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Children's Book Artwork

SUBMITTED BY DORSI DIAZ

The Sun Gallery is pleased to announce the return of its annual "Children's Book Illustrator Show." A local favorite, this fun and colorful show has delighted young and old alike from around the San Francisco Bay Area for almost 30 years.

The exhibit opens on Friday, January 19 and runs until Saturday, March 17 with a special Artists' Reception meet and greet on Saturday, January 27. Children and their families will be treated to face painting, appetizers, and beverages – plus a free art class held beforehand in the

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Community service recognized at

Hayward Chamber Gala

SUBMITTED BY HAYWARD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
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Geoff Harries, owner of the historic and iconic Buffalo Bill's Brewery, will be honored as Business Person of the Year at the 74th annual "Hayward Chamber of Commerce Awards Gala" on Saturday, January 27. Harries will be honored along with recipients of awards for Hayward's Educator, Firefighter, and Police Officer of the Year.

"This is one of Hayward's great traditions and reflects the esteem this city has for those that make community service part their life's work," said Kim Huggett, president and CEO of the chamber. "The fact that the gala sells out every year says a lot about Hayward and this event."

Educator of the Year:
Dave Seymour, Principal,
Hayward High School

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Dave Seymour is in his fourth year as principal of Hayward High School, the oldest high school in southern Alameda County. He has developed a strong team of educators and community advocates that support the mission of Hayward High. Students are offered a comprehensive curriculum with Advanced Placement in all core curricular areas, Career Pathway opportunities, a full range of core courses, classes in the visual and performing arts, and vocational courses in business education, home economics, and industrial technology, with capstone courses with the Eden Area Regional Occupational Program.

Seymour has served the Hayward community for many years, including three as an assistant principal at Hayward High and six as a teacher of social sciences at Tennyson High School. Since Seymour became principal at Hayward High there have been increased student graduation rates, approval of a six-year accreditation by WASC (Western Association of Schools and Colleges), implementation of the biomedical and engineering career pathways, and he was named College Bound Educator of the Year.

Addressing cultural issues in one of the state's most diverse communities, Seymour supported the Mandarin World Language pipeline program at Hayward High, as well as the Culturally Responsive Teaching Professional Development program, and the College Bound Brotherhood program in support of African-American male students.

Police Officer of the Year:
Rodney Reed, Hayward
Police Department

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Over his 17 years with the Hayward Police Department, Officer Rodney Reed has earned the respect of colleagues and the community as a patrol officer, school resource officer, and district command officer. He consistently receives compliments about his service from community members and is known as a "master of mediation" for his extraordinary ability resolve challenging conflicts.

Officer Reed has developed contacts through community meetings, city partnerships, business and faith-based partners, and other constituents. He also educates community members on how they can take the lead in problem-solving efforts.

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Hayward Educator of the Year Dave Seymour



Hayward Business Person of the Year
Geoff Harries



Hayward Firefighter of the Year
Battalion Chief Mike Hildebrand



Hayward Police Officer of the Year
Rodney Reed

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People often start a new year by resolving to improve their personal health and well-being. They may realize, however, keeping that resolution isn't always easy.

One technique that helps people continue with their health and fitness goals is taking part in a group class or program that provides helpful instruction as well as the support of others with similar goals. The Wellness Center at Washington Hospital offers a variety of fitness classes to help empower people in the community to take an active role in improving their personal wellness.

"The Wellness Center offers people a safe environment to participate in exercise sessions as well as other activities that promote all-around body and mind wellness," says Cheryl Capece, manager of Imaging Services and the Wellness Center at Washington Hospital.

Nearly all classes and programs are open to both men and women age 18 or older, even though the classes take place in the Women's Center conference room (suite 145 of the Washington West building at 2500 Mowry Ave. in Fremont). The one exception is the Ladies Choice Program, which

is an individualized exercise program designed exclusively for women.

"Ladies Choice is offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Cardiac Rehab Gym on the second floor of Washington West," notes Jessica Neely, the Wellness Center concierge who helps clients coordinate class schedules. "Our certified athletic trainer conducts individual assessments for each participant to determine her limitations as well as her goals, such as weight loss, becoming more flexible, or increasing overall strength. Then the trainer instructs each woman how to use

the equipment properly to attain her specific goals. It's the benefit without the cost of a personal trainer you could find at a private gym." Class size is limited to 18. Cost: \$50 per month. The two-hour sessions include individual and group exercises.

Wellness Center classes for both men and women include:

- Pilates – nonimpact resistance training that is suitable for all ages to condition the whole body. Pilates exercises help develop core muscles to reduce the risk of injuries and improve recovery from previous injuries. Pilates can help improve posture, flexibility, circulation and balance. Classes,

limited to 10 participants, are held on Wednesdays from 12 to 1 p.m. or 6 to 7 p.m. Cost: \$60 for six sessions or \$12 per class, space permitting.

- "Keep It Moving" – an active group exercise class designed to help older adults maintain their cardiovascular health, strength and flexibility. Classes are offered on Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:15 to 10:15 a.m., 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., and 4 to 5 p.m. Classes are limited to 16 participants. Cost: \$60 for 12 one-hour classes over a six-week period.

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	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY
	1/16/18	1/17/18	1/18/18	1/19/18	1/20/18	1/21/18	1/22/18
12:00 PM 12:00 AM	Arthritis: Do I Have One of 100 Types?	Eating for Heart Health by Reducing Sodium	Nerve Compression Disorders of the Arm	Voices InHealth: Demystifying the Radiation Oncology Center	Strategies to Reduce the Risk of Cancer Recurrence	How to Talk to Your Doctor	Strategies to Reduce the Risk of Cancer Recurrence
12:30 PM 12:30 AM		Kidney Transplants		(Late Start) Don't Let Hip Pain Run You Down		Diabetes Health Fair: Heart Health & Diabetes: What is the Connection	
1:00 PM 1:00 AM	Sports Medicine Program: Think Running is a Pain? It Doesn't Have to Be		Pain When You Walk? It Could Be PVD		11th Annual Women's Health Conference: Meditation		Diabetes Matters: Exercise IS Medicine
1:30 PM 1:30 AM	Strengthen Your Back! Learn to Improve Your Back Fitness	Inside Washington Hospital: Advanced Treatment of Aneurysms		Diabetes Matters: Basics of Insulin Pump Therapy			
2:00 PM 2:00 AM	Family Caregiver Series: Coping as a Caregiver	Sports Medicine Program: Exercise & Injury	Palliative Care Series: Palliative Care Demystified		Understanding Mental Health Disorders	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting January 10, 2018	
2:30 PM 2:30 AM				Community Based Senior Supportive Services			Minimally Invasive Surgery for Lower Back Disorders
3:00 PM 3:00 AM	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting December 13, 2017	Respiratory Health	Late Start) Learn If You Are at Risk for Liver Disease		(Late Start) Family Caregiver Series: How Do You Talk to Your Doctor?		
3:30 PM 3:30 AM				National Hospital Rating Systems for Quality & Patient Safety		Stop Diabetes Before it Starts	National Hospital Rating Systems for Quality & Patient Safety
4:00 PM 4:00 AM	Diabetes Matters: Diabetes: Is There an App for That?	Latest Treatments for Cerebral Aneurysms	How to Talk to Your Doctor		Strategies to Reduce the Risk of Cancer Recurrence		
4:30 PM 4:30 AM	Minimally Invasive Options in Gynecology	Minimally Invasive Options in Gynecology		Menopause: A Mind-Body Approach		Minimally Invasive Options in Gynecology	
5:00 PM 5:00 AM	New to Medicare? What You Need to Know	Prostate Cancer: What You Need to Know	Inside Washington Hospital: The Green Team		Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting January 10, 2018		Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting January 10, 2018
5:30 PM 5:30 AM		National Hospital Rating Systems for Quality & Patient Safety		11th Annual Women's Health Conference: Patient's Playbook		National Hospital Rating Systems for Quality & Patient Safety	
6:00 PM 6:00 AM	11th Annual Women's Health Conference: Heart Health Nutrition	Learn the Latest Treatment Options for GERD	Deep Venous Thrombosis	Symptoms of Thyroid Problems			
6:30 PM 6:30 AM	Diabetes Matters: Diabetes & Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome				(Late Start) Inside Washington Hospital: Implementing the Lean Management System		
7:00 PM 7:00 AM	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting December 13, 2017	Raising Awareness About Stroke	Keeping Your Heart on the Right Beat	Digestive Health: What You Need to Know	Keys to Healthy Eyes	(Late Start) 11th Annual Women's Health Conference: Preventing Cardiovascular Disease in Women	
7:30 PM 7:30 AM							Good Fats vs. Bad Fats
8:00 PM 8:00 AM	Learn About the Signs & Symptoms of Sepsis	(Late Start) Dietary Treatment to Treat Celiac Disease	(Late Start) Meatless Mondays	The Patient's Playbook Community Forum: Getting to the No-Mistake Zone	Diabetes Health Fair: Quick Meals On A Budget		
8:30 PM 8:30 AM	(Late Start) Voices InHealth: Healthy Pregnancy					Heart Health: What You Need to Know	Sports Medicine Program: Nutrition & Athletic Performance
9:00 PM 9:00 AM	Obesity: Understand the Causes, Consequences & Prevention	Colon Cancer: Prevention & Treatment	Early Detection & Prevention of Female Cancers	Your Concerns InHealth: Senior Scam Prevention	Early Detection & Prevention of Female Cancers		
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Washington Hospital Service League Offers Academic Scholarships

The Washington Hospital Service League has been in existence for 62 years—longer than the Hospital itself. During that time, countless community members have been introduced to Washington Hospital through the efforts of these volunteers. In addition to hours donated at the Hospital, the Service League contributes to the youth of the area through educational and scholarship opportunities.

The Service League's scholarship program has awarded nearly \$310,000 in scholarships since its establishment in 1961. The first scholarship of \$150 was awarded to a nursing student training at Highland Hospital in Oakland.

Today, the Service League grants two \$1,000 scholarships annually, which are renewable for three additional years, based on the student's academic performance and continued focus on health care.

Additionally, a one-time scholarship of \$1000 is awarded.

These scholarships are available to students in the Washington Township Health Care District—which includes Fremont, Newark, Union City, and parts of South Hayward and unincorporated Sunol—who are pursuing studies in a health-related field. Students who currently volunteer at Washington Hospital are also eligible. The scholarships are awarded each year to graduating high school seniors and/or current college students.

By providing scholarships, the Service League hopes to help students with their education and career goals, and in turn, hope they may someday be able to give back to the community by providing health care. Service League Scholarship Chair Dian Zarzycki notes the pleasure they receive by giving assistance and support to

budding doctors, nurses and other health care professionals in the local community.

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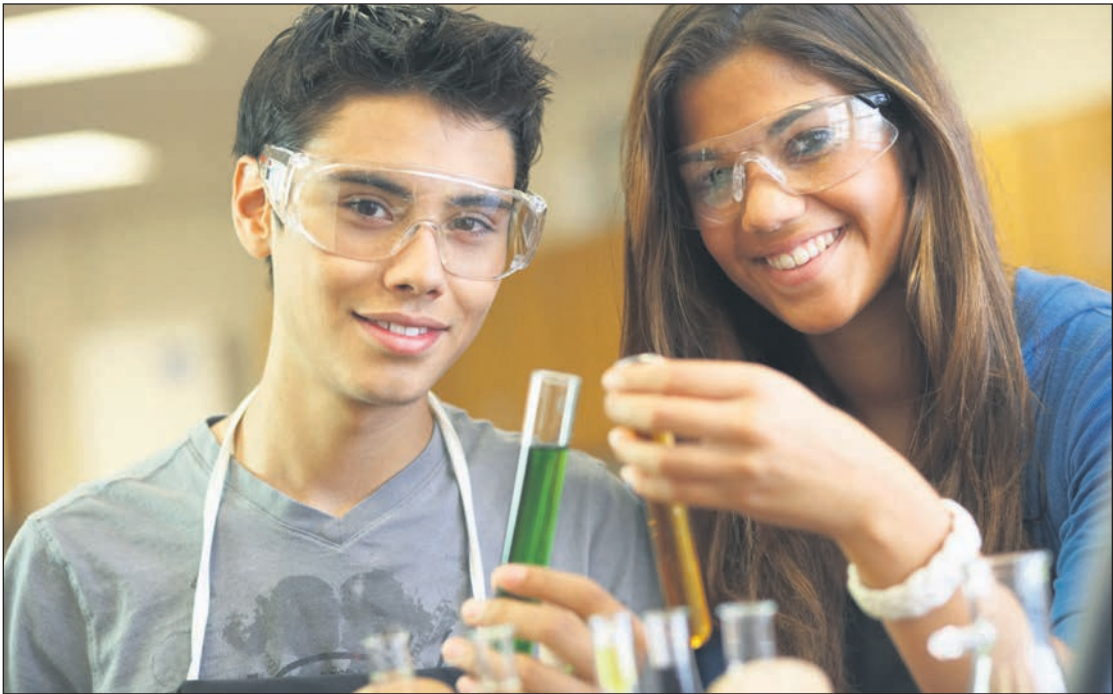
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 - Resident of the Washington Township Healthcare District or be a current volunteer at Washington Hospital
 - Age 22 or younger as of December 31, 2018
 - Accepted into an accredited school, college, or university offering a bachelor's or higher degree in a health-related field
 - Full-time student, able to provide required transcripts
 - Contributor to the community with at least 100 hours of

volunteer service or working in a health-related field

- Three letters of recommendation from the Director of Volunteer Services, employer, counselor/advisor, or teacher

(See application for detailed requirements.)

Application deadline is Monday, April 2, 2018. Applications can be found online at whhs.com/About/Community-Connection or picked up at the main desk in the Hospital lobby at 2000 Mowry Ave.



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Children's Book Artwork

gallery's spacious art studio between 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. Besides being a great chance to meet local authors and illustrators, there will also be book-signings throughout the day.

This year's show has a wide variety of topics: "Help Lord, I Need Some Real Help Here" by illustrator Andy Ha is about childhood bullying. "Didn't We Have Fun," illustrated by Hilda Robinson, shares the joys of growing up in a closely-knit African-American family and neighborhood, long before television was created. Robinson lives in Oakland, and her beautiful art rendered in oil pastel features vibrant scenes of children laughing, playing, and spending time with family. Local Hayward artists Nadia Reddy's newest book "Tiki ABC" plus David Hoobler's bright and fun turtle named Zonk, make for fun-filled reading and viewing for children and adults alike.

Claudia Schwalm's "Being Bilingual is Fun!" (now out of print but available as an e-book) features languages from around the world. Schwalm, a lifelong educator, is offering the last of her printed books (35) for free to the first 35 teachers that sign up for a field trip at the Sun Gallery.

Other outstanding illustrators and books in the show are: Sunhee Park with "Bent People," Amy Altstatt with "Completely Rainbow," Erin Leong with "Why the Rainbow Has No Pink," plus Katrina Loren Exconde, Samantha Bell, and Anna Margarita La Guardia with "The Bulb Heads and Pinheads."

In a special twist, local high school student sculptures from Geoff Landreau's art class at Mt. Eden High will be featured as part of the show, helping children imagine how book "characters" actually start out as ideas.

Along with the Illustrator exhibit is an encore presentation of artist Peter Langenbach's "Dreamers" installation, a 16' long by 3' tall special ode in tribute to the subject of immigration. The letters, almost 3-feet tall, were hand-crafted by the artist who used recycled materials. Viewers can leave messages for Dreamers on the installation's letters and also write down and share their own dreams as part of the adjacent project – "We Are All Dreamers." The Dreamers installation at the Sun Gallery is part of a larger project with the City of Hayward and the Hayward Library's 2018 Book-to-Action immigration project on a book by author Diane Guerrero titled "In the Country We Love." Sally Thomas from the Hayward Library will be available during the Artists' Reception to talk about the project and help viewers with any questions about how to obtain a free copy of the book, plus other events scheduled for this year's Book-To-Action.

Local Bay Area teachers are encouraged to bring their students for a special "Art Experience" field trip to the gallery, where classes are given a tour of the exhibit followed by a special art project in the gallery's spacious art studio. Field trips are held Monday– Friday at 9 a.m., 10:30 a.m., and 12:30 p.m. or by special appointment. Special field trips to local schools can also be arranged.

For more information or to schedule a field trip, call (510) 581-4050 or email sungallery@comcast.net. Visit online at www.sungallery.org.

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Focus on Personal Wellness in 2018

Let Classes and Programs at Washington Wellness Center Help



• Balance Matters – a class for older adults who experience unsteadiness but can walk on their own with or without an assistive device such as a cane or walker. Exercises are designed to strengthen core postural muscles to improve balance, flexibility and strength. Classes, limited to 12 participants, are offered on Tuesdays from 10 to 11 a.m. Cost: monthly fee of \$40.

• Tai Chi – an ancient Chinese exercise practice proven to reduce pain and to improve balance, muscle tone, physical health and mental wellness. Classes, limited to 12 participants, are offered on Thursdays from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Cost: \$60 for six weeks.

• Gentle Yoga – this class teaches basic yoga movements, structural alignment and breathing awareness to support overall health. No previous yoga experience is necessary. Limited to 12 participants, classes are offered on Mondays at 12 to 1 p.m. and 6 to 7 p.m., Tuesdays from 6 to 7 p.m. (a candlelit session), Wednesdays from 2 to 3 p.m., Thursdays from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. and 5:45 to 6:45 p.m., and Fridays from 10 to 11 a.m. (chair yoga, which modifies yoga poses so that they can be performed while seated in a chair, making yoga exercise possible for older adults or those with limited mobility). Cost: \$60 for six sessions.

“We provide exercise equipment, including yoga mats, for our various exercises classes, but participants are welcome to bring their own mats if they prefer,” Neely explains. “Participants in the exercise classes should dress comfortably in clothing that allows them to move freely. We generally recommend wearing athletic shoes with good support. In some

classes, such as yoga or Tai Chi, participants may prefer to wear the softer-soled shoes customary for those practices or to remove their shoes and exercise in their stocking feet.”

Promoting Mind-Body Wellness

In addition to the above classes, the Wellness Center offers a variety of classes in meditation and other programs that promote mind-body wellness.

“Our Mindful Meditation and Yoga class explores mindfulness-based stress-reduction practices, featuring a new meditation technique each week and a mindful yoga practice to enhance breathing awareness,” Neely says. “We also offer a Heartfulness Meditation program to help clients connect with greater knowledge of their inner selves and their hearts’ unlimited resources. In the Mindful Meditation and Yoga class, the yoga poses and techniques enhance the meditation process. Meanwhile, Heartfulness Meditation has been described as ‘yoga for the mind.’ Both classes can bolster heart health as well as mental relaxation, stress and anxiety reduction, and overall well-being.”

Mindful Meditation and Yoga is offered on Tuesdays from 7:10 to 8:10 p.m., with a class size limited to 12. Cost: \$40 for six sessions. The four-week Heartfulness Meditation class, which is limited to 25 participants, is offered free of charge. Participants must call the Wellness Center for scheduling information.

A new program called Healing Touch, an energy therapy practice in which practitioners use various touch techniques to promote rejuvenation and balance, is

now offered on Thursdays from 3:15 to 4:15 p.m. The practice also is known to help reduce pain, swelling and nausea. Class size is limited to 25. Cost: \$40 monthly fee.

“We also offer a monthly evening lecture series called Women Empowering Women,” Capece adds. “At each session, held the third Thursday of each month from 7 to 8:30 p.m., Washington Hospital gynecologist Dr. Victoria Leiphart presents a 30-minute lecture, followed by a one-hour open discussion of various women's issues. While these events focus on women's concerns, men are also welcome to attend, and some women like to bring their spouses or partners.”

The Wellness Center also offers massage, provided by licensed massage therapists. Massage services for men and women are available by appointment from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Saturday. Walk-in appointments also may be available.

“All of our instructors and massage therapists are certified in their respective fields,” Neely emphasizes. “We intentionally keep our class sizes small to provide individualized guidance. A one-class free trial is available for those who are unsure if a class will meet their needs.”

To learn more about classes and other programs available through the Washington Wellness Center, or to register for a class or event, visit www.whhs.com and click on “Wellness Center” under the Services tab. Information is also detailed in the Health & Wellness catalog available at Washington Hospital or call (510) 608-1301.

Residents invited to city planning session

SUBMITTED BY TERESA MEYER

Mayor Pauline Russo Cutter and the San Leandro City Council are encouraging community members to attend the city council's annual planning session, set for Saturday, January 20.

“The annual planning session is one of the most important meetings of the city council because it provides us with the opportunity to set key goals for the upcoming year,” said Cutter. “I am so proud of the great accomplishments our city has achieved over the past year, further solidifying our reputation as a community

where kindness matters. We welcome the public's input as we continue to shape priorities for the year ahead, helping us ensure that our City's finite resources are expended in the best way possible.”

The session will meet from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the San Leandro Senior Community Center, 13909 East 14th Street. The meeting will also include opportunities for public comments and questions.

In addition to setting priorities for the upcoming year, other agenda topics will include an in-depth overview of city finances, a review of accomplish-

ments over the past year, along with updates on various major projects and policy initiatives.

For more information, contact Eric Engelbart, Deputy City Manager at (510) 577-3391 or send an email to eengelbart@sanleandro.org.

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A 7-Step New Year Career Action Plan

BY ANNE CHAN, PhD, MFT

Losing weight and becoming a better person are the top two New Year's resolutions for 2018, according to a Marist College Institute for Public Opinion poll. Interestingly, this poll also found that the number of people who vow to find a better job nearly doubled this year.

It appears that many of you might be raring to fire dozens of resumes into countless job portals. It might surprise you to know that I do not encourage job-seekers to launch their resumes as their first action step. Why? Because hitting that submit button without doing the necessary prep work won't get you to a job offer. Before you sink any time into job searches and applications, set aside time to do the work that will get your resume noticed. Since this is the start of the New Year when resolutions are fresh and resolve is strong, here is my 7-step action plan for those who hope to get a better job in 2018. I would recommend you perform all 7 steps before submitting any resumes.

Step 1

Determine the specifics of your next move. Are you seeking a lateral move or a promotion? Are you hoping to stay in the same industry or get into an entirely new sector? Answering these questions is an all-important first step that you should do before pursuing any other job search activity. Having a concrete idea of your next job will help you set the direction of your job search as well as save you time and effort.

Step 2

Go to your favorite job site and select three job ads that closely match the job you wish to have.

Step 3

Format your resume using your three job ads. Be sure to include key word and phrases.

