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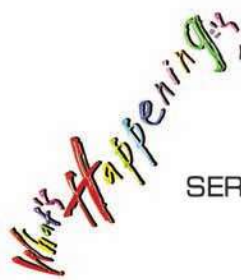
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Paddlers blend ancient traditions & modern technology



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For millennia, the vast expanse of the Pacific Ocean drew explorers from Asia and the Malay Archipelago. With only stars and tides to guide them, ancient South Pacific people made myriad islands their home, and where-

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Conserving and preserving the bay

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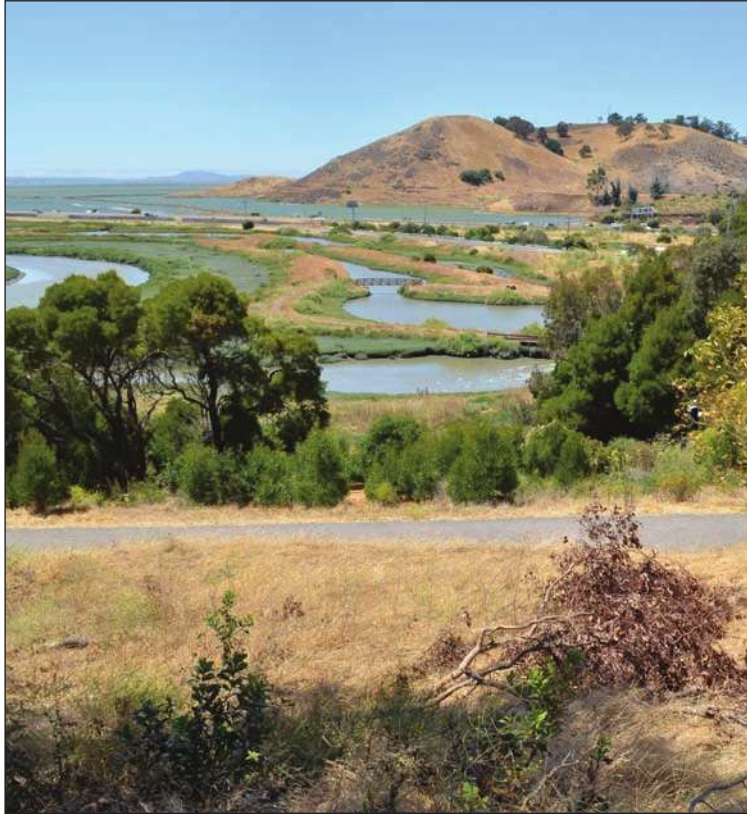
For 30 years, the San Francisco Bay Wildlife Society (SFBWS) has defended the natural beauty of the Bay Area from pollution and other hazards that threaten its wondrous ecosystem. Their mission is to educate, conserve, and preserve in a world with never-ending threats to the environment.

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Environmental Education Center, Alviso. Photo courtesy of Rachel Tertes, USFWS.



The near-threatened Ridgway's rail. Photo courtesy of Rachel Tertes, USFWS.



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Updated Treatments for Knee Pain and Arthritis

Are you experiencing stiffness or swelling in your knees, having trouble climbing stairs—or even walking? If persistent knee pain limits your daily activities, it may be time to consult a specialist.

You can learn about common causes, symptoms and treatment options for knee pain at a free seminar sponsored by Washington Hospital Healthcare System on Friday, September 15.

Alexander Sah, MD, a board-certified orthopedic surgeon who serves as medical director of Outpatient Joint Replacement Program of the Washington Outpatient Surgery Center and as co-director of the Institute for Joint Restoration and Research at Washington Hospital, will share information about knee pain and potential treatments, including medications, injections, and partial and total knee replacements. The seminar will be held from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Conrad E. Anderson, MD, Auditorium in the Washington West building next to Washington Hospital in Fremont.

“The first thing you should do when you initially experience knee pain is follow the RICE

protocol to help reduce pain and swelling: rest, ice, compression and elevation,” Dr. Sah advises. “You can also take over-the-counter medications such as Advil or Tylenol, if you don’t have contraindications,” he adds. If the pain continues and interferes with your daily activities beyond a couple of months, however, it may be time to see a specialist for evaluation.

Common causes of knee pain include strains, sprains, minor injuries, cartilage breakdown, meniscus tears, or even gout. Prior surgeries and injuries may also contribute to knee pain later.

Fortunately, there is a wide array of treatment options for knee pain, depending upon the underlying cause. Your doctor may prescribe one of these treatments before you seek surgical options. These could include medications to relieve swelling and inflammation; physical therapy to strengthen the muscles around your knee; injections of corticosteroids or lubricants; or knee bracing.

Dr. Sah, who was born at Washington Hospital where his father was a head and neck

surgeon and chief of staff, as well as serving on the Hospital board, carried on his father’s legacy by pioneering a cutting-edge “Rapid Recovery” program for minimally invasive knee replacement surgery—for both partial and total knee replacements. The program began 2 ½ years ago and emphasizes a standard of care that helps improve pain management and gets patients home the same day as surgery, or within 24 hours, whether they’ve had a partial or total knee replacement. “With this program, patients walk sooner, experience better pain management and a quicker recovery, in the comfort of their own homes,” he says. These techniques allow a much faster recovery than traditional knee replacement surgery.

At the seminar, Dr. Sah will explain the difference between partial and total knee replacements, and when they are indicated. “The type of component used depends on the knee’s wear pattern, the specific symptoms and the patient’s normal activity level,” he notes. Dr. Sah draws on the latest research to employ new techniques for creating personalized fitted knee



Orthopedic surgeon, Alexander Sah, MD, born at Washington Hospital, serves the community where he grew up.

implants that closely match the patient’s knee shape—as well as identifying the newest materials and other treatment protocols.

Named “Best Orthopedic Surgeon” from 2012 to 2017 by the Fremont Argus Reader’s Choice Awards, Dr. Sah actively presents his research and speaks as faculty at national conferences to continually advance techniques aimed at improving the patient experience. He especially enjoys relating to his patients and giving

back to the community where he was born and raised. “My goal is to continue to provide the same kind of personal and attentive care my dad did, and to constantly strive to provide the most advanced treatment options for my patients,” he says.

To reserve your spot, go online to www.whhs.com, Events page, or call (800) 963-7070.

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

	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY			
	7/25/17	7/26/17	7/27/17	7/28/17	7/29/17	7/30/17	7/31/17			
12:00 PM	Federal Health Policy Outlookh Disorders	Heart Health:What You Need to Know	Your Concerns InHealth: Sun Protection	Deep Venous Thrombosis	Deep Venous Thrombosis	Latest Treatments for Cerebral Aneurysms	Vertigo & Dizziness: What You Need to Know			
12:00 AM		Palliative Care Series: Palliative Care Demystified				Don't Let Hip Pain Run You Down		Deep Venous Thrombosis	Deep Venous Thrombosis	Urinary Incontinence in Women:What You Need to Know
12:30 PM										
12:30 AM	Diabetes Matters: Insulin: Everything You Want to Know		Diabetes Matters: Sugar Substitutes - Sweet or Sour?	Deep Venous Thrombosis	Deep Venous Thrombosis		Family Caregiver Series: Advance Health Care Planning & POLST			
1:00 PM	Surgical Treatment of Obstructive Sleep Apnea	Learn More About Kidney Disease				Diabetes Matters: Mindless vs Mindful Eating		Palliative Care Series: How Can This Help Me?		
1:00 AM										
1:30 PM			Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting July 12, 2017	Diabetes Matters: Diabetes & Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome	Sports Medicine Program: Think Running is a Pain? It Doesn't Have to Be		Pain When You Walk? It Could Be PVD		Low Back Pain	
1:30 AM	Sports Medicine Program: Nutrition & Athletic Performance	Voices InHealth: Medicine Safety for Children				Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting July 12, 2017		Alzheimer's Disease		Learn If You Are at Risk for Liver Diseas
2:00 PM										
2:00 AM			Shingles	Nerve Compression Disorders of the Arm	Voices InHealth: Medicine Safety for Children		Get Back On Your Feet: New Treatment Options for Ankle Conditions		Cognitive Assessment As You Age	
2:30 PM	Community Based Senior Supportive Services	The Patient's Playbook Community Forum: Getting to the No-Mistake Zone				Learn the Latest Treatment Options for GERD		Dietary Treatment to Treat Celiac Disease		Sports Medicine Program:Why Does My Shoulder Hurt?
2:30 AM										
3:00 PM			Prostate Cancer:What You Need to Know	Diabetes Matters: Type 1.5 Diabetes	Mindful Healing		Sports Medicine Program: Why Does My Shoulder Hurt?			
3:00 AM	Turning 65? Get To Know Medicare	Family Caregiver Series: The History of Diabetes								
3:30 PM						Diabetes Matters: Gastroparesis		Superbugs:Are We Winning the Germ War?	Understanding Mental Health Disorders	Family Caregiver Series: Panel Discussion
3:30 AM			The Weigh to Success	Raising Awareness About Stroke	I l th Annual Women's Health Conference: Heart Health Nutrition		Family Caregiver Series: Recognizing the Need to Transition to a Skilled Nursing Facility			
4:00 PM	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting July 12, 2017	The Real Impact of Hearing Loss & the Latest Options for Treatment								
4:00 AM						Skin Health: Skin Cancer & Fountain of Youth		Minimally Invasive Options in Gynecology	Get Your Child's Plate in Shape	Your Concerns InHealth: Senior Scam Preventio
4:30 PM			I l th Annual Women's Health Conference: Meditation	Acetaminophen Overuse Danger	Strengthen Your Back! Learn to Improve Your Back Fitness		Family Caregiver Series: Legal & Financial Affairs			
4:30 AM	Respiratory Health	Not A Superficial Problem:Varicose Veins & Chronic Venous Disease								
5:00 PM						Inside Washington Hospital: Advanced Treatment of Aneurysms		Diabetes Matters: Medicare		
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Future Health Care Leaders

Washington Hospital provides local students opportunity to discover career possibilities

Many young people dream of a fulfilling career in health care. They may not, however, be aware of the myriad of opportunities that reach beyond becoming a physician or nurse.

This is one reason many local high school students choose to participate in the Medical Explorers Program sponsored by Washington Hospital. For the last 50 years, from September to May, Medical Explorers students get to hear from speakers from a multitude of disciplines throughout the Hospital. Among other activities, they enjoy some hands-on experience and take tours of various clinical areas.

"We work really hard to find dynamic speakers who can relate to the students," says Chief of Compliance Kristin Ferguson, the program's adult advisor at Washington Hospital. "The speakers are passionate about their fields and about sharing their knowledge—and the students catch their enthusiasm." She adds that the program receives a lot of support from both the Hospital and medical staff members, and that the topics span a broad range—from medical and nursing careers to pharmacy, food and nutrition, social services, and more.

In addition to hearing from health care professionals, students also take part in demonstrations such as a birthing simulation, take field trips to other hospitals and even learn how to suture a wound—using bananas to practice on! An added benefit of the program is that it gives students the opportunity to be

mentored by a health care professional, and gain firsthand insight into multiple disciplines within health care, according to Ferguson.

The Medical Explorers Program, part of the Boy Scouts of America's "Learning for Life" career education program, is an excellent platform for Washington Hospital to give back to the community by supporting the youth of the Washington Township Health Care District in finding a fulfilling career in health care, according to Ferguson. "We get great feedback from the students," she says. "They get an idea of the whole range of opportunities within the hospital setting."

Indeed, Ayuri Kiriennedige, co-president of this past year's session, confirms that sentiment, saying, "Through this program,

we can learn about different fields in health care. Whether orthopedics or pharmacy, it's interesting to hear about different roles and specialties."

Co-president Pari Srivastava, also says, "Meeting the various physicians opens my eyes to new careers that I wasn't exposed to." Ethan Mehta, who is new to the program, says that although he isn't sure if he will go into medicine, "This program gives me a taste of what I'd be getting into." He notes that it gave him an opportunity to learn that even nonclinical careers are possible, even if one pursues a degree in computers or engineering. And Kimiko Casugo, who has participated in the program for one year, says that in addition to the monthly meetings, she has enjoyed the Hospital tours, seeing the birthing simulation and the "banana suture" event.

Officers are elected at the end of each school year (most of the students participate in the program for multiple years, many for all four years of high school). The outgoing officers interview and select the candidates. "The officers run the entire program. I'm here as a chaperone and to take care of the logistics, but they lead the program," says Ferguson. "Leading the class helps them develop leadership and public speaking skills—in addition to learning about health care careers."

In fact, the program is so well-regarded and valuable that many past officers and students come back to the Hospital to participate in program meetings, and update Ferguson and others on their progress toward their goals. Ferguson explains that

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Dr. Albert Brooks teaches local high school students in the simulation lab at Washington Hospital. From left, Albert Brooks, MD; Ethan Mehta; Kimiko Casugo; Pari Srivastava; and Ayuri Kiriennedige.



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Health & Wellness



Strategies to Reduce the Risk of Cancer Recurrence

Cancer survivors are often at risk for recurrence after their primary treatment. Recurrence depends on many factors, including the type of cancer. Evidence suggests that lifestyle changes influence health outcomes after cancer treatment. At this seminar you will learn about strategies that anyone can adopt to help reduce their risk of cancer recurrence.

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SPEAKER



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Oil painting exhibit

PHOTOS AND ARTICLE
BY GAIL NOETH

An exhibit of works by oil paintings by Thong Le will be featured during the next meeting of the Golden Hills Art Association in Milpitas. As a child in Vietnam, Le drew portraits of his brothers and sisters using pencil and paper. Later, he studied art for a time in Vietnam, but is mostly self-taught. Today, he mostly does impressionist work using oils on canvas including landscapes, still lives, portraits and abstracts. Most important to him is the ability to convey feeling through art, no matter what the subject is. The group will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 3 in the Community Room at the Milpitas Police Department, 1275 N. Milpitas Blvd. Admission is free and open to the public. For details, call (408) 263-8779.

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about 75 percent of alumni pursue medical degrees, but some seek careers in dentistry, nursing and other affiliated fields, such as physical therapy or nutrition.

"I'm so inspired by these students—they are very bright, focused, driven and passionate," she says. "It's exciting to see them develop and grow, planning for their futures and choosing their

paths from an early age. It's gratifying to be a part of this exciting time in their lives."

The program is open to all students ages 15 to 20 in the Washington Township Health Care District. For more information about the program and how to apply, call (510) 791-3400.

End of Life Act report released

SUBMITTED BY CA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) has released the 2016 End of Life Option Act (Act) first Annual Report. The Act, which became law June 9, 2016, allows qualified California terminally ill adults to obtain and self-administer aid-in-dying drugs. The Act requires CDPH to provide annual reports, including information on the number of prescriptions written and the number of known individuals who died using aid-in-dying drugs. Additionally, the report includes demographic information on these individuals, including age and underlying illness.

In this first report, for the partial year June 9 – December 31, 2016, 191 individuals received aid-in-dying drugs under the EOLA, and 111 people died following ingestion of the prescribed drugs. Of the 111 individuals, 87.4 percent were more than 60 years of age, 96.4 percent were insured and 83.8 percent were receiving hospice and/or palliative care.

Data in the report comes from EOLA-mandated physician reporting forms and California death certificates. The first report covers the period from the effective date of the law to the end of year (June 9, 2016 – December 31, 2016) and subsequent reports will be for full calendar years.

The EOLA report can also be found at: www.cdph.ca.gov

Wine tasting food & music

SUBMITTED BY THE
HAYWARD CHAMBER OF
COMMERCE

Wine lovers and foodies unite! The City of Hayward's "Passeio do Vinho" is back and better than ever for a fifth year. The wine stroll will take place on Saturday, July 29 in the historic downtown. Registration starts in City Hall at 2 p.m. with tastings from 2:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Participants will begin their journey in the City Hall Rotunda with a variety of tastes including a sparkling wine, light snacks, and easy-listening mix of blues, jazz, and reggae music from the Stonebeamer Universal Jam Band. Then they will set out for tasting stops at participating downtown Hayward locations. All ticket holders will receive a commemorative wine glass and samples of local fare at downtown restaurants. VIP ticket holders will receive a "special" tasting of a sparkling wine and ports and a special hors d'oeuvre pairing, and a commemorative wine glass holder.

Participants will receive a map of the event route to help them make their way through downtown Hayward. The tasting route will also feature locations serving non-alcoholic options, although all event participants must be 21 years of age or older.

Featured wineries include Westover Vineyards, Palomares Winery, Twining Vine, Tenuta Vineyards, Bishop's Vineyard, Fenestra Winery, and Elliston Vineyards, but many other varietals will be sampled. Pour PlanIt, a professional pouring service, will also be offering wine tastings.

Other downtown wine tasting stations will include Hayward

Fire Station No. 1, Valley Antiques, Doc's Wine Shop, Cyclepath, Big Smile Dental Group, The Cobblers, Casablanca Bridal and Tuxedo, and the Hayward Area Historical Society. Two unique locations include the historic bank building at B and Main streets, hosted by the Hayward Chamber of Commerce, and Sorensen's Holy Angels Chapel, where vintages from Bishop's Vineyard will be featured.

Participating restaurants, food-only locations, and hydrating stations will be at Javi's Cooking, Books on B, Charlotte's, Rocket Char Grill, éko Coffee Bar & Tea House, Buffalo Bill's, Playt, Ristorante di Palermo, and The Cannery Café. A map will direct participants to each location.

A portion of the proceeds will go to support the Family Emergency Shelter Coalition (FESCO).

Tickets are \$35 general and \$50 for a VIP ticket, and can be purchased online at www.HaywardWineWalk.Eventbrite.com or in person at the Hayward Chamber of Commerce (22561 Main St.), Doc's Wine Shop (22570 Foothill Blvd.), the Hayward Area Historical Society Museum (22380 Foothill Blvd.), and Hayward City Hall (777 B St. Revenue Department).

Passeio do Vinho
Saturday, Jul 29
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Registration
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Soak in the sun, enjoy the outdoors, and keep your mind engaged and exploring this summer! There's a whole host of educational, cultural, and just plain fun programs for the entire family at Tri-City libraries.

The Golden Experiment has spent the summer helping students get hands-on practice with the scientific method by designing and carrying out science fair projects at Centerville and Union City libraries. Students grade 6 through 9 compete in a Science Fair at Fremont Main Library on Sunday, August 6, 1 p.m. to -5 p.m. All exhibits are open to the public. To see just how important and applicable such scientific research can be, come see Shreya Ramachandran, California State Science Fair winner, explain her water conservation efforts and scientific research on grey water safety. Ramachandran, an incoming freshman in high school, will give presentations at Niles on Friday, July 28 at 4 p.m., Centerville on Saturday, July 29, 3:00 p.m., and Union City on Saturday, August 19, 2:00 p.m.

In addition to STEM topics, the Tri-City libraries will be featuring a veritable smorgasbord of performers to stimulate the mind and delight the senses throughout the summer.

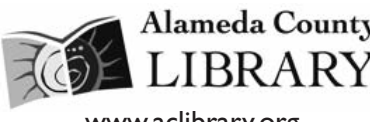
- Get a sweet taste of the natural world when Uncle Jer's Traveling Bee Show comes to Irvington on Wednesday, July 26, 2:00 p.m., and Niles on Friday, July 28, 1:00 p.m. Explore observation hives, bee puppets and answers to all your bee related questions in this family program.
- Learn about (and play) 30 different instruments from around the world in Don O'Brien's multicultural celebration at Union City on Saturday, July 29, 3:00 p.m.
- Come see circus artist Bri Crabtree defy gravity and juggle hats and parasols at Newark on Saturday, August 5, 11:00 a.m.
- Hear Lariat Larry, the Cowboy Storyteller, spin a tall tale of the Wild West while performing rope tricks at Fremont on Tuesday, August 8, 7:00 p.m.

This is only a small selection of the library programs taking place. For a full listing, please

visit www.aclibrary.org and click on 'Events,' and then 'All Events;' from there, filter by library location, month, age or topic. All programs are free, but be sure to contact each branch about its own registration process.

Also, be sure to play the Summer Reading Game. Knowledge may be its own reward, but the Summer Reading Game (open to readers of all ages) will be giving away two free books and other goodies to all who successfully complete the game. Play and prizes will continue through September 15. For every 20 minutes spent reading or listening to a book, you get 10 points, with prizes at the 250 and 500-point marks. Complete activities and write book reviews for more points.

Participating children, teens and adults will be in the running for grand prizes, including a Vtech Camera and Fujifilm Waterproof Camera. The game can be played completely online—just come into your nearest library to claim your prizes. To sign up and log your points visit summer.aclibrary.org, or find out more information and sign up in person at your local Tri-City branch.



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Dine Italian and support the symphony

SUBMITTED BY
THE FREMONT SYMPHONY GUILD

A "Symphony of Flavors" fundraiser to benefit the Fremont Symphony is planned for Tuesday, July 25 at Strizzi's Restaurant, 2740 Mowry Ave., Fremont.

Strizzi's will donate 20 percent of the proceeds from symphony supporters who dine-in at the restaurant for lunch or dinner at any time during the restaurant's business hours. The event is hosted by the Fremont Symphony Guild.

To participate, patrons just need to tell their server when they order food that they are dining in support of the Fremont Symphony fundraiser. The purchase will be credited toward the Fremont Symphony.

For details, call (510) 797-9000.

Veterans' Memorial Park: A Tribute to America's Brave Soldiers

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This summer, the memorial that stands in their honor at the corner of Regents Boulevard and Dyer Street will be expanded to include an impressive seven-foot tall, hexagonal marble monument, dedication bricks, and contemplative sitting areas where visitors can reflect, ponder, and remember. In addition, a small-time capsule containing artifacts and memorabilia from local Veterans will be buried at the site.

Space is limited, but local veterans who are interested in possibly having a small token preserved for posterity should contact Eileen Riener at Tri-CED Community Recycling for details. She can be reached at (510) 471-3850. The time capsule will be scheduled for unearthing in the year 2087.

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10k run/walk



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It soon will be time for runners to lace up their athletic shoes and hit the ground at the annual 10k On the Bay run/walk event at the Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center. Perched on stilts above a salt marsh near Highway 92, the center offers an introduction to the ecology of the San Francisco Bay-Estuary. Founded in 1986, the center is operated by the Hayward Area Recreation and Park District. Proceeds from the event will help maintain and advance public education programs including exhibits at the popular Janice

and Frank Delfino Wetland Habitat Room.

Participants in the Sunday, August 27 event will run or walk along the Bay Trail where they can enjoy close-up views of the San Francisco Bay Estuary and its abundant wildlife including shorebirds, raptors and various reptiles. Native plants and wildflowers round out the natural vista.

The cost is \$35 through Friday, Aug. 25, then rises to \$40 race weekend. Children 10 and younger are free. Registrations can be made online by visiting www.10konthebay.org/Register.htm. There is a \$3 online registration fee. Everyone who registers by Aug. 1 will receive a commemorative event T-shirt.

Both the 10k and the 5k races are certified by U.S. Track and Field and are on flat, gravel or packed dirt trails along the shoreline. Race day registrations start at 7:30 a.m. with the 5k race starting at 8:30 a.m. and the 10k race starting at 8:40 a.m.

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Poetry & Prose

SUBMITTED BY LETICIA GARCIA BRADFORD

The B Street Writers Collective in collaboration with Hayward Area Historical Society (HAHS) and The Cannery, will present its third annual evening of poetry and prose at 7 p.m. Saturday, August 5. The event will feature poet, author, and playwright Kevin Killian. Killian, one of the founders of the New Narrative movement, has written three novels, three books of stories, forty-five plays for San Francisco Poets Theater, and four books of poetry. His most recent poetry collection, *Tony Green Era*, is published by Wonder Books. The multi-talented Killian has also published *Tagged*, a book of intimate photographs of poets, artists, musicians, and other creative individuals. Killian teaches writing to MFA students at California College of the Arts in San Francisco.

In addition to readings by Killian, East Bay authors will read from their original work—poetry, memoir, short stories, and novels, and Bruce Roberts, Poet Laureate of Hayward, will make a special appearance. The evening will be emceed by

A. T. Stevens, executive director of HAHS. Last year more than 75 people attended the event.

Dinner will be available for purchase from the Cannery Cafe, inside the HAHS starting at 6 p.m. with music provided by Sezu. The program begins at 7 p.m. All proceeds benefit the Hayward Area Historical Society.

The B Street Writers Collective is an East Bay writing community founded by Leticia Garcia Bradford. Meetings are the first Saturday of the month on and around B Street in Hayward. New members are welcome. For more information, email: bstreetwriterscollective@yahoo.com

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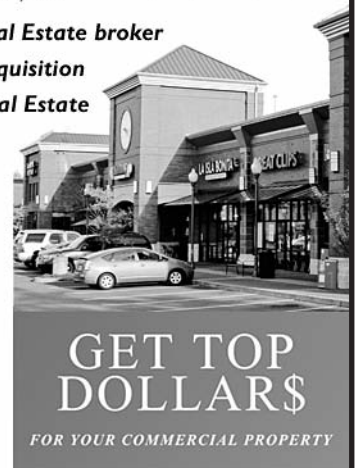
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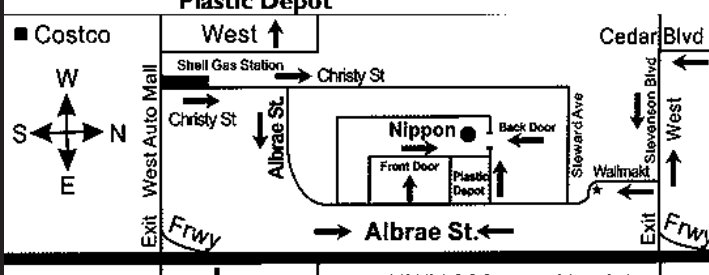
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Local fitness center undergoes name change

SUBMITTED BY CASTRO VALLEY FITNESS

After four years in business, Mitch Rothbardt Fitness has renamed itself Castro Valley Fitness.

“When I started my business, I was training people in their homes and renting out space at other people’s gyms,” owner and Castro Valley resident Mitch Rothbardt explains. “Doing that, I kind of had to have my name front and center. Since we opened here in 2013 we’ve grown such that our studio is so much more than just me. It’s a wonderful collection of people of all shapes and sizes that really shows how diverse and family-oriented a place Castro Valley is. I wanted to change our name to reflect that.”

Longtime client and now trainer Diane Anderson says, “So many of our members have

become great friends and they never would have even met each other if it weren't for Castro Valley Fitness. Even more than helping people lose weight, the thing we are most proud of is the community that has developed here."

Castro Valley Fitness offers fitness programs that help its members with many aspects of long-term health and goals from weight loss to getting stronger, increasing bone density, and improving overall quality of life. They also offer personalized nutrition coaching with each program.

Castro Valley Fitness is located at 2861 Grove Way in Castro Valley. For more information, please contact Mitch Rothbardt at (510) 754-7113 or Mitch@CastroValleyFitness.com.

Agreement with Pfizer sets strict opioid marketing standards

SUBMITTED BY
LAUREL ANDERSON

The Santa Clara County Counsel's Office has announced a breakthrough agreement that requires Pfizer Inc. to adhere to strict standards in its marketing of opioids, a class of highly addictive prescription painkillers often used to treat common, chronic conditions like back pain and arthritis. Among other things, Pfizer has committed to fairly and accurately describe the benefits and risks of opioids, including the serious risk of addiction, abuse, and misuse, in its promotional activities and communications.

"This agreement is an important step in ensuring that doctors and patients in California receive accurate information about the risks and benefits of these highly addictive painkillers," explained Santa Clara County Counsel James R. Williams. "Such information is essential to curbing—and ultimately ending—the opioid epidemic plaguing Santa Clara County, the State of California, and many parts of the country."

