site includes a 400-brick walkway. Remember a loved one, add your company name or your own to a

brick and support The Salvation Army Tri-Cities. Order forms are available for interested parties. For other ways you can help, visit <http://RebuildTriCities.org> or contact Lt. David Kim at (510) 793-6319 or David.JS.Kim@usw.salvation-army.org. Contributions are appreciated at all levels. Because of you, last year, The Salvation Army USA served around 25.5 million people through 7,551 centers of operation with nearly 3.3 million seeking help during the Holiday Season, alone.

Thank you for your past interest. We look forward to your ongoing support and to welcoming you at our Grand Opening & Dedication.

Grand Opening & Dedication
Thursday, May 25
5 p.m. – 7 p.m.

The Salvation Army
Tri-Cities Corps
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(510) 793-6319

TCGrandOpening.eventbrite.com
MeiHar.Kong@usw.salvation-army.org
RebuildTriCities.org
Refreshments will be served

Canyon Road, Fremont, through June 30, 2017.

Motorists, bicyclists and pedestrians are advised to avoid the areas and use alternate routes. The roadway remains fully closed at mile marker 8.70. Residents on either side of the closure will need to access their homes from either Palo Verde Road or Niles Canyon Road as appropriate.

Please contact the Maintenance and Operations Department at (510) 670-5500 or visit the Public Works Agency website at www.acpwa.org for updates.

Technology bill would modernize Congress

SUBMITTED BY
JOSH RICHMAN

Representatives Eric Swalwell (CA-15), Steve Pearce (NM-02), and Rick Crawford (AR-01) on April 25 reintroduced a resolution aimed at modernizing congressional committee and voting procedures to bring Congress into the 21st century and allow Members more time to connect with their constituents. The bipartisan H. Res. 278, Members Operating to Be Innovative and Link Everyone (MOBILE) Resolution would strengthen the ability of Members to participate virtually in committee hearings and vote remotely on suspension bills.

“Across the Nation we see the development of new, innovative ways of conducting business to improve communication and connectedness. It’s time for Congress to learn to be more mobile and adapt to the times in which we live,” said Swalwell. “The American people want to see an efficient Congress that works directly for the people. Letting Members of Congress participate in committee hearings and vote on some items remotely is an essential step toward giving constituents more time with their elected representatives and forcing Congress to work more efficiently on consequential legislation.”

“Over the years, we have heard a rising call for Members of Congress and the entire government to become more

transparent and accountable. Often, Members are only allocated few days between legislative session weeks to go back to their congressional districts,” said Pearce. “Thanks to the progress and developments we’ve made in new, innovative technologies, we now have the tools to debate, vote, and carry out our congressional duties without having to leave our respective districts. This allows Members of Congress to work closer to the people they represent and allows constituents to see, first-hand their government at work.”

“In addition to potentially lowering current government operating costs, this resolution allows Congressmen to spend more time in their districts listening to the people they represent,” said Crawford. “Businesses, organizations, and families employ communications technology to stay productive and in touch while physically apart, so the same should be true for Congress.”

The MOBILE Resolution would require that Members and invited witnesses be allowed to participate in committee hearings remotely, via video conferencing or related technologies, which would count toward rules on quorum. It also would direct the creation of a secure voting system that would allow Members to vote remotely on suspension bills, which are generally less-controversial legislation requiring a two-thirds vote to pass.

Vargas Plateau Regional Park to re-open May 15

SUBMITTED BY
CAROL JOHNSON

The East Bay Regional Park District announced today that Vargas Plateau Regional Park in Fremont will reopen to the public on Monday, May 15th, nearly a full year after an Alameda County judge issued a preliminary injunction ordering that the park be closed. The announcement of the park’s reopening comes after a settlement agreement was reached with the two park neighbors who sued the Park District to close the park.

“The public has waited a long time for access to this park, and we are appreciative for the patience many people have shown,” said EBRPD General Manager Robert Doyle. “While we didn’t agree with the court’s unprecedented injunction that closed Vargas Plateau Regional Park, we have worked very hard on a fair settlement that ultimately is in the best interest of the public and their access to our park.” Mr. Doyle also expressed appreciation for the assistance of the City of Fremont in resolving this matter.

The court’s ruling to close the park stemmed from a lawsuit filed in 2008 by two neighbors concerned about traffic and parking on Vargas and Morrison Canyon Roads, the two roads leading to the park. As part of the settlement of the first lawsuit, the Park District agreed to fund roadwork to widen portions of Vargas Road. Unfortunately, the same neighbors filed a new suit in May 2016 claiming that, among other things, the roadwork that was performed deviated from the terms of the settlement agreement. Alameda County Superior Court Judge Frank Roesch ruled in favor of the plaintiffs and issued a

preliminary injunction, closing the park. Trial in the case was scheduled for the end of May.

