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Celebrating the vibrant craft brew scene in Northern California, the 4th Annual "Fremont Burger & Brew Fest" returns to downtown Fremont on Saturday, May 26. The day-long festival will feature sampling from Bay Area craft breweries, branded glasses and merchandise, mouthwatering burgers and sliders from local food trucks, gourmet snack vendors, local business booths, food and beer related craft vendors, and live entertainment. The event also offers bistro-style seating along with multiple themed hangout areas, a free photo booth, free arcade games, free lawn games, and the Burger Throwdown – a friendly burger cooking competition between local celebrity chefs. Street vendors will offer face painting, henna, and more.

The Burger and Brew Fest will take place on Capitol Avenue between Paseo Padre Parkway and State Street in downtown Fremont.

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Coyote Hills: treasure and teacher for 50 years



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"I think our theme is basically a story of connection between wildlife and humans," says Dino Labiste, a naturalist at Coyote Hills Regional Park. Supervising Naturalist Sonja Gomez thinks about how the rich diversity of this land supported people for thousands of years, and even though it's now a park, there is still a reciprocal relationship. "When we care for our parks," says Gomez, "our parks care for us."

Coyote Hills is turning 50 this year and it's a good time to reflect on the history, mission, and future of the 1,300-acre wildlife oasis.

Visitors to the park today traverse an area inhabited by humans for more than 2,000 years. For millennia the land was home to Tuibun Ohlone villages, supporting them with a diversity of wildlife and plants. With the arrival of the first non-natives in 1769, changes happened rapidly as farming, cattle ranching, and eventually salt harvesting changed the face of the land.

In 1883, the abundant waterfowl gave rise to a duck-hunting club on the marshes. The University of California at Berkeley took an archaeological interest in 1935,

and the first excavations began. Impelled by cold war politics the Army established a Nike missile base in the hills in 1955 because of the area's strategic location.

Remnants of the outbuildings can still be seen. Following the base's decommissioning, the Stanford Research Institute occupied the area and used the marshlands as facilities for sonar research. Cal State Hayward led archaeological investigations at the site in 1966.

In 1967, the East Bay Regional Park District (EBRPD) and Alameda County Flood Control District purchased the property on Coyote Hills and adjacent marshlands from the descendants of George Washington Patterson (whose home can be seen at Ardenwood Historic Farm). The park was dedicated on May 23, 1968.

In the 50 years since the park's dedication, millions of people have walked the trails, watched wildlife, and enjoyed one of the most unspoiled habitats in the Bay Area. But humans impact the natural environment.

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Memorial Day is right around the corner, bringing with it the promise of fun in the sun—picnics in the park, barbecues on the beach and poolside parties.

But, with higher temperatures comes a higher risk of foodborne illnesses from bacteria. Bacteria thrive in warm conditions, so it's critical to follow some basic guidelines for preparing, transporting and serving your picnic goodies in the heat.

“One simple rule of thumb is to keep cold foods cold and hot foods hot,” says Kimberlee Alvari, director of Food and Nutrition Services at Washington Hospital.

She offers the following tips for enjoying your outdoor celebrations safely:

Keep it Cool

Don't keep food out in the open for long periods of time, especially in temperatures over 90 degrees. Heat speeds up the spoiling process, so keep food covered and when not being served, return it to the cooler. “The key is to never let your food remain in the ‘danger zone’—between 40 degrees and 140 degrees—for more than two hours,” Alvari advises. “If the temperature is over 90 degrees, food is unsafe when left out for more than one hour, and after one hour you should toss out any remaining perishable foods.”

Package and Separate

When packing your cooler, make sure meat, poultry or seafood is wrapped and sealed tightly, and place it on the bottom—or in a separate cooler—to avoid cross-contamination from any juices that might leak out.

Also, rinse your raw fruits and vegetables before packing them, in case there's no running water at your picnic site.

Safely Cook and Serve Meat

You may think you'll save time by partially pre-cooking your meat before leaving home, but Alvari doesn't recommend it. “You can't pre-cook meat and wait to grill it; it must be fully cooked immediately.” She adds that it's best to use a food thermometer to determine when your meat is thoroughly cooked. “The internal temperature of chicken and other poultry is safest at 165 degrees, and a beef patty at 160 degrees.”

Once you put meat on the grill, do not return it to the same platter you brought it out on. Instead, have an extra plate on hand. Thoroughly wash any utensil, dish, or surface that has touched raw meat or seafood with hot, soapy water before reusing.

Separate the Marinades

Who doesn't love the mouthwatering taste of a marinade on their meat? But, Alvari cautions, separate the marinade from the meat before packing the meat and don't use left-over marinade that has touched uncooked meat.

Basics tips for Barbecuing Meat

Many people are concerned about the potential link between charred meat and cancer. “It's best not to eat blackened meat,” advises Alvari. She recommends trimming the fat off meat before grilling to decrease the drippings that cause the flame and smoke to fire back onto the meat. Also, she notes, the coals should not be searing hot. When to flip the meat? “Recent research

shows you should flip meat about once every minute, checking the temperature with a thermometer each time.”

Have Meatless Options

These days, plenty of people are embracing vegetarian or vegan lifestyles. Alvari offers a recipe for “Texas Caviar,” a hearty dish that's packed with protein. “This is a great main course for vegetarians and vegans, as it contains excellent alternative sources of protein.” Alvari also notes that it earns rave reviews when served at Washington Hospital.

So, have fun in the sun and let the good times roll—safely!

TEXAS CAVIAR

Ingredients

- 2 (15 ounce) cans black beans, rinsed and drained
- 2 (15 ounce) cans pinto beans, rinsed and drained
- 2 (15 ounce) cans white corn, rinsed and drained
- 1 (4 ounce) can chopped green chiles, undrained
- 1 jalapeno chile pepper, seeded and finely chopped (optional)
- 1 red pepper, cored, seeded and finely chopped
- 1 green pepper, cored, seeded and finely chopped
- 1 small red onion, finely chopped
- 1 bunch cilantro leaves, finely chopped
- 1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1/2 cup rice vinegar
- 1/2 cup olive oil
- 1/3 cup white sugar

Directions

Mix the black beans, pinto beans, white corn, green chiles, jalapeno pepper, red and green bell peppers, red onion and cilantro together in a large bowl.

To make the dressing, stir the rice vinegar, olive oil, sugar and garlic powder together in a pan. Bring to a boil, then remove from heat and cool. Pour dressing over bean mixture and toss to mix evenly.

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	5/22/18	5/23/18	5/24/18	5/25/18	5/26/18	5/27/18	5/28/18
12:00 PM 12:00 AM	Diabetes Matters: Gastroparesis	Nerve Compression Disorders of the Arm	Sports Medicine Program: Exercise & Injury	Your Concerns InHealth: Sun Protection	Inside Washington Hospital: Advanced Treatment of Aneurysms	Pain When You Walk? It Could Be PVD	Sports Medicine Program: Think Running is a Pain? It Doesn't Have to Be
12:30 PM 12:30 AM	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting May 9, 2018		Strengthen Your Back! Learn to Improve Your Back Fitness		Skin Health: Skin Cancer & Fountain of Youth		Cognitive Assessment As You Age
1:00 PM 1:00 AM		Kidney Transplants	(Late Start) Diabetes Matters: Hypoglycemia	(Late Start) Dietary Treatment to Treat Celiac Disease	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting May 9, 2018	(Late Start) Diabetes Matters: Living with Diabetes	
1:30 PM 1:30 AM			Deep Venous Thrombosis				Inside Washington Hospital: The Green Team
2:00 PM 2:00 AM		Urinary Incontinence in Women: What You Need to Know		Women's Heart Health		Heart Health: What You Need to Know	
2:30 PM 2:30 AM			How to Talk to Your Doctor	Shingles	Colon Cancer: Prevention & Treatment		(Late Start) Vitamins & Supplements: How Useful Are They?
3:00 PM 3:00 AM	Minimally Invasive Surgery for Lower Back Disorders	Respiratory Health	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting May 9, 2018			Mental Health Education Series: Anxiety Disorders	
3:30 PM 3:30 AM	Skin Health: Skin Cancer & Fountain of Youth			Learn About the Signs & Symptoms of Sepsis	(Late Start) Mental Health Education Series: Crisis Intervention		Learn the Latest Treatment Options for GERD
4:00 PM 4:00 AM		(Late Start) Menopause: A Mind-Body Approach	11th Annual Women's Health Conference: Patient's Playbook			(Late Start) Mental Health Education Series: Crisis Intervention	
4:30 PM 4:30 AM	New to Medicare? What You Need to Know			New Treatment Options for Chronic Sinusitis	(Late Start) Mental Health Education Series: Crisis Intervention		Learn the Latest Treatment Options for GERD
5:00 PM 5:00 AM		Keys to Healthy Eyes	Prostate Cancer: What You Need to Know			Obesity: Understand the Causes, Consequences & Prevention	
6:00 PM 6:00 AM	Updated Treatments for Knee Pain & Arthritis	Family Caregiver Series: Advance Health Care Planning & POLST	Voices InHealth: Radiation Safety	Diabetes Matters: Medicare			
6:30 PM 6:30 AM	The Patient's Playbook Community Forum: Getting to the No-Mistake Zone	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting May 9, 2018	Mental Health Education Series: Understanding Mood Disorders		Skin Health: Skin Cancer & Fountain of Youth	Symptoms of Thyroid Problems	Mindful Healing
7:00 PM 7:00 AM				Reach Your Goal: Quit Smoking			
7:30 PM 7:30 AM	(Late Start) Family Caregiver Series: Panel Discussion		Diabetes Health Fair: Heart Health & Diabetes: What is the Connection	Latest Treatments for Cerebral Aneurysms	Not A Superficial Problem: Varicose Veins & Chronic Venous Disease	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting May 9, 2018	
8:00 PM 8:00 AM		Solutions for Weight Management					Keeping Your Heart on the Right Beat
8:30 PM 8:30 AM	Eating for Heart Health by Reducing Sodium		Arthritis: Do I Have One of 100 Types?	Superbugs: Are We Winning the Germ War?	Diabetes Matters: Diabetes: Is There an App for That?	Learn If You Are at Risk for Liver Disease	
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Care for the Caregiver

Washington Hospital
Offers Free Series to
Support Those
Caring for Others



Those caring for others can benefit from the Caregiver Series, beginning May 31, at Washington Hospital.

Providing care for a loved one can be a rewarding, but overwhelming endeavor. Caregivers may become both physically and emotionally exhausted. “Caring for a loved one is often a round-the-clock job,” says Washington Hospital Spiritual Care Coordinator, J.B. Goodier. “Caregivers want what is best for their loved ones, but it can be an overwhelming experience. When a person neglects their own care, they can’t help but become exhausted.”

Caregiver awareness has become a priority for Washington Hospital, says Goodier and Palliative Care Coordinator, Father Jeff Finley. “Caregivers provide a loving, important service, but if they do not understand the need for self-care, the result may be detrimental both for the patient and for the caregiver,” says Finley.

Goodier and Finley have created a four-part series to offer information and support for those who provide full-time care to others. The Caregiver Series begins Thursday, May 31, with “Mindfulness Meditation for the Caregiver.” The following sessions are: Tuesday, July 10, “Codependency and the Caregiver;” Thursday,

September 20, “Securing Care Preferences Through Advance Health Care Directives;” and Thursday, November 8, “Caring for Someone with Dementia or Other Medical-related Memory Loss.”

The Caregiver Series is open to the entire community. You can attend all of the sessions, or just the ones that interest you. For more information or to register, visit www.whhs.com/events or call (800) 963-7070.

Mindfulness Meditation for the Caregiver, May 31

The first in the series will explain what Mindfulness Meditation is and how it can help a caregiver. Goodier explains that meditation is simply about being yourself and knowing something about who that is. We can see more clearly when we step back and wipe the dust from our eyes. We practice meditation to know ourselves more deeply and to relate with all that we encounter more genuinely.

Mindfulness Meditation is a form of meditation that teaches a method of relating to everything in the present in a gentle, non-judgmental manner. Practicing since 2006, Goodier became a certified meditation

instructor in 2014 at Naropa University in Boulder, Colorado, while earning his master’s degree in Divinity Studies.

While this presentation would be beneficial to anyone, Goodier sees a particular value to the caregiver. Caregivers experience a high level of stress, he notes. “Most of us know how harmful stress is to our bodies, immune systems, relationships, and peace of mind. When we are expending vast amounts of energy worrying or stressing about the perceived past and the imagined future, we are literally destroying our potential to be in, act in, and experience, the present moment.” At the Thursday presentation, Goodier will explain a simple approach to Mindfulness Meditation.

Codependency and the Caregiver, July 10

The second in the series, Codependency and the Caregiver, will help attendees understand the characteristics of codependent caregiver behavior. When a person identifies solely as a caregiver, they may lose the rest of their identity. Whether caring for someone with a chronic illness or

a permanent disability, caregivers may not be practicing self-care. Everyone needs the opportunity to re-charge, to renew their spirit; codependent behavior can inhibit this.

Sadly, Goodier also notes that many caregiver situations end with the death of a loved one. As the facilitator of the grief support group that meets at Washington Hospital, he sees firsthand what can happen when someone’s identity becomes embroiled with being the caregiver. “It’s like a dual death,” he explains. “The caregiver loses both their loved one and their sense of identity. It is a deep loss.”

Securing Care Preferences Through Advance Health Care Directives, September 20

At Washington Hospital, Father Jeff Finley often works with families that have loved ones in critical care situations. “When a patient has not made their wishes known, not only may they not receive the treatment they want, it places a burden on the family to make those decisions,” he says. This presentation will help atten-

dees understand the importance of these conversations and guide them on how to begin them.

Caring for Someone with Dementia or Other Medical-related Memory Loss, November 8

The final presentation, Caring for Someone with Dementia or Other Medical-related Memory Loss, will provide an overview of the signs and symptoms of dementia and how to support a loved one experiencing memory loss. Caring for someone with memory loss presents a unique set of challenges. This presentation will offer specific information on how to recognize the early signs of dementia and what to expect.

Caregivers need care too. They have taken on an important role with open arms and open hearts. But becoming overwhelmed helps neither them, nor their loved one. This series offers information, perspective, and support.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Restricted Parking Enforcement Should End

According to East Bay Regional Park District (EBRPD) visitor counts at Mission Peak Regional Preserve declined by 23% over the last three years. This is discordant with other parks in the East Bay, where visitor counts increased by 72% since 2009. Parks support healthful exercise, and local governments should encourage people to spend time in nature: Healthy Parks equals Healthy People.

However, EBRPD supports the restriction of parking in the Stanford Avenue neighborhood by providing free enforcement in those areas where the city of Fremont blocked 2000 parking spaces in 2016. The district has a mission to promote our parks and open space. Every dollar spent to restrict parking and block access to our parks undermines that mission. These enforcement dollars should instead be spent on litigation, defending the district and the public from those who'd block the expansion of parking inside the park.

Enforcement is expensive. The park district spent \$42,000 over

14 months to enforce parking near Mission Peak. District police spent 207 hours (3.5 hours/week) and handed out over 65% of the tickets to restrict parking on city streets. This excludes transit, administrative and supervisory time, as well as training overhead.

The fines don't cover the costs of enforcement since EBRPD receives none of the revenue. More than 3,000 citations have been handed out since the crackdown began, with fines totaling over \$180,000. The district is left with fewer funds to operate our parks, visitors are punished and our local restaurants and shops suffer. A typical \$63 ticket costs as much as a family meal or a tank of gas. The loss of business revenues reduces sales tax receipts thereby impacting city coffers. The parking harassment is a stain on the reputation of our city and the park district and should be ended.

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Bay Area breweries that will be pouring at the festival include Alameda Island Brewing Co., Ale Industries, Altamont Beer Works, Anderson Valley Brewing Co., Buffalo Bill's Brewery, Das Brew, Drake's Brewing Co., Eight Bridges, Fort Point Beer Co., Golden Road Brewing, Guinness, Hermitage Brewing Co., Hidden Star Orchards, Palmia Beer, Shadow Puppet Brewing Co., Strike Brewing Co., and Working Man Brewing Co.

Brews can be paired with numerous food options from Food Trucks 3-3-3, 3 Geeks, Crazy Curry, Halal Bites

of Chicago, Lexie's Frozen Custard, Locos Only, Mini Street Burger, Soul Bowl'z, Street Steam Bunz, Tacos De Los Altos, Wezy Cuisine, and Yummi BBQ. Vendors Cooler Than Ice, Kettletopia, and Hidden Orchard will also be onsite.

The 2nd annual Burger Throwdown is a cooking competition that pits local celebrity teams against each other with the challenge of creating the most mouthwatering burger in just one hour. The only rule is... it's gotta be between two buns! This year's competitors are Mike Gilfoy and Jacob Shannon



(Fremont Police Department), cooking for Special Olympics of Northern California; Mayor Lily Mei and Fremont City Manager Fred Diaz, cooking for Friends of Children with Special Needs; Ramsey Garza and Brian Boos (Fremont Firefighters Local 1689), cooking for National Fallen Fighters Foundation; and Senator Bob Wieckowski and Senior District Representative Sean Manalo, whose charity is to be announced. Crowning the winner will be judges Phil Woodman (Food Truck Mafia), Jacob Bracken (Golden Road Brewing), and a third judge to be announced. The winner takes a \$250 donation to the charity of their choice and gets their name immortalized on the perpetual Burger Throwdown trophy.

A live music lineup will be on the Main Stage at Capitol Avenue and Paseo Padre with indie rock band Trip Wire, new LA-based band The Morning Yells, and ska punk band Shark Punch. Steve Fread will perform an acoustic set on the Exhibition Stage at Hastings and Capitol Avenue.

Burger & Brew Fest is proudly presented by the Fremont Chamber of Commerce. As the third largest chamber in the Bay Area, the Fremont Chamber of

Commerce has gained recognition for presenting high quality community events including the Fremont Festival of the Arts. For more information on chamber events, visit www.fremontbusiness.com/.

Admission to the festival is free. There is a fee to participate in beer sampling, and tasting packages are available in advance online as well as onsite the day of the event. A Single Package is \$40 and includes one four-ounce branded tasting glass and eight pour tickets. The Buddy Package is \$60 and includes two four-ounce branded tasting glasses and eight pour tickets. Additional tasting tickets are available for \$5 a pour. For more information, call (510) 795-2244 or visit www.burgerandbrewfest.com/.

Fremont Burger & Brew Fest
Saturday, May 26
11 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Downtown Fremont
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Free admission
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Entertainment Schedule:

Main Stage (Capitol Ave & Paseo Padre):
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.: Trip Wire
1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.: The Morning Yells
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.: Shark Punch

Exhibition Stage (Hastings & Capitol Ave):
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.: Burger Throwdown
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.: Burger Throwdown Judging & Awards
2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.: Steve Fread (acoustic set)
4:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.: People's Choice Best Brew Award

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Dixie Dominus vocalist Kaitlyn Wiens

Saturday, May 26 when the Dixie Dominus Traditional Jazz Band performs at Mission Coffee in Fremont. Band members are students at Fremont Christian School and are led by director Thomas Banuelos who created the band in 2007.

“We have personally heard them perform and they are a talented group of young



musicians,” says concert organizer Wayne Brask.

Among highlights at the concert will be vocalist Kaitlyn Wiens who will charm concert goers with her rendition of “At Last” and “All of Me.” Wiens is a senior at Fremont Christian and a member of their concert and vocal ensemble. As part of the concert choir she performed at Carnegie Hall. Wiens also participates in musical theatre at Fremont Christian and StarStruck Theatre. Recently, she was cast as Maria in Fremont

Christian’s spring production of “The Sound of Music.” Weins has been lead vocalist for Dixie Dominus for three years and considers this a highlight of her high school experience. She will attend Gonzaga University in the fall, with plans to further her involvement with jazz music.

Band director Banuelos holds a bachelor’s degree in music performance from California State University, Hayward and has been at Fremont Christian School for 12 years. While directing the band, he also plays

the piano, trumpet, and drums. Aside from his duties at Fremont Christian, Banuelos serves as music director for the contemporary service at Centerville Presbyterian Church in Fremont.

Along with releasing their fourth successful CD in 2014, Dixie Dominus has participated in music festivals in Sacramento, Monterey, Fresno, San Jose, and most notably in Montreux, Switzerland. The May 26 concert will be raising funds to help pay for next year’s international tour

to the Montreux Jazz Festival in Switzerland, Vienne Jazz Festival in France, and Umbria Jazz Festival in Italy.

Band members joining Wiens at Mission Coffee will include Rishab Madavhushanam (clarinet), Jared Barron (trumpet), Joel Manesh (trumpet), Daniel Paxton (alto/soprano sax), Nathan Chen (alto/tenor sax), Ryan Sevilla (trombone), Carlo Cardenas (bari sax), Vince Argonza (drums), Simon Godwin (banjo), Jessica Velazquez (bass), and Garret Kepler (piano).

Because seating is limited, it’s a good idea to show up early for the concert which starts at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$15 at the door.

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Veteran’s Fly Fishing Event



SUBMITTED BY
RICH SPICKLER

The Fremont Elks Lodge #2121 contribution of \$500 made the Veterans Fly-Fishing event on Friday May 4th a huge success. Wow is a true understatement!

Our thanks go to Brian Forio and his crew from the Pleasanton Lions Club who donated a great breakfast; Don Jower and Dean Lewis with help from Daniel Kitts who cooked a marvelous lunch; Jan VanZandt, Jim McGoff and others who cleaned and filleted the fish.

In attendance we had:

- 41+ veterans. This was the

biggest group of veterans we have ever had!

- 25 wonderful volunteers from Fly Caster of San Jose, Mission Peak Fly Anglers, Mt Tam Fly Fishers, Peninsula Fly Fishers, Tracy Fly Fishers & Tri-Valley Fly Fishers, who visited with, taught and coached the veterans in fly casting, fly tying, and fly fishing.
- 14 VA Recreation Therapists, and their assistants.

Thank you to East Bay Regional Park District for making this event possible. Their donations of the fish and other considerations were a critical component to make this event possible.

Thanks to all who participated.

Science and art help bring light to Puerto Rico

SUBMITTED BY URMILA PADMANABHAN

Girl Scout Troop 33724 has a question for you. Do you want to have a ton of fun doing awesome science experiments, designing and building towers and catapults with everyday materials, learning cool robot coding techniques, making a Thaumatrope, or solving interesting math and logic puzzles while supporting a great cause? If so, be sure to attend STEAM for BEAMS, a day of hands-on activities where Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math (STEAM) provide the backdrop for an exciting and awesome day of learning and exploration.

All proceeds will be used to buy solar lamps (BEAMS) for people in Puerto Rico who do not have access to electricity. The lights will be purchased locally and drop shipped to from the supplier to Puerto Rico. If solar lamps interest you, there will be a demonstration of how you can build your own!

Girl Scout leaders have always encouraged girls to help their communities. Since they were Daisies, girls of Troop 33724 have always donated a share of their cookie sales money to various charities. Other donations include: shoes to local

kids via My New Red Shoes, money to save several acres of the rainforest via Conservation International, money to buy water purifiers for Puerto Rico via Operation Agua, and blankets for Hayward Friends of Animals. Last year the troop held a fair for Girls Scouts highlighting self-respect, healthy eating, yoga, and taking care of the environment.

STEAM for BEAMS activities will require a minimum of 1.5 – 2.0 hours. Parents/guardians must attend; this is not a drop-off event. The day is designed for girls and boys pre-K through 5th grade. There will be more than a dozen activities, so come and challenge your ingenuity; we promise it will be a blast!

STEAM for BEAMS
Saturday, Jun 2
3 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Excel Test Prep
4160 Technology Dr, Fremont

Tickets and registration: Urmila Padmanabhan at urmila26@yahoo.com or (510) 936-4162 to Advance tickets \$10/child; at the door \$15/child; (adults free when accompanied by a child)

Run like a Superhero!

SUBMITTED BY TR-CITY HEALTH CENTER

Suit Up! The 2018 Superhero Run 5k/10k/Half Marathon is less than a month away! Don’t miss out—register today. This family-friendly run features a superhero-themed 100-yard Kids’ Dash, a 5k, 10k and Half Marathon. Become a Tri-City Health Center superhero by dressing in your best cape and cowl!

If you have a team of five or more runners, get a discount by using code 5TO10TEAM. Packet pick-up

opens at 6:30 a.m. and the Superhero Run begins at 8 a.m. Saturday, June 9 at Quarry Lakes. Registration includes a race bib, a themed T-shirt, timing chip, and course map. You’ll also receive a finisher’s medal and lots of free giveaways.

This event is sponsored by Kaiser Permanente and Unitek College. Please register by June 7!

Superhero 5K/10K/Half
Saturday, Jun 9

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Leadership Fremont class raises \$25,000 for Abode Services

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CITY OF FREMONT

The Leadership Fremont Class of 2018 met its goal to restock, replenish, and replace Abode’s Sunrise Village Shelter kitchen in Fremont. This includes a new fridge, stove, cooking utensils, food, and much more! Abode serves hot meals to hundreds of people every day, and the 2018 Class felt it was their turn to

repay Abode for all their hard work.

Abode Services’ mission is to end homelessness by assisting low-income, un-housed people, including those with special needs, to secure stable, supportive housing; and to be advocates for the removal of the causes of homelessness.

The Mission of Leadership Fremont is to empower diverse individuals with the knowledge,

skills and inspiration to successfully assume effective leadership roles in their communities, and to develop a collective resource and problem-solving network to address community needs, today, and in the future.

For more information about Leadership Fremont, visit Fremont Chamber of Commerce at www.fremontbusiness.com or (510) 795-2240



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Fremont Appoints New Police Chief

SUBMITTED BY
CHERYL GOLDEN AND
GENEVA BOSQUES

Fremont City Manager Fred Diaz announced the appointment of Kimberly Petersen as the next Police Chief for the City of Fremont. Petersen will be Fremont’s seventh police chief, and first female chief. She is currently serving as a Fremont Police Captain, a position she’s held for 5.5 years. Petersen’s career with the Fremont Police Department began in 1996.

Petersen’s appointment is effective July 26, 2018. Once sworn in, she will be responsible for all aspects of the Fremont Police Department, including emergency services provided 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. As part of overall management of the department, the Chief of Police has direct oversight of the Offices of Business Services, Professional Standards and Accountability, Special Investigations, and the Media Relations/Public Affairs function. The Fremont Police Department has 311.5 full time employees of which 197 are sworn positions. The Department is a full-service law enforcement agency and also provides some services by contract to other agencies.

Petersen has 22 years of law enforcement experience with the City of Fremont serving as an Officer, Detective, Sergeant,



Lieutenant, and Captain. Her career includes experience in Patrol and Investigations, as well as oversight of the day-to-day response to calls for service by uniformed police and community service officers, the Traffic Unit, K-9 Unit, and the Communications Unit.

For 7.5 years, Petersen was also a member of the Special Weapons and Tactics (S.W.A.T.) Team and led the Tactical Emergency Medical Support (TEMS) Team for 4 years. Most recently she implemented the Trailing Dog Program and the Mobile Evaluation Team (MET). MET is a newly created unit and partnership between the Fremont Police Department and Alameda County Behavioral Health.

Petersen earned a Bachelor’s degree in Human Biology from Stanford University and a Master’s in Security Studies from the Naval Postgraduate School. She is raising three children with her partner of

16 years and enjoys coaching in her spare time.

“I am pleased to appoint Kimberly Petersen as Fremont’s next Police Chief,” said City Manager Fred Diaz. “Kim has worked her way up through the ranks of the Fremont Police Department and possesses the tactical and technical knowledge of police work with the breadth of experience she’s gained over her 22-year career in Fremont.” Diaz added, “Kim has a high degree of intellect that will lend itself to Fremont’s unique community attributes and complexities. She’s also bright, creative, and articulate, all of which will serve her well as she leads the Department and community in the years ahead.”

“I am honored to have the opportunity to lead this extraordinary team of people who dedicate their lives to protecting the city of Fremont,” said Captain Kimberly Petersen. “I am grateful to be part of such a distinguished agency within a supportive community.”

The City of Fremont conducted an internal recruitment for its next police chief after Fremont Police Chief Richard Lucero announced his retirement effective July 25, 2018, after 31 years of service.

Details for a badge-pinning ceremony for Fremont’s next police chief, Kimberly Petersen, are forthcoming.

Falun Gong Meditation Workshop



Falun Gong is spiritual discipline in the Buddhist tradition. Pronounced ‘fahloong gong,’ it consists of moral teachings, a meditation, and four gentle exercises that are a unique and effective way to improve one’s health and energy levels. At the core of Falun Gong are the values of Truthfulness, Compassion, and Tolerance (or in Chinese, Zhen Shan Ren). Also known as Falun Dafa, Falun

Gong teaches that these are the most fundamental qualities of the universe and takes them to be a guide for daily life and practice.

In addition to the meditation class coming up on May 25, there is group exercise every Saturday and Sunday at Central Park Performance Pavilion from 7:55 a.m. to 10:10 a.m. All Falun Dafa events are free of charge and all are welcome.

Falun Dafa Meditation Class
Friday, May 25
2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
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Free Parking at Mission Peak trailhead

SUBMITTED BY BEN YEE

Hiking to Mission Peak? It has been announced that parking in the new multi-story parking structure at Ohlone College is free May 19 - June 17, 2018. The 7.3-mile Peak Trail loop leads to the summit, an alternative to the crowded Stanford Avenue entrance. To access the parking structure, use the Pine Street entrance to Ohlone College from Mission Boulevard. Visit <http://www.ebparks.org/parks/mission/> for more information about access to Mission Peak. An additional source for information is <https://www.alltrails.com/trail/us/california/mission-peak-from-ohlone-college>.

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Sometimes the biggest projects seem to glide through the system unnoticed. That doesn't mean they should be ignored. Here are a few big ones that definitely should not be ignored.

The City of Fremont is hosting a second community meeting to let residents voice their thoughts and concerns about design options for the proposed Irvington BART Station to be located at the southwest corner of Washington Boulevard and Osgood Road. If you attended the first meeting several months ago, you are encouraged to attend this meeting as well.

This project is definitely one of the big ones because all the properties within a half-mile radius of the station are part of a Transit Oriented Development (TOD) Overlay, and many of them are designated for high-density, high-rise housing.

Much of the future housing development will be south of the station along Osgood Road, where 179 apartments in a six-story complex have already been approved on the east side, and 93 condominiums in a five-story tower are currently under construction on the west side. Several other big housing projects are pending along Osgood as far south as Blacow Road.