In addition, Pfizer has agreed not to make any claims that conflict with the Guideline for Prescribing Opioids for Chronic Pain issued by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) in March 2016. Pfizer has also agreed not to support organizations and individuals that make misleading statements about the risks and benefits of opioids for the treatment of chronic pain. The Santa Clara County Counsel's Office did not pursue any legal action against Pfizer and has made no finding of any wrongdoing by the company.

"We applaud Pfizer's willingness to work with us to combat the dramatic rise in opioid misuse, abuse, and addiction in California and the corresponding rise in overdose deaths, hospitalizations, and crime," said Danny Chou, an Assistant County Counsel for the County of Santa Clara. "Pfizer has set a stringent standard that we expect all other opioid manufacturers to meet."

In May 2014, the Santa Clara County Counsel's Office filed a lawsuit against five of the largest manufacturers of prescription

opioid painkillers, alleging that those manufacturers falsely downplayed the risks, and grossly exaggerated the benefits, of opioids for the treatment of chronic pain. The lawsuit further alleges that these manufacturers reaped billions of dollars in profit from their deceptive marketing schemes at the expense of millions of Americans who have misused, abused, or become addicted to prescription painkillers.

A significant settlement was recently announced with Teva Pharmaceuticals, leaving four major defendants in the lawsuit. An amended complaint, making additional allegations particularly regarding several defendants' deceptive marketing of abuse-deterrent formulations of their opioids, was filed July 7, 2017. The lawsuit is: *People of the State of California v. Purdue Pharma, et al.*, Orange County Superior Court, Case No. CGC-13-534108.

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California
attorney
general sues
to block
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SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP), California's attorney general is suing to block a petroleum company's attempt to gain more control over oil, fearing it could further drive up gasoline prices.

Attorney General Xavier Becerra announced the lawsuit July 20 against Valero Energy Corporation. Valero wants to buy a San Francisco Bay Area petroleum terminal from Plains All American Pipeline. The terminal in Martinez imports and exports petroleum products.

Becerra says the sale would mean all three Northern California petroleum terminals would be controlled by refineries who could "suffocate open competition."

One of Becerra's predecessors, Bill Lockyer, forced Valero to sell the Martinez facility in 2005 as part of an anti-trust deal after the company acquired two terminals under an earlier business deal.

Lilliane Riojas, spokeswoman for the Texas-based company, did not immediately comment.

Ticket to work puts people back in the driver's seat

**BY MARIAELENA LEMUS,
SOCIAL SECURITY PUBLIC
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support services. Some services they may help with include résumé writing, interviewing skills, and job leads.

Social Security encourages people to rejoin the workforce when they are able. Ticket to Work is our free and voluntary program that helps people get vocational rehabilitation, training, job referrals, and other employment support services.

This program is for people ages 18 to 64, who are receiving disability benefits, and need support re-entering the workforce or working for the first time. While many disabled individuals are unable to work and may never be able to return to work, we know that some are eager to try working again. Work incentives make it easier to work and still receive health care and cash benefits from Social Security while providing protections if people have to stop working due to a disability.

Social Security works with employment networks to offer beneficiaries access to meaningful employment. Employment networks are organizations and agencies, including state vocational rehabilitation agencies that provide various employment

Ticket to Work gives individuals the opportunity to choose from several employment networks. Participants are free to talk with as many employment networks as they want before choosing one. If someone signs an agreement with an employment network, they'll help the individual develop an employment plan. We'll review their progress toward achieving the goals of their employment plan every 12 months. If they are making timely progress in their return to work plan, we will not conduct a medical review of their disability during the time they're in the program.

Many people have successfully completed the Ticket to Work program. Anyone interested in the Ticket to Work program should call the Ticket to Work Helpline toll-free at 1-866-968-7842 (TTY 1-866-833-2967). More information on the program is available online at www.socialsecurity.gov/work.

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Amazon's new social network resembles Pinterest

By BARBARA ORTUTAY
AP TECHNOLOGY WRITER

Take Amazon Prime, mix it with Pinterest and add a dash of Instagram. The result is Amazon Spark, a new shopping-focused "social network" aimed at getting hardcore Amazon users to spend even more money with the e-commerce giant.

The service launched publicly on July 18 on Amazon's iPhone app, although it's already chock full of posts, so the company has clearly been testing it for a while. It's only available to Prime members, who pay \$99 a year for free shipping, streaming videos and other perks. An Android version is planned.

Like Pinterest, Spark lets users share photo-heavy posts about their interests, ideally those leading to shopping. "It's to learn more, to sell more and to connect to customers," said Bob Hetu, research director for retail at Gartner.

He noted that it's not intuitive to find Spark on the Amazon app, suggesting that the company is not pushing it hard — at least not yet.

To use it, go to the "programs and features" section on the app's menu bar. The tool will first ask you to select at least five interests. Once you do, you'll see an Instagram-like feed of photo posts bearing shopping-bag icons that enumerate how many pictured items — plus related products — you can buy on Amazon.

A cursory glance showed polished-looking photos of travel scenes, cosmetics and kitchen gadgets for the interests "travel," "food" and "beauty & grooming." A user named Kassandra posted a stylized photo of a hand holding a bottle of bright red nail polish. Clicking on the photo highlights yellow dots on the purchasable items — and one tap will take you to an Amazon product page. In this case, the Smith & Cult nail polish was available for \$18.

Spark has drawn comparisons to both Pinterest and Instagram, but it's unclear if it will be a threat to either. Tech companies like Amazon, however, appear increasingly fond of cloning popular apps from fast-growing startups. Facebook, for instance, has been trying to copy Snapchat one way or another since it failed to buy the youth-oriented network several years ago. Many of those efforts failed, though a Snapchat-like feature on Instagram, called Stories, has proven popular.

Hetu said it's too soon to say whether Spark will be a threat to Pinterest. But if it is, over the long term, it will be Amazon's direct connection to retail that would make the difference. Pinterest, a seven-year-old service now valued at more than \$12 billion, didn't respond to a request for comment.

Representatives for Amazon did not immediately respond to messages for comment.

Road trip water lessons

By LAURA HIDAS

"Look, kids, it's the California Aqueduct!" My mom would exclaim this every year as we began our trek from the freeways of Southern California to the Eastern Sierras for a week of summer vacation. My brother and I would exchange glances in the back seat, roll our eyes, and chime in unison, "We know, Mom!" Our mom, a teacher, felt this was something we should find exciting and educational. We were quite sure this had absolutely no relevance to our young lives. As far as we were concerned, water came out of the tap and we drank it, no questions asked! (Later in life I found out it was actually the Los Angeles Aqueduct.)

Fast forward a couple of decades. Little did I know that my love of chemistry and my deep desire to do something that mattered in people's daily lives would lead me to the world of water quality and treatment; in particular, to a place called the Alameda County Water District. The California Aqueduct (also known as the State Water Project system) would come to mean a



Reflections on Water

great deal to me; it provides 40% of our District's average annual supply. My childhood self would never have anticipated the dedication required for treating that water and the complexity of ensuring it stayed safe around-the-clock.

Many kinds of technicians operate the system. On the front lines are the water treatment operators who use a combination of science and skill to ensure that whatever variations the Aqueduct brings to the plant, it always produces a consistent, high-quality product everyone can be proud of. Distribution operators monitor and control water storage, pressure, and pumping to keep the water fresh and flowing. In the field, utility workers make repairs on the pipe network to maintain clean conditions so quality is never compromised. As in any factory, all our equipment must be carefully maintained and repaired by skilled mechanics, instrument technicians, and electricians. One key difference between our plants and most factories is that is we must produce and deliver our product 365 days per year without any interruption in quality or quantity.

The dedication I have seen from every one of these teams to making safe and clean water, and to continuously protect public health, is truly admirable.

Fast forward another decade. Here I am both a water

professional and a mom. Like all parents, I worry day and night about whether I'm doing the very best for my kids. Whether it's school, sunscreen, summer camp, or screen time, there are so many choices out there, it's always hard to know if you've made the right one. As for water, in recent years, not all communities have had access to safe drinking water, even in some parts of California's own Central Valley. How thankful I am, then, that here in the Tri-City area I never have to worry about the quality of my tap water; I've seen the front lines and know our water is not only of the highest quality, meeting all standards, but that a deeply dedicated team of people watch over it to make sure that quality never wavers.

Now, every time I'm on the 580 with my kids, instead of worrying about water quality, I can happily exclaim, "Look, kids, it's the California Aqueduct!" and, of course, remind them that safe water is a 24/7 responsibility that we should never take for granted.

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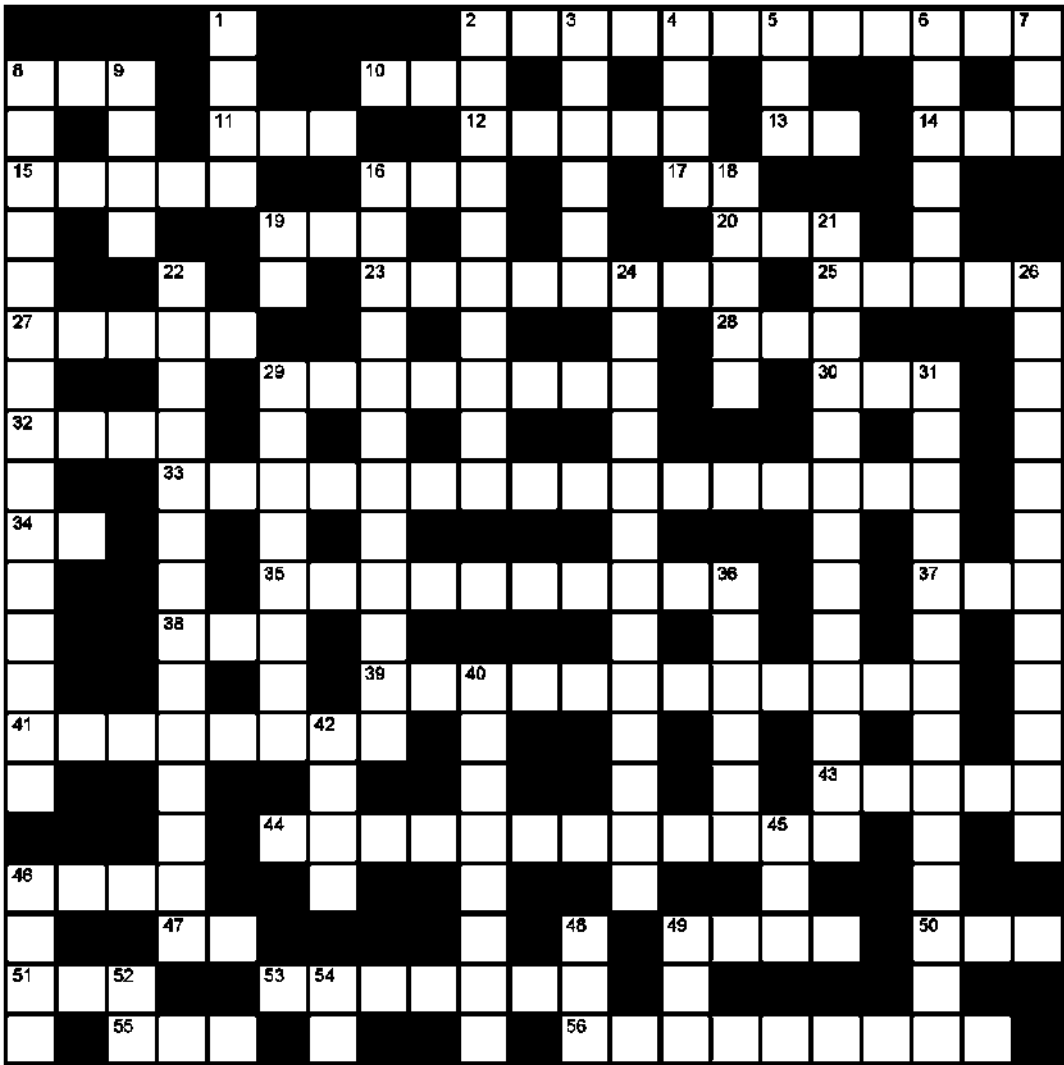
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Crossword Puzzle B 3839



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- Across
- 2 Errand destinations (12)

8 Ceiling (3)

10 ___ green (3)

11 "___ alive!" (3)

12 Who "ever loved you more than I," in song (2-3)

13 Personal possessive (2)

14 Battering device (3)

15 Bypass (5)

16 "That's ___ ..." (3)

17 ___, a deer... (2)

19 Parenthesis, essentially (3)

20 First name? (3)

23 Cartoon audience (8)

25 Carnival attractions (5)

27 Asks for ID (5)

28 ___ roll (3)

29 Monkey business (8)

30 Balloon filler (3)

32 "___ on Down the Road" (4)
- 33 Duties (16)

34 part of a logical statement (2)

35 Disney stars (10)

37 "I ___ you one" (3)

38 Schuss, e.g. (3)

39 Mad scientist lairs (12)

41 Regularly (8)

43 Chivalrous (5)

44 Apple's is in Silicon Valley (12)

46 Clue (4)

47 ___ far, so good (2)

49 Double-decker checker (4)

50 Aloof (3)

51 Chair part (3)

53 Kitchen area (7)

55 "___ Gang" (3)

56 Turnpikes, freeways, e.g. (9)
- 3 Buzzed (6)

4 Bassoon, e.g. (4)

5 Order between "ready" and "fire" (3)

6 Deserved (6)

7 Bottom line (3)

8 Identifying traits (15)

9 "Dirty" activity (4)

16 Once in a blue moon (12)

18 Dog tag datum (5)

19 Fire (2)

21 Red Cross, the NFL, e.g. (13)

22 Solicitations (14)

24 Certain train cars (13)

26 Shortcake partners (12)

29 Fiddler, e.g. (8)

31 Duty (14)

36 Mooch (6)

40 Aromas (8)

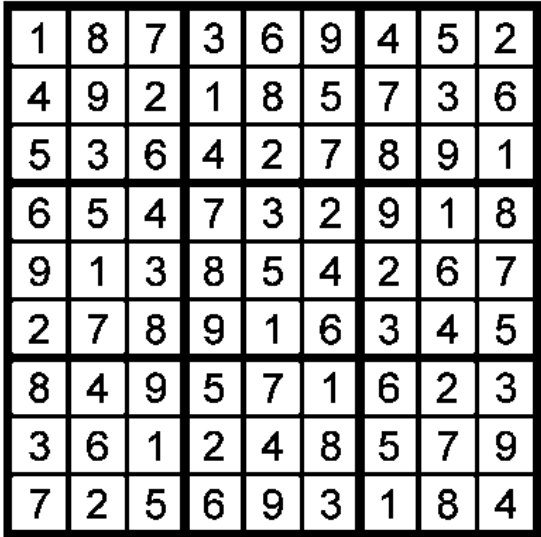
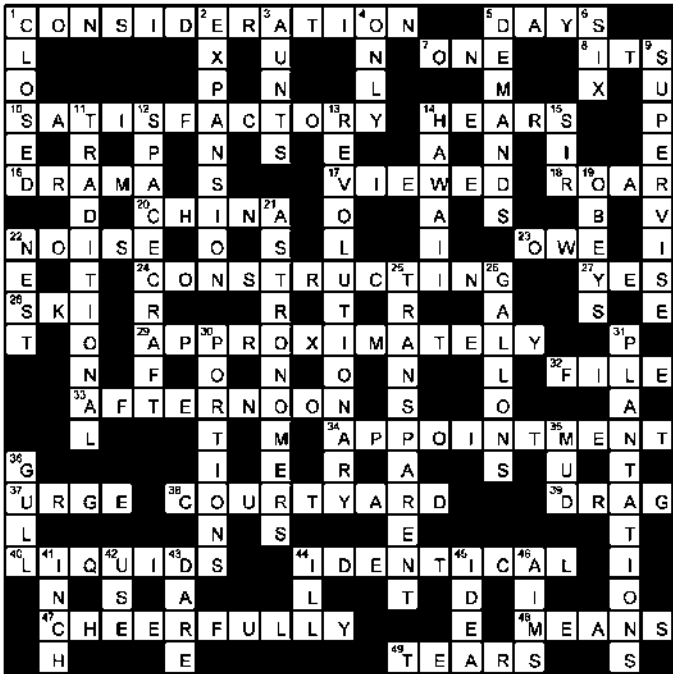
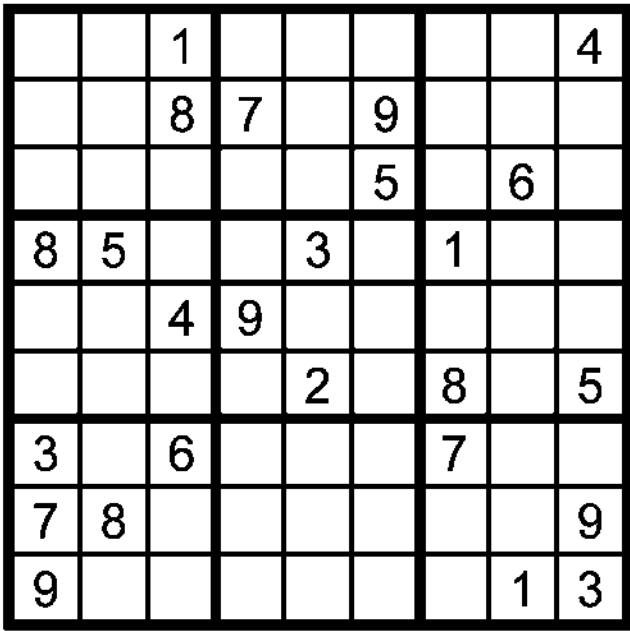
42 "Hogwash!" (4)

45 Amscrayed (3)
- Down
- 1 Visits are this (4)

2 Finger foods (10)

Sudoku:

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



- 46 Burrow (4)
- 48 Branch (3)
- 49 Do-it-yourselfer's purchase (3)
- 52 kart lead-in (2)
- 54 Eye __ newt (2)

Tri-City Stargazer FOR WEEK: JULY 26 - AUGUST 1

For All Signs: Mercury, ruler of business, communications, and everyday routines, will turn retrograde on August 12, 2017. The pre-shadow period began on July 24, 2017. Prior to the exact retrograde, Mercury gives the appearance of slowing its motion before becoming retrograde. Then the more obvious retrograde period appears to last about 3.5 weeks. Following the point that Mercury turns direct, there are still 2.5 weeks for the planet to catch up to its normal speed and position at the time it began decelerating. The

truth of the matter is that the Mercury retrograde period has an additional 2.5 weeks on either side. Think of yourself as an astronomer, plotting Mercury's normal forward position. Then you see it slowing to a point of changing backward. After it travels retrograde, then it slows to make a turn forward to retrace its steps (aftershadow). Mercury requires about 2.5 more weeks to return to its natural speed. The whole process requires a little more than 8 weeks.

Aries the Ram (March 21-April 20): You have enough energy to spare. Apply heavy muscle to exercise or a chore that needs to be done. Otherwise you may become snappy and are liable to pick a fight. Work with those who share your rhythm this week, or you may say things that you'll wish you had not. We each have our own drumbeat and yours is no better or worse than anyone else's.

Taurus the Bull (April 21-May 20): Your romantic side is cooperating well at this time with your nurturing side. This is especially good for female friendships. Make a date for lunch and reconnect with people you like. Communion with others will be pleasurable. Your heart will smile at the warm, fuzzy feelings.

Gemini the Twins (May 21-June 20): Your focus shifts to matters of home, hearth, and family. Things of the past may float up in your mind for reflection. If this occurs, ask yourself what you learned from the former experience. It probably would help you now. Family concerns may occupy your attention.

Cancer the Crab (June 21-July 21): Venus enters your sign this week and will be traveling "with you" through August 26, 2017. Her presence gives you an air of poise and people will simply like how you look. You may become interested in your personal appearance and make improvements in how you are seen. This is the time to try out new glasses, clothing and hair styles.

Leo the Lion (July 22-August 22): The sun returns "home" to your sign this week. You likely will find it to be energizing. Now is the time to focus on new plans for this next year of your life. Take a fresh look at where you want to direct your energy. Don't press your luck in the arenas of relationship(s). Maintain yourself within appropriate boundaries.

Virgo the Virgin (August 23-September 22): Mercury travels slowly through your sign between now and the end of September. It will be going through its retrograde cycle before it moves along. Take care with any decision of importance because you likely will find reason to change your

mind. New information keeps popping up to alter your direction. See the lead paragraph for more information.

Libra the Scales (September 23-October 22): This is a good time to experience a new type of activity with your lover or partner. Go somewhere different together. Make an effort to try out new restaurants or change the usual environment while you are together. Don't just sit and watch TV, particularly if that is what you usually do. Go play!

Scorpio the Scorpion (October 23-November 21): Your energy is running high early in the week. You may want to demonstrate your skills and talents to others. Try to manage this without major display of ego. Avoid losing your temper lest you suffer the consequences. An authority figure might want to bring you down by the end of the week.

Sagittarius the Archer (November 22-December 21): You are working very hard to give birth to a child or a creative enterprise. The timing feels crucial. Only long-term persistence will yield results, so it is best to assess

whether you have the will and the support to accomplish your goal. (Gamblers beware: Pay off your debts or things will go poorly for you.)

Capricorn the Goat (December 22-January 19): Changes may be occurring in your primary relationship. One or the other of you is probably trying to hang onto what is familiar. Changes and growth must be allowed to happen or the relationship will become stale. Let things flow naturally. Don't jump to conclusions or make problems bigger than they are in the name of control.

Aquarius the Water Bearer (January 20-February 18): You may be under pressure to follow

through and display work that you have been doing since last fall. There is also a sense in which you have become bored with the project. Return mentally to the place you started to re-ignite your passion. This is probably not the best time to quit.

Pisces the Fish (February 19-March 20): You would be happy to take the first flight to Tahiti and never bat an eye over it. Short of that, you may be taking small mental breaks this week, with lots of daydreaming and drifting. Make notes about those things you need to remember. The brain fog might drown out worthwhile information.

Are you interested in a personal horoscope?
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THEATRE

Arsenic and Old Lace

SUBMITTED BY BOB MILLER

The Douglas Morrisson Theatre opens the 2017 fall season with the riotously hilarious classic, 'Arsenic and Old Lace.' Joseph Kesselring's dark farce will have 15 performances, including one preview, running August 24 through September 17, 2017.

The production is directed by Dale Albright and features an impressive ensemble of Bay Area comedy talent: Mary Bishop (Abby Brewster), Christine Macomber (Martha Brewster), Alan Coyne (Mortimer Brewster), Dan Wilson (Teddy Brewster), Kyle Goldman (Jonathan Brewster), Ivan Velazquez (Dr. Einstein), Gretta Stimson (Elaine Harper), Michael Crozier (The Rev. Dr. Harper/Mr. Gibbs/ Mr. Witherspoon), Nick Coelius (Officer Brophy), Lucas Gust (Officer Klein), Helena Clarkson (Officer O'Hara), and Pam Williams (Lieutenant Rooney).

This well-loved play (and movie) is about a pair of sweet old spinsters (with macabre secrets) and their three nephews. Teddy thinks he's President Theodore Roosevelt; brother Jonathan looks like horror film star Boris Karloff, and poor old Mortimer is a put-upon drama critic. "Few plays keep their relevance and charm the way Arsenic does," says Director Dale Albright "The play remains as shocking, kooky and downright funny as when it was first presented."

'Arsenic and Old Lace' opened on Broadway in January 1941 starring Josephine Hull and Jean Adair as the homicidal Brewster sisters, with Boris Karloff in his Broadway debut playing Jonathan Brewster, a version of himself. The play's plot may be based on the true story of Amy Archer-Gilligan, who killed residents of the Connecticut nursing home she ran in the early 20th century, and was found guilty of fatally poisoning one resident, but suspected of killing many more. Critically praised and hugely successful, the play ran for over three years in New York, with 1444 performances, and in London for 1337 performances, the longest there for any American play to date.

Arsenic and Old Lace
Thursday, Aug 24 –
Sunday, Sep 17
Thursday, Aug 24 (preview)
and Sep 14: 8 p.m.
Fridays and Saturdays: 8 p.m.
Saturday, Sep 9: 2 p.m.
and 8 p.m.
Sundays: 2 p.m.
Douglas Morrisson Theatre
22311 N. Third St, Hayward

Box office (510) 881-6777;
www.dmtonline.org

Tickets: \$10 Preview; \$27 Thurs. eve, Sat. matinee, Opening Night; \$29 Fri. eve., Sat. eve., Sun. matinee Discounts available for seniors, under 30s, students, H.A.R.D. residents, TBA, KQED members, and groups of 10 or more.

Rotary and Southland JCPenny team up for 'Child Spree'



SUBMITTED BY HAYWARD ROTARY CLUB

Hayward Rotary Club's annual "Child Spree" back-to-school shopping event will provide 100 Hayward children the back-to-school clothing and supplies they need for their upcoming school year. All 100 participating children have been identified in partnership with the Hayward Police Department Youth and Family Services Bureau. They are partnered with a Rotarian and together they shop in JCPenny at Southland Mall, choosing brand new clothing and then enjoy a post-Spree party! After that, the children receive a new backpack and school supplies to prepare them for the school year.

The Saturday, August 19 event is sponsored by the Hayward Rotary Club in partnership with JCPenny, and volunteers and donations are needed and gladly accepted.

To volunteer, please go to <http://haywardrotary.org/event/back-to-school-child-spree/> and use the "online registration" button, or contact Kenny Altenburg through the Website.

Donations in any amount are accepted. The event goal is to raise \$100 per child (\$10,000 total). To make a tax-deductible donation, please make checks payable to Hayward Rotary Foundation and mail to Hayward Rotary Foundation, P.O. Box 629, Hayward, CA 94543.

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Blue Planet

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SUN GALLERY

In an encore presentation, the "Blue Planet: #StandUpForScience" exhibition will be on display at the John O'Lague Galleria inside Hayward City Hall from Friday, July 28 through Monday, October 2.

"Blue Planet," which first debuted at the Sun Gallery this past April, now travels to the O'Lague to continue the conversation about the environment, climate change, and habitat destruction. This will mark the fourth year that the Sun Gallery has collaborated with artists in the local community to bring environmental issues to the forefront through creative expression. The City of Hayward, known for its progressive actions on climate change, offers the venue in collaboration with Hayward Arts Council and Sun Gallery.

Sun Gallery's first environmental exhibit, "The Art of Climate Change: A Volatile Terrain," was held in the summer of 2014. Director Dorsi Diaz, who was then working as a climate change journalist and children's educator, funded the first project through Kickstarter, a Web-based crowdsourcing platform. The purpose of the project was to create an environmental movement through art, including the work of artists, climate change scientists, and inventors to teach the community about the future impacts of climate change and habitat loss.

Since its inception in 2014, the movement took flight with Sun Gallery's second exhibit in 2015, "Troubled Waters: Drought and Change," which highlighted the impacts of drought in California and its global implications. In 2016, the third show in the project was "Living Systems: Endangered Animals & Habitat," which explored man's relationship to the environment and the living world around us.

The current exhibit, "Blue Planet: #StandUpForScience," examines the relationship between man and earth, including mankind's emotional response to rapid environmental changes happening due to accelerating climate change. Blue Planet also touches on governmental response to climate change and the question of what delaying action could mean for future generations.

Since the first show in 2014, thousands of children from Hayward and the East Bay have viewed the exhibits on docent-led field trips, followed by a hands-on art lesson in Sun's studio. Sun's environmental art movement, with the full support from Sun Gallery's Board of Directors, the City of Hayward and its local community, has now reached out globally and highlights work of child artists from Wuhan, China, plus artists from Nepal and Finland.

Pingping Ma, Curator of Wuhan Muma Children's



Museum of Fine Arts, travelled from China this year with artists Hanmiao Zha (age 6) and Xunru Tang (age 7) to participate in Hayward's March the Hayward Shoreline event held on Earth Day. The delegation is hoping to come back to the U.S. and view the exhibit of their children's art that will be on display at the

O'Lague Galleria. The children's artwork was inspired by the heavy summer floods in Wuhan in 2016, and features colorful, meticulous illustrations created with marking pen, paint, and ink.