Details of the recent settlement include the construction of a three-foot wide paved shoulder on a portion of Vargas Road. The agreed upon roadwork was recently completed by the City of Fremont. The roadwork cost of approximately \$90,000 will be paid for by EBRPD with assistance from the City of Fremont. As part of the settlement, the Park District also agreed to construct a vehicle turn-around on upper Morrison Canyon Road.

The Park District purchased the 1,249-acre property in the mid-1990s and opened the park on Mother’s Day weekend in May 2016. Renowned for its sweeping views and level loop trail, Vargas Plateau includes an important link of the Bay Area Ridge Trail and great opportunities for bird-watching, picnicking, hiking, and bicycling.

“This has been a long process for us to get to a settlement,” stated Dennis Waespi, Park District Director, Ward 5, whose jurisdiction includes Vargas Plateau. “Vargas is a spectacular destination to see the breadth of the East Bay from the hilltops, and I am so glad the public access is finally being restored. Thanks especially to the public for working with us to open this beautiful park.”

If you plan to visit, access Vargas Plateau Regional Park via I-680 to the Vargas Road exit and go north. Drive about 1.6 miles to Morrison Canyon Road and turn right. The staging area is ahead on the left about 0.4 miles. Car-pooling is strongly recommended as staging area parking is limited.

Boutique Winery the pride of East Bay foothills

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Tri-City residents interested in exploring wine country need look no further than their own backyard. Located in the foothills above Milpitas, Big Dog Vineyards is a family-owned boutique winery that offers all the charm of a small French estate (castle not included).

The trip takes a mere 10 minutes as you follow Calaveras Road up into the hills, where it winds its way through lush green hills and pastures, past horse stables and groves of oak trees. Big Dog Vineyards sits nestled near the top with a dramatic view of the entire bay, and backed by acres of open land



that belong to the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission as part of the Calaveras Reservoir water system.

Owners Mark and Sandra Capalongan bought the property in 1996. Says Mark Capalongan (who works in the tech sector during the week), "We came from a little patio home in Fremont. Suddenly we had 50 acres and we're thinking 'what are we going to do?' It's hard to mow 50 acres." The property also came with a horse stable and an old abandoned house that was falling apart.

That first year, while they renovated the house, they decided to plant a five-acre patch of

grapes on an adjacent hill. Says Capalongan, "We had no intention when we bought the property of planting a vineyard. I was kind of talked into it by some friends who are also winemakers in the area." A soils and weather analysis (known as the terroir to vintners) by UC Davis confirmed that the area was ripe for Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Franc.

Their first harvest came in 2001. Originally thinking he would sell off the grapes to other wineries, Capalongan began having too much fun, so he decided they would start making their own wine. They became

bonded in 2005, and in 2009 built a tasting room and patio next to the house and opened to the public. Now they are open every weekend, featuring up to ten different wines for tasting at any given time. They also host special Friday night events throughout the year, as well as a summer concert series featuring local bands, food, and dancing.

On Friday, May 19 local chef Vijitha Shyam of Spices and Aroma will be preparing eight courses of small dishes to be paired with the wines of Big Dog Vineyards.

The past 20 years has certainly been an adventure in winemaking for Capalongan, as well as a study

in patience. "From the time you put a vine in the ground to selling a bottle, it takes about 10 years, so you need to be in it for the long term. And it's a pretty steep learning curve. The first year wasn't my best year, but the second year wasn't bad. You learn something every year, and use that knowledge the following year. There's nothing like an estate vineyard to understand all the nuances of your grapes, and to be able to match that to the winemaking."

Big Dog Vineyard has won several awards for their bold,

at local restaurants. Says Big Dog Vineyards Manager Anna Muthig, "Right now we're selling faster than we're making wine. So we're trying to find more grapes so we can make more wine – that's priority number one."

Big Dog Vineyards is the only estate winery in the East Bay foothills and is a source of pride with locals. Says Muthig, "We joke about making a Calaveras Wine Trail T-shirt and it would be just us. It would show this long road with one star in the middle." Capalongan smiles in agreement. "We'll always be this little gem in the hills."

Big Dog Vineyards is open from 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays during the year. Summer hours (June, July, August) include Fridays from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Drop by, call for an appointment, or visit www.bigdogvineyards.com for more information and for a calendar of events.

Traffic Note: Parts of Calaveras Road are currently closed but Big Dog Vineyards is still accessible by detour.

Wine Tasting & Live Music
Saturday, May 13
12 p.m. – 5 p.m.: Wine Tasting
1 p.m. – 4 p.m.: Music by Delta Deuce
Cost: five wine selections for \$10, \$20 with engraved glass

Wine Tasting
Sunday, May 14
12 p.m. – 5 p.m.
Cost: five wine selections for \$10, \$20 with engraved glass

Spices and Aroma Dinner
Friday, May 19
6 p.m. – 10 p.m.
Tickets: \$100

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Big Dog Vineyard owner Mark Capalongan with dog Daisy.

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