Step 4

Ask at least two people to comment on your resume. The ideal person for a resume critique is someone with an excellent command of English, has an eye for detail, has some experience hiring people, and is willing to give you honest, quality feedback. A good resume critique takes time. Do not settle for feedback from someone who can only give your resume a quick glance.

Step 5

While revising your resume, be sure to take careful notes of the holes in your resume, i.e. any skills, credentials, education, and experience that you don't have but would be helpful in your next job. Create a plan for how to fill in these holes. You might be able to acquire additional skills in your current position, e.g. you can fill in for your boss when he or she is on vacation. Or you could sign up for additional training and coursework. Do check your work benefits—many workplaces offer opportunities for additional training. Remember to update your resume as you upgrade your skills and training.

Step 6

Work on your LinkedIn profile using your new and improved resume as your guide. Be mindful that LinkedIn is open for employers and recruiters to view. Do not create a profile that is unprofessional, sloppy, unfocused, or disorganized. I highly recommend that you read several articles about how to create a great LinkedIn profile. Here's my guide to get you started:
<http://www.tricityvoice.com/articlefiledisplay.php?issue=2017-10-10&file=AnneChan++LinkedIn+680TS+++TCV.txt>

Step 7

Clean out your social media presence. Anything you post on the internet is free-for-all—a thoughtless tweet or questionable photo could cost you an interview or job offer. Employers can and do check Facebook profiles as part of their hiring practices. Before you submit any resumes, be sure to delete inappropriate photos and posts. Think of this as spring cleaning for your career.

After you have completed each of the above steps, you are finally ready to submit your resume and get that fabulous new job. My work as a career counselor is focused on helping people find happiness and satisfaction at work. I hope that many of you will find career happiness in 2018!

Counseling Corner

Anne Chan is a career counselor and licensed psychotherapist in Union City. She helps people find happiness and meaning in their work and lives. She can be reached at annechantcv@gmail.com



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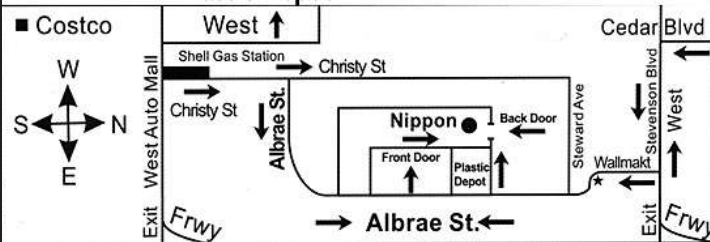
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BUSINESS

Mission Linen gets new East Bay location



SUBMITTED BY
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Mission Linen Supply, a leading provider of linens, uniforms, supplies and related services, has built and opened a new, 100,000-square-foot, LEED-certified (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) facility in Newark.

Not only does the state-of-the-art facility employ the latest in technology and automation, it also protects the environment. Equipped to process more than 70 million pounds of laundry

per year, the plant uses less than 0.85 gallons of water per pound, making it three times more efficient than the industry standard. The building features solar panels, uses energy-efficient light sources, and recycles wastewater. Additionally, more than 25 percent of the plant's delivery vehicles use alternative fuels.

"We're thrilled about the opportunities this new facility creates," said John Ross, Mission's president and CEO. "Not only will it allow us to bring our industry-leading expertise,

commitment to sustainability, and wide selection of products to new customers in the Bay Area, but it will also help us provide even better service for many of our existing local accounts."

The Newark facility is Mission's 44th location—the company's other facilities span California, Arizona, Texas, Oregon, and New Mexico.

A ribbon-cutting ceremony for the Newark facility is scheduled February 27, 2018. To learn more, visit <http://www.missionlinen.com/Newark>

State of the City annual meeting and luncheon

SUBMITTED BY **K. KANESHIRO**

The Fremont Chamber of Commerce is pleased to present the 2018 State of the City on March 28th, from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. (registration and networking starts at 11:30 a.m.) at the Marriott Fremont Silicon Valley.

Program includes:

- Presentation of the Chairman's Award
- Installation of the Chamber Board of Directors
- Recognition of Chamber volunteers
- Mayor Lily Mei's State of the City address

Reservation deadline is Monday, March 26, 2018; No refunds will be given after Friday, March 23, 2018. Vegetarian lunch available.

State of the City
Wednesday, Mar 28

11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

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Republic Day Celebration

SUBMITTED BY **RITU MAHESHWARI**

Schedule of Events

India achieved independence from Great Britain on August 15, 1947, thanks largely to the non-violent movement for independence led by Mahatma Gandhi. After two years of negotiations within the acting government, the Indian Constituent Assembly adopted the country's new constitution on November 26, 1949. It went into effect January 26, 1950, and that date has become known as Republic Day.

Festival of Globe (FOG) invites everyone to celebrate this 69th Republic Day at the Santa Clara Convention Center Theater on Sunday, January 28th, 2018. Mr. Venkatesan Ashok, the Consul General of India and other dignitaries have been invited to attend.

Though this is a solemn occasion to celebrate the oldest and largest democracies in the world, the US and India, there will be vibrant festivities as well. Enjoy cultural performances singing, a dance competition, and great music all day from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.

11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Dance Competition
 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Patriotic and Bollywood Songs
 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Fashion Show (Kids 6-18 years)
 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Chief Guest and Dignitaries, Awards
 7:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Select Dances and Songs
 After 8:00 p.m. Miscellaneous and Wrap up

Republic Day Celebration by FOG
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Shape Our Fremont

Developers propose more (and more) housing developments

Proposals to build over 1100 additional housing units throughout Fremont are now in various stages of review and consideration. Here are the details on some of the latest ones with information on how residents can express their comments, questions, and concerns.

Ursa Project

The Historical Architectural Review Board (HARB) will meet on Thursday, January 18, at 6:30 p.m. in the Niles Conference Room at 39550 Liberty Street to make a recommendation to the Planning Commission regarding the existing old house and other buildings on the site of the proposed Ursa Project at 48495 Ursa Drive in the Warm Springs Community Plan Area.

The developer wants to relocate and renovate the existing 1928 house and water tank on the property as part of a plan to build 17 two-story houses on the rest of the lot. The 1905 barn, a garage, several sheds, and a fruit processing building would be demolished. An Environmental Impact Report (EIR) offered several alternatives, including preserving and restoring all of the old buildings in place and constructing only 5 two-story houses.

HARB will only make a recommendation on how to best deal with the old buildings on the property. It will not make a recommendation on the proposed new buildings.

The public is invited to attend and speak at the meeting.

General Plan Amendments

The Planning Commission will meet on Thursday, January 25, at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers at 3300 Capitol Avenue to make

recommendations to the City Council on two requests for consideration of General Plan Amendments to change land use designations.

The first is the Lincoln Residential request to change the land use of a vacant lot on Ellsworth Street in the Mission San Jose Community Plan Area from Town Center Commercial to Medium Density Residential in order to build 20 three-story townhouses across from the post office.

The second is from the owner of four lots on Osgood Road in the Irvington Community Plan Area to change the land use from Irvington BART Special Study Area to Medium Density Residential in order to build 99 condominium/flats near Washington Boulevard.

The request regarding the Ice House Terrace Apartments proposal to build 141 apartments at the corner of Ice House Terrace and Fremont Boulevard in the Warm Springs Community Plan Area was withdrawn by the developer and will not be discussed.

The public is invited to attend and speak at the meeting regarding any of these requested General Plan Amendments.

Irvington Senior Housing

Abode Services is proposing to build a 94-unit supportive senior housing facility at 4038 Irvington Avenue near the corner of Fremont Boulevard in the Irvington Community Plan Area. This is across Fremont Boulevard from the existing Laguna Commons supportive affordable housing facility.

The new building would be L-shaped to fit on the lot formerly occupied by Rogers Trailers. The side facing Fremont Boulevard would be four stories, the side facing Irvington Avenue would be three stories, and the sides in the rear corners would be five stories.

The proposed development is undergoing a Preliminary Review Procedure (PRP), during which

the Fremont Planning Department reviews the plans from several different aspects. Within 30 days, the Planning Department prepares a report of issues it finds with the preliminary plans. Developers use this information to decide whether to go forward with the process and to help them shape their Formal Development Application. Public comments, questions, and concerns are welcome and encouraged during the PRP.

Send your comments, questions, and concerns to City Staff Planner David Wage at dwage@fremont.gov

Mission Paradise Mixed-Use

A developer is proposing to build 15 townhouses and about 3200 square feet of commercial space at 270 Washington Boulevard on the corner of Ellsworth Street in the Mission San Jose Community Plan Area.

The townhouses would be grouped in three-story buildings and would range in floor areas from 1400 square feet for two-bedroom units to 2000 square feet for four-bedroom units. The building on the corner would have commercial space on the ground floor facing Washington Boulevard with residential units above and garages tucked behind.

This proposed development is also undergoing a Preliminary Review Procedure (PRP), and public comments, questions, and concerns are welcome and encouraged.

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To learn more about all proposed housing developments and related issues in Fremont, go to www.ShapeOurFremont.com

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Groundbreaking ceremony for new middle school

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A new era symbolically starts Friday, Jan. 19 for a Fremont school which has been operating as a junior high school for almost 60 years.

Horner Junior High School, in the city's Irvington area, is slated to transform into a middle school in fall 2019 as part of a Middle School Conversion Project made possible by funds generated from Measure E, a \$650 million school

facilities bond approved by Fremont voters in 2014.

A symbolic ground-breaking ceremony to mark the occasion is set for 3 p.m. Friday, Jan. 19 at the school, 41365 Chapel Way. Officials from the Fremont Unified School District, along with teachers and school board members will be on hand for the event, which is open to the public.

Measure E addresses critical needs in all schools throughout the district and includes the construction of new classroom buildings and modernization projects.

Horner and Walters Junior High Schools are the first of the District's five junior high schools to be converted to middle schools. Like Horner, Walters will transform into a middle school in 2019.

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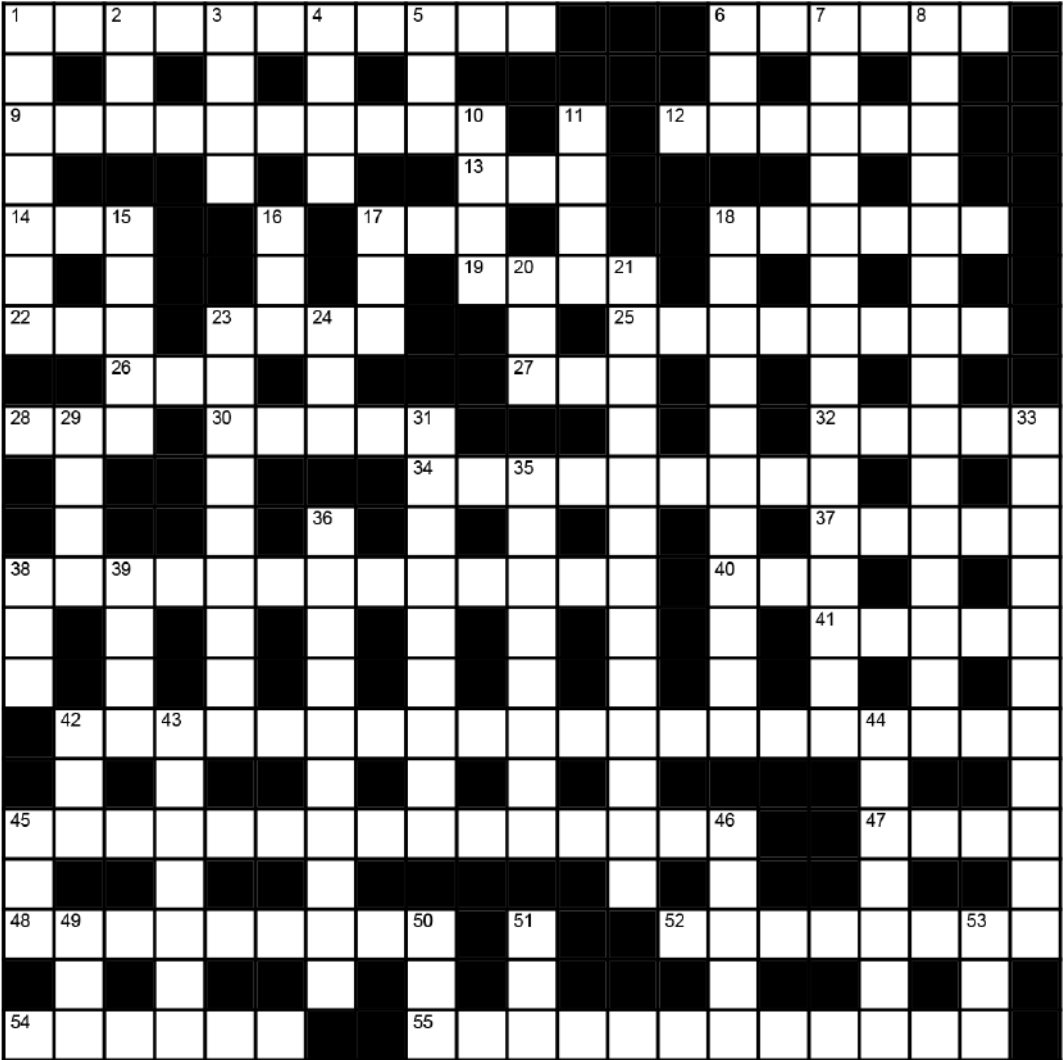
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Crossword Puzzle



- Across

1 Peak in the Cascades (5,6)

6 Absorbed, in a way (6)

9 News writer's major (10)

12 Absorbed (6)

13 Alias (3)

14 Call, as a game (3)

17 Elev. (3)

18 Gray matter (6)

19 Fair-hiring org. (4)

22 "Raiders of the Lost ____" (3)

23 Balcony section (4)

25 Conclusive trial (4,4)

26 "Boola Boola" singer (3)

27 Hi-____ (3)

28 It's south of Eur. (3)

30 Photo finish? (5)

32 Rakes (5)

34 Over (4,5)

37 Stuck, after "in" (5)

38 Bartender's supply (5,2,6)

40 Appear (3)

41 Foreword, for short (5)

42 Batting order? (4,4,3,2,3,4)
- 45 Ready for battle (5,2,3,5)

47 Boost (4)

48 Despicable (9)

52 "Farewell" (2,6)

54 ____ dictum (6)

55 Buckle (7,5)
- Down

1 One of the Balearic Islands (7)

2 Burma's first P.M. (3)

3 "Beloved" author Morrison (4)

4 "Stop right there!" (4)

5 1960's radical grp. (3)

6 PC linkup (3)

7 Choice words (2,2,11)

8 Unappealing (3,4,3,2,3)

10 Buddy (4)

11 Burkina ____ (4)

15 Phony (5)

16 Kung ____ chicken (3)

17 Clod chopper (3)

18 Out of sight? (5,2,1,3)

20 "Thank You (Falettinme Be Mice ____ Agin)" (#1 hit of 1970) (3)
- 21 View (4,2,3,4)

23 "Chill!" (7,2)

24 ... (3)

29 C-worthy? (4)

31 Emerge (4,5)

33 Parting words (3,3,5)

35 Spark (8)

36 Brownish (3-7)

38 Nod, maybe (3)

39 Actress Sommer (4)

42 White wine aperitif (6)

43 Manages (4,3)

44 Dear (7)

45 1977 double-platinum Steely Dan album (3)

46 Put up (5)

49 Chest protector (3)

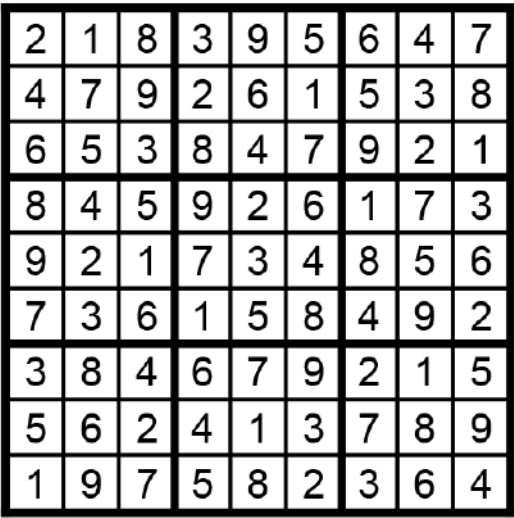
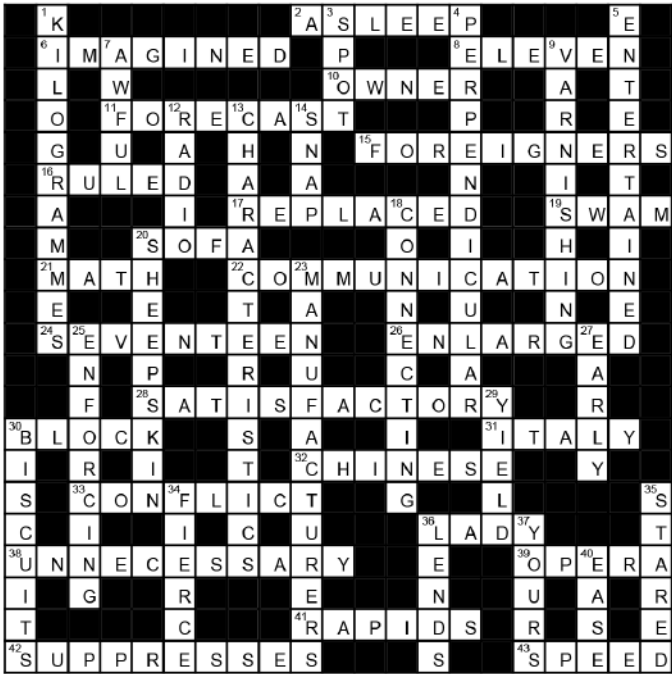
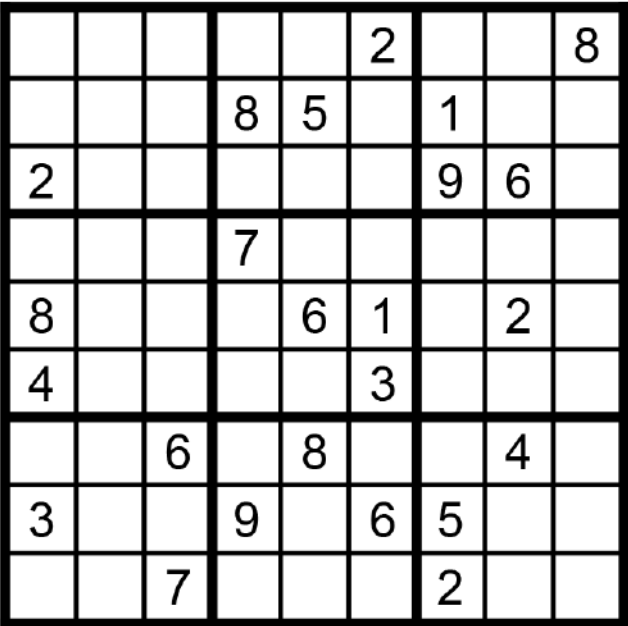
50 "For shame!" (3)

51 Thanksgiving, e.g.: Abbr. (3)

53 Desert land: Abbr. (3)

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



Tri-City Stargazer FOR WEEK: JANUARY 17 - JANUARY 23, 2018

For All Signs: The main focal point this week continues to be the major stellium of five planets plus the Moon in Capricorn. This is the sign of politics and corporate bodies. There likely will be even more news about these areas than we have already experienced. Capricorn is a sign that assumes power and delegates the work to the peons of the world. The central planet of this stellium is Pluto, which represents destruction and eventual metamorphosis into new

forms. This is not an easy concept or experience. We may choke on the news. Refuse and trash, a human creation, must be moved through a process that eventually serves as the ground of a new creation. Plastic does not dissolve and will block the regular system of metamorphosis. We may have more attention on this human issue and its damage to animals and the ocean before the month is over.

Aries the Ram (March 21-April 20): It is time to heal a rift that may have occurred long ago. It may require some courage to allow yourself to be vulnerable, but heartfelt engagement is what will relieve some of that old stressor. If you are unable to deal with it directly, perhaps it will help to talk with a good friend or a counselor.

Taurus the Bull (April 21-May 20): For the next three weeks your activities are on display. Others are noticing your performance, so make it great. You may be standing in the limelight. You may be called upon to dust off your leadership gifts at this time.

Gemini the Twins (May 21-June 20): The week begins with mild irritation over matters financial. You may be unhappy with yourself or your partner over an error that has occurred. Within a couple of days this irritation yields to a solution that proves the problem was really nothing as big as you thought. Give attention to odd symptoms or noises of your vehicle.

Cancer the Crab (June 21-July 21): This is a relatively quiet week for the Moon Children. A new moon occurred in your

partner's territory on January 16, which suggests new activity for him or her. You need some space between you and it is just as well that you do your own thing for a time.

Leo the Lion (July 22-August 22): For the next month much of your attention will be on others in your life. Partnerships of any type are generally favored by this arrangement, because you will be searching for the fair solution in any dilemma. It is a good time to seek consultation from professionals if you need it. You will attract the right advice.

Virgo the Virgin (August 23-September 22): You may be somewhat irritable as the week begins. But this quickly resolves as you focus your attention on children, lover, and creative activities. If the irritation of the early week causes you to be sharp with anyone, don't hesitate to apologize so the transgression can be vaporized with minimum fuss.

Libra the Scales (September 23-October 22): Venus, your ruling planet, moves into the sector of life related to children, recreation, and romance. The goddess of love is happy in this

territory and often brings new energy and light wherever she goes. Opportunities to share your love, personal or humanistic, will be rewarding.

Scorpio the Scorpion (October 23-November 21): Mars, the original god of war, continues to travel through your sign. Sometimes it carries a two-edged sword. One side is for helping those less fortunate. The other side is for fighting and slashing one's way through a forest. You have more than one choice to make this week on how you use Mars' power.

Sagittarius the Archer (November 22-December 21): This is absolutely not a time to take an offensive, attacking position. If you feel angered by another, think the situation through from the very beginning. Look for your contribution to the problem. On the other hand, if someone else takes a swing at you, you may defend yourself as you need.

Capricorn the Goat (December 22-January 19): The cluster of planets gathered in your sign suggests a bee's nest. Your mind is a sheer jumble of ideas and self-expectations. The problem is that there seems to be

a major challenge to put those ideas into forward motion. The Critic must be working overtime inside of you. Give yourself some R&R from the buzzing. Things will settle down soon.