Other participating artists in the O'Lague Galleria exhibit include Jon Kerpel, Renea Turner, Marjorie Lynne Wagner, Aanand Verma (Nepal), Patricia Gonzalez, Janet Brigos, Carol Ramos, Stephen Parks (Nature Tale Books), Nina Starr, Janet Seifert, Marina Smelik, Carmen Avila, Hollie Adamic, Sheila Mun Jacobs, Peter and Maureen Langenbach, Jilly Huynh, Dotti Cichon, Sylvia Brailler, Rachel Powell, Natalie Watkins, Tamren Dong, Vanessa Jimenez, Tammy Artis with David Mintim, Meredith Dalglish, Tina Banda and Nickolas Heslep, Maliheh Bartolomeo, Jose Michel (Mt. Eden High School) plus young artists from Southgate Elementary School, Muma Children's Museum of Fine Arts, Sun Gallery Free Art Saturday Families, and Quin Llamido.

The weighty subject matter of climate change and habitat loss compelled "Blue Planet" artists to pour their talents into creating incredible works of art. The exhibit artwork ranges from large colorful canvas paintings to complex sculptures, assem-

blage art, photography, and contemplative video installations.

An Artists' Reception for the O'Lague exhibit will be held inside the City Hall Rotunda on Friday, August 4. The community is encouraged to come and chat with the artists and enjoy appetizers and refreshments. "Blue Planet" will also be on display during Sun Gallery's annual "Evening of the Arts" at Hayward City Hall on September 29, which will include live music and entertainment, dinner, drinks, and a silent auction.

For questions on the upcoming exhibit, call the Sun Gallery at (510) 581-4050 or visit www.SunGallery.org.

**Blue Planet:
#StandUpForScience
Friday, Jul 28 – Monday,
Oct 2
Monday – Friday:
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.**

**Artists' Reception:
Friday, Aug 4
5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.**

**John O'Lague Galleria
Hayward City Hall
777 B St, Hayward
(510) 581-4050
www.SunGallery.org
www.haywardartscouncil.org**

Home & Garden

Remodel brings color, personality and lots of storage to tired kitchen

BY ANNA JACOBY

This kitchen transformation is striking. What once was a dark and isolated space is now an open, light-filled, beautiful great room. The first item on their wish list was removing the wall separating the kitchen from the living room. This young couple wanted to be able to entertain friends and family, and be part of the festivities, rather than be relegated to the kitchen. Fortunately, we were able to do



that for them, and the result is a large, open-concept great room where everyone can be together.

Second on their wish list was enhanced functionality in terms of increased storage space and counter space. To achieve this, I recommended changing the locations of the sink and cooktop. The large farmhouse sink is now under the front window (the new window stayed the same width as the old one, but became shorter

to accommodate the wall of cabinetry and backsplash). By moving the cooktop to the old sink location, we gained several feet of counter space on both sides, and we also gained a second oven, in place of the old one-piece range.

The island provides even more functionality. Notice

island, my clients have ample space for everything. I think my client said it best when she texted me while she was putting away all of her things: "Holy potatoes we have a TON of storage in this kitchen!!!!!"

To unify the living room and new kitchen, we extended the wood flooring throughout the entire space, and used the same paint colors in both rooms. The teal and yellow accent colors add a welcome pop of brightness to the calming white and gray color scheme. I was very happy working on this project, and am thrilled with the results. The new space is very warm, welcoming and fun, just like the clients.



the microwave drawer in the island—this frees up space on the counters, and still keeps it in a convenient location near the cooking area and the breakfast bar. The new island is great for serving food and drinks when friends come over, and also provides, on a day-to-day basis, a lovely spot for drinking coffee and watching the birds out the front window.

Probably the biggest benefit in the new kitchen is the increased amount of storage space. Between the Lazy Susan in the corner, and the pull-out cabinet for utensils near the cooktop, large drawers for pots and pans under the cooktop, the large upper cabinets flanking the sink, the pantry cabinet with adjustable pull-out shelves by the fridge, and the extra space in the



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Paddlers blend ancient traditions & modern technology

ever their boats took them, they brought tradition, family, and a reverence for the land and sea. Even today, Pacific Islander values and skills are alive at the Kilohana Outrigger Canoe Club (KOCC) in Redwood City and Fremont.

Austronesian peoples began to fan out across the South Pacific about 3000 B.C. Traveling through Indonesia, New Guinea, the Philippines, and Melanesia, by about 900 B.C. they had settled as far as 3,600 miles further east in places like Fiji, Tonga, and Samoa.

Melanesians arrived in Hawaii around 300 CE bringing outrigger technologies that by then were millennia old and highly evolved. Experimentation had produced specific lashing and rigging techniques to fit the spars (iako) to the float (ama). Learning the necessary skills took years. Today, the Hawaiian outrigger (wa'a) may be fiberglass or carbon fiber and the outrigger connected by metal hardware, but the tradition and lore surrounding the ancient maritime practice remains, setting outrigger canoeing apart from other modern water sports.

The KOCC is modeled on the canoe racing traditions of Hawai'i, where racing has long been an important part of island life. Occupying Europeans of the nineteenth century banned the sport in 1820, but in 1876 King David Kalakaua reinstated it. By 1908 the first outrigger canoe clubs were founded and the Hawaiian Canoe Racing Association was established in 1950. There are an estimated 25,000 outrigger canoe paddlers worldwide, and the number is



growing rapidly.

The fundamental value of outrigger racing is ohana, or family. The word ohana comes from 'oha, or root of the taro plant. For Hawaiians, the taro plant was foundational to their origins in both a mythological and physical sense. One ancient ancestor was Haloa, whose name means long stem, like that of the taro plant. The root is a reminder of connectedness and that no matter how distant the tips from the central core, all are related. Moreover, taro was a multi-use plant that sustained life with both food and medicine.

Ohana also implies that canoes and their crews are members of a single family in equal standing. The spirit of the living Koa tree remained in the canoe made from it and functioned as a living relative. Not all trees were canoe-worthy, though. The 'elepaio bird (flycatcher) gained the status of a canoe-goddess named Lea. If the 'elepaio pecked at the trunk of a tree, it had worms and

wasn't canoe-worthy.

Today's outriggers are mostly made from fiberglass or carbon fiber; nonetheless, outrigger crews revere the boats as the ancients did; the canoe is entrusted to carry paddlers safely into the ocean and home again. Rules of proper respect are observed, including never stepping over the body of the canoe and never swearing in it. Kilohana OCC preserves these traditions, and before every race, a ceremony reminds racers of familial ties and mutual respect.

The Northern California Outrigger Canoe Association (NCOCA) governs nearly two dozen outrigger racing associations. The six-person outrigger canoe season runs February through October and features two types of events. The sprint regatta consists of a variety of short courses, which Kilohana Club President Raul Aquino likens to a track meet: "You'll have men's and women's events and events by age group, in several distance categories."

Long distance events start at two miles for the keiki (children), but for adults they range from five to 20 miles and more. The annual world-class race between Molokai and Oahu (Moloka'i Hoe for the men and the Na Wahine 'O Ke Kai for the women) covers a 42-mile stretch of open ocean.

Every year both long distance and sprint races are held in rotating venues around Northern California. Locations include Sausalito, Crissy Field (San Francisco), Santa Cruz, Redwood City, Lake Tahoe, Monterey, Lake Natoma (Sacramento), Benicia, San Leandro, Berkeley, Alameda, Lake Del Valle, Shadow Cliffs, and Fremont.

In addition to the NCOCA-sanctioned canoe races, Kilohana competes in races located in Southern California, including Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, and the greater Los Angeles area. During the fall and winter, many paddlers participate in the Wave Chaser Series races with V-1 and V-2 (one and two-person) outrigger canoes.

"People come because they're interested in water sports," says Aquino, "but they see that there is much more; we honor the traditions that have been perpetuated and handed down to us by the people that have come before us. The driving force for the club is really the culture that's behind it. We have a sport, but it's the cultural foundation that lifts up the sport."

Kilohana is happy to supply paddles and life vests to new

paddlers (annual dues are \$225, \$75 for kids, plus special family rates), but most crewmembers eventually purchase their own equipment. Paddles come in a variety of sizes and materials from wood to carbon fiber and range from about \$150 to \$350 and up; flotation vests range \$25 to \$55 and up.

The most popular spectator events are the sprint regattas, whose season has already passed, but there are several long distance races coming up through September. The next one is the Kilohana Klassic on Saturday, July 29 that starts at KOCC's Redwood City location, followed by the Round the Rock Saturday, August 5 at Crissy Field. For more information, visit www.kilohanaocc.org/events.

**Kilohana Klassic
Saturday, Jul 29**

9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

**Chesapeake Drive Boat Ramp
601 Chesapeake Dr,
Redwood City**

**Round the Rock
Saturday, Aug 5**

8 a.m. – 3 p.m.

**Crissy Field
1199 East Beach San Francisco
(West of intersection of
Lyon St & Yacht Rd)**

If you are interested in visiting KOCC and attending a practice:

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Knights of Columbus local council receives highest state honor

SUBMITTED BY PACIENCIO JUAN JR., GRAND KNIGHT

Knights of Columbus - St. James the Apostle Council 14541 of St. James the Apostle Catholic Church in Fremont, CA was awarded the BEST COUNCIL OF THE YEAR among 600+ councils in the state of California. This recognition was given to the council's Grand Knight during the 115th Knights of Columbus Annual California State Convention held in San Diego, CA, May 18-20, 2017. In addition, the council received ten more awards including State Deputy Award, Best Council Activity Award & Best Yearbook; First Place: Council, Family & Vocation Activities; Second Place: Youth & Community Activities; Third Place: Church Activities; and Fourth Place: Culture of Life Activities.

Congratulations and Thank you to all parishioners



Photo taken on June 11, 2017 after the confirmation mass officiated by Oakland Diocese Bishop Michael C. Barber, SJ (center) and Rev. Antony Vazhappilly, (5th from left) Pastor, St. James the Apostle Church. Flanked by officers and members.

Bark For Life – A canine event to fight cancer

SUBMITTED BY RELAY FOR LIFE

The American Cancer Society Bark For Life is a noncompetitive walk event for dogs and their owners to raise funds and awareness for the American Cancer Society's fight against cancer. By supporting Bark For Life, you help the American Cancer Society save lives, and that helps us move closer to our ultimate goal of a world with less cancer and more birthdays.

So bring your best canine friend to Hayward's Eden Greenway Dog Park on Saturday, July 29 and join us for a fun-filled day starting with a walk, and then continuing with demonstrations, contests, and games. For more information, visit http://main.ac-sevents.org/site/TR/RelayForLife/BFLCY17CA?pg=entry&fr_id=85237.

**Bark For Life of Hayward
Saturday, Jul 29**

1 p.m.

**Eden Greenway Dog Park
2133 Boca Raton St, Hayward
(510) 483-3107
edkar.santos@gmail.com**

Event Schedule:

**12:30 p.m.: Registration Opens
1:00 p.m.: Opening & Survivor Ceremony
1:15 p.m.: Group Dog Walk
1:30 p.m.: Contests/Raffles
3:00 p.m.: Hayward PD K9 Unit
3:50 p.m.: Closing Ceremony**

CASTRO VALLEY TOTAL SALES: 7						
Highest \$: 1,015,000		Median \$: 710,000				
Lowest \$: 475,000		Average \$: 738,857				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
22183 Dolores Street	94546	475,000	2	996	1948	06-05-17
2481 Irma Way	94546	762,000	3	1162	1952	06-09-17
3335 Jeanine Way	94546	680,000	3	1039	1954	06-07-17
1867 Knox Street	94546	710,000	3	1428	1947	06-09-17
18652 Madison Avenue	94546	675,000	3	1634	1952	06-09-17
4586 Sargent Avenue	94546	855,000	3	2309	1975	06-07-17
17635 Trenton Drive	94546	1,015,000	4	2177	1965	06-09-17

FREMONT TOTAL SALES: 56						
Highest \$: 2,375,000		Median \$: 925,000				
Lowest \$: 325,000		Average \$: 1,015,268				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
36183 Adobe Drive	94536	785,000	3	1148	1958	06-05-17
35876 Ashton Place	94536	1,050,000	4	1811	1968	06-05-17
37966 Bright Common	94536	825,000	3	1717	1978	06-09-17
38455 Bronson St #221	94536	336,000	1	750	1970	06-07-17
3575 Buttonwood Ter #104	94536	600,000	2	991	1985	06-09-17
4671 Central Avenue	94536	750,000	3	1497	1955	06-08-17
935 Cherry Glen Cl #219	94536	625,000	2	724	1987	06-09-17
38948 Cherry Lane	94536	960,000	3	2313	1989	06-08-17
38627 Cherry Lane #80	94536	325,000	1	623	1974	06-09-17
37796 Farwell Drive	94536	880,000	4	1398	1955	06-06-17
3324 Howard Common	94536	558,000	2	900	1971	06-06-17
3498 Isherwood Place	94536	1,150,000	3	1688	1971	06-09-17
3518 Knollwood Ter#104	94536	590,000	2	981	1984	06-09-17
4659 Norris Road	94536	1,061,000	3	1501	1952	06-05-17
37192 Oak Street	94536	1,070,000	5	2452	1936	06-07-17
37809 Peachtree Court	94536	1,635,000	5	3162	2001	06-08-17
36055 Pizarro Drive	94536	820,000	3	1528	1955	06-06-17
38290 Redwood Terrace	94536	750,000	2	1400	1986	06-09-17
1668 Riverwalk Drive	94536	1,435,000	4	2754	2001	06-08-17
36150 San Pedro Drive	94536	925,000	3	1638	1956	06-05-17
38953 Swordfish Common	94536	750,000	3	1400	1996	06-05-17
35321 Terra Cotta Circle	94536	1,152,000	3	2032	2000	06-05-17
4126 Vincente Street	94536	865,000	3	1256	1967	06-06-17
4386 Fern Terrace	94538	1,160,000	3	1488	1987	06-06-17
39224 Guardino Dr #308	94538	360,000	1	693	1990	06-09-17
43320 Mintwood Street	94538	1,045,000	3	1342	1955	06-08-17
2913 Pescadero Terrace	94538	875,000	2	1644	2013	06-09-17
2779 Pismo Terrace	94538	900,000	3	2095	2014	06-07-17
4079 Saffron Terrace	94538	1,040,000	4	1843	2010	06-08-17
5634 Truman Place	94538	755,000	3	1232	1966	06-07-17
2885 Wilson Common	94538	850,000	3	1748	1980	06-09-17
45030 Cougar Circle	94539	1,680,000	4	2743	1988	06-07-17
278 Curtner Road	94539	1,970,000	4	2838	1991	06-08-17
46856 Fernald Common	94539	580,000	2	1046	1978	06-08-17
47589 Gable Common	94539	1,375,000	3	2892	1988	06-09-17
1497 Gomes Road	94539	1,385,000	3	1514	1965	06-06-17
1380 Grosventres Court	94539	1,597,000	4	2781	1979	06-07-17
44653 Japala Place	94539	1,275,000	3	1617	1979	06-06-17
43329 Livermore Com	94539	1,450,000	3	1641	1989	06-09-17
44009 Owl Drive	94539	2,375,000	4	4311	1993	06-05-17
41849 Paseo Padre Pkw	94539	1,304,000	3	1434	1960	06-09-17
44382 Pomace Street	94539	1,350,000	4	1803	1967	06-06-17
230 Quinault Way	94539	1,330,000	4	1556	1977	06-09-17
41092 Ramon Terrace	94539	850,000	2	1392	1972	06-05-17
700 Rattan Court	94539	1,370,000	-	1896	1978	06-07-17
40112 Santa Teresa Com	94539	715,000	2	957	1970	06-06-17
115 Wenatchee Com #13	94539	765,000	3	1214	1987	06-09-17
4398 Calypso Terrace	94555	1,020,000	3	1826	1992	06-05-17
2854 Chamier Place	94555	975,000	3	1494	1971	06-06-17
34106 Duke Lane	94555	1,260,000	4	2035	1986	06-08-17
34124 Duke Lane	94555	969,000	3	1380	1986	06-08-17
33148 Great Salt Lake Dr	94555	756,000	3	1629	1969	06-06-17
6189 Linford Terrace	94555	829,000	2	1249	1989	06-09-17
34137 Lugano Terrace	94555	890,000	3	1617	2014	06-06-17
5432 Quebec Common	94555	908,000	2	1655	1991	06-09-17
33933 Whitehead Lane	94555	995,000	4	1494	1971	06-08-17
34263 Stable Way	94555	1,535,500	-	-	-	05-19-17

HAYWARD TOTAL SALES: 40						
Highest \$: 1,200,000		Median \$: 591,000				
Lowest \$: 360,000		Average \$: 623,625				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
22584 Amador Street #5	94541	591,000	3	1542	2011	06-05-17
1375 Ash Street	94541	485,000	2	1232	1948	06-07-17
22314 Flagg Street	94541	435,000	1	616	1938	06-08-17
925 Paradise Boulevard	94541	522,000	2	854	1942	06-09-17
25656 Paul Court	94541	875,000	4	2534	1968	06-06-17
2516 Randall Way	94541	720,000	4	1637	1950	06-08-17
18021 Silverado Road	94541	565,000	3	1314	1973	06-05-17
25418 Uvas Court	94541	850,000	-	-	-	06-09-17
275 Willow Avenue	94541	525,000	6	2534	1940	06-09-17
25806 Bel Aire Drive	94542	665,000	3	1274	1950	06-06-17
1221 Highland Boulevard	94542	415,000	2	1028	1930	06-08-17
2615 Hillcrest Avenue	94542	1,200,000	4	3013	2011	06-06-17
28169 Riggs Court	94542	710,000	3	1647	1986	06-09-17
4007 Star Ridge Road	94542	979,000	3	1735	1959	06-07-17
395 Balmoral Way	94544	640,000	3	1233	1956	06-08-17
493 Brian Street	94544	490,000	3	927	1952	06-09-17
690 Briergate Way	94544	660,000	4	1717	1959	06-08-17
27895 Bruno Street	94544	530,000	3	927	1952	06-07-17
647 Denslowe Lane	94544	575,000	3	1153	1958	06-09-17

28411 East 12th Street	94544	588,000	3	1256	1943	06-07-17
945 Fletcher Lane #A311	94544	365,000	2	946	1986	06-06-17
945 Fletcher Lane #D326	94544	360,000	2	926	1986	06-08-17
25684 Franklin Avenue	94544	1,030,000	7	3124	1958	06-07-17
1343 Henderson Lane	94544	640,000	3	1231	1954	06-06-17
136 Isabella Street	94544	475,000	3	1130	1952	06-09-17
450 Larchmont Street	94544	620,000	4	1375	1957	06-06-17
26453 Mocine Avenue	94544	465,000	3	1086	1952	06-08-17
24592 Santa Clara Street	94544	394,000	3	1176	1958	06-09-17
24925 Silverthorne Place	94544	700,000	3	1624	2001	06-09-17
1016 Thiel Road	94544	524,000	3	1040	1950	06-06-17
1522 Welford Circle	94544	740,000	3	1871	2004	06-09-17
2505 Admiral Circle	94545	895,500	-	-	-	06-05-17
2530 Capitola Court	94545	710,000	4	1672	1965	06-06-17
2113 Cryer Place	94545	526,500	4	2445	2012	06-08-17
26278 Dodge Avenue	94545	670,000	3	1107	1957	06-06-17
996 Malcolm Lane	94545	665,000	3	1294	1958	06-08-17
27507 Ponderosa Court	94545	455,000	3	1254	1971	06-05-17
844 Quantas Lane	94545	615,000	3	1121	1959	06-07-17
2563 Sleepy Hollow Avenue	94545	695,000	3	1494	1959	06-08-17
21117 Gary Drive #309	94546	380,000	1	798	1981	06-09-17

MILPITAS TOTAL SALES: 5						
Highest \$: 1,033,000		Median \$: 825,000				
Lowest \$: 343,000		Average \$: 706,200				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
1535 Bond Street	95035	825,000	2	1310	2014	06-09-17
424 Dempsey Rd #124	95035	495,000	3	1021	2007	06-14-17
484 Dempsey Rd #285	95035	343,000	1	676	2007	06-13-17
1513 Larkwood Court	95035	835,000	3	1547	1992	06-12-17
593 Oroville Road	95035	1,033,000	3	1860	1983	06-09-17

NEWARK TOTAL SALES: 12						
Highest \$: 1,017,000		Median \$: 852,000				
Lowest \$: 660,000		Average \$: 854,833				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
6289 Brittany Avenue	94560	825,000	3	1100	1959	06-06-17
35574 Garrone Place	94560	852,000	4	1450	1961	06-06-17
37825 Harbor Light Rd	94560	1,017,000	-	-	-	06-05-17
37837 Harbor Light Rd	94560	997,000	-	-	-	06-08-17
8147 Idlewild Court	94560	886,000	3	1240	1976	06-05-17
36577 Leone Street	94560	690,000	3	942	1953	06-05-17
8531 Mahogany Place	94560	901,000	3	1790	1994	06-08-17
5385 McDonald Avenue	94560	800,000	3	1581	1961	06-06-17
8533 Perserve Avenue	94560	861,500	-	-	-	06-09-17
8537 Preserve Avenue	94560	803,500	-	-	-	06-09-17
36430 Ruschin Drive	94560	660,000	3	1314	1959	06-08-17
4979 Wingate Place	94560	965,000	4	1707	1969	06-09-17
8563 Schooner Way	94560	897,500	-	-	-	06-02-17

SAN LEANDRO		TOTAL SALES: 16				
Highest \$: 800,000		Median \$: 550,000				
Lowest \$: 410,000		Average \$: 609,594				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDSSQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
1226 Amber Court	94577	730,000	4	2091	-	06-09-17
934 Arthur Avenue	94577	540,000	3	1231	1942	06-08-17
366 Bancroft Avenue	94577	525,000	2	944	1924	06-09-17
710 Biltmore Street	94577	800,000	4	2646	2003	06-09-17
239 Foothill Boulevard	94577	503,000	2	864	1942	06-08-17
371 MacArthur Blvd	94577	480,000	2	898	1917	06-09-17
13170 Neptune Drive #1	94577	550,000	4	2356	1997	06-09-17
295 Oakes Boulevard	94577	785,000	3	1418	1915	06-09-17
1595 Pierce Avenue	94577	640,000	4	1424	1943	06-09-17
314 Aloha Drive	94578	610,000	3	1078	1954	06-07-17
1166 Coburn Court	94578	510,000	3	1461	1977	06-07-17
16659 Kildare Road	94578	775,000	3	1659	1966	06-09-17
427 Lloyd Avenue	94578	540,000	3	1402	1952	06-07-17
3731 Monterey Blvd	94578	410,000	3	1346	1954	06-07-17
14636 Saturn Drive	94578	636,500	3	1330	1955	06-07-17
14912 Saturn Drive	94578	719,000	2	839	1954	06-09-17

- **Bring reusable bags** to pack towels and beach toys. If you do happen to forget your reusable bag, please remember to bring plastic bags home and recycle (bag-in-bag) in your cart at home or grocery store collection bins.
- **Pack your meals, snacks, and drinks in reusable containers** to cut down on waste generated during your trip. You can even bring cloth napkins and reusable utensils!
- **Keep two bags with you to separate your trash and recyclables.** Pre-sorting makes it easier to transfer recyclables into a recycle bin.



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Saturn and the Rings

With its colorful rings, Saturn is one of the most recognizable planets in our solar system. But depending on the time of year, the rings can play tricks with your eyes!

Dear Kid Scoop Readers -

Saturn is amazing! Rings of _____ circle this planet and it has _____ of moons. It's the second largest _____ in our solar system. If it were _____, more than 700 planet Earths could fit inside Saturn.

Saturn is a gas planet - which means you can't _____ or _____ on it. But it is pretty to look at!
- Woodward

Replace the missing words.

BREATHE

HOLLOW

DOZENS

PLANET

WALK

COLOR

THIS WEEK'S DESTINATION

The diagram shows the Sun at the center, with planets orbiting around it. The planets are labeled as follows:

- SUN
- MERCURY
- VENUS
- EARTH
- JUPITER
- SATURN
- URANUS
- NEPTUNE

Saturn is highlighted with a red dot and a label "SATURN".

One of Saturn's many moons has more than 100 geysers at its south pole.

Photo courtesy NASA

Color Saturn and its rings.

Meet Cassini

Cassini is the latest NASA spacecraft to explore Saturn. Cassini left Earth in 1997 and arrived at Saturn in 2004. How many years did it take Cassini to get to Saturn?

_____ YEARS

Cassini now orbits Saturn and sends back new pictures and information all the time. It has already taken more than 330,000 photos of Saturn!

Image courtesy NASA/JPL

Saturn's Rings

Saturn has seven large rings. Each ring is named for a letter of the alphabet.

The rings do not sit still. They spin around Saturn at very high speeds. A closer look shows that each large ring is made up of many small rings, these are called **ringlets**.

Scientists think more rings could be discovered in the future.

USE THE CODE: SATURN'S RINGS ARE MADE OF

5	2	4	1	7	3	9	8	2	6
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A=1 C=2 D=3 E=4 I=5 K=6 N=7 O=8 R=9

Galileo and Disappearing Planets

Like the Earth, Saturn is tilted in relationship to the sun. Because of the tilt of Saturn and the thinness of the rings, every few years, the rings look like they have disappeared.

He wrote, "I have discovered a most extraordinary marvel ... the planet Saturn is not one alone, but is composed of three, which almost touch one another." What he thought were extra planets, were actually Saturn's rings.

After a couple of years, he couldn't see what he thought were the two extra planets. But four years later, he saw what he thought were "handles" mysteriously appear.

Use this chart to answer these questions.

- It would take about 58 Earth years for Saturn to orbit the sun two times.
☐ True ☐ False
- The diameter of Earth is larger than that of Saturn.
☐ True ☐ False

	SATURN	EARTH
DISTANCE FROM THE SUN	938 MILLION MILES	93 MILLION MILES
TIME TO ORBIT THE SUN	29 EARTH YEARS	365 DAYS
ORBIT SPEED	21,675 MILES PER HOUR	70,000 MILES PER HOUR
LENGTH OF DAY	10 HOURS, 14 MINUTES	JUST A BIT OVER 24 HOURS
DIAMETER	74,500 MILES	7,926 MILES
NUMBER OF MOONS	62 OR MORE	1

SOURCE: planetfacts.org

Extra! Extra!

Saturn Adjectives

Look through the newspaper to find five adjectives that describe Saturn.

Standards Link:
Language Arts: Follow simple written directions.

Kid Scoop Puzzler

How Saturn Got Its Name

The Romans knew of seven bright objects in the sky: the Sun, the Moon, and five bright planets. They named them after their most important gods. The planet

Saturn was named after the Roman god of agriculture.

Do the math to discover another common word named after this Roman god.

$$\begin{array}{lll} 23 + 7 = \text{A} & 21 + 7 = \text{E} & 22 + 9 = \text{T} \\ 24 + 2 = \text{C} & 22 + 1 = \text{R} & 21 + 1 = \text{U} \\ 29 + 4 = \text{D} & 20 + 7 = \text{S} & 23 + 2 = \text{Y} \end{array}$$

27	30	31	22	23	33	30	25

Double Double Word Search

ASTERIODS
COMPOSED

GALILEO
CASSINI
SATURN
PLANET
MARVEL
BROKEN
ORBITS
RINGS
MOONS
TILT
ROCK
GAS
ICE

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

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E O S G N I R O C K
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I M N S T E N A L P
L O R I I U N O G S
A C L O C F R I O C
G T E R O E C N K M

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

Kid Scoo-doku™

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

S	R	U	T	A	N
A					
T					R
U					
R	A				
N	U	R	A	T	S

Kid Scoop VOCABULARY BUILDERS

This week's word:
HOLLOW

The noun **hollow** means having an empty space inside.

