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Getting out of the light to savor the dark

By JOHNNA M. LAIRD

For generations, the night sky offered a spectacular view of Earth's own galaxy, the Milky Way, brimming with 100 to 400 billion stars. Yet today, 80 percent of Americans, including those in the Bay Area, can't see the Milky Way. It's invisible, blocked by light pollution.

Light pollution is nothing new. It began over a century ago, and by 1915 the Oakland Observatory, precursor of today's Chabot Space and Science Museum, moved out of downtown Oakland and into the hills to lessen light pollution's impact on viewing. Over decades, light

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Valor games

By ALFRED HU
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"Valor Games Far West" (VGFW), which took place on Coast Guard Island in Alameda from May 30 – June 2, 2019, gave disabled veterans and active duty service members a chance to form friendships and camaraderie, an opportunity to overcome mental hurdles in dealing with their disabilities, an opportunity to step outside their comfort zone, and a sense of accomplishment while participating in three days of Paralympic sports competition. The goal of the Valor Games is also to introduce adapted sports to attendees in order to promote ongoing adapted sport participation in their communities and to empower these veterans not only through their individual competitions, but also through incremental steps in returning to a civilian lifestyle.

During the 2019 Games, participants competed in archery, biathlons, cycling, rowing, powerlifting, field shotput and discus. According to Victor Backer, public relations coordinator for the event, there were 112 athletes, of whom 59 were new, and 53 were returning. Eighty-three were men, and 29 were women. Ages ranged from 27 to 79. All branches of the Armed Services including the National Guard were represented, and participants came from throughout California and even from out of State.

"It went great and everybody had a great time," Backer says. He also mentioned that the VGFW are the only Games not open to public access, since it is held on a Coast Guard island base. Backer added that in addition to sporting events, there were occasions for veterans to socialize and enjoy entertainment – such as performances by rock and cabaret bands, and even by three women who sang hits from the Andrews Sisters.

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Men’s Health—Being a “Tough Guy” May Not Be the Best Plan

With June being National Men’s Health month, there is no better time to bring focus on men’s health issues.

“It’s quite common for men to adopt a ‘tough guy mentality’ and brush off nagging health issues, either hoping they’ll get better on their own or resign themselves to their supposed fate and avoid seeking medical care,” says Mark Hsu, MD, a urologist with Washington Township Medical Foundation. ”But men need to listen to what their bodies are telling them. I tell men to think of themselves as a car—go to the doctor if there’s an acute issue, and use a balanced diet, exercise and work-life balance for long-term maintenance.”

While the primary care physician can address many first-line health concerns, some conditions may require a specialist. As a urologist, Dr. Hsu specializes in conditions affecting the urinary tract and the male reproductive system. In addition to cancer, other issues like an enlarged prostate, urinary tract infections, prostatitis, kidney stones, and sexual dysfunction can greatly affect a man’s quality of life.

Symptoms to know

Seeing blood in the urine should always prompt a medical appointment, as it can be an early warning sign of a more serious problem. An abnormal-feeling testicle should also prompt a doctor visit. Testicular cancer is most common in men ages 20-40, and monthly self-exams are easy to do.

Urinary tract infections (UTIs), and especially recurrent ones, are another warning sign. UTI symptoms can include sudden-onset pain or burning sensation during urination, increased frequency and urgency, or blood in the urine. Dr. Hsu says that underlying issues could actually be responsible for infections that keep recurring once antibiotics are finished.

One particular culprit is the prostate. Prostatitis is a painful inflammation of the prostate, which could be from a bacterial infection that’s treated with antibiotics. On the other hand, chronic prostatitis is typically a noninfectious issue that can be hard to treat and often takes a combination of approaches



June is National Men’s Health month. Regular physicals and candid conversations with physicians are two important components to good health.

including analgesics, pelvic floor training, and chronic pain treatments.

Especially as men approach their 50s and beyond, gradual onset of bothersome urinary symptoms is something to pay attention to. This is often the presentation of benign prostate hyperplasia (BPH), which can manifest as:

- Weak urine stream and/or incomplete emptying
- Frequent or urgent need to urinate
- Incontinence (accidental urinary leakage)

- Increased urination at night
- Difficulty starting/stopping urination

Such symptoms can significantly affect an active individual’s quality of life. It is, therefore, important to discuss these issues with your doctor. “There are effective medical therapies that can improve urinary symptoms and reduce the need for surgery,” states Dr. Hsu. “We’ve also adopted several minimally invasive procedures that can address BPH and get people back to normal life within a couple of weeks, versus the traditional

prostate surgery that often takes a month-long recovery.”

Erectile dysfunction (ED), an important issue that is often not discussed publicly for fear of embarrassment, prevents a man from achieving and/or maintaining an erection. By far, the most common causes are chronic medical conditions, including hypertension, high cholesterol, and diabetes.