When the TOD Overlay along Osgood is fully built out, there could be as many as 3,000 to 4,000 additional people living there and traveling to and from schools, jobs, and other destinations. Because there are no other vehicle or pedestrian connections along this section

of road, all traffic will have to go north to Washington Boulevard or south to Auto Mall Parkway, which are already heavily congested.

The Irvington BART meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 23, at 7:00 p.m. at the Fremont Main Library in the Fukaya Room on the first floor. This will be an informal meeting that will allow residents to drop in, look at various displays, and interact with meeting coordinators who can answer questions and note concerns.

Another big one is the preliminary proposal to build 258 apartment units and 13,000 square feet of commercial space in several multi-story buildings in front of the Fremont Campus of Ohlone College on Mission Boulevard. It is tentatively scheduled to be submitted for a General Plan Amendment (GPA) Screening Request by the June 15 deadline.

The request would be heard by the Planning Commission in August and the City Council in September. If the council decides it is in Fremont's best interest to consider the proposal, the developer would then submit a Formal Application for review by the City Planning Department.

This proposal requires a General Plan Amendment because the current land use designation of the property would have to be changed from Public Facility to Multi-Family Residential in order to proceed. At the City Council hearing on February 20, it was proposed that the General Plan for the entire Mission San Jose Town Center be reviewed comprehensively so as to not grant piecemeal GPAs in that area. It was suggested that no GPA Screening Requests be granted until the study was complete. That has not happened yet, so it is not clear how the council will respond to the

Ohlone Frontage request.

A proposal to build a new, high-volume road connector between Mission Boulevard and Paseo Padre Boulevard near the Union City-Fremont boundary is being promoted by Union City as a means of re-routing traffic from the Union City BART Station to the Dumbarton Bridge without adding congestion in the Decoto Business District.

The route would pass under the Union Pacific and BART train tracks, behind the housing developments off Isherwood in Fremont, and across a new bridge to Paseo Padre, where it would jog over to Decoto Road.

Although this would primarily be a road project, there are plans to build additional homes in the area. The project could also have significant impacts on traffic and noise for existing housing along the route.

At this point, the proposal is being considered by various Alameda County agencies, and there is no final decision.

And finally, a proposal to build 64 flats, 72 townhouses, and 25,000 square feet of retail commercial space on Fremont Boulevard at Peralta Boulevard in the Centerville Town Center is currently undergoing an Environmental Impact Review (EIR) to determine how to mitigate the impacts of the project on traffic and the historic Centerville fire station. That review is expected to be completed within the next few months, and the project will then go to the Planning Commission for a final decision. Because the project proposes to comply with the land use and zoning standards, it would not go to the City Council unless appealed.

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

1-in-5 U.S. Drivers Want an Electric Vehicle

SUBMITTED BY MICHAEL BLASKY
AAA NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

American appetite for electric vehicles is heating up. A new American Automobile Association (AAA) survey shows that 20 percent — or 50 million Americans — will likely go electric for their next vehicle purchase, up from 15 percent in 2017. With lower-than-average ownership costs, increased driving ranges and the latest advanced safety features, AAA sees a strong future for electric vehicles. To help “green” car shoppers make an informed choice, AAA conducts independent, rigorous test-track evaluations of plug-in hybrids, hybrid and fuel-efficient, gas-powered vehicles.

- One-fifth (20%) of Americans say they are likely to buy an electric vehicle the next time they are in the market for a new or used vehicle, an increase from 15 percent over 2017.

- Americans who are likely to buy an electric vehicle would do so out of concern for the environment (80%), lower long-term costs (67%), cutting edge technology (54%) and access to the carpool lane (35%)

- Women (90%) are more likely to buy an electric vehicle out of concern for the environment over men (68%).

- Three in 10 adults (31%) say they are likely to buy a hybrid vehicle the next time they are in the market for a new or used vehicle. This level of interest is unchanged from 2017.

- Reliability and fuel economy/range are the most important criteria for consumers when

choosing which hybrid or electric vehicle to buy.

- Nine-in-ten (92%) Americans who are likely to buy an electric or hybrid vehicle, consider reliability important, followed by fuel economy or how far the vehicle can go on one charge (87%).

- Other considerations include crash rating (77%), cost (71%), vehicle performance (69%), and advanced safety technology such as automatic emergency braking and lane keeping assistance (60%).

AAA's survey found that "range anxiety" is beginning to ease. Among those unsure or unwilling to choose an electric vehicle for their next car:

- 63 percent (down 9 percent from 2017) cited not enough places to charge as a detractor;

- 58 percent (down 15 percent from 2017) expressed concern over running out of charge while driving.

- Not surprisingly, range anxiety is less of a concern for millennials (48 percent) than Generation X or Baby Boomers (64 percent and 66 percent, respectively).

While range is important to most (87 percent) electric and hybrid vehicle shoppers, it is not the only consideration. Reliability, ranking with nine-in-ten (92 percent) of those likely to buy an electric or hybrid vehicle stating it is important when evaluating which car to buy.

Electric and hybrid car shoppers are also prioritizing crash ratings (77 percent), cost (71 percent), acceleration and handling (69 percent) and advanced safety technology such as automatic emergency braking and lane keep-

ing assistance (60 percent). Fewer drivers are concerned with style, color, or design of the vehicle (34 percent) or brand of the vehicle (33 percent).

In 2018, the following vehicles earned AAA's Top Green Vehicle award:

Overall
Tesla Model X 75D
Subcompact
Chevrolet Bolt EV Premier
Compact
Nissan Leaf SL
Midsize
BMW 530e i-Performance
Large
Tesla Model S 75
Pickup
Ford F-150, 4X4 XLT Sport
SUV/Minivan
Tesla Model X 75D
Under \$30K
Kia Niro LX
\$30K-\$50K
Chevrolet Bolt EV Premier
Over \$50K
Tesla Model X 75D

Winners, detailed evaluation criteria, vehicle reviews and an in-depth analysis of the green vehicle industry can be found at AAA.com/greencar.

Although Americans may be more eager to buy an electric vehicle, having the right infrastructure will be critical to its widespread adoption. In 2018, the availability of charging stations had grown to more than 16,000 in the United States and, although anxiety over range has reduced, AAA's survey found consumer expectation for charging time while on the road may not align with reality. Seven-in-ten (68 percent) Americans feel that while out driving, a charging time of no more than 30 minutes is a reasonable amount of time to wait.

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Local small businesses honored

SUBMITTED BY
OMASA DUEÑAS

Assemblyman Bill Quirk (D-Hayward) recently celebrated National Small Business Week with his third annual Small Business Breakfast at Mexico Tipico in Union City. “Small businesses are truly the backbone of the state’s economy,” Quirk said. “California’s small businesses employ half of the state’s private workforce. I am

proud to see small businesses thriving in the 20th Assembly District.”

In partnership with other elected officials and with local chambers and cities in the district, Quirk presented the following businesses with certificates:

- Crush Comics, honored by Ashley Strasburg, CEO of the Castro Valley/Eden Area Chamber. Now owned by a husband and wife, Josh and Andrea Hunter, Crush Comics has been in Castro Valley since 1990 and pride themselves by offering customers high quality and current products.
- The Cobblers, honored by the Quirk and Jacques

Gautreaux, of the Hayward Chamber of Commerce. A family-run business for three generations, The Cobblers have been repairing shoes for over 60 years.

• Healthy Pets, honored by Rey Sison, Executive Director of the Union City Chamber. Healthy Pets has been in Union City since 1999 and focuses on helping pet owners improve care for their pets without having to spend a great deal of money.

The Cobblers, who were selected as Quirk’s District 20 Small Business of the Year, and its owner, Rudy Grasseschi, will join Quirk for a ceremony and luncheon on June 19 at the State Capitol in Sacramento.

Water Board unanimously supports California WaterFix

SUBMITTED BY LAURA HIDAS
AND SHARENE GONZALES

Thursday, May 17, the Alameda County Water District Board of Directors (ACWD) voted unanimously to reiterate support for the California WaterFix project, which will improve the reliability of the State Water Project and protect one of the district’s key water supplies. ACWD relies on the aging State Water Project delivery system for 40 percent of its annual water supply. The California WaterFix project will protect and enhance this supply for future generations, while also providing for restoration and protection of the Delta ecosystem.

“The board’s 5 – 0 vote last night demonstrates our continued commitment to this

critical project that will help to meet the district’s long-term water supply reliability goals in a cost-effective manner,” said Paul Sethy, Board President. “I’m pleased that we are able to join in the partnership agreements that will move this historic project forward.”

The State Water Project brings water to the Bay Area from the Sierra Nevada mountains and through the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. In the Bay Area alone, more than 2.5 million customers rely on the project for water. Other local partners committed to the California WaterFix project include the Santa Clara Valley Water District and Zone 7 Water Agency.

The board’s vote comes after receiving an update on the business case for the project,

including updated costs and a comparison to other long-term water supply alternatives. The district’s share of the project cost is estimated to be \$116 million and will ensure continued reliability of state water supplies and protect against future threats of sea level rise, climate change, and seismic risks. The board has received periodic staff briefings on the project, and most recently voted to support the project in October 2017. With the board’s action, the district continues to be united with many water agencies throughout the state in supporting the California WaterFix.

For more information on the California WaterFix, visit www.californiawaterfix.com.

National Merit Scholarship Winners

SUBMITTED BY BRIAN KILLGORE

The National Merit Scholarship Corporation announced this year’s class of National Merit \$2,500 Scholarship winners on May 9, 2018. Sixteen winners represented four high schools of Fremont Unified School District (FUSD). The 2,500 Merit Scholar designees were chosen from a talent pool of more than 15,000 outstanding Finalists in the 2018 National Merit Scholarship Program. FUSD students selected as National

Merit Scholarship winners are:

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Carolyn Ge

Andrew Kan

Celina Lee

Felisha Li

Yvette Lin

Vivian Ross
Lahari Vuppalahdham
Washington
Ella Gunady

“We are very proud to see so many of our students from throughout the District earn this prestigious award,” said FUSD Superintendent, Dr. Kim Wallace. “This achievement recognizes the tremendous amount of dedication these students have shown in the classroom and it is gratifying to see this effort rewarded with a National Merit Scholarship.”

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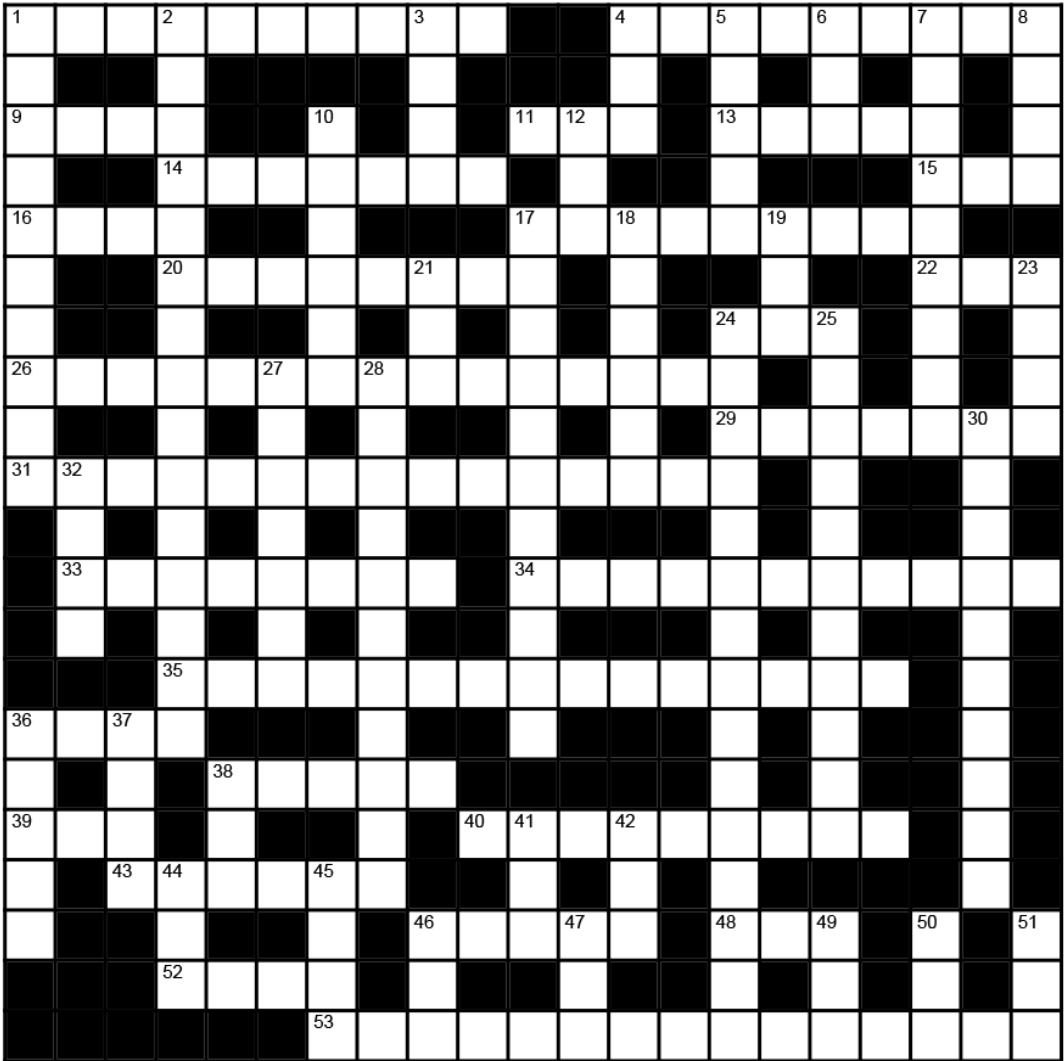
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1 Because (4 wds.) (2,2,4,2)

4 Chilly (9)

9 "Casablanca" heroine (4)

11 "You've got mail" co. (3)

13 Kind of pain (5)

14 Medium, maybe (2 wds.) (3,4)

15 "___ boom bah!" (3)

16 Common contraction (4)

17 Buffalo (9)

20 Better than average (2 wds.) (5,3)

22 Different ending (3)

24 Finish, with "up" (3)

26 Unappealing (5 wds.) (3,4,3,2,3)

29 Explore caves (7)

31 "Anything you want" (4 wds.) (3,4,3,5)

33 Together (2 wds.) (2,6)

34 "Elephants _____" (2 wds.) (5,6)

35 Eliciting a "So what?" (3 wds.) (2,2,11)

36 "Good buddy" (4)

38 "___ chance!" (5)
- Down

1 "Really!" (4 wds.) (1,3,3,3)

2 Reputation ruiner (2 wds.) (10,5)

3 On ___ (equipotent) (2 wds.) (4)

4 Modern address (3)

5 Boatload (5)

6 2004 nominee (3)

7 Parting words (3 wds.) (3,3,3)

8 San ___ Obispo, Calif. (4)

10 Commander at the Alamo (6)

12 Motor suffix, commercially (3)

17 Borough argot (11)

18 Post-___ (6)

19 Prefix with meter (3)

21 More, in music (3)

23 Clock sound (4)
- 24 Some noncoms (2 wds.) (6,9)

25 "Duck soup!" (3 wds.) (5,2,4)

27 Blissful (7)

28 Carnival treat (2 wds.) (6,5)

30 In direct confrontation (3 wds.) (4,2,4)

32 Acclaim (4)

36 Dimin.'s opposite (5)

37 "___ on Down the Road" (4)

38 Jazz style, tersely (3)

41 "___ durn tootin'!" (3)

42 C.I.A. forerunner (3)

44 Nth degree (3)

45 One ___ (old ball game) (4)

46 Diminutive (3)

47 Scooby-___ (cartoon dog) (3)

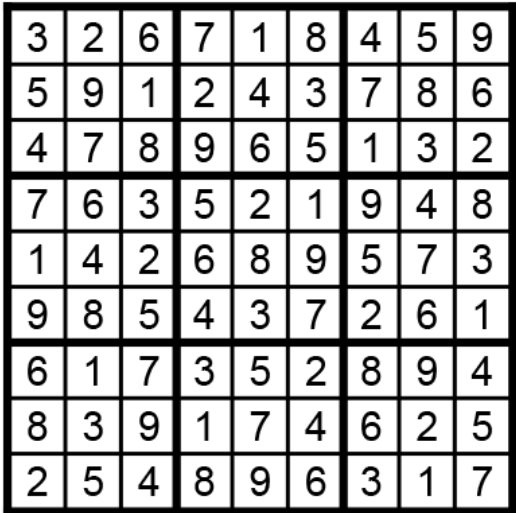
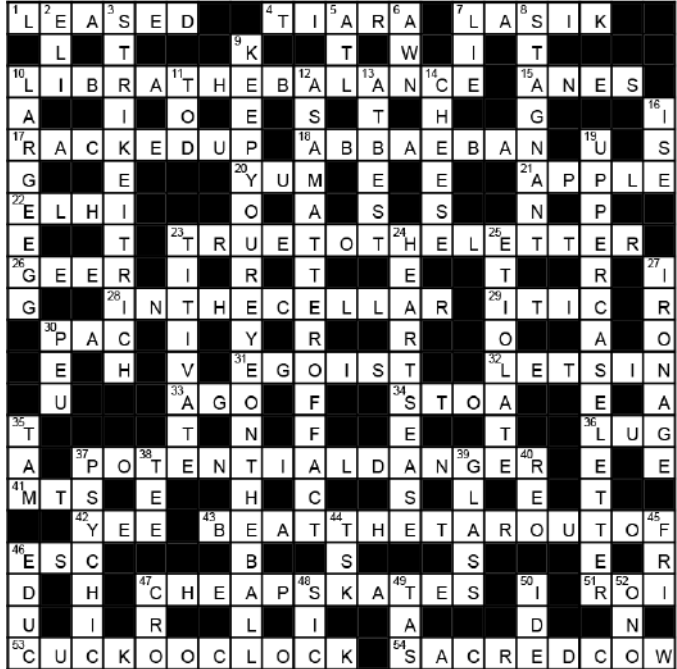
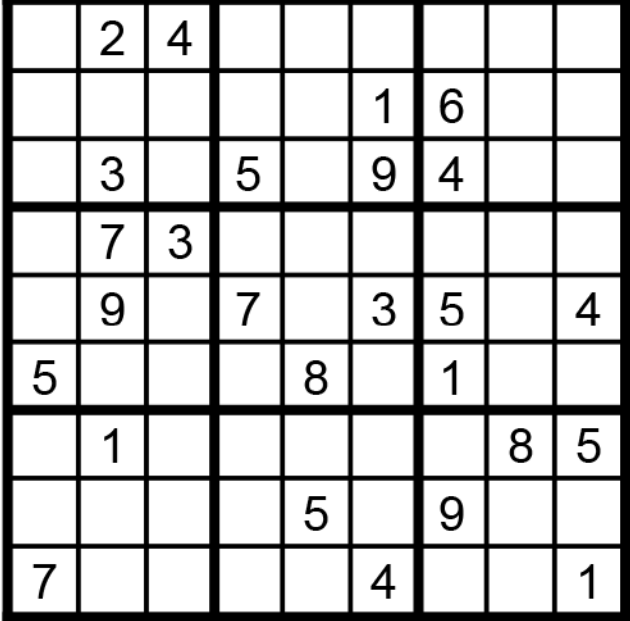
49 Assist (3)

50 ___ Today (3)

51 "Spy vs. Spy" magazine (3)

Sudoku:

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



Tri-City Stargazer FOR WEEK: MAY 23 – MAY 29, 2018

For All Signs: Mercury, ancient messenger god, is unusually busy throughout this week. This suggests that most of us will be preoccupied with communication in one form or another. There may be many phone calls, messages, letters, quick conversations, rapid decisions, and papers to write. The period is favorable for

probing into causes and accessing the bottom line to any matter. Beware of the tendency to jump to conclusions or take action before all the facts are clear. Remind yourself of how the old ‘gossip’ game is played and don’t take what you hear very seriously until you have found a second, reliable source.

Aries the Ram (March 21-April 20): The planet/comet Chiron entered your sign last month and will be traveling with you for five years. Chiron was the first centaur and became a known healer. As Chiron traverses your sign, you will experience healing on both physical and emotional levels. Those born early in the sign will feel its effects soon.

Taurus the Bull (April 21-May 20): Necessary expenses (those not of the ‘fun’ type) may develop this week. If not that, you could be just having a little blue mood. It is one of those times when we become aware that our loved ones can never know or understand fully what is inside of us. This is an existential dilemma that everyone encounters now and then. It will pass quickly.

Gemini the Twins (May 21-June 20): This is a time that favors travel, legal interests, publishing, and dealings with the internet. You will be running many errands and taking pleasure in the freedom to get out and flap your wings. This energy continues with you throughout next week as well.

Cancer the Crab (June 21-July 21): You may be taking a sober look at one or more relationships. Even the very closest friends cannot know each other from the inside. Sometimes we forget this fact and need to become aware that we are actually separate beings, sharing when we can. Sometimes our energy is too low to be there for one another.

Leo the Lion (July 22-August 22): The time is right to make improvements in all your relationships. Circumstances will make it easy to work out whatever difficulties you might have had with friends or partners. You are feeling well and can defeat any competitor. You can easily stay on target with your goals now.

Virgo the Virgin (August 23-September 22): This week and next week will probably be the busiest of the whole year. You’ll be traveling hither and yon, maybe in multiple directions. Concentrate on keeping track of small items, such as keys and credit cards. Details will nag you like pecking ducks, but overall you will have a good time.

Libra the Scales (September 23-October 22): You may experience some physical discomfort due to environmental stressors at home or work. Those who suffer allergies need to use special caution in avoidance this week. Your physical cycle is on a mild dip. Rest plenty and take your vitamins. You may need to take a temporary break in your workout regimen.

Scorpio the Scorpion (October 23-November 21): This is a fine week to run a race or climb a mountain. But save some time to attend to your Significant Other. Your communications are open and honest, just the right combination to work things out. If either of you has carried a grudge, put it out there on the table and be willing to play fair while you find a solution.

Sagittarius the Archer (November 22-December 21): This is a positive week in which your faith in yourself and all humankind is supported and nurtured by the people and circumstances in your path. Hopefully you are aware of a type of joy that is beyond

mundane experiences of life. One caution: keep one foot on the ground. The earth has its rules also. It is easy to believe what you wish now.

Capricorn the Goat (December 22-January 19): Don’t allow fear and pessimism to interfere with your pleasure in life. The blues may be your companion for a couple of days over the weekend, but the cloudy time is short. There is a female mother-like person who would like to support you. Don’t ignore it or turn her away.

Aquarius the Water Bearer (January 20-February 18): The week begins with high energy and a desire to achieve goals. Your relationship to children or lovers is supportive and loving.

You may experience some physical discomfort due to environmental stressors at home or work. Those who suffer allergies need to use special caution in avoidance this week.

Pisces the Fish (February 19-March 20): This is a time in which you are unusually aware of your spiritual self. You will be recognizing things of life for which you are grateful. You prefer to seek the high road and maintain a positive attitude despite any difficult circumstances. You can see a bigger picture now. Hold onto it.

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Myanmar Community and Cultural Center Committee (MCCCC) cordially invites you to the 7th annual "Bay Area Myanmar New Year Thingyan Water Festival" on Saturday,

the Myanmar community has held this annual event to support the Myanmar Community and Cultural Center, which opened on June 21, 2014 in Union City.

The Bay Area Thingyan promotes cultural diversity and is essential for strengthening community values in the San Francisco Bay Area through the development of intercultural



May 27, which will be held at Kennedy Park in Union City.

The Thingyan Water Festival is celebrated by all major ethnic and religious groups in Myanmar (formerly Burma) and marks the start of the Myanmar New Year, which occurs in mid-April. Water is symbolic for washing away past sins to start the New Year physically and spiritually purified.

One Myanmar Community (OMC) (formerly known as Burmese Youth Association) was founded on October 12, 2007 by a group of Myanmar students and friends from the San Francisco Bay Area to empower the Myanmar community, to bridge between Myanmar and non-Myanmar organizations, support education and career networking for new immigrants and youths from Myanmar, and to promote all Myanmar ethnic cultures to international community.

OMC's Thingyan is one of the biggest Myanmar community New Year Water Festivals in Northern California. Since 2009,

awareness. This special day-long event will include a ceremony to pay respect to the community elders, traditional Burmese food, community booths, community Thingyan Yaine performances, cultural ceremony, traditional dances, water play activities, and games. Make sure to bring a second set of clothes if you plan to play in the water!

This is an alcohol-free event. Free parking is available at the Union City BART station. All proceeds will go towards the Myanmar Community and Cultural Center.

Join us as we celebrate our New Year and become a partner with our community!

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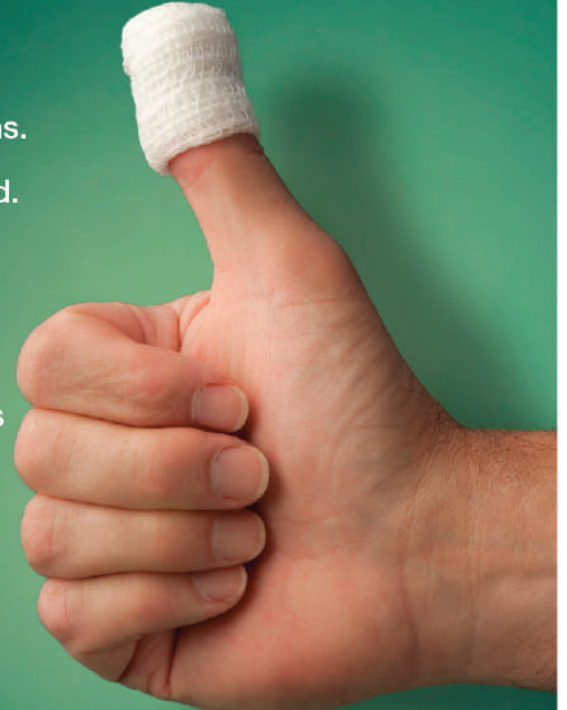
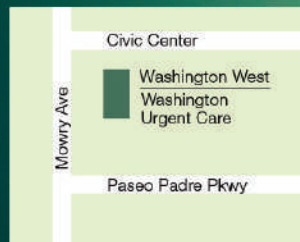
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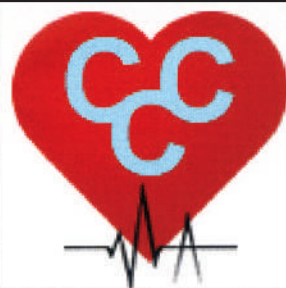
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Speaker: J.B. Goodier

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Speakers: J.B. Goodier & Father Jeff Finley

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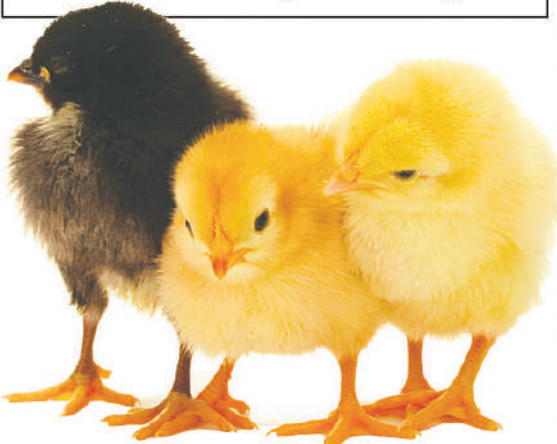
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Barking up the right tree

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There are exceptions to every idiom. “Don’t judge a book by its cover” makes perfect sense in today’s world where billion-dollar company CEOs have replaced business suits with hoodies, turtleneck sweaters, and designer jeans. Thirty years ago, anyone wearing casual attire would not have been taken seriously in the business world. We realize today that business attire only scratches the surface of what a person represents. On the other hand, trees with interesting bark are a perfect example of an exception. This book should be judged by its cover.

Bark is a term commonly used to describe the outermost layer of a woody shrub or tree. Different trees have a wide range of bark textures, colors, and patterns. Not every tree species has what is considered botanically to be bark. Knowing some basic tree botany will make it easier to better understand how bark is formed and its function.

The xylem is the innermost and youngest living vascular tissue layer of a tree. It is responsible for transporting water and nutrients absorbed by the roots to the leaves. A layer of cells dies every year and becomes heartwood that is used for lumber.

A thin layer of cells called the vascular cambium separates the xylem from phloem. It produces new xylem and phloem cells. Outside the vascular cambium is what is scientifically considered to be the bark of a tree. Trees that have no cambium layer, such as palms, do not produce bark.

The inner bark is called the phloem. The phloem carries amino acids, hormones, and the sugars that are produced in the leaves during photosynthesis to feed the non-photosynthetic living cells in the branches, trunk, and roots. These transport cells move nutrients up and down throughout the tree, while the xylem only carries nutrients upwards. If the bark is stripped in a ring around the trunk, the tree will die because the roots will be deprived of food.

The tissue of a woody plant beyond the phloem is called the cork cambium. It is responsible for manufacturing the visible tree bark that is called cork. The cork layer is what is commonly meant when people refer to a tree’s bark. This layer protects the living part of the plant from elements such as moisture, sunlight, wind, frost, ice and from mechanical damage. It insulates the tree from cold temperatures in winter, from heat in summer, and restricts water loss. It guards against insects, fungi, bacteria, and herbivorous animals.

Evolution has played an important role in determining how an individual tree’s bark texture and pattern can help it make the best use of its environment. Different barks vary in color because they have different amounts of tannins and other compounds that absorb and reflect light differently. The texture, color, and pattern of the cork makes some trees uniquely attractive and worth planting.

The bark of the **Cork Oak** is what most people mean when referring to wine bottle corks. The tree lives over 200 years and can be first harvested at 25 years old and then every 12 to 15 years thereafter. There is no oak tree that has a more fascinating and impressive bark. It thrives in the Bay Area’s Mediterranean climate.

No one can blame a person for choosing a **Crepe Myrtle** variety based on the color of its flowers. However, the real beauty of the tree comes from its silky smooth looking bark. When the tree is fully mature its bark begins to exfoliate, exposing a pastel rainbow of colors on the bark underneath. Very few trees can lose their leaves in the winter and look better.

Arbutus unedo or **Strawberry tree** has one of the most ornate trunks a tree can have. The trunk begins to twist with age as its grayish-brown bark begins to shed, exposing the virgin deep reddish-cinnamon colored bark. It is amazing how such a beautiful tree can grow in poor clay soil.