The **hollow** in the tree was home to a family of owls.

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National Night Out: Meet your neighbors, prevent crime

BY VICTOR CARVELLAS

Now in its 34th year, National Night Out provides an opportunity for communities to meet one another, have parties, play games, cook out, and more. Additionally, it is also a great way to meet elected officials, law enforcement personnel, firefighters, service organizations and corporate outreach organizations that serve local communities.

Last year, 38.5 million people participated in more than 16,000 events in the US and at military bases around the globe, and this year looks to exceed those numbers. Individuals and groups can file for block party permits with their respective cities. In many cities, registered block parties can look forward to visits by crime prevention personnel and elected officials, or you can ask to host a visit. For more information about registering and hosting a gathering, visit your city's website. To learn more about National Night Out, visit <https://natw.org/>.



Thursday, Aug 3

For information contact Officer
John Muok at (408) 586-2526
or via email at jmuok@ci.milpitas.ca.gov.

NEWARK

Tuesday, Aug 1
6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

For information contact
Tim Jones at
tim.jones@newark.org or
(510) 578-4209

<http://www.newark.org/departments/police/community-engagement/national-night-out-1/>

SAN LEANDRO

Tuesday, Aug 1
5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

For information contact (510)
577-3228 or crimeprevention@sanleandro.org.
<http://www.sanleandro.org/depts/pd/programs/nno.asp>

SAN LORENZO

Tuesday, Aug 1
6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
(510) 537-5300

<http://www.edenareachamber.com/events/details/national-night-out-1849>



UNION CITY

Tuesday, Aug 1
6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

For information contact
Community Resource
Coordinator Crystal Raine at
(510) 675-5284

The Union City Police Department and Alameda County Fire Department will host large block parties at four parks (listed below) in Union City. Each location will feature activities, music, food and entertainment. Come

meet your city council members, Union City Police command staff and city officials! There will be demonstrations from UCPD SWAT, K-9, Traffic (motorcycle unit) and Paramedics Plus.

- Veterans Memorial Park (4525 Dyer Street)
- Accinelli Park (33104 Navarro Drive)
- 10th Street (10th Street and I Street)
- Town Estates Park (2438 Andover Drive)



FREMONT

Tuesday, Aug 1
7 p.m. - 9 p.m.

For information contact
Community Engagement Unit
at (510) 790-6740
<http://www.fremontpolice.org/NNO>

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MILPITAS

All day

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Conserving and preserving the bay

“What the society has done over the last 30 years is a wide berth of stuff ... With the 30th year here [of the SFBWS], there are no formal celebrations planned. Instead, we will con-

awareness about watersheds and water conservation at Don Edwards through 15 interactive programs and special events and presentations staged throughout the year. The

work of the SFBWS. Two endangered species are often spotted in the salt marshes and in Don Edwards, and happen to be exceptionally cute: the salt marsh harvest mouse and Ridgway's rail.

dangers found all around. “Currently, anything you put down your drain ends up in the regional waste facility,” Deschene explained. Though there is a filtration effort, many things make it through the system and back into the environment. “There is a lot of danger in what goes in the drains from medications people take,” Craig said, with Deschene adding, “the pollution that goes into the water ends up out there permanently.” Microtrash, which is simply bigger trash that has broken down into smaller pollutants, poses a major danger as well.

In light of these dangers, SFBWS and other environmental groups want to leverage social media to educate people. One app can even turn everyone into an activist – Litterati allows people to identify, map, and collect the world's litter. Its data can affect change by providing information on what pollutants are in high concentration in a certain region. “It's a way of getting our citizen scientists involved, to entice people to get interested in the stewardship of the land,” Craig said.

SFBWS is trying to develop its volunteer base to be able to then better facilitate volunteer opportunities for corporations

and local businesses. “In Fremont, we would like to develop the same relationship we have with Santa Clara County... if we could do that and gain similar funding, we could have employees up there to keep [our facilities] open all week long,” Craig said. SFBWS would also like to tap into the ever-changing Bay Area population and find ways to speak to its diverse makeup. “We need to get out there and communicate to the new audience,” Deschene said.

The joy of seeing people appreciate the local natural beauty is never lost on the SFBWS staff, who are all passionate environmental advocates. “People show up and are just in awe... people who've lived their whole lives here and never knew this was here. What we want to do is inspire individual change. Here, you don't look up, you look out,” Presley said.

For more information about the San Francisco Bay Wildlife Society, please visit www.sfbws.com, or visit the Don Edwards San Francisco Bay National Wildlife Refuge (2 Marshlands Road, Fremont) in person and see what it's all about!



Ceal Craig, Mary Deschene, Colter Cook, and Hope Presley of the SFBWS.



tinue to focus on trying to raise money for large projects as a way of celebrating the impact of the society,” said SFBWS Board of Directors President Ceal Craig. Craig has been a SFBWS volunteer since 2000 and a board member since 2005.

“The SFBWS consists of seven refuges, which are protected lands that are ultimately controlled by the Department of the Interior,” said Mary Deschene, SFBWS's program administrator. SFBWS is currently based out of the Don Edwards San Francisco Bay National Wildlife Refuge, which spans a huge portion of the bay, and runs the Visitor Center in Fremont, right by the Dumbarton Bridge and the Environmental Education Center in Alviso. Designated as National Wildlife Refuges (NWR) by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, there are six other NWRs in the San Francisco Bay region: Antioch Dunes, Ellicott Slough, Farallon, Marin Islands, Salinas River, and San Pablo Bay.

Programs administered by SFBWS are a large part of their outreach initiatives. The Living Wetlands program, which is a partnership between SFBWS, the City of San Jose, and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, raises

Watershed Watchers program, a partnership with the Santa Clara Valley Urban Runoff Pollution Prevention Program and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, seeks to prevent urban runoff pollution from such major pollutants emanating from vehicles, detergents, litter and pet waste.

For the younger population, SFBWS runs a summer camp each year. This is one of their long-term programs and is a weeklong day camp with one night spent at the facility. “This year, 104 applied and we will accept 65,” said Hope Presley, SFBWS interpretive specialist. The camp, as with all SFBWS programs, is free of cost. “Since it's a federal agency, all programs are free,” Craig elaborated.

“Don Edwards is 30,000 acres of protected refuge, the largest parcel of land in the SFBWS control,” Deschene explained. On a daily basis, countless East Bay residents and visitors from all over take advantage of the Don Edwards refuge, with its beautiful hiking trails and wonderful views.

The bay's endangered species continue to fight back against extinction thanks to the tireless

The harvest mouse is only found in the San Francisco Bay, and adults measure in at an adorable two to three inches. The Ridgway's rail, a subspecies of clapper rail birds, is technically near threatened and found in both the bay and Baja California.

Historically, one of the most dangerous and persistent pollutants in the San Francisco Bay has been mercury, used long ago as part of the numerous mining activities in the region. But there is a myriad of other



Girl Scouts visit Tri-City Voice



Girl Scout Troop 31153 Tri-City Voice visit participants: Aashi Khandelwal, Nemi Desai, Aishini Balaji, Dishita Jhavar, Sahithi Adiraju, Sarah Nazar, Saachi Kataria, Aarav Khandelwal

By Dishita Jhavar and Aashi Khandelwal

Girl Scout Troop 31153 had an educational experience at the Tri-City Voice publishing center on July 21, 2017. We were given a thorough tour around the center and welcomed by William Marshak and the friendly staff.

Our visit began with an exercise that stressed the importance of written accounts of events such as newspapers and articles contrasted with an oral account

that can be a victim of perspective. Mr. Marshak explained to our troop that a story for the newspaper is first written by a writer; next, it is proofread by an editor, before it is sent to the production department of the newspaper. In the Production Department, the newspaper is formatted, which can be a complicated process that requires adapting content to specialized computer programs. When the newspaper is finally created, designers send a digital copy to the press where it is

printed in bulk, about twenty-five thousand copies each week.

The girls in our troop learned about the essential parts you must have when writing an informative article. The five ‘W’s and one ‘H’ are: who, what, where, when, and why; the ‘H’ is how. In addition, articles of a newspaper are a permanent record.

We want to thank Tri-City Voice for letting our troop visit and learn about production of a newspaper.



City of Fremont Transitions to District-based Election System

The City of Fremont will have six new Council districts for future City Council elections starting in November 2018 and the Mayor will continue to be elected at-large by all city voters. Under Fremont's new district-based election system, voters may elect City Council candidates only from their district. This change to transition from at-large to district-based elections was adopted on June 13, 2017 by the City Council with an ordinance approving six new Council districts as shown in the map (located at www.Fremont.gov/DistrictElectionsMap) and establishing a phase-in schedule. The City is in the process of developing an interactive Council districts map that will provide an easy way for residents to look up a location and the resulting district number.

Beginning with the November 2018 election, voters will participate in the first district-based election when four City Council seats will be up for election. Those will be in District 1 (Northwest portion of the city— two-year term), District 2 (Central north portion), District 3 (Central portion), and District 4 (Eastern portion).

In the November 2020 election, voters in District 1 (Northwest portion), District 5 (South portion) and District 6 (Central south portion) will each elect a City Councilmember, and all voters will decide the Mayor's position.

During the 2018 and 2020 elections, candidates will be elected from districts where they live pursuant to the following timetable:

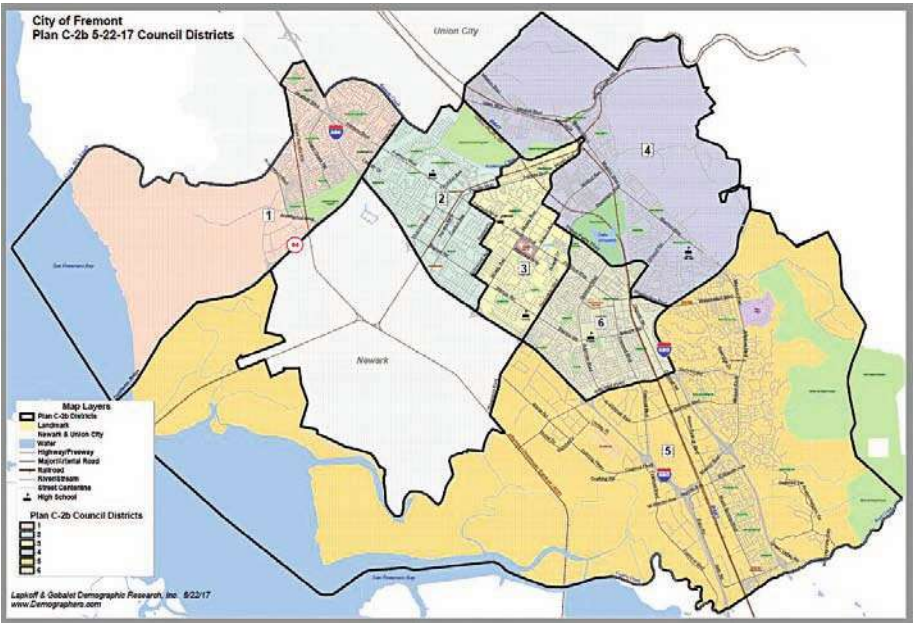
District	Seat up for Election	Number of Years to Serve	Current Councilmember
District 1	November 2018	2-Year Term*	Vacant
District 2	November 2018	4-Year Term	Rick Jones
District 3	November 2018	4-Year Term	David Bonaccorsi
District 4	November 2018	4-Year Term	Vacant
District 5	November 2020	4-Year Term	Raj Salwan
District 6	November 2020	4-Year Term	Vacant

* In November 2020, the District 1 seat will become a 4-year term.

Notes:
1) When the Mayor's four-year term expires in 2020, it will be filled by an at-large election of all city voters.
2) Vinnie Bacon will remain an at-large councilmember until his term expires in November 2020.

Prior to the Fremont City Council adopting the Council district map and election sequencing on June 13, 2017, the Council took the following steps: On March 21, 2017, the City launched the process to convert its elections from the current at-large voting system to a district-based process. The Council held six public hearings in this process and considered a variety of draft district maps.

The final map was chosen after the public weighed in during public hearings, by email, via Fremont Open City Hall, our online citizen forum, and consideration of suggestions and a variety of draft maps submitted by the public and the City-hired demographer. The Council decided that the City's population had to be approximately



equally divided into six districts and the districts had to adhere to the rules set by the Federal Voting Rights Act. Districts also must meet criteria as set by the California Voting Rights Act.

How did this election system change come about? Fremont's move to district-based elections began after the City received a letter on February 15, 2017 from an attorney in Southern California. The letter stated that Fremont's at-large elections violate the California Voting Rights Act of 2001 (CVRA) and alleged that there was evidence of racially polarized voting in the Fremont election system. Under the CVRA, minimal evidence of racially polarized voting can result in a court ordering a change from at-large voting to district-based voting.

The process and timing were controlled by State and Federal laws. In order to comply, Fremont was required to identify the number of districts, adopt a map, and determine the election sequencing all within 90-days and with a minimum of five public hearings.

Throughout the public hearing process to transition from an at-large to a district-based election system, Fremont's consultant team presented guidance on what factors should be taken into consideration when creating the new voting districts to ensure Fremont followed legally required criteria.

To learn more about Fremont's transition from at-large to district elections and to view the district map, visit the district elections webpage at www.Fremont.gov/DistrictElections.

Fremont's Central Park Summer Concert Series Underway

Fremont's Central Park Summer Concert Series continues to sizzle! The City is hosting free concerts every Thursday evening through August 3, featuring a variety of musical genres and performers, from 80s dance music to soulful R&B classics.

The remaining concerts will be held on the following dates:

- July 27 Jukebox Heroes (Decades of Billboard Hits)
- August 3 East Bay Mudd (Big Horn Band Playin' R&B Hits)

Concerts will be held at the Central Park Performance Pavilion (next to 40204 Paseo Padre Pkwy.) on Thursdays from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Children are also welcome, and can head to the Kids' Fun Zone, a kid-friendly environment sponsored by Bay Area Jump.



Remember to come hungry since Kinder's will be serving up a mouthwatering menu that varies from week to week.

This year's Summer Concert Series is presented by Washington Hospital Healthcare System and

Republic Services and is sponsored by Niles Rotary, Nothing Bundt Cakes, Bay Area Jump, and Kinder's.

For more information, please call 510-494-4300 or send an email to RegeRec@fremont.gov.

Movie under the Stars

Join the City of Fremont Recreation Services Division for Friday Night Movies in the Park this summer on July 28 and August 18. The movies, Moana on July 28 and The LEGO Batman Movie on August 18, will be shown just after sunset at the Central Park Performance Pavilion. Both events are free, so grab some blankets or low beach chairs, a picnic dinner and enjoy two great flicks with your family this summer! For more details, visit www.Fremont.gov/MovieNight.



Fremont Now Accepting Applications for its Mobility Task Force

On Tuesday, July 11, Mayor Lily Mei announced the start of the application process for Fremont's new Mobility Task Force, which was approved by Mayor Mei and the Fremont City Council on May 16 and will serve as an advisory committee for the City of Fremont. The application period will run from July 11 through July 31, 2017.

The purpose of this community-based Mobility Task Force is to guide the development of a Mobility Action Plan that will help the City address traffic congestion issues and safety, and prepare for future transportation trends such as autonomous vehicles. The Mobility Action Plan will go to City Council for consideration in May 2018.

The City of Fremont aims to have the Mobility Task Force be comprised of a variety of community perspectives, including: residents from each Council District; a representative from the Planning Commission, Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee, and Environmental Sustainability Commission; and local businesses and professionals that are involved with the transportation industry. A professional consultant is also planned to assist the Task Force and City staff with navigating relevant issues and plans, exploring transportation improvement ideas, conducting community outreach, interviewing stakeholders and experts, and preparing the Mobility Action Plan.

The Mobility Task Force will meet on the third Thursday of each month from October 2017 through April 2018 at the City's Development Services Center. Planned meeting dates are October 19, November 16, December 21, February 15, March 15, and April 19; meetings will begin at 7 p.m.

If interested in applying for the Mobility Task Force, please complete and drop off an application to the City Clerk's Office, located at City Hall, 3300 Capitol Ave., Building A, by 5 p.m. on July 31, 2017. Interviews for the most qualified applicants will be held between August 2 and August 10, 2017.

Additional information can be found at www.Fremont.gov/MobilityTaskForce.



FASTER THAN A SPEEDING BULLET...

Opening lines and musical themes have introduced young and old to superheroes for generations. In the past, alien beings and influences dominated the genre and much of that remains as a basis for new iterations as well. With their resurgence, heroes and villains continue to battle for supremacy in print and on big and little screens. Not only do these figures illustrate traditional themes of good versus evil, but continue to explore complex issues such as gender identity and character flaws. Two dimensional characters that in the past may have included a subtle subtext of complexity, are now accompanied by those that transform in shape and values, offering alternative ethical concepts.

In honor of the popularity of new characters and re-emergence of classic heroes, sidekicks, anti-heroes and downright villains, Tri-City Voice has partnered with local libraries to encourage pre-teens to create a new set of superheroes. Free supplies are available at participating libraries to assist in the quest to find new heroes with extraordinary powers.

In August, Spiderman and Wonder Woman will be waiting to greet and inspire your creativity; they will even let you take a picture with them! Each library will select the most original and imaginative superhero to be published in a special edition of Tri-City Voice in September. Will your superhero be the one?

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- Castro Valley
- Fremont (Main)
- Milpitas
- Newark
- San Lorenzo
- Union City

Bringing down the house with Blue House



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Blue House combines the talents of three singer/songwriters and longtime friends Marlies de Veer (vocals, acoustic guitar), Amy Beasley (vocals, bass guitar, foot percussion), and Brian Loud (vocals, acoustic guitar) who enjoy mixing a rocker's attitude with a folkier acoustic sound, highlighted by their close-knit harmonies. They perform throughout the Bay Area and beyond at festivals, fairs, nightclubs, coffee houses, wineries, wine bars, house concerts and concert halls playing

their own original music blended with a sometimes mind-boggling eclectic mix of songs written by others. They are joined by their good friend Mark Shawver on percussions/drums.

Blue House's CD, "Almost 10," will be available at the show, and can also be found at Amazon, iTunes, and eMusic.

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www.fremontcoffee.com
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SUPERHERO MONTH IS COMING



What do Spiderman and Wonder Woman have in common?

They are looking forward to visiting local libraries during the month of August and inviting pre-teens to participate in a contest to create and publish their own superhero in Tri-City Voice. In August, everyone is invited to stop by and snap a picture with Spiderman and Wonder Woman. Contest rules and superhero supplies will be available at your local participating library soon. Enter the contest for a chance to make your superhero famous.

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22380 Foothill Blvd., Hayward (501) 581-0223

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beverly.ryans@newark.org

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Friday, Jul 1 - Sunday, Sep 1
Healing Wings and Natural Things Exhibit

10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Nature photographs to encourage relaxation
Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center
4901 Breakwater Ave., Hayward
(510) 670-7270
www.haywardrec.org

Wednesday, Jul 1 - Sunday, Sep 24

Art and Science of Pinball \$
10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Discover variety of old and new machines
View inner-workings on see through machine
Interactive games
Chabot Space & Science Center

10000 Skyline Blvd., Oakland
(510) 336-7373
www.chabotspace.org

Mondays, Jul 3 thru Aug 21

Walk This Way
9:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.
Fitness games and outdoor walking
Newark Senior Center
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark
(510) 578-4840
http://www.newark.org/departments/recreation-and-community-services/senior/

Wednesdays & Fridays, Jul 5 thru Jul 28

Fall Prevention Program – R
3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Improve balance, strength, flexibility
Ages 60+
Weekes Park Community Center
27182 Patrick Ave., Hayward
(510) 881-0300 x270
www.SpectrumCS.org

Wednesdays, Jul 5 - Aug 30

Spring Chicken Exercise \$
9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Improve flexibility, strength, balance
Ruggieri Senior Center
33997 Alvarado Niles Rd.,
Union City
(510) 675-5495
ruggieriseniorcenter@unioncity.org

Wednesday, Jul 7 - Sunday, Sep 10

Arts and Letters Exhibit \$
10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Variety of pieces reflecting words and art
Hayward Area Historical Society
Museum
22380 Foothill Blvd., Hayward
(501) 581-0223
www.haywardareahistory.org

Through Saturday, Aug 5

The Steampunk Show
Friday – Sunday, 11a.m. – 5 p.m.
Artists' Reception: Saturday, Jul 22
1 p.m. – 4 p.m.
Steampunk, sci-fi, & vintage art
Sun Gallery
1015 E St, Hayward
(510) 581-4050
www.sungallery.org

Thursday, Jul 11 - Sunday, Aug 12

Red, White and Tuna \$
Thurs - Sat: 8 p.m.
Sun: 3 p.m.
Comedy portrays small town Texas family
Broadway West Theatre
Company
400-B Bay St., Fremont
(510) 683-9218
www.broadwaywest.org

Tuesdays, Jul 11 thru Aug 29

Bridge 1
9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Set up, bid play and score keeping
Newark Senior Center
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark
(510) 578-4840
www.newark.org

Tuesdays, Jul 11 thru Aug 29
Bridge 2

10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
Mastering game strategy
Newark Senior Center
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark
(510) 578-4840
www.newark.org

Thursdays, Jul 13 - Aug 31
Bingo \$

1 p.m.
Games, refreshments and door prizes
Newark Senior Center
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark
(510) 578-4840
www.newark.org

Saturday, Jul 15 – Sunday, Aug 13

Arsenic and Old Lace \$
8 p.m. Saturdays & Fridays, Aug 4 & 11
2 p.m. Sundays
Zany family disconnected from reality
San Leandro Museum/Auditorium
320 West Estudillo Ave,
San Leandro
(510) 895-2573
www.slplayers.org

Mondays, Jul 17 thru Aug 28

Bunco
10 a.m.
Dice game
No experience necessary
Newark Senior Center
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark
(510) 578-4840
www.newark.org

Wednesdays, Jul 19 - Aug 30
Resume Writing and Job Search Class

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.
Employment assistance
Salvation Army Newark
36700 Newark Blvd., Newark
(510) 793-6319
Lilyx.MacCallum@usw.salvation-army.org

Thursdays, Jul 20 - Aug 31
Bingo

10:30 a.m. - 12 noon
Fun, friendship and prizes
Salvation Army Newark
36700 Newark Blvd., Newark
(510) 793-6319
Lilyx.MacCallum@usw.salvation-army.org

Fridays, Jul 21 thru Aug 25
Exercise Class

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.
Yoga, stretching, gentle cardio
Salvation Army Newark
36700 Newark Blvd., Newark
(510) 793-6319
Lilyx.MacCallum@usw.salvation-army.org

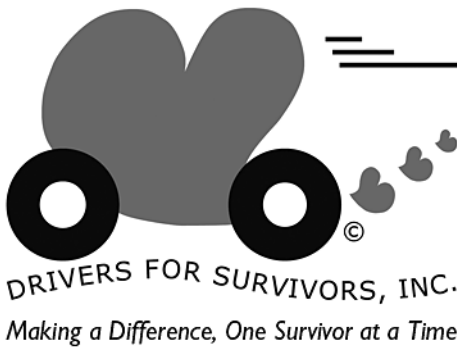
Fridays, Jul 21 thru Aug 25
Youth Night

5:30 p.m.
Educational and recreational activities
Salvation Army Newark
36700 Newark Blvd., Newark
(510) 793-6319
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2:30 – 3:00 Glenmoor School,
4620 Mattos Dr., FREMONT
4:45 – 5:20 Baywood Apart-
ments, 4275 Bay St.,
FREMONT
5:50 – 6:40 Booster Park, Gable
Dr. & McDuff Ave., FREMONT

Wednesday, July 26

1:40 – 2:10
Jerome Ave. & Ohlone St.,
FREMONT
2:30 – 4:00
Warm Springs Community
Center, 47300 Fernald St.,
FREMONT
5:45 – 6:45 Camellia Dr. &
Camellia Ct., FREMONT

Thursday, July 27
No Service

Friday, July 28
No Service

Monday, July 31
2:15 – 3:00
Seabreeze Park, Dyer St. &
Carmel Way, UNION CITY

4:45 – 6:45 Forest Park School,
Deep Creek Rd. & Maybird Cir.,
FREMONT

Tuesday, Aug 1

2:30 – 3:00 Glenmoor School,
4620 Mattos Dr., FREMONT
4:45 – 5:20 Baywood Apart-
ments, 4275 Bay St., FRE-
MONT
5:50 – 6:40
Booster Park, Gable Dr. & Mc-
Duff Ave., FREMONT

Wednesday, Aug 2

1:40 – 2:10
Jerome Ave. & Ohlone St.,
FREMONT
2:30 – 4:00
Warm Springs Community
Center, 47300 Fernald St.,
FREMONT
5:45 – 6:45
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Class

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.
Healthy eating and simple recipes
Salvation Army Newark
36700 Newark Blvd., Newark
(510) 793-6319
Lilyx.MacCallum@usw.salvation-
army.org

Tuesdays, Jul 25 - Aug 29
English as a Second Language
Class

10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Open to all adult learners
Salvation Army Newark
36700 Newark Blvd., Newark
(510) 793-6319
Lilyx.MacCallum@usw.salvation-
army.org

Tuesdays, Jul 25 thru Sep 26
Toastmasters Club Meeting

7:00 a.m. - 8:10 a.m.
Practice public speaking and leadership
Newark Branch Library
6300 Civic Terrace Ave., Newark
(510) 402-8318
www.1118.toastmastersclubs.org

Friday, Jul 28 - Sunday, Aug 13
Footloose The Musical \$

Fri & Sat: 7:30 p.m.
Sun: 2:30 p.m.
Starstruck Theatre production
Intended for audiences ages 8+
Smith Center
43600 Mission Blvd., Fremont
(510) 659-6031
http://starstrucktheatre.org/
www.smithcenter.com

Wednesdays, Aug 2 - Sep 27

Hayward PD Community Acad-
emy – R

6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Topics include crime, traffic, narcotics,
911 dispatch
Application and background
check required
Must be 18+
Hayward Police Department
North District Office
22701 Main St, Hayward
(510) 293-7151
gale.bleth@hayward-ca.gov
http://www.haywardpd.net

Wednesdays, Aug 16 thru
Oct 25

Citizen Police Academy – R

5:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Volunteers train to assist Newark Police
Application due 7/28
Newark Police Department
37101 Newark Blvd., Newark
(510) 578-4352
beverly.ryans@newark.org

Friday, Jul 28 - Monday, Oct 2
Blue Planet #Standupfor-
Science

8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Exhibit on climate change, habitat de-
struction
John O'Lague Galleria
777 B Street, Hayward
(510) 581-4050
www.SunGallery.org
www.haywardartscouncil.org

THIS WEEK

Tuesday, Jul 25

Fremont Symphony Fundraiser
\$

11:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.
Organization gets 20%
Mention organization when placing
order

Strizzi's Restaurant
2740 Mowry, Fremont
(510) 797-9000
www.strizzis.com

Wednesday, Jul 26

The Amazing Alan

2:00 p.m. & 3:30 p.m.
Science magic show
Fremont Main Library
2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont
(510) 745-1421

Wednesday, Jul 26

Pre-School Toddler Time \$

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

Wednesday, Jul 26

Tween Movie Night

6 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find
Them
Grades 6 – 8
Milpitas Library
160 North Main St., Milpitas
(408) 262-1171
https://www.sccl.org/milpitas

Wednesday, Jul 26

Doing Business with the
Government – R

6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Discuss small businesses bidding
contracts
Hayward City Hall
777 B St., Hayward
(510) 208-0410
http://www.hayward.org/

Wednesday, Jul 26

College Essay Boot Camp \$R

7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Strategies for college admissions essays
India Community Center
525 Los Coches Street, Milpitas
408-934-1130
www.IndiaCC.org