Aquarius the Water Bearer (January 20-February 18): Venus enters your sign this week and will be traveling with you through February 9, 2018. Her presence gives you an air of poise and people will simply like how you look. Often when Venus is prominent we become more interested in art forms and want to make things in the environment more attractive. We are also more interested in beautifying ourselves.

Pisces the Fish (February 19-March 20): Early in the week you may feel fatigued, possibly

by hurt feelings. After a couple of days, your attitude will improve and your self-talk will be more positive. You probably know that the quality of your life flows up and down with the self-talk. It is important to give that factor daily attention. You could make your life smoother with positive affirmations.

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Community service recognized at Hayward Chamber Gala

One example of his problem-solving approach involved the homeless population camping adjacent San Lorenzo Creek around Second Street and City Center Drive, an environmental concern due to garbage and temporary shelters. Officer Reed helped coordinate efforts between agencies including Alameda County Flood Control, Alameda County Sheriff’s Office, Hayward Area Recreation Department, Fish and Wildlife Service, and the City of Hayward’s Maintenance Services and Community Services divisions. Abode Services provided social service assistance. Over a three-week period, these agencies removed 150 cubic yards of garbage and 250 cubic yards of overgrown brush and vegetation. Officer Reed and his HPD partners alerted campers of the upcoming effort, allowing them to retrieve their property and learn about Abode’s services.

The San Lorenzo Creek restoration project, and Officer Reed’s work on it, serves as a model of how communities and agencies can work together to address social and environmental problems.

Business Person of the Year: Geoff Harries, Buffalo Bill’s

Sponsored by Kaiser Permanente

Geoff Harries is a longtime Hayward businessperson who took over a historic local enterprise in 1994 and built it into a national brand. He has an extraordinary record of contributions to more than 100 community groups and is an untiring proponent of Hayward’s downtown district, including support for events by providing entertainment, food, and other benefits, often at no cost to event goers.

Buffalo Bill’s is both a restaurant and brewpub, and is the anchor business of Hayward’s downtown. Hundreds of employees have worked there

over the past 30 years, and the current staff numbers about 90. Its success is due to quality control of food and beverages, unique styling, reasonable product pricing, and customer service.

Harries began working with original owner Bill Owens at Buffalo Bill’s in 1987, working his way up to brewmaster and purchasing the business in 1994. Having started as an award-winning homebrewer, Harries typifies the homespun culture of the craft brewing movement. Since 1994 he has developed Buffalo Bill’s products that are marketed across the country. There are 10 varieties of Buffalo Bill’s ales, and Tasmanian Devil and Alimony Ale are local favorites. One of the most highly sought-after products in other states is the seasonal Pumpkin Ale. And Harries is now embarking on his newest Hayward-based venture, Russell City Distillery.

Recognizing Buffalo Bill’s standing as one of the first brewpubs in the country, artifacts from early years of this iconic Hayward business, carefully preserved by Harries, will be added to an exhibition at the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C.

Firefighter of the Year: Battalion Chief Mike Hildebrand, Hayward Fire Department

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Mike Hildebrand began his fire service career in 1992 after graduating with a bachelor of science degree in forestry from Humboldt State University. A Turlock native, he became a Forest Service firefighter in Pinecrest, where he was promoted to squad leader and then captain of a crew of the prestigious “Stanislaus Forest Hot Shots” during a period of historically major fires. After receiving his paramedic license in 1999 he began working for

Tuolumne County Ambulance, and was hired by the Merced City Fire Department where he served one year before coming to the Hayward Fire Department in 2000.

Hildebrand was a highly-regarded HFD firefighter for five years before his promotion to apparatus operator in 2005, to captain in 2007, and to battalion chief in 2014. He has been an exceptional example to new firefighters for his professionalism as well as his community service. He has been a youth football coach for 12 years and his wife, Shannon, is also a paramedic who opened a Cross-Fit gym.

Hildebrand’s work ethic, intelligence, and good nature have gained him respect across the Hayward Fire Department and made him a valued instructor in recruit academies. He is a fan of acronyms and inspirational slogans. One of his favorites is to simply demand that people he works with “be a pro.” This is appropriate as Battalion Chief Hildebrand is always a pro in every challenge he undertakes.

The gala, which is black tie optional, will be held at California State University, East Bay and feature a gourmet meal, fine wines, and the awards ceremony. Silent and live auctions will benefit Leadership Hayward. Reservations are \$150 apiece and \$1,200 for a table, and can be arranged at the Hayward Chamber of Commerce (22561 Main St.) or www.hayward.org.

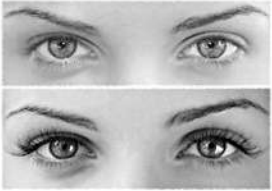
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Workshop on understanding self-injury

SUBMITTED BY FREMONT FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

On Thursday, January 25, the public is invited to a special workshop for understanding self-injury. This workshop will cover symptoms, strategies, and resources for providers, and parents about the growing concern over children and teenagers that self-injure. This workshop is appropriate for all human and social service providers, counselors, nurses, first responders, school personnel, parents, and interested adults.

The training objectives are to:

- Understand the definition of self-injurious behaviors
- Understand the function and motivation underlying self-injurious behaviors
- Identify the warning signs of self-injury
- Learn constructive responses to self-injury

- Learn about resources to support someone who s elf-injures.

Nicole Zink, MFT, marriage and family specialist for more than 16 years, and counselor for Fremont Youth and Family Services, leads the workshop

This workshop is free thanks to a grant from Kaiser Permanente, and registration is not required

Bring your lunch and join us! There is no cafeteria onsite, but you’ll find a variety of restaurants nearby on Mowry Blvd and Paseo Padre Parkway. Please arrive by 11:45 a.m. to sign in and find a seat.

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Thursday, Jan 25
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Fremont Family Resource Center
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Innovation to be awarded in East Bay

SUBMITTED BY PAUL NGUYEN

The East Bay Economic Development Alliance (East Bay EDA) selected two cutting-edge Hayward companies as finalists for 2018 East Bay Innovation Awards. These awards celebrate and showcase outstanding organizations in the region that most contribute and embrace innovation in manufacturing, services, products and designs.

A panel of subject matter experts scored over 100 nominations and selected two finalists in eight categories including: Advanced Manufacturing, Clean

Technology, Education, Engineering and Design, Food, Information Technology and Life Sciences.

Hayward finalists include:

Therm-X (Advanced Manufacturing): Established in 1983, Therm-X designs and manufactures high-power vacuum components using a patented process that delivers the higher temperatures and better uniformity necessary to enable semiconductor wafer processing.

RefleXion Medical (Life Sciences): Founded in 2009, this company is developing the first biology-guided radio-therapy system for cancer treatment. The

company’s patented technology allows tumors to continuously signal their locations and activity levels during treatment, revolutionizing the practice of radiation oncology.

This is the third consecutive year Hayward companies received recognition for their innovative spirit. Last March, MDC Vacuum Products, producers of custom, ultra-high-vacuum equipment and tools for the semiconductor industry, was honored as a Finalist in the Advanced Manufacturing category. Alphabet Energy, which developed thermoelectric technologies that capture waste heat from

exhaust and transform it into electricity, took home the award for Engineering and Design. In 2016, Motiv Power Systems, makers of electric-vehicle powertrains, and Inland Metal Technologies, a precision metal-parts manufacturer, were finalists. Motiv Power took home the Clean Technology award.

The winners for the 2018 Innovation Awards will be announced at a ceremony on March 29, 2018 at the Fox Theater in Oakland. For more information on the awards event, visit: <https://iawards.eastbayeda.org>.

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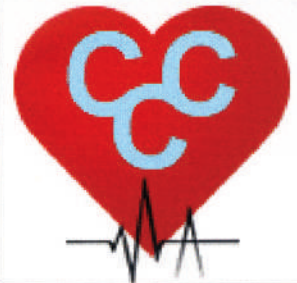


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Home & Garden

Miles of tiles



By DAVID R. NEWMAN
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The number of tile options available to homeowners today is endless. Modern technologies have created a range of dynamic new materials that are affordable, simple to install, require little to no maintenance, and are stunning to the eye. From small pebbles that simulate a creek bed to brightly colored glass, large slabs of polished marble to intricate mosaics, to simulated brick or wood and down to earth stones like slate or limestone, everything is at your fingertips. And while trying to choose the right tile may be an overwhelming task, never before have homeowners had it so good when it comes to design choices.



One of the more popular materials these days is porcelain. Says Teresa Martin of MS International in Hayward (the leading distributor of natural stone and porcelain countertops and wall/floor tiles in the United States), “Porcelain tile is everywhere now, from the front yard to the back yard. It can mimic anything, from marble to travertine to slate, and it’s freeze/thaw resistant and stain resistant.” Porcelain is a type of ceramic tile that is less porous. It is baked at a much higher temperature to remove the water content, creating a product that is very dense and durable. And thanks to inkjet technology, porcelain tiles come in a wide variety of colors and patterns, simulating everything from natural stone to wood to brick. Says Martin, “You can get an exotic wood look that would normally be way out



of someone’s price range, but now you can get that same look in a porcelain tile.” While natural stone and wood are beautiful materials, they often need a sealant to protect them from wear and tear. Stone can stain, and wood can rot. Porcelain is maintenance free. It is even used outdoors to simulate wood decks or brick patios. And while natural stone can range in price anywhere from \$6 – \$20 per square foot, porcelain is an affordable alternative at \$3 – \$8 per square foot. Ceramic tiles are also on the low end at \$2 – \$7 per square foot.

While the design possibilities may seem endless, there are some classic styles that have withstood the test of time. Subway tiles, for example, are making a big comeback in homes across America. Based on the walls of the New York City subway stations in the early twentieth century, these 3” x 6” ceramic or porcelain glazed tiles can be set horizontally or vertically to give that bathroom or kitchen a smart, retro look. Also making a comeback are encaustic tiles. From medieval times until now, these highly decorative tiles have been used primarily in churches and public buildings. Encaustic tiles are made of two or more colors of clay, which are inlaid together to create the pattern. This enables them to retain their colors as they wear (on most ceramic tiles, the pattern appears only on the surface). Porcelain tiles mimicking encaustic designs are becoming very popular. Mosaic tiles are a great way to add bursts of color to small areas in your home. They are commonly used in bathrooms and kitchens as a backsplash, or in showers or swimming pools. Sold in sheets, these mini-tiles come in a variety of patterns,

colors, and materials. Glass, which ranges from \$7 – \$30 per square foot, is popular for this type of application. And for those DIY challenged, there are 3D wall stickers that simulate mosaic tile. Let’s face it, tiling is a messy job that takes practice and patience. Novices should start with a small area, such as a simple backsplash. Projects involving tricky angles, complex cuts, or pricey artisan tile requiring manual spacers are usually better left to a tile setter. And when choosing tile, it’s important to understand ratings. Most lines of porcelain tiles are rated for use by the Porcelain Enamel Institute (PEI) abrasion test. PEI ratings will tell you which tiles are best for different uses in the home, and range from 0 (unsuitable for floors) to 5 (heavy traffic areas). Also, almost every tile comes with a variation rating (from V1 to V4) that indicates how much variation there is from tile to tile. With a V1 rating, every tile looks exactly the same. The best way to narrow down your design choices is to walk into a showroom, where you can see and feel tiles of all types. Another useful tool is an online visualizer. Most tile companies offer this service, a simple computer program that allows you try out different designs in a virtual room to see what works well together. You can also see how different grout colors affect the overall appearance. Choosing the perfect tile for your home may seem like a daunting task, but with so many design options out there, it’s really an exciting time. Have fun with it, do your research, and prepare to walk down that yellow brick road – made of porcelain. For more information, call M S International, Inc. at (510) 921-5450 or visit online at www.msistone.com.



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THEATRE REVIEW

James and the Giant Peach



BY DAVID R. NEWMAN
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A massive peach has just rolled into the Smith Center at Ohlone College, complete with singing insects, a mysterious magician, and a pair of greedy sisters! It's all part of StarStruck Theatre's latest production, *James and the Giant Peach*. This whimsical musical is based on Roald Dahl's book of the same name with music and lyrics by Benj Pasek and Justin Paul (of *La La Land* and *Dear Evan Hansen* fame) and book by Timothy Allen McDonald (*Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*).

It's the story of young James Henry Trotter, whose life takes a sudden turn when his parents are tragically eaten by an escaped rhinoceros. Now an orphan, he goes to live with his aunts, the horrible Spiker and Sponge, in a rundown cottage by the sea. James is given a magic potion by the mysterious Ladahlord, but accidentally drops it, fertilizing a neglected peach tree, which then produces a peach the size of a house.

A fantastic chain of events is soon set in motion as James find himself inside the peach, rolling into the English Channel, along with his large insect companions; spider, ladybug, earthworm, grasshopper, and centipede. Together they brave dangers at sea while learning about friendship and family. In the end, they arrive in New York, defeat Spiker and Sponge, and go on to live happy lives.

James and the Giant Peach is masterfully directed by Lori and Courtney Stokes. Puppets are used throughout the performance, to wonderful effect. The dark demise of James' parents is creatively illustrated through shadow puppetry, of which I was hoping for more. Many action sequences are portrayed in an onstage puppet theatre and are very entertaining.

In one of the musical's most tender and beautiful moments, James, played by the charming Christopher Apy (with a voice like an angel), sits on his bed, alone in the orphanage, and is soon joined by Ladybug (Amabel Loh) and Grasshopper (Leif Pearson), hand puppets controlled by their respective actors. Together they sing *On Your Way Home*, perhaps the production's most memorable song, with some lovely harmonies.

The core cast is rounded out by Brian Loh, who is a perfectly grumpy Centipede, Ben Magaña,

as the meek and blind Earthworm, and Sophia Waggoner, as the confident and gracious Spider (Earthworm and Spider are played by Valerie Golobic and Natalie Weston, respectively, on alternate nights). It is a strong group, and they each bring something special to the table, including amazing voices.

The two sisters are excellent. Sierra Bolar cackles her way through scenes with great hilarity, channeling the Wicked Witch of the West and Miss Hannigan all in one. Aija Le is equally funny, and their over-the-top antics work well together. A strong nod must also be given to David Kautz as Ladahlord, who narrates the tale with great showmanship.

The showstopper of the night had to be Plump and Juicy, where Earthworm is put out as bait for a flock of seagulls (James' plan is to use Spider's webs to lasso the seagulls, getting them airborne and away from menacing sharks). Magaña shines as his character dances the samba with an ensemble of feathered dancers, a hilarious transformation that had the crowd cheering for more.

All ensemble numbers were well integrated and beautifully choreographed by Lillian Kautz. Costumes were stylish and smart, thanks to Diane Scherbarth; lighting was colorful and effective, creating a fanciful mood (Ryan Willer). And the music was competently performed by Nancy Godfrey and her orchestra. Together with the graphically powerful, minimalist set design, it all worked wonderfully to create a magical whole.

But the gem of the production, for me, was the giant peach itself. A masterpiece of set design that could be turned around and rolled about where needed, with multiple levels adjoined by steps, allowing the actors to interact while "inside". Set designer Stephen C. Wathen and master carpenter Mark Aragon have truly created a peach of a piece, evoking gasps from the audience when it first appears onstage.

StarStruck Theatre is known for their excellent youth productions, and *James and the Giant Peach* is no exception. While the cast is huge, numbering over 50, it doesn't feel that way. Beautiful and absurd, this is a story that explores the definition of friendship and what it means to be a family. And in the end, James discovers that home is where you make it — where you are loved for who you are. Even if that happens to be inside a giant peach with large, talking insects.



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39029 Guardino Dr #113	94538	610,000	2	1077	1987	11-27-17
4365 Hardwood Street	94538	990,000	3	1198	1959	11-28-17
42637 Jefferson Street	94538	980,000	4	1434	1958	11-30-17
5100 Omar Street	94538	1,121,000	4	1743	1961	11-27-17
4829 Regents Park Lane	94538	1,100,000	4	1552	1960	12-01-17
5536 Tilden Place	94538	947,000	3	1089	1966	11-28-17
4929 Wheeler Drive	94538	900,000	3	1509	1960	11-28-17
4936 Yellowstone Park Dr	94538	1,020,000	3	1285	1960	11-30-17
47063 Benns Terrace	94539	435,000	1	675	1987	11-28-17
40955 Canyon Heights Dr	94539	2,228,500	4	3465	1991	11-27-17
286 Hackamore Com	94539	585,000	2	878	1984	11-28-17
165 Lippert Avenue	94539	1,323,000	3	1234	1960	11-29-17
563 Merlot Drive	94539	1,560,000	3	2144	1986	11-29-17
1537 Quintana Way	94539	1,650,000	4	1720	1968	11-29-17
653 Topawa Drive	94539	1,500,000	4	1692	1976	11-28-17
55 Valais Court	94539	1,420,000	-	1557	1975	11-30-17
340 Yampa Way	94539	1,600,000	4	2759	1986	12-01-17
3906 Avocet Terrace	94555	1,068,000	4	1853	1987	11-28-17
5005 Crystal Terrace	94555	480,000	1	716	1987	11-30-17
3068 Paine Court	94555	1,170,000	3	1305	1971	11-30-17
4330 Peregrine Way	94555	1,468,000	4	2749	1979	11-30-17
5261 Tacoma Common	94555	722,000	2	950	1989	11-29-17
34611 Wells Avenue	94555	1,035,000	3	1365	1980	11-29-17

HAYWARD TOTAL SALES: 46						
Highest \$: 1,030,000		Median \$: 625,000				
Lowest \$: 250,000		Average \$: 627,924				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
21672 Arbor Court	94541	660,000	4	1748	1962	11-30-17
22876 Charing Street	94541	576,000	3	1345	2003	11-28-17
2284 D Street	94541	411,000	3	1269	1975	11-30-17
642 Dean Street #D	94541	460,000	3	1118	1966	11-30-17
3227 Hackamore Drive	94541	722,500	3	1729	1959	12-01-17
1871 Hill Avenue	94541	535,000	2	746	1952	11-30-17
1966 Hillsdale Street	94541	825,000	4	2466	1957	11-27-17
19088 Lowell Avenue	94541	425,000	3	1068	1954	12-01-17
1124 Oakview Avenue	94541	555,000	3	900	1922	12-01-17
800 Old Oak Lane #4	94541	586,000	3	1303	2011	11-30-17
18015 Sahara Road	94541	505,000	2	1270	1973	12-01-17
23897 Stonewall Avenue	94541	550,000	3	1146	1956	11-29-17
22530 Thelma Street	94541	600,000	3	1162	1952	11-30-17
1824 Trym Street	94541	675,000	3	1611	1956	12-01-17
24047 Wilcox Lane	94541	300,000	4	2863	1953	11-30-17
24487 Margaret Drive	94542	735,000	5	2059	1952	11-27-17
3739 Oakes Drive	94542	750,000	3	2026	1966	11-30-17
3516 Pinewood Drive	94542	890,000	4	1878	1974	11-27-17
1148 Tiegen Drive	94542	650,000	3	1063	1954	11-30-17
1222 Tiegen Drive	94542	350,000	6	2376	1957	12-01-17
69 Austin Avenue	94544	755,000	-	-	-	11-30-17
81 Austin Avenue	94544	745,500	-	-	-	11-30-17
163 Cypress Loop	94544	700,000	3	1921	2016	12-01-17
24882 Diadon Drive	94544	620,000	4	1185	1950	12-01-17
25899 Dollar Street	94544	721,000	-	-	-	11-27-17
25905 Dollar Street	94544	722,500	-	-	-	11-27-17
26715 Gading Road	94544	452,000	3	1034	1952	12-01-17
26313 Hickory Avenue	94544	720,000	6	2245	1952	11-30-17
155 Lafayette Avenue	94544	545,000	3	1221	1951	12-01-17
316 Lexington Avenue	94544	955,000	6	2474	1958	11-30-17
72 Middleton Place	94544	712,500	3	1891	2015	11-28-17
29916 Red Maple Court	94544	989,000	4	2736	1999	11-28-17
3331 Rosenblatt Street	94544	745,500	-	-	-	11-30-17
32145 Seneca Street	94544	611,000	3	1031	1951	11-29-17
1084 Seymore Place	94544	610,000	3	1129	1953	11-30-17
3330 Speros Loop	94544	745,000	-	-	-	11-30-17
913 St. Bede Lane	94544	625,000	3	1148	1958	11-30-17
27691 Del Norte Court	94545	383,000	2	988	1970	12-01-17

1827 Dove Way	94545	732,000	3	1232	1965	11-29-17
2686 Driftwood Street	94545	1,030,000	4	2853	2004	11-29-17
27876 Hummingbird Ct	94545	440,000	3	1254	1971	11-28-17
27738 Melbourne Ave	94545	250,000	3	1000	1955	11-29-17
27890 Melbourne Ave	94545	550,000	3	1000	1955	11-28-17
2650 Oliver Drive	94545	490,000	3	1254	1971	12-01-17
25900 Peterman Ave	94545	625,000	3	1354	1957	11-28-17
307 Toscana Way	94545	650,000	3	1349	2010	11-27-17

MILPITAS TOTAL SALES: 14						
Highest \$: 1,400,500		Median \$: 949,500				
Lowest \$: 552,000		Average \$: 973,786				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
124 Beacon Drive	95035	665,000	4	1187	1959	12-18-17
290 Calypso Court	95035	1,400,500	4	2468	2014	12-18-17
813 Garden Street	95035	940,000	3	1726	2017	12-15-17
861 Garden Street	95035	955,000	3	1726	2017	12-20-17
1607 Hidden Creek Ln	95035	1,137,000	3	2413	2017	12-20-17
1161 Luz Del Sol Loop	95035	870,000	2	1371	2007	12-21-17
337 North Temple Dr	95035	552,000	2	976	1970	12-19-17
259 Odyssey Lane	95035	1,205,000	4	1947	2014	12-15-17
2089 Ornellas Drive	95035	1,190,000	3	1528	1991	12-15-17
859 Pepper Place	95035	953,000	3	1753	2017	12-15-17
879 Pepper Place	95035	925,000	3	1726	2017	12-18-17
140 Roswell Drive	95035	915,000	5	1631	1959	12-20-17
1323 South Milpitas Blvd	95035	949,500	3	1657	2017	12-18-17
1335 South Milpitas Blvd	95035	976,000	3	1753	2017	12-20-17

NEWARK TOTAL SALES: 12						
Highest \$: 1,181,000		Median \$: 771,000				
Lowest \$: 410,000		Average \$: 800,542				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
5342 Cambridge Court	94560	945,000	4	1707	1966	11-29-17
6126 Castillon Drive	94560	820,000	3	1100	1959	11-30-17
39931 Cedar Blvd #305	94560	410,000	1	777	1985	11-30-17
36717 Charles Street	94560	740,000	3	1190	1954	11-30-17
36765 Charles Street	94560	755,000	4	1190	1954	11-30-17
37013 Chestnut Street	94560	1,080,000	4	2200	2000	11-28-17
6561 Fountaine Ave	94560	500,000	3	1100	1960	11-30-17
8528 Jetty Way	94560	872,500	-	-	-	11-29-17
8565 Peachtree Ave	94560	800,000	3	1790	1994	12-01-17
37516 Shelter Road	94560	771,000	-	-	-	12-01-17
37534 Shelter Road	94560	732,000	-	-	-	11-28-17
4953 Wingate Place	94560	1,181,000	4	1874	1969	11-28-17

SAN LEANDRO TOTAL SALES: 21						
Highest \$: 776,000		Median \$: 635,000				
Lowest \$: 395,000		Average \$: 635,571				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
1277 Amber Court	94577	720,000	4	1742	-	11-27-17
13517 Aurora Drive #103	94577	525,000	3	1189	1982	12-01-17
13315 Doolittle Drive	94577	673,000	3	1408	1947	11-30-17
977 Dowling Boulevard	94577	670,000	2	1086	1925	11-29-17
170 Dutton Avenue	94577	600,000	3	1800	1926	11-30-17
2044 Evergreen Avenue	94577	730,000	3	1732	1954	11-28-17
1488 Gardner Boulevard	94577	575,000	3	1104	1943	11-29-17
575 McKinley Court	94577	776,000	2	1645	1941	11-30-17
812 Odonnell Avenue	94577	570,000	3	1473	1951	11-29-17
1718 138th Avenue	94578	767,000	5	2076	1947	12-01-17
1638 164th Avenue	94578	395,000	2	1162	1980	11-27-17
2200 166th Avenue	94578	760,000	4	3115	1991	11-29-17
16016 Cambrian Drive	94578	735,000	3	1214	1955	11-27-17
1090 Dillo Street	94578	555,000	2	1417	1948	11-28-17
2541 San Leandro Blvd	94578	421,000	2	982	1980	12-01-17
14970 Western Avenue	94578	635,000	3	1464	1946	11-30

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Face Your Feelings

There are 43 muscles in your face! These muscles tense and relax in many ways that express feelings.