There are many varieties of **Paperbark** trees that can grow over 25 feet tall. Most people would not notice the canopy be-



Cork Oak



Crepe Myrtle



Strawberry tree



Paperbark tree

cause their eyes would never leave the tree’s trunk. These fascinating Australian trees have a white, gray, and brown bark that peels off and curls in thin layers at the edges. Multiple layers of bark build up and create a dramatic and natural art piece as the years pass.

The **Coral Bark Japanese Maple** has blazing coral-red bark. The color intensifies in the fall and winter in Northern California making it a colorful garden show piece when many other plants are unassuming. The color can get so intense that it appears to glow.

“Beauty is only skin deep” is another idiom that looks beyond the apparent. This is true when all the benefits a tree provides for wildlife and the environment are examined. It is the exception when we see a tree with interesting bark.

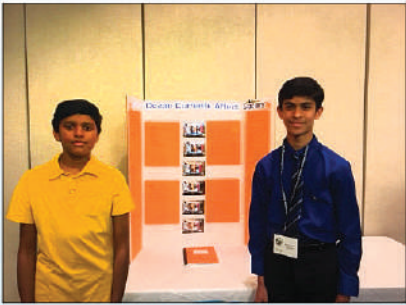


Coral Bark Japanese Maple

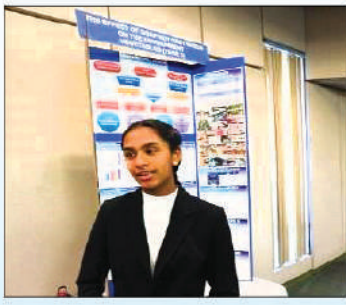
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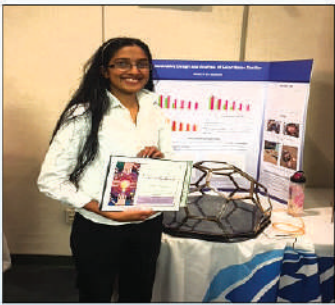
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Festival celebrates Asian heritage and culture



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Too often today, young Asian Americans have no real understanding of the breadth of achievement and length of history that lies behind their families and ancestors. In addition, other Americans are unaware of the unique traditions, music, and art that embody different Asian heritages.

The "Asian American Heritage Festival" presents an opportunity for all Americans to celebrate and learn the wealth of ancient art, philosophy, craftsmanship, colorful literature and folklore that have sprung from these various cultures.

The 25th annual Asian American Heritage Festival will be held Saturday, May 26 at Southern Alameda County Buddhist Church in Union City. The event celebrates Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month and Older American Month with free cultural dance and music performances. This year's festival will feature over 200 local residents from Taiwan, Japan, the Philippines, Thailand, Korea, China and other Asian Pacific countries. Performances include:

- Taiko drumming from Wadaiko Newark
- Martial Arts from Sulan Kungfu and Taichi Academy
- Thai classical dancers from Wat Buddhansorn Thai Buddhist temple in Fremont
- Song and music from Spark Quartet of Taiwanese community
- Kungfu and dance from Bluesky Education Center
- Indonesian dance from Lestari Indonesia dance group
- Chinese classical dance from Ling Wang's Dance Studio
- Yuan Ji dance from Yuan Ji Dance of America
- Taiwanese dance from Irvington Junior Taiwanese American Student Association
- Steps, Styles and Spotlights – cultural dances of the Philippines
- Martial Arts from Untalan Martial Arts Center
- Line dancing from Union City Senior Center
- Yoyo from Northern California Chinese Yoyo Association
- Zumba from Maria Magsakay Zumba class

The opening ceremony will kick off the event with flag presentation and national anthem, opening messages, prayers, and speeches, as well as a recognition of seniors over 100 years old.

Refreshments and food from various cultures will also be available for purchase throughout the day.

The Asian American Heritage Festival is sponsored by The Asian American Federation of California, the Taiwanese Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco Bay Area, The Southern Alameda County Buddhist Church, and State Farm Insurance.

For more information, call John Hsieh at (510) 784-7341.

Asian American Heritage Festival

Saturday, May 26
10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

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38843 Bonnie Way	94536	1,228,000	3	1502	1961	04-13-18	
4240 Dali Street	94536	1,100,000	3	1232	1967	04-12-18	
4836 El Poco Com.	94536	700,000	2	1066	1971	04-13-18	
4081 Elisa Com. #13	94536	880,000	3	1275	1988	04-11-18	
35860 Killorglin Com.	94536	1,160,000	3	1664	1989	04-13-18	
3651 Knollwood Ter. #311	94536	460,000	1	917	1984	04-13-18	
4851 Louise Court	94536	1,405,000	3	1670	1960	04-11-18	
35837 Molina Court	94536	1,210,000	4	1704	1965	04-12-18	
38983 Swordfish Com.	94536	1,040,000	3	1400	1996	04-13-18	
4764 Calaveras Ave.	94538	1,330,000	4	1788	1959	04-11-18	
5615 Cleveland Place	94538	989,000	3	1306	1967	04-11-18	
4618 Hampshire Way	94538	1,050,000	4	1955	1962	04-13-18	
4667 Hampshire Way	94538	1,070,000	4	1412	1962	04-13-18	
4050 Margery Drive	94538	1,200,000	3	1600	1958	04-13-18	
40486 Robin Street	94538	925,000	3	1657	1966	04-12-18	
39448 Seascape Road	94538	969,000	3	1200	1963	04-12-18	
4827 Serra Avenue	94538	1,200,000	3	1344	1959	04-13-18	
4727 Wadsworth Ct.	94538	1,299,500	5	2513	1963	04-12-18	
41559 Casabella Com.	94539	1,525,000	4	2034	2015	04-11-18	
41557 Joyce Avenue	94539	1,325,000	3	1436	1959	04-12-18	
48802 Lyra Street	94539	1,590,000	5	1821	1963	04-13-18	
46290 Paseo Padre Pkwy.	94539	1,850,000	4	2608	1974	04-13-18	
34442 Bentley Place	94555	1,250,000	3	1750	1968	04-13-18	
33007 Lake Candlewood St.	94555	825,000	2	960	1970	04-13-18	
34081 MacMillan Way	94555	500,000	3	1474	1976	04-12-18	
4196 Sora Common	94555	1,000,000	2	1405	1985	04-13-18	

HAYWARD TOTAL SALES: 9							
Highest \$:		730,000	Median \$:		618,000		
Lowest \$:		420,000	Average \$:		598,722		
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
20930 Gribben Avenue	94541	670,000	3	1454	1951	04-13-18	
22237 Victory Drive	94541	618,000	3	1319	1943	04-11-18	
562 Culp Avenue	94544	560,000	3	952	1950	04-13-18	
441 Dutchess Lane	94544	700,000	3	1244	1955	04-13-18	
26931 Lakewood Way	94544	495,500	3	1621	1953	04-13-18	
692 Schafer Road	94544	495,000	2	792	1930	04-13-18	
904 Jean Way	94545	730,000	4	1618	1951	04-12-18	
25758 Scripps Street	94545	700,000	3	1181	1959	04-12-18	
21100 Gary Drive #120	94546	420,000	2	1037	1981	04-12-18	

MILPITAS TOTAL SALES: 14							
Highest \$:		1,600,000	Median \$:		1,020,500		
Lowest \$:		625,000	Average \$:		1,094,750		
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
1664 Blue Spruce Way	95035	875,000	3	1380	1965	04-17-18	
236 Casper Street	950351	2,00,000	3	1116	1956	04-18-18	
159 Cobblestone Loop	950351	3,20,000	3	1951	2015	04-19-18	
446 Folsom Court	950351	3,20,000	3	1860	1983	04-23-18	

1079 Hay Court	950351	288,000	3	1680	1981	04-23-18	
1788 Kennedy Drive	95035	800,000	3	1330	1971	04-19-18	
1169 Kovanda Way	950351	600,000	4	2097	1978	04-17-18	
1198 Luz Del Sol Loop	95035	985,000	2	1371	2007	04-23-18	
1375 Nestwood Way	950351	003,000	2	1316	2014	04-23-18	
375 Oliver Street #1960	950351	020,500	3	1130	1960	04-23-18	
67 Parc Place Drive	95035	850,000	2	1192	2005	04-17-18	
843 Spirit Walk	950351	090,000	2	1353	2000	04-17-18	
304 Sylvia Avenue	95035	625,000	3	1040	1955	04-17-18	
1028 Venus Way	950351	350,000	3	1833	1998	04-17-18	

NEWARK TOTAL SALES: 6							
Highest \$:		1,225,000	Median \$:		940,000		
Lowest \$:		655,000	Average \$:		968,833		
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
6412 Buena Vista Drive #A	94560	655,000	2	1031	1985	04-11-18	
36935 Elm Street	94560	940,000	3	1325	1952	04-12-18	
36115 Fig Tree Lane	945601	225,000	-	-	-	04-12-18	
36127 Fig Tree Lane	945601	168,000	-	-	-	04-12-18	
39935 Parada Street #B	94560	675,000	2	1301	1984	04-12-18	
36348 Shorehaven Pl.	945601	150,000	4	1606	1969	04-12-18	

SAN LEANDRO TOTAL SALES: 11							
Highest \$:		905,000	Median \$:		610,000		
Lowest \$:		530,000	Average \$:		667,000		
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
1007 Arthur Avenue	94577	530,000	2	984	1942	04-11-18	
1000 Begier Avenue	94577	905,000	2	2024	1945	04-12-18	
1769 Eveleth Avenue	94577	580,000	3	1028	1951	04-11-18	
640 Oakes Boulevard	94577	828,000	2	1516	1938	04-11-18	
1455 San Jose Street	94577	800,000	3	1095	1953	04-11-18	
14171 Santiago Road	94577	688,000	4	1616	1961	04-12-18	
589 Tudor Road	94577	590,000	2	780	1948	04-12-18	
15340 Churchill Street	94579	555,000	3	1178	1950	04-11-18	
1339 Drake Avenue	94579	610,000	3	1121	1951	04-13-18	
15012 Endicott Street	94579	550,000	2	821	1949	04-13-18	
1306 Trojan Avenue	94579	701,000	3	1114	1950	04-11-18	

SAN LORENZO TOTAL SALES: 7							
Highest \$:		860,000	Median \$:		670,000		
Lowest \$:		520,000	Average \$:		681,857		
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
684 Empire Street	94580	520,000	4	1354	1951	04-12-18	
16417 Peshel Court	94580	860,000	4	2180	1949	04-11-18	
15587 Sharon Street	94580	653,000	2	833	1947	04-13-18	
16053 Via Cordoba	94580	721,000	3	1534	1950	04-12-18	
1233 Via Lucas	94580	670,000	3	1050	1951	04-11-18	
1188 Via Manzanias	94580	719,000	3	1594	1950	04-13-18	
1279 Via Nube	94580	630,000	3	1043	1950	04-12-18	

UNION CITY TOTAL SALES: 7							
Highest \$:		1,500,000	Median \$:		1,025,000		
Lowest \$:		480,000	Average \$:		948,429		
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
33039 Alicante Terrace	#6294587	700,000	3	1344	1997	04-13-18	
4130 Asimuth Circle	94587	480,000	3	1214	1974	04-12-18	
2517 California Court	945871	500,000	5	2976	1999	04-12-18	
4925 Colusa Street	945871	025,000	3	1268	1980	04-12-18	
32412 Edith Way	945871	089,000	4	1480	1972	04-12-18	
953 J Street	94587	735,000	-	-	-	04-11-18	
4557 Ojai Loop	945871	110,000	3	1681	1984	04-13-18	

Home Sales Report

Professor, students hope to unearth and remold history

SUBMITTED BY
KIMBERLY HAWKINS

Cal State East Bay Professor Albert Gonzalez has long-been fascinated by the community aspect of the “enjarrando” or “mudding” days in Taos, New Mexico where he worked for several years. And now, he’s bringing that tradition to the East Bay with a scientific twist. Gonzalez and several of his archeology undergraduates are studying the physical and chemical properties of adobe bricks in hopes of gleaning information that will allow archaeologists to differentiate between adobe used to build walls versus ovens. The distinction may seem obvious, but as Gonzalez points out, when you’re digging for dirt, in dirt, it can all start to look the same.

“They end up buried like all the other artifacts, and we have to make them out from the dirt around them, but the tricky part is they’re made of dirt too,” he said. “You run your trowel over adobe, and it feels like dirt so it takes specialists to know what to look for or you’ll just dig through walls.”

Once the research is concluded, the team will design and build a life-size adobe brick oven at Peralta Hacienda Historical Park in Oakland which Gonzalez hopes will draw the community to a Taos-style enjarrando event.

In Taos, Gonzalez said, families often have a designated person

who can find the type of dirt needed to build adobe, simply by feel. But at Cal State East Bay, there’s more science (and students) involved. On a recent day in the lab, undergraduate student Hai Vo was bent over a beehive-shaped structure built using bricks without straw. He carefully spread mortar between them, building up the oven layer by layer.

Vo is a biology major and never planned on working in archeology. But after taking a class with Gonzalez and starting to work on the bricks project, he decided to pursue a graduate degree in archeology. “I was just interested in this and wanted to learn more, and now I’m directing the construction of the second oven,” Vo said. Gonzalez says the two degrees should have a natural crossover and serve him well given the importance of soil science in archaeology.

In addition to the work happening in the university’s archaeology lab, Gonzalez has developed a flourishing partnership with Peralta. The park is the only six acres of what’s left of an original 44,800-acre 1820 land grant rancho spanning what would become eight cities stretching from Albany to San Leandro. And at one point it was home to adobes. But in the 1890s, a group of Boy Scouts took down one of the remaining adobe structures, moved the bricks and used them to build a scout hut at nearby Dimond

Park. All that remains of the hut is four walls — three made of wood and one of adobe.

Now, 122 years later, Peralta wants the wall back. In the coming year, the historic park will be working with Gonzalez, his students and the public to move the wall from Dimond Park back to Peralta. Gonzalez’s team will excavate the bricks, and the park will hold a competition for local artists to use them in a

newly-designed installation.

Once the bricks are moved and testing of the ovens at Cal State East Bay is complete, Gonzalez also hopes to build a full-size brick oven at the park with the goal of holding enjarrando-style yearly events celebrating the East Bay’s rich and storied adobe history.

The Cal State East Bay C.E. Smith Museum of Anthropology is hosting an “Acorns, Adobes

and archaeology: Sifting Through the East Bay’s Past” exhibit. The museum, located on campus at 25800 Carlos Bee Blvd., Hayward, is open 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays through June 5. Admission is to the museum is free, and parking on campus is \$10 per day or \$2 per hour. For more information visit their website at www.class.csueastbay.edu/anthropologymuseum/.

Hidden treasures

SUBMITTED BY OLIVE HYDE GALLERY

To celebrate the diverse, artistic talents in the Bay Area, the Hidden Treasures, Local Talent exhibition, running through June 9, features new to experienced Californian artists who specialize in various types of artmaking. This bi-annual exhibit at the Olive Hyde Art Gallery is a completely open call show, featuring art-makers around the bay and in our community. Participating Artists:

Patricia Moran, Giorgiani Mathey, Randy Garber, Durba Sen, Emi Tabuchi, Mary Sullivan, Sandra Clark, Thomas Cory, Shone Chacko, Mamta Kumar, Prajakta Mahajan, Anshoo Tikoo Zutshi, Don Ramie, Barbara Cronin, Robyn Leimer, Mitch Neto, Vasanthi Victor, Barbara Schlein, Jeff Ishikawa, James O’-Donnell, Mingchien Liang, Kiyoko Penso, Seema Gupta, Susan Helmer, Grace Rankin, Bhavna Misra, Deborah May Adams, Hetal Anjaria, Peter Lan-

genbach, Maureen Langenbach, Dmitry Grudsky, and Vanessa Cudmore.

Olive Hyde Art Gallery is located right off Mission Blvd. in Fremont, directly across the street from Mission San Jose.

Hidden Treasures Local Talent Through Saturday, Jun 9 Thursday – Sunday: 12:00 noon – 5:00 p.m. Olive Hyde Art Gallery 123 Washington Blvd, Fremont Free



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Memorial Day: Remembering those who sacrificed all

In the wake of the Civil War (1861-1865) the heavy loss of life weighed heavily upon the American psyche. In the aftermath, a movement under the leadership of women's groups expanded on the Southern tradition of Decoration Days, local events in which communities payed homage to their lost loved ones by decorating their graves.

Both the 1865 assassination of Lincoln and the loss of 600,000 soldiers in the Civil War, precipitated remembrance ceremonies across the reunited country. 1865 also saw the federal government's creation of the first national military cemeteries. In 1868, the Grand Army of the Republic, an organization of Union veterans founded in Decatur, Illinois, formally established Decoration Day.

By 1882, "Decoration Day" was also known as "Memorial Day," but that was still not the most common name for it until Memorial Day became the official name in 1967. In 1968, Congress passed the Uniform Monday Holiday Act, moving four holidays, including Memorial Day, from their traditional dates to a Monday in order to create a convenient three-day weekend. Memorial Day moved from its traditional May 30 date to the last Monday in May.

Castro Valley:

The Castro Valley VFW will stage its sixth annual Memorial

Day commemoration at the Castro Valley Veterans Memorial, located at Castro Valley Community Center. Currently, the memorial displays the names of 23 Castro Valley natives who were killed in action.

Veterans Memorial's Memorial Day Event

Monday, May 28
9 a.m.

Castro Valley Veterans Memorial
3683 Quail Avenue
Castro Valley
Free

Fremont:

Cedar Lawn Cemetery and Lima Family Milpitas Fremont Mortuary will once again partner with American Legion 837 to honor those who have served and sacrificed. Local community leaders and elected officials and veteran's organizations will come together for the event, which will feature a wreath ceremony performed by Boy Scout Troop 47, performance of Taps, presentation of colors, the Scouts band, and a free barbecue lunch.

Lima Family
Milpitas-Fremont Mortuary
Monday, May 28
10 a.m.
Cedar Lawn Memorial Park
48800 Warm Springs Blvd,
Fremont
(408) 263-2868
www.LimaFamilyCedarLawn.com
Free

Ardenwood Farm

Celebrate the holiday with an admission-free day of fun! Help

with farm chores, ride the train, and tour the Victorian farmhouse. Taste some farm-baked cookies from our outdoor wood stove, try your skills at some old-time games and visit with the goats, sheep, chickens and bunnies.

Memorial Day Free Day

Monday, May 28
10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd,
Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org
Free

Coyote Hills

Drop by the Coyote Hills Visitor Center. The park turns 50 this year and the staff is presenting a three-day mini-series of history. Saturday is all about salt harvesting; Sunday is on wildlife stewardship over the years, and Monday will feature Bev Ortiz and Ohlone volunteers who will talk about the long Ohlone presence in the Coyote Hills area.

Coyote Hills History
Celebration
Saturday, May 26, 1 p.m.
History of Salt harvesting
Sunday, May 27, 2 p.m.
Wildlife Biologist
Dave Riensche
Monday, May 28, 1 – 4 p.m.
Ohlone panel with Bev Ortiz
Coyote Hills
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd,
Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org
Parking: \$5

Hayward:

Lone Tree Cemetery invites all to their 115th Annual Memorial Day event. There will be a special guest speaker. Many councilmembers, the mayor, and other elected officials are expected to attend. There will be a helicopter flyover, complementary juice and doughnuts in the morning, and BBQ in the afternoon. Music will be provided by the Hayward Municipal Band.

Lone Tree Cemetery Memorial Day Event

Monday, May 28
11:00 a.m.
Lone Tree Cemetery
24591 Fairview Ave, Hayward
(510) 582-1274
www.lonetreecemetery.com
Free

The Chapel of the Chimes Cemetery will once again partner up with Castro Valley VFW to stage an hour-long Memorial Day service. There will be a special guest speaker, along with the Marine Corps Color Guard, bagpipers, and hot dogs for attendees.

Memorial Day Service
Monday, May 28
2 p.m.
Chapel of the Chimes Cemetery
32992 Mission Blvd, Hayward
(510) 471-3363
http://hayward.chapelofthechimes.com/
Free

Milpitas:

Milpitas will celebrate those who have made the ultimate

sacrifice at Civic Center Veterans Plaza. There will be a presentation of the colors by Knights of Columbus, 21-Gun Salute, and Remembrance Chair. Refreshments will be made available.

Memorial Day Ceremony

Monday, May 28
9 a.m. – 11 a.m.

Civic Center Veterans Plaza
457 E. Calaveras Blvd, Milpitas
(408) 586-3210
https://www.eventbrite.com/e/memorial-day-ceremony-tickets-42542169775
Free

Sunol:

The Niles Canyon Railway invites community members to come out and ride the rails this Memorial Day. They are honoring service men and women by offering a free ride to active and former military personnel.

Memorial Day Train Rides

Sunday, May 27
10:30 a.m., 12:30p.m. &
2:30 p.m.

Niles Canyon Railway Sunol Station

6 Kilkare Rd, Sunol
11:20 a.m. & 1:20 p.m.
Niles Canyon Railway, Niles Station
37029 Mission Blvd, Fremont
(510) 996-8420
www.ncry.org
Tickets: \$8 - \$14; military personnel ride free May 27

Graduation Ceremonies

High school and college seniors are about to move their tassels and toss graduation caps as the school year comes to a close and they move on to the next chapter in life. Best wishes to all graduates as they embark upon new endeavors! The following is a list of college and high school graduation ceremonies scheduled in the greater Tri-City area:

College Graduations:

CSU East Bay College of Science

Friday, Jun 8
5:00 p.m.
College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences
Saturday, Jun 9
10:00 a.m.
College of Business and Economics, College of Education and Allied Studies
Sunday, Jun 10
10:00 a.m.
Hayward Campus, Pioneer Stadium
25800 Carlos Bee Blvd, Hayward

CSU East Bay Concord Campus Ceremony

Saturday, Jun 9
6:00 p.m.
Boatwright Sports Complex
800 Alberta Way at Campus Dr, Concord

Chabot College

Friday, May 25
1st session: 4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
2nd session: 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Chabot College, Performing Arts Center
25555 Hesperian Blvd, Hayward

DeVry University

Friday, Jun 8
11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Chabot College
25555 Hesperian Blvd, Hayward

Life Chiropactic College West

Friday, Jun 15
6:00 p.m.
Standard Process Assembly Hall
Life Chiropactic College West
25001 Industrial Blvd, Hayward?

Northwestern Polytechnic University

Saturday, Jun 2
8:00 a.m.
(Doors close at 9:00 a.m.)
Grand Ballroom
DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel
Newark/Fremont

39900 Balentine Dr, Newark

High School Graduations:

Castro Valley:

Castro Valley High School

Thursday, Jun 7
6:00 p.m.
Trojan Stadium
19400 Santa Maria Ave, Castro Valley

Fremont:

American High School

Thursday, Jun 14
7:00 p.m.
Tak Fudenna Stadium
38442 Fremont Blvd, Fremont

California School for the Deaf

Friday, Jun 1
2:30 p.m.
Large Gym
39350 Gallaudet Dr, Fremont

Circle of Independent Learning (COIL) Charter School

Tuesday, Jun 12
7:00 p.m.
Fremont Adult School, Multipurpose Room
4700 Calaveras Ave, Fremont

Fremont Adult School/Continuing Ed ESL Ceremonies

Wednesday, Jun 6
Session 1: 9:30 a.m. – 12 noon
Session 2: 7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Fremont Adult School, Multipurpose Room
4700 Calaveras Ave, Fremont

Fremont Christian School

Saturday, Jun 2
10:00 a.m.
Harbor Light Sanctuary
4760 Thornton Ave, Fremont

Irvington High School

Thursday, Jun 14
3:00 p.m.
Tak Fudenna Stadium
38442 Fremont Blvd, Fremont

John F. Kennedy High School

Wednesday, Jun 13
7:30 p.m.
Tak Fudenna Stadium
38442 Fremont Blvd, Fremont

Mission San Jose High School

Thursday, Jun 14
10:00 a.m.
Tak Fudenna Stadium
38442 Fremont Blvd, Fremont

Robertson High School

Tuesday, Jun 12
5:00 p.m.
At school site
4455 Seneca Park Ave, Fremont

Washington High School

Wednesday, Jun 13
3:00 p.m.
Tak Fudenna Stadium
38442 Fremont Blvd, Fremont?

Hayward:

Conley-Caraballo High School

Monday, Jun 11
6:00 p.m.
At school site
541 Blanche St, Hayward

East Bay Arts High School

Wednesday, Jun 13
7:30 p.m.
At school site
20450 Royal Ave, Hayward

Hayward High School

Tuesday, Jun 12
5:30 p.m.
CSU East Bay, University Stadium
25800 Carlos Bee Blvd, Hayward

Moreau Catholic High School

Sunday, May 27
10:00 a.m.
Paramount Theatre
2025 Broadway, Oakland

Mt. Eden High School

Thursday, Jun 14
5:30 p.m.
At the school
2300 Panama St, Hayward

Royal Sunset High School

Wednesday Jun 13
5:30 p.m.
At school site
20450 Royal Ave, Hayward

Tennyson High School

Wednesday, Jun 13
6:00 p.m.
On campus
27035 Whitman Street, Hayward

Milpitas:

Calaveras Hills High School

Thursday, Jun 7
6:30 p.m.
Milpitas High School Theater
1285 Escuela Pkwy, Milpitas

Milpitas High School

Friday, Jun 8
6:00 p.m.
School football field
1285 Escuela Pkwy, Milpitas

Newark:

Newark Memorial High School

Saturday, Jun 16
9:00 a.m.
Cougar Stadium
39375 Cedar Blvd, Newark

San Leandro/ San Lorenzo:

Arroyo High School

Wednesday, Jun 13
6:00 p.m.
On the field
25555 Hesperian Blvd, Hayward

Lincoln Alternative Education Center

Monday, Jun 4
2:00 p.m.
Arts Education Center,
San Leandro High School
2250 Bancroft Ave, San Leandro

San Leandro High School

Thursday, Jun 7
12:30 p.m.
Burrell Field
2200 Bancroft Ave, San Leandro
San Leandro

San Lorenzo High School

Wednesday, Jun 13
6:00 p.m.
Paramount Theatre
2025 Broadway, Oakland

Union City:

James Logan High School

Saturday, Jun 16
9:00 a.m.
On the field
1800 H St, Union City

Union City Christian Academy

Wednesday, Jun 13
7:00 p.m.
At school site
33700 Alvarado-Niles Rd,
Union City

Summer travel season in record numbers

SUBMITTED BY MICHAEL BLASKY

Memorial Day weekend is right around the corner, and Californians are expected to kick off the unofficial start of summer in record numbers. According to AAA's first travel forecast of the summer, nearly 5.2 million Californians are projected to travel over the upcoming three-day weekend. This is an increase of 5.3 percent from last year and the highest number on record for the holiday. AAA projects that 41.5 million Americans will travel nationwide, nearly 5 percent more than last year and the most in more than a dozen years.

For those traveling by car, INRIX, a global transportation analytics company, in collaboration with AAA, predicts drivers will experience the greatest amount of congestion on Thursday, May 24 and Friday, May 25 in the late afternoon as commuters leave work early and mix with holiday travelers. Several major U.S. metros, including Los Angeles and San Francisco, could experience double the travel times compared to a normal trip.

The 88 percent of travelers choosing to drive will pay the most expensive Memorial Day gas prices since 2014. California gas prices are nearly 70 cents higher compared to last year, due to expensive crude oil, record gasoline demand, and shrinking global supply.

Travelers can expect some relief in their wallets when paying for car rentals and most mid-range hotels. According to AAA's Leisure Travel Index, the average daily cost of a car rental this Memorial Day is the lowest rate in the past four years and 11 percent cheaper than last year at an average at \$59. Travelers will also save on AAA Three Diamond hotels, which are trending 14 percent less expensive than last year, with an average rate of \$186 nightly.

Before setting out for Memorial Day, download the free AAA Mobile app. Travelers can use the app to map a route, find the lowest gas prices, make travel arrangements, access exclusive member discounts, request roadside assistance and more. Learn more at www.AAA.com/mobile.

Fremont Art Association subject of presentation

GRACE RANKIN TO SPEAK AT
MUSEUM OF LOCAL HISTORY
SUBMITTED BY AL MINARD

Washington Township Historical Society is proud and honored to have Grace Rankin, historian of the Fremont Art Association (FAA) talk about herself and the FAA on Monday, May 28 at the Washington Township Historical Society bi-monthly meeting. Next year, the Fremont Art Association next will celebrate 60 years of providing art classes, shows,

training, and exhibitions. Grace Rankin worked nearly 20 years as a registered nurse at Washington Hospital. During that time, she became interested in art and began painting, eventually joining the FAA to get lessons and exhibit her work. After retirement, she traveled around the country with her husband in their motor home, stopping along the way to visit art museums. Grace doesn't take herself too seriously: "The only thing you have to do to become an artist," she says, "is to do some

art work and then call yourself an artist." The Fremont Art Association next year will celebrate 60-years of continuous operation as an artist organization. The FAA first met in people's homes and then in small community centers then outgrew that and moved into a gallery next to Bronco Billy's in Niles, then a few years ago Bronco Billy moved them out and they moved to their current gallery at 37697 Niles Boulevard. The FAA held art shows first at Glenmoor gardens, then at the

Hub. The City took over the Art & Wine, moving it to Paseo Padre where it reappears each year as the Fremont Festival of the Arts, one of California's largest art and wine festivals. The Association has also provided art classes to students at Parkmont and Olivera School, offering art scholarships to deserving students. Currently, the rear of the art gallery serves as a classroom for artists young and old to learn and improve their skills. Don't miss this educational

and entertaining opportunity to learn about the Fremont Art Association and Grace Rankin. Be sure to check out the FAA's website at www.FremontArtAssociation.org or find them on Facebook.

**Meeting with Grace Rankin
Monday May 28
7:15 p.m.
Washington Township Museum
of Local History
190 Anza St, Fremont
This is a FREE event;
refreshments after the meeting**

Introduction to Tarot board game

SUBMITTED BY NATHAN SILVA

Tarot, anyone? Might you have a nagging question or issue? Join practical-mystic, Amber Jayanti to play this fun-filled, educational tarot board game designed to open participants both to problem solving and learning the basics of the Qabalistic Tarot's Ageless Wisdom. Amber Jayanti is the founder of the International School for Tarot & Qabalah Study in 1975, and author of, 'Living the Qabalistic Tarot,' 'Tarot For Dummies,' and 'Principles of Qabalah.' She has been living, studying, writing about, consulting with, and teaching these subjects for more than 40 years. Her spare time is dedicated to socio-political activism.