Sometimes, ED can be from low testosterone. It is natural for

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	6/18/19	6/19/19	6/20/19	6/21/19	6/22/19	6/23/19	6/24/19			
12:00 PM 12:00 AM	Diabetes Matters: Latin Foods	Mental Health Education Series: Understanding Psychotic Disorders	Voices InHealth: Antimicrobial Stewardship	Gastrointestinal Disorders	Wildfire Smoke and Your Lungs: Do You Need to Worry?	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting June 12, 2019	Hepatitis B and Liver Cancer: Prevention and Treatment			
12:30 PM 12:30 AM	Latest Treatment Options for Wound Care		Metabolic Disorders							
1:00 PM 1:00 AM	Women's Heart Health		Colon Cancer	How to Sleep Your Way to Better Health						
1:30 PM 1:30 AM	Diabetes Health Fair 2018: Diabetes Care	Symptoms of Thyroid Problems	Wildfire Smoke and Your Lungs: Do You Need to Worry?	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting May 8, 2019	Weight Management: Stopping the Madness	Mental Health Education Series: Understanding Mood Disorders	How to Prevent Financial Elder Abuse/Fraud			
2:00 PM 2:00 AM	Wildfire Smoke and Your Lungs: Do You Need to Worry?		Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting May 8, 2019				Sports Medicine Program: Why Does My Shoulder Hurt?			
2:30 PM 2:30 AM										
3:00 PM 3:00 AM	Solutions for Weight Management	Food Pharmacy: Prescription for Colon Health	Caregiver Series: Caring for Someone with Dementia or Other Medical-Related Memory Loss	Caregiver Series: Securing Care Preferences Through AHCD	Mental Health Education Series: Understanding Mood Disorders	Wildfire Smoke and Your Lungs: Do You Need to Worry?				
3:30 PM 3:30 AM		Diabetes Matters: Filipino Food Made Healthy				Strategies to Reduce the Risk of Cancer Recurrence				
4:00 PM 4:00 AM	Peripheral Vascular Disease: What You Need to Know	How To Stop Disease Before It Starts	Diabetes Matters: Diabetes & Eyes	Mental Health Education Series: Anxiety Disorders			Keeping Your Brain Healthy			
4:30 PM 4:30 AM			Diabetes Matters: Exercise IS Medicine		Preventive Screenings: When and Why are They Important?	Minimally Invasive Options in Gynecology				
5:00 PM 5:00 AM	Mental Health Education Series: Family Support	Family Caregiver Series: How Do You Talk to Your Doctor?	Family Caregiver Series: Advance Health Care Planning & POLST		Women's Health Conference: Women & Stroke: Are You at Risk?		Family Caregiver Series: Fatigue and Depression			
5:30 PM 5:30 AM		Diabetes Matters: Asian Indian Cooking	Chronic Kidney Disease: FAQ	Learn About the Signs & Symptoms of Sepsis	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting June 12, 2019	Diabetes Matters: Diabetes: Is There an App for That?	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting June 12, 2019			
6:00 PM 6:00 AM	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting May 8, 2019	Sick Feet?	Family Caregiver Series: Loss, Grief & Recovery			Stop Diabetes Before It Starts				
6:30 PM 6:30 AM		Wildfire Smoke and Your Lungs: Do You Need to Worry?	Mental Health Education Series: Crisis Intervention	Family Caregiver Series: Nutrition for the Caregiver		Wildfire Smoke and Your Lungs: Do You Need to Worry?				
7:00 PM 7:00 AM				Wildfire Smoke and Your Lungs: Do You Need to Worry?						
7:30 PM 7:30 AM	Inside Washington Hospital: Implementing the Lean Management System	Washington Township Health Care District Board Meeting May 8, 2019	Fresh Summer Foods: Cooking Demonstration	Family Caregiver Series: Mindfulness Meditation for the Caregiver	Diabetes Matters: Basics of Insulin Pump Therapy	Women's Health Conference: Quality of Life Before and After Cosmetic Surgery	Family Caregiver Series: Panel Discussion			
8:00 PM 8:00 AM	Family Caregiver Series: Understanding Healthcare Benefits					Family Caregiver Series: Managing Family Dynamics in Caregiving				
8:30 PM 8:30 AM	Surgical Treatment of Obstructive Sleep Apnea		Diabetes Matters: Living with Diabetes	Women's Health Conference: Gender Matters: Why Atrial Fibrillation (Afib) is More Fatal for Women		Crohn's & Colitis				
9:00 PM 9:00 AM	Diabetes Matters: Basics of Insulin Pump Therapy	Minimally Invasive Options in Gynecology		Family Caregiver Series: Medication Safety		Palliative Care Series: Interfaith Discussions on End of Life Topics				
9:30 PM 9:30 AM	Advance Care Planning: Five Wishes	Family Caregiver Series: Hospice & Palliative Care	Symptoms of Thyroid Problems	Sports Medicine Program: Youth Sports Injuries			Voices InHealth: Cyberbullying - The New Schoolyard Bully			
10:00 PM 10:00 AM		Diabetes Matters: Diabetes and Your Heart		Endometriosis: Causes, Symptoms, Diagnosis and Treatment	Balance & Falls Prevention					
10:30 PM 10:30 AM	Diabetes Matters: Diabetes and Kidney Health	History of Washington Hospital, 60 Years Strong		Diabetes Matters: Straight Talk About Diabetes Medications			Inside Washington Hospital: Advanced Treatment of Aneurysms			
11:00 PM 11:00 AM										
11:30 PM 11:30 AM										

Wonderful Volunteer “Job”—Cuddling Babies

Cuddlers Program at Washington Hospital Helps Newborns With Special Needs



Members of the Cuddlers Program at Washington Hospital: Jeannie Yee, Sidne Margolis, Kay Bauer, Pragya Dhar, Jill Ziman, Jacqueline Thomas, Cydne Holte and Sandy Kimball. Not pictured: Joanne Akizuki, Carole Gwynn, Phi Hua and Susan Monticelli

At Washington Hospital, healthy newborns stay in the room with their moms at the Birthing Center. But if the little bundles of joy need extra medical care, they go to the Hospital's Special Care Nursery (SCN). Through an affiliation with UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital, San Francisco, the SCN is an 11-bed intermediate intensive care nursery "satellite" providing ongoing care

for infants with special needs. This allows infants to receive academic-level care while staying local – a great benefit to families.

“There are a number of reasons why newborns would need to go to the Special Care Nursery,” said Carmen Williams, senior director of Maternal Child Health at Washington Hospital. “They might be premature or have

an infection. Some babies have been exposed to substance abuse in utero, and some babies may have blood sugar issues that simply require a little more observation. Studies show that holding newborns makes them feel more secure and helps them thrive. They are calmer and digest food better. It's the healing contact that makes all the difference.”

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Lung Cancer Screening Program



Studies show that screening is a valuable tool for detecting lung cancer at its earliest and most treatable stages. The U.S. Preventive Services Task Force — an independent volunteer panel of national health experts — recommends low-dose CT scans for those at “high risk.” Talk with your doctor about whether or not a scan is right for you or someone you love.

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Once you have received a referral from your physician, call (510) 818-7410 to schedule a low-dose CT scan.

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Although new to our area, Dr. Borses is a native Californian with impeccable credentials including undergraduate studies at U.C. Davis, a medical degree from Uniformed Services University in Maryland, an Internal Medicine residency in Honolulu and Cardiology Fellowship at Ft. Sam Houston. She served as Chief of Medicine at Ft. Eustis, Virginia and Chief of Cardiology at Ft. Hood, Texas. Dr. Borses is thrilled to return to California and begin her practice with CCCMA.

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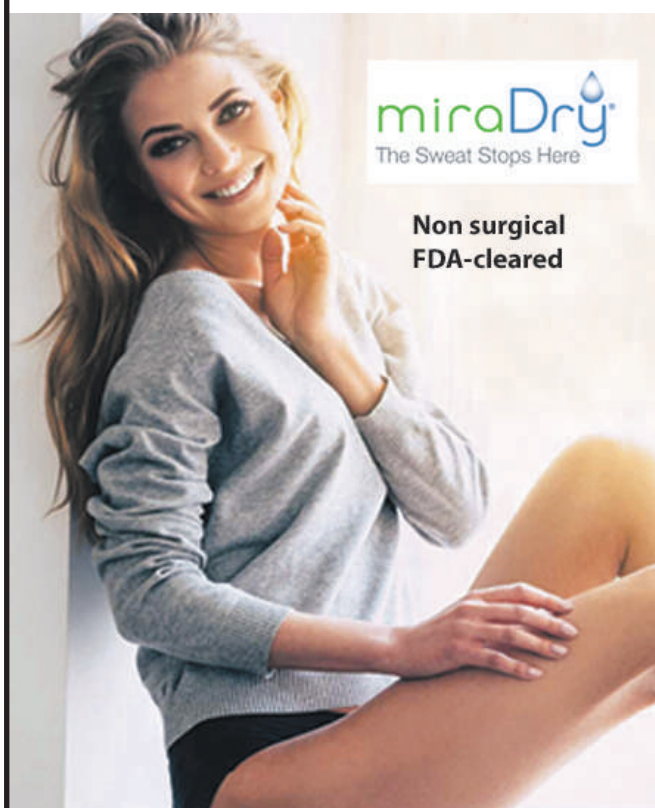
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Men’s Health—Being a “Tough Guy” May Not Be the Best Plan

testosterone to decrease with age, but if significant enough, this can cause issues with libido, sexual function, mood, and energy. Testosterone levels can be checked with a simple blood test.

One of the most controversial topics in men’s health in recent years has been prostate cancer screening. Because early

prostate cancer generally causes no symptoms, regular prostate screenings were long conducted with a blood test to measure prostate specific antigen (PSA) – a protein made by prostate cells.

In 2012, however, the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force released recommendations against PSA screening

for prostate cancer and strongly discouraged use of the test. Those recommendations have been revised, most recently in May 2018, with age-specific recommendations.