Some experts say it takes 17 muscles to smile and 43 to frown. So, save your energy and **smile!**

Draw a line from each word to the face that best matches that particular feeling.

scared nervous excited surprised angry sad silly embarrassed bored cheerful disgusted worried interested frustrated disappointed

Your Feelings Vocabulary

How many different feelings do you have? You probably feel a lot of different things every day.

Being able to name your feelings and talk about them with caring adults and friends is part of growing up and being comfortable with your feelings.

Here is a list of words that name feelings. Put a check next to the ones you have felt at one time or another.

- ☐ Brave
- ☐ Cheerful
- ☐ Confused
- ☐ Curious
- ☐ Disappointed
- ☐ Embarrassed
- ☐ Excited
- ☐ Ignored
- ☐ Impatient
- ☐ Important
- ☐ Interested
- ☐ Jealous
- ☐ Lonely
- ☐ Angry
- ☐ Bored
- ☐ Surprised
- ☐ Proud
- ☐ Frustrated
- ☐ Silly
- ☐ Worried
- ☐ Safe
- ☐ Loving
- ☐ Calm
- ☐ Nervous

Can you think of a few more words for feelings?

Using the emojis at left, draw how you would feel in each situation.

Your teacher announces that today is the day for a big test. But you forgot to study.

You receive a phone call from your favorite relative telling you they are coming for a visit.

You finish a really cool art project and then accidentally spill a whole jar of paint all over it.

You've looked all over for your favorite book and can't find it. Then one day, you find it under your bed.

How are you feeling today?

Draw a picture below that shows how you are feeling right now.

Dealing With Your Feelings

We all have feelings. They don't go away. The good ones we like to keep around. But what should we do with the feelings that make us feel bad? Here are some suggestions. Use a green crayon to circle the things you would do.

Use your words instead of actions. Talk about what you are feeling instead of throwing something.

Tell a grown up.

Take a deep breath.

Describe what you are feeling.

Walk away from what is making you upset.

Read a funny book.

Get some exercise.

Photo Feelings

Find and cut out three pictures of people in today's newspaper. Glue the pictures onto a piece of paper and then write one or more words to describe how you think the person or people in the photograph are feeling.

Extra! Extra!

Standards Link: Writing: Write sentences using descriptive details.

Kid Scoop Puzzler

Body Talk

Our bodies can tell a lot about how we are feeling. Look at each of the people below. Can you match each feeling?

CONFUSED

ANGRY

FRIGHTENED

HAPPY

Kid Scoop Word Search

SURPRISED
DISGUSTED
IMPATIENT
FEELINGS
WORRIED
LOVING
SCARED
BORED
BRAVE
PROUD
THINK
WALK
FELT
SAD

Find the words by looking up, down, backwards, forwards, sideways and diagonally.

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

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

Kid Scoop VOCABULARY BUILDERS

This week's word: EXPRESS

When **express** is used as a verb it means to show, demonstrate or reveal.

Jason **expressed** satisfaction with his award-winning science project.

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

FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

Planet Points of View

Look through the newspaper or the newspaper's website for ten words that describe feelings. Cut these out and glue them onto a sheet of paper in alphabetical order.

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

Why don't sharks ever eat clowns?

ANSWER: They taste funny.

Write On!

Getting Through Sad Times

What do you do when you are sad? What helps you to cheer up? Write about it and compare your ideas with a friend's ideas.

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Mind Over Mats teaches students to de-stress



SUBMITTED BY
JESSICA ZHANG

Sixteen-year-old Jessica Zhang is using her Disney Summer of Service grant to fund Minds Over Mats, a mindfulness project aimed at Fremont students. When a classmate committed suicide last March, Zhang realized that school competitiveness was inducing deadly levels of stress, and that something needed to be done.

Minds Over Mats (MOM) teaches the fundamental techniques of yoga and mindfulness as tools to aid in relaxation, ultimately leading to greater happiness and good decision-making. Though MOM was initially inspired by student needs, all are welcome, regardless of age.

The program recently got underway at the Fremont Main Library on December 18th under the direction of certified yoga teacher (and Jessica's sister), Veronica Zhang. Her ease with teaching asanas (yoga postures) and pranayama (breathing techniques) to kids created a welcoming atmosphere.

Traditional yoga classes are normally held in silence, but upbeat pop provided the soundtrack as Veronica corrected poses and postures. She also

related stories from her own life: of being a student at Mission San Jose High School, the burdensome schoolwork, the extracurricular activities, and ever present social drama.

Meanwhile, Jessica talked to the parents about the pressure kids and teens are feeling to get into the best schools. Afterwards she handed out pamphlets on goal-setting and mental health.

Both Veronica and Jessica hope to continue these events. "Our main goal," says Jessica, "is to mitigate instigators of stress and teach breathing techniques to help reduce stress and headaches."

Jessica is one of 270 young leaders across the country awarded a \$500 Disney Summer of Service grant to organize projects to help make their communities healthier, greener and stronger. Grantees educate and mobilize their peers around the issue of health, creating solutions to mental well-being through awareness, service, advocacy, and philanthropic activities.

This project is looking for volunteers of any age, and is able to award service hours through Youth Service America (YSA). Contact Jessica Zhang at yoga4youths@gmail.com to join.





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VOLUNTEERING BRINGS MEANING AND JOY

One of 2018's most popular New Year's resolutions is to be a better person. This year, make a difference by giving back!

A Marist Poll released on December 20, 2017 found that the top New Year's resolutions for Americans in 2018 were tied between weight loss and being a better person. If yours is the latter, volunteering is a great step in the right direction. If you've never volunteered before, here are seven great reasons to give it a try.*

1. **Make a difference.** Many nonprofits, schools, and civic organizations depend upon volunteers to provide their services. Your volunteer efforts – no matter how small – ensure these organizations can continue their good work.
2. **Find a sense of satisfaction and fulfillment.** It feels good to do good. When you help others, you boost your own self-esteem and confidence.
3. **Gain problem-solving skills.** Volunteering is a learning opportunity. By working with new people in unfamiliar situations, you gain valuable problem-solving skills that you can apply to the rest of your life.
4. **Strengthen communities.** When you volunteer, you are telling people in need, "Your community cares." You are also demonstrating that you care; that you are willing to give of your own time to make a difference.
5. **Connect with others.** Volunteering connects you to a network of fellow volunteers – other people who believe in giving back. It's a great way to meet like-minded friends and to connect with people outside your typical social group.



6. **Transform your own life.** By giving back, you gain the ability to see how small acts of kindness can make a lasting difference in someone else's life. It shows you your capacity to effect change, and helps put your challenges in perspective.
7. **Improve your health.** Studies have shown that people who volunteer may live longer, remain more mobile, and be less likely to experience depression than those who do not volunteer.

January is International Quality of Life Month. Why not work to improve your own life and someone else's by volunteering in your community? As famed poet Ralph Waldo Emerson wrote, "To know even one life has breathed easier because you have lived. This is to have succeeded."

**Tips adopted from the Corporation for National and Community Service. Read more at nationalservice.gov.*

VOLUNTEER WITH US

The Masonic Homes is actively seeking volunteers to assist with a variety of activities that keep residents' lives vibrant and fun! Here are some examples of the many ways that you can get involved:

- Escort and provide companionship to residents for on-campus special events, such as birthday and anniversary dinners, and seasonal concert series
- Accompany residents and staff on local outings to restaurants, plays, sporting events, and more (Tickets are free for volunteers!)
- Teaching courses on a particular topic or skill
- Lead games of bingo or assist residents in reading their cards
- Pop popcorn and help pass it out to residents
- Distribute books, movies, and music to residents' apartments
- Post flyers around campus for upcoming events
- Administrative work/data entry

To learn more about volunteering at the Masonic Homes, please contact Carlene Voss, volunteer and community resources program manager, at (510) 429-6469 or volunteerservices@mhcuc.org. Learn more at masonichome.org/Volunteer.





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The Hayward Animal Shelter is putting out a very important All Points Bulletin! Two year olds Jethro and Duckie desperately need a family with big hearts and lots of patience. Jethro, a handsome black and white tuxedo, and Duckie, an equally handsome orange and white tuxedo, are bonded brothers. Through no fault of their own, they lost everything familiar -- their family, home and feeling of stability. Because the trauma of the sudden



loss of all they've known their entire lives, their happy, confident personalities are hidden and they keep getting bypassed by potential families. Very slowly, with

the help of volunteers and shelter staff, they're re-learning to trust people and to make new friends. Both kids like having their cheeks rubbed and scratched. If you have a big heart and the patience to show them that there is comfort, love and happiness in their near future, please come meet the boys and help them blossom into happy, sweet kitties! Info: Hayward Animal Shelter. (510) 293-7200.



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510-293-7200

16 Barnes Court (Near Soto & Jackson)
Hayward

Tuesday - Saturday 1pm - 5pm

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



CONTINUING EVENTS

Tuesday, Nov 28 - Friday, Feb 9

Favorites from the Sew 'n Sews

8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Colorful quilt show

John O'Lague Galleria

777 B Street, Hayward

(510) 538-2787

www.haywardartscouncil.org

Monday, Jan 8 - Thursday, May 24

Pre-College Bridge Program - R

9 a.m. - 12 noon

Math and English assistance for adults

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Application deadline Friday, Dec. 15

Fremont Adult School

4700 Calaveras Ave., Fremont

(510) 794-2538

www.fremont.k12.ca.us/page/30129

Fridays, Jan 5 thru Jan 26

Nature Detectives \$

1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Children discover animal habitats

Ages 3 - 5

Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center

4901 Breakwater Ave., Hayward

(510) 670-7270

www.haywardrec.org/hayshore.html

Fridays, Jan 5 thru Jan 26

Toddler Ramble \$

10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

Science experiments for kids ages 1 - 3

Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center

4901 Breakwater Ave., Hayward

(510) 670-7270

www.haywardrec.org

Thursday, Jan 5 - Sunday, Feb 3

Anticipation: The Art of Dmitry Grudsky

12 noon - 5 p.m.

Whimsical, dreamlike mixed media

Opening reception Friday, Jan 12 at 7pm

Olive Hyde Art Gallery

123 Washington Blvd., Fremont

(510) 791-4357

www.olivehydeartguild.org

Tuesday, Jan 9 thru Thursday, Mar 1

Citizenship Class \$R

12:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Discuss American Government

Prepare for interview test

Fremont Adult School

4700 Calaveras Ave., Fremont

(510) 793-6465

www.face.edu

Wednesdays, Jan 10 thru Feb 7

Ballroom Dancing \$R

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

Intermediate & Advanced 8:15 p.m. - 9:15 p.m.

Tango, Waltz, Samba

Couples only

Ruggieri Senior Center

33997 Alvarado Niles Rd.,

Union City

(510) 675-5357

Wednesday, Jan 10 - Thursday, Feb 8

Food Business Entrepreneur Training - R

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

Start and grow your food business

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

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

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

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

HAYWARD:

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

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Saturdays
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
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Saturdays
9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Year-round
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(925) 465-4690
www.cafarmersmkts.com

Kaiser Permanente San Leandro
Wednesday
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
June 11, 2017 to December 31, 2017
2500 Merced St, San Leandro
www.cafarmersmarkets.com

MILPITAS:

Milpitas Farmers’ Market at Great Mall Parking Lot
Sundays
8 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Year-round
GREAT MALL
882 Great Mall Drive., Milpitas
800-949-FARM
www.pcfma.com

NEWARK:

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

UNION CITY:

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

Union City Farmers’ Market
Saturdays
9 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Year-round
Old Alvarado Park
Smith and Watkins Streets, Union City
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Fridays, Jan 12 thru Feb 9
Ballroom Dance Classes \$
Beginners 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Intermediate & Advanced 8:15 p.m. - 9:15 p.m.
Tango, Waltz, Samba
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4700 Calaveras Ave., Fremont
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Friday, Jan 12 - Saturday, Feb 10
A Murder is Announced \$
Thurs - Sat: 8 p.m.
Sun: 3 p.m.
Agatha Christie mystery play
Sunday, Jan 21 at 12:15 p.m. brunch performance
Broadway West Theatre Company
400-B Bay St., Fremont
(510) 683-9218
www.broadwaywest.org

Saturday, Jan 13 - Sunday, Jan 28
James and the Giant Peach \$
Fri & Sat: 7:30 p.m.
Sun: 3:00 p.m.
Magical journey of a boy and larger than life creatures
Smith Center
43600 Mission Blvd., Fremont
(510) 659-1319
www.StarSturckTheatre.org
www.smithcenter.com

Wednesdays, Jan 17 thru Mar 14
Family Caregivers Workshops – R
9:30 a.m.
Education support for those caring for loved ones
No professional caregivers please
Fremont Senior Center
40086 Paseo Padre Parkway, Fremont
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Artist reception Saturday, Jan 27 at 1 p.m.
Sun Gallery
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Tuesdays & Thursdays, Jan 23 thru Mar 15
Citizenship Class \$R
7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.
Discuss American Government
Prepare for interview test
Fremont Adult School
4700 Calaveras Ave., Fremont
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Saturday, Jan 13
Dance Music \$
9 p.m. - 1 a.m.
Featuring DJ Sal Ramos
Bistro 880
39900 Balentine Dr., Newark
(510) 413-2300
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Tuesday, Jan 16 - Sunday, Jan 21
American Red Cross Blood Drive – R
Tues - Thurs: 11:45 a.m. - 6:15 p.m.
Fri - Sun: 8:15 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
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Conley Caraballo High School
541 Blanche St., Hayward
(800) 733-2767
www.redcrossblood.org

Wednesday, Jan 17
Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan Update
6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Public forum to discuss walking, bike transit safety
Castro Valley Library
3600 Norbridge Ave., Castro Valley
(510) 670-6452
www.acpwa.org

Thursday, Jan 18
East Bay Stompers Band
7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Dixie, swing and standards music
Bronco Billy’s Pizza
41200 Blacow Road, Fremont
(510) 914-7304

Thursday, Jan 18
Karaoke Night
8:30 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.
Sing along with Jordan Matt River
Bistro 880
39900 Balentine Dr., Newark
(510) 413-2300
http://bistro880.com/event/

Thursday, Jan 18
Community Police Academy Recruiting – R
5 p.m.
Law enforcement training for volunteers
Application deadline 1/18
Fremont Police Department
2000 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont
(510) 790-6908
Aquimson@fremont.gov
www.fremontpolice.org/community-policeacademy

Thursday, Jan 18
Hayward Nonprofit Alliance Meeting
10 a.m.
Guest speakers from Spectrum Services
Hayward Area Historical Society Museum
22380 Foothill Blvd., Hayward
(510) 581-0223

Friday, Jan 19
Live Dance Music \$
9 p.m. - 1 a.m.
Featuring Island Wave Today
Bistro 880
39900 Balentine Dr., Newark
(510) 413-2300
http://bistro880.com/event/

Friday, Jan 19
The Art of Downsizing
1:30 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.
Senior assistance to pare down possessions
Ideas to simplify your home, prepare for moving
Fremont Main Library
2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont
(510) 745-1421
www.aclibrary.org

Friday, Jan 19
Middle School Conversion Groundbreaking
3 p.m.
Transition of Junior High to Middle School
Scheduled completion fall 2019
Horner Middle School
41365 Chapel Way, Fremont
(510) 657-2350
www.fremont.k12.ca.us

Saturday, Jan 20
Ohlone Village Site Tour
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Tour shade structure, pit house and sweat house
Coyote Hills Regional Park
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd., Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jan 20 - Sunday, Jan 21
Monarchs and Milkweed \$
10:30 a.m.
Search for caterpillars and butterflies
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jan 20 - Sunday, Jan 21
Discovery Days
10:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Hands-on exploration and crafts
Parent participation required
Coyote Hills Regional Park
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd., Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jan 20
Canine Capers Dog Walk – R
9 a.m. - 11 a.m.
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Tuesday, Jan 16
1:45 – 2:30 Fremont Hills Senior Living, 35490 Mission Blvd., FREMONT
3:50 – 4:20 Mission Gateway Apts., 33155 Mission Blvd., UNION CITY
4:50 – 5:30 Mariner Park, Regents Blvd. & Dorando Dr., UNION CITY
5:40 – 6:20 Sea Breeze Park, Dyer St. & Carmel Way, UNION CITY

Wednesday, Jan 17
2:00 – 4:00 Warm Springs Community Center, 47300 Fernald St., FREMONT
4:15 – 4:50 Lone Tree Creek Park, Starlite Way & Turquoise St., FREMONT
6:00 – 6:30 Camellia Dr. & Camellia Ct., FREMONT

Thursday, Jan 18
2:40 – 3:40 Bay School, 2001 Bockman Rd., SAN LORENZO

Monday, Jan 22
1:30 – 2:00 Acacia Creek, 34400 Mission Blvd., UNION CITY
2:45 – 3:45 Ardenwood School,

33955 Emilia Ln., FREMONT
5:15 – 6:45 Forest Park School, Deep Creek Rd. & Maybird Circle, FREMONT

Tuesday, Jan 23
4:30 – 5:20 Weibel School, 45135 South Grimmer Blvd., FREMONT
5:50 – 6:40 Booster Park, Gable Dr. & McDuff Ave., FREMONT

Wednesday, Jan 24
12:45 – 2:15 Glenmoor School, 4620 Mattos Dr., FREMONT
3:15 – 3:45 Station Center, Cheeves Way, UNION CITY
6:00 – 6:30 Camellia Dr. & Camellia Ct., FREMONT

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Wednesday, January 17
1:45 – 3:00 Foothill School, 1991 Landess Ave., MILPITAS
3:30 – 4:00 Friendly Village Park, 120 Dixon Landing Rd., MILPITAS

Saturday, Jan 20
Family Bird Walk – R
10 a.m. - 12 noon
Explore marsh trails for birds
Ages 5 - 10 with supervision
SF Bay Wildlife Refuge
1 Marshlands Rd., Fremont
(510) 792-0222 x363
<https://donedwardsfamilybird.eventbrite.com>

Saturday, Jan 20
Fixit Clinic
1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Repair small appliances, electronics, textiles
Fremont Main Library
2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont
(510) 745-1421
www.aclibrary.org

Saturday, Jan 20
Eden Area Village Meeting
9 a.m.
Discuss strategies to keep senior engaged in community
Hayward Area Historical Society Museum
22380 Foothill Blvd., Hayward
(510) 581-0223
info@edenareavillage.org
www.edenareavillage.org

Saturday, Jan 20
Watercolor Demonstration
4 p.m.
Guest artist Rafael DeSotos Jr
Fremont Art Association
37697 Niles Blvd., Fremont
(510) 792-0905
www.FremontArtAssociaion.org

Saturday, Jan 20
Monarchs for Kids \$
11 a.m. - 12 noon
Interactive puppet show about butterfly life cycle
Ages 3 – 6
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jan 20
Trees Please
11 a.m. - 12 noon
Naturalist led discussion of trees
Sunol Regional Wilderness
1895 Geary Rd., Sunol
(510) 544-3249
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jan 20
EBRPD Youth Job Fair
10 a.m. - 12 noon
Discuss regional park district jobs for ages 15 -24
The Barn
3131 Pacific Ave., Livermore
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jan 20
Youth Dixieland Festival
12 noon - 4 p.m.
Variety of local Jazz bands perform
NewPark Mall
First floor near Macy's
2086 Newpark Mall, Newark
(510) 793-5683
<https://www.eastbaytradjazz.org/yourh-band/>

Saturday, Jan 20
Silent Movie Night \$
7:30 p.m.
Mantrap, Ike's Auto, Bronco Billy and the Bandit's Secret
Niles Essanay Theater
37417 Niles Blvd, Fremont
(510) 494-1411
www.nilesfilmmuseum.org

Saturday, Jan 20
American Red Cross Blood Drive – R
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Call to schedule an appointment
Drop-ins welcome
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DVD release party
Niles Essanay Theater
37417 Niles Blvd, Fremont
(510) 494-1411
www.nilesfilmmuseum.org

Sunday, Jan 21
Marvelous Monarchs \$
12:30 p.m.
Discover the butterfly life cycle
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Sunday, Jan 21
Ohlone People and Cultures
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Discuss family values of Native Americans
Ages 8+
Coyote Hills Regional Park
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd., Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Sunday, Jan 21
Castro Valley Reads
2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
City wide reading program
Book selection “Lab Girl”
Castro Valley Library
3600 Norbridge Ave., Castro Valley
(510) 667-7900
www.aclibrary.org

Sunday, Jan 21
It's a Salty Life \$R
11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Family friendly hike
Ages 8+
Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center
4901 Breakwater Ave., Hayward
(510) 670-7270
www.haywardrec.org

Sunday, Jan 21
Restoration Rangers – R
1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Volunteers remove invasive plants and litter
Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center
4901 Breakwater Ave., Hayward
(510) 670-7270
www.haywardrec.org

Sunday, Jan 21
Water is Life Hike
9 a.m. - 12 noon
Discuss marsh on 3 mile hike
Ages 15+
Coyote Hills Regional Park
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd., Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Sunday, Jan 21
Fruit Tree Planting Class – R
9:30 a.m.
Hands-on demonstration
RSVP by 1/18
Dale Hardware
3700 Thornton Ave, Fremont
(510) 797-3700
www.dale-hardware.com

Sunday, Jan 21
The Man Who Lit Lady Liberty \$
4 p.m.
Power Point presentation and book signing
Niles Essanay Theater
37417 Niles Blvd, Fremont
(510) 494-1411
www.nilesfilmmuseum.org

Monday, Jan 22
Eden Garden Club Meeting
9:30 a.m.
Discuss edible landscaping
Hayward-Castro Valley Moose Lodge
20835 Rutledge Rd., Castro Valley
(510) 397-1268

Tuesday, Jan 23
Weekday Bird Walk
7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
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Saturday, Jan 27
Study Day with Sister Margaret Mayce – R
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Discuss ways to think globally, act locally
RSVP by 1/19
Dominican Sisters of Mission
San Jose
43326 Mission Blvd., Fremont
(510) 933-6360
http://bit.ly/2018StudyDay

Mt Eden High Musicians back up 'Beatles'

SUBMITTED BY ANDY NAGLE

When the touring show 'Beatles vs. Stones – A Musical Showdown' comes to the Bankhead Theater, the Mt. Eden High School (Hayward) String Quartet will have the privilege of joining professional musicians on stage to add some orchestral texture to the evening.