**Introduction to Tarot
Saturday, Jun 2
2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Beginners only, group size limited to nine
Castro Valley Library
3600 Norbridge Ave., Castro Valley
For more information or to register:
(510) 667-7900 or www.aclibrary.org
Free
(ASL interpreter for any event
with at least seven working days' notice)**

New teacher joins Summer Art Camp



Brandy Deirlin Tompkins joins Sun Gallery Summer Art Camp teachers.

SUBMITTED BY DORSI DIAZ

Every year something magical happens at the Sun Gallery – summer turns into a creative adventure for over 70 kids at the gallery's annual Summer Art Camp. This year the gallery is excited to have a new teacher on board, Brandy Deirlin Tompkins. Teachers are specially selected each year for their areas of expertise in certain subjects and themes. Tompkins, a long-time artist and animal and pet lover, will kick off camp this year with her "Pets and Animal Week," June 18 – 22. "I grew up in San Diego and traveled to the San Joaquin Valley to a very small town named Springville. Every month my family visited a beautiful ranch where there were horses to ride, rivers and lakes to swim in and other animals and nature all around," says Tompkins. "I was born an artist and an animal lover my family would tell you. Starting in preschool I remember making apple dolls, being on a pottery wheel and making plastic plates with my own drawings on them that I cherish today." "With the love of being an artist, I teach others. For the love of animals, I became a pet portrait artist and for the artist I

have become, I am an art teacher today," says Tompkins. "I teach at the Green Forest Art studio in Union City, the Sun Gallery in Hayward, and recently started to work for the Hayward Chamber of Commerce teaching adults to paint." In addition to Tompkins' class, the gallery will also have other week-specific themes with talented teachers Jessica Ringlein Doerr (mixed media), Sara Doerr (anime, cartooning, manga), Henry Call (music, art), Richard Silveira (STEAM science, art, history), Christine Bender (recycled art, mixed media), Darrien Cabreana and Johnny Hargrove (drama, performing arts), Laurie Costa (carnival arts), plus Sun Gallery's Saturday Free Family Art teacher Linda Lens (book-making and illustration). Sun Gallery's art camp runs for nine weeks and offers full weeks and half-day weeks with limited drop in days. Through the end of May the gallery is offering a "buy two weeks and get the third week free" promotion for kids that "just can't get enough art in one week." A limited number of scholarships are also available for families that would love to send their art-loving child to camp but are financially unable to. For scholarship information, call the gallery at (510) 581-4050. For more information or to sign up, visit www.sungallery.org.

**Summer Art Camp
Monday, Jun 18 – Friday,
Aug 17
9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Sun Gallery
1015 E St, Hayward
(510) 581-4050
www.sungallery.org
Fee: \$275 full session, \$150
half day, \$65 one day drop in**

Artful Steps to artistic growth on display

SUBMITTED BY DAVIS STREET

The Stepping Stones Growth Center of the Davis Street Family Resource Center, a nonprofit social services agency for children with special needs, is proud to announce its Annual Spring Art

Fremont News Briefs

SUBMITTED BY
CHERYL GOLDEN

Children's Mental Health Awareness Day Art Competition
To celebrate the National Children's Mental Health Awareness Day on May 10, 2018, the City of Fremont Human Services Department, Youth and Family Services Division in partnership with Fremont Unified School District, and with support from Kaiser Permanente hosted an inaugural FUSD Student Art competition with the theme of 'Sharing Feelings and Hope.' Seventy submissions were received from FUSD students. With the help of a five-person judging panel made up of City Human Relations commissioners, local parent and community leaders, and a professional artist/designer, five winners, six runners-up, and 21 honorable mentions were selected for recognition and awards.

The work of these students was displayed at an art exhibition and celebration event at the Fremont Family Resource Center on May 10. Mayor Lily Mei and FUSD Board of Education Student Member Zuhair Imaduddin gave out prizes and acknowledged the students. All submitted artwork will be posted on the Youth and Family Services' Instagram page at www.Instagram.com/FremontYouthWellness, as well as some submissions on the City website at www.Fremont.gov/YFSEvents and on the FRC Facebook page www.Facebook.com/Fremont-FRC. Original student artwork will also be displayed at the Fremont Family Resource Center, Youth and Family Services Division, and Fremont Unified School District as well as other community locations through the end of the school year. For more information, contact Annie Bailey or Joyce Lim at Fremont Youth and Family Services at (510) 574-2100.

Summer Camps at California Nursery Historical Park
New this summer, Fremont Recreation will offer five camp options for youth ages 7 to 12 years at the 20-acre California Nursery Historical Park. Campers will learn and experience the

history, flora, and fauna of the park through fact and fantasy fun. Camps will be held outside under the shady tree canopies. Each camp will run from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. with afternoon extended care available for an additional fee. Camp options include a different focus each week: Birds, Bugs, and Burrowing Animals (June 18-22): Focus on animals/insects living in the park Robin Hood's Garden (June 25-29): Focus on the Boxed Tree Forest California History and Horticulture (July 9-13): Highlighting the importance of Niles horticulture Alice's Wonderland (July 16-20): Learning about the beautiful rose garden Niles All Around Us! (July 23-27): Learning about what Niles offers With five fun and educational options from which to choose, you may want to register for them all! To register, visit www.RegeRec.com.

Free Bicycle Skills Classes
Bike East Bay will be hosting two Bicycle Safety Education classes in June at the Fremont Main Library. The two-hour classes are intended for bicyclists of any skill level. Learn basic rules of the road, how to equip your bicycle, fit your helmet, take a bike on transit, and avoid crashes by riding predictably, visibly, and communicating with other road users by your actions and signals. No bike required. Participants receive a free reflective vest. Advance registration is requested on Bike East Bay's website (below).

**Saturday, June 9
10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Fremont Main Library, Fukaya Room A
2400 Stevenson Blvd.
Register for the June 9 Fremont class at
<https://bikeeastbay.org/civicism/event/info?reset=1&id=1227>

Tuesday, June 19
6:30 p.m.- 8:30 p.m.
Fremont Main Library, Fukaya Room A
2400 Stevenson Blvd.
Register for the June 19 Fremont class at <https://bikeeastbay.org/civicism/event/info?reset=1&id=1228>.**

Fremont Budget Hearing Dates
The City of Fremont's proposed operating budget for the next fiscal year, which runs July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019, was presented to the City Council at their regularly scheduled Council meeting on May 15. The first public hearing to comment will be held on June 5, and the second hearing and adoption is on June 12. Both public hearings are part of the Council meeting and will begin at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 3300 Capitol Ave., Building A. To view the proposed operating budget visit www.Fremont.gov/1819ProposedOperatingBudget.

Vote-by-Mail Box in Front of Fremont City Hall
Vote by mail voters who do not want to mail in their ballot can drop their voted ballots off, in the Vote-by-Mail box, in front of Fremont City Hall, located at 3300 Capitol Ave., as well as other drop-off sites throughout Alameda County. If using the Vote-by-Mail Box, please keep in mind that ballots do not need postage if dropping off; the box closes at 8 p.m. on Election Day; and remember to sign the back of the envelope. For a list of drop-off sites throughout Alameda County visit www.acgov.org/rov/maps/ballot-dropbox_map.htm.

Spend an Afternoon with Us!
Discover the true lake experience by boat with Central Park's boat rentals. Paddle boats are available on weekends and holidays through August, 12 p.m. - 5 p.m. Starting in mid-June through approximately mid-August, boats will be available daily. The paddle boat is easy to operate and is a favorite family-oriented activity. Paddle boats can accommodate up to four people and can be rented for \$12 per 30 minutes. Sailing camps for youth ages 9 to 13 are available (sailboats provided). For more information about paddle boat rentals, boat regulations, and sailing camps, visit www.Fremont.gov/Boating, email centralpark@fremont.gov, or call (510) 790-5541.

Curbside Container Set-out



Do you help with household chores? Maybe its your job to take out the garbage, recycle, and organics each week? Here are a few helpful reminders for cart set-out.

- * Set out carts before 6 a.m. on your collection day
- * Lids closed with wheels against the curb
- * Place carts 2 feet apart to provide enough space for the driver to service



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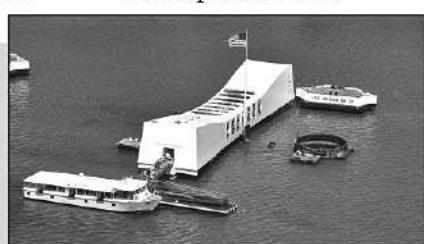
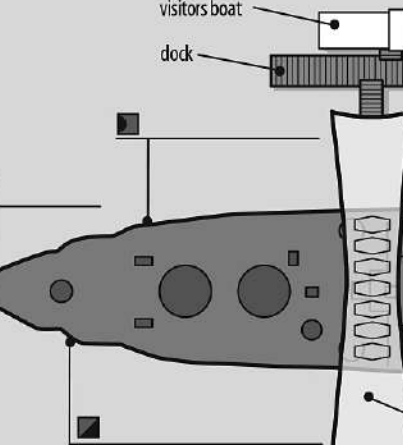
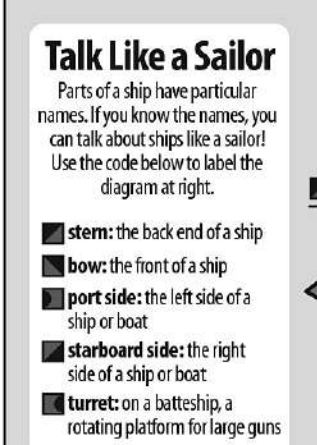
USS Arizona and the Battleship Missouri

There is a sunken U.S. Navy ship in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

The *USS Arizona* battleship was sunk when Japan attacked Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941. The attack caused the U.S. to join the fighting in World War II.

More than 1,000 sailors and marines died that day. Many of them remain with their ship under the harbor. And many Pearl Harbor survivors choose to be placed with their fellow crew members when they die.

From a building constructed above the water, visitors can see the *USS Arizona* under the harbor's clear ocean waters. This is the *USS Arizona Memorial*, which opened in 1962.



Talk Like a Sailor

Parts of a ship have particular names. If you know the names, you can talk about ships like a sailor! Use the code below to label the diagram at right.

- **stem:** the back end of a ship
- **bow:** the front of a ship
- **port side:** the left side of a ship or boat
- **starboard side:** the right side of a ship or boat
- **turret:** on a battleship, a rotating platform for large guns

Battleship Missouri

Replace the missing words.

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Not far from the *USS Arizona* Memorial, the *Battleship Missouri* is open for _____. Aboard this ship, Japan and the United States and their Allies signed _____ to end World War II.

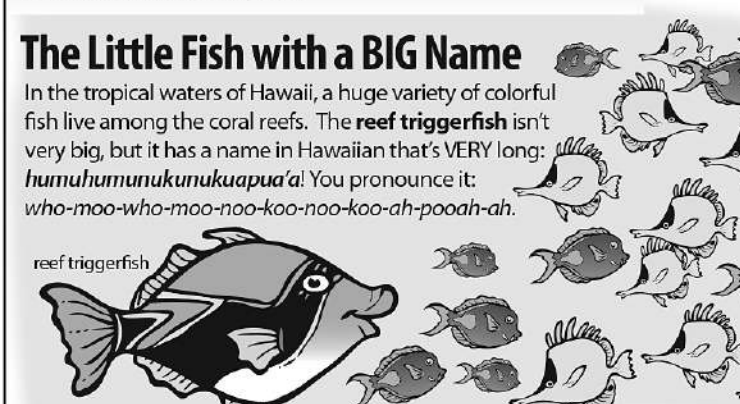
General Douglas MacArthur led the ceremony and he was the last person to _____ the "Instruments of Surrender." He concluded the ceremony by saying: "Let us pray that _____ be now restored to the _____, and that God will preserve it always. These proceedings are closed!" And with those words, World War II was officially over.



Gen. MacArthur signs papers ending World War II aboard the *USS Missouri*.

The Little Fish with a BIG Name

In the tropical waters of Hawaii, a huge variety of colorful fish live among the coral reefs. The **reef triggerfish** isn't very big, but it has a name in Hawaiian that's VERY long: *humuhumunukunukuapua'a*! You pronounce it: *who-moo-who-moo-noo-koo-noo-koo-ah-pooah-ah*.



Graph It!

Color a space on this graph for each fish you count. Which fish appears most?

3	9	7	5	9	1	7	3	5	5	1	3	1
5	4	9	2	8	4	5	2	6	2	5	8	7
9	8	5	8	3	8	9	1	3	6	5	4	7
3	6	3	4	2	6	9	3	5	8	3	2	3
7	8	1	5	1	8	5	7	1	4	9	8	1
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Extra! Extra!

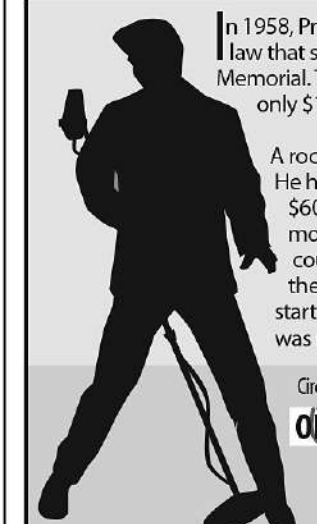
Patriotic Collage

Look through today's newspaper for pictures and words that show love of your country. Cut these out and glue onto a sheet of paper to make as Patriotic Collage.

Standards Link: Language Arts: Identify synonyms in reading.



Kid Scoop Puzzler



In 1958, President Dwight Eisenhower signed a law that started fundraising for the *USS Arizona* Memorial. Their goal was to raise \$500,000, but only \$155,000 had been raised by 1960.

A rock and roll legend solved the problem. He held a concert in Hawaii that raised over \$60,000. But the concert raised more than money – it made people across the country aware of the *USS Arizona* and the drive to build a memorial. Donations started coming in and the full \$500,000 was raised by September, 1961.

Circle every other letter to reveal this rock legend's name:

O E G L M V T I C S Y P N R K E B S V L U E S Y

E _____

Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

Kid Scoop Word Search

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

L	I	R	U	O	S	S	I	M	O
N	A	H	A	W	A	I	I	A	P
T	I	I	A	O	P	N	A	I	L
P	E	A	R	R	E	H	K	L	
Y	L	M	I	O	B	S	A	R	E
E	V	M	Z	W	M	O	A	C	W
N	I	A	O	O	A	E	R	R	E
O	S	U	N	K	P	R	M	I	R
M	A	N	A	E	C	O	S	L	C

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

Kid Scoop Together: Symbols of Service

Do the math to discover which emblem represents each branch of the United States military.

25 =	Department of the Air Force
32 =	United States Coast Guard
27 =	Department of the Navy
35 =	Department of the Army
29 =	United States Marine Corps



Standards Link: Civics: Know how various symbols are used to depict Americans' shared values.

FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

Memory Game

Ask a friend to study a picture in the newspaper for one minute. Then cover the picture and have your friend write down as many details as they can remember. Now reverse roles and you try.

Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

Our debt to the heroic men and valiant women in the service of our country can never be repaid. They have earned our undying gratitude. America will never forget their sacrifices.

—PRESIDENT HARRY S. TRUMAN

Write On!

REMEMBERING THE SCHOOL YEAR

Write a paragraph about what you remember most about this school year.



Think Fremont



Students Successfully Complete Fremont Green Challenge Competition

In the seven weeks leading up to Earth Day 2018, more than 50 youth across all five Fremont high schools competed in teams to sign up new households to the City's Fremont Green Challenge platform, www.FremontGreen-Challenge.org. The platform provides information on reducing emissions, conserving water, and saving money by going green.

Collectively, the students earned over 200 service learning hours and signed up 1,427 households! The top two teams, Green Go Getters from American High School and Ex-Static for Change from Mission San Jose High School, will be awarded



first place prizes and all participating teams will receive zero waste kits.

Supported by the City of Fremont and the Fremont Unified School District, the competition was organized by FIERCE, a District-wide environmental club led by

Fremont high school students with the goal of fostering interest in sustainability and the environment for youth and the Fremont community. Students first met in February at the kick-off Sustainability Dinner, hosted in partnership with StopWaste, where they

learned about the importance of consumption habits and organized teams from there. Students then engaged community members on the Challenge and the many ways households can reduce their impact without sacrificing their lifestyle or wallet.

Students were recognized for their efforts at the Joint Fremont City Council/ Fremont Unified School District Board of Education Meeting on May 7. An additional celebration will occur at City of Fremont offices on Friday, June 1 from 4:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. For more information about this effort, visit www.Fremont.gov/FGCCCompetitionResults.

The City is pleased to partner with FUSD students who are passionate about sustainability and motivated to take climate action into their own hands. With the help of these students, Fremont will become a healthier and greener community!

Irvington BART Station Community Meeting

Planning continues for the future Irvington BART Station, and we need your input! The City of Fremont and BART are seeking community feedback on design alternatives for the future Irvington BART Station.

A community meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 23, 2018 at 7 p.m. at the Fremont Main Library (Fukaya Room), located at 2400 Stevenson Blvd. A public online survey will be conducted following the community meeting.

The Irvington BART Station will be located at the intersection of Washington Boulevard and



Osgood Road, approximately halfway between the existing Fremont BART Station and the Warm Springs/South Fremont BART Station.

For more information, please visit www.Fremont.gov/IrvingtonBART.

Schedule a Free Bulky Goods Pickup

Fremont residents of single-family homes with individual curbside service are eligible for two free on-call bulky goods pickups annually. Items collected include large appliances, microwave ovens, furniture, and electronic waste such as computers and televisions. No hazardous materials like car batteries, pesticides, and paint, or construction and demolition debris like concrete, dirt, and roofing, will be accepted. Call Republic Services for details and to schedule a Bulky Goods appointment.

Fremont residents may also opt to drop off their electronic waste at two locations at no charge:

- Republic Services E-Cycling Center allows residents to bring up to eight items (computer components, portable TVs, DVD players, etc.) on each visit, up to two visits per year. Bring a photo ID and a current garbage or utility bill as proof of residency.
- The Household Hazardous Waste drop-off facility inside the Fremont Recycling and Transfer Station is the public disposal site for electronics and other materials. Residents can bring up to 125 pounds of electronic waste per visit. For more information, call Republic Services at 510-657-3500.



Childcare Available at Discovery Cove

Discovery Cove is a drop-in, hourly childcare center at the Fremont Family Resource Center (FRC) for well children aged 2 to 10 years. It's a great alternative when a regular provider is sick, school is closed for teacher prep days, or when parents need to run errands without their kids.

Discovery Cove is operated by the City's Recreation Services Division - Tiny Tot Program which has offered quality services to Tri-City children for many years. They provide a warm, inviting atmosphere and stimulating, age-appropriate activities.

The childcare center is open Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and children can visit up to 12 hours a week. The fee is \$7 per hour per child and a sibling discount is available.

Discovery Cove is located at the Fremont Family Resource Center at 39155 Liberty St. in Suite H850. For convenient drop-off and pick-up, there are reserved parking spaces in front of Discovery Cove. For more information or to make reservations, call 510-574-2010 or visit www.Fremont.gov/DiscoveryCove



Fremont Street Eats is Back



Fremont Street Eats is making its return to Downtown Fremont for the summer season!

Make sure to swing by this culinary caravan of food trucks every Friday evening from May 4 through October 26 from 4:30 p.m. – 9 p.m. on Capitol Avenue between Liberty and State streets. The event is hosted by the Fremont Chamber of Commerce in partnership with Food Truck Mafia. For additional information, please visit www.FremontStreetEats.com.

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How to apply:

- www.edjoin.org or
 - www.fremont.k12.ca.us
- and clicking on the employment tab
Applicants must pass a Department of Justice background check and Drug Test

QUESTIONS:
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Coyote Hills: treasure and teacher for 50 years

“There are so many people that come here, and that’s a wonderful thing,” says Gomez. “But, obviously, the more people, the more impact. All the little things that people do add up.”

The little things can also add up on the positive side. For instance, creating natural gardens with native plants is a good way to support some of our wild neighbors. People can learn how to make a nature garden in their backyard (or balcony) at the upcoming Bird and Butterfly Festival on Sunday, June 3. There will also be special talks, nature crafts for kids, and a celebration of the park’s 50th anniversary with special exhibits and cake.

Tule elk once roamed Coyote Hills. Condors soared, and the bay was home to plentiful fish, and even sea otters. Those populations will likely never return, but the park is looking to the future and finding ways to provide a rich environment for the current wild residents. Dozens of nest boxes attract Tree Swallows: every spring the boxes are full of new chicks. The park’s ability to expand on similar programs was recently augmented when heirs of the Patterson family donated



nearly 300 acres of land in 2014, valued at \$10M. The land was the largest remaining parcel of developable open space within Fremont.

A conceptual site plan for the expansion approved in February includes

habitat restoration, urban agriculture, and public access improvements, such as relocating the park entrance closer to Paseo Padre Parkway to develop a more prominent entry point to the park.

Whatever the final result, it will contrast greatly with attitudes of 50 years ago. In her research of the park’s history, Gomez came across plans submitted by an outside developer back in the 1960s. “It had a golf course, a boat launch, a swimming lagoon, and all sorts of built amenities. Even in the dedication of the park, there was a mention—almost an apology—that the

park is ‘virtually useless marshland’ whose value will rise as it gets developed.”

In addition to the Butterfly & Bird Festival there will be a History Celebration May 26 through May 28. “We’re giving a little history mini-series,” says Gomez. “We’re talking about salt harvesting on Saturday. Sunday is all about wildlife stewardship at the park over the years, with one of the district’s wildlife biologists, Dave “Doc Quack” Riensche, and on Monday Bev Ortiz, cultural services coordinator and founder of the Ohlone Gathering, and a panel of Ohlone will talk about their involvement with park.”

Coyote Hills History
Celebration
Saturday, May 26 – Monday,
May 28
1 p.m. – 4 p.m.

May 26, 1:00 – 1:30 p.m.: History
of salt harvesting
May 27, 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.:
Wildlife stewardship
May 28, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.:
Ohlone panel

Coyote Hills Regional Park
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Hayward Chamber of Commerce
22561 Main St., Hayward
(510) 538-2787
www.haywardartscouncil.org

Saturday, Mar 10 – Sunday, Oct 28

Loyal Americans: Japanese American Imprisonment During WWII

History exhibition
HAHS Gallery
22392 Foothill Blvd., Hayward
(510) 581-0223

Friday, Mar 23 – Friday, May 25

Art IS Education Exhibition

Monday – Friday: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Hayward student artwork
John O'Lague Galleria
Hayward City Hall
777 B St, Hayward
(510) 538-2787
www.haywardartscouncil.org

Friday, May 25 – Friday, Jul 27

First Impressions

Monday – Friday: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Variety of media from 15 artists
John O'Lague Galleria
Hayward City Hall
777 B St., Hayward
(510) 538-2787
www.haywardartscouncil.org

Friday, Apr 6 – Saturday, Jun 2
#ClimateChange: An Unfolding Emergency

Friday – Sunday: 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Artist Reception
Saturday, Apr 14
1 p.m. – 4 p.m.
20 artists respond to climate change
Sun Gallery
1015 E St, Hayward
(510) 581-4050
www.SunGallery.org

Fridays, May 4 - Oct 26

Downtown Street Eats

4:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Food trucks, beer, and wine
Downtown Fremont
Capitol Ave. Between Fremont Blvd. & State St., Fremont
www.fremontstreeteats.com

Wednesdays, May 9 - Jul 25

Basic Computer Courses for Seniors

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Global Women Power
39159 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Suite 105, Fremont
(844) 779-6636
www.globalwomenpower.com

Thursday, May 11 - Sunday, Jun 9

Hidden Treasures, Local Talent

12 noon - 5 p.m.
California artists display a variety of artwork.
Olive Hyde Art Gallery
123 Washington Blvd., Fremont
(510) 791-4357
www.olivehydeartguild.org

Thursday, May 11 - Sunday, Jun 9

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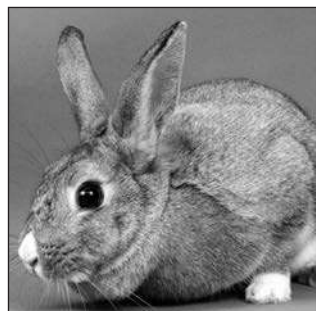
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7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Children's program in Fukaya Room
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Wednesday, May 23
Alameda County Early Learning Spring Symposium
8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
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Wednesday, May 23
Irvington BART Community Meeting
7:00 p.m.
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Wednesday, May 23
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5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
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Thursday, May 24
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Truth Thursdays
5 - 9 p.m.
Food, games, live entertainment
San Leandro Tech Campus
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Thursday, May 24
Art & Wine Night \$R
6:30 pm
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Thursday, May 24
Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month
7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Performance of Balinese dance and music
San Leandro Main Library
300 Estudillo Ave., San Leandro
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(510) 577-3986

Thursday, May 24
Art Reception
5 - 7 p.m.
Variety of art; food and drinks
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22561 Main St., Hayward
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Friday, May 25
Latino Business Roundtable Meeting
8:30 a.m.
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www.hayward.org

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Saturday, May 26
Find that Fox - R
2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Search for the presence of wildlife
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2 - 3 p.m.
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9 a.m. - 11 a.m.
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6:00 – 6:30
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Thursday, May 24
11:30 – 12:30 Our Lady of
Grace, 19920 Anita Ave.,
CASTRO VALLEY
2:15 – 3:15 Cherryland School,
585 Willow Ave., HAYWARD

Monday, May 22
1:45 – 2:45 Delaine School,
34901 Eastin Dr.,
UNION CITY4:15 – 4:45
Contempo Homes,
4190 Gemini Dr., UNION CITY
5:15 – 6:45 Forest Park School,
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Circle, FREMONT

Tuesday, May 23
4:45 – 5:30 Baywood
Apartments, 4275 Bay St.,
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5:50 – 6:30 Jerome Ave. &
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Wednesday, May 24
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25th Asian American Heritage Festival \$
10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Taiko drumming, music, cultural dances and food
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Saturday, May 26
Rabbit Rendezvous \$
1 - 1:30 p.m.
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Saturday, May 26
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7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Dinner for unity and reflection
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Saturday, May 26 - Monday, May 28
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1 - 4 p.m.
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Saturday, May 26
Burger & Brew Fest
11 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Beer, food trucks, vendors, entertainment
Downtown Fremont
Capitol Ave. Between Paseo Padre & State, Fremont
http://www.burgerandbrewfest.com/

Saturday, May 26
Courtney Kolb Magic Show
1 - 2:30 p.m.
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Saturday, May 26
Iwo Jima and the Photo that Changed America
2 - 4:30 p.m.
Film and panel discussion
San Leandro Main Library
300 Estudillo Ave., San Leandro
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Saturday, May 26
Fremont Area Writers Meeting
2 p.m.
Poet, Artist, and Blogger Martha Clark Scala
DeVry University Campus
6600 Dumbarton Cir., Fremont
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Saturday, May 26
Dixie Dominus Traditional Jazz Band
7:00 p.m.
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Saturday, May 26
Wonderful Wetlands
1 - 2 p.m.
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SF Bay Wildlife Refuge - Don Edwards
1 Marshlands Rd., Fremont
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Saturday, May 26
Comedy Shorts Night \$
7:30 p.m.
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10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
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Sunday, May 27
Hens Lay Eggs \$
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Sunday, May 27
Ohlone Village Site Tour
10 a.m. - Noon
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7:15 p.m.
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Balinese Dance

SUBMITTED BY MARY LEE BARR

In celebration of Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month, the San Leandro Public Library will be hosting a performance of Balinese dance and music by the Gadung Kasturi performers. The event will take place on Thursday evening, May 24.

Established in 2007 in California as a non-profit organization, the Gadung Kasturi Balinese Dance and Music Company is committed to preserve, promote and develop the traditional dance and music of Bali, Indonesia, through live performance, workshops, classes, lectures and publications.

Balinese dance is a very ancient dance tradition that is part of the religious and artistic expression among the Balinese people of Bali island, Indonesia. Balinese dance is dynamic, angular and intensely expressive. Balinese dancers express the stories of dance-drama through the gestures of fingers, hands, head and eyes.

Gadung Kasturi Balinese Dance
Thursday, May 24
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
San Leandro Main Library
300 Estudillo Ave, San Leandro.
(510) 577-3971
Free

Memorial service for Castro Valley teen slain 24 years ago

SUBMITTED BY THE
JENNY LIN FOUNDATION

At the 24th anniversary of the loss of Jenny Lin, her family is hosting a memorial service on Friday, May 25 at the Castro Valley Library to honor the teenage girl. Following the 6:15 p.m. ceremony there will be a 7 p.m. candlelight walk through downtown Castro Valley to remind the public about the unsolved murder and to raise awareness about child safety. Everyone is invited to share this special occasion.

A young, talented musician and a straight-A student, Jenny was murdered in her home on May 27, 1994, at the age of 14. This brutal death devastated her family and shocked the community. Jenny’s parents, John and Mei-lian Lin, vowed to continue working with the police until the case is solved, to carry on Jenny’s dreams, and to extend her life in a unique fashion.

For more than 20 years, the Jenny Lin Foundation has offered music scholarships and free music programs to the community each summer, and has organized numerous safety fairs, workshops and contests to raise awareness of child safety issues and to improve safety knowledge and precautions for parents and children.

Last spring, the Foundation embarked on a safety book project in collaboration with the Castro Valley Library. Titles covering a wide range of safety-related topics were added to the library’s book collection. The project was extended to the libraries in San Lorenzo and Union City last fall, and the Foundation is looking to add more Alameda County Library branches in the future.

To date, there is still no arrest or conviction related to Jenny’s murder. However, her family is hopeful that through continuous police effort and public help, this senseless, horrifying case will soon be solved. The recent arrest of the Golden State Killer for crimes committed 40 years ago boosts the family’s hope that one day the killer will be caught. A \$100,000 reward for information leading to the conviction of Jenny’s murderer is available. Anyone with information can call the Alameda County Sheriff’s Department at (510) 667-7721 or the toll-free hotline at (855) 4-JENNY-LIN.