Thursday, Jul 27

Scottish Country Dancing

6 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Introductory lessons to 18th century so-
cial dance
All ages and skill levels welcome
Hayward Area Historical Society
Museum
22380 Foothill Blvd., Hayward
(501) 581-0223
www.haywardareahistory.org

Thursday, Jul 27

Fun Crafts for Teens

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.
Materials, instruction, assistance
provided
Milpitas Library
160 North Main St., Milpitas
(408) 262-1171
https://www.sccl.org/milpitas

Thursday, Jul 27

Summer Concert Series: Juke-
box Heroes

6 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Foreigner cover band
Fremont Central Park
Performance Pavilion
4000 Paseo Padre Parkway,
Fremont
(510) 494-4300
www.fremont.gov

Friday, Jul 28 - Saturday, Jul 29

Live Blues Music

9 p.m.
Various artists
Smoking Pig BBQ
3340 Mowry Ave., Fremont
(510) 713-1854
www.smokingpigbbq.net

Friday, Jul 28

Friday Teen Festivities \$

4:45 p.m.
Paint night
Silliman Activity Center
6800 Mowry Ave., Newark
(510) 578-4620
www.newark.org

Friday, Jul 28

Boardwalk Tilt Pinball Carnival
\$

6 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Stilt walkers, jugglers, food, music
Ages 21+
Chabot Space & Science Center
10000 Skyline Blvd., Oakland
(510) 336-7373
www.chabotspace.org

Friday, Jul 28

Preschool Storytime

10:30 a.m.
Picture books, flannel board stories,
activities
Ages 3 – 5
Milpitas Library
160 North Main St., Milpitas
(408) 262-1171
https://www.sccl.org/milpitas

Friday, Jul 28

Shine Your Way Concert

7:30 p.m.
Performances by Jenny Lin Summer
Music Program
Chabot College
25555 Hesperian Blvd., Hayward
(510) 723-6600
http://jennylinfoundation.org/

Saturday, Jul 29

Passeio do Vinho Wine Stroll \$

2:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Wine, food and live music
Downtown Hayward
B St. and Foothill, Hayward
(510) 537-2424
www.haywardwinewalk.eventbrit
e.com

Saturday, Jul 29
Find that Fox – R
2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Search for the presence of wildlife
SF Bay Wildlife Refuge
1 Marshlands Rd., Fremont
(510) 792-0222
<http://donedwardsfox.eventbrite.com>

Saturday, Jul 29
Community Document Shredding Event
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Maximum 4 boxes 12” x 14” x 20”
Open to Newark citizens with proof of residency
Newark City Hall
37101 Newark Blvd., Newark
(510) 793-1400
www.newark.org

Saturday, Jul 29
Stitching Knit and Crochet Club
12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Practice and learn new skills
Bring needles or hooks
Newark Branch Library
6300 Civic Terrace Ave., Newark
(510) 284-0684
btelford-ishida@aclibrary.org

Saturday, Jul 29
Campfire Program
8 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Games, songs and stories around the campfire
Anthony Chabot Campground and Park
9999 Redwood Rd.,
Castro Valley
(510) 544- 3187
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jul 29
Docent Training – R
10 a.m. - 12 noon
Training in environmental education
Tips to assist with school

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

Saturday, Jul 29 - Sunday, Jul 30
Wheat Harvesting \$
1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Thresh and mill wheat into flour
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd.,
Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jul 29
Family Luau \$
2 p.m. - 6 p.m.
Food, games, music, swimming
Dan Oden Swim Complex
33901 Syracuse Ave., Union City
(510) 675-5488
<http://www.ci.union-city.ca.us/departments/community-recreation-services/activity-guide>

Saturday, Jul 29
Silent Movie Night \$
7:30 p.m.
The Lost World, Gertie the Dinosaur, His Prehistoric Past
Niles Essanay Theater
37417 Niles Blvd, Fremont
(510) 494-1411
www.nilesfilmmuseum.org

Saturday, Jul 29
Blue House Band \$
7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Folk rock music
Mission Coffee Roasting House
151 Washington Blvd., Fremont
(510) 474-1004
www.fremontcoffee.com

Saturday, Jul 29 - Sunday, Jul 30
Art Contest and Exhibit \$
10:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Justice for All theme
Bring art supplies, paper provided
Ages 4 – adult
South Bay Community Church
47385 Warm Springs Blvd.,
Fremont
(510) 490-9500
[www.sobcc.org https://art4justice.eventbrite.com](https://art4justice.eventbrite.com)

Saturday, Jul 29
Summer Concert: Zebop
7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Santana Tribute band
Pacific Commons at The Block
43923 Pacific Commons Blvd.,
Fremont
(510) 770-9798
www.pacificcommons.com

Saturday, Jul 29
Potluck Concert in the Alley
3 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Enjoy music, food, community
Support thoughtful development of Fremont
Stand Up 4 Fremont
Victory Lane Niles
Between G and H Streets,
Fremont
StandUp4Fremont@gmail.com
<https://www.facebook.com/standup4fremont/>

Sunday, Jul 30
Cooking in the Country Kitchen \$
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Treats prepared on a wood burning stove
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd.,
Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Sunday, Jul 30
Puppet Show \$
11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Little Red Hen farmyard story performance
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd.,
Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Sunday, Jul 30
Birding the Shoreline
8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Explore marshes for waterfowl
Easy flat 2 mile walk
Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center
4901 Breakwater Ave., Hayward
(510) 544-3220
www.haywardrec.org

Sunday, Jul 30
Willows Hike
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Visit the marshes and Ohlone village site
Easy 3.0 mile hike
Ages 14+
Coyote Hills Regional Park
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd.,
Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Sunday, Jul 30
Congressman Ro Khanna Town Hall Meeting
4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Discuss political topics of interest
Limited seating to first 300 attendees
Sunnyvale Community Center
East Remington Dr., Sunnyvale
(408) 436-2720
<https://khanna.house.gov/about/events/july-30-2017-town-hall-meeting>

Monday, Jul 31
Milpitas Rotary Club Meeting
12 noon - 1:30 p.m.
Discuss Chinese culture, history, philosophy
Dave and Busters
940 Great Mall Dr., Milpitas
(408) 957-9215
<http://www.clubrunner.ca/milpitas>

Monday, Jul 31 – Friday, Aug 4
Vacation Bible School
8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Fun activities and faith-based learning
The Salvation Army
Tri-Cities Community Center
36700 Newark Blvd., Newark
(510) 793-6319
MeiHar.Kong@usw.salvation-army.org

Tuesday, Aug 1
Twilight Walk
6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.
Sunset views on 2.5 mile walk
Ages 7+
Sunol Regional Wilderness
1895 Geary Rd., Sunol
(510) 544-3249
www.ebparks.org

Tuesday, Aug 1
Summer Concert Series
6:15 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.
Bruce Gynn and Big Rain
Murphy Park
1645 Yellowstone Ave, Milpitas
(408) 586-3210
<http://www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov/milpitas/departments/recreation-services/37244-2/>

Saturday, Aug 19
MSJ Chamber Lobster Fest \$R
6 p.m.
Complete lobster dinner
No host wine and beer, live music
LIMITED SEATING
Mission Coffee Roasting House
151 Washington Blvd., Fremont
(510) 427-3007
<http://msjchamber.org/>

Swing into summer with local Concerts

Music is in the air once again as musicians converge in the Tri-Cities for annual summer concert series. Whatever your musical leanings, local concerts are sure to have you covered; from jazz to cover bands and country, options are offered throughout the week in various cities. Grab a lawn chair, some sunscreen, and your family and friends to enjoy the sweet sounds of summer.

CASTRO VALLEY

Chouinard Summer Concert Series

Sundays, 4:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Chouinard Vineyard and Winery
33853 Palomarea Rd,
Castro Valley
(510) 582-9900
www.chouinard.com/winery-eventcalendar/
www.brownpapertickets.com
Cost: \$50 per car (six people max.)

Aug 6: ‘70s – 2000s in the Vineyards – Dawn Coburn, SugarBeat
Aug 20: Blues in the Vineyards – Delta Wires

FREMONT:

Central Park Summer Concert Series
Thursdays, 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Central Park Performance

Pavilion
40000 Paseo Padre Pkwy,
Fremont
(510) 494-4300
www.fremont.gov
Free

Jul 27: Jukebox Heroes

Aug 3: East Bay Mudd

Niles Home Concert Series

Saturday, 5:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.
Historic Niles
37735 Second St, Fremont
(510) 825-0783
www.facebook.com/NilesHomeConcert?
Tickets: \$20 minimum donation; attendance by advanced RSVP only

Aug 26: Mark Karan & Friends and Blood & Dust

Niles Plaza Summer Concert Series
Sundays, 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Niles Plaza
37592 Niles Blvd, Fremont
(510) 742-9868
www.niles.org/summer-concert-series/
Free

Sep 10: Saddle Cats, Sandi & The Rockefellers, Johnny Harper & Carnival, Southbound

Pacific Commons Summer Concert Series
Saturdays, 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
The Block (near Dick’s Sporting Goods)
(510) 770-9798
www.pacificcommons.com
Free

Jul 29: Zebop! (Santana Tribute Band)

Aug 5: Tap Handles

Aug 12: Last One Picked (Rock & Americana)

HAYWARD

Hayward Street Party
Thursdays, 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
B Street (between Foothill Blvd and Watkins St), Hayward
(510) 537-2424
www.hayward.org
Free

Aug 17: Patron, Hayward High School Marching Band, Mitch Polzak and the Royal Deuces, Justin Brown, Conscious Souls

Hayward Odd Fellows Summer Concert Series

Sundays, 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Hayward Memorial Park
24176 Mission Blvd, Hayward
www.HaywardLodge.org
Free, donations accepted by nonprofits

Aug 6: Celebration of Hayward’s Mexican heritage with Baile Folklorico featuring Compañia México Danza and benefiting the East Bay Center for the Preservation of Cultural Arts

Aug 13: Jazz and Blues Concert: What’s Up Big Band, the Sycamore 129 Blues Band, and the Fault Line Blues Band to benefit the Family Emergency Shelter Coalition (FESCO), with Celebrity Chef City Council Member Mark Salinas

Aug 27: Original Feel Good Music of Sezu and Kari McAllister and the SweetspOts benefiting the South Hayward Parish

Sep 10: Jazz and Rock Concert: 3 O’Clock Jump, Tablues, with Mt. Eden High School Choirs and members of the choir to benefit the Mt. Eden High School Choir, with Celebrity Chef City Council Member Francisco Zermeno

Sep 17: Jazz Concert: In Full Swing Big Band and the Hayward La Honda All Stars to benefit the Hayward-La Honda Music Camp

Sep 24: Original Rock ’n’ Roll: Uncle Rico’s featuring Hypnotones and the Hayward High School Marching Band, Band and Jazz Band members

to benefit the Hayward High School Instrumental Music Program, with Celebrity Chef City Council Member Mark Salinas

MILPITAS

Milpitas Summer Concert Series

Tuesdays, 6:15 p.m. – 8:15 p.m.
Murphy Park
1645 Yellowstone Ave, Milpitas
(408) 586-3210
www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov
Free

Aug 1: Bruce Gynn & Big Rain

NEWARK

Music at the Grove
Fridays, 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Shirley Sisk Grove
Cedar Blvd at NewPark Mall,
Newark
(510) 578-4405
www.newark.org
Free

Aug 4: Journey Unauthorized

Troubled by someone’s drinking?

SUBMITTED BY ANGUS SHEEHAN

Do you worry about how much someone drinks? Do you feel like a failure because you can’t control the drinking? Do you think that if the drinker stopped drinking, your other problems would be solved? Do you feel angry, confused, or depressed most of the time? Do you believe that if they really loved you, they’d stop drinking?

If you answered ‘yes’ to any of the above questions, you are not alone. Come check out the Al-Anon/Alateen Family Group of Fremont-Union City-Newark (F.U.N.). Please join us at the “Day In Al-Anon” event on Saturday, August 12. There will be workshops throughout the day with topics focused on marriage, parenting, and the effects of

alcoholism on adults who grew up in families affected by the disease. Speakers from Alateen, Alcoholics Anonymous, and Al-Anon will also share their personal testimonies. The suggested donation is \$20 and includes lunch, but no one will be turned away. Join us for a day of fellowship, recovery, workshops, food, fun, and raffle baskets! For information about Al-Anon and Alateen: www.ncwsa.org.

Day in Al-Anon
Saturday, Aug 12
9:00 a.m. - Registration
10:00 a.m. - Workshops
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Park It

BY ED MCKAY

In partnership with the Kaiser Foundation HMO, East Bay Regional Park District offers **Saturday and Sunday Strolls**, a series of monthly outings that provide safe, low-impact physical activities to promote health and fitness. It's part of a Healthy Parks/Healthy People program.

The next one is a walk on Sunday, July 30 along the shady East Shore Trail at Lake Chabot in Castro Valley. It's about 3-and-a-half miles round trip to Huck's Trail and back. Meet at 10 a.m. at the Marina Store. You can bring your dog, but the pooch must be leashed.

Lake Chabot is on Lake Chabot Road just north of Castro Valley. Parking and dog

fees apply. For information, call 510-544-3187.

For another **easy, three-mile hike on Sunday, July 30**, join naturalist Francis Mendoza at Coyote Hills Regional Park in Fremont.

Francis will lead the group through the marsh, Ohlone Village site and Willows Trail. Wear sturdy shoes, apply sunscreen, and bring water. The hike is for ages 14 and older. Meet Francis at 1:30 p.m. at the Quarry parking lot.

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

Later, on **Sunday, July 30**, **there's a twilight walk** scheduled

from 7 to 9 p.m. at Tilden Nature Area near Berkeley, led by naturalist Trent Pearce. Twilight and early evening are good times to encounter more wildlife.

Meet Trent at Tilden's Environmental Education Center, which is at the north end of Central Park Drive. For information, call 510-544-2233.

Another hiking series in the regional parks is **Tortoise Trekkers**, led by naturalist Ashley Adams.

Ashley and the Meanderthals, as she calls the trekkers, will take a leisurely stroll from 5:45 to 9:15 p.m. on Sunday, July 30 at Del Valle Regional Park south of Livermore.

Starting at the Arroyo Road staging area, it's a 3.7-mile walk from the dam to Heron Bay. If

you come, bring a flashlight.

This activity is free, but registration is required. And it's for ages seven and older. To register, call 888-327-2757. Select option 2 and refer to program 17491.

Big Break Regional Shoreline in Oakley has a full agenda for Saturday and Sunday, July 29 and 30.

From 2 to 3 p.m. on Saturday, July 29 it's Tule

World time. Tule reeds were used by Native American for a variety of purposes including cordage, shelter and boats. The program will get you hands-on with these useful plants.

Then from 10 to 11 a.m. on Sunday, July 30, learn how so-called cold-blooded animals (reptiles) survive in the summer heat.

Big Break is at 69 Big Break Road off Oakley's Main Street. For information, call 888-327-2757, ext. 3050.

Speaking of surviving the heat, here's a safety tip for those hot summer days: don't forget to bring water. If you're out hiking the trails, the heat can really sneak up on you. I'd advise a quart of water per person at absolute minimum, more than that if it's hot or you're going on a long hike.

And don't forget water for your dog. Dogs wear a permanent fur coat, and they cool off mostly by panting. For a doggie bowl, you can use a one-gallon plastic bag.

If you take along those 500-milliliter plastic water bottles, please carry the empties out with you. On trail safety patrol, I find discarded empties all the time. They don't enhance the scenery. You can compact a plastic bottle by removing the cap, squashing the bottle underfoot, rolling it up from the bottom, then screwing the cap back on. There are recycle bins at many trailheads.

SAVE room for burgers and fries

SUBMITTED BY
CHRISTINA FERNANDEZ

Juicy burgers, crisp fries and the chance to raise funds for a good cause. That's the idea behind an upcoming SAVE fund-raiser planned for Wednesday, Aug. 9 at The Counter Custom Burgers restaurant in Fremont.

SAVE will celebrate patio weather with a Summer Social at the restaurant from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at 39350 Paseo Padre Parkway. This will be a great opportunity for community members to connect with SAVE staff and volunteers to hear about what's new at the agency while enjoying delicious beverages and burgers.

During the event, 15 percent of food sales will be donated to SAVE. It also a good idea to arrive early,

because the first 10 guests will receive a free SAVE T-shirt. The event also will include a raffle and there will be plenty of time to network with other guests.

SAVE is a nonprofit community-based organization that has provided free domestic violence prevention and support services to residents of the Tri-Cities, the Bay Area and beyond, since 1976. Its mission is to strengthen every individual and family they serve with the knowledge and support needed to end the cycle of domestic violence and build healthier lives.

To participate in the fund-raiser, guests should contact SAVE to get a flier to present to the restaurant staff who will donate 15 percent of sales to the organization. The fliers are available at the SAVE Empowerment Center

in Fremont. Call (510) 574-2250 extension 106 for the address, or to have a flier sent by mail. Fliers also are available electronically by sending an email to development@save-dv.org.

Anyone who can't attend the fund-raiser, but would still like to support SAVE services and programs can visit their website at www.save-dv.org.

SAVE Fundraiser
Wednesday, Aug. 9
5 p.m. – 8 p.m.
The Counter Custom Burgers
39350 Paseo Padre Parkway,
Fremont
Email: development@save-dv.org
(515) 574-2250

Two students create learning centers

SUBMITTED BY
GPA ENRICHMENT CENTERS

Two Mission San Jose High School students, Shreya Kumar and Meghna Okhade, are high-achievers who recognized a problem: guaranteeing that students from all backgrounds have equal access to tutoring. Kumar and Okhade's solution was the creation of GPA (Guidance, Practice, and Acceleration), a summer academic enrichment course that turns no one away.

GPA completed its first session in 2016 at the Fremont Main Library; for 2017, GPA has expanded to San Lorenzo and Union City. The 6th to 8th grade program enjoys a low student to teacher ratio and has developed its own Math, English, and Science curriculum to tutor about 50 students. Using a combination of group exercises and game-based learning, GPA creates a positive and successful environment where everyone has a chance to participate and have fun.

This year's session is almost over, but GPA is looking for tutors and volunteers for its 2018 season. Visit <http://gpa-enrichment.weebly.com/> for more information.

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SPORTS

Make'em Bleed saves lives

SUBMITTED BY BARB MORGEN

The Silicon Valley Roller Girls have helped to inspired the most widely attended series of blood drives in California and a series of blood drives across the United States in partnership with the American Red Cross and Brown Paper Tickets.

Seven greater Bay Area roller derby leagues are partnering with roller derby teams from coast to coast, Brown Paper Tickets and the American Red Cross to save lives with the fourth annual “Make ‘em Bleed” roller derby blood drive series, July 26 to Dec. 2. The most widely attended blood drive series in California, Make ‘em Bleed national roller derby blood drive series was inspired by the success of the California blood drives, including those hosted annually in San Jose. This year's Make ‘em Bleed blood drive series kicks off Saturday, July 29 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. hosted by the Silicon Valley Roller Girls at Silver Creek Sportsplex, 800 Embedded Way.

In its first 4 years, “Make ‘em Bleed” roller derby blood drives attracted record crowds and collected more than 900 units of blood; enough donations to save 2700 lives. Roller derby athletes will offer autographs and photo opportunities at the blood drives to inspire the highest levels of attendance and donations.

“‘Make ‘em Bleed’ roller derby drives are more popular than other blood drives, resulting in more donations and lives saved,” said Justin Mueller, American Red Cross representative. “Most of the roller derby drives have skaters in uniform on hand, and there is just a fun vibe about it. The girls are so welcoming, fun and energetic.”

“We hope to double the number of lives saved this year as the success of the California blood drives has inspired roller derby leagues from coast to coast to host a blood drive,” said Jerry Seltzer, Sonoma-based son of the inventor of roller derby, former commissioner for the sport, former board member for the American Red Cross of California and current outreach representative with Brown Paper Tickets. “Just like almost every roller derby league in the world, Brown Paper Tickets has a community service mission.”

“Summer blood drives are critical to maintaining a healthy community blood supply,” Mueller said.

“A single donation can help save multiple lives. You really can make a difference in the life of a local patient in need by giving blood.”

In 2017, the Make ‘em Bleed national roller derby blood drive series is part of World Roller Derby Week, a series of events Aug. 13-19 celebrating the 82nd birthday of the invention of the sport by Leo Seltzer in 1935. Roller derby is one of only three major sports invented in the United States, inspiring generations of athletes and fans. Currently, almost 2000 women’s, men’s and junior leagues are skating, competing and giving back to their communities worldwide.

The 2017 Make ‘Em Bleed Roller Derby Blood Drive Series (California):

- Saturday, July 29 (San Jose, California): Join the Silicon Valley Roller Girls from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Silver Creek Sportsplex, 800 Embedded Way.
- Friday, Aug. 18 (Santa Cruz, California): Join the Santa Cruz Derby Girls from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Santa Cruz Strength, 151 Harvey West Blvd Suite D.
- Friday, Aug. 18 (Livermore, California): Join the Quad City Derby Bombshells at a time to be announced at Asbury United Methodist Church, 4743 East Ave.
- Friday, Aug. 25 (Santa Rosa, California): Join the Resurrection Roller Girls and the Sonoma Roller Derby; at a time to be announced at the American Red Cross, 5297 Aero Drive. Both leagues have teamed-up for this blood drive in competition for which league can attract the most blood donor registrants, in competition for the Brown Paper Tickets cup.
- Saturday, Dec. 2 (Antioch, California): Join the Undead Bettys at a time and place to be announced.

Dates and locations being added and updated weekly. For the latest news, check

<http://community.brownpapertickets.com/wp/redcross-blood-drives-roller-derby/>. To schedule a convenient appointment to donate, call 1-800-RED CROSS or visit redcrossblood.org and enter the sponsor code: DERBY.

Pioneers place four on Honors Court

SUBMITTED BY STEVE CONNOLLY

The Cal State East Bay men’s basketball team set a new program high by placing four student-athletes on the 2016-17 National Association of Basketball Coaches (NABC) Honors Court, the organization announced Tuesday.

Seniors Tre Mauldin and Paramvir Singh both captured the award for the third consecutive year, while juniors Jordan Balser and Patrick Marr each earned their first career honor. The Honors Court recognizes academic juniors and seniors (or higher) who maintain at least a 3.2 cumulative grade point average through the 2016-17 school year and have completed at least one full year at their institution.

The Pioneers also boasted the highest total of any team in the California Collegiate Athletic Association (CCAA).

Mauldin was a consistently excellent academic performer throughout his six-year Pioneer career. During that time, the Lancaster native earned both his bachelor’s and master’s degrees in kinesiology. Singh was similarly exemplary in the classroom during his five years as a Pioneer, and this Spring was awarded with

the CCAA’s prestigious Dr. Hal Charnofsky award.

Balser and Marr highlight an impressive group of returners who are coming off the program’s best season on the court since joining the CCAA. As a team, the Pioneers notched a 3.08 grade point average in 2016-17 and have performed better academically than any program in the CCAA during the tenure of head coach Gus Argenal, who enters his fifth season in 2017-18.

Man rescued after being swept down river on air mattress

ASSOCIATED PRESS

WILLIAMSBURG, Ky. (AP), Emergency workers rescued a man from rushing water in the Cumberland River near Williamsburg.

Local media reports Williamsburg Fire Chief Larry Todd says 45-year-old Jerry Shadoan was camping Sunday near the banks of the Cumberland River when the water levels rose and washed him into the river. Shadoan floated 30 yards downstream while asleep on an air mattress inside his tent.

Shadoan's tent eventually got caught on a tree, waking him up. He called 911 with his cell phone and was rescued shortly thereafter.

Todd says Shadoan stayed afloat on his air mattress until crews were able to rescue him. Whitley County Emergency Management Director Danny Moses says Shadoan was unharmed. However, he lost many belongings.

AC Bus breaks fuel cell record

SUBMITTED BY ROBERT LYLES

The Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District (AC Transit) recently recorded a second history making event—25,000 hours of continuous operation of a Fuel Cell Electric Bus (FCEB). Just two years ago, the FCEB No. 7 power plant set an international record for 20,000 hours of continuous operation. With each record setting accomplishment, AC Transit has dramatically advanced the cause of alternative fuel vehicles by both proving the durability of hydrogen fuel cell in daily revenue service and remaining at least one year ahead of federal recommendations.

“The fuel cell manufacturer expected the onboard power plant to operate just 4,000 hours,” says AC Transit Board Director Chris Peeples, “but we’ve created a team of maintenance professionals who have been industry leaders in FCEB and Zero Emission Bus (ZEB) technology, proving FCEBs are a dramatic leap forward in meeting the Advanced Clean Transit Regulations target of operating all zero-emission buses by the year 2040.”

The U.S. Department of Energy and Federal Transit Administration established performance metrics and life expectancy for FCEBs. Traditionally, a public transit bus’s life expectancy is measured in terms of the number of miles on its diesel engine. A diesel engine’s life expectancy is 6 years or 250,000 miles before overhaul. However, the Fuel Cell Electric Bus (FCEB) reinvented the heavy-duty transit model. FCEBs eliminated the harmful CO2 emissions of diesel engines with its zero-emission onboard power plant. Now, the life expectancy of the fuel cell power plant is measured in terms of hours. Once AC Transit’s FCEB No. 7 recorded its 25,000-hour milestone, it demonstrated the potential for fuel cells to have life expectancies similar to diesel engines.

“Since 2001, AC Transit’s FCEBs continue to prove that there is a zero-emission alternative to diesel engines with near identical durableness,” said California Air Resources Board Chair Mary D. Nichols. “The 25,000 hours of AC Transit’s FCEB says to public transit agencies around the state, alternative fuel vehicles can and will accomplish the heavy demands of daily service while meeting CARB’s efforts to curtail air pollution statewide.”

FCEB No. 7 is one of thirteen zero-emission buses operated by AC Transit. The National Renewable Energy Laboratory (a national laboratory of the U.S. Department of Energy Office of Energy Efficiency & Renewable Energy) documents a series of successes of the AC Transit FCEB fleet including:

- FCEB fleet operated 2,057,099 miles and accumulated 248,546 hours on the fuel cell power systems since being placed into service;
- AC Transit has safely fueled its FCEB fleet 3,428 times with more than 76,932 kg of hydrogen fuel;
- The FCEBs have experienced less brake wear compared to the conventional diesel buses. Only five out of the thirteen FCEBs have had brake relines since being placed in service. The highest-mileage bus that has not had a reline has surpassed 160,000 miles. This is due largely to the FCEB’s regenerative braking.

“The record breaking success of FCEB No. 7 underscores the importance of the recently announced Fuel Cell Electric Bus Commercialization Consortium (FCEBCC),” says Dan Raudebaugh, Executive Director of the Center for Transportation and the Environment (CTE). “The FCEBCC will deploy 20 zero-emission fuel cell electric buses between northern and southern California. CTE is excited to provide project management oversight for this important project that demonstrates there is a clear business case for industry to invest in clean innovative technologies.”



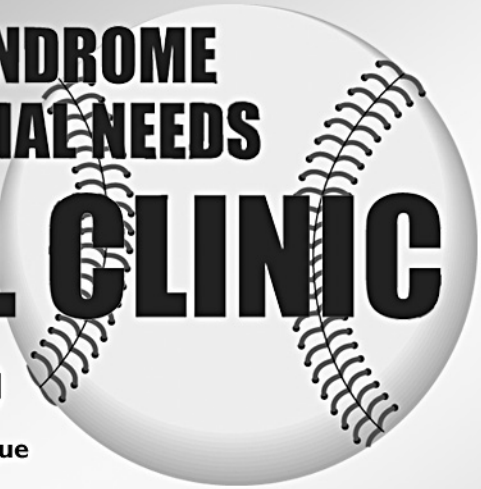
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Patneaud places fourth in nationals



Emily Patneaud (3rd from left) places fourth in national competition

SUBMITTED BY TIMOTHY HESS

Emily Patneaud of Newark Memorial High School placed fourth in the USA Wrestling National 138 lb Cadet Women class competition held in Fargo, North Dakota July 17-18, 2017. Congratulations on an impressive performance!