It’s not a one-formula-fits-all situation; the screening guidelines can, at times, oversimplify. This is why Dr. Hsu suggests that patients have regular checkups and candid conversations with their physicians. “By screening intelligently, and taking the patient’s whole history into account, we can figure out what is best for the individual,” he notes.

At the end of the day, what’s the secret to optimizing men’s health? It may not be exciting, but it all comes down to lifestyle and listening to your body. Dr. Hsu

concludes, “I am amazed at some of my patients who are in their 80s and 90s and look 20 years younger. When I ask their secret to success, the common answer is: staying active, watching what they eat, being in healthy relationships, and self-advocating with their doctors sooner than later if something seems to be off.”

In honor of Men’s Health month, encourage the men in your life to schedule a thorough physical exam. For help in finding a physician, visit www.mywtmf.com and click on “Find A Doctor.”

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Wonderful Volunteer “Job”—Cuddling Babies

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Washington Hospital has had a Baby Cuddlers Program for many years and currently, is a team of 12 volunteers. According to James McGuire, MD, MPH, medical director of the Special Care Nursery at Washington Hospital, the Cuddlers play a key role in the care of these infants. “These volunteers, well-trained Cuddlers, are a valuable part of the team in the Special Care Nursery. Sometimes ill babies need medicine or breathing support; sometimes they need something to eat or a diaper change, and sometimes they just need a little cuddle! The kind and devoted Cuddlers provide endless and loving warmth and comfort.”

Eat, Sleep and Console

Occasionally, babies are born at the Hospital who have been exposed to drugs such as opiates during the pregnancy. Those babies are at risk for withdrawal from those drugs after birth, and historically were often treated with medications. Six months ago, the Hospital launched a cutting-edge formal approach to care for these babies called Eat, Sleep and Console. Cuddlers play a big role in the new approach because they help to console babies by holding them and comforting them.

“We make sure all our newborns are eating, sleeping and being held,” Williams said. “Our Cuddlers give their time week after week helping newborns get a

good start in life. Some of our high-risk babies can be frustrated. Cuddling the babies offers them additional comfort.” This approach is a family-centered model for the treatment of at-risk babies.

Jill Ziman studied developmental biology in college, so she knows how important it is for newborns to be held. That’s why she volunteers for the Baby Cuddlers Program at Washington Hospital, where she holds babies in the SCN once a week. “This is my way of giving back to the community,” said Ziman, who has been volunteering at the Hospital for 15 years. “It’s a wonderful way to volunteer.”

Sandy Kimball has been a volunteer Cuddler for 14 years. “Thirty-three years ago, my daughter was born premature,” Kimball said. “She was only 2 ½ pounds and the hospital staff gave her a lot of extra attention. I was enormously touched and appreciative of that, so years later, when this opportunity came up, I wanted to give back.” She adds with a smile, “Well, I also do it because I love babies!”

Most days, Cuddlers can be found in the SCN holding babies and serving as an additional set of eyes and ears for the caregiver staff. But sometimes their help is needed in the middle of the night. “We have a list of Cuddlers who

come in on a daily basis, and then we have others we can call as needed,” Williams said. “It’s really amazing. They are so dedicated. These Cuddlers are really exceptional, and they are making such a difference for these babies and families.”

Like all the team members in the SCN, Cuddlers develop a special bond with their tiny charges. A special event, the annual Special Care Nursery Reunion, allows families and care providers to celebrate many children who had been in the SCN. Cuddlers enjoy seeing the babies they once lovingly held.

Other Volunteer Opportunities

While there currently isn’t a need for additional Cuddlers, there are plenty of other rewarding volunteer opportunities at Washington Hospital for adults and students who are 16 or older. Quarterly information sessions are offered that provide details about current opportunities. High school students are required to attend an information session before volunteering. The next session is scheduled for Tuesday, August 20, from 4 to 5 p.m.

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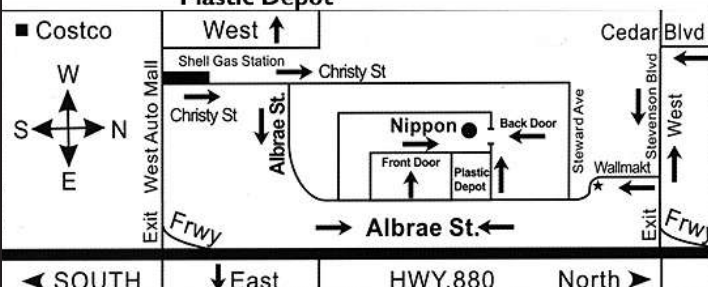
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Future Irvington BART Station

Within the next few weeks, the Planning Commission and Fremont City Council will consider the Irvington BART Station Area Plan, which encompasses portions of Osgood Road to the south and Washington Boulevard to the west. This plan would set standards for residential and commercial buildings throughout the area that could change the face of Irvington.

Block by Block

The Irvington BART station is planned to be built at the southwest corner of Washington Boulevard and Osgood/Driscoll roads, with bus and pedestrian access on the east side and vehicle parking on the west side. The area east of Osgood near the Gallegos Winery ruins would be a city park.

South of the station for a half-mile along Osgood, both sides of the street would be lined with six-story apartments, condos, and affordable housing units. A total of about 600 new units have been approved or are pending review in this area. Many other properties are awaiting possible residential development. West of the station along Washington, the buildings would be four- or five-story commercial, residential, or a combination of the two known as mixed-use. Parking would be underground or in parking structures. The Leal Theater and other potentially historic buildings would be preserved, but they could be surrounded by newer, taller buildings.

Other areas within a half-mile radius of the Irvington BART station would remain largely untouched by the plan, although they would still be within a Transit Oriented Development Overlay and could potentially be subject to high-density housing development.

Plans and Problems

Every plan has its problems, and this one seems to be no exception. At community outreach meetings, residents voiced their concerns about the plan's impacts on traffic, parking, community character, among others. Traffic is a major concern for residents living in Irvington and as far away as Mission San Jose. They point out that many Irvington BART riders would drive from outside Fremont on Interstate 680 and take the Mission or Washington exits to reach the station, thus increasing traffic on already-congested surface streets throughout the area.

Once drivers reach the Irvington station, there would be another problem. To try to limit the number of people who drive in personal vehicles, the plan provides only about 320 parking spaces at the station – even though there would be an estimated 3,700 daily riders. Residents say that is unrealistic and the lack of parking would simply force drivers to park elsewhere.

To prevent BART riders from parking on nearby streets, the plan also calls for a resident parking permit program, which would require residents in nearby neighborhoods to display a parking permit on their vehicles in order to park on the street. Residents say they are skeptical the permit plan would work and feel it would just pit the city against the neighbors in a lose-lose situation.

Finally, many residents feel the basic community character of the Irvington Town Center should be a commercial area, not a residential area. Although they applaud the plans for sidewalk eating area, walkways between the buildings, and other details to make the area more pedestrian friendly, they feel the proposed building heights and densities should be scaled down, and the Town Center should be much less residential.

What's Next?

During the planning commission hearing of the plan on May 23, one of the commissioners submitted a list of proposed changes. In order to let the other commissioners and staff evaluate these changes, the item was tabled until a future meeting. This item is now scheduled to be heard by the commission on Thursday, June 27. It is then tentatively scheduled to go to the city council on Tuesday, July 16.