Memorial Service for Jennifer Han-chi Lin
Friday, May 25
6:15 p.m. – Reception
7:00 p.m. – Ceremony
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On May 27 the Mission Peak Wind Symphony (MPWS) closes its season by hosting a spring concert featuring an eclectic selection of music ranging from a commissioned modern piece by composer Xi Wang - ‘Winter Blossom: In memory of Steven Stucky’ - to the raucous thriller, ‘Godzilla Eats Las Vegas’ by Eric Whitacre. Travis Nasatir conducts.

MPWS is proud to welcome guest performance of the Horner Junior High Symphonic Band directed by Mr. Paul Lorigan to open the concert.

High school wind and percussion musicians willing to immerse themselves in challenging repertoire and share their passion for music with their peers form the membership of this stellar

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MPWS Spring Concert
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FALLEN

SUBMITTED BY PAUL COUCHOT

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You here with these dogfaces, Lieutenant? Half of “em” can’t throw a decent salute.

Those chores around the farm are getting to your Dad, Walt. He slumps a bit and walks slower to the house. Could use a hand I think.

Bones, why aren’t you in a corner rolling those worn out dice – your fist full of greenbacks?

Rick, you Saturday night charmer, still have those pictures bulging in your wallet? Never believed you dated half those girls.

Smell the apple pie with all that cinnamon, Charlie? Gramma’s home baking it. There’s a warm slice just waiting.

Hi, John. The kids wonder about you all the time. They’re into Little League now. Could use a good coach. She thinks of you too.

Wake up, Luke, and tell me one of your lame jokes. I don’t mind if I heard it ten times before.

Slick, you’re always two steps ahead of the MPs. Time to bug out, Buddy.

What’s happening here, Top!? You’ve taken these guys to hell and back! This is no place for ‘em! Stir ‘em up! Move ‘em out!

Well! What about it, boys!

What’s a matter with you grunts! I’m talking to you! Are those stone crosses too heavy to lift? Are the Stars of David too big to put aside? Get up you ancient youths, you weary soldiers! Get up you men of honor, you noble souls! Fall in! Form ranks! Would that you could march once more – to home.

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Logan Athletes declare

Congratulations to the fifteen
Logan seniors who signed their

collegiate declarations for next
year to the following schools:

Kenneth Amaral - Holy Names
University - Soccer

Alex Childs- Smith - Wartburg
College - Track & Field

Hannah Hall - University of
Miami - Track & Field

Oscar Lepe - California State
University, Bakersfield - Baseball

Vanessa Mejia - Santa Clara
University - Soccer

Aaron Perez - SF State University
- Wrestling

Ruben Raygoza - Dominican
University - Soccer

Camille Rodriguez - Sonoma
State - Softball

Emily Sandoval - Menlo College
- Wrestling

Zinet Siddiqi - Notre Dame
De Namur - Soccer

Tatiana Toleafoa - California
State University, Fullerton -
Volleyball

Jannae Torres - Fresno State -
Swimming

Kobe Tran - BYU - Tennis

Aundria Vargas - University
of Sioux Falls - Soccer

Cassandra Wenn - California
State University, Stanislaus -
Softball

AES Teacher Wins Reading Association Award

The Alameda County Reading
Association (ACRA) is happy to
announce the winner of its Sybil
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This year's awardee is Lauren
Miceli. She is a 4th grade teacher
at Alvarado Elementary. If you
would like to attend the dinner
celebration contact
Kathy Langham at kathylangham@comcast.net

As part of National Police
Week, the Union City Police De-
partment has sponsored a UCPD
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Haven elementary school stu-
dents have been chosen as

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and their families will be invited
to enjoy with a pizza party at
William Cann Civic Center Park.
The finalists will enjoy a K9
demonstration and then a tour
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artwork will be on display at the
police department.

Pioneer Elementary

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Allison Taing
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Marcos Jung
Gianna Oliva
Ciara Bie
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Guy Emanuele Elementary
 Valeria Navarro

Kitayama Elementary
 Trinity Liu

Delaine Eastin Elementary
 Sylvia Mai
 Olivia Mai

This past weekend, the
badminton mixed doubles team
of Tony Liuzhou and Jessica Fan
took first place at the NCS
Championships! This earned the
pair the right to represent James
Logan at the Northern California
Regional tournament.

In an effort to bring greater
recognition of the achievements
of African American students
within the district, the District
African American Advisory, in
conjunction with the New Haven
Unified School District, will hold
its African American Recognition
and Graduation Ceremony on
Saturday, June 2, 2018, at 2:00
p.m., at the James Logan High
School Pavilion. The ceremony
will recognize students who are
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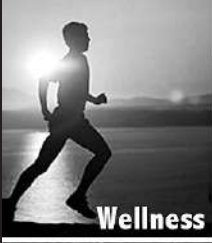
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Teri Johnson isn't a legend just because she's still coaching. In her 33 years of coaching, Johnson is among the top coaches in the Nation for career victories- a winning percentage of .806 - 669 wins, 121 losses.

Teaching and coaching at James Logan High School since 1985, Johnson has built Logan Softball into one of the most competitive programs in the North Coast section. She is one of the most respected coaches in the State, with many accomplishments to supplement 20 League Championships, five North coast section titles, 24 trips to the North Coast section tournament, 31 softball scholarships and coaching an Olympian.

In 2010 Johnson was named the California Coach of the Year, an accolade only four other coaches in the Bay area have received. Last year, Johnson continued her success and went on to lead the Colts to a 26-3 record in her 11th straight 21-win season. For the 2016-17 season Coach Johnson was named California Fastpitch Softball Coach of the year by the National Federation of State High School Associations.



Johnson is sought out by softball coaches around the area to assist with clinics and coaching advice, often leading to her delivering instructional clinics. She is particularly known for hitting techniques, team fielding drills and squad motivational preparation.

She loves teaching the game and taking her girls on fun team bonding excursions. Johnson enjoys the work and is able to communicate with her players, using an encouraging but firm style.

Through her coaching, Johnson teaches sportsmanship, builds teams, and instills positive work ethics both on and off the

field. Her mottos of leaving everything you have on the field so you can say you gave it your all and playing with heart help her players focus on what is important in Logan Softball.

A parent was quoted as saying, "She doesn't just [teach] athletic skills. [Instead] she instills confidence and promotes teamwork [among her players]. She gives of herself personally, [offering] a shoulder to lean on and an ear to listen."

Coach Johnson isn't just a softball coach but works to teach her players about life. Her support of the girls is evident in their achievements. Her records speak for themselves.

Girls Softball

Colts bid a powerful farewell to a local sports icon

SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY
MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

The game between Newark Memorial's Cougars and James Logan's Colts (Union City) was the most important league game of 2018 for both teams - the winner would claim the Mission Valley Athletic League crown. But before the battle on the field began, a moment was shared by all to say goodbye to venerable Colts Coach Teri Johnson who mentored her team for the last time. With a record and list of achievements that will stand the test of time, her players gave her a going away present by starting a scoring barrage in the second inning with the first run of the game, following with five more in the fifth and another in the seventh. Although the Cougars fought back with a run in the fourth inning, there wasn't much they could do against a determined Colts squad. Final score: James Logan 7, Newark Memorial 1.



Boys Volleyball

A team of destiny

ARTICLE AND PHOTOS BY MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

It was clear from the first day of the 2018 Volleyball season that the Irvington Vikings (Fremont) were destined for greatness. With dominance the greater Tri-City area hasn't seen for many years, Vikings preeminence on the court was evident as they rolled over Mission Valley Athletic League competition; the dream of a North Coast Section crown became a definite possibility. Even when faced with unfavorable games that appeared to doom them to also ran status, they always seemed to dig deep for and unlock an irresistible will to win... and they did!

The dream became a reality on May 17th as the final test against the powerful Amador Valley Dons put them to the test. Blazing speed and power appeared to stun the Vikings as they battled for the crown. But the dream was alive as the Irvington squad hardened their defense and sharpened a powerful counter-offense. After losing the first game (20-25), the Vikings won the next two (25-23, 25-21) but lost a close, potentially heart-breaking game four (23-25). The stage was set for an intense fifth, and tiebreaker that would finish the tale of a Viking juggernaut season.

In a local rendition of every dramatic sports movie from Hoosiers to Miracle on Ice, the Vikings overcame all obstacles to pull out an amazing 15-12 victory and bring home the North Coast Section Volleyball title. A delirious team, coaches and fans were overcome with emotion as the final point was entered into the record books and the Irvington Vikings wrote a page in history.

Congratulations – a season well done!



Join the 20th Annual Frank Sisk Golf Tournament ‘fore’ the kids

SUBMITTED BY SHIRLEY SISK

The League of Volunteers (LOV) is holding its annual tournament on Friday, June 29 at the Poppy Ridge Golf Course. The event supports LOV’s summer programs. LOV provides six weeks of free supervised recreation, including a breakfast snack, lunch, crafts, games, sports, special surprise guests, and more for Tri-City youth ages 5-12. Last year 510 children registered and had a wonderful summer!

Get together a foursome or join men and women like yourself who love the game and want to support LOV. You can play for as low as \$149 each if you register as a foursome. Registration fees include a box lunch, green fees, cart, range balls, tee prizes, a fabulous dinner, and a fun evening filled with awards and great prizes.

This is scramble format, scratchers and hackers welcome. The putting contest begins at 11:30 a.m. Registration and tee prizes are also at 11:30 a.m. with a 1 p.m. shotgun tee off. There are awards for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams as well as closest to the pin and long drive for both men and women. You will also enjoy fun contests on the course including 4 hole-in-one opportunities with the big prize being a golf vacation in Myrtle Beach!

LOV is proud to have former All Pro Oakland Raider Lincoln Kennedy as honorary chair again

this year. Kennedy will spend the afternoon and evening in support of LOV’s free Summer Recreation for kids. Lincoln was with the Raiders from 1996 to 2003 and was named to two consecutive Pro Bowls (3 career) and anchored the offensive line in Super Bowl XXXVII. He is currently providing color commentary and studio analysis for college football with Pac-12 Network and Oakland Raiders football games with The Oakland Raiders Radio Network.

Don’t play golf? Come enjoy the evening’s festivities for only \$45.

Sponsorships are still available. For information or to register for golf (or for dinner only) call LOV at (510) 793-5683. All credit cards accepted. Or you can register online at our golf website or our main website at www.lov.org.

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Lacrosse

Spartans sparkle in tournament

SUBMITTED BY SHERRI ROHDE

Northern California Junior Lacrosse Association tournament U14 play in Petaluma on May 19th matched the Fremont Spartans against two brand new Nor Cal opponents, the Walnut Creek Warriors White and the Granite Bay Grizzlies. Game one against the Warriors was a dynamic and closely matched challenge. Tied up 5-5, with 6 seconds left in regulation play, the Spartans came together strong and brought in the winning goal with a full team effort. After an all-too-short 10-minute rest, the Spartans hit the field again for game two and dominated the Grizzlies in a 6-1 victory.

The Fremont Spartans Lacrosse club is the ONLY youth lacrosse club between Alameda and San Jose and has teams for several age groups. For more information, visit: www.fre-lax.com.

Cougars Report

SUBMITTED BY TIMOTHY HESS

Senior Student-Athlete College Night was held May 16th to recognize our college

American Eagles (Fremont) JV squad on Friday afternoon. The JV Champions finished 17-4 overall, and 13-1 in the MVAL. Congrats again to all of the players and coaching staff.

Softball
Congratulations to our Newark Memorial 1st team all-leaguers - Vivi Gamez, Lexi Sao, Jojo Campusano, Janisa Rojo,

Athletic League Track & Field Championship Finals on May 12, the Varsity Boys placed third and the Varsity Girls placed fifth. Chance Hefter placed second overall for the Varsity Boys discus. Ariana Pereira placed fourth overall for Varsity Girls shot put. Damiughn Bradley Jr. placed ninth in the shot put. Iza Cruz placed fifth for the Frosh Girls



Cougars’ student-athletes committed to college level athletics recognized at College Night

bound student-athletes who have committed to participate in athletics and to thank those who have helped them along the way.

Baseball

The Newark Memorial Cougars varsity baseball team earned a co-championship with Washington Huskies (Fremont) and John F. Kennedy Titans (Fremont) atop the Mission Valley Athletic League (MVAL) with a 10-9 win over American Eagles (Fremont) on May 18th. It took a 2-run surge in the top of the 7th inning to complete the victory.

Congratulations to the Cougars JV baseball team on capturing the MVAL JV championship with their 8-4 home win against the

and 2nd team all-league - Haylee Nelson AND MVAL Softball League MVP – Vivi Gamez

Basketball

Senior Haylee Nelson has been named to the MaxPreps California All-State Girls Basketball Division 2 Second Team for her outstanding 2017-2018 basketball performance this past season, leading the Cougars to a 24-6 overall record, and advancing to the NCS D2 semifinals, and then to the Division 2 NorCals. Haylee averaged 23.6 points per game (707 points) this season and finished with 2,018 career points. Congratulations Haylee!

Track & Field

At the 2018 Mission Valley

shot put. Jaelen Craft won league in both the 110 and 300-meter hurdles, and Alexis Surrell won league in the 100, 200 and 400-meter dashes. Surrell set the all-time MVAL record in the 400 with a finishing time of 55.27. Surrell and Craft will compete at North Coast Section and will be joined by the following Cougar athletes who also qualified: Joaquin Cordova (110 hurdles) Angel Martinez (1 mile) Kiana Aquino (300 hurdles) Adonis Prince (High Jump) Josh Billmann (Triple Jump) Chance Hefter (Shot Put, Discus) Ariana Pereira (Shot Put, Discus) Damiughn Bradley (Shot Put)

Barnett Voted to All-CCAA Men’s Golf Team

Golf

SUBMITTED BY STEPHEN CONNOLLY

Cal State East Bay junior Will Barnett has been named to the 2017-18 All-California Collegiate Athletic Association (CCAA) Men’s Golf Team as an honorable mention selection, the conference office announced April 26, 2018. A native of Australia, Barnett joined the Pioneers after spending one year each at College of the Canyons and San Jose State. He represents CSUEB on this year’s

All-CCAA Team after turning in outstanding performances throughout his first season in Hayward.

Barnett posted a pair of top-10 finishes during his junior campaign and led the Pioneers with a 75.18 scoring average in 10 tournaments. He placed 25th individually at CCAA Championships last week with a 54-hole total of 226 (+10), helping CSUEB notch a seventh-place finish and come within just a few strokes of advancing to the medal round.

Park It

BY NED MACKAY

Memorial Day in the Regional Parks

Memorial Day, the unofficial start of summer, is almost here, and there are lots of activities scheduled for that weekend in the East Bay Regional Parks. If you’re considering camping, all available regional park campsites have been booked for weeks. But the good news is that there are plenty of day trip possibilities. Several regional parks plan special Memorial Day events. Let’s take it from south to north:

Memorial Day will be admission free at Ardenwood Historic Farm in Fremont. From 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Monday, May 28, visitors can help with farm chores, ride the train, tour the Patterson House, taste farm-baked cookies from an outdoor wood stove, compete in old-time games on the lawn, and visit with the farm animals.

Ardenwood is at 34600 Ardenwood Boulevard, just north of Highway 84. Parking is free, too. Call (510) 544-2797 for information.

Nearby at Coyote Hills Regional Park, there’s a 50th anniversary history celebration planned from 1 to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, May 26 through 28.

Activities will include hands-on demonstrations, tours, talks about the park’s history, and a new exhibit. Coyote Hills has a reconstructed Native American village site dating back 2,000 years.

The park is located at the end of Patterson Ranch Road off Paseo Padre Parkway. Parking fee is \$5 per vehicle. Call (510) 544-3220.

Crab Cove Visitor Center in Alameda will host Memorial Day Open House from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Monday, May 28. You can take a self-guided history walk any time, using a guide available at the front desk. Organized activities will include nature crafts, a program on the park’s military history from 11 to 11:30 a.m., Memorial Day memories from 2 to 3 p.m., and fish feeding at the visitor center aquarium from 3 to 3:30 p.m.

Crab Cove is at the end of McKay Avenue off Alameda’s Central Avenue. Parking costs \$5 per vehicle. For information, call (510) 544-3187.

At Black Diamond Mines Regional Preserve in Antioch, tours through the Hazel-Atlas

Mine will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis at 11 a.m., noon, 1 p.m., 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. on Memorial Day Monday, May 28. Tickets will be available at the Greathouse Visitor Center. Children must be seven years or older and parent participation is required. The fee is \$5 per person.

Black Diamond Mines is at the end of Somersville Road, 3.5 miles south of Highway 4. The parking fee is \$5 per vehicle. Call (888) 327-2757, ext. 2750 for information.

Also, on Memorial Day weekend, there’s a Coastal Conservation Celebration from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 26 at Tilden Nature Area near Berkeley. Interpretive student aide Brianna Contaxis-Tucker will lead a celebration of the birthday of Rachel Carson, who was an activist, conservation scientist and author. Create an edible food chain and learn about local animals.

Meet at Tilden’s Environmental Education Center, which is at the north end of Central Park Drive. Call (510) 544-2233 for information.

Another good bet is a walk along the paved George Miller Trail between Port Costa and Martinez from 9:30 a.m. to noon on Saturday, May 26, led by naturalist Kevin Dixon. It’s an easy stroll with beautiful views of Carquinez Strait. Meet Kevin at the Port Costa Staging Area, which is reached from Highway 4 via McEwen Drive and Carquinez Scenic Drive. For information, call (888) 327-2757, ext. 2750.

In general, regional parks and swim areas will be open on Memorial Day, with picnic tables available first-come, first-served. It’s best to arrive early to assure a table. You can also spread a blanket on lawn areas. Portable barbecues are okay on lawns, but not in tall dry grass, for obvious reasons. Please dispose of coals only in the concrete receptacles provided for that purpose.

There have been occasional swim area closures due to algae blooms. Before heading out, check the park district website, www.ebparks.org, for any park closures. For a safe and enjoyable holiday, please cooperate with any and all instructions from rangers, lifeguards, firefighters and police.

This is just a partial list of what’s going on in the regional parks on Memorial Day weekend. For more, check out the district website, www.ebparks.org

Fremont Christian Warriors win championship



Baseball

SUBMITTED AND PHOTOS BY MIKE HEIGHTCHEW

The Fremont Christian Warriors won the Bay Counties League Championship on May 18th for their tenth consecutive year in a row by beat the Making Waves Academy (Richmond, CA), 16-1 with an impressive hitting performance and stellar defense. Warrior dominance is expected in the future as they continue to field strong teams on the diamond.

NMHS alumni news

SUBMITTED BY TIMOTHY HESS

Former Newark Memorial softball standout Sydnee Strong (Class of 2015) is a junior outfielder for Sacramento State University, and for the first time since 2008, the Hornets (31-18) are advancing to the NCAA Tournament, taking on host UCLA (50-4). Sydnee recently hit a grand slam in a huge win over Montana in the Big Sky Tournament. Congrats Sydnee and good luck to you and your Sacramento State teammates in the NCAA Tournament. We are proud of you!

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

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Hayward City Council

May 15, 2018

Presentation:

- Proclamation Declaring May 13-19 as National Police Week in Hayward, and May 15 as Peace Officers’ Memorial Day
- Environmental Sustainability Awards Presentation
- Public Comments:**
- Ms. Wynn Grcich talked



Proclamation Declaring May 13-19 as National Police Week in Hayward, and May 15 as Peace Officers’ Memorial Day. L-R: Mayor Halliday, Chief Mark Koller

about the hazards of electricity

- Mr. Jim Drake complained about the lack of public safety
- Ms. Diane Fagalde asked for a Kelly Moore store in Hayward
- Ms. Rosalinda Whitney asked for more funding for Spectrum lunch program
- Ms. Lacei Amodei spoke on behalf of the Hayward Collective
- Mr. Thomas Birt asked that the grass be cut near Bunker Hill Blvd
- Mr. Charlie Peters reported on clean air initiatives from the VW settlement
- Ms. Allyson Clark of Berkeley Farms asked for sidewalk repairs
- Ms. Pam Russo thanked council for approving funding for Mia’s Playground

Consent Calendar:

- Authorization to extend professional services contract with Maze & Associates for annual audit services
- Approve construction of wheelchair ramps by the Metropolitan Transportation Commission
- Road Repair and Accountability Act (RRAA) FY19 Pavement Rehabilitation Project - approval of project list

Motion passed 7-0.

Items Removed from Consent Calendar:

- Rezoning of certain properties in connection with General Plan amendment, zone change and vesting tentative map for the SoHay Mixed Use Development

Motion passed 6-1 (Nay: Marquez)

- Approve resolution in support of Proposition 69 to preserve transportation funding and oppose efforts to repeal the Road Repair and Accountability Act (SB-1). Mayor Halliday and council stressed importance of SB-1 for local transportation.

Motion passed 7-0

Legislative Business:

- Resolve to form the Downtown Hayward Community Benefit District by issuing ballots for proposed district property owners to vote on. Motion, with amendment to provide guidance to the City’s representative on the Board, passed 5-0 (Recusal: Marquez, Salinas)
- Accept the final design of La Vista Park and adopt a resolution appropriating \$1.5 million for use of community center funds for the construction of La Vista Park.

Motion, with amendment that the amount for the Community Center not be a loan, passed 7-0

- Review and comments on the FY 2018 – 2019 CDBG Biennial Fund Projects underway and approve a resolution authorizing the reallocation of \$1.9M of unspent CDBG program funds to the following eligible projects in FY 2019: 1. Provide CDBG funds as Measure A1 match for pre-development and site acquisition costs to qualified developers in the amount of \$800,000; 2. Execute a contract with non-profit housing agency to manage the Housing Rehabilitation Loan Program in the amount of \$100,000; and 3. Execute a contract with St. Rose Hospital for equipment and related purchases for Clinical Laboratory renovations in the amount of \$1,000,000.

Motion passed 6-0 (Recusal: Zermeno)

- Introduce an ordinance that will allow for electronic and paperless filing of California Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) campaign disclosure statements. It is recommended that filers participate through an “opt-in” approach which will give filers a choice of filing electronically or continue with paper filing. Filers opting to file electronically will not need to turn in a wet signed paper copy.

Motion passed 7-0

Work Session:

- Council provided comments on the FY 2019 Operating Budget, reviewed follow-up items from the Saturday, April 28, 2018 budget work session, and discussed the proposed use of general fund reserves to present a balanced FY 2019 Operating Budget.

City Manager’s Comments:

- Tip A Cop on Thursday, May 17 from 6-9 pm at Applebee’s in Hayward.

Council Reports:

- Councilmember Marquez announced the 5th Annual Tennyson All American Festival to be held at Mt. Eden Mansion on Saturday June 30th from 10 am - 3 pm
- Councilmember Marquez encouraged young people to apply to the youth commission – deadline is Friday May 25th.
- Councilmember Zermeno invited everyone to the Rowell Ranch Rodeo, May 18-20, the biggest fundraiser for the Hayward Rotary.
- Councilmember Lamnin announced that the Hayward Coalition for Healthy Youth will be holding an event called “Vision for a Better Future” Saturday May 19 from 11 am – 3 pm at Tennyson Park.
- Mayor Halliday was pleased with city-wide cleanup event on May 12 and Community Resource Fair.

Mayor Barbara Halliday	Aye
Sara Lamnin	Aye
Francisco Zermeno	Aye,
1 Recusal	
Marvin Peixoto	Aye
Al Mendall	Aye
Elisa Marquez	Aye,
1 Nay, 1 Recusal	
Mark Salinas	Aye, 1 Recusal

TAKES FROM SILICON VALLEY EAST

Guiding Your Business to Success: Advice from Five CEOs

SUBMITTED BY KIM MARSHALL

Last week, Fremont’s small business workshop series concluded with an interactive panel discussion among five successful CEOs. While their companies are distributed across various industries, they shared many common threads throughout the lively discussion, including a heartfelt desire to offer advice to new business owners.

Here are some key takeaways from the discussion:

Many of the CEOs started small — in their garage with a few dollars, some equipment, and an idea. They struggled to engage the next customer or secure funding, but through determination and persistence they quickly outgrew the garage. Benjie Craig, CEO of Jemby Electric, shared how he had worked in the industry for many years before finally deciding to take a risk and start his own business. He was able to land a big client, and within six months he hired two employees; most importantly, he could do things the way he wanted them done.

All of the CEOs shared the importance of creating relationships and building trust with customers in growing a successful business. Nirav Shah, CEO of Velocitum Software, said that establishing strong relationships requires listening to your customers to find out what they want and need. Listen to create a loop for honest feedback—both good and bad—then take the feedback and use it for continuous improvement. Talking and listening to customers makes them happy and more willing to continue working with you.

The panelists also shared how they use creativity to find new customers and keep the business growing. Dorian Webb, moderator of the panel and CEO of Dorian Webb Lifestyle, knew that she wanted to target celebrity clients with her unique, semiprecious jewelry and Venetian glass housewares. But she had to think creatively to determine how to reach those clients. Finally, Dorian realized that she could get the celebrities to try her products by working with their stylists.

Another piece of advice covered diversifying offerings to keep your business relevant. For example, Pam Isom, CEO of ICE Safety Solutions, shared that the company saves money on employee travel costs and national outreach by offering virtual reality training.

Pivoting or repositioning a business can also be an effective means of keeping it healthy. Donna Novitsky, CEO of Yiftee, said it was important for the company to pivot from consumer-focused to merchant-focused, which not only included getting the board of directors on the same page, but also getting employees to work together to engage new customers.

The CEOs ended the session by sharing final words of wisdom. Nirav advised, “Don’t be afraid to take that first step.” Pam shared the acronym HOPE: “Happy, opportunity, profitability, excellence.” Donna quoted Winston Churchill, saying “Success is the ability to go from one failure to another without losing your enthusiasm.” Benjie said simply, “Be passionate, remember your goals, and work through the challenges.”

Budget subcommittee approves Cap and Trade Plan

SUBMITTED BY JEFF BARBOSA

The Senate budget subcommittee that oversees California’s programs to fight climate change approved a \$2.8 billion Cap and Trade Expenditure Plan this afternoon with the largest blocks of money going to local air districts to reduce air pollution, forest health and fire prevention, freight and heavy duty vehicle incentives and clean vehicle rebates. The proposal now goes before the full Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee.

“This plan continues California’s strong commitment to curb greenhouse gas emissions and sustain our global leadership in combating climate change,” said Senator Bob Wieckowski, the chair of the Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Subcommittee

“By providing substantial assistance to local air districts to reduce pollution, and investing in fire prevention activities, we can improve the health and safety of Californians and reduce harmful impacts on those with heart and lung diseases.”

The expenditure plan includes \$1.4 billion of discretionary spending. The Senate version increases funds to local air districts by \$60 million above Governor Brown’s proposed 2018-2019 budget. It also increases funding for forest health and fire prevention to \$250 million, compared to the Governor’s proposal for \$207 million.

Other increases occurred in climate and energy research. The Senate’s Cap and Trade plan calls for \$55 million to the Office of Planning and Research, including up to \$5 million to fund innovation hubs. The T ransformative Climate Communities program would receive \$80 million to fund development and infrastructure projects that achieve health, environmental and economic benefits to the state’s most disadvantaged communities. The Governor proposed funding the program at \$25 million.

Besides the Cap and Trade Expenditure Plan, the committee also approved budgeting \$25 million for San Francisco Bay wetlands restoration. In June 2016, voters in the nine-county Bay Area region approved Measure AA to invest \$500 million over 20 years to restore and protect San Francisco Bay. But the total cost of protecting the bay is substantially more, and in the absence of available federal funding, the \$25 million in state funds is needed to accelerate critical climate adaptation work.

“The San Francisco Bay is an incredible natural resource and we must be as proactive as possible in adapting to our changing climate and making the bay more resilient to sea level rise,” said Wieckowski.

OPINION



WILLIAM MARSHAK

It's Time!

manner. We have printed their information for each office without prejudice or favoritism. It is up to you, the voters, to decide whether to cast your vote in their direction. Although many offices are partisan and candidates declare party affiliations, this factor should carry limited influence since policy positions and character of candidates must be paramount. This is a pivotal moment when you are given the right – and the obligation - to let candidates know that their constituents are important to their tenure. Our commitment to the process does not end there... continued scrutiny and evaluation is even more important than an initial vote.

Some believe that public input is restricted to an occasional trip to the ballot box and, from that point on, elected officials should have free rein to do as they please with a public mandate in their pocket. Not so! Success at the ballot box is only the beginning; it entitles an elected official to nothing but a place in the governing process. They are asked to exercise their best judgement and represent a high moral standard for their constituents.

Currently, we are witnessing a dichotomy of attitudes in our nation. The laissez faire response toward national mismanagement, corruption and ineptitude is inconsistent with the public's right to expect the best of those elected to protect and preserve our families and way of life. The phrase,

“the best and brightest” is often used to describe those in public life, but while we all fall short of perfection, there is no reason to accept this as desirable. On the other hand, many individuals and organizations – of all ages, ethnicities and creeds - have coalesced in recent months to remind us that we can aspire to our better selves; raise our ethical and practical bar of behavior to a high standard, especially for those elected to represent us. Guarantees and expectations of those using party affiliations, cronyism and backroom deals for advancement should be exposed and denigrated, not rewarded.

So, the onus is on us. Even for those too busy with the continuous challenges of life to take notice of day-to-day political shenanigans, it is, at the very least, time to reflect on your personal values and make your voice heard. We have seen many instances where the difference of just a handful of votes can make a difference. Will these include yours?

It's Time!

William Marshak
PUBLISHER

Many have already received their Primary Election ballots by mail and some may have cast their vote already. But, for those who have reserved judgement until a later date or will wait to go to the polls on June 5th, Tri-City Voice has provided another source of candidate information. In this issue, statements of incumbents and aspirants for local and regional offices alike are printed for your inspection. ALL candidates for these offices, even those unopposed, were contacted and given an opportunity - at no cost to them - to reach out to you, our readers, explain their positions and ask for your vote. Whether incumbent or hopeful challenger, each was treated in the same manner. We asked those contacted to respect our deadlines and, for the most part, our request was honored. We were unable to accommodate late requests.

Those that appear in this issue responded to our invitation in a timely

Teachers honored for excellence

SUBMITTED BY ALAMEDA COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION

Educator George Hoss has been named the Alameda County Office of Education (ACOE) 2018-19 Teacher of the Year. Hoss is one of 19 honoree teachers from districts across the county. Hoss has been with the Alameda County Office of Education for 22 years and has spent the last 10 years teaching at Butler Academic Center, the ACOE-run educational program for youth detained in Alameda County's Juvenile Justice Center.