A Different Experience Tai Chi For Kids!

SUBMITTED BY MEEI PAN

If you missed last summer’s Tai Chi For Kids workshops held at the Fremont library, be sure to not miss this year’s classes! The workshops are back again and will be held on three Wednesdays in August: 8/2, 8/9, and 8/16.

Are children able to learn Tai Chi? Do they have patience for the characteristically slow movements of Tai Chi? What are the benefits for kids to practice Tai Chi? This ancient Chinese exercise has long been viewed as exercise only done in the morning by elderly people in a park. However, in recent years, Tai Chi for young children and teenagers has slowly gained popularity for its ability to teach

children about mindfulness. Last summer, the Tai Chi for Kids workshops were held at local libraries for the first time, and the results of the workshops were quite remarkable. Kids showed high interest and attention, and genuinely enjoyed the peace and relaxation while

following the instructor to breathe slowly and deeply and to focus on the light and fluid body movements.

The workshops are taught by two rising seniors from Mission San Jose High School, Jasmine Syu and Wallace Lim. Between the two of them, they

have more than seven years of Tai Chi experience, and attribute part of their success in school to Tai Chi for teaching them to find calm during stressful situations. They would like to share their Tai Chi experience with younger kids and hope that Tai Chi will provide children with a way to relax and focus in their ever-increasing stressful environments.

A 45-minute workshop consists of warming-up, stretching, deep- breathing, balancing, and basic Tai Chi Quan movements in a fun and dynamic approach that easily resonates with young kids. These

workshops will be an exceptional opportunity for children to experience Tai Chi for the first time, and can transform into a tool to cope with stress and practice mindfulness both for now and later in life!

Tai Chi for Kids Workshop
Wednesdays: August 2, 9 &16
11:00-11:45 a.m.
Alameda County Library
Irvington Branch
41825 Greenpark Dr., Fremont
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For ages 4-8



Government Briefs

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

Milpitas City Council
1st/3rd Tuesday @ 7 p.m.
455 East Calaveras Blvd., Milpitas
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Newark City Council
2nd/4th Thursday @ 7:30 p.m.
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San Leandro City Council
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2nd Thursday @ 6:00 p.m.
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Santa Clara Valley Water District
2nd/4th Tuesday @ 6:00 p.m.
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(408) 265-2607, ext. 2277
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Union Sanitary District
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2nd/4th Wednesday @ 6:30 p.m.
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2nd/4th Tuesday @ 7:00 p.m.
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1st/3rd Tuesday @ 6:30 p.m.
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Fremont City Council

July 18, 2017

Consent Calendar:

- Delegate authority to City Manager during Council Recess, July 19 – September 4, 2017.
- Remove title restriction on Kildango Timothy Rix Center property; accept \$2,421,057 from proceeds of sale of property to Fremont Unified School District.
- Approve plans and specifications for concrete walkway improvements at Plaza Park and Brookvale Trail. Award contract to QLM, Inc. in the amount of \$891,350.34.



Amina Abid, representing the Council of Islamic-American Relations and the Muslim American community, accepted a proclamation of Muslim Appreciation and Awareness Month from Vice Mayor Rick Jones at the Fremont City Council meeting July 18, 2017

- Approve plans and specifications for concrete walkway improvements at Boat House and Water Park and Sabercat Historic Park. Award contract to QLM, Inc. in the amount of \$755,611.11.
- Approve purchase of Tyler Munis Financial Management System software in the amount of \$133,713.72.
- Authorize contract with California Department on Aging to provide services for Seniors in an amount not-to-exceed \$209,965.
- Authorize participation in Beacon Program to promote sustainability.
- Accept dedication of public service easement at 42092 Mission Boulevard.
- Authorize joint powers agreement with Newark Unified School District for substance use disorder treatment services and Youth Empowerment Academy.
- Approve final map and agreements for construction of public and private street improvements at 40744 Fremont Boulevard.
- Public Hearing to update Human Services Department Master Fee Schedule.

Ceremonial Items:

- Proclaim August 2017 as Muslim American Appreciation and Awareness Month.

Oral Communications:

- Comments on LGBTQ /hate incident. Kudos to City for flying Pride Flag.
- Accolades for City recognition of Muslim Americans.
- Comments on bike/pedestrian safety and connectivity issues.
- Comment about excessive traffic on Mission Boulevard.

Removed from Consent:

- (Bacon) Authorize purchase

of BART escalators in the amount of \$2,289,000 for Warm Springs BART West Access Bridge and Plaza. Councilmember Bacon asked why? Reply from Public Works Director Hans Larsen: Funded by Alameda County Transportation Commission grant through Measure BB funds. Escalators take more time to construct than bridge so early contract is desirable. (Salwan – recuse)

- (Bonaccorsi) Warm Springs Innovation Center market feasibility study and pre-development framework. Councilmember Bonaccorsi asked about its purpose. Reply from Economic Development Manager Christina Briggs: Will explore use of excess

property near Warm Springs BART bridge to develop property to harness innovation, attract and maintain growth and develop a “gap” analysis of what is needed to use the property wisely. (Salwan – recuse)

Other Business:

- Set annual tax rate for General Obligation Bonds Debt Service for Fiscal Year 2017/18.
- Adopt resolution of necessity to acquire restricted easement through Eminent Domain at 36389 Mission Boulevard at Nursery Avenue. Public comment from owners at that location who noted that the action would severely impact their business that has been at the location through several generations.
- Presentation by Paul Eldredge for Union Sanitary District of services to residents. Centennial Open House scheduled for May 19, 2018.
- Presentation of possible changes to rail system for ACE-forward project designed to increase passenger and freight traffic through Fremont and surrounding cities. Public comment period of the Environmental Impact Report has been extended to August 31, 2017. Comments and concerns regarding noise, safety, danger to watershed and water storage. Union Pacific Railroad owns tracks and Altamont Commuter Express (ACE) leases time on them. Increased rail traffic is anticipated necessitating schedule, route changes and multi-track corridors.

Mayor Lily Mei	Absent
Vice Mayor Rick Jones	Aye
Vinnie Bacon	Aye
Raj Salwan	Aye(2 recusals)
David Bonaccorsi	Aye

TAKES FROM SILICON VALLEY EAST

Small Business Survey Shows Growth and New Pain Points

BY KIM MARSHALL,
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
SPECIALIST

The City of Fremont, Fremont Chamber of Commerce, and Alameda County Small Business Development Center (Alameda County SBDC) have a successful partnership creating opportunities for small business owners to network and learn through a variety of workshops and events. Each fiscal year, the City of Fremont conducts a survey to critique our program and assess current needs.

First, the good news. This year’s survey showed that small businesses are doing very well, both in revenue and in profitability. 68% of respondents said that they will be hiring employees in the next year. Now, the bad news. With historic lows in unemployment (2.6% unemployment rate for Fremont in May), hiring skilled workers

will be a concern in all business sectors.

The City of Fremont and Alameda County SBDC use the survey results to offer specialized business workshops. Last year’s lineup included:

- Specialized training in Securing Government Grants for Technology Development (SBIR)
- A Fremont Area “Makers” Night
- A panel featuring Successful Female CEOs
- How to” workshops on Website Development and Business Tax Tips

Next year’s lineup will be heavily influenced by survey feedback. Expect to see content focused on: Attracting New Customers, Retaining Current Customers, and Hiring Skilled Employees beginning this fall.

To join our small business contact list, email me at: kmarshall@fremont.gov.

Court rejects Trump’s attempt to halt County of Santa Clara lawsuit

SUBMITTED BY
LAUREL ANDERSON

On July 20, a U.S. District Court reaffirmed its order blocking the Trump Administration’s plan to de-fund the County of Santa Clara and other state and local governments across the nation that it considers “sanctuary jurisdictions.” The Court denied the federal government’s requests to reconsider the injunction granted by the court in April and to dismiss the case.

“Once again, the District Court has sent a message to President Trump that he cannot use the threat of withholding funds to coerce local governments into becoming federal immigration operatives—an unconstitutional effort that puts at risk vital services for millions of people across the country,” said Dave Cortese, President of the Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors. “We are eager and prepared to pursue the lawsuit on behalf of Santa Clara County residents and communities across the country until the Executive Order is permanently struck down.”

The County of Santa Clara, along with pro bono co-counsel from Keker, Van Nest & Peters LLP, was the first jurisdiction in the country to seek emergency relief based on the immediate harms and coercion caused by President Trump’s January 25, 2017 Executive Order. The

City and County of San Francisco and the City of Richmond sought similar injunctions shortly afterward.

In its order, the District Court rejected the Trump Administration’s argument that a two-page memorandum from Attorney General Jeff Sessions asserting that the Executive Order would only be used to withhold a few small grants could prevent the County’s suit from going forward. The Court held that, despite the Trump Administration’s attempt to walk back its threat to de-fund sanctuary jurisdictions through the memorandum, the memorandum is entirely inconsistent with the clear directives of the Executive Order and “is functionally an ‘illusory promise’ to enforce the Executive Order narrowly[.]” The Court concluded that the memorandum therefore “does not resolve the constitutional claims that the Counties have brought based on the Order’s language.”

“Today’s decision strongly reaffirms that President Trump’s ‘Sanctuary Jurisdiction’ Executive Order is unconstitutional at its very core,” said Santa Clara County Counsel James R. Williams. “We are delighted with the Court’s well-reasoned and thoughtful decision.”

In its lawsuit, the County argues that the Executive Order violates the separation of powers, the Fifth Amendment’s Due Process Clause, and the Tenth Amendment.

San Leandro recognized as a tech smart community

SUBMITTED BY TERESA MEYER

Officials from San Leandro are excited about being named one of the “Top 31 Smart Communities to Watch” by StateScoop, a media publication that reports on state and local government technology.

The publication recognized San Leandro for its investment in fiber optics that spurred the creation and expansion of “SL Wi-Fiber” and other projects such as the design of a real-time performance data dashboard and its

groundbreaking Energy and Water Savings Project that is poised to save the city \$8 million over 15 years with smart technologies.

“Our innovative spirit is what drives us to invest in smart technologies and infrastructure. We are transforming San Leandro into a center for innovation and we are thrilled to be among this elite list,” said Mayor Pauline Russo Cutter.

StateScoop reviewed hundreds of projects from cities, counties and states from around

the country to compile an impressive list of cities such as San Francisco, San Jose, New York City, Atlanta, Boston, and more.

“Our work with startups like LotaData resulted in the creation of exciting projects such as our data dashboard,” said City IT Manager Tony Batalla. “This is just one of the ways that we continue to improve city services by using data in new and innovative ways.”

OPINION



WILLIAM MARSHAK

The fabric of the Greater Tri-City area has always been woven with threads of rail. These were, and remain important components of our infrastructure. Just as evolving forms of transportation affect the daily lives of residents, some standards such as rail traffic continue to form the backbone of commerce and transportation in the southeast Bay Area.

A famous quote by Winston Churchill when asked about Russian intentions during World War II has been found to be appropriate in a myriad of present day situations whether applied to foreign powers or not. Unsure of what would happen, he said, "It is a riddle wrapped in a mystery, inside an enigma." Others have added to the quote, concluding that it was "drizzled with conundrum." This is a mind twister at best and completely incomprehensible at its worst. Churchill was not comfortable in an alliance with Communist Party Leader Stalin, but understood its practical and strategic necessity. Over and over, such partnerships have arisen and although not always sustainable, are created for short term gains. Often the long-term consequences are not ideal.

On the local front, questions about proposed alternatives of the ACEforward plan intended to increase rail traffic – passenger and freight – raise a plethora of questions. The basic premise

A riddle wrapped in...

is that increased pressure for more, extended and faster Altamont Commuter Express (ACE) rail traffic necessitates a significant paradigm shift of freight routes as well. Union Pacific owns the right-of-way used by ACE and is intent on increasing its freight traffic, so changes in routing, track layout and multiple tracks is intimately entwined between commuter and freight.

Communities adjacent and depending on resources, including our water supply, close to rail lines will feel direct effects of any changes; the risk of a catastrophic accident is of grave concern. Noise, vibration and sensitive habitat in Niles Canyon are also factors. Niles Canyon is already suffering from neglect [but that is a subject for another time]. Currently, the type and volume of freight traffic is unknown, so the impact of additional freight trains and their routes is, as Churchill would say, a riddle, mystery and enigma with conundrum thrown in for good measure. Long haul freight from the Port of Oakland by rail is more efficient than trucks but rail lines terminate at fixed points; it is necessary for trucks to take it from there.

The outcome of public comment, city council recommendations, Alameda County Transportation Commission and the San Joaquin Regional Rail Commission (ACE) will determine the outcome but opposition to some plans for expansion is mounting. Each community may have different ideas about which plan is best, but Fremont has already given a preliminary "thumbs up" and "thumbs down" on some ideas. Not surprisingly, Union City has a different approach to its review as will each jurisdiction along the rail lines.

What does it all mean to you? Is the tradeoff between increased rail traffic a good bargain when contrasted with the effect of increased traffic from commuters? Is this a good short-term compromise and long-term solution?

Niles and Centerville in Fremont are most vulnerable to increased rail traffic as Public Works Director Hans Larsen notes significant "crisscross" of rail traffic – for example, approximately 33 trains per day through Centerville. Other cities in our area too are not immune from current traffic issues and the impact of increased rail movement.

The subliminal part of this issue is that while the project is billed as an ACE proposal, there are more entities involved – ACE, Amtrak and Union Pacific Railroad. Quite a bit is revealed in the Environmental Impact Report about ACE expansion, its effects and the need for increased service, but less regarding freight volume and impact. It is undeniable that manufacturing and increased economic activity is a valid reason for freight traffic but It appears disingenuous to wrap this as an ACE proposal when that is only part of the story.

Public comment has been extended until August 31st with "direction" in Fall 2017. Another presentation to council is expected October 2017. If final EIR approval is given by the end of 2017 or early 2018, train traffic could begin to increase as early as 2020.

For information about ACEforward, visit: <http://www.ace-rail.com/About/Public-Projects/ACE-forward>

Fremont City Council presentation at: <https://fremont.gov/DocumentCenter/View/35380>

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Hayward in national spotlight

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF HAYWARD

Looking for innovations in health care in the United States, a producer for nationally broadcast PBS News Hour recently came to Hayward to learn about and tell the story of Hayward Firehouse Clinic.

The Firehouse Clinic is a trailblazing partnership of the City of Hayward, Alameda County Health Services Agency and Tiburcio Vasquez Health Center, Inc., bringing pri-

mary and preventative medical services to South Hayward.

The collaboration co-located a clinic on the strategically positioned grounds of a new city fire station. It then began leveraging the role firefighter paramedics play in the community to enhance coordination between emergency medical services and primary care.

Through this model, Firehouse Clinic seeks to create a more effective, patient-centered approach to care that reduces unneces-

sary emergency calls and improves outcomes by directing patients to the most appropriate locations and levels of treatment.

Firehouse Clinic has logged more than 6,000 patient visits since it opened in November 2015. Hours of operation have expanded to 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. In the past year, the clinic has added laboratory services, and plans to start offering dental care later this summer.

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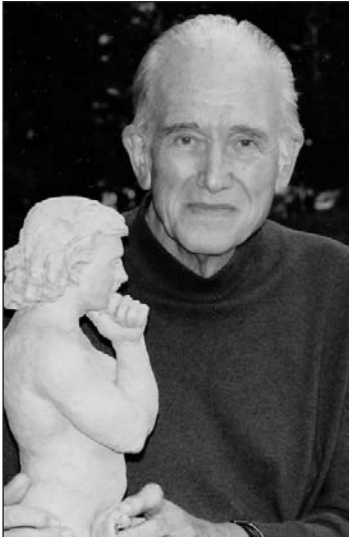
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Obituary

Lawrence (Larry) Bendoski
Sep. 18, 1926 – Dec. 6, 2016
Resident of Castro Valley



Larry died December 6, 2016 after a brief illness. Born in Fresno, California to Lawrence and Lillian Bendoski, he graduated from Fresno State University and began his teaching career in the Central Valley. Larry served in the United States Coast Guard during World War II. Service assignments including the Asiatic-Pacific Area Campaign and the Philippine Liberation Campaign. Following his Honorable Discharge from the Coast Guard, he returned to teaching, eventually locating in the San Francisco

Bay Area where he taught English and Art classes at James Logan High School in Union City until his retirement in 1981. From then on Larry devoted his life to art. His paintings and sculptures will be found in numerous Bay Area locations. Larry was awarded two Fulbright Scholarships, one to Greece and a second to Italy. He was an avid traveler, making yearly overseas trips to destinations around the globe. Larry leaves many friends who will remember him for the beauty he created in his art, for his cheery disposition and for his unique sense of humor. He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother Don of Orlando FL, and is survived by his sister Margot McFarland of Monterey CA. and many nieces and nephews. A Celebration of Larry's life will take place Saturday, August 12, 2017, from 5:30 to 9:30 PM at the Stonebrae Country Club, 202 Country Club Drive, Hayward. Memorial donations may be made to a charity of your choice. For additional information and to RSVP, please contact grantfpeterson@comcast.net.

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How Medicare covers home health services

SUBMITTED BY GREG DILL

A couple of years ago, my father, well into his 70s, finally bought himself a high-performance automobile. The kids and grandkids had all grown up, so there was no need for a larger car. And heck, he had waited a long time to drive something fun. All was fine with the new car until my mother broke her hip, had surgery, and needed extensive outpatient physical and occupational therapy. Getting into and out of a sporty car isn't easy for someone using a walker and cane. So, I got a phone call asking what could be done. (Actually, I think he was angling for my new minivan, whose video screens would give him something to do during mom's therapy sessions.) But I told him he didn't need to take mom to a clinic or hospital. As a Medicare beneficiary, she could receive most of the therapy in her own home. Medicare covers a variety of health care services that you can get in the comfort and privacy of your home. These include intermittent skilled nursing care, physical therapy, speech-language pathology services, and occupational therapy. Such services used to be available only at a hospital or doctor's office, but they're just as effective, more convenient, and usually less expensive when you get them in your home. To be eligible for home health services, you must be under a doctor's care and receive services under a plan of care established and reviewed regularly by a physician. He or she also needs to certify that you need one or more home health services. In addition, you must be homebound and have a doctor's certification to that effect. Being homebound means leaving your home isn't recommended because of your condition, or your condition keeps you from leaving without using a cane, wheelchair or walker; special transportation; or getting help from another person. Also, you must get your services from a Medicare-approved home health agency. If you meet these criteria, Medicare pays for covered home health services for as long as you're eligible and your doctor certifies that you need them. For durable medical equipment (like a walker or wheelchair), you pay 20 percent of the Medicare-approved amount. Skilled nursing services are covered when they're given on a part-time or intermittent basis. In order for Medicare to cover such care, it must be necessary and ordered by your doctor for your specific condition. Medicare does not cover full-time nursing care.

Skilled nursing services are given by either a registered nurse or a licensed practical nurse under an RN's supervision. Nurses provide direct care and teach you and your caregivers about your care. Examples of skilled nursing care include: giving IV drugs, shots, or tube feedings; changing dressings; and, teaching about prescription drugs or diabetes care. Before your home health care begins, the home health agency should tell you how much of your bill Medicare will pay. The agency should also tell you if any items or services they give you aren't covered by Medicare, and how much you'll have to pay for them. This should be explained by both talking with you and in writing. The agency should give you a notice called the Home Health Advance Beneficiary Notice before giving you services and supplies that Medicare doesn't cover. What isn't covered? Some examples: • 24-hour-a-day care at home; • Meals delivered to your home; • Homemaker services like shopping, cleaning, and laundry (when this is the only care you need, and when these services aren't related to your plan of care); • Personal care given by home health aides like bathing, dressing, and using the bathroom (when this is the only care you need). If you get your Medicare benefits through a Medicare Advantage or other Medicare health plan (not Original Medicare), check your plan's membership materials. Contact the plan for details about how the plan provides your Medicare-covered home health benefits. If your doctor decides you need home health care, you can choose from among the Medicare-certified agencies in your area. (However, Medicare Advantage or other Medicare plans may require that you get services only from agencies they contract with.) One good way to look for a home health agency is by using Medicare's "Home Health Compare" web tool, at www.medicare.gov/HHCompare. It lets you compare agencies by the types of services they offer and the quality of care they provide. For more details on Medicare's home health benefit, please read our booklet, "Medicare and Home Health Care." It's online at https://www.medicare.gov/Pubs/pdf/10969-Medicare-and-Home-Health-Care.pdf. Greg Dill is Medicare's regional administrator for Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada, and the Pacific Territories. You can always get answers to your Medicare questions by calling 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227).

Bill bolsters divorce case fiscal transparency

SUBMITTED BY
JEFF BARBOSA

State Senator Bob Wieckowski’s bill clarifying that current mediation confidentiality statutes do not apply to legally-required financial disclosures in family law cases was signed into law today by Governor Jerry Brown. The bill codifies an appellate court ruling from 2014.

“Senate Bill 217 increases the transparency between divorcing spouses to ensure they have access to full and accurate information upon which to base an equitable division of assets even if they pursue resolution through mediation proceedings,” said Wieckowski, a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee. “This bill clarifies that financial documents produced for marital dissolution cases in mediation are not subject to confidentiality requirements.”

The 2nd District Court of Appeal ruled in 2014’s *Lappe v. Superior Court* that the confidentiality statues do not apply to statutorily-mandated disclosures that must be made regardless of whether the parties participate in mediation. The court found that because the Family Code mandates the assets and liabilities declarations, their introduction in mediation does not shield them from discovery.

The California Supreme Court denied review of the *Lappe* case, allowing the decision to stand. Wieckowski authored the bill because the *Lappe* case is not binding on other appellate courts, raising the possibility that a contrary decision from another district could cause more confusion.

SB 217 was supported by the Conference of California Bar Associations, the California Dispute Resolution Council and the California Association of Certified Family Law Specialists.

Movie under the Stars

SUBMITTED BY
CITY OF FREMONT

Join the City of Fremont Recreation Services Division for Friday Night Movies in the Park this summer on July 28 and August 18. The movies, *Moana* on July 28 and *The LEGO Batman Movie* on August 18, will be shown just after sunset at the Central Park Performance Pavilion. Both events are free, so grab some blankets or low beach chairs, a picnic dinner and enjoy two great flicks with your family this summer!

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First indication of West Nile virus found in Alameda County

SUBMITTED BY
ERIKA CASTILLO

A dead bird recently found in Oakland has tested positive for West Nile virus according to the Alameda County Mosquito Abatement District (ACMAD). The district’s laboratory tested the bird and confirmed the finding on Monday, July 17 making it the county’s first indication active virus transmission this year.

As a result, ACMAD is stepping up surveillance and larval control efforts throughout the area. Every effort is being made to locate areas of standing water where mosquitoes may breed including but not limited to catch basins, storm drain systems, and swimming pools. Neglected swimming pools continue to be a mosquito breeding issue in Alameda County.

Alameda County residents who have or know anyone how has an unmaintained swimming pool is asked to contact the district so the pool can be treated.

“West Nile virus is endemic to Alameda County,” said Laboratory Director Eric Haas-Stapleton. “We will continue to eliminate mosquitoes that spread the virus, but we need the public to help by reducing mosquito breeding sites. Dump and drain or tightly cover containers that have standing water to reduce mosquitoes around your house and workplace.”

As of July 14, California has had 71 dead birds, 17 sentinel chickens, 681 mosquito samples, and four humans test positive for West Nile virus. The positive number of humans is higher than this time last year.

Reduce the risk of contracting mosquito-borne diseases by

following these guidelines:

- Dump or drain standing water on your property because that is where mosquitoes develop.
- Dawn and dusk hours are when mosquito activity peaks, limit outdoor activities during this time.
- Defend yourself from mosquito bites by wearing long pants and long-sleeved shirts and apply insect repellent containing EPA-registered active ingredients such as DEET, Picaridin, IR3535, or Oil of lemon eucalyptus.
- Make sure door and window screens are in good repair with no tears or holes.

West Nile virus is transmitted to people and animals through the bite of an infected mosquito. There is no cure for West Nile virus. Approximately one in five people who are infected with West Nile virus will develop

symptoms such as fever, headache, body aches, joint pains, vomiting, or rash.

Fewer than one percent will develop a serious neurological illness such as encephalitis or meningitis. Adults older than 50 and people with compromised immune systems are at increased risk of serious complications. Anyone who develops symptoms should seek medical care immediately.

Horses are very susceptible to West Nile virus and vaccines are available. Horse owners are advised to contact their veterinarians regarding timely vaccinations.

For more information about mosquitoes, West Nile virus, or visit the ACMAD website at www.mosquitoes.org or call (10) 783-7744.

Fremont News Briefs

SUBMITTED BY
CHERYL GOLDEN

Fremont’s Festival of the Arts

Fremont’s Festival of the Arts is back for its 34th year! California’s premiere art, wine, and music festival will be taking place in Downtown Fremont on the weekend of August 5-6 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. This festival is hosted by the Fremont Chamber of Commerce.

The City of Fremont also invites you to stop by its booth to meet City staff and learn more about some of the City’s exciting initiatives underway. Booth activities in which to participate will include make your own art to go with our Spin Art Bike and maker activity, spin our trivia wheel and answer questions about pedestrian and bicycle safety, and meet the mascots, Rege the Raccoon from the City’s Recreation Services and Pete Walker, the face of California’s new campaign to keep both those on foot and behind the wheel safe.

The City encourages festival-goers to ride their bike to this year’s event and utilize the free bicycle valet, located on Paseo Padre Parkway near Capitol Avenue. The first 10 people to stop by the City of Fremont booth with their bike voucher from the bike valet will receive a free bicycle lock.

For more details on this year’s festival, please visit www.FremontFestival.net.

Fremont Looking for New CivicSpark Climate Fellow

The City of Fremont is partnering with the Local Government Commission (LGC) to offer CivicSpark, a Governor’s Initiative AmeriCorps program that places recent college graduates with local governments for 11 months to assist them with

their climate change, water, and land-use needs.

Fremont is looking to host a CivicSpark Climate Fellow for the 2017-2018 service year (September 2017 through August 2018) to work on various Climate Action Plan implementation initiatives. Primary activities may involve conducting marketing, education, and outreach to encourage widespread community engagement through the Fremont Green Challenge online platform, as well as performing in-depth analyses of future deep decarbonization strategies, including distributed generation, energy storage, electrification, and zero waste efforts.

To learn more about this opportunity and apply, please visit www.Fremont.gov/CivicSparkFellow. Applications are being accepted on a rolling basis, with a priority deadline of Friday, July 28, 2017.

City of Fremont Implements 50-50 Sidewalk Program

Attention all residents that have broken and damaged sidewalks caused by street trees. The Fremont City Council recently authorized limited funding for its 50-50 Sidewalk Program, which helps local property owners repair their sidewalk. Funds are available on a first-come, first-served basis. If interested, residents can visit www.Fremont.gov/Sidewalks, fill out a Sidewalk Repair Request, and attach an image of their sidewalk that is in need of repair.

And if fixing the sidewalk involves pruning or removing a tree, the City of Fremont also has a 50-50 Tree Program for replacing eligible street trees. Those interested need to first apply for a tree permit at no cost at www.Fremont.gov/TreePermitApplication.

For additional information on the 50-50 Sidewalk Program, visit www.Fremont.gov/5050Sidewalk. For information on the 50-50 Street Tree Program, visit

www.Fremont.gov/5050Tree.

Peer Lending Program Helps Residents Correct Credit Scores

Establishing and improving a credit score can be no easy feat. But, we all know a high credit score is crucial if someone is looking to rent or buy housing, find a job, open a credit card, or obtain a better loan.