The show pits Rolling Stones tribute band Satisfaction against rival Brit boys Abbey Road in an all-out musical showdown for rock dominance.

Abbey Road is one of the nation's top Beatles tribute bands. With brilliant musicianship and authentic costumes and gear, Abbey Road plays beloved songs spanning the Beatles' career. They engage in a "showdown" of hits with Stones tribute band Satisfaction - The International Rolling Stones Show, who offer a faithful rendition of the music and style of Mick Jagger, Keith Richards and the bad boys of the British Invasion. The production includes period costumes and vintage instruments. The Livermore show is part of a 110-city tour of the U.S., Canada and Australia.

The string quartet comprises seniors Betsy Cordova-Chama, Jasmina Buljubic, and juniors Edwin Ramos and Jordan Ramirez. They join the bands for 'Eleanor Rigby,' 'Yesterday,' 'A Day in the Life,' 'Hello Goodbye,' 'Hey Jude,' 'As Tears Go By,' and 'Ruby Tuesday.'

All quartet members are principals in both the Mt. Eden High String and Chamber Orchestras and have received consistent superior ratings at solo and ensemble festivals. Members have performed with prestigious ensembles, including the Youth Orchestra of Southern Alameda County and Music for All, the National Honor Orchestra of America.

Beatles vs. Stones
Wednesday, Feb 21
8:00 p.m.

Bankhead Theater
2400 First St, Livermore
(925) 373-6800
www.lvpac.org
Ticket office, Tue-Sat:
noon - 6 p.m.
\$30 - \$60

Portuguese bloodless bullfighting

SUBMITTED BY PHOTOCENTRAL
PHOTO BY JACKSON NICHOLS

PhotoCentral opens 2018 with a photographic documentary by Jackson Nichols, "The Fine Art of Portuguese Bloodless Bullfighting in California."
Nichols is a Bay Area photographer documenting Portuguese culture in California for over 20 years. For the past five years his focus has been on the Portuguese tradition of bloodless bullfighting in California. In Portuguese bloodless bullfighting the bull is not harmed during the performance. Velcro-tipped bandarilhas are used with a Velcro patch on the bull's back, allowing the performers to practice their art and return the bull to his pen unharmed. They



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THEATRE REVIEW A Murder is Announced

BY MAURICIO SEGURA
PHOTO BY CHRISTIAN PIZZIRANI

A murder mystery descends onto the Broadway West Theatre Companies stage for its twenty-second season with Agatha Christie's "A Murder Is Announced".
The play, adapted from Christie's 50th novel, published in June 1950, had its first stage performance in London during the summer of 1977. In the classic Agatha Christie mold, action takes place in a gentle world. Little Paddocks is a comfortable establishment presided over by Letitia Blacklock (Doll Piccotto). Living in the house is her old friend and sort of companion, Dora "Bunny" Bunner (Elizabeth Lowenstein). In residence are Letitia's young cousins Patrick Simmons (Greg Small) and Julia Simmons (Gretta Stimson) who call her Aunt because of the age



spector Craddock as well as Agatha Christie's beloved amateur sleuth, Miss Marple, to discover the who's, how's, and why's.
Broadway West Theatre Company put a wonderful play together under the direction of Mary Galde and Jim Woodbury. The set was quaint and adequately depicted a 1950's sitting room; background music was pleasant, but quiet, maybe a bit too quiet for the climactic moment when murder shots were fired. However, don't let that minuscule speed bump keep you from seeing this great production, because the 12-person cast brings this play to life wonderfully.

Doll Picotto as Leticia holds a commanding presence that holds and keeps the audience attention throughout. Gretta Stimson brings Julia to life in a wonderful way: a flawless performance with immaculate stage presence, paired with a soothing voice. Alma Pasic-Tran nails the character of Mitzi as the eastern European stereotype of a loud mouthed, constantly complaining, domestic caretaker. Think of Gretchen Kraus from the 1980's sitcom "Benson" and add more spice. Dan Roach did a great portrayal of Inspector Craddock, as did Jackie Blue as Miss Marple.

A Murder is Announced is a play well worth enjoying on a night out in Fremont. Dust off your detective inspector badge and head to the Broadway West Theatre for an intriguing evening of whodunnit!

with guests, or suspects depending on which way one looks at it, everyone is anxiously waiting for the clock to strike 6:30 p.m. to see if there will indeed be a murder. The awaited time comes... lights go off, a struggle, yelling, screaming, pandemonium, and then, three shots are heard. When the lights come back on, the body of Rudi Scherz lies in the middle of the room; Letitia Blacklock's ear is full of blood from being grazed by a bullet. Now the rest of the play becomes a who did it, and it's up to In-



difference. There is also a paying guest/gardener Phillipa Haymes (Ambera DeLash) and a general dogsbody [menial worker] of a housekeeper/cook Mitzi (Alma Pasic-Tran), a refugee of eastern European origin with hysterical stereotypical anxiety.
On the morning of Friday, the 13th, residents of the English country home in the village of Chipping Cleg-horn discover an announcement of a forthcoming murder in the personals column of the local weekly gazette. The murder is scheduled for that evening at 6:30 p.m. on the grounds of Little Piddocks.
As with any and every murder mystery, questions abound from the characters. Who, why and when did someone put that bizarre ad in the paper? Is it a joke, will someone really be murdered, and which one of the people present will it be? But the question lingering the most is, who is the murderer? The answers will soon be apparent.
As the house begins to fill



A Murder is Announced
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We are starting out the new year with a bang in Niles! After years of hard work, we have a finished product that we are very proud of; we think you will be as well.

In 1912, film pioneer and co-owner of the Essanay Film Manufacturing Company Gilbert “Broncho Billy” Anderson arrived in the small town of Niles, California, searching for the ideal location to film westerns. There he set up shop and over 350 films later, cemented the West Coast branch of Essanay in film history, with major players such as Charlie Chaplin, Wallace Beery, and Ben Turpin before it all ended abruptly in 1916.

In 2012, the Niles Essanay Silent Film Museum produced a two-reel silent western to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the Essanay Film Manufacturing Company arriving in Niles. This inspired our museum curators to create a

‘Broncho Billy and the Bandit’s Secret’ is here!

film as special as our little hamlet. Using equipment and techniques from the silent era and locations that are much like they were over 100 years ago, “Broncho Billy and the Bandit’s Secret” presents a fictionalized account of Anderson’s arrival in Niles, and how the town sheriff joins forces with the movie gunslinger to bring a group of bandits to justice. Years in the making, with five different musical scores and an appearance by Diana Serra Cary (former silent film star Baby Peggy), it’s a trip back in time is unlike any other!

The Niles Essanay Silent Film Museum is very pleased to announce the official DVD release of “Broncho Billy and the Bandit’s Secret,” directed by David Kiehn with a screenplay by Sprague Anderson and David Kiehn. The DVD includes:

1. High-definition transfer of “Broncho Billy and the Bandit’s Secret” at authentic hand-cranked speed with five different musical scores to the film by noted accompanists Judith Rosenberg, Bruce Loeb, Jon Mirsalis, Greg Pane, and David Drazin; you can pick

which version you want to accompany each viewing of the film – each has a different style which means each screening will be a different and unique experience.

2. “Window to the Past” – 40-minute documentary by Zack Sutherland with assistance from Mike Edwards detailing the making of “Broncho Billy and the Bandit’s Secret” and the history surrounding the project.
3. Centennial celebration and filmed recreation of Essanay’s arrival in Niles in 1912 on a hand-cranked Bell and Howell 2709 camera.
4. Outtakes
5. “Alkali Bests Broncho Billy” – an original Essanay film directed by and starring Gilbert M. Anderson, scanned in 4K and accompanied by Frederick Hodges. Never before released on any home format.

A special DVD Release Party will be held on Saturday, January 20. Tickets will be available at museum member’s price – only \$5 – but there are limited seats so please get them in advance; email pr@nilesfilmmuseum.org. DVDs can be purchased at the event or on weekends at the museum for \$20. Thirteen Years of Saturday Silents at the Edison will also be celebrated January 20 with short films “Mantrap” starring Clara Bow and “Alkali Ike’s Auto.”

We couldn’t have made the film without all of you, the cast, crew and IndieGoGo campaign supporters, and those who gave



funds privately. We’d especially like to acknowledge Deborah and Lenhard Stevens, Alla Kapralova, John Ozment, and Sprague Anderson for their generous support; their financial assistance put us over the top and made this film a reality. Anderson, our cinematographer and camera historian, passed away this past Halloween, and this DVD release is dedicated to him.

We also thank Pacific Locomotive Association, Ed Best, Jack Starr, Dexter Day, Al McCracken, Allen Lopez, Vickie Lopez, Bryan Vansell, Mission Clay Products, Herb Cartwright, Dave Cartwright, Mel Silva, Linda Ross, Anne Hubbell, Kodak, Michael Madden, Anna Newman, Tom Nelson, Steve Foster, Niles Depot Foundation, Beth Buchanan, William Brommer, Michael Brommer, Barry Walter, LEAF Center, Mike Bough, Broncho

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DVD Release Party
Saturday, Jan 20
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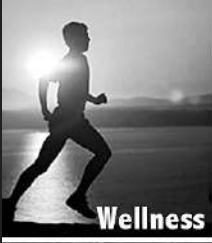
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Cougars Report

SUBMITTED BY
TIMOTHY HESS

Congratulations to the Newark Memorial High School Varsity team who defeated James Logan (Union City) 3-2, January 12th at Newark Memorial. Next, the first-place Cougars (9-1-4, 5-0-1 Mission Valley Athletic League) take on the American Eagles (Fremont), Wednesday, January 17, beginning at 7:45 pm at TAK.

GO COUGARS!

Girls Basketball

Lady Cougars dunk Lady Titans

SUBMITTED BY
TIMOTHY HESS

Congratulations to the Newark Memorial High School varsity basketball team on their 49-28 win over the Lady Titans at Kennedy High School (Fremont) on Jan. 9. The Lady Cougars' junior varsity team also won, beating the Lady Titans JV team 39-30.

Varsity highlights: Haylee Nelson scored 24-points and grabbed 19-rebounds in the victory. Teammates Rylee Sarasua added seven points, and Alayah Bell chipped-in with six-points.

Cougars JV team wins a close one



Boys Basketball

SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

The Newark Memorial Cougars Junior Varsity team outlasted the John F. Kennedy (Fremont) Titans JV team in a close 44-39 contest on January 9th. Both teams fought hard to the last seconds of play but the Cougars were able to convert some important drives late in the third quarter to bring home the win.



Boys Basketball

Cougars Freshmen show promise

SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY
MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

The Newark Memorial Cougars Freshmen showed promise on the hardwood as they met their counterpart John F. Kennedy Titans on January 9th. Hitting their shots from inside and outside, the Cougars took an early lead and never looked back, finishing with a convincing 61-41 victory.

Cougars varsity controls Titans

Boys Basketball

SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY
MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

The Newark Memorial Cougars varsity started their 2018 season on January 9th with a display of fast-break basketball as they dominated the hardwood in a contest with the John F. Kennedy (Fremont) Titans, 87-29. Cougars speed caught the Titans defense off guard and allowed good looks and clean shots at the basket to run up the score. Control of the paint area cemented the victory for the Cougars even as the Titans made a good effort late in the game... but it was just too little, too late.



Park It

BY NED MACKAY

Pack out your trash

In light of some recent experience, now is probably as good a time as any for my more or less annual sermon about reducing litter in the parks. I realize that I'm probably preaching to the choir here, but if that's the case, you can help spread the gospel.

I often walk at Black Diamond Mines Regional Preserve in Antioch, and invariably return from the hike with a harvest of discarded glass and plastic bottles and aluminum cans. Lots of other parks have the same problem. This is discouraging, because it's not hard to pack out what you've carried in.

Of course, you can't compact glass bottles. But aluminum cans crush easily. The compacting technique with plastic water bottles is to unscrew the cap, squash the bottle, roll it up from

the bottom, then screw on the cap again. When you return from the hike, many trailheads have recycle bins where you can dispose of your haul.

Discarded citrus peels are another matter. Yes, they will biodegrade, but it takes a really long time, and meanwhile they create an unsightly mess. And the wildlife doesn't like the taste of orange peels any more than we do. So please carry out the peels.

The plastic sleeves in which this paper is delivered during rainy weather make excellent trash bags. They can also be used in a pinch to pick up your dog's business.

Enough said.

Speaking of Black Diamond Mines, there's a mushroom safari scheduled there from 10 a.m. to noon on Sunday, Jan. 21, guided by naturalist Eddie Willis.

What with the recent heavy rains, there should be lots to see. But there won't be any collecting; harvesting plants (or animals) is against the rules in the regional parks.

For the mushroom walk, meet

Eddie in the parking lot at the end of Somersville Road, 3.5 miles south of Highway 4.

Next door at Contra Loma Regional Park, naturalist Kevin Dixon will lead a bird-watching walk from 9 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, Jan. 20. Contra Loma's reservoir is home to a variety of birds, and there's a nice, mostly flat trail around it. Binoculars will be available for loan.

Contra Loma is at the end of Frederickson Lane off Golf Course Road. There's a parking fee of \$5 per vehicle. Meet Kevin in the main parking lot.

For information on either the mushroom program or bird walk, call (888) 327-2757, ext. 2750.

Plankton and water bugs are the focus of a program from 2 to 3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 20 at Big Break Regional Shoreline in Oakley. The naturalists will help visitors collect some plankton and macroinvertebrates (bugs) from the Delta waters to learn about their role in wetland ecology.

Big Break is at 69 Big Break Road off Oakley's Main Street.

Call (888) 327-2757, ext. 3050 for information.

At Tilden Nature Area near Berkeley, interpretive student aide Jessica Brownell plans a sun catcher program from 1 to 2 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 20 in the Environmental Education Center. The group will make plant-themed sun catchers to reflect the winter sun.

And lambs and rabbits are on the agenda for two programs next door at the Little Farm. From 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 21, naturalist Jenna Scimeca will introduce visitors to the Little Farm's sheep, then help make mini-sheep from their wool to take home. Meet at the red barn.

Then from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. the same day Jenna will host a meet and greet with the Little Farm rabbits. The center and Little Farm are at the north end of Tilden's Central Park Drive. For more information on these programs, call (510) 544-2233.

Squid dissection is on the program at Crab Cove Visitor Center in Alameda from 2 to 3

p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 20 or 21.

It's part of Family Nature Fun, which explores a different topic at the same time every weekend in January and February.

Crab Cove is at 1252 McKay Ave. off Alameda's Central Avenue. Call (510) 544-3187.

At Coyote Hills Regional Park in Fremont, naturalist Francis Mendoza will lead a "water is life" hike from 9 a.m. to noon on Sunday, Jan. 21. This is a generally flat three-mile stroll around the marsh, while Francis discusses the importance of water in our environment.

The hike is for ages 15 and older. Bring sturdy shoes, water, and a snack, meet at the front door of the visitor center. Heavy rain cancels the program. Coyote Hills is at the end of Patterson Ranch Road off Paseo Padre Parkway. Call (510) 544-3220 for information.

There are lots of other programs to enjoy in the regional parks. For a complete listing, visit the website, www.ebparks.org

Milpitas High Trojans recognized for first-ever State Championship



Football

BY RHODA J. SHAPIRO

Last Tuesday evening, January 9, Milpitas Unified School District's (MUSD) superintendent, Cheryl Jordan, delivered a short speech to recognize Milpitas High School's varsity boys' football team for securing their first-ever State Championship win.

During a regularly scheduled MUSD board meeting, Superintendent Jordan spoke in front of a packed audience, which included Vice Mayor Marsha Grilli and Councilmember Bob Nuñez.

"All of our sports teams play a huge role, which is twofold," said the superintendent. "One is it allows our students an opportunity to develop leadership skills, teamwork, collaboration.

They have an opportunity to be role models for other kids in their school. It also brings the community together, both for fun, and also in communion for celebrating what work our kids do when they're working together with our support."

Minutes earlier, the Board also recognized Rancho Middle School's girls' basketball teams (7th and 8th grade) for winning East Section Championships.

Before inviting the football team for a photo, Superintendent Jordan spoke of all the hard work and dedication of student athletes to achieve such a tremendous win.

"You have worked very, very hard. And I know you have a weekly dinner where you talk about teamwork. You talk about what it means to be a role model, what it means to be a leader, what it means to support others,

and what it means to stand up for others," said Superintendent Jordan. "And your hard work, and your commitment to one another, and also to Milpitas High School and our community, has paid off. Because we get to say that we have state champions. And you will always have that with you. And we will also share that."

Morgan Greene CCAA Player of the Week



SUBMITTED BY
STEVE CONNOLLY

Cal State East Bay forward Morgan Greene was selected as the California Collegiate Athletic Association (CCAA) Women's Basketball Player of the Week for January 1-7, the conference office announced Tuesday, January 9.

Greene continued her stellar sophomore campaign, leading the Pioneers to a pair of victories this past week over Sonoma State and Stanislaus State. The squad has now won five of its last six and remains unbeaten this season at home.

The Phoenix, Ariz. native, recorded her CCAA-leading 11th and 12th double-doubles of the year, the second-highest total in the nation. She scored 13 points on 6-for-8 shooting and grabbed

14 rebounds in a 58-51 win over the Seawolves on Tuesday. Greene then chipped in 10 points, pulled in 14 more boards, and assisted on Elayshia Woolridge's game-winning buzzer beater in a 73-71 victory Saturday over the Warriors.

Greene averaged 11.5 points and 14.0 rebounds for the week and currently stands as the conference's top rebounder at 12.2 boards per game, good for fourth nationally. After shooting 65 percent for the week, she raised her season field goal percentage to .549, ranking second in the CCAA.

This is the second Player of the Week award in 2017-18 for the two-time defending CCAA champion Pioneers, as Greene joins teammate Savannah McGill, who captured the honor on November 13.

Cougars Report

SUBMITTED BY TIMOTHY HESS

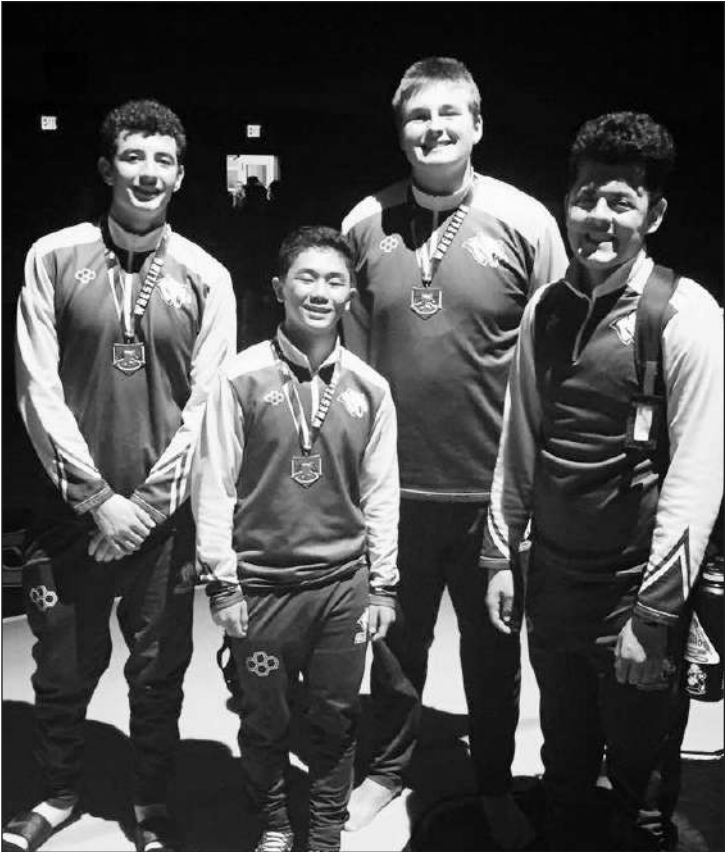
Girls Basketball:

Lady Cougars edged the Lady Warriors of Mission San Jose (Fremont) on January 13th at the Event Center. Haylee Nelson scored a team-high 18 points and grabbed 22-rebounds. Teammate Rylee Sarasua added 16-points in the victory.

GO COUGARS!