“The best part of my job is seeing students become more mature and confident in their abilities,” Hoss said. “I get a lot of satisfaction seeing my students graduate from high school and taking responsibility for their own education. Student success is at the top of my list.”

A commitment to student success is the common thread that connects all the county honorees, who were selected and announced in their individual districts throughout the spring with activities continuing through the fall. Alameda County Superintendent of Schools L. Karen Monroe kicks off the season with classroom visits to each district teacher, leading to the culminating Teacher of the Year Awards in October.

“It is among my favorite duties to visit classrooms around the county to honor our Teacher of the Year recipients. It enables me to see first-hand the incredible work of our county's well-deserving honorees,” Monroe said. “I am especially excited to celebrate ACOE's own George Hoss and witness the incredible work he does to support some of the county's most vulnerable youth. I look forward to celebrating all of the honorees at the fall event.”

Each year, school districts nominate deserving teachers to receive the award, who then move into the pool for countywide honors. Fourteen of Alameda County's 18 districts and each of the county's three Regional Occupational Programs (ROP) participated in

honoring teachers for the 2018-19 award. Here are the Alameda County Teachers of the Year for 2018-19:

- George Hoss, Alameda County Office of Education
- Mary Otioku, Alameda USD
- Barbara Andersen, Castro Valley USD
- Catherine Brown, Dublin USD
- Michelle Stephens, Eden Area ROP
- Tiffany Johnson, Emery USD
- Sherea Westra, Fremont USD
- Kyle Howard, Hayward USD
- Elizabeth Perez, Livermore USD
- Dhana Uppula, Mission Valley ROP
- Legratta Banks, New Haven USD
- Timothy Hess, Newark USD
- Cassandra Chen, Oakland USD
- Micaela Morse, Oakland USD
- Jah-Yee Woo, Oakland USD
- Arlene Simpelo, Pleasanton USD
- Joanna Chapman, San Leandro USD
- Ann Villegas, San Lorenzo USD
- Kelly Mogilefsky, Tri-Valley ROP

The annual Teacher of the Year award ceremony, hosted by ACOE, is set for Thursday, Oct. 4 at the Castro Valley Center for the Arts. Tickets will go on sale in September. For more information on the event or sponsorship opportunities contact Michelle Smith McDonald at communications@acoe.org.



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Obituary

Lawrence Alvin Vincent, Jr.

Resident of Fremont

June 18, 1932 – May 12, 2018

With heavy hearts we announce the passing of Lawrence Alvin Vincent Jr. Larry left this life on Saturday May 12, 2018 due to complications of age.

Lawrence Alvin Vincent, Jr., was a 58 year resident of Fremont. He was born in Salt Lake City, June 18, 1932, to Gerradina Johanna Elzinga and Lawrence Alvin Vincent.

Larry is predeceased by spouse Anna Gaylene Vincent, survived



by; Brother, Gerald (Joanne) and sister, Gerri (Bill) Gray; Children, Kerry Thomas (David), Leisa Jarman (Craig), Jay Vincent (DeAnn); 15 Grandchildren and 13 Great Grandchildren.

Please see <http://www.fremontchapeloftheroses.com/obituaries/Lawrence-Vincent-Jr/>

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Obituary

Barry Joseph Turcer

Resident of Fremont

September 8, 1955 – May 16, 2018

Born in Biloxi MS, on September 8, 1955. Passed away in Hayward CA on May 16, 2018 from heart disease. Survived by wife of 23 years, Rae Ann Turcer; Mother, Patricia Babbitt of MA, daughters Kristin and Karri, grandchildren Joseph , Katlyn and Tessa; step daughter Alex Mierzwa; sisters Sharon Sibley, Sheryl Woodford, Paula Walker and Patricia Smith; brother John

Turcer; many nieces and nephews and lots of friends. Honorably discharged from the US Navy in 1980 and served on the USS Saratoga. Product service engineer for Varian Oncology for 16 years, a jack of all trades with skills and knowledge to repair almost anything. He travelled the globe for both the Navy and for Varian, making friends everywhere he went. Barry loved

the outdoors and enjoyed fishing, hunting and camping. He loved music and playing the guitar.

Memorial Service will be held at 11:00am, Tuesday, May 29, 2018 at Fremont Memorial Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd., Fremont.

Fremont Memorial Chapel
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Obituary

Frank J. Dominguez

1952-2018



Frank J. Dominguez a resident of Union City, passed away at the age of 65. He is survived by his loving wife of 45 years, Patricia, his beloved daughters, Elena and Rebecca

and precious grandchildren, Gabriel, Michaela and Gabrielle. He is also survived by his parents Salvador F. Dominguez and Guadalupe Fuentes and siblings Sal Jr., George, Yolanda, Jose, Lupe, Brenda and Christina. Frank was a U.S. Postal employee for 32 years. He will always be remembered by his outgoing personality and the friendly smile on his face. A Vigil Service will be held on Sunday May 20th at Santos-Robinson Mortuary 160 Estudillo Ave. San Leandro beginning at 3:00PM. A Funeral Mass will be held on Monday May 21st at St Anne Catholic Church 32223 Cabello St. Union City, beginning at 12 noon. Burial will be private.

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Obituary

Catherine Juliette Dunn

Resident of Newark

Feb. 3, 1955 - May 8, 2018

Cathy died peacefully at home on May 8th surrounded by her family. Cathy was born and raised in San Francisco where she attended Lowell High School, City College of San Francisco and San Francisco State University. She married Michael Dunn in 1978 and moved to Newark in 1984 where she raised her 4 children. Cathy taught preschool and was a day care provider. She loved doing needlepoint craft projects, collecting cookie jars, and buying unique purses. She enjoyed serving in her church, especially organizing fun fellowship activities and meals. Cathy is survived by her husband Mike; her children Eric Dunn (wife Sandra), Mark Dunn, Carl Dunn and Lisa Dunn; her brother David Cassens (wife Caroline) of Arvada, CO; her sister Penny Brooks (husband Mike) of Blandford, England; her beloved sis Marijana Wallace of San Mateo; her brother-in-law Richard Dunn of Phoenix; and her cousins Don Goff (wife



Lisa) of New York and Margi Ely (husband Mike) of Walnut Creek. A memorial service will be held on Saturday May 26, 2018 at 11AM at First Baptist Church, 6320 Dairy Ave., Newark, followed by a luncheon in the fellowship hall. Donations are requested in lieu of flowers to K-LOVE radio station and Samaritans Purse.

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Obituary

Douglas Allan Like

Resident of Milpitas

January 5, 1947 – Apr. 18, 2018



Douglas Allan Like was born on January 5, 1947 in the Village of Madeline, MN. He graduated from Boystown Nebraska in 1966 and joined the Navy soon after, receiving an Honorable discharge after completing four years and serving in Vietnam. In 1972 he married Marcella Garcia and had two children. He went on to work as a Chemical Operator for Chevron for 26 years, retiring at the age of 50. Douglas enjoyed spending time with his family, friends and longtime companion, Carlota

Ritz, through the remainder of his life, joining the Lord at the age of 71.

He is survived by his brothers: David Like, Richard Like, Russell Like, Duwayne Like and Curtis Like, two daughters and their families: Theresa Like and Christine and Devon Nicholson, and ten grandchildren: Raymond Fuentes and wife, Nataly, Ehliana Gallardo, Joseph Nicholson, Damian Pavlis, Alexis Boger, Angelica Heille, Neveah Jarman, James Jarman, Mya Jarman, and Devon Nicholson, One Great grandchild: Theralina Hasse. He is also survived by his ex-wife Marcella Ingerson and longtime companion, Carlota Ritz. He was preceded in death by his parents Ralph and Theresa Like.

He will always be remembered for the kind, caring, and loving man that he was. He always went out of his way to help anyone in need, finding the good in everybody he met, and making friends everywhere he went. He has touched the lives of so many and will be truly missed.

Obituary

Robert Joel Melgoza

Resident of Fremont

May 3, 1971 – May 17, 2017



Robert was born on May 3, 1971, and entered into rest on May 17, 2018 in Fremont, CA, at the age of 47. Predeceased by his father Joel D. Melgoza. He was a loving husband to Renee

Melgoza of Fremont. Devoted father to Ashlee Moore of Ceres, Robert Melgoza of Modesto, Jordan Kinnaman of Fremont. Cherished Papa to 8 grandchildren and loving son to Elsie Melgoza. Dear brother to Joel Melgoza, Kathy Ledesma, Terrie Morrison, Lorrie Fernandez, Carl Melgoza, David Melgoza, and Lisa Melgoza. Loving uncle to many nieces and nephews.

Robert worked at Tesla and also was a former NUMMI employee. He enjoyed riding his Harley with his brothers, barbecuing, and cooking, but most importantly he loved to spend time with his grandchildren and his Pugs.

Visitation will be held from 5-8 PM on Friday, May 25 with a Funeral Service at 6:30 PM, Fremont Chapel of the Roses, 1940 Peralta Blvd. Fremont.

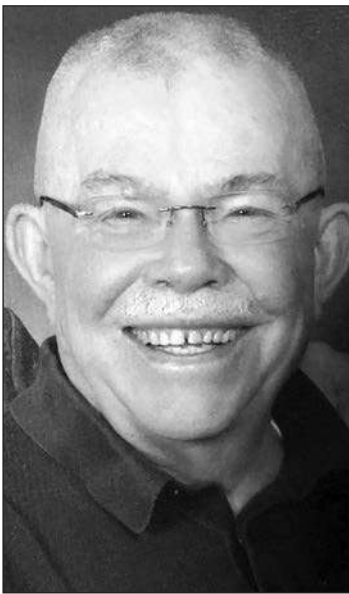
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Obituary

John Davenport de Ridder

June 30, 1934 – March 28, 2018

Resident of Newark



John Davenport de Ridder was born in Oakland, CA on June 30, 1934. He was the only child of John and Harriet de Ridder. At the age of 9 he lost his father and was then raised by his mother, along with many aunts, uncles, and cousins (whom he considered the brothers and sisters he never had). Many weekends and vacations were spent with them and he loved every minute of it. Growing up with a single parent was difficult, but John and his mother managed very well. His mother remarried while John was in high school to Carroll Myers. After high school, he joined the US Army, trained at Ft. Lewis, Texas, and arrived in Korea a week after the war concluded. He was very proud of his service and remained in the military for most of his life: first with the Army, later as a reservist with the California Air National Guard, and finally with the Air Force Reserves. He retired in 1995.

In 1963, at a friend's party, John met Patricia Cavanaugh. They got engaged after surviving an upside-down Porsche 356 Super 90 (a result of the salesman's exuberance during a test drive) and were subsequently married in March of 1964. Although he spent a majority of his life in California in and around the Bay Area, opportunity called to work for the Boeing Aircraft Company so he and his family lived in Auburn, WA from 1966 to 1971. After he was laid off, the family moved

back to CA to be near John's recently widowed mother. From the late 1970's until the base closed, he worked as a Pneudraulics Mechanic for the Alameda Naval Air Re-work Facility. He and his family have lived in Newark, CA since 1975. John was not an extraordinary person to the outside world. If you asked him if he thought he'd made a difference in the world, he probably would have shrugged his shoulders and said, "not particularly." He'd have been wrong. To those who knew and loved him, he was an affably natured person who always loved to talk. He was quiet and warm, and he loved to share and show appreciation. He had a big heart. He made the world a nicer place to be.

John had a great many loves in his life. Planes, trains, automobiles, and the occasional boat or two were all high on the list. Anyone who has visited a car or plane museum with John will attest to the fact that he knew more about the history on display than the people who worked there. He was a member of two traditional jazz societies in the Bay Area and the Native Sons of the Golden West. John loved history, old comedy movies, music (particularly Dixieland Jazz), reading (he had a substantial library filled with all his favorite subjects), and of course a good meal. He was the original geek, as a lover of all gadgets. Most of all though, beyond everything else, he loved his family and friends. Family, to him, was the best part of it all. He relished every minute he spent with them, as they did with him.

John left us at age 83 on the sunny afternoon of March 28, 2018. The world is a little less friendly without him in it. His beaming smile will be sorely missed. He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Patty, two sons Jon and William, and daughter Samantha (mar. Rushmi Malaviarachchi).

Memorial Mass will be Tuesday, June 5, 2018, 10:30AM at St. Edward's Catholic Church, 5788 Thornton Ave, Newark.

Fremont Chapel of the Roses
510-797-1900

Obituary

Harry Leland Bjerkhoel

July 31, 1932 – May 9, 2018

Resident of Napa

Harry was born in Roseau, Minnesota on July 31, 1932, and passed away at home on May 9, 2018, surrounded by loved ones. His passing followed a very unexpected diagnosis, and short, yet valiant, battle with cancer. As a young boy, family affectionately called him "Buddy". Harry and his young family relocated to California in 1960 after growing tired of harsh winters in Minnesota. In 1989, he and his wife, JoAnn, moved to Barryessa Highlands, Napa, after Harry's retirement as Superintendent of Construction with Peralta Development Company in the East Bay.

Harry is survived by his wife of 46 years, JoAnn Estelle Estensen Bjerkhoel, his son, Leland, step-daughter, Sheryl, and step-son, Steve. Harry had already lost a son, Wayne, and daughter, Myrna, who are loved and missed. He was the beloved grandfather to 5 grandchildren Christine, Alissa, Dayna, Jamie and Brandon and 7 great-grandchildren Doug, Karena, Kaitlynnne, Bronson, Kaylee, Savannah, Everly; a loving

brother to Dennis, Warren, Kenney, Barbara, Waunda, Marilyn and Suzie.

Harry was very proud of his Norwegian heritage and was very active with the Sons of Norway Nordahl Grieg Lodge in Los Gatos. He was President of the Lodge in 1980, Co-Chairman for 20 years for the annual Lutefisk Dinner fundraiser, and President of the Recreation Board for Camp Norge in Alta, CA. for 8 years, where he was instrumental in building state of the art Heritage Hall.

Harry was much loved for his musical talents and played the accordion at various events and family gatherings throughout his life. He frequently played as a band with his brothers, sons and grandchildren who played guitar, piano, clarinet, saxophone, flute or trumpet. Harry and his wife enjoyed extensive traveling overseas and in their RV, their Napa Seniors Bowling League for 29 years, and boating and fishing on Lake Barryessa.

Memorial Service 11:00am, Friday, May 25, 2018 at Fremont



Chapel of the Roses, 1940 Peralta Blvd., Fremont. Internment at Cedar Lawn Cemetery at 2:00pm, 48800 Warm Springs Blvd., Fremont.

A Celebration of Life will be held on July 29th, at Nordahl Grieg Lodge.

Donations in memory of Harry can be made to: Camp Norge, Alta, CA., Love Your Lodge Fund, Nordahl Grieg Lodge, Los Gatos, CA., The Sons of Norway Foundation, Minneapolis, MN., or a Hospice Organization.

Fremont Chapel of the Roses
510-797-1900

Bond sale nets local agencies more than \$8 million

SUBMITTED BY TERESA MEYER

Proceeds from a recent bond sale will save the City of San Leandro and various other local public agencies about \$8.1 million in interest rates and refinancing costs. The bonds were issued by the successor to the city's redevelopment agency. To prepare for the sale, Standard & Poor's upgraded the agencies' rating to AA, which is among the highest ratings in California.

As part of the 2011 state budget agreement, the California State Legislature dissolved each of California's more than 400 redevelopment agencies, which had been used to finance economic development projects throughout

communities across the state. Since that time, local governments who previously oversaw redevelopment agencies have been working to "unwind" the associated debt that had been accumulated by former agencies.

The San Leandro City Council authorized the sale of \$19,060,000 in Tax Allocation Refunding Bonds to take advantage of lower interest rates during April. This was done by refinancing outstanding debt obligations from the city's former redevelopment agency after city staff estimated the sale would achieve approximately \$7.8 million in savings. City staff charged with finalizing the bond sale successfully harnessed Standard and

Poor's enhanced credit rating and associated lower interest rates, boosting the total refinancing savings to \$8.1 million based on a 3.18 percent interest cost.

Here are the local public agencies that will share savings generated from the bond sale:

- City of San Leandro, \$593,243
- School Districts, \$3,697,611
- Alameda County, \$1,706,590
- Special Districts, \$2,129,174

The combined savings for all agencies is \$8,126,618. San Leandro's share of the savings will directly benefit the city's General Fund, which is used to finance most of the city's day-to-day services and operations.

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Phony masseur arrested

SUBMITTED BY
CMDR. ISAAC BENABOU,
SAN LEANDRO PD

On Saturday, May 12th, 2018, an Oakland man was arrested for inappropriately touching and groping a female customer at the SK Foot Massage in San Leandro. The man, 61 yr-old Baokai Song was detained at the location a short time after the incident occurred. SK Foot Massage is located at 215 Estudillo Ave #100 in San Leandro and is a licensed Massage business open to the public.



The incident occurred when the adult female victim went to the establishment and paid for a 30-minute body and 30-minute foot massage. The female customer went into a private room and received a 30-minute body massage from a certified female masseuse, who also happened to be the owner of the business. Once the female masseuse finished giving the customer her 30-minute body massage, she (the owner) asked her brother, an uncertified,

unlicensed, non-employee to provide the customer with the 30-minute foot massage. This transition did not alarm the customer as she felt this was routine practice.

During the foot massage, the suspect began slowly touching other parts of the female customer's body beyond her feet. The customer became uncomfortable and drew concern. The suspect became even more aggressive and started touching the customer's breasts and private area. The female customer immediately tried to end the service, but the suspect attempted to escort the customer back to the massage table. The female victim again stood up and exited the room after dressing.

The female customer went home and called 9-1-1 and reported the incident to the San Leandro Police Department.

Officers responded to the business along with the victim, and she identified the man who sexually assaulted her.

Baokai Song, a contractor by trade, was arrested and taken to SLPD Jail. Detectives immediately began investigating the incident over the following days and on Tuesday, May 15th, the case was presented to the Alameda County District Attorney. After review of the case, Song was charged with a misdemeanor sexual battery offense. Due to the charge being a misdemeanor, Song was released from custody with a pending court date.

“The San Leandro Police Department does not tolerate this type of activity within our massage establishments,” said Police Lieutenant Isaac Benabou. “We take steps to ensure that massage businesses within

San Leandro are operating under the law and require that all Massage Therapists are certified through the California Massage Therapy Council.”

The San Leandro Police Department, by order of the Chief, has immediately ordered the business SK Foot Spa to cease and desist operation pending review of their business license in light of this incident. As of this news release the business is closed indefinitely.

Currently, there are 17 licensed massage businesses in San Leandro and must all abide by strict codes of conduct. All Massage Therapists working within San Leandro must be certified through The California Massage Therapy Council, known as “CAMTC.” This organization trains, regulates and certifies massage therapists in Califnia.

Ride share driver charged with sexual assault

SUBMITTED BY FREMONT
POLICE DEPARTMENT

A 24-year-old Fremont man, working as a Lyft driver is in custody and charged with three counts of sexually assaulting an intoxicated passenger.

On April 8 Jaswanthreddy Baireddy was driving a rented Hyundai Elantra while driving for Lyft and picked up a female passenger in Oakland and drove her to an address in Berkeley. When the woman's friend was not at the address, Baireddy offered to drive the victim home. Instead, he drove to Fremont, first stopping at a fast-food restaurant, and then taking the woman to his home in the 38000 block of Camden Street.

Baireddy escorted the victim inside his home and offered her marijuana, then directed her upstairs. Next, he told the



victim he was too tired to drive and suggested she lay down and then he sexually assaulted her. Eventually, Baireddy drove the victim to her home in Oakland.

The woman sought medical care and contacted local law enforcement. However, when the crime was found to have potentially occurred in Fremont, investigators from the Fremont Police Department's Crimes Against Persons Unit took over the investigation. Baireddy was contacted and provided a statement to investigators.



Based on the statements by the victim and Baireddy, along with physical evidence, Baireddy was arrested.

On May 4, the Alameda County District Attorney's office charged Baireddy with three counts of sexual assault including rape where the victim was unconscious. Baireddy remains in Alameda County custody without bail while awaiting a court date. Meanwhile, investigators are asking anyone with information about the case to contact Det. C. Tang at (510) 790-6900 or via email at ctang@fremont.gov.

Newark Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
CAPTAIN CHOMNAN LOTH,
NEWARK PD

Friday, May 11

- At 5:18 p.m. Officer Herbert responded to a disturbance call on the 37900 block of Cedar Boulevard. A 50-year-old transient male was contacted and later arrested on suspicion of trespassing and battery. The man was booked into the Fremont Jail.
- At 3:12 a.m. officers responded to the 6000 block of Lafayette Avenue on a report of a hit and run accident. Officer Taylor located the suspect vehicle on Jonathan Drive. The driver, a 31-year-old transient

male, was arrested on suspicion of hit and run, driving under the influence, battery on a peace officer and obstructing a police officer. The suspect was booked into the Santa Rita Jail.

Monday, May 14

- At 11:43 a.m. officers conducted a probation search on the 37800 block of Birch St. Officer Pacheco contacted and arrested a 26-year-old Fremont woman and a 56-year-old Newark man on suspicion of possessing drug paraphernalia. A 38-year-old Newark man and a 44-year-old Fremont woman also were arrested on suspicion of possessing drug paraphernalia and a controlled substance. The arrestees were issued citations and released at the scene.

Tuesday, May 15

- At 1:15 p.m. Officer Rivas contacted and later arrested a 42-year-old Union City man on suspicion of being under the

influence of a controlled substance and possessing a controlled substance during a traffic stop on Newark Boulevard at Civic Terrace. The man was booked into Santa Rita Jail.

Wednesday, May 16

- At 1:13 a.m. Officer Palacio responded to a disturbance on the 8300 block of Juniper Avenue where he encountered a heavily intoxicated 57-year-old Newark man. The suspect was deemed too intoxicated to care for himself and was taken to Santa Rita Jail.
- At 6:58 p.m. Officer Damewood and Field Training Officer Smith investigated an embezzled rental vehicle from a resident on the 6100 block of Thornton Avenue. The victim had listed their vehicle for rent on a web app. The suspect, a 24-year-old Vallejo woman, rented the car and failed to return it.

the San Leandro station on suspicion of petty theft. He was booked into Santa Rita Jail.

At 8:40 p.m. a hard object was thrown at a train approaching the Warm Springs/South Fremont station. The object hit and shattered a train window. There were no injuries, and the train was taken out of service.

Thursday, May 17

- At 7:38 p.m. a victim reported the theft of his red, Sprint 7-speed bicycle from the Union City station. The bicycle was secured to a bike rack with a cable lock and was taken some time between 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The bike's value is estimated is \$129.

Police release photos of chain-snatch robbery suspect

SUBMITTED BY THE FREMONT
POLICE DEPARTMENT

A recent spree of chain-snatch robberies targeting women wearing gold chain necklaces, has prompted police in Fremont to ask the public for help in identifying the robbers. Detectives have released a series of surveillance photos from a chain-snatch incident that occurred on May 8 when a woman was robbed of her gold chain in the 4100 block of Alder Ave, near Oliveira Elementary School.

In all, police investigating six chain snatch robberies that have occurred in Fremont since the beginning of May. Some of the incidents have turned violent, in which the victims have sustained injuries. Of the six crimes, police believe two are related, because the suspects specifically targeted female victims walking around elementary schools at or around pick-up time.

Here is a summary of the six incidents police are actively investigating:

Friday, May 4

- At 10:20 a.m. a female victim was out for a walk with her husband in the 32700 block of Lake Mead Drive. While they were walking, an unknown suspect ran up from behind and ripped a gold chain from the woman's neck. The suspect was described as a white male, 30-35 years old, 6-feet-tall, with a medium build. He was wearing a white T-shirt, blue jeans, and a white cap.

Sunday, May 6

- At 4:39 p.m. a suspect approached a female while she was pumping gas in the 39900 block of Fremont Boulevard. The suspect approached the victim and attempted to pull a gold necklace from her neck. As the victim tried to hold on to her necklace, the suspect pulled her through the gas station until she fell to the ground. He then reached down to grab the necklace and struck the victim in her face causing serious injuries. High quality video was obtained from the gas station and detectives are actively investigating this case. The video is not being released at this time because of the ongoing investigation.

Monday, May 7

- At 6:10 p.m. a female reported that while completing a private party sales transaction through Facebook messenger, a suspect robbed her of her gold chain when she answered the door at her residence in the 36600 block of Fremont Boulevard. The suspect was described as a dark-skinned South Asian Indian male, wearing a black baseball cap and wearing black clothing. There are no active leads in this case.

Tuesday, May 8

- At 1:40 p.m. an unknown suspect robbed a woman of her gold chain in the 4100 block of Alder Avenue, near Oliveira Elementary



School. The incident was captured on private video surveillance. During the incident, the victim was pulled to the ground and sustained scratches, bruises and other injuries to her body because of the violence inflicted by the suspect. The suspect is described as a black man in his 20s, between 5-feet-8 and 5-feet-10-inches tall, with a thin build, wearing a black baseball hat, grey hooded zip-up sweatshirt over black shirt, light grey sweatpants, black and white Jordan shoes.

Friday, May 11

- At 7:29 p.m. a victim leaving a grocery store in the 39100 block of Argonaut Way was robbed of her gold chain. The suspects were described as a black male man with a dark complexion, 20-years-old, about 5-feet-7-inches tall, with a thin build, and wearing a black hoodie with a Nike logo across the front, faded light blue jeans and black high-top shoes. A female associate was described as a black woman with a dark complexion, 20-years-old, 5-feet-2-inches tall, with a medium build, black hair in a high bun, last seen wearing a black hoodie, faded blue jeans, tan shoes and carrying a multi-color backpack.

Wednesday, May 16

- At 1:40 p.m. a woman was pushing a baby stroller and walking her child home from Patterson Elementary School. An unknown male approached the victim around Gibraltar and Cabrillo Drives. The male pushed the woman onto the ground and held her down as he pulled a gold chain off her neck. The victim sustained scratches and lacerations. A crossing guard came to her aid and the suspect ran to a vehicle (silver or grey 4-door sedan) parked nearby. The car took off at a high rate of speed. The suspect was described as a Hispanic male in his early 20, between 5-feet-8 and 5-feet-11-inches tall, with short black hair, a mustache, and wearing a dark green jacket and blue jeans.

Anyone with information about these crimes is asked to contact Crimes Against Persons Detective Brent Butcher at Bbutcher@fremont.gov or call (510) 790-6900. Anonymous tips can also be sent by sending a text to TIP FREMONT PD followed by a message to 888-777. Tips also can be sent via the web at <https://local.nixle.com/tip/alert/6216337>.

BART Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
LES MENSINGER

Saturday, May 12

- At 8:02 a.m. a man identified by police as Donald Vincent Adams, 58, of Oakland was detained at the Bay Fair station in San Leandro on suspicion of fare evasion. He initially falsely identified himself as his brother, but was later correctly identified and found to have an outstanding felony arrest warrant. He was taken into custody and

booked into Santa Rita Jail.

Sunday, May 13

- At 9:29 a.m. a suspect identified by police as Olisa M. Ruelas, 48, of Antioch, was arrested at the Hayward station on suspicion of possessing drug paraphernalia and on an outside warrant.

Wednesday, May 16

- At 8:20 p.m. a man identified as Arturo Rodriguez, 35, of Hayward was arrested at the Hayward station on suspicion of making threats and disturbing the peace.
- At 8:30 p.m. a man identified by police as Michael Washington, 43, of San Francisco, was arrested at

PUBLIC NOTICES

BULK SALES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF
BULK SALE

(SECS 6104, 6105 U.C.C.)

Escrow No. FSBC-0271800892

Notice is hereby given to the Creditors of: SABFM, INC., Seller(s), whose business address(es) is: 5168 MOWRY AVE., FREMONT, CA 94538, that a bulk transfer is about to be made to: MSMK, LLC, Buyer(s), whose business(es) address is: 5168 MOWRY AVE., FREMONT, CA 94538.

The property to be transferred is located at: 5168 MOWRY AVE., FREMONT, CA 94538.

Said property is described in general as: ALL STOCK IN TRADE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT, GOODWILL AND OTHER PROPERTY of that business known as: ANANADA BHAVAN and located at: 5168 MOWRY AVE., FREMONT, CA 94538

The bulk transfer is intended to be consummated at the office of: FIDELITY NATIONAL TITLE COMPANY, 2099 GATEWAY PL., STE 500, SAN JOSE, CA 95110. The bulk transfer will be consummated on or after JUNE 8, 2018.

This bulk transfer is subject to Section 6106.2 of the California Commercial Code. If Section 6106.2 applies, claims may be filed at: FIDELITY NATIONAL TITLE COMPANY, ESCROW DIVISION Escrow No. FSBC-0271800892-JV, 2099 GATEWAY PL., STE 500, SAN JOSE, CA 95110 PHONE: (408)437-4313, FAX: (408)392-9272. This bulk transfer does NOT include a liquor license transfer. All claims must be received at this address by the JUNE 7, 2018.

So far as known to the Buyer(s), all business names and addresses used by the Seller(s) for the three (3) years last past, if different from the above are: NONE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this document on the date(s) set forth below.

NONE

Date: MAY 17, 2018
LA2028405 TRI-CITY VOICE
5/22/18

CNS-3135318#

NOTICE OF BULK SALE
(subject to Com. C. 6106.2)

The following definitions and designations shall apply in this Notice without regard to number or gender:

SELLER: Peninsula CA Ventures
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BUYER: Jariyaporn Samran
39957 Mission Blvd., Fremont, CA 94539
BUSINESS: ICE3 CREAMERY (certain assets)
39957 Mission Blvd., Fremont, CA 94539
DATE OF CONSUMMATION: June 8, 2018
LAST DAY TO FILE CLAIMS: June 7, 2018
ESCROW HOLDER: WILLIAM DUNN ESCROW, INC., 1350 Dell Avenue, Suite 204, Campbell, CA 95008

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Seller has used the following other business names and addresses within the last three years so far as known to Buyer: None

Jariyaporn Samran
BY: WILLIAM DUNN ESCROW, INC.
Agent for Buyer - Susan Berry, Pres.
5/22/18

CIVIL

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG18904521

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Alfonso Perez Ceja aka Alfonso Perez for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Alfonso Perez Ceja aka Alfonso Perez filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Alfonso Perez Ceja aka Alfonso Perez to Alfonso Perez

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: 6-22-18, Time: 11:30 pm, Dept.: 24
The address of the court is 1221 Oak St., Oakland, CA

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: What's Happening's Tri-City Voice
Date: May 11, 2018
Morris Jacobson
Judge of the Superior Court
5/22, 5/29, 6/5, 6/12/18

CNS-3134529#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG18903904

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Karen Arellano Barcarse for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner Karen Arellano Barcarse filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Karen Arellano Barcarse to Karen Barcarse Negritto

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.