The Fremont Family Resource Center’s Peer Lending Program, which is operated by SparkPoint Fremont and will be available starting in August, was developed to help those who need assistance establishing or improving a positive credit score. How does it work? This financial program provides users with a very small social loan that increases their credit score as they pay back the loan on time. And, the loan doesn’t come from SparkPoint Fremont. It’s a zero percent interest loan that is provided by a group of peers who are also looking to improve their credit scores.

Those interested in the Peer Lending Program must have a household income below the listed income for their household size, be 18 years of age, and become a SparkPoint client in



good standing. Additional information and qualifications for the Family Resource Center’s Peer Lending Program can be found at www.Fremont.gov/Peer-Lending.

Global Network Meets Needs of Elderly Residents

The City of Fremont has joined the World Health Organization (WHO) Global Network for Age-Friendly Cities and Communities. This network is a group of cities and

communities worldwide making an effort to meet the needs of their older residents.

To gain a better understanding of the specific needs in Fremont, the City’s Human Services Department conducted 30 focus groups throughout the city and held an open community dialogue in April. More than 1,000 residents shared ideas and the City is now working on detailed action steps that will increase its age-friendly efforts in areas such as transportation, volunteer opportunities, health and wellness, outdoor spaces, and housing.

The City of Fremont is working with other Bay Area cities that also believe an age-friendly city is a livable city for all. This initiative is supported by AARP. For more information, contact Karen Grimsich at kgrimsich@fremont.gov or 510-574-2062.

Maintenance Center Makes Way for Solar Carports

The City of Fremont’s solar energy efforts took another big leap forward in May with the installation of new solar carports at the Maintenance Center at 42551 Osgood Rd.

The structures, similar to those constructed in parking lots at the Police Building Complex, Aqua Adventure Waterpark, and Irvington Community Center, will result in approximately a five percent reduction in greenhouse gas emissions resulting from City of Fremont municipal operations.

This solar carport installation is another big step toward meeting the City of Fremont’s Climate Action Plan goals. The project will also save the City about \$1.3 million in electricity costs over the next 20 years.

Movie under the Stars

Join the City of Fremont Recreation Services Division for Friday Night Movies in the Park this summer on July 28 and August 18. The movies, *Moana* on July 28 and *The LEGO Batman Movie* on August 18, will be shown just after sunset at the Central Park Performance Pavilion. Both events are free, so grab some blankets or low beach chairs, a picnic dinner and enjoy two great flicks with your family this summer! For more details, visit www.Fremont.gov/MovieNight.



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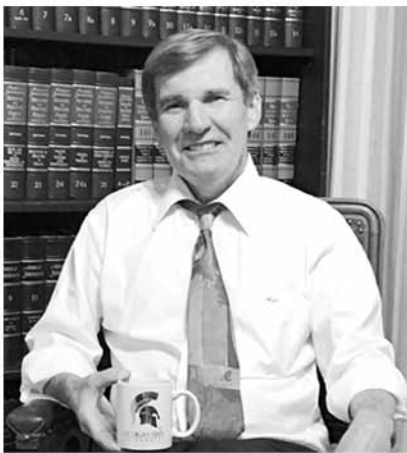
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Police seeking public's help in American flag-burning case

SUBMITTED BY GENEVA BOSQUES,
FREMONT PD

A Fremont homeowner woke up early on Sunday, July 16 and noticed that sometime during the night someone had come onto the property and burned the American flag hanging in the front of the house. After reporting the incident to Fremont police, officers responded at about 7 a.m. along with crime scene investigators. Fremont Fire Department personnel also came to the scene to collect evidence.

During the initial investigation officers located several nearby residences with video cameras. Video evidence obtained showed a vehicle near the residence at approximately 3:50 a.m. In the video,

the vehicle is seen pulling to the curb with a person exiting the car and sprinting up to the house. Several seconds later, the subject is seen running back to the vehicle before it flees the area. The vehicle is a light colored, possibly silver, newer model (2016 or 2017) Honda Civic 4-door with dark tinted rear windows.

Detectives are asking for the public's help in helping to solve this case and have posted a short surveillance video clip of the incident on YouTube. It can be seen at https://youtu.be/_JTWssYz1i0.

Anyone who has information about the vehicle in the video or the suspects involved is asked to contact Fremont Police Detective Travis MacDonald at (510) 790-6900 or via email at Tmacdonald@fremont.gov.

Union City Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
LT. MATIAS PARDO,
UNION CITY PD

Friday, July 14

At 5:15 p.m. Officer Blanchard was dispatched to investigate a hit-and-run collision near Alvarado Niles Road and Almaden Boulevard. During a possible road rage incident, a woman reportedly put her vehicle into reverse and intentionally rammed the front of the victim's vehicle two times. Then, she fled the scene at a high rate of speed. The suspect was described as a Hispanic woman, about 36-37 years-old, standing about 5-feet-4 or 5-feet-5-inches tall, weighing about 110 pounds with dark brown hair. The suspect vehicle was described as a late 2000s Chevrolet Trailblazer, gold and brown in color, with yellow spray painted front wheels, chrome rear wheels and paper plates.

Saturday, July 15

At around 11 p.m. Officer Mangan was dispatched to the 20 block of Union Square on the report of an armed robbery. The victim reported that a group of suspects knocked him to the ground, kicked and punched him, then stole his jacket and hat. During the fight, one of the suspects dropped a handgun. Another suspect quickly picked up the gun, and they all fled on foot. During an area check, officers located individuals who matched the suspect descriptions, and two of them were positively identified by the victim and a witness. Additionally, a resident in the area called police and reported two people had just ran through his backyard, where a realistic-looking BB gun was later found. Anthony Jones, 18, of Union City and a 15-year-old male from Union City were both arrested on suspicion of robbery.

Sunday, July 16

Around 8:30 a.m. Officer Bellotti initiated a traffic stop on a vehicle missing a front license plate. The vehicle had been reported stolen out of San Leandro. After pulling over, the driver immediately fled on foot and was not located. A passenger in the car, identified as Melissa Nunez, 29, of Livermore, was arrested on suspicion of vehicle theft and the possession of stolen property.

Newark Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
CAPTAIN CHOMNAN LOTH, NEWARK PD

Thursday, July 13

At 2:26 p.m. Sergeant Eriksen and Officer Rivas contacted and arrested a 42-year-old Magalia, California man on suspicion of petty theft and probation violation in the parking lot at NewPark Mall. They also arrested a 40-year-old Oakland woman on suspicion of petty theft, possessing drug paraphernalia and probation violation. Both suspects were booked into the Santa Rita Jail.

At 7:30 p.m. Officers investigated a single vehicle crash at Sycamore Street at Dairy Avenue. The driver was taken to a local trauma center with non-life-threatening injuries.

At 7:55 p.m. Officers investigated an accident between an automobile and a pedestrian in the Newark Buffet parking lot, 35201 Newark Boulevard. The pedestrian was taken to a local hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

Friday, July 14

At 9:52 p.m. Officer Slavazza responded to a report about a shoplifter in custody at Macy's in NewPark Mall. Arrested on suspicion of petty theft was a 31-year-old Oakland man. He was cited and released at the scene.

Sunday, July 16

At 1:16 p.m. Officer Fredstrom met and subsequently arrested a 37-year-old Fremont man on Thornton Avenue near Dondero Way on outstanding warrants and providing false information to a peace officer. The suspect was booked into the Fremont Jail.

At 4:52 p.m. During a security check around the Newark Overpass and Highway 84 area, Officer Jackman met and subsequently arrested a 38-year-old Newark man on suspicion of possessing drug paraphernalia. The suspect was cited and released at the scene.

At 5:30 p.m. Officer Rivera investigated a battery on a person at Swiss Park, 5911 Mowry Avenue. The investigation is ongoing.

Tuesday, July 18

At noon Officers Jackman and Mapes met and subsequently arrested a 31-year-old Newark woman on the 6700 Block of Fountain Avenue on outstanding warrants and suspicion of possessing a controlled substance and drug paraphernalia. She was booked into the Fremont Jail.

During a 9:41 p.m. security check at a homeless encampment near Central Avenue, Officer Jackman met and subsequently arrested a 50-year-old Newark woman on suspicion of possessing drug paraphernalia. The suspect was issued a citation and released at the scene.

Wednesday, July 19

At 4:46 p.m. Officers responded to a report of a hit-and-run incident on Wells Avenue at Ash Street. Officers arrested a 37-year-old Oakland man on suspicion of hit-and-run and possessing a stolen vehicle. The registered owner of the vehicle was notified of the recovery.

At 8:31 p.m. Officer Wallace responded to a report about a shoplifter in custody at Macy's, NewPark Mall. Arrested was a 19-year-old Hayward woman on suspicion of petty theft and vandalism. The suspect was issued a citation and released at the scene.

Bill bolsters BART safety

SUBMITTED BY TOMASA DUEÑAS

Assembly Bill (AB) 730, authored by Assemblymember Bill Quirk (D-Hayward), will make a public safety program administered by Bay Area Rapid Transit (BART) permanent. Specifically, AB 730 will grant permanent authority to BART to issue a prohibition order to bar a person from entering BART property for 30, 60 or 90 days for committing certain acts that includes robbery, domestic battery, or violence against BART riders and personnel. AB 730 will go into effect January 1, 2018.

"On behalf of BART, I would like to thank Assemblymember Quirk for authoring AB 730, which makes permanent BART's prohibition order program. Employee and rider safety is a top priority at BART, and after three years of program implementation, BART has found the authority to exclude individuals who commit serious crimes on BART property, a great asset to an effective public safety strategy. We are thankful to the Legislature and Governor for understanding the merits of this program and how it is still warranted today," stated Rebecca Saltzman, President of the BART Board.

"I am thankful for the time Governor Jerry Brown and his staff took to learn about the extent of violent crime on BART. BART's prohibition order program has protected employees and patrons, and has encouraged prompt reporting of criminal activity. I have worked closely with BART to ensure that strong protections exist for those who receive prohibition orders, including detailed appeals and cancellation processes for issued orders, as well as dedicated intervention staff to connect vulnerable riders with counseling and health services," Assemblymember Quirk commented upon learning Governor Brown signed his bill into law.

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CITY OF FREMONT
ZONING ADMINISTRATOR

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR OF THE CITY OF FREMONT WILL HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON THE FOLLOWING PROPOSALS: SAID PUBLIC HEARINGS WILL BE HELD AT 3:00 P.M., ON MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 2017, AT THE CITY OF FREMONT DEVELOPMENT SERVICES CENTER, RANCHO HIGUERA CONFERENCE ROOM, 39550 LIBERTY STREET, FREMONT, CALIFORNIA, AT WHICH TIME ANY AND ALL INTERESTED PERSONS MAY APPEAR AND BE HEARD.

ADVANCED INTERVENTIONAL SURGERY – 3077 Stevenson Common – PLN2017-00154 - To consider a Zoning Administrator Permit to allow an outpatient surgery center with two procedure rooms located in the Central Community Plan, and to consider a categorical exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per CEQA Guidelines Section 15301, Existing Facilities. Project Planner – James Willis, (510) 494-4449, jwillis@fremont.gov

AUTONATION COLLISION – 41703 Albrae Street – PLN2017-00395 - To consider a Zoning Administrator Permit and Discretionary Design Review Permit to allow a new auto body shop and exterior remodel of an existing building located in the Bayside Industrial Community Plan Area, and to consider a categorical exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per CEQA Guidelines Section 15301, Existing Facilities. Project Planner – James Willis, (510) 494-4449, jwillis@fremont.gov

LAM RESEARCH PARKING LOT MODIFICATIONS – 4300 Cushing Parkway – PLN2017-00343 - To consider a Modification to Zoning Standards to increase the allowance of compact parking spaces per Fremont Municipal Code Section 18.183.110(g)(1) from 35 percent to 40 percent at the Lam Research corporate campus located in the Bayside Industrial Community Plan Area, and to consider a Categorical Exemption pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15301, Existing Facilities. Project Planner – Steve Kowalski, (510) 494-4532, skowalski@fremont.gov

RK LOGISTICS – 40547 Albrae Street – PLN2017-00375 - To consider a Zoning Administrator Permit for a high intensity hazardous materials use to allow storage of lead-acid batteries within an existing warehouse located in the Bayside Industrial Community Planning Area, and to consider a categorical exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per CEQA Guidelines Section 15301, Existing Facilities. Project Planner – James Willis, (510) 494-4449, jwillis@fremont.gov

* NOTICE *

If you challenge the decision of the Zoning Administrator 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 Zoning Administrator at, or prior to, the public hearing.

KRISTIE WHEELER
ZONING ADMINISTRATOR

CNS-3033905#

BULK SALES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE AND OF INTENTION TO TRANSFER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE
(U.C.C. 6101 ET SEQ. AND 9 B & P 24073.2 ET SEQ.)

Escrow No. FSB0-0271700747
Notice is hereby given that a bulk sale of assets and a transfer of alcoholic beverage license is about to be made. The names and addresses of the Seller/Licensee are: VIRGINIA YU TAN AND KWOK CHING LAU, 35122 NEWARK BLVD, NEWARK, CA 94560
The business is known as: GOOD NEIGHBOR RESTAURANT
The names and addresses of the Buyer/Transferee are: GOOD NEIGHBOR INC, 35122 NEWARK BLVD, NEWARK, CA 94560
As listed by the Seller/Licensee, all other business names and addresses used by the Seller/Licensee within three (3) years before the date such list was sent or delivered to the Buyer/Transferee are: NONE
The assets to be sold are described in general as: STOCK IN TRADE, INVENTORY, FURNITURE, FIXTURES AND EQUIPMENT, GOODWILL AND TRADE NAME are located at: 35122 NEWARK BLVD, NEWARK, CA 94560
The kind of license to be transferred is: Type: 41-ON-SALE BEER AND WINE - EATING PLACE, now issued for the premises located at: 35122 NEWARK BLVD, NEWARK, CA 94560
The anticipated date of the sale/transfer is: AUGUST 10, 2017, at the address of: FIDELITY NATIONAL TITLE CO, 2099 GATEWAY PL, STE 100, SAN JOSE, CA 95110. PHONE (408)437-4313, FAX (408)392-9272.
It has been agreed between the Seller/Licensee and the intended Buyer/Transferee, as required by Sec. 24073 of the Business and Professions Code, that the consideration for the transfer of the business and license is to be paid only after the transfer has been approved by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this document on the date(s) set forth below.
Dated: JUNE 5, 2017
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CNS-3034421#

CIVIL

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG17867266
Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Ho Lee for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Ho Lee filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Ho Lee to Bryan Ho Lee
The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: Sep. 8, 2017, Time: 11:30 a.m., Dept.: 24
The address of the court is 1221 Oak Street, 3rd Fl., Oakland, CA 94612
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: What's Happening Tri-City Voice
Date: July 12, 2017
MORRIS D. JACOBSON
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
7/25, 8/1, 8/8, 8/15/17

CNS-3033162#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG17867268
Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Abida Khan and Ishiaq Hussain for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Abida Khan and ishiaq Hussain filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Aleeza Hussain to Aleeza Sultana Khan
The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 09/15/17, Time: 11:30 AM, Dept.: 24
The address of the court is Alameda County Superior Court, 1221 Oak Street, Oakland, CA

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A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: What's Happening Tri-City Voice
Date: Jul 17, 2017
Morris D. Jacobson
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
7/25, 8/1, 8/8, 8/15, 8/22, 8/29, 9/5/17

CNS-3032745#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG17866570
Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Manuel and Rebecca Pereira for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Manuel and Rebecca Pereira filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Rahim Fernando Hidayatullah to Rahim Fernando Pereira
The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 8/25/17, Time: 11:30 a.m., Dept.: 24
The address of the court is 1221 Oak Street, 3rd Fl., Oakland, CA 94612
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Tri City Voice
Date: Jul 6, 2017
Morris D. Jacobson
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3030999#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. RG17862692
Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Enam Ayayi Aiyivi Guedeoussou for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Enam Ayayi Aiyivi Guedeoussou filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Enam Ayayi Aiyivi Guedeoussou to Romeo Arnaud Enam Aiyivi-Guedeoussou
This matter appears that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 08-04-2017, Time: 11:30 AM, Dept.: 24
The address of the court is Alameda County Superior Court, 1221 Oak Street, Oakland, CA 94612
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: What's Happening Tri-City Voice
Date: JUN 2, 2017
Morris D. Jacobson
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
7/4, 7/11, 7/18, 7/25/17

CNS-3027533#

(AMENDED)
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG17861734
Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Jaelene Kiara Sahlberg for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Jaelene Kiara Sahlberg filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Jaelene Kiara Sahlberg to Jaelene Kiara Aquino Sahlberg
The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: AUG 4, 2017, Time: 11:30 AM, Dept.: 24
The address of the court is 1221 Oak Street, 3rd Fl., Oakland, CA 94612
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Tri-City Voice
Date: May 30, 2017
Morris D. Jacobson
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
7/4, 7/11, 7/18, 7/25/17

CNS-3027526#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAMESSTATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT
OF USE OF FICTITIOUS
BUSINESS NAME

File No. 508615
The following person(s) has (have) abandoned the use of the fictitious business name Proactive Physical Therapy and Fitness, 4269 Marie Ct., Fremont, CA 94536
The Fictitious Business Name Statement being abandoned was filed on 8/24/2015 in the County of Alameda.
Genaro Jimenez, 4269 Marie Ct., Fremont, CA 94536
S/ Genaro Jimenez, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on July 20, 2017.
7/25, 8/1, 8/8, 8/15/17

CNS-3034493#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 533152
Fictitious Business Name(s):
A. R. Investments, 3178 Winterbrook Drive, Bay Point, CA 94565, County of Contra Costa
Registrant(s):
Amyra Katrina Rocreo Soriano, 3178 Winterbrook Drive, Bay Point, CA 94565
Resineo Bernard Caluza II, 3178 Winterbrook Drive, Bay Point, CA 94565
Business conducted by: A General Partnership
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].)
I/ Amyra Soriano, General Partner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on July 13, 2017
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7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3034334#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 533160
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Jubilant Learning Club Tutoring Center, 32643 Alvarado Blvd., Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Wing Tak Chan, 97 King Ave., CA 94536; Fremont
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].)
I/ Wing Tak Chan, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on July 13, 2017
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7/25, 8/1, 8/8, 8/15/17

CNS-3034036#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532641-42
Fictitious Business Name(s):
(1) Violet's Valentines, (2) Double V Delights, 40566 Fremont Blvd., Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Mailing address: 39270 Paseo Padre #534, Fremont, CA 94538
Registrant(s):
Linda L. Sepeda, 40566 Fremont Blvd., 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].)
I/ Linda L. Sepeda
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 27, 2017
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7/25, 8/1, 8/8, 8/15/17

CNS-3033196#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 533217
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Avtar Transport, 4445 Stevenson Blvd., Apt 9, Fremont CA 94538, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Avtar Singh Saini, 4445 Stevenson Blvd., Apt 9, 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].)
I/ Avtar Singh Saini, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on July 17, 2017
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7/25, 8/1, 8/8, 8/15/17

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7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3031781#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532609
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Square Bookkeeping LLC, 36453 Ames Ter., Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Square Bookkeeping LLC, 36453 Ames Ter., Fremont, CA 94536; 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].)
I/ Nelli Markhusevsk, Manager
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 27, 2017
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7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3031373#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 533011
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Top Real Estate, 2511 Parkside Dr., Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Lei Wen, 2511 Parkside Dr., Union City, CA 94587
Jing-Jing He, 2511 Parkside Dr., Union City, CA 94587
Business conducted by: Married Couple
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].)
I/ Lei Wen, Co-Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on July 10, 2017
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7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3030212#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532631
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Bay Area Meal Preps, 40458 Marcia St. Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Takafumi Kudo, 1804 Camino Verde, Apt. O, Walnut Creek, CA 94597
Erick Guerra, 40458 Marcia St. Fremont, CA 94538
Business conducted by: a general partnership
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
I/ Erick Guerra
I/ Takafumi Kudo, General Partners
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 27, 2017
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7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3031370#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532631
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Bay Area Meal Preps, 40458 Marcia St. Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Takafumi Kudo, 1804 Camino Verde, Apt. O, Walnut Creek, CA 94597
Erick Guerra, 40458 Marcia St. Fremont, CA 94538
Business conducted by: a general partnership
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
I/ Erick Guerra
I/ Takafumi Kudo, General Partners
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 27, 2017
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7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3030991#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532645
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Brazilian Financial and Tax Services, 3400 Stevenson Blvd., Apt M28, Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
July Claussen Frescas LLC, 3400 Stevenson Blvd., Apt M28, Fremont, CA 94538, Texas
Business conducted by: a Limited Liability Company
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 05/01/2017
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].)
I/ July Claussen Frescas, Managing Member
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on July 5, 2017
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7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3030985#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532632-33
Fictitious Business Name(s):
I Dream, LLC, 2804 Dominici Drive, Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
I Dream, LLC, 2804 Dominici Drive, Fremont, CA 94536; California
Business conducted by: a limited liability company
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 1. 9/26/07, 2. 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].)
I/ Laura Nishina, Member
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 27, 2017
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7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3029324#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532793
Fictitious Business Name(s):
J & B Logistics, 38095 Archer Ct, Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Bikram Sandhu, 38095 Archer Ct, Fremont, CA 94536
Business conducted by: An Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
I/ Bikram Sandhu, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on July 3, 2017
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7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3030223#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532409
Fictitious Business Name(s):
C.P. Construction, 6662 Mayhews Landing Road, Newark, CA 94560, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
C.P. Enterprises, Inc., 6662 Mayhews Landing Road, Newark, CA 94560; California
Business conducted by: a Corporation
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 07/25/1994
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].)
I/ Leslie Hellewell, President
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 21, 2017
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7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3030228#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532773
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Jalzacih Leather Bros LLC, 32608 Brenda Way, Unit 4, Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Jalzacih Leather Bros LLC, 32608 Brenda Way, Unit 4, Union City, CA 94587; California
Business conducted by: a Limited Liability Company
The registrant began to transact

PUBLIC NOTICES

7/11, 7/18, 7/25, 8/1/17

CNS-3028723#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532116

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Shobha Imports, 5795 Forbes Dr., Newark CA 94560, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Shobha Shodhan, 5795 Forbes Dr., Newark CA 94560
Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 7/23/2007

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/ Shobha Shodhan, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 13, 2017.

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CNS-3027482#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532383

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Aria Printing & Shipping, 43575 Mission Blvd., Fremont, CA 94539, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Aria Investment Corp., 43575 Mission Blvd., Fremont, CA 94539; California
Business conducted by: a corporation
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 7/31/2017

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/ K.P. Ariathurai, President
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 21, 2017.

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CNS-3026723#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532035

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Best Improvement Remodel, 4725 Palos Way, Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Moises Orozco Barragan, 4725 Palos 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 06/09/2017

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/ Moises Orozco Barragan, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 9, 2017.

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CNS-3026722#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532329

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Royal Kicks, 5401 Coliseum Way, Oakland, CA 94604, County of Alameda
Mailing Address: 22328 S Garden Ave #9, Hayward, CA 94541
Registrant(s):
Marcos Flores Campos, 22328 S Garden Ave #9, Hayward, CA 94541
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/ Marcos Flores Campos, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 20, 2017.

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CNS-3026473#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532612

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Swift PCB, 44847 Fremont Blvd, Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Sheila Matin, 5239 Colonial Pk Ct, Fremont, CA 94528

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/ Sheila Matin, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 27, 2017.

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CNS-3026470#

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT
OF USE OF FICTITIOUS
BUSINESS NAME

File No. 507819

The following person(s) has (have) abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: **Niles Pie Company, 32990 Alvarado Niles Rd Suite 960, Union City, CA 94587**

The Fictitious Business Name Statement being abandoned was filed on 07/31/2015 in the County of Alameda.

Carolyn Berke, 390 Riverside Avenue, Fremont, CA 94536

/s/ Carolyn Berke
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 6, 2017.

7/4, 7/11, 7/18, 7/25/17

CNS-3025624#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 532484

Fictitious Business Name(s):
MRA Enterprises, 36057 Caxton Pl., Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Matthew Alexander, 36057 Caxton Pl., Fremont, CA 94536

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

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

/s/ Matthew Alexander, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 22, 2017.

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CNS-3025617#

GOVERNMENT

NOTICE OF TIME AND
PLACE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Directors of the Alameda County Water District will hold a public hearing on **Thursday, August 10, 2017**, on a proposed Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance of the Board of Directors of Alameda County Water District Amending Policy for Compensation for Board Members." The hearing will be held at the August 10 Board meeting, which begins at 6 p.m. at the District headquarters, 43885 South Grimmer Boulevard, Fremont, CA.

Members of the Board currently receive compensation for the maximum of eight days of service in a calendar month at the rate of \$175 per day for attendance at meetings and for other service rendered at the request of the Board. The Board of Directors is considering a proposed Ordinance that would, if adopted, (1) increase the number of days that a Board member may be compensated from eight days to up to ten days in a calendar month; (2) increase the amount of compensation from \$175 per day to up to \$306.25 per day for attendance at meetings and for other service rendered at the request of the Board; and (3) modify the list of activities that are considered service rendered at the request of the Board.

A copy of the proposed Ordinance is available for inspection in the Office of the District Secretary, 43885 South Grimmer Boulevard, Fremont, CA.

Gina Markou
District Secretary
7/25, 8/1/17

CNS-3034527#

CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF UNION CITYNOTICE OF
PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the City Council of the City of Union City for the purpose of considering the following application:

General Plan Amendment (AG-17-002), Zoning Text Amendment (AT-17-001), Site Development Review (SD-17-002), Use Permit (UP-17-004) Vesting Tentative Parcel Map (TPM-17-001)

The applicant, Woodstock Development, Inc., is seeking a General Plan Amendment, Zoning Text Amendment, and Site Development Review, Use Permit, and Vesting Tentative Parcel Map approvals to: 1) reduce the minimum FAR requirement from 1.0 to .5 and clarify the list of permitted and conditional uses for the Station Mixed Use Commercial (CSMU) General Plan and Zoning designations, 2) construct a new 31,381 sq. ft. mixed-use office building and associated site improvements, and 3) facilitate dedication of right-of-way along Station Way and clean-up actions associated with existing property lines and easements.

At its public hearing held July 20, 2017, the Planning Commission voted 4-0 to recommend approval of the project to the City Council.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that a Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared for the project, which determined that the project would not result in any significant environmental impacts with the incorporation of mitigation measures.

This item will be heard at a public hearing by the City Council at the meeting listed below. You may attend the meeting and voice your comments in person, or you may submit comments in writing prior to the hearing.

The project planner, Adam Petersen, can be reached at (510) 675-5406 or via email at adam@unio

city.org.
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Tuesday, August 8, 2017
Said hearing will be held at 7:00 p.m.

at the Council Chambers of City Hall, 34009 Alvarado-Niles Road, Union City

The meeting packet, which includes the meeting agenda and staff report for this project, can be accessed on-line on the City's Agendas and Minutes webpage which is located at <http://www.ci.union-city.ca.us/government/city-council-agenda-packets>. Meeting packets are generally

available on-line the Friday before the meeting. City Hall is accessible by Union City Transit lines 1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9 and AC Transit line 97. BART riders can transfer to these bus routes at the UC BART station. For information, please call Union City Transit at (510) 471-1411 and AC Transit or BART at 511. Union City Transit maps and schedules are available at www.ucransit.org.

If you challenge the above described project in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Planning Commission public hearing for this project or the City Council public hearing, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission or to the City Council at, or prior to, the public hearing.

JOAN MALLOY
Economic & Community Development Director
7/25/17

CNS-3034025#

CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF UNION CITYNOTICE OF
PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the City Council of the City of Union City for the purpose of considering the following applications:

Site Development Review Approval (SD-15-004).