One of the biggest issues facing the council is the mixed-use standard, which currently allows commercial buildings up to 65 feet tall, with a small amount of commercial space and a very large percentage of residential. Many of the buildings proposed for the Irvington Town Center would be mixed-use. Some residents think the standard should be re-evaluated before the council votes on the Irvington BART Station Area Plan. Others feel the BART station itself should be dropped because it is not needed and not worth the problems it would cause.

Fremont residents are encouraged to speak at the planning commission and city council meetings and send emails to the assigned city staff planner Wayland Li at wli@fremont.gov.

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Reflections on Water



Tiny Heroes

BY JOSE OROPEZA

From the moment we are born, our parents begin to envision how we will impact or change the world. Will we be doctors, lawyers, astronauts, or engineers? The possibilities are endless. Yet as children the answer cannot be clearer; we want to be Power Rangers, Powerpuff Girls, or Ninja Turtles. Ultimately, we want to be the hero who saves the day. After all, it is our natural instinct to help others. Perhaps it’s this instinct that leads many of us to work in the public sector.

Like most individuals, I never thought twice about where my water comes from or whether it will be there the following day. However, according to the World Health Organization, 844 million people lack even basic drinking water service, and as the global population increases so does the demand for potable water. In fact, it is estimated that by 2025 half of the world’s population will be living in water-stressed areas.

For most individuals, getting water from the tap is expected and appears rather simplistic. Seldom does the public realize that a massive network of pipes, reservoirs, tanks, and treatment plants are required to deliver a single drop of water.

Throughout the years, I have had the opportunity to work with

a multitude of professionals at Alameda County Water District (ACWD). I have watched how chemists, geologists, engineers, and people with a variety of expertise work in unison to deliver a quality supply of water to residents in the Tri-City area. It is surprising, the number of departments and individuals it takes to not only deliver a drop of water but to ensure that it is of the highest quality.

Working for ACWD has allowed me to develop a broader understanding of what is required to deliver water to 357,000 people. My experience spans two departments allowing me to witness firsthand the work and commitment needed to ensure that our supply of water is never threatened. Many aren’t aware that 40 percent of our water is local groundwater and stored in the Niles Cone Groundwater Basin – an underground aquifer. While in the Groundwater Division, I worked alongside staff to monitor and protect the basin. And now in the Project Engineering Division, I work on projects to improve the water distribution system that customers rely on for the delivery of water on demand.

I’m proud to be part of an organization that keeps up with modern times and advancing technology. It is enlightening to be surrounded by talented

individuals who are eager to teach and know the true definition of teamwork. My supervisors encourage self-improvement and lead by example. These ethics are a large part of why I enjoy my work. At ACWD, innovation and teamwork contribute to the success of the agency and make it a great place to build a career.

In no way do I consider myself or anyone at ACWD a “superhero,” but I believe it takes a certain type of person to dedicate their career to public service. We continually push to deliver our very best. Whether it’s our inner child-like spirit that craves the need to serve others or our strong commitment to our community, my friends at ACWD are tiny everyday heroes; who, without a doubt, have a significant impact on the community. It is impossible for any one individual to deliver water, but as a team we succeed. It seems there’s a common thread among us, and that very thing that leads many to public service, is that the greatest feelings in life come from giving rather than receiving; therefore, we dedicate our careers to serving others.



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Career tips for teens

BY ANNE CHAN, PhD, MFT

If you're a teenager, summer brings with it the promise of long days lounging around, hanging out with friends, and forgetting about school for three blissful months. A lifelong career is likely the last thing on your mind. I am here to tell you that, thankfully, you don't have to know what you want to be when you grow up. However, I do have several tips on how you can spend your summer (and beyond) that will put you on the right path toward a successful and satisfying career.

First, don't feel the pressure to know the answer to the tiresome question, "What do you want to be when you grow up?" It is truly okay not to know. In fact, it is normal and even healthy to be in a stage of career exploration and experimentation. This is the best time in your life to explore and research. Try different jobs, work settings, career fields and companies. You won't know what is best for you until you put on a variety of hats. So, don't be afraid to try new things. But do give some thought to careers or fields that strike your interest. One way to gauge your interest is to think about the things you gravitate to. What types of blogs do you often drift toward? What tugs at your heart? Who do you follow on Twitter?

Let's say you're crazy about animals and stop to pet every single dog that comes your way. You might want to think about a career involving animals. A great way to spend your summer is to volunteer at an animal shelter, veterinary clinic, or wildlife rescue agency. These experiences will give you a sense of the world of work involving animals. Another huge benefit of volunteering is you get to meet people who can serve as references in the future.

Perhaps you are fascinated by law enforcement and cannot get enough of cop shows. An excellent way to find out more about law enforcement careers is to sign up for your city's Police Explorers program. These programs give you the chance to participate in searches, traffic control, and even ride alongs. Fremont (<https://www.fremont-police.org/index.aspx?NID=175>) and Union City ([https://www.unioncity.org/For mCenter/Police-7/UCPD-Explorer-Application-49](https://www.unioncity.org/For%20mCenter/Police-7/UCPD-Explorer-Application-49)) offer these programs to teenagers. Hayward has a ride-along program that is open to anyone age 16 and up. You don't have to be a Hayward resident, although Hayward residents are given priority (<https://www.hayward-ca.gov/police-department/programs/ride-along-program>). Similarly, Newark offers a ride-sit along program for Newark affiliates (<http://www.newark.org/departments/police/how-to/request-ride-sit-along>).

I also highly recommend doing informal informational interviews during the summer (see my article on how to do an informational interview, <https://issuu.com/tc-varchives/docs/tcv-160510/12>.) Learn about different jobs people have and what they like and dislike about them. You will learn a surprising amount that is not available in books or on the internet. You might even surprise yourself and stumble upon a job that is just the right fit for you.

Another helpful exercise is to make a list of companies whose products or services you like a lot, e.g. Apple, Tesla, Banana Republic, and so on. Research these companies to see if they offer internship programs. Don't hesitate to reach out to them – companies are often

eager to hear from their young consumers. One student was enamored with cooking and got her dream job working for an upscale cookware company. In my opinion, it is wonderful to get paid work experiences at entry-level jobs. These jobs may or may not be in line with your career interest, but they are valuable, nonetheless. They also bring with them a plethora of benefits, including money in your pocket, work skills, references from supervisors, and work experiences to highlight in your resume.

One recruiter once told me, "I love to see a McDonald's job listed on a person's resume." He said that people who have worked at McDonald's or any other fast food restaurant for a period have character – they have proven themselves in a tough, high stress work environment. He went on to tell me that he takes so much pride in his first McDonald's job that he always lists it on his resume. So, if you are working at an entry level job in the summer, take pride in it and put it on your resume.

The things you do in your free time can have an enormous impact on your life. I'm not suggesting that you do nothing but work in your summer. But I do hope that you will give some thought to what engages you and put that thought into some form of action this summer.

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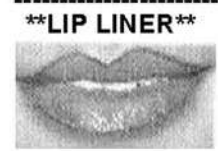
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Uber tests drone food delivery, launches new autonomous SUV

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Uber is testing restaurant food deliveries by drone.

The company’s Uber Eats unit began the tests in San Diego with McDonald’s and plans to expand to other restaurants later this year.

Uber says the service should decrease food delivery times.

It works this way: Workers at a restaurant load the meal into a drone and it takes off, tracked and guided by a new aerospace management system.

The drone then meets an Uber Eats driver at a drop-off location, and the driver will hand-deliver the meal to the customer.

In the future, the company wants to land drones atop parked vehicles near delivery locations and secure them to the vehicle for the final mile of the delivery.