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Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5/18

CNS-3132414#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG18904159

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Linda Prajduha for Change of Name

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

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: 6-22-18, Time: 11:30 a.m., Dept.: 24
The address of the court is 1221 Oak Street, 3rd Fl., Oakland, CA 94612

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: What Happening Tri City Voice
Date: May 9, 2018
Morris D. Jacobson
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5/18

CNS-3132410#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG18902643

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Duane Thomas Barlow for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Petitioner Duane Thomas Barlow filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Duane Thomas Barlow to Duane Thomas Millar Barlow

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: 6/15/18, Time: 11:30 A.M., Dept.: 24
The address of the court is 1221 Oak Street, 3rd Floor, Oakland, CA

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: Apr 27, 2018
Morris D. Jacobson
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29/18

CNS-3129064#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. HG18902638

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda
Petition of: Allison Mary Millar for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Petitioner Allison Mary Millar filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
Allison Mary Millar to Allison Mary Millar Barlow

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: 6/15/18, Time: 11:30 a.m., Dept.: 24
The address of the court is 1221 Oak Street, 3rd Floor, Oakland, CA

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: Apr 27 2018
Morris D. Jacobson
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29/18

CNS-3129058#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAMESFICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 544965

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Dhillon Transport, 33105 Mission Blvd. Apt. A109, Union City, CA 94587, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Ampitpal Singh, 33105 Mission Blvd. Apt. A107, Union City, CA 94587
Business conducted by: an Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 05-14-18.

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/ Ampitpal Singh, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 14, 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).
5/22, 5/29, 6/5, 6/12/18

CNS-3134628#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 544917-18

Fictitious Business Name(s):
1. SQP Products, 2. Square Pulse Products, 507 Maar Place, Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Shelby Midori Miyasato, 507 Maar Place Fremont, CA 94536
Lawrence Howard Edelson, 507 Maar Place, Fremont, CA 94536
Business conducted by: Married Couple
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 5/21/2003.

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/ Lawrence H Edelson, Founder
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 11, 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).
5/22, 5/29, 6/5, 6/12/18

CNS-3134537#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 544606

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Highland Arts, 1780 Highland Blvd., Hayward, CA 94542, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Lisa G. Brunner, 1780 Highland Blvd., Hayward, CA 94542

Business conducted by: an Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 3/26/2018.

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/ Lisa G. Brunner, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 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).
5/22, 5/29, 6/5, 6/12/18

CNS-3134533#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 544803

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Gaters, 3846 Mowry Ave, Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Maha Jamal Kasim, 5430 Matthew Terrace, Fremont, CA 94555
Business conducted by: an Individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on

8/08/2008.

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Maha Kasim, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 9, 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.

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5/22, 5/29, 6/5, 6/12/18

CNS-3133237#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 544804

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Gaters, 2083 Newpark Mall Road, Newark, CA 94560, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Maha Jamal Kasim, 5430 Matthew Terrace, Fremont, CA 94555
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/ Maha Kasim, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 9, 2018.

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5/22, 5/29, 6/5, 6/12/18

CNS-3133236#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 544405

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Mission Electronic Materials, 43025 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont, CA 94539, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Chunbin Zhang, 43025 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont, CA 94539

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

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

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 30, 2018

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5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5/18

CNS-3132780#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 54584

Fictitious Business Name(s):
ACE Plumbing and Drain Cleaning, 3619 Wyndham Dr., Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Hwawook Brian Choung, 3619 Wyndham Dr., Fremont, CA 94536

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

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Hwawook Brian Choung, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 7, 2018.

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5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5/18

CNS-3132413#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 544780

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Newark Dental Care, 6189 Jarvis Ave., Newark, CA 94560, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Charrin Andang Balion, DMD, Inc. 36545 Leone St., Newark, CA 94560, California

Business conducted by: a Corporation
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 03-25-2009

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/ Charrin Balion, President
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 9, 2018

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The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5/18

CNS-3132412#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 544291

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Jamie Heston Homeschool Consulting, 31923 Chicoine Ave, Hayward, CA 94544, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Heston Systems, Inc., 31923 Chicoine Ave, Hayward, CA 94544, California

Business conducted by: a Corporation
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 4/25/18

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/ Jamie Heston, President
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of

Alameda County on April 25, 2018

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5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29/18

CNS-3130076#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 544511-12

Fictitious Business Name(s):
1-Cheesy Bites, 2-Cheese Bites, 1233 Stanhope Ln, Hayward, CA 94545, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Ruben Benjamin, 1233 Stanhope Ln, Hayward, CA 94545
Isabel Benjamin, 1233 Stanhope Ln, Hayward, CA 94545

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

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

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 2, 2018

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The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29/18

CNS-3130075#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 544535

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Fremont STEM, 43505 Mission Blvd, Fremont, CA 94539, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
EDUMAX, Inc., 40963 Olmstead Terr, Fremont, CA 94538; California

Business conducted by: A Corporation

The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 5/1/18

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/ Jen, Kweiwhai, President

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 2, 2018

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The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29/18

CNS-3130073#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 544523

Fictitious Business Name(s):
1-Toms, 4193 Tanager Common, Fremont, CA 94555, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Jasmin Thompkins, 4193 Tanager Common, Fremont, CA 94555

Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 5/18/18

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/ Jasmin Thompkins

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 2, 2018

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PUBLIC NOTICES

File No. 544148
Fictitious Business Name(s):
Fidelity Flooring, Inc., 6147 Thornton Ave #D, Newark, CA 94560, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Fidelity Flooring, Inc., 6147 Thornton Ave #D, Newark, CA 94560; California
Business conducted by: A Corporation
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ Vilma C. Mendoza, CEO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on April 24, 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).
5/1, 5/8, 5/15, 5/22/18

CNS-3126524#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 544276
Fictitious Business Name(s):
SCRIBE 24, 2546 CLYMER LN, FREMONT, CA 94538, County of ALAMEDA
Registrant(s):
SAARIM ZAFAR, 2546 CLYMER LN, FREMONT, CA 94538
AHAD ZAFAR, 2546 CLYMER LN, FREMONT, CA 94538
Business conducted by: A GENERAL PARTNERSHIP
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars [\$1,000].)
/s/ SAARIM ZAFAR, DIRECTOR/ PARTNER GENERAL
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on APRIL 25, 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).
5/1, 5/8, 5/15, 5/22/18

CNS-3126520#

GOVERNMENT

CITY OF FREMONT
PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the City of Fremont City Council will hold a public hearing to consider the following proposals. Said public hearing will be held at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 5, 2018, Council Chambers, 3300 Capitol Ave., Bldg. A, Fremont, CA, at which time all interested parties may attend and be heard:
VACATION OF A PORTION OF MISSION FALLS COURT
Conduct a public hearing (for which Notices were Published and Posted) and adopt a resolution to vacate a portion of Mission Falls Court – 47289 and 47320 Mission Falls Court – PLN2018-00175.
FIRST PUBLIC HEARING ON FY 2018/19 PROPOSED OPERATING BUDGET
First Public Hearing (Published Notice) on FY 2018/19 Proposed Operating Budget
If you challenge any decision of the City Council in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City Council at, or prior to, the public hearing.
SUSAN GAUTHIER, CITY CLERK
5/22/18

CNS-3134746#

CITY OF FREMONT
SUMMARY OF ADOPTED ORDINANCE NO. 14-2018
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FREMONT REZONING A 0.79-ACRE SITE FROM C-G (GENERAL COMMERCIAL) TO R-3 (MULTIFAMILY RESIDENTIAL), TO ALLOW DEVELOPMENT OF A NEW 13-UNIT RESIDENTIAL SUBDIVISION WITH TOWNHOMES
On May 1, 2018, the Fremont City Council introduced the above ordinance. It would rezone a 0.79-acre site located at 36341 Mission Boulevard, from C-G (General Commercial) to R-3-18 (Multifamily Residential), to allow development of a new 13-unit residential subdivision with townhomes.
This Ordinance was adopted at a regular meeting of the City of Fremont City Council held May 15, 2018, by the following vote, to wit:
AYES: Mayor Meli, Vice Mayor Bacon, Councilmembers: Jones, Salwan, and Bonaccorsi
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
RECUSED: None
A certified copy of the full text of Ordinance No. 14-2018 as adopted is available for review upon

request in the office of the City Clerk, 3300 Capitol Avenue, Building A, Fremont.
SUSAN GAUTHIER, CITY CLERK
5/22/18

CNS-3134718#

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received in the Office of Purchasing Services at 3300 Capitol Ave., Bldg B, Fremont, California, up to the hour of 2:00 PM on June 13, 2018 at which time they will be opened and read out loud in said building for:

SHINN PARK MAIN HOUSE ROOF REPLACEMENT CITY PROJECT 8393(PWC)

A MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE: A mandatory pre-bid conference is scheduled for **Wednesday, May 30, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.** at Shinn Park Main House, 1251 Peralta Blvd., Fremont, CA. 94536.

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

LINDA WRIGHT
PURCHASING DIVISION
CITY OF FREMONT
5/22, 5/29/18

CNS-3134621#

**CITY OF UNION CITY
OFFICIAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**
Pursuant to Government Code Section 66016 et seq., the public hearing will review increases to the City of Union City Master Fee Resolution pertaining to all City departments.
Public Hearing to Master Fee Schedule for Fiscal Year 2018-2019 and Adjustments Thereof for Changes in the Consumer Price Index and Increases as prescribed in the Municipal Code.
Date: Tuesday, May 22nd, 2018
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Place: Union City Council Chambers
34009 Alvarado-Niles Road
Union City CA 94587
Copies of the Master Fee Schedule will be available for inspection no later than Thursday May 17, 2018 in the Office of the City Clerk, 34009 Alvarado-Niles Road, Union City.
Persons interested in the above are invited to attend the meeting to speak or offer written evidence for or against this proposal.
Published May 8, 2018 & May 22, 2018
Signed: Anna M. Brown, CMC
City Clerk
5/22/18

CNS-3133471#

**UNION SANITARY DISTRICT
NOTICE OF FILING REPORT AND PUBLIC HEARING IN CONNECTION WITH THE COLLECTION OF FISCAL YEAR 2019 SEWER SERVICE CHARGES ON THE PROPERTY TAX ROLL**
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to Sections 5471 and 5473, et seq. of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California and the Union Sanitary District Ordinance No. 31, the Board of Directors of Union Sanitary District will consider whether to collect its charges for sewer services for fiscal year 2019 on the tax roll, in the same manner as general taxes, consistent with past practices. The District has filed a written report with the Secretary of the Board of Directors describing each parcel of real property subject to the charges and the amount of the charges against that parcel for fiscal year 2019. The District's report is on file and available for public inspection at the District Offices. For reference, the charges for a single family home owner (the majority of USD's customers) are based on the adopted rate of \$407.12 for Fiscal Year 2019. All other rates for individual customers can be found by contacting the District at (510) 477-7500 or on the Districts website www.unionsanitary.ca.gov/sewerservice.htm
NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that on Monday, the 25th day of June 2018, at the hour of 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, at the Union Sanitary District Boardroom, 5072 Benson Road, Union City, California, in said District, the Board will hold a hearing to consider the report and whether to collect the sewer service charges for fiscal year 2019 on the property tax roll. At the hearing, the Board of Directors will hear and consider all objections or protests, if any, to the District's report. Any questions regarding the charges may be directed to Finance & Acquisition Services Coach, Laurie Brenner.
Publish dates: May 25, 2018 – Argus June 1, 2018 – Argus May 22, 2018 – Tri-City Voice May 29, 2018 – Tri-City Voice
By order of the Board of Directors of Union Sanitary District.
5/22, 5/29/18

CNS-3133362#

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

A public hearing will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, June 14, 2018 in the Oak Room at the Fremont Unified School District located at 4210 Technology Dr., Fremont, CA 94538.
The California Department of Education has directed all SELPAs in the state to conduct a public hearing on their 2018/2019 Annual Budget and Service Plans. This public hearing enables the Board of Directors to hear and consider all objections or protests, if any, to the District's report. Copies of the plans are available for inspection at the Special Education Office in each District.
5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5/18

CNS-3133104#

**DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY**
Proposed Flood Hazard Determinations for Alameda County, California and Incorporated Areas

The Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency has issued a preliminary Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM), and where applicable, Flood Insurance Study (FIS) report, reflecting proposed flood hazard determinations within Alameda County, California

and Incorporated Areas. These flood hazard determinations may include the addition or modification of Base Flood Elevations, base flood depths, Special Flood Hazard Area boundaries or zone designations, or the regulatory floodway. Technical information or comments are solicited on the proposed flood hazard determinations shown on the preliminary FIRM and/or FIS report for Alameda County, California and Incorporated Areas. These flood hazard determinations are the basis for the floodplain management measures that your community is required to either adopt or show evidence of being already in effect in order to qualify or remain qualified for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program. However, before these determinations are effective for floodplain management purposes, you will be provided an opportunity to appeal the proposed information. For information on the statutory 90-day period provided for appeals, as well as a complete listing of the communities affected and the locations where copies of the FIRM are available for review, please visit FEMA's website at www.fema.gov/plan/prevent/fhm/bfe, or call the FEMA Map Information eXchange (FIMX) toll free at 1-877-FEMA MAP (1-877-336-2827).
5/22, 5/29/18

CNS-3132544#

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received in the Office of Purchasing Services at 3300 Capitol Ave., Bldg B, Fremont, California, up to the hour of 2:00 PM on June 6, 2018 at which time they will be opened and read out loud in said building for:

NILES TOWN PLAZA PERMEABLE PAVERS CITY PROJECT 8949(PWC)

NON-MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE: A mandatory pre-bid conference is scheduled for **Wednesday, May 23, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.** at Niles Town Plaza, 37592 Niles Blvd., Fremont, CA. 94536, east side of the parking lot.

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

LINDA WRIGHT
PURCHASING DIVISION
CITY OF FREMONT
5/15, 5/22/18

CNS-3131657#

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the City Council of the City of Union City for the purpose of considering submission of a proposed charter to the voters of the City of Union City on November 6, 2018. Union City is currently organized as a general law city under California law. If a charter is adopted by the voters, Union City will be organized as a charter city under California law. At the public hearing, the City Council will consider the proposal of a charter and the content of the proposed charter. This is the second of two public hearings on this matter as required by Government Code Section 34458(b). The public hearing is scheduled for:
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
June 12, 2018

The hearing will be held at 7:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 34009 Alvarado-Niles Road, Union City.

Copies of the text of the proposed charter will be available for public review as part of the City Council meeting packet no later than June 8 at 5:00 PM. Any person wishing to speak to the City Council on this matter is invited to attend the hearing. Written comments regarding this item should be received by the City Clerk by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday June 12, 2018. If you challenge the action of the City Council on this matter in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered at, or prior to the Public Hearing.
City Hall is accessible by Union City Transit lines 1A, 1B, 3, 4 and AC Transit line 97. BART riders can transfer to these bus routes at the UC BART station. For information, please contact: Union City Transit at (510) 471-1411, Transit at (510) 891-4777, or BART at (510) 465-2278.
/s/ Anna M. Brown, CMC
City Clerk, City of Union City
Posted: May 15, 2018
Published: May 15, 2018 & May 22, 2018
5/22/18

CNS-3131084#

PROBATE

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:
ALLAN DAVID WAGNER
CASE NO. RP17871278**
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of ALLAN DAVID WAGNER.
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by DIANA MARIE QUINTANA in the Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA.
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that DIANA MARIE QUINTANA be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act with limited authority. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files

an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
A HEARING on the petition will be held in this court as follows: 06/20/18 at 9:31AM in Dept. 202 located at 2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. WAY, BERKELEY, CA 94704
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing of personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.
Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
Attorney for Petitioner
LINDA M. VARGA - SBN 149988
HENRY J. MORAVEC - SBN 149989
MORAVEC, VARGA & MOONEY
2233 HUNTINGTON DRIVE, STE 17
SAN MARINO CA 91108
5/22, 5/29, 6/5/18

CNS-3135013#

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
LARRY C. SAVANNAH
CASE NO. RP18899598**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors of the decedent, you must file your claim interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Larry C. Savannah
A Petition for Probate has been filed by Jerri L. McClendon-Seldon in the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda.
The Petition for Probate requests that Jerri L. McClendon-Seldon be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
The Petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
A hearing on the petition will be held in this court on June 11 2018 at 9:31am in Dept. 202 located at 2120 Martin Luther King Jr. Way, Berkeley, CA 94704.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.
Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
Petitioner/Attorney for Petitioner: Ruben Sundeen, SUNDEEN & SALINAS, 428 - 13th Street, 8th Floor, Oakland, CA 94612. Telephone: (510) 663-9240
5/8, 5/15, 5/22/18

CNS-3129556#

PUBLIC AUCTION/SALES

Notice is hereby given pursuant to California Self Storage Act, Business and Professions Code 21702-21716. Three Sixty Storage Center, 6849 Centerville Avenue, Newark, California, Alameda County, will for the purpose of satisfying lien for storage, on the premises where said property has been stored, SELL at PUBLIC AUCTION on June 11, 2018 at 12:00 PM, the contents of storage spaces named below, which consists of personal property including but not limited to, household furniture, clothing, tools, toys, appliances, stereo equipment, televisions, miscellaneous boxes of household goods and unknown contents.
Marisha L. Anderson
Timothy A. Clyne
Nancy B. Anaya
Adriana S. Lombana
Yolanda M. Dias
Auctioneer John Cardoza, Bond #5860870, Ph.(209) 667-5797
Sale subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between owner and obligated party. ALL ITEMS SOLD AS IS, WHERE IS, FOR CASH ONLY.
5/22, 5/29/18

CNS-3135083#

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the Provisions of Chapter 10, Section 21700 at Seq. of the Business and Professions Code of The

State of California the undersigned will Sell at public sale by competitive bidding on the 11th of June, 2018 2:30 PM, on the premises where said property has been stored, and which are located at HOLIDAY STORAGE, 43033 Osgood Road, in the city of Fremont, County of Alameda, State of California (510-657-9596), the goods, chattels, or personal property described below.
In the matter of:
SP 67 CATHY VERRELLI
SP 64 ALEJANDRO MAILLE
SP 13 STEVEN L. SP 124 JONATHAN FOLTZ
Misc. household items and furniture.
JOHN CARDOZA, AUCTIONEER, Agent for Owner
Purchase must be made with CASH ONLY and paid for at the time of purchase. All purchased goods are sold AS IS and must be removed at the time of sale. Sale subject to prior cancellation in the event of settlement between owner and obligated party.
5/22, 5/29/18

CNS-3134016#

TRUSTEE SALES

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. CA-17-800973-AB Order No.: 730-1710690-70 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 7/21/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or Financial Card specified in Section 5102 to the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount due at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): Estelita P. Vray, an unmarried woman. Recorded: 8/1/2005 as Instrument No. 200532425. Official notice is in the office of the Recorder of ALAMEDA County, California; Date of Sale: 5/29/2018 at 12:30 PM Place of Sale: At the Fallon Street entrance to the County Courthouse, 1225 Fallon Street, Oakland, CA 94612 Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$298,256.79. The purported property address is: 246 FAMOSO PLAZA, UNION CITY, CA 94587 Assessor's Parcel No.: 087-0033-067 NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDER: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid does not entitle you to not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. You consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires the information about a trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 855 238-5118 for information. To view the information, or visit this Internet Web site <http://www.qualityloan.com>, using the file number assigned to this foreclosure by the Trustee: CA-17-800973-AB. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to this location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, including if the Trustee is unable to convey title, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the monies paid to the Trustee. This shall be the Purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Trustor, the Trustee, the Beneficiary, the Beneficiary's Agent, or the Beneficiary's Attorney. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. Date: Quality Loan Service Corporation 411 Ivy Street San Diego, CA 92101 619-645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: 855 238-5118 Or Login to: <http://www.qualityloan.com> Reinstatement Line: (866) 645-7711 Ext 5318 Quality Loan Service Corp. TS No.: CA-17-800973-AB IDSPub #0140140 5/8/2018 5/15/2018 5/22/2018 5/8, 5/15, 5/22/18

CNS-3128627#

Fremont
Police LogSUBMITTED BY
GENEVA BOSQUES,
FREMONT PD

Thursday, May 10

- Officer Sun stopped a male bicyclist near Posada Way and Montecito Drive. During a search, two bags containing a white crystal-like substance, suspected to be methamphetamine, were found in the suspect's shoe. He was arrested on suspicion of possessing methamphetamine.
- Community Service Officer Schwartz investigated a commercial burglary on Osgood Road that occurred between 5:35 and 5:38 a.m. The business was burglarized a month ago and stolen keys may have been used to gain entry this time. Taken was a laptop computer and cash. Two non-descript males could be seen in video surveillance entering the business and an associated vehicle seen may be a white 4-door sedan.

Friday, May 11

- At 4:00 p.m. officers were dispatched to the shoreline of Coyote Hills Preserve after a person walking along the shoreline spotted a person's dead body. With the assistance of a drone from the Fremont Fire Department and a helicopter from East Bay Regional Parks, the body was found north of the Dumbarton Bridge. The East Bay Regional airship "Eagle 7" provided police investigators access to the area. With the assistance of an air boat from the Menlo Park Fire Department the body was recovered. Deputies from the Alameda County Coroner's Office responded and took possession of the boy. No immediate determination could be made regarding the identity or cause of death. An investigation is continuing.
- Officer Catassi was sent to investigate a strong-arm robbery by two suspects at the Safeway store at the Fremont Hub shopping center on Mowry Avenue. The first suspect was described as a black man in his 20s, standing about 5-feet-7-inches tall, wearing a black

hoodie with a Nike logo, faded light blue jeans and black high-top shoes. The second suspect was described as a black woman between 20 and 30-years-old, with a high bun in her hair, wearing a black hoodie and holding a backpack.

- A caller reported a person was passed out behind the steering wheel at a stop light on Stevenson Boulevard at Blacow Road. The driver awoke and drove off while officers were on the way. The caller followed the vehicle until it stopped again on Coco Palm Drive and Blacow Road. Officers contacted the 46-year-old driver and determined he had too much to drink. The driver was booked into the Fremont jail.
- Saturday, May 12**
- A suspect reportedly stole a couple of projectors from the Fry's Electronics store on Auto Mall Parkway at Osgood Road and threatened employees when they tried to stop them. The suspect was described as a black man in his 20s, wearing a grey shirt and blue pants. He jumped into the passenger seat of a silver Honda Accord.

- Officers were dispatched to a local hospital on the report a male calling for help from a pay phone. When they arrived, officers found a male waving a shovel and throwing large rocks at paramedics. The male was detained and determined to be on a searchable probation. He was arrested on suspicion of assault with a deadly weapon.
- Sunday, May 13**
- At 1:04 a.m. Officer Dennis conducted a traffic stop at the 7-Eleven on Decoto Road. He contacted a 35-year-old man who was on Alameda County Post Release Community Supervision for gun violations and assault with a deadly weapon. Dennis conducted a search and recovered a handgun that had the serial numbers tampered with. Dennis arrested the man on suspicion of unlawful gun possession, firearm serial number tampering, violating county parole. The suspect was booked at the Fremont jail.
- Monday, May 14**
- At 5:52 p.m. officers respond to a reported carjacking incident that occurred during an argument between a male and female in the 3500 block

Monmouth Place. While the two are arguing, the 20-year-old male jumped into a vehicle belonging to the female and drove off. He returned to argue some more, then left again before police arrived. He drove around the block and ran inside a residence on Philadelphia Place. He exited the house when officers arrived and was arrested on suspicion of carjacking.

- Tuesday, May 15**
- At about 5:07 p.m. a 25-year-old man riding a bicycle westbound on Stevenson Boulevard over the I-880 overpass was struck from behind by a vehicle. The driver did not stop to check on the welfare of the bicyclist who sustained serious injuries and was later taken to a trauma center. Police describe the vehicle as a dark colored 2003-2007 Toyota Highlander with damage to the right front headlight and fog lamp. Police are asking anyone with information about the vehicle or driver to call Anyone who knows Traffic Investigator Jesse Hartman at Jhartman@fremont.gov or call (510) 790-6760.

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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

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Sharing ur culture and history in the Tri-Cities and surrounding area
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5:30pm Newark Library
510-793-8181
www.aachstricity.org
We welcome all new members

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
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Info: Gina 510-943-7403
www.giuseppemazzini.org

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Like to write?
Meet other writers?
Get tips from speakers?
Join us from 2-4pm every fourth Saturday except in July & December
www.cwc-fremontareawriters.org

Scholarships for Women

Our Fremont PEO chapter sponsors scholarships for women entering college, earning another degree, or returning to school after 2+ years.
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www.peocalifornia.org
wordsmitt65@gmail.com for more info

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By Someone’s
Drinking?
Al-Anon and Alateen
are here to help.

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Annual Open House
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Sat. June 9 - 10am-5pm
Sun. June 10 - 10am-4pm
37592 Niles Blvd., Fremont
Please visit our web site:
www.nilesdepot.org
Q: bobcz007@comcast.net

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Basketball Camp

Ages 7-15
Mon-Fri, June 25-29
9am-12Noon
Silliman Activity Center
Gymnasium
6800 Mowry Ave
Newark
Director: CoachDarryl Reina
Register Now:
510-578-4620

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

Are you or a loved one struggling with mental health challenges?
You are not alone.

NAMI – The National Alliance
on Mental Illness offers
Free, confidential classes
and support groups

We can help. Call Kathryn at (408) 422-3831
Leave message

Buon Tempo Italian
American Club

Family Dinners 1st Tuesday of Month at Transfiguration Church Castro Valley
Everyone welcome: Members \$15/Guests \$20
5-Course dinner plus wine & dessert
Reservations by prior Friday at 510-483-6929
Info: www.buontempoclub.org

2018 Walk to Cure
Arthritis - Tri-Valley

Saturday, May 19th at LifeStyleRx
1119 E. Stanley Blvd., Livermore
Registration 9:00 a.m.
Walk begins at 10:00 a.m.
1 or 3 mile options,
Post-Walk BBQ, Expo,
Raffle Prizes, Corner Zone,
Canine Corner
www.walktocurearthritis.org/Tri Valley or Call (415) 356-5484

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SparkPoint Info Session
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City of Fremont
Family Resource Center
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Fremont.gov/SparkPointFRC

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Family Resource Center

24 agencies help Tri-City residents with employment, counseling, childcare subsidies, housing, legal, public benefits, health insurance, a drop-in childcare center & more.
M-F 8-5.
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510.574.2000 or
Fremont.gov/FRC

SPORTS COLLECTOR’S SHOW
Saturday July 14
10am-3pm

Hayward Veterans Bldg.
22727 Main, Hayward
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The American Legion Post 68
For more information
Edward Castillo
510-348-7771
ercastillo@yahoo.com

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9 Weeks with different theme each week. All sessions incorporate STEAM techniques
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July 23-27, 12:45-4pm
Family Celebration
July 29 9:30am
Hope Community Church
2190 Peralta Blvd., Fremont
510-739-0430
Register online at
hopefremont.church/children

June 2018 Primary Election Candidates (contested)

To our readers:

Tri-City Voice published information about measures and propositions that will appear on ballots in the Greater Tri-City area in our May 8, 2018 edition. In this

issue, we have reserved space for candidates for local and regional office who chose to submit a statement. All candidates were contacted and offered this opportunity at no cost to them. This is our commitment to Tri-City Voice readers and a free and

open election system to preserve our democratic system of government. Tri-City Voice does not offer political endorsements; instead, we provide information and trust voters to make clear and honest decisions for themselves.

Whether by mail or in person at the polls on June 5th, remember to vote. Your vote counts!

William Marshak
Publisher

U.S. Congress
15th District

Rudy L. Peters Jr.



Republican
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I am running for U.S. Congress California 15th District because, I've reached the point—or rather, our District and State are to the point—where I felt like I only had two options: leave California or stay and fight for what I know is right.

I ask the great citizens of the 15th congressional district to look at my positions on key issues. You will see I'm much more concerned with arriving at workable solutions than "beating the other side." I will bring leadership that's interested in doing the right thing—for our district, state, and nation—rather than continuing the current Washington "standard": doing absolutely nothing except engaging in polarizing partisan politics.

As a Navy veteran, intelligence expert, and entrepreneur, I have the experience to safeguard our country and focus on jobs for Americans. I am committed to a strong economy, fiscal responsibility, immigration, education, infrastructure, protecting our citizenry and affordable healthcare.

I have been endorsed by both the: Alameda County Republican Party and Contra Costa County Republican Party. Please take a moment to evaluate the incumbent; Congressman Eric Swalwell's voting record and decide if he's voting for you or his party.
www.rudypetersforcongress.com.

Brendan St. John



www.brendanforcongress.com
facebook.com/brendanforcongress

My name is Brendan St. John and I have resided over 20 years in Pleasanton with my wife. We are raising three teenage children, and experience many of the same struggles and challenges faced by families throughout the district. My career has been largely spent in the medical device field committed to bringing quality medical products to market that improve the lives of people living with various medical conditions.

My passionate belief is that you deserve 100% focus and commitment from your

representative. As a no party preference candidate who has rejected PAC donations I can go to Washington focused on serving you, and not the party bosses or special interests.

The #1 issue I hear throughout the district is concerns of overcrowding and the building of more high-density housing in our communities. The Association of Bay Area Governments and Sacramento's recent attempts to force these massive projects into our cities without voter approval erodes neighborhood integrity and, I believe, violates the 14th Amendment. I'm the only candidate who has pledged to work in Washington to protect our communities and fight this harmful unconstitutional overreach.

It's time for the tone to change in Washington. Partisan politics and political theater are the status quo, and YOU deserve results not rhetoric. In Congress, I'll build positive working relationships and focus on bringing funds back to our communities to help modernize aging infrastructure and address critical needs within the district. We've recently seen a trend of Federal cuts (Lawrence Livermore National Labs - \$100 million budget cut) in our district that can cost jobs and hurt the economy. I'll reverse this trend.