The applicant, SCS Engineers, on behalf of U.S. Pipe, is seeking Site Development Review approval for a 2.55-acre stormwater retention basin located within the vacant portion of the site along the westerly Whipple Road frontage and a new landscaping berm along the Whipple Road frontage and along a portion of the westerly property line. The property is located at 1295 Whipple Road (APN: 475-50-18). The site is located in the General Manufacturing (MG) zoning district.

At the public hearing held on July 20, 2017, the Planning Commission voted 4-0 to recommend approval of the project to the City Council.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that a Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared for the project, which determined that the project would not result in any significant environmental impacts with the incorporation of mitigation measures.

This item will be heard at a public hearing by the City Council at the meeting listed below. You may attend the meeting and voice your comments in person, or you may submit comments in writing prior to the hearing.

The project planner, Binh Nguyen, can be reached at (510) 675-5382 or via email at BinhN@unioncity.org.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Tuesday, August 8, 2017
Said hearing will be held at 7:00 p.m.

In the Council Chambers of City Hall, 34009 Alvarado-Niles Road, Union City

The meeting packet, which includes the meeting agenda and staff report for this project, can be accessed on-line on the City's Agendas and Minutes webpage which is located at <http://www.ci.union-city.ca.us/government/city-council-agenda-packets>. Meeting packets are generally available on-line the Friday before the meeting.

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JOAN MALLOY
Economic & Community Development Director
7/25/17

CNS-3034005#

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

On August 8, 2017, at or after 7:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 37101 Newark Blvd., Newark, CA, the Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider:

P-17-05, a planned unit development, E-17-06, environmental determination, TTM-17-07, vesting tentative tract map 8387, and U-17-08, a conditional use permit, for a proposed eight-unit, sixteen-unit, multi-family residential townhome-style subdivision at 37243 and 37257 Filbert Street (APN(s) 092-0131-001-09, 092-0131-002-04 And 092-0131-003). This project is exempt from CEQA as per Section 15332 (In-Fill Development Projects).

Details available at the Planning Department, 37101 Newark Boulevard, Newark, CA, 94560, and by calling (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 Newark Planning Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing.

TERRENCE GRINDALL
Assistant City Manager
7/25/17

CNS-3033375#

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Publication Date: July 25, 2017

On August 8, 2017, at or after 7:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 37101 Newark Blvd., Newark, CA, the Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider:

P-17-01, a planned unit development, U-17-02, a conditional use permit, and E-17-03, an addendum to the Dumbarton Transit Oriented Development (TOD) Specific Plan Program Environmental Impact Report (PEIR) (State Clearinghouse No. 2010042012) and the subsequent Initial Study/ Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) for the SHH/FMC project (State Clearinghouse No. 2014012056), for a proposed five-story mixed-use hotel and retail space at 37445 Willow Street (APN 092-0115-011-03).

Details available at the Planning Department, 37101 Newark Boulevard, Newark, CA, 94560, and by calling (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 Newark Planning Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing.

TERRENCE GRINDALL
Assistant City Manager
7/25/17

CNS-3033373#

PUBLIC NOTICE AND SUMMARY OF AN
ORDINANCE TO BE ADOPTED BY THE CITY
COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF NEWARK

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWARK AMENDING TITLE 17 (ZONING) OF THE NEWARK MUNICIPAL CODE TO REVISE CHAPTER 17.20 (COMMERCIAL DISTRICTS) AND CHAPTER 17.24 (INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS) BY AMENDING SECTIONS 17.20.030, 17.020.040, 17.24.030 AND 17.24.040.

On July 13, 2017, the Newark City Council introduced an ordinance amending Title 17 (Zoning) of the Newark Municipal Code, which seeks to remove "Distribution and Warehousing Uses" as a permitted use in the General Commercial, Intermediate Commercial, High Technology Park, Industrial Technology Park, Industrial Park, Limited Industrial, and General Industrial Zoning Districts and add "Distribution and Warehouse Uses" as a conditional use in the General Commercial, Intermediate Commercial, High Technology Park, Industrial Technology Park, Industrial Park, Limited Industrial, and General Industrial Zoning Districts with the aim of establishing the appropriate process to determine potential negative impacts associated with Distribution and Warehouse Uses.

This ordinance will be considered for adoption at the regular meeting of the Newark City Council to be held on Thursday, July 27, 2017 at 7:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, 37101 Newark Boulevard, Newark, California. Copies of the full ordinance and ordinance agenda are available for public examination in the Office of the City Clerk, 37101 Newark Boulevard, 5th Floor and in the Newark Library, 6300 Civic Terrace Avenue, Newark,

California.
Sheila Harrington City Clerk
7/25/17

CNS-3032863#

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

On August 8, 2017, at or after 7:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 37101 Newark Blvd., Newark, CA, the Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider:

The request for a conditional use permit, U2017-004 to operate a seasonal decorated house attraction to be held from September 28, 2017 through November 1, 2017, inside an existing building located at 5530 Newpark Plaza (APN: 901-0111-005). The existing building is located in Newpark Plaza and is bounded by Newpark Mall Road on the north, Balentine Drive on the east, Magazine Drive on the west and Cedar Boulevard on the south.

Details available at the Planning Department, 37101 Newark Boulevard, Newark, CA, 94560, and by calling (510) 578-4242.

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 Newark Planning Commission at, or prior to, the public hearing.

SOFIA MANGALAM
Associate Planner

7/25/17

CNS-3032813#

PROBATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
CHANGQING ZHANG, AKA
CHANG QING ZHANG
CASE NO. RP17848950

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Changqing Zhang aka Chang Qing Zhang, deceased.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by George C. Luo in the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda. The Petition for Probate requests that George C. Luo 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 continuance: August 14, 2017 at 9:30 a.m. in Dept. 202 located at 2120 Martin Luther King Jr. Way, Berkeley, California 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 state clerk.

Petitioner: George C. Luo, 9 Main Street, Charlestown, Massachusetts 02129, Telephone: 434/420-4813
7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

CNS-3033165#

NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
SAIED KHATA-O-KHOTAN
CASE NO. RP17867749

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Saied Khata-O-Khotan. A Petition for Probate has been filed by Khanh Tran in the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda.

The Petition for Probate requests that Khanh Tran 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 Aug 23 2017 at 9:31 AM 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

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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.

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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 state clerk.

Petitioner in Pro Per: Khanh Tran, 41449 Millermen Terrace, Fremont CA 94538, Telephone: (510) 676-3256
7/25, 8/1, 8/8/17

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Fremont Police Log

SUBMITTED BY GENEVA BOSQUES, FREMONT PD

Friday, July 14

At 1:39 p.m. a woman entered a pizza restaurant on the 3900 block of Washington Boulevard and told the cashier that someone was pointing a gun at him and ordered him to open the cash drawer. Once the drawer was opened, the woman grabbed the cash and fled. Responding Officer M. Smith recognized the description of the suspect from an earlier contact as resembling probationer Lorraine O’Donnell, 26, of Fremont. Sgt. Little, who was in the area and accompanied by three new officers, saw O’Donnell near a vehicle. She eventually walked into a nearby liquor store to purchase alcohol with the stolen money. Police units converged on the store and detained O’Donnell without incident. She was positively identified and arrested on suspicion of robbery.

A strong-arm robbery was reported in the parking lot of the Premier Ballroom on the 4100 block of Cushing Parkway. The victim was inside his vehicle when the suspect approached and opened his car door and demanded the bag the victim was holding. The victim turned over the bag which contained two pairs of dancing shoes. The suspect was described as a Hispanic man adult in his 40s, clean shaven, about 5-feet-tall, weighing about 170 pounds and wearing a baseball cap and khaki pants.

At 12:14 a.m. a woman was getting into her vehicle in the 43900 block of Pacific Commons Boulevard when a man came up from behind her and snatched her purse, which contained an iPhone. The phone was found discarded in a garbage can at the Shell station on Auto Mall Parkway. The suspect was described as a white or light-skinned Hispanic man, about 6-feet-tall, with a medium build, brown shaggy hair with possible facial hair and wearing a grey sweatshirt with yellow sleeves The Shell station was checked for possible video

surveillance of the suspect. The case is under investigation by Officer Latimer.

Saturday, July 15

Police received information via social media of an incident that occurred at a shop in the Niles District earlier in the week about two men who entered the shop and argued with the shop owner over her decision to display a rainbow flag in front. After returning to the store for a second time, one of the men was upset when his photo was taken and slapped at the owner’s hand, causing her to lose the grip on her phone. Further follow up has been assigned to our Detective Unit and an investigation is ongoing.

Officers were dispatched to an injury collision at Broadmoor Common and Grimmer Boulevard where a vehicle collided with a 9 -year-old child riding a bicycle. Investigating officers learned the child was riding on the sidewalk with friends. At some point, the child rode off the sidewalk. The vehicle struck the child in the roadway with the bicycle going under the vehicle and rider going over the hood.

The child was taken to a regional trauma center with non-life-threatening injuries. Drugs and alcohol are not believed to be a factor, but an investigation is continuing.

Monday, July 17

At 7:23 a.m. multiple officers responded to a report of a man swinging an axe and trying to hit people in the 4100 block of Irvington Avenue. Officer LaStrape located Curtis Montgomery, 41, of Fremont, near Irvington Avenue and Trimboli Way and trying to flee the scene. Officers subsequently learned that Montgomery struck another man in the head with the back of a hatchet, causing minor/superficial wounds. After fleeing, Montgomery discarded the clothing he was wearing and two hatchets in an apartment complex. These items were later recovered. Montgomery was arrested on suspicion of assault with a deadly weapon and taken to Santa Rita Jail.

At 9:41 p.m. Officer Paiva investigated a report of a chain snatch robbery that occurred on the 44000 block of Osgood Rd. The victim, a 28-year-old man

said another man approached him in a parking lot and grabbed the gold chain from his neck. The suspect entered the passenger seat of a waiting vehicle and it exited the parking lot onto Osgood Road. The vehicle was described as a white 2-door Honda. The first suspect was described as a black male between 16 and 20-years-old, about 6-feet-tall with a thin build, short black hair and short, thin facial hair and wearing a black jacket, dark pants and new shite shoes. The second suspect was described as a white woman in her mid-20s, unknown hair color and wearing a grey T-shirt and pants.

At 3:59 p.m. Officer Gerber was driving in the Irvington area when he saw John Lindberg, 50, of Fremont, carrying a knife and chasing after a 25-year-old man near High Street and Grimmer Boulevard. Lindberg followed commands when Gerber attempted to stop him and was detained. Lindberg said he intended to stab the man over a domestic dispute. He was booked into Santa Rita Jail on charges of assault with a deadly weapon.

How Medicare works with other insurance

BY GREG DILL, MEDICARE REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR

If your family is anything like mine, everyone has a certain specialty or role in keeping the household running.

Since I wash dishes faster than anyone, I’m the family dishwashing expert. I’m also the point man for paying medical bills. My wife and I have separate health coverage, so I have to make sure our providers have the up-to-date information they need to accurately bill our respective insurance plans.

If you have Medicare as well as other insurance, always be sure to tell your doctor, hospital, and pharmacy. This is important because it determines whether your medical bills are paid correctly and on time. When there’s more than one insurance payer, certain rules determine which one pays first. These rules are called “coordination of benefits.”

The “primary payer” pays what it owes on your bills first and then sends the balance to the “secondary payer” to pay. In some cases, there may also be a third payer. Medicare is the primary payer for beneficiaries who aren’t covered by other types of health insurance.

The primary payer pays up to the limits of its coverage. The secondary payer only pays if there are costs the primary insurer didn’t cover; but, keep in mind that the secondary payer (which may be Medicare) may not pay all of the uncovered costs. If you currently have employer insurance and it’s the secondary payer, you may need to enroll in Medicare Part B before your job-based coverage will pay. (Most people who sign up for Part B for the first time this year will pay a monthly premium of \$134.)

Here’s who pays first in various situations when you have Medicare and some other type of insurance as well:

If you have retiree insurance (coverage from a former job), Medicare pays first. If you’re 65 or older, have group coverage based on your or your spouse’s current employment, and the employer has 20 or more workers, your group plan pays first. (If the company has fewer than 20 employees, Medicare pays first.)

Your group plan also pays first when you’re under 65 and disabled, have group coverage based on your or a family member’s current employment, and the employer has 100 or more employees. (Medicare pays first if the company has fewer than 100 employees.)

If you have Medicare because of end-stage renal disease (permanent kidney failure), your group plan pays first for the first 30 months after you become eligible for Medicare. Medicare pays first after this 30-month period. Medicare may pay second if you’re in an accident or have a workers’ compensation case in which other insurance covers your injury or you’re suing another entity for medical expenses.

In such situations, you or your lawyer should tell Medicare as soon as possible. The following types of insurance usually pay first for services related to each type:

- No-fault insurance (including automobile insurance);
- Liability (including automobile and self-insurance);
- Black lung benefits;
- Workers’ compensation.

Medicaid and TRICARE (the healthcare program for U.S. armed service members, retirees, and their families) never pay first for services that are covered by Medicare. They only pay after Medicare, employer plans, and/or Medicare Supplement Insurance (Medigap) have paid.

For more information, read the booklet “Medicare and Other Health Benefits: Your Guide to Who Pays First.” You can find it online at <https://www.medicare.gov/Pubs/pdf/02179.pdf>, or call us toll-free at 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227) and ask for a copy to be mailed to you. TTY users should call 1-877-486-2048.

If you have questions about who pays first, or if your coverage changes, call the Benefits Coordination & Recovery Center toll-free at 1-855-798-2627. TTY users should call 1-855-797-2627. You can also contact your employer or union benefits administrator. You may need to give your Medicare number to your other insurers so your bills are paid correctly and on time.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Economic loss, health cost of cutting park access - \$700k annually

East Bay Recreational Park District (EBRPD) released an economic report in 2017 drafted by a team of independent economic analysts. The report indicated that the average recreational value of each park visit is \$8. (page 35, http://www.ebparks.org/Assets/Features/Econ_Dev/Economic+Analysis+Impact+Report_3-2017.pdf). The experts report that the number of visits to EBRPD parks rose by an astonishing 78% from 2000 to 2016.

However, EBRPD indicated during a recent city of Fremont/EBRPD Liaison meeting that the average visitor count at the Stanford Avenue entrance of Mission Peak Regional Preserve dropped over the last three years. Data from the park district shows a 29% drop from 19,041 per month to 13,528 or 66,000 fewer per year. EBRPD Assistant General Manager for Operations, Jim O’Connor, is on record as stating that it “just may be that we’re reaching a saturation... maybe this was a trend and we’re seeing a downward cycle in that trend.” This comment is in line with an earlier statement EBRPD Assistant General Manager O’Connor made at a private meeting with neighbors on November 18, 2015. There he announced the intention to “break the trend” of more visitors at Mission Peak.

He has succeeded. While visits to other parks are rising rapidly, up by 78% since 2000, visits to Mission Peak are dropping. This should raise eyebrows; but the drop should come as no surprise to the management of the park district nor our city politicians. That’s because EBRPD cut park hours by 30% on September 29, 2014, and then both EBRPD and the city supported the reduction in curb parking from over 2,000 spaces to less than 200 spaces on weekends.

With each visit valued at \$8, this decline represents a loss in recreational services of \$530,000 per year. The losses are borne by the public and local businesses. Moreover, the spike in parking citations at Mission Peak during the last six months has already taken nearly \$100,000 out of the pockets of visitors. That’s for just six months; so, the jump in fines is costing \$200,000 per year.

Parking citations in the rest of the city of Fremont amounted to \$370,000 in fiscal year 2013, and \$340,000 in 2014, according to Staff Report 2755 issued by the city in June 2016. By ramping up ticketing that targets visitors at Mission Peak, citywide revenue from parking citations is boosted by 54% to 59%.; revenue is offset by the cost of enforcement.

Ticket revenue is earmarked for the city coffers, but consider

that the average compensation for a police officer in Fremont has climbed to nearly \$175,000 per year. The city’s Community Services, Police and Transportation Departments have each worked hand in glove with the local neighborhood, to target visitors. They did so, against the interests of residents elsewhere in the city. This is costing the public around \$730,000 per year, \$200,000 in direct costs for parking fines and another \$530,000 for the value of lost recreational services.

Let’s keep in mind that tyranny has a tangible cost, more than just a loss of liberty. Bad laws and bad governance by EBRPD and the City of Fremont are costing the citizens of Fremont money. We pay property taxes to EBRPD and to the city that are being wasted; we vote for bond measures that are misdirected; we pay costly parking fines that keep us out of our public parks and deprive us of recreational services. Worst of all, as a result of bad policies and illegitimate ordinances, our health is being harmed. “Healthy Parks Healthy People” is a wonderful catch phrase however grossly misused when our city and EBRPD block access using our money to restrict parking at our public parks.

William Yragui, Co-Founder Mission Peak Conservancy

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Fremont man earns U.S. Army promotion

SUBMITTED BY
GARRETT S. YEE

During ceremonies on Friday, July 7 in Washington, D.C., Biji John, a Fremont native, was promoted to the rank of Lt. Col. in the United States Army at the Pentagon.

Maj. Gen. Garrett S. Yee, U.S. Army, Acting Director of Cybersecurity and Information Assurance, Army Office of the Chief Information Officer/G-6, also from Fremont, presided over the ceremony. Family and friends from Fremont and from the states of Maryland, Virginia, New York, and Utah attended the ceremony.

John attributed much of his success to his upbringing in

Fremont and to the many family and friends who shaped him into the person he is today. John’s mother Sosamma John and his sister, Aje John, are long-time residents of Fremont. His father, Kochakkan John died in August 2016.

John’s previous Army assignments have taken him to Washington, Texas, California, Nebraska, Georgia and now Washington D.C. He served two combat tours in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and one combat tour in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan. He is currently assigned as the Deputy Chief, Strategic Initiatives Group, in the Army’s Office of the Chief

Information Officer/G-6.

His awards and decorations include two awards of the Bronze Star Medal from his combat tours in Iraq, the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, and the Meritorious Service Medal from his combat tour in Afghanistan. John’s badges include the Combat Action Badge, the Aviation Badge, the Air Assault Badge, and the German Proficiency Badge (Gold).

John is a 1998 graduate of Washington High School, where he played varsity football and track and field and was the student body president his senior year. He is also a 2002 graduate of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point.



Maj. Gen Garrett Yee (left) and Lt. Col. Biji John’s (right) at promotion ceremony

San Leandro mayor elected vice chair of national women’s caucus

SUBMITTED BY TERESA MEYER

San Leandro Mayor Pauline Russo Cutter was recently elected Vice Chair of the United States Conference of Mayors — Women’s Leadership Alliance. This unique national caucus was founded in 1983 by then-Mayor Dianne Feinstein of San Francisco, a long-time champion of women’s rights.

The Women’s Leadership Alliance is dedicated to developing involvement and leadership potential for women mayors within the U.S. Conference of Mayors (USCM). In addition to supporting women mayors, the Alliance brings women leaders together to magnify their voice within the Conference and create a dialogue regarding policy issues that are of importance to women.

“From equal pay to access to affordable health services, we will work to continue to raise awareness on these very important issues and work for gender equality for the women of tomorrow,” noted Cutter. “And of course, as I undertake the efforts of the Alliance, I am inspired by the example and ongoing work of one of our nation’s great public servants who I am proud to call my senior United States Senator — Dianne Feinstein.”

Mayor Marilyn Strickland of Tacoma, Washington is the incoming president but will depart office at the end of this year. The election occurred during USCM’s Annual Meeting that took place in Miami Beach from June 23rd to June 26th.

Former intern named ‘Homegrown Employee of the Year’

SUBMITTED BY THE
ALAMEDA COUNTY OFFICE
OF EDUCATION

Forrest Bloxham, a longtime employee at the Hayward offices of the Alameda County Office of Education (ACOE) has been recognized as “Homegrown Employee of the Year.”

Bloxham is a senior utility worker and a member of the California School Employees Association. He has had a long connection with ACOE, starting as a student in the ACOE’s Hayward Community School, where he enrolled as a last effort to earn his high school diploma. “That program made me sink or swim,” Bloxham said. “I feel okay in my own skin now because everyone was really supportive. I kind of grew up there.”

L. Karen Monroe, Alameda County Superintendent of Schools, noted, “Each year we acknowledge our outstanding team of employees at ACOE. This year, I am especially proud to honor Forrest who grew through our programs. I am proud to call him a part of the team.”

Although he was dealing with life challenges, Bloxham found support and encouragement in the staff of ACOE. He credits teachers Annie Green and Gwen Estes with giving him that extra push when he wanted to give up. A pivotal moment came when Green announced an internship opportunity at the County Office as something that “could change someone’s life.” Forrest applied for the internship, and it did change his life. That opportunity

turned into a seven-week paid internship that allowed him to move through different departments experiencing varied positions. He soon moved into a full-time position and has now been on staff for seven years.

ACOE currently leads several student programs through the Pathways to College and Career Department, which supports the accountability measures for College and Career Readiness set by the US Department of Education.

Of Bloxham, ACOE’s LaShonda Taylor, Career Pathways Director noted, “His story is a phenomenal example of why the Career Pathways Trust II grant is so important. It provides youth with opportunities to participate in career pathways that connect them to lucrative careers.”

Hayward names new police chief

SUBMITTED BY THE
CITY OF HAYWARD

Following an 11-month national search for its 14th police chief, Hayward officials found the candidate they were looking for right at home.

City Manager Kelly McAdoo announced July 19 the appointment of Mark Koller as Chief of Police, a position he has held on an acting and interim basis since August 2016. Koller was at the helm when the Hayward Police Department earned reaccreditation with “excellence” from the nation’s leading law enforcement accreditation body.

“Mark has earned the confidence and admiration of his colleagues within HPD, across city government and in the community at large by being approachable, forthright and honest, being adaptable, open to change and ready to confront new challenges,” McAdoo said.

The selection of Koller, a second-generation Hayward police officer, caps a national search and competitive application process that included finalist interviews with panels of Hayward community members, police command staff, sworn

officers and Police Department professional staff, and Hayward municipal government department heads.

“I want to express my gratitude to the members of the Hayward community, HPD and city government who participated in this recruitment and selection process,” McAdoo said after the announcement. I believe whole-heartedly that we have, in Chief Koller, the best possible person for the job and the best person to lead the department for years to come.”

Koller, 54, called the appointment an honor of a lifetime — noting that both he and his father, retired Inspector David Koller, have been career Hayward police officers. “This is the highest honor to have an opportunity to give back to this community, a city that is so much a part of me, and to lead a department which my father has also served and which I have also served throughout my entire adult career,” Koller said.

Born in Hayward, Koller knew early he wanted to become a cop. At age 14, after the Koller family had moved to Newark, Mark Koller became an Explorer with that city’s police department. At age 18, he

became a Newark police Cadet. His Hayward career began in 1981 when he was hired by HPD as a Police Assistant (currently known as a Community Service Officer). Koller was assigned to work as a jailer and later selected as a crime scene technician. In 1984, he was promoted to police officer, serving as a patrol officer, narcotics investigator, and child abuse investigator, as well as a team member on the Police Department’s Special Response Unit (SWAT team).

In 1995, Koller was promoted to Inspector, where he served as a general crimes, burglary, and homicide investigator. In 1998, he was promoted to Sergeant and supervised patrol squads, Internal Affairs and SWAT. In 2002, Koller was elevated to Lieutenant overseeing the day-to-day patrol operations as a Watch Commander. He also served as the department’s SWAT Commander, Personnel and Training Manager, and as the Northern District Commander.

After attaining the rank of captain in 2013, Koller was assigned to the Field Operations Division. In 2014, the Field Operations Division was divided, and Koller took command of the newly created Special Operations



Hayward Police Chief Mark Koller

Division, overseeing the District Stations, Personnel and Training, Traffic, Canine, and Special Response Units.

Finally, in August, 2016, Koller was appointed as the Acting Chief of Police, and on Dec. 15, 2016, to Interim Chief of Police.

Koller obtained a Bachelor of Science Degree from California State University, Long Beach. He

is a graduate of the 238th session of FBI National Academy, the Los Angeles Leadership Program (formerly West Point Leadership), the 64th session of the Police Executive Research Forum Senior Management Institute for Police (SMIP), as well as the 2014 Local Government Leadership Academy of Alameda County.

Venture capital flowing freely

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF HAYWARD

According to Silicon Valley technology blog TechCrunch, Hayward companies have raised nearly \$490 million in venture funding in the last three years—more than in Portland, Oregon, and San Antonio, Texas, cities with twice and three times the population, respectively.

The Hayward industrial zone that is home to these companies is capitalizing on its proximity to the San Francisco Bay Area metropolitan area, its highly competitive freeway, rail, maritime, and air shipping and transportation infrastructure, and its comparatively affordable real estate prices and leasing rates.

“In recent years,” reports TechCrunch, “the majority of Hayward’s venture funding has gone to biotechnology companies like Arcus Biosciences, a developer of cancer therapies, that raised \$70 million in September, and MicuRx, which develops antibodies to treat drug-resistant infections.”

“Hayward is also making inroads as an energy startup hub,” TechCrunch adds, noting that both Primus Power, a provider of utility-scale battery storage, and Alphabet Energy, a developer of technology to convert waste heat to energy, both make Hayward home.

It’s not just venture capital that’s flowing into Hayward, either. Since the beginning of the year, the City Council has approved nearly a half-billion dollars in new mixed-use residential and retail development for downtown, showing that real estate investors, too, are increasingly looking to Hayward.

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THEATRE REVIEW

Red, White and Tuna

celebrates small town foibles



BY JANET GRANT
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CHRISTIAN PIZZIRANI

"Red, White and Tuna," simply put, is a raucously hilarious excursion into small town life. Broadway West Theatre Company's production of the third installment in the "Greater Tuna" series, furthers the adventures of the denizens of the fictitious town of Tuna – the third-smallest town in Texas.

This uproarious and satirical slice of life by Ed Howard, Joe Sears, and Jaston Williams, centers on an impending high school reunion and 4th of July celebration. What ensues is a non-stop panoply of colorful characters dripping with Southern syrup and lunacy.

Throughout the play, the audience is introduced to an assorted cast of unique characters. These include Vera Carp, the burg's meanest society matron,

who is determined to be crowned reunion queen; Didi Snively a gun toting store owner whose UFO-kidnapped husband remains missing; the grandmotherly and lusty Pearl Burras; homey and informed radio personality Thurston Wheelis; radio disc jockey Arles Struvie, who is preparing to marry widowed housewife Bertha Bumiller; Bertha's pregnant daughter Charlene Bummiller, furious over her inability to find malted milk balls; Bertha's taxidermist son, Stanley Bumiller; Joe Bob, Tuna Little Theater's artistic director and prima donna; Humane Society stalwart and simpleton, Petey Fisk; randy food vendors, Inita Goodwin and Helen Bedd; and vegetarian hippie holdovers from the Age of Aquarius, tar Birdfeather and Amber Windchime.

Broadway West's production features the incomparable acting talents of Tom Shamrell and Todd Wright, whose comedic

timing, range, and versatility definitely brings Tuna, Texas, to life. Capturing all the characters and quirks of the people of Tuna at a dizzying speed, these two veteran performers held us in rapt attention while flying through their quick and seamless transformations. Oftentimes, we were left wondering, are there really only two actors on that stage?

Special kudos goes to dressers, Leslie Newport and Brenna Hentshke who made it possible for two actors to portray 20 characters in a space of two and a half hours!

Under the capable and inspired direction of director, Jim Woodbury and assistant director, Mary Galde, "Red, White and Tuna" provides laugh out loud antics and entertainment in large doses.

"There are eight million stories in the naked city; this has been one of them," wrote Jules Dassin, in "The Naked City."

Though not a huge city, and not even close to eight million stories, after experiencing Tuna, I can only think, there are many weird stories in Texas's third-smallest town, and this has been all of them!

A 4th of July reunion, new-age hippies, an attack cat, UFOs, and other quirkiness, Broadway West's satire, "Red, White and Tuna," is a gut-busting, two-man tour de force that brings out the good, the bad, and the incredibly strange in small town America.

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