Last year Uber and the city of San Diego won a bid from the U.S. Federal Aviation Administration to test food delivery by air.

“We’ve been working closely with the FAA to ensure that we’re meeting requirements and prioritizing safety,”

Luke Fischer, head of flight operations at Uber Elevate, said in a statement Wednesday.

The company said the knowledge it gains from the tests will help with Uber’s planned aerial ride-sharing network.

Also Wednesday, Uber announced that it would team with Volvo Cars to launch its newest self-driving vehicle.

The ride-hailing company said it can easily install its self-driving system in the Volvo XC90 SUV. The vehicle’s steering and braking systems are designed for computer rather than human control,

including several backup systems for both steering and braking functions and battery backup power. If the primary systems fail, the backup system will immediately act to bring the car to a stop.

Various sensors will allow Uber’s self-driving system to safely operate and maneuver in urban areas, the company said.

Uber and Volvo Cars partnered in September 2016. This is the third car they’ve developed together.

Uber made the announcement at its third-annual Uber Elevate Summit.

State budget earmarks funds for public safety, senior services

SUBMITTED BY ANNIE PHAM

During its June 13 meeting, the California legislature approved a state budget that will improve funding for education, mental health services, affordable housing and more. As part of the statewide budget, Assemblyman Kansan Chu (D- San José), was able to push for funding to help Assembly District 25 and statewide areas to prepare for emergencies and disasters, combat the rising number of car break-ins, and support the aging population.

Chu successfully pushed for \$3.75 million to support a taskforce on addressing car break-ins and personal theft in addition to \$32.3 million to fund statewide senior services, and \$5.5 million for San José to plan and prepare for natural disasters and emergencies. The budget will become effective once signed by Governor Gavin Newsom.

The Newark Police Department reported a 30% increase in car break-ins from 2015 to 2018 and projected a 93% increase in 2019 due to a high number of incidents from January to February. The Fremont Police Department indicated a 27% increase and the San Jose Police Department reported a 14% increase in the same period with 6,721 cases in 2018. The Santa Clara Police Department saw an escalation of 125% from January to March of 2019 compared to the previous year during the same time frame. Each police department in Assembly District 25 will receive \$750,000 this year to support efforts that will reduce the number of property crimes.

“I want to do more to protect our friends and neighbors,” said Chu. “Some areas in my district reported an increase of 125% in the number of smash and grabs from January to March this year. This is unacceptable. These crimes might seem minor but they instill fears and insecurities. Daily tasks like going to the grocery store or pharmacy and leaving your car unattended should not be a stressful experience. A broken window could mean financial hardship for families that are already struggling. This new funding will give our local police departments needed resources to keep our communities safe.”

As a result of the 2008 recession, funding for senior services was significantly reduced and has not been restored. The population of Californians age 65 and older has grown by over 40% to 5.5 million since 2008. By 2030, this cohort will have more than 9 million people — making up more than 20% of the population in California. As the elderly population has grown, it has also become poorer with 54% of Californians older than 65 living below 200% of federal supplemental poverty level. The new funding in this year’s budget will increase the number of seniors served through state programs, bringing services to their homes, and ensuring that our aging population is not living poorly and in isolation.

“Our population continues to grow older and for many of our seniors, poorer,” said Chu. This ongoing support in the budget will mean healthier meals, transportation to services, and in-home support for a group of our population who has contributed so much to our state. More importantly, this budget allocation tells our seniors that we care and we have not forgotten about them or their struggles.”

Chu represents the 25th Assembly District, comprised of the cities of Fremont, Milpitas, Newark, Santa Clara and San Jose.

U.S-China trade war sparks worries about rare earth minerals

By ANITA SNOW
ASSOCIATED PRESS

Rising trade tensions between the U.S. and China have sparked worries about the 17 exotic-sounding rare earth minerals needed for high-tech products like robotics, drones and electric cars.

China recently raised tariffs to 25 percent on rare earth exports to the U.S. and has threatened to halt exports altogether after the Trump administration raised tariffs on Chinese products and blacklisted telecommunications giant Huawei.

With names like europium, scandium and ytterbium, the bulk of rare earth minerals are extracted from mines in China, where lower wages and lax environmental standards make production cheaper and easier.

But trade experts say no one should panic over China’s threats to stop exporting the elements to the U.S.

There is a U.S. rare minerals mine in California. And Australia, Myanmar, Russia and India are also top producers of the somewhat obscure minerals. Vietnam and Brazil both have huge rare earth reserves.

“The sky is not falling,” said Mary B. Teagarden, a China specialist, professor and associate dean at the Thunderbird School of Global Management in Phoenix. “There are alternatives.”

Simon Lester, associate director of the center for trade policy studies at the Cato Institute think tank in Washington, agreed. “Over the short term, it could be a big disruption, but companies that want to stay in business will find a way,” he said.

Although the U.S. is among the world’s top 10 countries for rare earths production, it’s also a major importer of the minerals, looking to China for 80 percent of what it buys from other countries, according to the U.S. Geological Survey. China last year produced some 120,000 metric tons of rare earths, while the United States produced 15,000 metric tons.

The United States also depends on China to separate the minerals pulled from Mountain Pass Mine, the sole rare earths mine in the U.S., which was bought two years ago by the Chicago-based JHL Capital Group LLC.

“We need to develop a U.S.-based supply chain so there is no possibility we can be threatened,” said Ryan S. Corbett, managing director of JHL Capital.

The mine’s top products are neodymium and praseodymium, or NdPr, two elements which are used together to make the lightweight magnets that help power electric cars and wind turbines and are found in electronics such as laptop hard drives.

Mountain Pass, located in San Bernardino County, California, was once top supplier of the world’s rare earth minerals, but China began taking over the market in the 1990s and the U.S. mine stopped production in 2002.

Mountain Pass later restarted production only to close again amid a 2015 bankruptcy. Corbett said extraction resumed last year after JHL Capital purchased the site with QVT Financial LP of New York, which holds 30 percent, and

Shenghe Resources Holding Co., Ltd. of China, a non-voting shareholder with 9.9 percent.

Since then, Mountain Pass has focused on achieving greater autonomy with a \$1.7 billion separation system set to go online late next year that would allow it skip sending rare earths ore to China for that step.

China could hurt itself in the long run by cutting off the U.S., specialists said.

David Merriman, a rare earths analyst for Roskill commodity research in London, said that during a similar trade flap with China in 2011, Japan began looking to other countries including Australia for the minerals needed to manufacture electronics.

Australian rare earths production giant Lynas Corp. Ltd. this month announced a proposed deal with Blue Line Corp. of Texas for a separation facility at an industrial site in Hondo, Texas.

There may be other options, too. Deposits of rare earths have been detected in other U.S. states including Wyoming and Alaska, as well in several remote areas of Canada. The Interior Department is calling for more prospecting and mining of “critical minerals,” including on public lands currently considered off-limits, and even in oceans.

“We have to be more forward thinking,” said Alexander Gysi, an assistant professor in geology and geological engineering at the Colorado School of Mines in Golden. “It would be better for the U.S. to have a greater range of sources for rare earths.”

Partially electric airplane makes California test flight

AP WIRE SERVICE

A California company has conducted a test flight of a hybrid-electric airplane capable of carrying six people.

A pilot and flight engineer flew Ampaire Inc.’s modified Cessna 337 Skymaster over Camarillo Airport on Thursday.