There are win/win compromises that were offered and rejected by our current member of congress who is placing party loyalty over your needs. 1.8 Million DACA eligible individuals, many in California and Dist. 15, depend upon Congress to work collaboratively to get a deal done in exchange for more border security and immigration reforms. Securing a DACA/Immigration reform solution will be a top priority for me in Congress. As a non-party candidate, if elected, I'll be a non-party representative... you deserve to be served.

Eric Swalwell



As your Congressman, I'm fighting for your freedom to dream – to expand your economic opportunity so you can reach for and attain a better life for yourself and your family.

I support working families because I'm from one. I was first in my family to graduate college, and I'm one of the only Members of Congress with student loan debt.

In Congress, I'm working to expand economic opportunity and income equality. To lift families, I've co-sponsored legislation that grows paychecks, guarantees women receive equal pay for equal work, takes care of our veterans, and prevents cuts to Social Security and Medicare.

As a former prosecutor, I'm committed to making our communities safe. I introduced legislation to ban assault weapons and I support background checks to buy firearms. On the House Intelligence Committee, I'm protecting our democracy and rule

of law, and wrote the first legislation calling for an independent, bipartisan commission to investigate Russian interference in the 2016 election. At home, I helped create an authority to raise money to expand BART to Livermore.

Every day I work in Congress to reach across the aisle to find solutions to common problems. I founded a bipartisan group of 30 colleagues, committed to finding common ground to create jobs and cut the deficit. Two-thirds of the legislation I've supported is bipartisan.

I also lead Future Forum: young Democratic Congresspersons focused on issues important to millennials including college affordability and student loan debt, home ownership, and addressing climate change.

I believe representatives in Congress must stay connected to our communities, so I return home nearly every weekend and use technology and social media to stay constantly in touch.

I'd be honored to continue serving you. www.swalwellforcongress.com

U.S. Congress
17th District

Ro Khanna



It has been my honor to represent the people of California's 17th district in the United States Congress. I have worked across the aisle to build an economy that works for all Americans. I have done so while remaining an active voice on local issues affecting our community.

I passed my first law, the VALOR act, which makes it easier for veterans to access apprenticeship programs. To make sure all our children have the skills they need to compete in a global economy, I have also co-sponsored legislation to make public universities and community colleges debt free.

As Vice Chair of the Progressive Caucus, I have fought for equal pay for women, Medicare for All, a reduction of our foreign military entanglements, and comprehensive immigration reform. I have also introduced legislation to double the EITC for working families, helping reduce the wage gap in our country.

Locally, I have hosted monthly town halls in the district. To combat air noise from local airports, I established a roundtable with local leaders and FAA officials committed to finding a solution. To reduce traffic congestion, I have advocated for federal funding for the expansion of BART into San Jose and Santa Clara. Finally, to reduce the rising levels of anxiety among our students, I partnered with local school districts to raise awareness for youth mental health.

I have never taken campaign contributions from PACs, lobbyists or corporations. To learn more, please visit: www.rokhanna.com

State Senate
10th District

Ali Sarsak



We pay very high taxes. In exchange, California promised that our kids will get the best education, small business and jobs would be vibrant, and our roads will be well-maintained. The reality is that our roads are crumbling, our schools are ranked 4th worst in the nation, small businesses are struggling, and wages are stagnant. What happened? Why can't California get it right?

Hi, my name is Ali Sarsak. I'm running for election to California's 10th senate district. For decades, we've seen California's taxes skyrocketing and the quality of government services declining. Do you think it's time for a change in how we do things? There's an old saying you're probably familiar with, "doing the same thing repeatedly while expecting a different result is the definition of insanity."

The way California does government isn't how it has to be. There are other ways. For example, we could give local communities complete control over their education programs. Maybe the reason our schools are failing is because education is not a one-size-fits-all endeavor.

The 10th district has one of the most diverse populations in the nation. Why should unelected bureaucrats in Sacramento push their one-size-fits-all education on our rich variety of cultures and needs?

California lawmakers also killed a lot of jobs by imposing hypocritical environmental regulations that do nothing to stop pollution. All they've done is export our pollution and kill jobs in California. We should have an honest environmental policy.

California is the 5th largest economy in the world. Why are our roads in such bad shape when we pay so much tax? We already have the money for our roads, but special interests have diverted those funds. I will fight to get those funds where they belong.

I'm willing to question the way lawmakers have run our state, and the solutions to our problems are simple. We need honest environmental policy, local control of schools, maintained roads, and a healthier environment for small businesses.

I hope you'll consider voting for me on June 5th. You can learn more about where I stand on issues by visiting my website, www.sarsak4senate.com.

State Assembly
25th District

Bob Brunton



My core promise to you is: No Excuses - Just Solutions

The time for just talk is over, it is time for action. I have identified over 30 ways to improve our district and state without raising overall taxes. In addition, I have identified several areas of tax and fee reductions. Our state does not have an overall revenue problem it has a very bad spending problem that must be fixed.

It was not long ago that California was a special place. And in many ways, it still is, but is not the case today in respect to our state government. Almost every issue has been over politicized, and special interests protect the status quo.

I am asking for your vote to represent you in Sacramento and start fixing things. We can greatly improve our district and state without raising overall taxes and fees. In fact, we can and must decrease many of our taxes and fees. I have lived in the district for 40 years. I have started and owned several businesses, my children attended local public schools and I was an elected member of the Ohlone College Board of Trustees for 12 years. I promise that every day I will use that knowledge and experience to help our state and district. You will be treated with the respect and civility you deserve. Your voice and ideas will be heard and listened to.

The four areas that I will focus my next term are:

1. Fixing our State's Four major Fiscal problems - Taxes, Spending, Debt and Trust
2. Greatly Improving Education - California Allocates 54% of its budget on education and we are not getting our monies worth.
3. Revamping and Improving our Civil Justice System - The cost of justice costs too much, takes too long and only benefits the wealthy, this is wrong and must be changed.
4. Fixing our convoluted and poorly coordinated transit, traffic and jobs and housing policies.

It is a big task and time for action.

Vote Bob Brunton for State Assembly - No Excuses - Just Solutions
Text - 510-657-8645
www.bobbruntonforassembly.com
Email bbrunton@telesissales-group.com

Kansen Chu



It has been a great honor to serve you as your State Assemblymember since 2014. I have served on various State Assembly Committees including: Transportation, Water and Park, Insurance, Revenue and Tax, Job and Economic Development, Labor and Employment, and chaired the State Assembly Committees on Human Services and Arts, Entertainment, Sports, Tourism and Internet Media. I am also the Chairperson on Hate Crime Select Committee.

This year, I have authored legislations to clean up our State freeways and roads, strengthen college preparatory programs for high school students, provide

more funding for our public schools, protect residents living in mobile homes, expand access to mental health services and protect seniors from financial fraud.

Besides serving on many local Boards and Commissions, I was elected twice to the San Jose City Council and the Berryessa Union School Board. Prior to being a public servant, I worked at IBM as an Electronics Engineer and owned a restaurant in San Jose. My wife and I have lived in this region for over 42 years we have two children and two grandchildren.

My purpose of becoming a public servant is to ensure our community continues to be the best place to live, to work, to raise a family, and to retire. I will continue to fighting for our values and ensure state resources come back to our community to address the housing shortage, fund our public schools, protect our neighborhoods from crime, and expand job opportunities.

I am honored to earn the endorsement of Congressman Ro Khanna, State Senator Bob Wieckowski, State Assemblymember Bill Quirk, members of State Latina Caucus, API Caucus and many local elected officials and community members.

I would be humbled to earn your support. Please vote for Kansen Chu on or before June 5. Thank You.
www.Kansenchu.com

**Superior Court Judge
Office #11**

Karen Katz



I will bring compassion and fairness to the bench. I spent thirty years in the trenches, serving the poor and the outcasts

of society. I paid attention to people in our society who got no attention from society until it was time to lock them up. I provided a quality service for people who might never have had a quality service in their lives. I want to bring that quality service to the bench, not as an advocate, but as a fair and compassionate listener and interpreter of the law.

My thirty years as an Alameda County public defender gave me a broad perspective on the justice system. I was in court almost every day. I did jury trials; I know the stress involved for all the parties. I have empathy for everyone involved in the courts: witnesses, jurors, court staff, victims, defendants, prosecutors, police and defense attorneys. I think that the advent of the body camera worn by law enforcement is one of the greatest forces for justice in the modern age. As a veteran practitioner, I know that both sides have an important role to play. I know that the victims in criminal cases are often every bit as poor as the defendants, and often of the same race or ethnicity as well. I will not favor either side. Racism, sexism and homophobia will have no quarter in my courtroom.

I will work to establish an Alameda County restorative justice court for adults. A court case often means there has been a breakdown in the community. Court can be a place where community bonds are repaired and strengthened, instead of torn apart.

Like California’s Chief Justice, I am in favor of bail reform. Pre-trial detention should be for people who are dangerous to the community, and for nobody else. I will not make inequality worse by setting an unaffordable bail for someone who is not a risk to public safety.

I believe in local juries for misdemeanor trials. Misdemeanor jurors should not have to travel to the other end of the county to serve. Thanks for your interest! Sincerely,
Karen Katz
Deputy Public Defender, ret.
Candidate for Superior Court Judge
<https://KarenKatzforJudge.com>

**Alameda County
Assessor**

James “Jim” Johnson



My name is Jim Johnson and I want to be your next Assessor of Alameda County.

I HAVE EXPERIENCE - I have been with the Alameda County Assessor’s office for 26 years, the last 10 years in the highest civil service position in the office. I am uniquely qualified to continue the proficient, cost efficient administration of the Assessor’s office. Working closely with the current Assessor Ron Thomsen I have helped decide budget matters, effectively resolved personnel issues, addressed assessment legal issues and worked with City financial officers. I am being endorsed by Assessor Thomsen because he knows I am the only qualified person for the job and that is why all the top managers in the office are actively supporting my candidacy.

No other candidate has any experience in Assessor or County administration.

WE ENROLL FAIR ASSESSMENTS - Our office has consistently received near perfect ratings each time the State has audited our performance. Our office has always been proactive in reducing property assessments during downturn years to their fair market value. In one year over 110,000 parcels were reduced by \$17 billion in assessed value thereby saving the taxpayers over \$170 million in taxes without the need to file an Assessment Appeal. We offer free informal reviews if taxpayers disagree. We are fair and equitable.

WE HAVE EXCELLENT CUSTOMER SERVICE – Our

office immediately responds to thousands of phone inquiries each month, promptly answering email questions and providing an informative website. Our appraisers and exemption personnel are in the field meeting with taxpayers daily on construction, transfer and exemption issues.

INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY - Our office has twice the IT budget of similar departments and I have led the team in modernizing our office for the last two decades. This has provided me with working knowledge of every aspect of the office. We have won national awards for our innovative technology.

FUTURE GOALS - Continue our imaging project, develop more mobile apps for our appraisers and expand our exemptions staff to audit and process the flood of low income housing claims.

I respectfully ask for your vote.

Kevin D. Lopez



I am a lifelong resident of Alameda County. I was raised in Fremont and graduated from American High School. I married my high school sweetheart and we have two children together. I earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration/Finance from California State University, Chico. I am an alumni member of the Professional Business Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi. I was the President of Beta Gamma Sigma, the international business honor society. I also played varsity baseball at Chico State. Out of college, I successfully owned a small business for residential appraisals, serving 7 counties throughout the Bay Area.

I am running for Assessor of Alameda County to keep a true real estate professional responsible for all appraisal and assessment activity. I have been in the Real Estate industry for the past three decades. I am the only candidate that is a state licensed appraiser. I hold a Certified General Appraiser license with the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers from the State of California. That is the highest appraisal license issued by the State. I also possess a State Board of Equalization Advanced Certified Property Tax Appraisers Certificate.

In 1995, I joined the Alameda County Assessor’s office and have served the public for the past 23 years. I am responsible for large multi-million dollar commercial and industrial projects. I have been responsible for valuing the Shipping Terminals at the Port of Oakland with their values reaching into a quarter of a billion dollars. I have appraised the major occupants at Oakland International Airport and the four Marinas of Alameda County. I have performed more than 15,000+ appraisals and assessments.

I am an active volunteer. I am currently a Board Member of and manage two Non-Profit Organizations serving the youth of Alameda County. My strong leadership skills help to organize, train and schedule our members.

- Priorities:
- * Track the Real Estate market. A downturn would trigger an immediate review of all eligible property and save taxpayers hundreds to thousands of dollars.
 - * Advocate for an increase in the homeowner’s exemption to give needed tax relief to homeowners.
 - * Develop an internship program for local youth. This could be a great opportunity to start a career and serve the public.

**Fremont City
Council**

May 15, 2018

Consent Calendar:

- Second Reading to rezone 0.79-acre site from General Commercial to develop a 13-unit residential subdivision with townhomes.
- Call and consolidate 2018 November election.
- Award contract to Gordon N. Ball, Inc. for \$5,820,590 to build a concessions and restroom building, shade structures, sand volleyball courts, trash enclosure, picnic areas and lawn activity areas in Central Park adjacent to the Water Park.
- Award contract for Central Park Sabercat Play Area synthetic safety resurfacing project to Spectraturf, Inc. in the amount of \$352,505.
- Award contract to Bear Electrical Solutions in the amount of \$332,871.55 for 2018 Pedestrian Crossing Enhancement Project Phase I.



Proclaim Elder Abuse Awareness Month. Alameda County Deputy District Attorney Cheryl Poncini and Alameda County Adult Protective Services Supervisor Stephanie Marsili accepted the proclamation.

- Approve final map for public and private street improvements and dedication of land and public easements for 2529 Washington Boulevard.
- Repeal and replace Animals Ordinance to update regulations and procedures for keeping animals in the City.
- Authorize new service agreements with cities of Newark, San Leandro and Union City for animal sheltering services.
- Add an art fee to Master Fee Schedule for Ardenwood Technology Park Planned District.
- Declare intention to

- establish City of Fremont Communities Facilities District No. 3 (Warm Springs). 4-0-1 (Salwan, recuse)
- Approve agreement with Ninyo & Moore, Inc. for on-call geotechnical consulting services in an amount of up to \$150,000 annually.
 - Initial proceedings to vacate a portion of Mission Falls Court; set public hearing for June 5, 2018.
 - Approve amendment to contract with Mad Science of the Bay Area increasing contract amount not-to-exceed \$150,000 for FY 2017-2018.

- Approve purchase order with US Foods in an amount not-to-exceed \$175,000 at Aqua Adventure Waterpark for FY 2018/19 – FY 2022/23.
- Ceremonial Items:**
 - Proclaim Elder Abuse Awareness Month. Alameda County Deputy District Attorney Cheryl Poncini and Alameda County Adult Protective Services Supervisor Stephanie Marsili accepted the proclamation.
- Scheduled Items:**
 - Approve a Planned District amendment to allow development of five single-family detached houses on an approximately 0.6-acre site at 33650 Beard Court in the North Fremont Planning Area. Noise, air pollution mitigation and neighborhood acceptance were discussed.
- Other Business:**
 - Presentation of FY 2018/19 Proposed Operating Budget of \$239.5 million divided between General Fund (\$205.7 million) and Other Funds (\$123.8 million). National economy modest growth but slowing with maturing business cycle; regional

economy growth is modest with high development activity. Top five revenues (Property Tax, Sales Tax, Franchise Fees, Business Tax, Hotel Occupancy Tax) show modest growth. Balanced budget with allocations to Public Safety Radio Replacement Project and contributions to pay down unfunded pension liability. Public Hearings scheduled for June 5, 2018 and June 12, 2018.

Council Referrals:

- Vice Mayor Bacon Referral to take action on East Bay Regional Park District’s proposal to extend Mission Peak Stanford Staging Area hours. Council heard from public, primarily neighbors who urged council to advocate retaining current hours of operation. Council voted to send a strong statement of support to retain current hours to the park district.

Mayor Lily Mei	Aye
Vice Mayor Vinnie Bacon	Aye
Rick Jones	Aye
Raj Salwan	Aye (1 recusal)
David Bonaccorsi	Aye

BART extension to S.J. web program set

**SUBMITTED BY VALLEY
TRANSIT AUTHORITY**

Valley Transit Authority (VTA) is hosting an online informational “webinar” explaining the upcoming BART extension into Santa Clara County on Wednesday, May 23. The live program will stream from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. and offer the public

a chance to learn more about station information, anticipated construction schedule, project elements and more.

VTA is extending the BART regional heavy rail system to Milpitas, San Jose and Santa Clara. The 16-mile extension will travel along the existing Union Pacific Railroad alignment south of the Warm Springs Station in Fremont to Milpitas

and North San Jose, and then will tunnel underneath downtown San Jose rising to street level in Santa Clara.

When completed, this fully grade-separated project will include six stations. One in Milpitas, four in San Jose and one in Santa Clara; a five-mile tunnel in downtown San Jose; and a new maintenance and storage

facility in Santa Clara

Participation is free, but online sign-ups are required by visiting www.eventbrite.com, and then typing BART Phase II Extension into the search box.

John Weed



My experience and education are ideally suited for Alameda County Assessor to help achieve lowest property taxes. For the past 8 years I have served on the Alameda County Property Tax Assessment Appeals Board, for both evaluation and legal issues. I have the in depth and unique educational background with a Law Degree, MBA-Finance, BS Civil Engineering, Graduate Research Associate-Agricultural Economics. Real Estate Broker and general contractor licenses. Colonel, United States Air Force. Longtime public servant in the positions as Trustee, Ohlone Community District & Director, and Alameda County Water District. My pledge to you: act with integrity, county services to the Tri-City area, and achieve the lowest property taxes.

More info at <http://www.weedforassessor.com>

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Alameda County
District Attorney

Pamela Price



I am so proud and honored to announce that former Congressman and Mayor of Oakland Ron Dellums has endorsed me for Alameda County District Attorney. Ron Dellums has spent his career fighting against injustice in all of its forms. He knows the people of Alameda County and he understands the suffering of so many under the current DA's policies of mass incarceration and racial disparities in prosecution.

In his statement of support, he said, "I have always been proud of the long progressive tradition in Alameda County. But today, in Alameda County, there continues to exist extreme racially disparate treatment in the criminal justice system. For example, African Americans account for almost two-thirds of the County jail population, the majority of whom have not been convicted of any crimes. In addition, children continue to be prosecuted as adults. The devastation to these children from their exposure to the adult criminal justice system makes it almost impossible for them to ever recover. Children who are thrown into the adult justice system are more likely to reoffend, are often sexually assaulted, and many end up committing suicide. And most often, these children are Black and Brown children."

"Pamela Price has committed to not prosecute one child as an adult when she is District Attorney. She has pledged to set up youth courts and diversion programs. She will end the racial disparity in prosecutions and mass incarceration of Black and Brown people. These times call for courageous and transformative disruptors of systemic racial injustice. Pamela Price is exactly who we need right now as Alameda County District Attorney."

I could not be more moved than I am by the endorsement of senior statesman, Ron Dellums.

Voting has begun and ends on June 5th. It is important to bring true criminal justice reform to the Alameda County District Attorney's office. Your support will make all of the difference. Thank you, Pamela Price www.PriceForDA.com

Santa Clara
County Sheriff

Joe La Jeunesse



I am a third-generation Santa Clara County resident, Latino-American, retired U.S. Army Major, veteran of the Iraq and Persian Gulf Wars and a Deputy Sheriff for Santa Clara County. I have been a military police Officer in Command of rebuilding police forces abroad, a Commander of U.S. troops on the California-Mexico border battling drug traffickers, an anti-terrorism officer with the U.S. Army in Germany, and the

recipient of the Bronze Star Medal and the Global War on Terrorism Medal, among others.

I am running for Sheriff to bring my experience in military and local law enforcement to the service of our residents. It is time for progressive, proactive leadership that will modernize the Sheriff's Department and strengthen its ability to protect the public. Haven't we had enough of multiple unexplained deaths, escapes, and even deputies convicted of murdering a mentally-challenged inmate in our jails? Even a blue-ribbon commission recommended stripping the sitting Sheriff of control of our jails!

Drugs and gangs are ravaging many of our communities. I know the importance of using the latest strategies and technologies available to fight crime. Technologies like ShotSpotter and patterns analysis are used in the military and abroad and should be considered here as well. Adapting to the ever-changing tactics and activities of the drug lords and other criminal cartels is essential.

I am the only candidate for Sheriff who supports issuing CCWs for legitimate self-defense (not for political payback to campaign donors) and who is opposed to the sanctuary state and city policies that unleash dangerous criminals— including violent MS-13 gang members – into our communities, including our vulnerable immigrant communities.

It's time for real change, not simply cosmetic change. Replacing the current Sheriff with her own second-in-command who shares in her failures will not solve the problems we face. My platform addresses issues from jail reforms and fighting terrorism to protecting our children from mass shooters. It is available online at votejoeforsheriff.com

I would appreciate your vote on June 5.

John Hirokawa



As a parent of two and married for 28 years, I am not a career politician. I am running for Santa Clara County Sheriff to restore honesty, integrity, fairness, transparency, and public trust to the Sheriff's Office. I have over 35 years of distinguished law enforcement experience serving and protecting the people of Santa Clara County. I have the needed experience having worked in every department including jails, patrol, investigations and administration.

As a third-generation Japanese American immigrant whose family was interned in relocation camps during World War II, I am very sensitive to the needs, fears, and concerns of diverse minority communities in Santa Clara County. Over three decades, I have built constructive relationships with internal and external stakeholders because I am willing to meet, listen, and act with integrity and fairness regarding their concerns. I will provide consistent and stable leadership as Sheriff.

I have a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice from San José State University and am a graduate from the FBI National Academy. I am endorsed by over 80 individuals and organizations representing career law enforcement from across Santa Clara County, and I ask for your vote to bring the change that is necessary.

Sincerely, John Hirokawa. www.JohnHirokawa.com

Milpitas City
Council

May 15, 2018

Presentations:

- Proclaim May 11-18, 2018 Affordable Housing Week; proclamation received by Mitchell Crispell from Bridge Housing.

- Proclaim May 20-26, 2018 as Public Works Week; proclamation received by Public Works Department representatives.

- Proclaim May as Older Americans Month; proclamation received by Senior Advisory commissioners.

- Commend city employees who helped plan Milpitas Elementary Olympics.

Public Forum:

- Public comment on tennis courts at Peter Gill Park. Attorney Michael Bu spoke on behalf of 60 people who say that after 15 years using three tennis courts at Peter Gill Park, they are now left with only one available court; City has given permits to allow a private Tennis Academy to use other two courts from Monday to Thursday, 4pm to 8pm. Residents would like City's support to access courts.

Consent Calendar:

- Approve out-of-state travel for Milpitas Fire Department representatives to attend required factory trips for new fire apparatus.

- Waive the second reading and adopt Ordinance relating to purchasing and contract authority.

- Adopt resolutions approving annual engineer's report, and adopt a resolution declaring its intention to levy and collect assessments for Fiscal Year 2018-2019 and provide notice of public hearing for landscaping and lighting maintenance assessment district no. 95-1, McCarthy Ranch.



Milpitas City staff, who helped plan Elementary Olympics, pose with councilmembers.



Senior Advisory commissioners receive proclamation.



Public Works Department representatives with councilmembers.

- Approve Annual Engineer's report, and declare intention to levy and collect assessment for Fiscal Year 2018-2019 and provide notice of public hearing for landscaping and lighting maintenance assessment district no. 98-1, Sinclair Horizon.

- Approve amendment to an agreement with Simplex Grinnell to increase contract year three compensation by \$40,000 for fire alarm and fire suppression system repairs and maintenance for an amount not to exceed \$75,868.

- Approve two agreements with County of Santa Clara for collection of AB939 implementation fees and for administration of the Countywide Household Hazardous Waste Collection Program.

- Authorize an additional payment of \$7,000 to National Academy of Athletics for Recreation Services Youth Sports Classes.

- Authorize Amendment No. 5 to the Master Services Agreement with York Insurance Group, Inc. through June 30, 2019.

Removed from Consent:

- Consider approving two requests for \$500 each, received from (1) Milpitas Historical Society towards its 2018 annual historical tour on June 23, 2018, and from (2) North Valley Milpitas Bobby Sox for its Girls Softball Tournament on June 22-24, 2018. Item was split into two motions. For Milpitas Historical Society item, Councilmember Phan was a "nay."

Public Hearing:

- Conduct a public hearing, waive first reading, and introduce Ordinance No. 198.5 regarding bingo game licensing.

Unfinished Business:

- Receive staff report concerning Planning Commission compensation. Council would like ordinance to come back on June 5th. Municipal code and compensation needs to be updated.

Reports of Officers:

- Consider request from Councilmember Phan for City Council to authorize a letter to Santa Clara County District Attorney urging action to expunge certain prior misdemeanor convictions. Council authorized letter to be signed by Police Chief

Armando Corpuz.

New Business:

- Received report on "Safety Summit" scheduled for June 2, 2018 in partnership with Milpitas Unified School District.

- Receive staff report concerning Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority owned property in Milpitas.

Resolutions:

- Considering adopting resolution to authorize Housing Authority Executive Director to prepare a short-term subordination agreement of City's \$3,000,000 loan to a short term lender, LIFF Housing Preservation Fund, LLC, for Montevista Apartments.

- Adopt a resolution amending Classification Plan to adjust City of Milpitas part-time temporary classifications to reflect changes in Milpitas' minimum wage ordinance no. 292.

- Adopt a resolution authorizing an exception to 180-day wait period, verifying appointment of Elizabeth Brown to serve as Interim Human Resources Director, pursuant to California Public Employees Reform Act (PEPRA) of 2013.

Mayor Rich Tran	Aye
Vice Mayor Marsha Grilli	Aye
Anthony Phan	Aye (1 nay)
Garry Barbadiello	Aye
Bob Nuñez	Aye

First Impressions



SUBMITTED BY
WINDA I. SHIMIZU

John O’Lague Galleria at Hayward City Hall opens “First Impressions” exhibition on Friday, May 25. “First Impressions” features a variety of media represented in 40 works by 15 members of the Allied Artists West (AAW) organization. Allied Artists West is a professional artists’ group in Santa Clara County who are nationally-known artists and have received awards in prestigious exhibitions. Sponsored by Hayward Arts Council (HAC), “First

Impressions” diverse collection of techniques and approaches will be on view until Friday, July 27. Visit www.haywardartscouncil.org for more art exhibits and events.

First Impressions
Friday, May 25 – Friday, Jul 27
Mon – Friday, 9 a.m.–5 p.m.
John O’Lague Galleria
Hayward City Hall
777 B St, Hayward
(510) 538-2787
www.haywardartscouncil.org
<http://alliedartistswest.com/>
Free



SUBMITTED BY
BRUCE ROBERTS

Hey, art lovers, spring has sprung! And just to prove it, the Hayward Arts Council (HAC) would like to invite you to an arts reception at the Hayward Chamber of Commerce. HAC fills the walls and halls of the chamber offices with artwork by local artists. This year’s spring fling includes fabulous photography by HAC members Joanne Miller, Rosa Bazzani, L. Renee Turner, Sharon Boyd, and Patra Nesseth-Steffes.

Beautiful watercolors are presented by painters Pat Doyne, Raymundo Enriquez, and Kathy Zanger. Molly Dolly displays her oils and acrylics, while Loretta Siegel shows off her mixed media creation. Finally, there is a wall of poetry by Hayward Poet Laureate Bruce Roberts.

So, to fill your senses with something besides spring allergies, come to the Hayward

Spring Exhibit

Chamber of Commerce, Thursday, May 24. Admission is free, food and drinks will be served, and you get a chance to meet local artists and admire first hand their creative impulses. The Spring Exhibit is on display through Wednesday, June 20. Hayward Chamber of Commerce is located at 22561 Main Street. There’s a large parking lot on the A Street side, and several fine restaurants within easy walking distance. Enjoy!

Spring Exhibit
Through Wednesday,
Jun 20
Monday – Friday,
9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Art Reception
Thursday, May 24
5 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Hayward Chamber of
Commerce
22561 Main St, Hayward
(510) 538-2787
www.haywardartscouncil.org
Free

This week at the Smoking Pig



Paula Harris & the Beasts of Blues



The Blue Four;

SUBMITTED BY KASSIE SHREVE

A lively evening of traditional blues music featuring The Blue Four featuring Chris James & Patrick Rynne comes to the Pig on Friday, May 25.

The group, which has been playing together since 1990, proudly dedicates their musical collaboration to the high-energy sound of real, unadulterated Chicago Blues. The music starts at 9 p.m. On Saturday, May 26, Paula Harris & the Beasts of Blues take to the stage. Their performances combine ingenious musicianship and complex arrangements with catchy hooks. The rhythm section and horns dig deep into the sound of “East Bay Grease” and are mixed with a dose of New Orleans “Swampyness” to create a modern and outside the box approach to blues. The music starts at 9 p.m. Smoking Pig BBQ restaurant is located at 3340 Mowry Ave in Fremont. Admission is free. Come for dinner and stay for the show. For more information call (510)713-1854 or email admin@smokingpigbbq.net

The Magic of Collaboration



SUBMITTED BY LEAH VIRSIK

Adobe Art Gallery presents the upcoming exhibit “The Magic of Collaboration,” on view Saturday, May 26 – Saturday, July 7. This exhibition showcases an array of collaborators from family members to artist collectives. In her artist statement, eight-year-old Maddy Engelund of Maddy Daddy, a father and daughter duo, states, “It is much more exciting to collaborate then to just work by yourself. When we collaborate, we make ideas and get ideas faster than working alone.” Thanks to an introduction on the Internet, Bay Area-based artist J. M. Golding and U. K.-based artist Al Brydon explain in their artist statement that they use



Holga plastic cameras and blindly swap film to create work “that reflect(s) the experience ... of each of them. Yet, none of their work replicates the experience or work of either one – each image is a third reality entirely, greater than the sum of its origins.” Participating artists include Julie Alvarado and Madelyn Covey, Becca Barolli and Rebecca Frantz, J. M. Golding and Al Brydon, Maya Kabat and Philip Worman, Maddy Daddy, Mary V. Marsh and Tony Bellaver, Dawline-Jane Oni-Eseleh, Ahran Lee and Vida Vazquez, shift-lab, Laura Van Duren and Kathleen King. A reception for the artists will be held Saturday, May 26. The public is invited, and admittance

is free. Come see the magic these artists create when people who think differently work together.

The Magic of Collaboration
Saturday,
May 26 – Saturday, Jul 7
Thursday –Saturday:
11 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Artists’ Reception
Saturday, May 26
1 p.m. – 3 p.m.

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