Boys Wrestling:

The Newark Memorial High School Cougars grapplers placed fourth in a 40-team competition at the fifty-fifth annual Jim Root Memorial Wrestling Tournament at Prospect High School (Saratoga) on January 15, 2018: 120 - Brandon Moriguchi (13-2) placed 1st; 170 - Alaxander Pereira (14-2) placed 1st; 285 - Chance Hefter (11-3) placed 2nd.



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Fremont City Council

January 9, 2018

Consent Calendar:

- Summary vacation of a surplus portion of Cedar Street



Badge pinning ceremony for newly hired Fremont Fire Chief Curtis Jacobson.



Advocates from Compassionate Fremont expressed solidarity with other local cities “united against hate.” Citizens urged to display posters “Fremont Stands United Against Hate.”

and Ellsworth Street adjacent to 43599 Ellsworth Street.

- Approve final map for Palm Avenue subdivision – Tract 8314.
- Approve final map for Tract 8095 located at 40837 through 40849 High Street (High Town Square).
- Award contract to J.J.R. Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$3,103,687.20 for 2018 City-wide Concrete Repairs and Intersection Ramps Project.
- Award contract to Bond Blacktop, Inc. in the amount of \$120,840.00 for 2018 Pavement Crack Seal Project.

Ceremonial Items:

- Badge pinning ceremony for newly hired Fremont Fire Chief Curtis Jacobson. Chief Jacobson was formerly employed as Fire Chief of the City of San Jose. Oath of office was administered by Fire Chief Gerald Simon (Ret) who served Oakland, Union City, Santa Clara and Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Chief Jacobson was “pinned” by his mother. He thanked the City of Fremont for the opportunity to serve the community and quoted boxing legend Muhammad Ali, saying,

and city offices.

- Business owner and others expressed need for tolerance and support for movement against hate, oppression and violence.
- Tri-City Interfaith Council representative read an anti-hate statement.
- Representative of Silicon Valley Leadership Group invited others to attend annual Washington, D.C. advocacy trip February 27-28.
- Citizen spoke of the traffic dangers on Morrison Canyon Road and possibility of a temporary closure to address safety concerns especially with planned development of a brewery and winery near Vargas Plateau Regional Park.
- Members of Girl Scout Troop 30007 (8th Graders at Hopkins Jr. High School) asked for time at a future council meeting to present information about an LGBT awareness project.

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

License plate thief nabbed

SUBMITTED BY
SAN LEANDRO PD

A sharp-eyed witness in the 500 Block of Begier Avenue in San Leandro saw a man removing license plates from parked vehicles around 6 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 3 and promptly called police.

Jumping into action, arriving officers quickly noticed a suspect, later identified by police as Ronnie Cotton, 62, of Oakland riding a bicycle away from the area. After being contacted by officers, the suspect removed two stolen license plates hidden inside his pants and discarded them into nearby bushes.

Cotton was arrested and both stolen license plates were recovered and returned to their

owners. “License plates are stolen randomly for various reasons,” said police Lieutenant Isaac Benabou. “These are misdemeanor crimes unless the value of the plates rises above \$950.”

According to police, most thefts occur during the night and vehicle owners may not notice right away. The impact can be very time-consuming to the victim, having to make appointments or wait in long lines at the DMV to obtain a replacement. “Take precaution by securing your license plate with theft-resistant bolts and scoring the registration tabs with a razor to prevent them from being peeled away by thieves,” Benabou advises. And, as always, report all license plate thefts to the police immediately.

United against hate

BY: SR. MARIE ANNETTE BURKART, SNDDEN

The Tri-City Interfaith Council strives to promote respect, understanding, cooperation, and appreciation for the many spiritual paths and faith traditions within our community which inspire and teach us to love and support one another more fully. At our most recent meeting on January 5, 2018, we approved an anti-hate statement that we wish to share with the entire community in these hate-filled times.

It reads:

As a grassroots collection of people from many spiritual traditions, we want to clearly state that our faith traditions call us to recognize all people as equal and sacred. We reject racism, bigotry, and hatred.

When expressions of white supremacy, Antisemitism, neo-Nazi ideology, Islamophobia, hatred against ethnic minorities, and other forms of oppression make headlines, we must stand firmly against these exhibitions of hate. The Nazi swastika, the Ku Klux Klan hood, and the Confederate flag are symbols that have no place in American society. While we denounce violence in any form by any group, we

reject suggestions of the moral equivalency of groups that promote white supremacy and hatred of all kinds with those who oppose such values and protest against them.

We praise the many groups that are working in our community and across our country to overcome division and build understanding, whether it is among people of different races, faiths, sexual orientations, gender identities, or gender expressions; between police officers and community members; or within our schools.

All our faiths are grounded in the common value of compassion. We affirm fair treatment for all and the centrality of loving our neighbors as ourselves. Prejudice, animosity, or violence against any group of people is completely antithetical to our religious principles. We promote our national values which declare that we are one nation with liberty and justice for all.

We call on all people of good will to work together for the common good and honor the contributions of all individuals. Rather than be divided by our differences, let us be enriched by our diversity.

Newark City Council

January 11, 2018

Presentations and Proclamations:

- Commend Sergeant Ray Hoppe on his retirement after 19 years of distinguished service to Newark Police Department. Sgt. Hoppe was hired as a Community Service Officer April 16, 1998, graduated from Alameda County Sheriff’s Office Police Academy and hired as a Police Officer December 12, 1999. Since then, he has served as Field Training Officer, Bicycle Patrol Officer, Honor Guard Member, K9 Agitator, Citizen Police Academy Instructor and K9 Handler with partner Uras. He was promoted to sergeant November 1, 2012.

Written Communications:

- Approve conditional use permit for fitness gym, GFY Cross-Fit at 36601 Newark Boulevard, Suite #77. NO REVIEW
- Uphold Community Development Director denial of single-family design review change of exterior building material at 8215 Thornton Avenue. NO REVIEW

Public Hearings:

- Amend Master Fee Schedule to add an Improvement Plan Review by outside consulting firm upon request of applicant at applicant expense.
 - Repeal and replace City’s Zoning Code and adopt a new Official Zoning Map with amendments for Newark Boulevard and noise regulation.
- Consent Calendar:**
- Approve Local Debt Policy

in compliance with Senate Bill 1029.

- Authorize additional architectural services with Heller Manus Architects for renovation of the existing library for a total of \$273,133.00.

- Accept Annual Report on Newark Development Impact Fees for Fiscal Year 2016-2017.

Non-Consent:

- Accept Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for period ending June 30, 2017.
- Amend 2016-2018 Biennial Budget and Capital Improvement Plan for budget revisions to cover unforeseen increases in necessary professional services, increases in insurance premiums and claims and other increases in costs of services. Expenditures are offset by increases in projected revenues and a transfer of \$1.37 million from unallocated fund balance.

Oral Communications:

- None
- City Council Matters:**
 - Close meeting in honor of Antone “Tony” Zeuli, a valued member and volunteer of the Newark Community who passed away Jan 2, 2018.

- Sunday event honoring Martin Luther King, Jr.
 - Recall accomplishments of 2017 including Park Master Plan, Municipal Code update, fiscally conservative city management.
- Closed Session:**
- Performance evaluation of City Manager.
 - Conference with Labor Negotiator.

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



Commend Sergeant Ray Hoppe on his retirement after 19 years of distinguished service to Newark Police Department.

OPINION



WILLIAM MARSHAK

In response to national events of late and the national holiday on January 15th celebrating the life and legacy of renowned activist for peace and social justice, Martin Luther King Jr., a television commentator quoted Dr. King's warning that "Nothing is more dangerous than sincere ignorance and enthusiastic stupidity." Although the quote was incorrect, and should have used the word "conscientious" rather than "enthusiastic," the sentiment remains. Even with the best of intentions, we are all, at times, subject to an enthusiastic embrace of faulty logic and prejudice.

This national holiday, created by President Ronald Reagan in 1983, was set aside as a day of service and remembrance of a remarkable man during a remarkable and tumultuous period of United States history. For those who lived through it, the lessons are unmistakable and for others, it is a stark warning of the danger in silence and divisive rhetoric.

In many ways, we have come a long way since 1968, when Dr. King was assassinated, but in some others, not so far. Our local communities have grown and prospered, in large part, due to the embodiment of the American Dream of

Sincere Ignorance

social mobility through hard work, ability and yes... some luck. It is remarkable that on our local streets, people of many cultures, ethnicity, beliefs and heritage work, play and live together. All is not always peaceful, but for the most part, we can consider our environment as healthy and safe. This does not happen by accident. It is the result of a collective, conscious effort to encourage positive thought and action, while condemning unacceptable behavior - from our children and fellow citizens.

A font of wisdom, Dr. King's legacy is a reminder of our common purpose and how its overriding influence can mold behavior toward family, friends, neighbors and communities. Dr. King's quotes are numerous and profound; he was a beacon of goodwill in a time of trial and tribulation. We are currently in a different time but no less dangerous and divisive. As we pause to reflect on the impact of words and behavior rather than rely on a set of shallow characteristics such as skin tone, outward appearance or aggressiveness, a humane and constructive course of action often becomes apparent. It is through optimistic civil discourse and common goals that we are able to progress, thrive and mature. Inflammatory rhetoric often obscures ignorance and inhibits our natural inclination to hope and strive for positive goals... for ourselves and our children.

Among the many quotes from Martin Luther King, Jr., here are some of my favorites:

"It is not possible to be in favor of justice for some people and not be in favor of justice for all people"

"Let no man pull you low enough to hate him."

"I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation that they will not be judged by the color of their skin, but by the content of their character."

"There comes a time when one must take a position that is neither safe, nor politic, nor popular, but he must take it because his conscience tells him it is right."

"Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere."

"In the end, we will remember not the words of our enemies, but the silence of our friends."

"We may have come on different ships, but we're in the same boat now."

There is a cure for ignorance through formal and informal education; however, stupidity is beyond redemption. It is my belief that very few are truly stupid; Dr. King's remarks were directed toward the majority of us that simply need to be reminded of and educated beyond personal prejudice and sincere ignorance.

William Marshak
PUBLISHER

New procurement officer arrives from Florida

SUBMITTED BY
SANTA CLARA COUNTY

Miriam Singer, a veteran executive with 18 year of senior management experience in procurement management operations, has joined Santa Clara County in a newly-created position of Chief Procurement Officer.

Singer joins the county after 35 years of public service and procurement experience with Miami-Dade County, Florida, including serving as Chief Procurement Officer for the past six years. She was recently appointed to her new job by Santa Clara County Chief Operating Officer Miguel Márquez.

"We're excited that Miriam has joined our team to lead the county's ongoing efforts to build a highly competitive environment in

which the county's taxpayers receive the best value for the billions of dollars of goods and services purchased every year," Márquez said.

Each year Santa Clara County spends about \$2 billion to purchase goods and services. The Chief Procurement Officer provides oversight to all county procurement and contracting efforts to ensure the county can obtain the best value in the procurement of goods and services to meet its objectives.

She has served as the Chief Procurement Officer and Internal Services Department Senior Assistant Director since 2011 at Miami-Dade County. She also held the position of Director, Department of Procurement Management from 2005-2011, and was Deputy Director from 2000-2005.

"It is a great privilege to join the fine professional team of Santa Clara County in

service to the community," Singer said. "Working together with our internal clients and the business community, I look forward to contributing to the implementation of competitive procurement solutions to ensure that the taxpayers we serve will receive high quality services at the very best value."

Singer, a Certified Public Purchasing Officer, holds a Master of Public Administration and a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida. She is a governing board member for the National Institute of Government Purchasing, and a member of the U.S. Communities Advisory Board and the Institute for Supply Management.

Singer is fluent in English and Spanish. Her appointment was effective on Jan. 3.



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April 6, 1921-December 22, 2017

Bob Meredith Boom
RESIDENT OF TRACY
May 23, 1928-January 2, 2018

Obituary

Eleanor Kabrich

September 11, 1920-January 9, 2018

Born on September 11, 1920, in what was then Decoto, California, to Portuguese parents, Antone & Emma Vierra. By the age of 11, she had lost her mother to heart disease; her father raised her and older sister, Eldena. At the time, Decoto Road was a two-lane, barely paved road. Their closest neighbor was a half mile away. She frequently told stories of “skating right down the middle of the street and never seeing a car.”

Mom graduated from Washington High School in 1938. She excelled in sports at school, participating in every



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October 4, 1950 – January 12, 2018

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March 28, 1937 – January 12, 2018

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March 1, 2008 – January 11, 2018

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July 22, 1931 – January 3, 2018

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December 17, 1952 – December 15, 2018

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Obituary

PHILLIP L. SWIFT

Resident of Fremont

June 10, 1932 – January 7, 2018

Our beloved Phillip Lovell (Lover) Swift - Son, Husband, Father, Grandfather, Great Grandfather, and friend too many, passed away peacefully on Sunday, January 07, 2018 at the age of 85.

Phil was the youngest son of William and Elizabeth Swift, born June 10, 1932 in San Leandro, CA. He is preceded in death by his Parents, Brothers: Shuford, William, Jr., David and Sister, Betsey. Phil is now in heaven with his daughter, Lisa McKnight who passed away in 2012. He is survived by his wife of 61 years, June, his daughter, Stephanie and son-in-law, Jim Curran, son- in-law Michael McKnight – six grandchildren: Jacob (Shaney) Stivers, Joshua and Justin Stivers, Jennifer (Joe) Romero, Matthew Curran and Jeffrey (Jaimie) Curran, as well as six Great Grandchildren: Brody, Calvin, Triston, Briana, Ava and Lukas.

After graduating from San Leandro High School, Phil served 4 years in the U.S. Navy, and then attended Oakland Jr. College where he met his wife,



June - they married in October of 1956.

In 1962, he moved to Fremont where he raised his family. He joined Alameda Lodge #167 in 1967. He received a Hiram Award in 1989, was Master of his Lodge in 2001 and received his 50 year member pin in 2017.

He was very active in the community, loved driving his 1930 Dodge, and loved telling jokes. We will miss him.

Services will be held at the First Presbyterian Church of Newark, 35450 Newark Blvd., Newark, CA 94560 on Saturday January 20, 2018 at 2:00 P.M.

When Dad passed away in 1994, Mom continued the trips, with daughters Patti & Debbie taking turns as co-host. Reno was her Disneyland! So many fun memories of those trips! Lots of laughter! She continued the 2-day bus trips until she was 92. Over the years, she hosted more than 115 trips to Reno. She also volunteered at Washington Hospital for 40 years and was always told by staff “slow down Ellie, you're walking too fast.”

She lived on a section of the same property where she was born her entire 97-1/3 years. when Mom & Dad married, the two-story house she was born in became their home a gift from her father, which included five acres of fruit and nut trees. In 1955, as their family grew to four, they built a single-level home just a few hundred feet from the original house. Eighteen months later, Debra became the Surprise Third Child, and we were 5! Mom lived in that house from 1955, until her passing on January 9, 2018.

One of Mom's great loves was her garden and yard. Our brother Rick helped Mom become a super Giants fan. The two of them watched games together, and she could be heard talking to the TV: “hit a home run”, “why is he taking out the pitcher?”

She practiced her faith daily, a devout Catholic. She had a special devotion to the Blessed Mother, and St. Anne. She saw the goodness in everyone, and demonstrated great courage, strength, and humility. Her daughters and all who were touched by her loving nature will miss her deeply.

Mom is survived by her daughters Patti Tarantino and Debbie Kabrich and partner Denise Nelson, many loving nieces and nephews {Karen Phillips (Kabrich), Sandy Kreisman (Kabrich), Robin Kabrich, Gail Kabrich Hapsis, Theron Kabrich, Randy Kabrich}, and her loving caregiver, Denise Galeotti (DeMotte). She is preceded in death by her husband, Dick, son Rick, sister Eldena, and son-in-law Peter, many family pets, especially her cat Rascal.

Services were held Monday, January 15, 2018, at the Fremont Memorial Chapel, Fremont. In her memory, a donation to one of Mom's favorite charities is suggested: St. Jude's Children's Hospital; Tony LaRussa's Animal Rescue Foundation (ARF) in Walnut Creek, arlife.org; or Sister John Marie's Pantry. Burial services will be private.

Obituary

Eugene Henry Bader

Resident of Fremont

May 30, 1925 – January 3, 2018

Eugene passed away on January 3, 2018, at the age of 92. He was survived by his wife Shirley and seven children. Eugene was a loving husband, an outstanding father, grandfather and great-grandfather.

Born in Massachusetts, as a young man Eugene joined the United States Navy and served in WWII. After his discharge, he went to work for the CAA/FAA at several locations. While in Hawaii he married and started his family.

Eugene retired from the FAA in Fremont and remained an active member of the VFW and NARFE for many years. Eugene loved watching his children grow up and he was very supportive of all their activities. He loved the game of golf and teaching and playing the sport with his family.



The family wishes to express their gratitude to Eugene's dedicated caregivers.

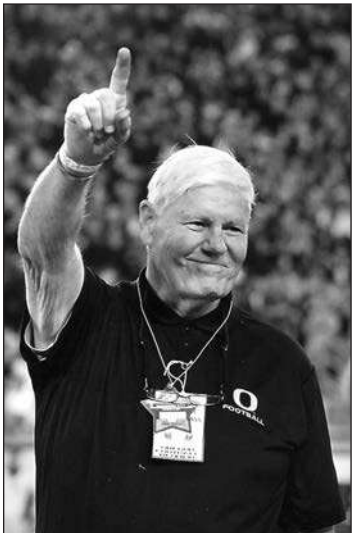
In lieu of flowers, memorials to your favorite charities.

A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, January 17, at 5:30 p.m. at Fremont Chapel of the Roses, 1940 Peralta Blvd. Eugene will be buried at San Joaquin Valley National Cemetery in Gustine, CA.

Obituary

JERRY STEPHEN (STEVE) BARNETT

1941 - 2018



Steve Barnett, engaged citizen, former NCAA wrestling champion, University of Oregon Duck, Chicago Bears NFL football player, and Rotarian passed away peacefully at his home in Danville, California on Tuesday, January 2. He was 76. The cause was congestive heart failure.

He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Lynn, his children Kelli Smith (Brant) and Elizabeth Barnett (Will) and his sisters Linda Swiger and Stephanie Barnett.

Steve was born in Sand Springs Oklahoma and came to Fremont California in 1950. He was a gifted athlete and became one of that city's most famous sports figures. While at Washington High School in the late 1950's, he played on Coach Bill Walsh's winning football team. The two created the famous "refrigerator play" where Steve, the offensive tackle, ran for touchdowns. Steve was also a champion high school and college wrestler and was awarded athlete-scholar-citizen awards in both high school and college.

While at the University of Oregon he was both a First Team Academic All-American and First Team Football All-American, voted All Conference three times, tapped for the Honor Society of Friars, recipient of the Emerald Athletic Trophy, elected to the University's Senate, and played in the Hula Bowl, Liberty Bowl and East West Shrine Game. As an All-American, Steve met President John F. Kennedy, who asked him to play on his Hyannis Port football team. Steve was inducted in the State of Oregon's Sports Hall of Fame in 1980 and into the University of Oregon's Sports Hall of Fame in 2000.

In 1963, the Chicago Bears selected Steve in the second round of the NFL Draft. That was the year the Bears won the Super Bowl, then known as the World Championship. Steve also

played for the Washington Redskins for one year.

Back in Fremont, Steve joined Sunnyvale's Barnes Hind Pharmaceutical Company as a sales manager. After his retirement, he made the Bay Area community's life richer with his many volunteer activities. Notably the Niles Rotary Club, in which he was an active member and Club President. Steve mediated landlord tenant disputes for Alameda County. He was a member of the Contra Costa County Grand Jury that published an influential report on cleaning up the San Joaquin delta. He also worked with the Danville Police Department as a "VIP" (Volunteer in Policing) and, in 2014, was awarded "Volunteer of the Year."

As a minister for 33 years, Steve has married many couples and they all cited his warmth and his open heartedness as the thing that made the ceremony special.

Steve will be greatly missed by family and friends. He managed to look like the Mayor of every city he happened to be in with his handsome shock of white hair, his penetrating blue eyes and his commanding voice and presence. His kindness in the community is legend and he rushed to help those in need and was always there to listen and to assist. He was also known for his sense of humor and the heartiest and most heartfelt of laughs. He loved to play bridge, bocci ball, and just about any other game. Playing cards with him was an adventure all in itself.

Steve was known as "Captain" to all the young people in his life; "The Bear" at the University of Oregon; "Partner" at the Bridge table; Steve-A-Rino in his amateur theater group; Daddy-O at home; and My Friend to so many.

Like Vince Lombardi's Green Bay Packers, Steve never lost a game. He just ran out of time.

A memorial service and reception to honor Steve Barnett's life will take place on Sunday, January 28 at 1:00 p.m. at the Round Hill Country Club, 3169 Roundhill Road, Alamo, 94507, Telephone: (925) 934-8211. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Steve & Lynn Barnett Scholarship c/o Fremont Bank 210A Railroad Avenue, Danville, CA 94526. The Steve & Lynn Barnett Scholarship funds scholastic pursuits for Washington High School students who are outstanding athlete-scholar-citizens.

Obituary

Ann Mary Ledesma

Resident of Hercules

February 28, 1924 – January 8, 2018



unless you ate something. She welcomed everyone with hugs and smiles.

Ann was predeceased by her husband Delfino, her parents Petra & Esteban Orta, siblings Hope, Beatrice, Christina, Ester, Raymond, Albert, & Lawrence, Arthur and grandson Robert.

She is survived by her son Gabriel Ledesma and wife Patti of Fremont, Ca , daughter Cindy Miranda of Oakland, Ca, 7 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at Fremont Memorial Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd., Fremont, Ca., with visitation on Tuesday, January 16th from 5:00-8:00 p.m. with a Vigil at 5:30 p.m. Mass will be held at St. Edwards Church, 5788 Thornton Avenue, Newark, Ca., Wednesday, January 17th at 10:30 a.m., Burial to follow at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, 26320 Mission Blvd., Hayward.

Fremont Memorial Chapel
510-793-8900

Obituary

Michael Tucker

Resident of Fremont

March 21, 1964 ~ January 12, 2018

Michael Tucker passed away at home on January 12, 2018 at the age of 53 in Fremont, California. He valiantly fought a 9 month battle with cancer.

Mike was preceded in death by his father, Paul. Mike is survived by his devoted wife Deborah and son Joshua; parents Diane and Tom Hart; sister Karyn Patterson and her husband Jim and their sons Jimmy and Michael; mother-in-law Donna Stahulak; sister-in-law Diane Stahulak and her son Michael; and many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews in a wonderfully blended family.