The aircraft normally has two combustion engines, one in front and another at the rear, that turn propellers in a push-pull configuration.

Ampaire has replaced one engine with a battery-powered electric motor.

The company says the result is savings on greenhouse gas emissions and operating costs.

Ampaire aims to supply aircraft to short-haul regional airlines.

It plans to test a pre-production prototype this year on a Maui in partnership with Mokulele Airlines and hopes to achieve commercial operations in 2021.

Airbnb to recreate trip from ‘Around the World in 80 Days’

By KATIE CAMPIONE
ASSOCIATED PRESS

A lucky few will be able to live the adventures of Phileas Fogg from Jules Verne’s classic “Around the World in 80 Days.”

Hosted by Airbnb, a small number of guests will travel across 16 countries using eight modes of transportation, including a hot air balloon, to promote a new collection of available bookings called Airbnb Adventures.

The experience is meant to mirror Fogg’s journey from exploring the Galapagos islands to hiking mountain ranges in Australia, said Joe Zadeh, Airbnb’s vice president of experiences.

“We thought that the notion of circumnavigating the globe and visiting all

these different cultures and communities in 80 days is just a really fun and interesting premise,” he said.

Starting June 20, guests can book the 80-day trip, which comes with a price tag of \$5,000 and includes all travel, lodging, activities and meals. Guests will depart from London on Sept. 1, 2019. The company did not say how many of the packages would be available.

Zadeh said the company chose to recreate the story of “Around the World in 80 Days” because it encompasses the spirit of the new program, focused on giving travelers an experience that is difficult to find anywhere else, especially for the price tag.

“We really want to make the point that adventures are accessibly priced,” he said.

Developed from already available hours-long trips called Airbnb Experiences, Airbnb Adventures allows people to participate in two- to 10-day treks ranging from \$79 to \$5,000. Adventures are capped at 12 travelers or less. Other notable bookings include searching for Sasquatch in Washington and trekking through the Amazon.



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Spending proposed as part of the \$214.8B California budget

BY ADAM BEAM
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Here’s a look at some spending proposals in the \$214.8 billion budget the California Legislature sent Thursday to Gov. Gavin Newsom.

HEALTH CARE

Low-income adults 19 to 25 living in the country illegally would get government-funded health insurance. It would cost an estimated \$98 million to cover about 90,000 people.

Families of four earning as much as \$150,500 a year would get help paying their monthly health insurance premiums.

People who refuse to buy health insurance would have to pay a tax.

The budget would spend \$17.1 million to help people on Medi-Cal access vision, hearing, incontinence creams and washes, podiatry and speech therapy.

WILDFIRES

The budget proposal includes funding for 13 new fire engines, seven used C-130 air tankers and money to hire workers to operate heavy equipment during wildfires.

EDUCATION

California would spend \$12,018 for every student in K-12 public schools – an increase of \$444 over last year.

The budget would use \$80 million in marijuana taxes to pay for childcare for low-income parents, and \$300 million from other sources to help build facilities for full-day kindergarten.

WATER

The budget takes \$100 million from a fund to reduce greenhouse gas emissions to help clean up contaminated drinking water.

PENSIONS

The budget spends \$356 million to temporarily reduce contributions by struggling school districts to the

state’s teacher requirement system.

PAID FAMILY LEAVE

The budget would expand California’s paid family leave program from six to eight weeks. To pay for it, workers would see an additional 0.1 percent tax on wages.

HOMELESS AND HOUSING

The state would give \$650 million to local governments to tackle homelessness and pump \$500 million into a tax credit program to spur construction of residential rental units.

Lawmakers would spend \$5 million on grants to homeless shelters so they can accommodate pets.

MISCELLANEOUS

The budget would allocate \$5 million for suicide prevention measures on the Coronado Bridge in San Diego County.

It also seeks to end sales taxes on diapers and menstrual products with an exemption that would expire after two years.

Anthem to pay \$2.8M to correct how it handles complaints

AP WIRE SERVICE

Officials say Anthem Blue Cross will pay \$2.8 million to the state as part of a settlement over allegations that the insurer failed to address issues with its grievance and appeals process.

Department of Managed Health Care director Shelley Rouillard tells the Sacramento Bee that for years, Anthem failed to identify, process or resolve consumer complaints against its managed-care plans.

Rouillard says the settlement closes out Anthem’s appeal of a \$5 million fine that the department levied in 2017.

She says that Anthem customer service representatives failed to properly classify calls.

As part of the settlement, the company will invest \$8.4 million to improve how it logs consumer calls.

Anthem Blue Cross spokesperson Michael Bowman said the company is making significant changes to improve “the health care experience for consumers.”

Private equity firm buying Shutterfly for \$1.74 billion

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Private equity firm Apollo Global Management is buying online photo publishing company Shutterfly for \$51 per share.

Apollo will pay \$1.74 billion for the 20-year-old company, which became popular offering its users prints and photobooks of their favorite shots. But demand for that type of service has declined as people opt to share photos online through Facebook and other social networks.

Ryan O’Hara, the former CEO at real estate company Move Inc., will become Shutterfly’s new chief executive.

Shutterfly became popular during a time when printing photos meant a trip to the supermarket and often a dayslong wait. The company’s popularity swelled by selling an array of photo-clad gifts including mugs, calendars and canvases.

Shutterfly bought competitor’s Kodak’s online photo business for \$23.8 million in 2012 after the legacy photo company filed for bankruptcy protection earlier that year.

But as digital photo sharing became more pervasive, Shutterfly’s popularity waned, even as revenue grew. Shutterfly announced it would lay off about 260 employees, or 13 percent of its staff, in early 2017.

Shutterfly bought school photography company Lifetouch for \$825 million last year.

Apollo will also buy photo printing company Snapfish and merge it with Shutterfly.

Apollo has bought more than 150 companies, including security company ADT, entertainment restaurant Chuck E. Cheese’s and telecom firm Charter Communications.