Martial Arts were important in Mike's life with disciplines as varied as Judo, Jujitsu, Tae Kwon Do, Bokendo, combat knife fighting, and Krav Maga. Although he was proud of his personal accomplishments with his Shodan and Rokudan ranks, and Sensei and Professor Titles, he took even greater pleasure in teaching, including promoting nine black belts. He honored

those who had taught and sparred with him by passing on that knowledge to the next generation.

Mike's love of American muscle machinery, craft beers, and good tequila took him on many fun adventures. He showed his red, 1967 Ford Galaxie in several Good Guys car shows. He celebrated his 40th driving a formula car on a race track, his 45th crewing on a steam locomotive through the Santa Cruz mountains, and his 50th piloting a 1942 North American SNJ-4 Texan over the Sonoma wine country. He was dedicated to the hunt for new craft beers and tequilas with his wife (part of his marriage vows). He grew up in a military family and traveled to many foreign countries and grew to love Cabo San Lucas as his favorite vacation spot, making many lifelong friends there.

Mike was President/CEO of his own company, Alpha Sciences Inc., since 1999 and had



customers all over the world.

Services will be held Sunday, 1/21/18, 4pm at Fremont Memorial Chapel 3723 Peralta Blvd., Fremont; Reception to follow. If you wish to donate to a cause instead of sending flowers, he had a special place in his heart for the CHP 11-99 Foundation (<https://chp11-99.org/>) and was a member for many years. Or you can donate to pancreatic cancer research at <https://www.pancan.org/>.

Fremont Memorial Chapel
510-793-8900

Obituary

Gilbert Daniel Orozco

Resident of Union City

April 3, 1955 ~ January 9, 2018



Gilbert D. Orozco, Gibby lost his battle with a chronic illness

and has moved on to heaven with his devoted family at his bedside. He will be missed but we all know that we will see him in the future and he will be in our hearts always. He is survived by his son Thomas, his parents Gilbert and Paula, and brothers, Larry, James, Jeffrey, God Daughter, Jennifer, Nephews and Nieces.

As a Father, he had spent quality time with his son. They had spent their time Tournament Fishing, Rocketeering, and Fluorescent Mineral Collecting and Displaying. Gil and Thomas were always on the hunt for great culinary experiences. Gibby

supported his son's saxophone endeavors like no one other.

He was an Aerospace CAD designer and also worked in property management. His personal hobbies included collecting and selling Filmore Art Rock Handbills, N-Scale Trains and most recently Antique Bitters Bottles.

Funeral Mass will be held Friday, January 19 at 12:00 P.M. at Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Church, 703 C Street, Union City, CA.

Fremont Chapel of the Roses
510-797-1900

Obituary

James Edwin Taplin

James Edwin Taplin, 85, died January 10, 2018 in Maricopa AZ. He was born to Wyon and Doris Wheeler Taplin in Richland NY.

He served during the Korean conflict in the Airforce as a Radar Mechanic.

He was a life long member of Boy Scouts of America. He was an active member of Neighborhood Watch in Newark CA where he lived for more than 50 years, and worked for several years as a Crossing Guard

keeping Newark's children safe going to and from school.

He was a licensed small plane pilot, and enjoyed many trips cross country to visit family members in other states as well as short flights for pleasure whenever he had the opportunity.

He is survived by his wife Mona Tilkins Taplin. They celebrated their 63rd Anniversary on January 1, 2018. Also surviving is daughter Dorothy Bollea(Robert) of Maricopa AZ,

3 grand children, 9 gr grandchildren, 4 gr.gr. grandchildren, brother Francis Taplin (Sharon) of Pulaski NY, sister Varda Teska of Pulaski NY, and sister Marietta of Rome NY. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

He will be buried in Hayward CA in the Chapel Of Chimes Cemetery.

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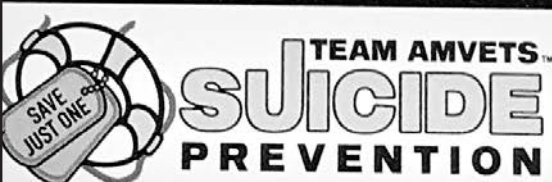


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Fremont Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
GENEVA BOSQUES, FREMONT PD

Friday, Jan. 5

At 12:16 p.m. officers were dispatched to a theft at the McDonald's on Fremont Boulevard near Mowry Avenue. A witness told officers that the suspect had stolen money out of a customer's purse. Officers contacted the 36-year-old suspect nearby and noted that she may have been under the influence of drugs or alcohol. As she was placed in the backseat of a patrol car, she spat on one of the officers. She was arrested on suspicion of battery on a peace officer, possession of drug paraphernalia, drunk in public/disorderly conduct and a probation violation. She was taken to Santa Rita Jail.

Saturday, Jan. 6

Officers Gonzales and San Luis were dispatched to a residence after dispatchers received a call with a woman screaming into the phone. Two officers arrived and saw through the door a female holding a phone in one hand and a pile of clothing in the other. She dropped the phone and produced a knife which she waved at officers. Both officers stepped back, and one deployed a Taser prompting the suspect to drop the knife and allow officers to place her in handcuffs. Nearby, officers found a female family member suffering from a non-life-threatening knife wound. She was taken to a local trauma center for treatment. The suspect was taken to a hospital for medical treatment while on a mental health evaluation hold. Criminal charges will be sought when she released.

Sunday, Jan. 7

At 7:30 a.m. officers responded to the 38300 block of Redwood Terrace regarding a male standing outside exposing himself. Officers arrived and found the male. Upon learning his identify, police found an active arrest warrant for the suspect on a drug charge. The 55-year-old man was arrested and taken to Santa Rita Jail.

At 4:11 p.m. a man called dispatch to report he just used his security camera app and saw a male take a package from his front porch in the 34800 block of Canopy Terrace. The suspect was leaving on a bicycle. Sgt. Ehling located the suspect riding a bicycle southbound on Fremont Boulevard near Cresco. When.

Ehling tried to contact the suspect near Dino's restaurant rear parking lot, the suspect unsuccessfully attempted to jump a wall, then was surrounded by patrol units. The stolen property was recovered and the 43-year-old suspect and was booked into Santa Rita Jail. The case was documented by Officer Calvin and Field Training Officer Perry.

At 7:23 p.m. officers were dispatched to the 47500 block of Westinghouse on the report of a shooting. The witness reported two vehicles driving side by side and shooting at each other multiple times on Westinghouse Drive. The vehicles were described as a white Ford Econoline van and a lifted black Toyota Tacoma. When officers arrived both vehicles are gone. They were last seen driving eastbound on Fourier Avenue toward Warm Springs Boulevard. A search of the area found .380 and .45 casings in the roadway, but no damage to property. Local hospitals were notified, but no victims have been located. Additional follow up is being conducted for video in the area. The case was documented by Officer Gigliotti.

Monday, Jan. 8

At 10:42 a.m. officers responded to an attempted residential burglary that on Lowry Road. The victim said two suspects had attempted to kick open his front door. The victim yelled at the suspect who immediately ran away. The victim heard a vehicle leave and believed suspects were in the vehicle. Further investigation revealed that prior to the two suspects kicking the front door, a female had come knocking at the front door. The victim did not answer the door at that time. The female who knocked on the door was described as a white adult with long dark hair in a bun and wearing a sweater. The two suspects who kicked the front door were described as unknown race males, 16 to 18-years-old, wearing a light blue hoodie and a grey hoodie. The case was investigated by Officer Balcorta and Field Training Officer Singh.

Officers responded to a non-injury hit and run incident with a suspect driving a red Dodge Durango, colliding with a big rig at the intersection of Mowry Avenue and Fremont Boulevard. The suspect fled on foot into The Hub shopping center and was not found. He left behind an adult female in the passenger seat. Officers attempted to speak to her to ascertain who was driving the vehicle; however,

she was extremely intoxicated and wouldn't answer questions. She was taken to a hospital as a precaution. The suspect was described as a white male, 20 to 30-years old, heavy set, and last seen wearing a white T-shirt and a baseball cap This incident was upgraded to a felony hit and run when the big rig driver complained of minor injuries. This case is still under investigation.

Tuesday, Jan. 9

A female victim was inside the Starbucks in the 5300 Block of Mowry Avenue at approximately 6 p.m. when a male walked into the store and grabbed her MacBook laptop computer. The suspect fled on foot. A witness saw the suspect get into a dark colored vehicle. Officer Vucurevich is following up with Starbucks for surveillance video. The suspect is described as a white man in his 20s with a scruffy beard and last seen wearing a red snapback hat, black sweatshirt and dark colored pants.

At 10:00 p.m. a female suspect approached a man outside of Slap Face Coffee and Tea at the corner of Peralta and Fremont Boulevards and robbed him of his wallet. The man ran into the coffee shop and asked employees to call the police. When officers arrived, they learned the female suspect had been in the coffee shop and had taken two bags of coffee and a small decorative skull. She dropped the bags of coffee as she exited. Officers checked the area and found the suspect in the bushes nearby. The 53-year-old woman was arrested and booked at Santa Rita Jail. During the booking process, the victim's wallet and the decorative skull were found. Case investigated by Officer Sun.

At 10:56 p.m. the manager at the Century Theaters at Pacific Commons saw an intoxicated man carrying what was believed to be a firearm in his pocket. The manager notified a security guard who confronted the man. The man said that the gun was fake and pulled it out and said he was upset that he was able to enter the theaters with two firearms, sit through a movie, and walk out without being detained by security. Officers responded and contacted the 54-year-old man and took him into custody for brandishing a replica firearm. He was found to have two replica handguns with him. Case investigated by Officer Latimer.

Union City Police Log

SUBMITTED BY LT. MATIAS PARDO,
UNION CITY PD

Monday, Jan. 1

During a 10:45 a.m. security check at Seven Hills Park on Florence Street, Officer Olson contacted two men and conducted a consensual check of their vehicle. Inside he found a concealed and loaded revolver. Union City residents Jose Sanchez Chaidez, 20, and Carla Castro Garcia, 19, were arrested for carrying a loaded firearm in a public place.

At around 9 p.m. Officer Stange was dispatched to the 32400 block of Ithaca Street on the report of a person brandishing a gun. The victim said he was putting items in his vehicle when a silver Mercedes C300 sedan pulled up next to him, and the passenger pointed a handgun at him. The victim ran inside his house, and the vehicle sped away. The suspect was described as an

Asian man, 18-19-years-old, clean shaven with a thin build.

Thursday, Jan. 4

At around 9:10 p.m. Officer Bedford located a stolen vehicle parked in the 30000 block of Industrial Parkway. The driver and sole occupant fled on foot, but was apprehended. Rene Cambaros, 30, of Oakland, was arrested on suspicion of vehicle theft, resisting arrest, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Friday, Jan. 5

At around 1:10 p.m., officers were dispatched to the 30300 block of Whipple Road on the report of an employee threatening a coworker with a knife. Diego Mas, 34, of Union City, was arrested on suspicion of assault with a deadly weapon.

Saturday, Jan. 6

At around 12:10 a.m. Officer Mangan was dispatched to the 1500 block of Decoto Road on the report of an armed robbery. The victim said he was walking through the parking lot when two suspects asked him for the time. When he looked at his phone to check the time, one of

the suspects pointed a black handgun at him and demanded his phone and wallet. Both suspects fled on foot. Both were described as black males, between 18 and 22-years-old with thin builds. One suspect was between 5-feet-10 and 6-feet-1-inches tall, the second subject was between 5-feet-5 and 5-feet-7-inches tall.

At around 9 a.m. officers were dispatched to the 2100 block of Decoto Road to investigate a report of a person sleeping inside a vacant apartment. Anthony Pepito, 44, of Union City, was arrested on suspicion of trespassing, resisting arrest, the misappropriation of found property, and the possession of drug paraphernalia.

At around 6:40 p.m. Officer Sears made a traffic stop in the 900 block of Whipple Road. The vehicle turned out to be an unreported stolen vehicle out of Hayward. A search of the vehicle turned up shaved keys and other burglary tools. Tyler Sproge, 29, of Union City, was arrested on suspicion of vehicle theft, the possession of burglary tools, and driving without a license.

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CITY OF FREMONT
HISTORICAL ARCHITECTURAL
REVIEW BOARD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE HISTORICAL ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW BOARD (HARB) OF THE CITY OF FREMONT WILL HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON THE FOLLOWING PROPOSALS. SAID PUBLIC HEARINGS WILL BE HELD AT 6:30 P.M., ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2018, AT THE CITY OF FREMONT, NILES CONFERENCE ROOM, 39550 LIBERTY STREET, FREMONT, CALIFORNIA, AT WHICH TIME ANY AND ALL INTERESTED PERSONS MAY APPEAR AND BE HEARD.

NGUYEN ADDITION - 37658 FREMONT BOULEVARD - PLN2017-00367 - To consider Historical Architectural Review of a proposed addition to an existing single-family residence previously determined to be eligible for the California Register of Historical Resources located at 37658 Fremont Boulevard in the Centerville Community Plan Area, and to consider a categorical exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per CEQA Guidelines Sections 15301, Existing Facilities, and 15331, Historical Resource Restoration/Rehabilitation. Project Planner - Wayland Li, (510) 494-4453, wli@fremont.gov

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CNS-3089222#

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG18888349
Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Alexia Carrelthurs Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Alexia Carrelthurs filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Alexia Carrelthurs to Alexia Nakahira
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: 3-2-2018, 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: Whats Happenings Tri City Voice - Fremont
Date: Jan 09 2018
Morris D. Jacobson
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
1/16, 1/23, 1/30, 2/6/18

CNS-3088758#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG17886513
Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Charito Sullivan for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Charito Sullivan filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Charito Alcantara Sullivan to Charito Alcantara Dodd
The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
Notice of Hearing:
Date: 2-9-18, Time: 11:30 AM, Dept.: 24
The address of the court is 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: Tri City Voice
Date: Dec 19 2017
Morris D. Jacobson
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
1/2, 1/9, 1/16, 1/23/18

CNS-3085452#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
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NAME STATEMENT

File No. 539181
Fictitious Business Name(s):
I/BrowsbyKN, 43473 Bossell Road, Ste. 8, Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Mailing address: 2151 Oakland Rd. #60, San Jose, CA 95131
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/ Philip Ngo, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on December 26, 2017
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). 1/16, 1/23, 1/30, 2/6/18

CNS-3089713#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 539768
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Baskets on a Budget, 648 Celia St., Hayward, CA 94544, County of Alameda
Mailing address: P.O. Box 211, Hayward, CA 94557
Registrant(s):
Kathleen Merrill, 648 Celia St., Hayward, CA 94544
Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 2-1-18
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/ Kathleen Merrill, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on January 10, 2018
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CNS-3089633#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 539392
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Aman's Auto Smog Repair & Muffler, 37900 Cedar Blvd Unit A & B, Newark, CA 94560, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Denson Chandra, 37555 Glenmoor Dr Unit B, Fremont, CA 94560
Business conducted by: An Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 01/02/18
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/ Denson Chandra, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on January 2, 2018
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CNS-3089621#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 539245
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Sugar, A Kiss From God, 869 Hancock St #712, Hayward, CA 94544, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Latoya Combs, 869 Hancock St #712, Hayward, CA 94544
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/ Latoya Combs, Owner / Founder
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on December 27, 2017
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 539483
Fictitious Business Name(s):
K & Y Taxes, 7871 Inverness Drive, Newark CA 94560, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Martin Virelas, 7871 Inverness Drive, Newark CA 94560
Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 1/1/2018
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/ Martin Virelas, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on January 3, 2018
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). 1/9, 1/16, 1/23, 1/30/18

CNS-3087141#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 538933
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Oral Care Associates, 39350 Civic Center Dr #320, Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Dale H. Minkin, DDS, 485 Ferne Ave, Palo Alto, CA 94306
Business conducted by: An Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 6-4-97
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/ Dale H. Minkin, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on December 14, 2017
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.
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CNS-3086656#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 539406
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Baz Trucking, 39114 Sundale Dr., #D, Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Kamaldeep Singh Bajwa, 39114 Sundale Dr., #D, Fremont, CA 94538
Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 01-02-2018
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/ Kamaldeep Singh Bajwa, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on January 2, 2018
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of

Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). 1/9, 1/16, 1/23, 1/30/18

CNS-3086326#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 539317
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Eiman's Auto Repair & Repair, 41527 Albrae St., Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda; Mailing Address: 39370 Civic Center Dr., #527, Fremont, CA 94538
Registrant(s):
Fazila Otmanzai, 39370 Civic Center Dr., #527, Fremont, CA 94538
Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Fazila Otmanzai, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on December 28, 2017
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.
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CNS-3086325#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 539352-53
Fictitious Business Name(s):
(1) California Towing, (2) California Towing & Transport, 3245 Baylis St., Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Ulsmaan Ali, 3245 Baylis St., Fremont, CA 94538
Jahangir Khan, 2442 Tammy Ct., San Jose, CA 93116
Business conducted by: a general partnership
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Usmaan Ali, General Partner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on December 29, 2017
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.
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CNS-3085966#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 538981
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Gurt's Race Day Trane, 630 Verano Terrace, Fremont, CA 94539, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Kanwaljit Singh, 630 Verano Terrace, Fremont, CA 94539
Navjot Singh, 630 Verano Terrace, Fremont, CA 94539
Business conducted by: a General Partnership
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Kanwaljit Singh, General Partners
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on December 15, 2017
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.
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CNS-3085775#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 539190-9
Fictitious Business Name(s):
1) Parmendes Consulting Group, 2) United Coaching Services, 3) Parmendes Consulting, 4135 Stanley Blvd., Pleasanton, CA 94566, County of Alameda
Mailing Address: 4135 Stanley Blvd., Pleasanton, CA 94566
Registrant(s):
Hamidreza Gharib, 4135 Stanley Blvd., Pleasanton, CA 94566
Business conducted by: An Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 4/7/2011
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Hamidreza Gharib, Founder/Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on December 26, 2017
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.
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CNS-3084989#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 539077
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Sneh Trucking, 27223 Sleepy Hollow Ave., Apt. 202, Hayward, CA 94545, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Kuldip Singh, 27223 Sleepy Hollow Ave., Apt. 202, Hayward, CA 94545
Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on n/a I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Kuldip Singh, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on December 9, 2017
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be

filed before the expiration.
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CNS-3082977#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 538982
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Elite Performance Gym, 3755 Washington Blvd., Suite 201B, Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda; Mailing Address: 2933 Santos Lane, Apt #1923, Walnut Creek, CA 94597
Registrant(s):
Ellie Performance LLC, 3755 Washington Blvd., Suite 201B, Fremont, CA 94538; California Business conducted by: a Limited Liability Company
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Kevin Guevara, Managing Member
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on December 15, 2017
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CNS-3082865#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 538372
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Gubbi Cinema, 32670 Shaver Lake St., Fremont, CA 94555, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Sachin Pattanshetty, 32670 Shaver Lake St., Fremont, CA 94555
Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 1/1/2013
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Sachin Pattanshetty, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on November 30, 2017
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.
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CNS-3082108#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 538869
Fictitious Business Name(s):
QuiQ Auto Glass, 25800 Industrial Blvd., #CC2332, Hayward, CA 94845, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Maiwand Mrowat, 25800 Industrial Blvd., #CC2332, Hayward, CA 94845
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/ Maiwand Mrowat
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on December 12, 2017
NOTICE: In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a fictitious name statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in office of the county clerk, except, as provided in subdivision (b) of Section 17920, where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before the expiration.
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CNS-3081872#

GOVERNMENT

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF PUBLIC
HEARING

AMENDMENT TO MASTER FEE SCHEDULE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Newark hereby cancels a previously noticed public hearing for an amendment to the Master Fee Schedule. The hearing, originally scheduled for January 25, 2018, was to consider fees related to Waivers and a Minor Use Permit. A new federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code). 12/26/17, 1/2, 1/9, 1/16/18

SHEILA HARRINGTON
City Clerk

1/16/18

CNS-3089390#

ORDINANCE NO. 848-17

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNION CITY APPROVING ZONING MAP AMENDMENT, A-17-001, ASSOCIATED WITH GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT, AG-17-001, SITE DEVELOPMENT REVIEW, SD-17-001, AND USE PERMIT, UP-17-003 TO CONSTRUCT ANES OPERATE AN APPROXIMATELY 15,707 SQUARE FOOT FAITH-BASED FACILITY AND ASSOCIATED SITE IMPROVEMENTS AT 31252 VEASY STREET (APN 482-27-4-3)
The above entitled ordinance was adopted by the City Council on January 9, 2018. This abbreviated notice is published in lieu of the full text of the ordinance. A copy of the full text of the ordinance, as it was adopted and adopted on January 9, 2018 is available on the City's website at: <http://if2.unioncity.org/webblink/0/fo/112/Row1.aspx>. A copy of the full text of the ordinance is also available at the Office of the City Clerk, 34009 Alvarado-Niles Road, Union City, California, during normal business hours. The City Clerk can be reached by phone at 510-675-5348 if you desire a copy of the full text of the ordinance sent to you via email or by first class mail.
PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Union City at a regular meeting held on November 28, 2017 by the following vote:
YES: Councilmember Gacoscos, Duncan, Singh, Vice Mayor Ellis, Mayor Dutra-Vernaci
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAIN: None
APPROVED: /s/ Carol Dutra-Vernaci CAROL DUTRA-VERNACI, Mayor ATTEST: /s/ Anna M. Brown ANNA M. BROWN, City Clerk APPROVED AS TO FORM: /s/ Kristopher J. Kokotaylo KRISTOPHER J. KOKOTAYLO, Interim City Attorney 1/16/18

CNS-3089151#

PROBATE

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SELL REAL
PROPERTY AT PUBLIC SALE

(Probate Court 10300, 10304)
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ALAMEDA

Case No. RP16802219

Estate of Jack R. McDaniel, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT: Subject to court confirmation by the above-entitled Superior Court, on or after February 20 2018 at 9:30 AM in Department 201 or thereafter within the time allowed by law, the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of Jack R. McDaniel, will sell at a private sale to the highest and best net bidder on the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned all right, title, and interest of said Decedent, in the real property located at the address commonly known as 36940 Olive Street and 36944 Olive Street, and more particularly described as follows: Lot 23 of Block 23, Northeast of the Southern Pacific Railroad Tracks, According to "Map of the Town of Newark, Alameda County, California", filed May 6, 1878 in the Office of the County Recorder of Alameda County and of Record in Map Book 17, Page 10, APN 92-30-20-03 The sale is subject to current taxes, covenants, conditions, restrictions, reservations, rights, rights-of-way, easements of record, and any other matters that may be satisfied out of the purchase price. The property is to be sold on an 'as is' basis, except as to title. Bids or offers are invited for this property, and must be in writing and may be received at the offices of NORTON BASU LLP, attorneys for the personal representative, at 5201 Great America Parkway, Suite 320, Santa Clara, California 95054, or may be filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court, or may be delivered to Josanne Dolley, Administrator, 2055 Blue Boy Lane, Reno, NV 89521, at any time after first publication of this notice, and before making said sale. Any person interested in bidding on the subject property must appear at the time and date set forth above, and must comply with the terms set forth below. The property will be sold on the following terms: 1. This is an all cash sale to the decedent's estate. 2. Seller is the court-appointed fiduciary under Alameda County Superior Court No. RP16802219. As the court-appointed fiduciary for this estate, Seller has full information concerning the property, and, therefore, the property is sold in its present condition based solely upon Buyer's independent investigation and knowledge and information supplied by the Buyer's agents or representatives, excluding any agent or representative of the Buyer. The Seller makes no warranties, guarantees or representations concerning the property, its condition, usage, or suitability for any use or purpose whatsoever. The property is sold in its 'as-is' condition and the Buyer is Solely responsible for any and all conditions of the property. Similarly, all personal property, improvements and fixtures, if any, included in this sale are bought in their 'as-is' condition, with no representations or warranties whatsoever by Seller or her agents. 3. Escrow shall be opened at Old Republic Title Company, 20980 Redwood Road, Suite 160, Castro Valley, CA 94546. 4. Escrow shall close within 10

CNS-3083627#

At 2:10 p.m. Officer Allum investigated a three-vehicle accident on Mowry Avenue and Interstate 880.

COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD

Let’s Do Lunch! Volunteer for LIFE ElderCare – Meals on Wheels Mon – Fri, 10:30-12:30 Choose your day(s) Call Tammy 510-574-2086 tduran@fremont.gov www.LifeElderCare.org	Afro-American Cultural & Historical Society, Inc. Sharing ur culture and history in the Tri-Cities and surrounding area Meetings: Third Saturday Except Dec & Feb 5:30pm Newark Library 510-793-8181 www.aachstricity.org We welcome all new members	FREMONT COIN CLUB Established 1971 Meets 2nd & 4th Tues 7pm At the Fremont Elks Lodge 38991 Farwell Dr., Fremont All are welcome, come join us www.fremontcoinclub.org 510-792-1511	10 lines/\$10/ 10 Weeks \$50/Year 510-494-1999 tricityvoice@aol.com Shout out to your community Our readers can post information including: Activities Announcements For sale Garage sales Group meetings Lost and found For the extremely low cost of \$10 for up to 10 weeks, your message will reach thousands of friends and neighbors every TUESDAY in the TCV printed version and continuously online. TCV has the right to reject any posting to the Community Bulletin Board. Payment must be received in advance.		Payment is for one posting only. Any change will be considered a new posting and incur a new fee. The “NO” List: • No commercial announcements, services or sales • No personal services (escort services, dating services, etc.) • No sale items over \$100 value • No automobile or real estate sales • No animal sales (non-profit humane organization adoptions accepted) • No P.O. boxes unless physical address is verified by TCV
League of Women Voters Fremont-Newark-Union City www.lwvfnuc.org Free meetings to inform the public about local, regional and statewide policy issues. Participate in non-partisan in-depth, discussions with guest speakers at our meetings. All sites are wheelchair accessible	TRI-CITY DEMOCRATIC FORUM MEETING Every Third Wednesday 7:00 pm Chandni Restaurant 5748 Mowry School Rd Newark, CA 94560 http://www.tricitydems.com/	Tri-City Society of Model Engineers The TCSME located in Niles Plaza is currently looking for new members to help build & operate an N Scale HO layout focused on Fremont & surrounding areas. We meet Fridays 7:30-9:30pm. Please visit our web site: www.nilesdepot.org			
Make a senior’s life a bit easier Volunteer for LIFE ElderCare – VIP Rides Drive seniors to appts/errands Flexible weekday scheduling Call Valerie 510-574-2096 vdraeseke@fremont.gov www.LifeElderCare.org	American Assoc. of University Women Fremont Branch Advances equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research. to join or for more information: fremont-ca.aauw.net	ABWA-Pathfinder Chap. American Business Women’s Assoc. provides opportunities for women personally & professionally thru leadership, education, networking Dinner Meetings: 3rd Wednesday each month. DoubleTree 39900 Balentine Dr, Newark (Fremont): 6:30-9:00 pm Call Harriet 510-793-7465 www.abwa-pathfinder.org	FREE AIRPLANE RIDES FOR KIDS AGES 8-17 Young Eagles Hayward Airport Various Saturdays www.vaa29.org Email for more information youngeagles29@aol.com		
Fremont Cribbage Club teaches cribbage to new players & tournament cribbage to all players of any skill level every Tues. 6:15pm at Round Table Pizza 37480 Fremont Blvd., Centerville Email:Accgr43@gmail.com American Cribbage Congress www.cribbage.org	Is food a problem? Try Overeaters Anonymous Mon 7 PM & Wed 7 PM St. James Episcopal Church 37051 Cabrillo Terr., Fremont Sat 10:30 AM No dues or fees All are welcome! First Presbyterian Church 35450 Newark Blvd., Newark www.oasaco.org				
FREMONT STAMP CLUB SINCE 1978 Meets 2nd Thurs. each month 7pm Cultural Arts Center 3375 Country Dr., Fremont Everyone is welcome. Beginners to Advanced. For questions or more information: www.fremontstampclub.org/ or call Dave: 510-487-5288	Do you get nervous when you have to speak in public? Newark Toastmasters can help Learn this skill and more in a supportive atmosphere It’s FREE to attend Tue 7am - 8:10am @ Newark Library, 6300 Civic Terrace Ave 510-402-8318 or 510-796-3562 www.1118.toastmastersclubs.org	F.U.N. (Fremont, Union City, Newark) PROGRESSIVES Join us for pizza and politics Bronco Billy’s Pizza 41200 Blacow Road Fremont Most meetings 6pm - third Sun of the month. For Info Visit our website: www.funprogressives.com Contact us at: funprogressives@gmail.com	A-1 Comm. Housing Svcs 1st Time Home Buyers Workshop Learn the process of homeownership Down Payment Assistance Every 3rd Sat. 10am-1pm 22693 Hesperian Blvd. #150 Hayward, CA 94541 Register: www.a1chs.org Call: 510-674-9227		
Shinn House Mission Peak Heritage Foundation 1269 Peralta Blvd. Fremont Docents & Volunteers needed for Various Activities throughout the year. Free professional Docent Training. Please contact: Joan Serafino 510-795-0891			Supporting the Fremont Symphony Orchestra for 50 years! FREMONT SYMPHONY GUILD To learn more about this group of music-lovers call 510-673-0085 or email blgorsuch@att.net		
TRI-CITIES WOMEN'S CLUB Meets on the third Tuesday Elk’s Club on Farwell Drive 9:15 – Cards & Games 11:45 – Lunch 1:00 – Program & Meeting Group meeting monthly/bimonthly; marathon bridge, walking group, lunch bunch,rummikub group, pinochle group, bocce ball & book club. For more info, call 510-656-0162	St Vincent de Paul Thrift Store 3777 Decoto Road Fremont DONATIONS: Tues. - Sun. 10AM- 4:30 PM Clean, lightly used clothing. House-hold & furniture. No electronics or e-waste. VOLUNTEERS: Individuals & groups! COMMUNITY SPACE Call for info 510-792-3711 Fremont@svdp-alameda.org		SONS OF ITALY Social Club for Italians And Friends 1st Friday of month (No meetings July/Aug/Dec) 5:30 social hour 6:30 potluck dinner (\$5) Newark Pavilion - Bld. 2 (Thornton Blvd. & Cherry Blvd., Newark) Info: Gina 510-943-7403 www.giuseppemazzini.org	Pac Christi A non-violent peace movement with study and action Free meetings the 1st & 3rd Thursday each month 4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. (510) 862-2953 marykatesherbs@gmail.com	
Scholarships for Women Our Fremont PEO chapter sponsors scholarships for women entering college, earning another degree, or returning to school after 2+ years. Low interest education loans. Apply online for these: www.peocalifornia.org wordsmitt65@gmail.com for more info	Are You Troubled By Someone's Drinking? Al-Anon and Alateen are here to help. Al-Anon has but one purpose: to help families of alcoholics. We share our experience, strength, and hope. www.ncwsa.org for a meeting near you, or call 510-276-2270, or email Easydudz@gmail.com		Students Looking for Scholarship Money? Enter Newark Optimist Essay Contest Topic: “Can Society Function Without Respect?” to enter: www.optimist.org January 26, 2018 Deadline Mail to: Newark Optimist Club PO Box 402 Newark CA 94560	Little Lamb Preschool Open House Sat. March 3 Drop-in Between 9-12pm Refreshments Meet the Teachers Visit the Classrooms Registration Info Available www.littlelambpreschoolbcc.org	
Men's Prostate Group Join us for monthly support group We discuss treatment options, medical break-throughs, and have informed speakers. Meet at 6:30pm 2nd Tuesday of the month St. Rose Hospital, Room B2, 27190 Calaroga Ave. Hayward. Call Lonnie Silva for info 510-783-5121	Soiree Seniors For People Over 60 Many Activities Potluck Dinners, Dancing, TGIF's, Birthdays and more Call Dianne for information (510) 581-9008	Fremont Garden Club Join enthusiasts from Tri-City area Meets Feb. - Oct. 3rd Wednesday of the month at various locations Social time: 6:15 pm Presentation: 7-8:30 pm Annual dues: \$30 indi, \$50 couples Call Lynn: 510-604-8206 www.fremontgardenclub.org		Fremont Youth Symphony Orchestra Apply online for Audition http://fremontsymphony.org New Season starts on 9/11/17 Monday Rehearsals, 4pm-7pm First United Methodist Church 2950 Washington Blvd, Fremont youth@fremontsymphony.org or call (510) 936-0570	
	SparkPoint Financial Servicesfor Low-Income Residents FREE financial services & coaching. SparkPoint Info Session 3rd Thursday, 6-7pm City of Fremont Family Resource Center To register, call 574-2020. Fremont.gov/SparkPointFRC				

Pint-Size Dynamo

Exploring the Life of Elizabeth Lowrie



SUBMITTED BY THE
WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP
MUSEUM OF LOCAL
HISTORY

Elizabeth Lowrie was born in Newark in 1880 to a local pioneer family and went on to become one of Irvington’s first librarians, serving for 30 years from 1938 – 1962. Her father came to Washington Township in 1853 and worked as a farmer on the Brown Ranch in Newark.

In 1971 describing herself as “tougher than a boiled owl”, she was the last member of her family in Washington Township. She was an avid storyteller and collector of many things, including Native American artifacts, butterflies and moths, and over 1500 decorative and



political buttons. On Monday, January 22, join us to learn more about this lively pioneer woman from early Washington Township (Fremont, Newark and Union City). You will hear some of her memories of early days in the area, view photos from her personal albums and discuss her life and



collections.

The talk is co-sponsored by the Washington Township Museum of Local History and the Washington Township Historical Society and will begin at 7:15 p.m. at the museum, 190 Anza Street in Fremont. The speaker will be Patricia Schaffarczyk.

A display on the same topic will be on view at both the Washington Township Museum of Local History and the Fremont Main Library, Maurice Marks Center for Local and California History (2400 Stevenson Blvd, 2nd floor) from January 11 through March 31.

**Pint-Size Dynamo:
Elizabeth Lowrie
Monday, Jan 22
7:15 p.m.**

**Washington Township
Museum of Local History
190 Anza St, Fremont
(510) 623-7907
Free
(Donations gladly accepted)**

Fremont student to intern for the Olympics

SUBMITTED BY
BRADLEY UNIVERSITY

For the fourth consecutive time, Bradley University (Peoria, IL) students are part of a select group chosen to do production work for the Olympics. A total of 12 students are set to play a key role in the 2018 Pyeong Chang Games. Five of them will be stationed in South Korea and seven will go to NBC Sports Headquarters in Stamford, Connecticut.

Channing Whitaker, a junior Sports Communication major from Fremont, California, will be stationed in Stamford, Connecticut working behind the scenes of the Olympic Games. Students will assist with various production tasks during the three- to five-week program.

Dr. Paul Gullifor, former chairman and current professor in the Department of Communication at Bradley, spearheaded the partnership with NBC for the Olympics. “Our

students have demonstrated that they are among the best in the nation. This partnership with NBC provides our students an extraordinary opportunity to gain practical experience at a premiere worldwide sporting event.”

Previously, six Bradley students worked with NBC for the Rio Summer Games in 2016, 18 interned with NBC at the Sochi Winter Games in 2014, and 10 earned internships with NBC for the 2012 Summer Games in London.

The program is open to all schools and students across the nation; however, Bradley remains a top choice for selection. Only two other schools, Ithaca and Syracuse, have had more students participate than Bradley.

“This is the fourth consecutive Olympics that NBC has come to Bradley in search of student workers,” said Dr. Gullifor, “which shows how impressed they are with the talent and work ethic of the Bradley students.”

Story of stardom and struggles



SUBMITTED BY THE
NILES ESSANAY SILENT
FILM MUSEUM

The Niles Essanay Silent Film Museum presents “A Journey of Fame and Suffering, Perseverance and Dreaming” with a Sunday matinee program on January 21. The event will feature a PowerPoint presentation and book signing with Richard Schwartz, author of “The Man Who Lit Lady Liberty.”

“The Man Who Lit Lady Liberty” tells the amazing life story of immigrant actor M.B. Curtis. Curtis catapulted to stardom overnight in 1880 and was the first American Jewish actor to portray a Jewish character on stage, using his comedic talent to overcome common stereotypes and prejudices of the time. In gratitude for his life in America, he personally paid for the lighting of the Statue of Liberty for a time when Congress would not fund it.

Curtis then became a producer, real estate developer, promoter, hotelier, a pioneer in the silent film industry... and a murder suspect. What most defined him, however, was that he always followed his dreams even in the face of extreme adversity.

A story of both stardom and great personal struggles, this book rescues it all from the silent archives of forgotten history and shines a torch on an actor whose creativity and cultural influence still radiates invisibly today!

Richard Schwartz is a historian and author of “Eccentrics, Heroes and Cutthroats of Old Berkeley,” “Earthquake Exodus, 1906,” “Berkeley 1900,” and “The Circle of Stones.” “The Man Who Lit Lady Liberty” (April 2017) is his fifth book and was recently selected by the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences Margaret Herrick Library to be included in their collection.

For more information, please leave a message at (510) 494-1411 or email pr@nilesfilmmuseum.org. Email is preferred. Get tickets in advance through PayPal at <http://nilesfilmmuseum.org/>.

**Presentation on M.B. Curtis
Sunday, Jan 21
4 p.m.
Edison Theater
Niles Essanay Silent
Film Museum
37417 Niles Blvd, Fremont
(510) 494-1411
<http://nilesfilmmuseum.org/>
Tickets: \$7,
\$5 museum members**

Fremont News Briefs

SUBMITTED BY
CHERYL GOLDEN

Permitting Information Online

Fremont has launched a new online tool called “Citizen Access,” available at www.Fremont.gov/CitizenAccess. Using the City’s new Accela software, this tool allows community members to easily access multiple permitting services including looking up permit information on a specific property, requesting a building inspection, and submitting a code enforcement concern. With Citizen Access, residents can easily check on the status of a permit application with the record number or the property address. The tool also allows users to schedule a building inspection by creating an account, submit a code enforcement concern using the address of the violation, or look up the status of any record. The City will continue to implement and share updates on any additional online features as they become available.

Fremont commission and advisory board member positions open

Looking for a way to make a difference in the community? Consider serving as a commissioner or an advisory board member. The City of Fremont currently has vacancies on its Art Review Board, Economic Development Advisory Commission, Environmental Sustainability Commission, George W. Patterson House Advisory Board, Recreation Commission, Senior Citizens Commission, and Youth Advisory Commission.

Current board and commission vacancies include the following:

- Art Review Board: One vacancy. Term to expire December 31, 2021.
- Economic Development Advisory Commission: One vacancy, (commercial / industrial representative) Term to expire December 31, 2021.

- Environmental Sustainability Commission: One vacancy, (student representative) term to expire December 31, 2018.

- George W. Patterson House Advisory Board: Two vacancies, (at-large representative) term to expire December 31, 2021, (Recreation Commission representative), term to expire December 31, 2021

- Recreation Commission — One vacancy. Term to expire December 31, 2021

- Senior Citizens Commission — One vacancy. Term to expire December 31, 2021

- Youth Advisory Commission — One vacancy. Term to expire December 31, 2019

To download an Advisory Body application, visit www.Fremont.gov/Boardsand-Commissions and review the Resources section at the bottom of the page. You may also obtain an application from the City Clerk’s Office at 3300 Capitol Ave., Building A. Please note that the City Clerk’s Office accepts applications throughout the year, not just when there are vacancies. For more information call (510) 284-4060.

Applications are kept on file through the end of the calendar year and are reviewed by the mayor and council when a vacancy occurs. A current list of applicants is established each year. Applications may be submitted to the City Clerk at any time between January 1 and December 31. These applications may be considered for various vacancies throughout the year; however, on December 31, any remaining applications of these persons not appointed will be void. To be considered this year, a new application will need to be submitted.

Community Police Academy

Have you ever wanted to learn more about the Fremont Police Department? Now is your opportunity. The Fremont Police Department is currently recruiting for the winter session of its Community Police Academy, which starts on Tuesday, Feb. 13.

The free program is 44 hours and will take place over the course of 12 sessions. The academy will generally meet one night a week on Tuesdays from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. and one or two Saturday classes may be scheduled to accommodate specialized training.

Participants will learn about topics such as police selection and training, internal investigations, criminal law, patrol operations, communications, crime prevention, crime analysis, firearms training, critical incidents, narcotics, gangs, traffic enforcement, and more.

Space will be limited to approximately 30 students and applications will be taken on a first-come, first-serve basis until January 18 at 5 p.m., or when 30 applications are received. To learn more about the academy and to sign up please visit www.fremontpolice.org/communitypoliceacademy.

If you have any questions, please contact program administrators Lt. Ariel Quimson at aquimson@fremont.gov or Lt. Brian Shadle at Bshadle@fremont.gov.

Marijuana Guidelines and Registration Requirements

On November 8, 2016, California voters passed the Control, Regulate and Tax Adult Use of Marijuana Act (AUMA), legalizing non-medical use of marijuana by persons 21 years of age and over, and the personal cultivation of up to six marijuana plants.

Under the AUMA, a state regulatory and licensing system was established to govern the commercial cultivation, testing and distribution of non-medical marijuana, and the manufacturing of non-medical marijuana plants. With the passage of AUMA, the City of Fremont was required to amend the Zoning Ordinance to address non-medical marijuana activities.

On June 6, 2017, the Fremont City Council amended the City of Fremont’s Marijuana Regulation Municipal Code Section 18.190.307. The amendments allow possession, transportation and cultivation of marijuana to the extent expressly authorized under State law, and bans all other marijuana activities not expressly authorized under

State law. The amendments also provide reasonable regulations pertaining to the personal cultivation of marijuana, including the establishment of a local registration requirement through the Fremont Police Department. A prohibition of outdoor cultivation and other measures was adopted to protect adjacent properties from cultivation in a manner that would create fire hazards, visual blight, unpleasant odors, excessive energy use, and other objectionable impacts.

Fremont Police Chief Richard Lucero has established an annual

registration procedure for the personal cultivation of marijuana within City of Fremont limits. No person shall commence or continue to cultivate marijuana within the City of Fremont without first registering the site of the cultivation. Registration requires name, address, contact information, age verification and property owner verification and/or notification. To read the City of Fremont guidelines and to register, please visit www.FremontPolice.org/MarijuanaRegistration

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Youth Dixieland Festival

SUBMITTED BY
JOHN SOULS

The East Bay Traditional Jazz Society (EBTJS) proudly presents its 11th annual “Youth Dixieland Festival” Saturday, January 20. Please plan to join us for performances at the Macy’s Court at NewPark Mall.

Our production will begin with the initial downbeat at 12 noon featuring the San Jose Saxophone Choir, celebrating its first anniversary. Created last year with the vision of Ray Burns and the leadership of Phillip Myers, the group originated from a Christmas saxophone presentation in San Jose; interest in playing more often than once a year developed into the SJ Saxophone Choir. Band member Polly Edgerton was responsible for introducing the band to the EBTJS; she stepped up to the plate when her Jazz Raptor’s band was not able to play this year and suggested inviting the Saxophone Choir. We want to thank Polly for helping us, and hopefully the Jazz Raptors will return in 2019!

The next band up will be local favorite, Dixie Dominus, from Fremont Christian High School. Thomas Banuelos is the teacher and director of the music program at the school. His group is always entertaining with familiar tunes from video games, standards with their own take, and traditional New Orleans street music. Banuelos has brought his band to this festival every year and we want to thank him for his dedication to our musical efforts.

Following Dixie Dominus will be the East Bay Stompers led by Charlie Maybie. Rich Newcomb serves as music director. The Stompers convene every third Thursday of the Month at the Bronco Billy’s Pizza Palace in Fremont. Maybie has welcomed a number of young musicians from both Dixie Dominus and the Jazzinators to fill out his band personnel when needed. Because most of these musicians are students, it is always hard to find the time for music between work and school. We hope we’ll be able to see some of these college-age student musicians join forces with this adult band.

Lastly, the Jazzinators, the house band of the East Bay Traditional Jazz Society, will downbeat at 3 p.m. This year’s senior leader is Tim Widjaja and our announcer is Yuki Abe. Both young men have been with the program for years and have developed into stalwart leaders of the group. The EBTJS is a 501c3 nonprofit organization, our intent is to keep jazz alive through providing a resource/venue for performance and rehearsal. Hence our moto/mission statement: “Bridging the Jazz Gap” by keeping jazz alive and thriving in our community.

Please plan on attending our Youth Jazz Festival on Saturday, January 20. There is no charge to enjoy these fine musical groups; we will pass the hat to defray our cost and provide a stipend for each band.

Youth Dixieland Festival
Saturday, Jan 20
12 p.m. – 4 p.m.
NewPark Mall
Macy’s Court
2086 NewPark Mall, Newark
www.eastbaytradjazz.org

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