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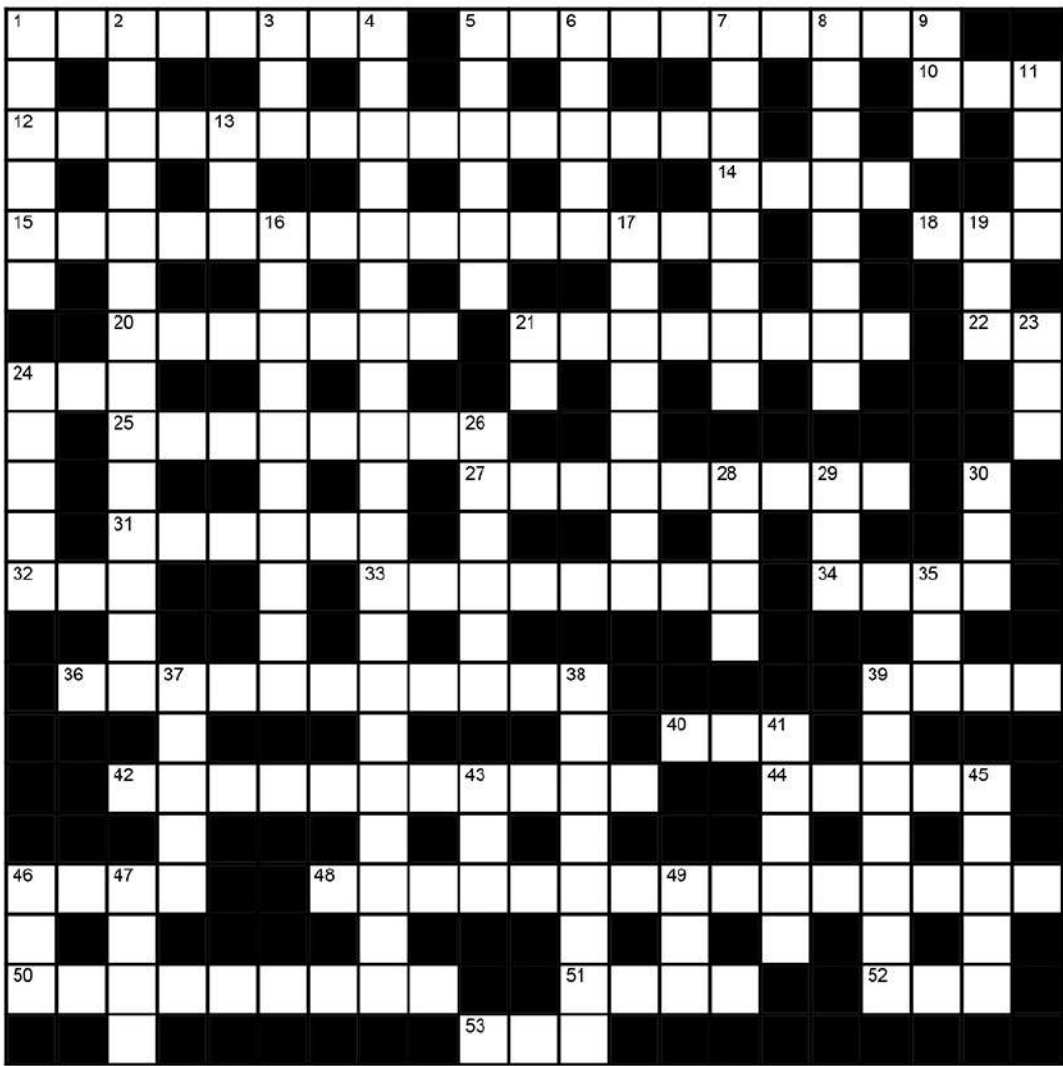
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Crossword Puzzle



- Across

1 Hike (8)

5 Road hugger (6,4)

10 Holiday drink (3)

12 1956 Elvis song (10,5)

14 Way, way off (4)

15 Hard to grasp (8,2,2,3)

18 Consumes (3)

20 Reckon (5,2)

21 Protected, in a way (8)

22 ... (2)

24 Some batters, for short (3)

25 Brass (8)

27 Kind of surgery (4-5)

31 Pretense (6)

32 "___ won't be afraid" ("Stand by Me" lyric) (3)

33 Official (2,6)

34 Close up (4)

36 Check mate? (7,4)

39 ___ Spumante (4)
- Down

1 Bidding (6)

2 Hot movie of 1981? (8,2,4)

3 Broadcast inits. (3)

4 Batting order? (4,4,3,2,3,4)

5 Debonair (6)

6 Soak (5)

7 Space cadet's place (2-2,4)

8 At risk (8)

9 "Another Green World" musician (3)

11 Breaks (4)
- 40 11-member grp. (3)

42 "Pronto!" (4,2,5)

44 Puts on the line (5)

46 Exactly (2,1,1)

48 Carouse (5,3,4,3)

50 Mixer (6,3)

51 Hunter of fiction (4)

52 Blunder (3)

53 "___ the season ..." (3)
- 13 Bug (3)

16 Wipes out (10)

17 Erodes (4,4)

19 1972 treaty subj. (3)

21 ... (2)

23 Vocalist Sumac (3)

24 "Eat!" (3,2)

26 Reddish brown (6)

28 Icelandic epic (4)

29 Gridiron official, for short (3)

30 One of the Beverly Hillbillies (3)

35 Barbell abbr. (3)

37 "To your health!" (5)

38 Shepherd's pie ingredients (8)

39 Lack (7)

41 Knight's "suit" (5)

43 CPO's group (3)

45 Animal in a roundup (5)

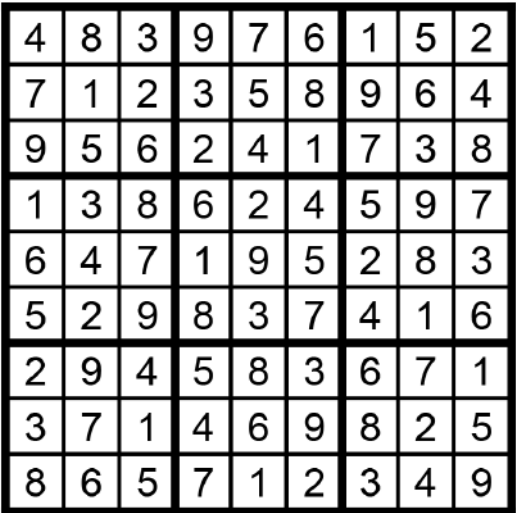
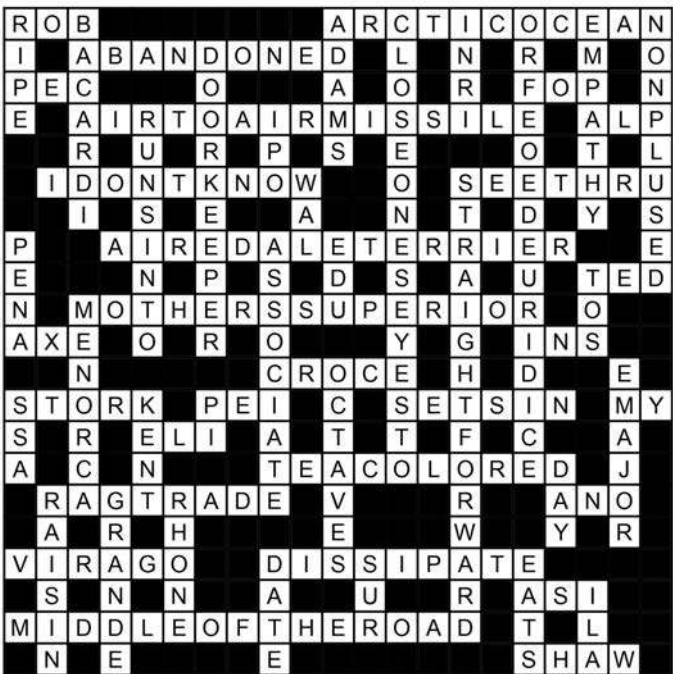
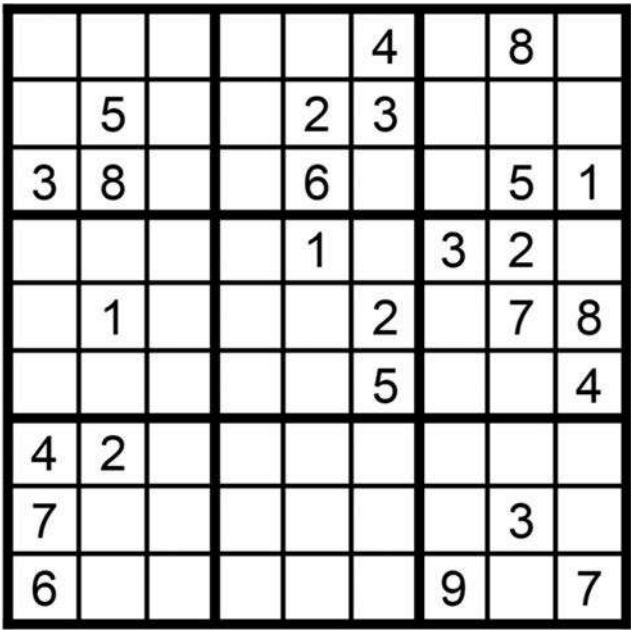
46 Children's game (3)

47 "Alfred" composer (4)

49 In-flight info, for short (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: JUNE 19 – JUNE 25, 2019

For All Signs: Currently, there is considerable pressure on the sign of Taurus. Both Vesta, asteroid of caretaking, and Uranus, planet of sudden change, are aligned in this sign. Taurus, at its most mundane level is related to money and resources. We may be feeling the challenges of debt or loss of stability in the monetary system.

Aries the Ram (March 21-April 20): The powers that be in your career life are in charge. Progress can be made only through persuasion and even that may not help. Don't succumb to anger or you will have lost your case entirely. You could be tempted to displace your anger onto others. You know that is not fair or productive. Peel yourself off the wall and wait for a better moment.

Taurus the Bull (April 21-May 20): Please read the lead paragraph. Planetary energies in your sign are intense. Your “devotion” may have to be to yourself at this time. Maybe the static is so loud that you feel the need to back away, take a break, or relieve the pressure with R&R. Perhaps you have spent far too much energy taking care of others.

Gemini the Twins (May 21-June 20): You are in a high energy zone this week. You want to go everywhere and do everything at once. You feel generous to others and they feel the same to you. If money is an issue, then you would be better off to leave credit cards at home.

Activities that involve physical self-expression are favored.

Cancer the Crab (June 21-July 21): A simmering brew could be evolving into a boil in your partnership(s). Step aside from verbal attacks or defenses long enough to access objective information. You need a third party who can mediate, or you need more facts. Remaining in war mode will not help the situation at all.

Leo the Lion (July 22-August 22): It is normal to feel somewhat lethargic and maybe even mildly depressed during the month just before one's birthday. Currently, the sun is figuratively at its darkest and we experience a natural low in our annual cycle. Don't take the dip too seriously. Generally fresh inspiration arrives on the heels of the new birthday.

Virgo the Virgin (August 23-September 22): The “rules” and the world's expectations have you tied up like a pretzel right now. The harder you struggle, the tighter those binds seem to become. It's like a Chinese puzzle. Sometimes if you relax on the

control issues, the solution comes through. Give it some space.

Libra the Scales (September 23-October 22): Warning to those on diet and exercise programs: this week it is just too easy to break training. If you mean what you've promised to yourself, don't go anywhere in which you would be in harm's way. It is a time in which you feel more outgoing and extroverted. Social life may be over the top, even more than you prefer.

Scorpio the Scorpion (October 23-November 21): You could become embroiled in a battle of wills over who is right. In order to steer clear of a war, remain aware that the subject matter is merely what you think, not who you are. You have the controlling word in any battle. Use it ethically and don't blow away your opponent. Drive carefully.

Sagittarius the Archer (November 22-December 21): This period may be difficult for those on a diet or other self-improvement program. You are prone to self-indulgence right now. Perhaps the best thing

Vesta requests “devotion” in whatever territory she travels, so this aspect encourages us to give special attention to our resources and make changes as needed to deflect potential losses. Vesta remains in Taurus through the rest of this year and continues well into 2020.

to do is accept that is so and find a new solution that is satisfying without sabotaging your good intentions.

Capricorn the Goat (December 22-January 19): You are tempted to grind those who disagree with you into a fine powder. You don't have to do this. You have nothing to prove. Let people have their say and don't take it so seriously. Others may argue, but you are the one with the power and can focus attention to where you need.

Aquarius the Water Bearer (January 20-February 18): This time in your life may be fraught with various responsibilities and concerns about other people's needs. Try to evaluate carefully where

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you really want to use your energy. Some “needs” are worthwhile, and other's just use your time. Listen to the truth of those requests.

Pisces the Fish (February 19-March 20): You may attract those who would take advantage if you let them. Remember that not all shiny objects are gold. Be aware that you are in a sensitive frame of mind and may misinterpret that which is said to you. You may be the one who hears what you want to hear. Take your impressions with a grain of salt until you double check what was originally intended.



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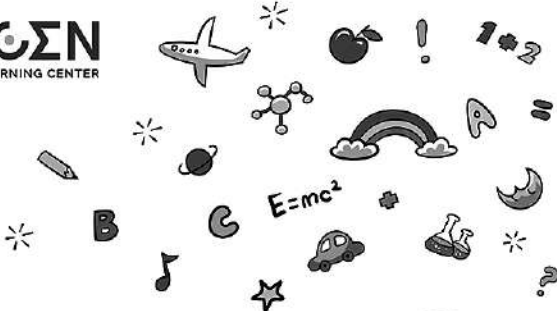
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Free Recycled Water

SUBMITTED BY ALICE KIM

Starting June 6, San Leandro residents and businesses can get almost unlimited amounts of free, non-potable recycled water every day from H2O Works, the city-owned wastewater treatment plant. A ribbon cutting event will take place on Tuesday, June 18 at the facility with Mayor Pauline Russo Cutter and members of the city council. Residents are invited to this event to learn more about the program.

“The drought may be over for now, but it’s a good habit to conserve our drinking water for inside the home and office use,” said Justin Jenson, manager of H2O Works.

In the summer months, H2O Works produces about 1.1 million gallons of recycled water per day, primarily used to water golf courses. Through this program, it expects to provide about 20,000 gallons per day to residents and business. The recycled water station will be open to the public on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Recycled water receives extensive treatment and is rigorously tested to meet strict requirements. It can be used for ornamental landscaping and for vegetables, fruits and herbs (rinse them with drinking water before eating). It should not be used

for drinking water, cooking, or washing dishes, or in any way that it might come into contact with people, such as wading pools, squirt guns and dog washing.

To receive the water, residents and businesses will need to submit an application, available at www.sanleandro.org/depts/pw/wpcp. Participants must review a short presentation about proper use of recycled water and submit their application before or during their first visit to the facility. After receiving an ID card, customers can come for water during station hours. Customers will need to bring their own containers, with a minimum of 1 gallon and a maximum of 275 gallons. There’s no limit to the number of times customers can receive water. For more information, call the Public Works Service Department at (510) 577-3440.

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Food, fun and bargains await street fair shoppers

SUBMITTED BY BENJAMIN YEE

It’s time to celebrate summer. And to mark the season, the Ohlone Community College District is hosting a “Tri-City Street Fair” on the Fremont campus of Ohlone College. The event, set for Saturday, June 29, is an open-air market featuring local artisans, businesses, artists, and organizations from the Bay Area. Guests can expect an afternoon filled with food, fun, shopping and entertainment provided by some of the Bay Area’s best bands, DJs, and dance companies. Attendees will also have a chance to learn more about Ohlone College, student culture, student lead clubs and community education classes.

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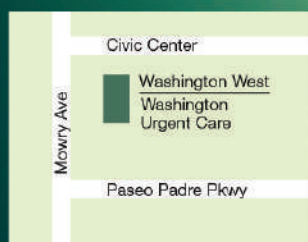


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Home & Garden

Ups and downs of rooftop gardens

ARTICLE AND PHOTOS
BY DANIEL O'DONNELL

Mark Twain wrote “Buy land, they're not making it anymore.” Had he never written that quote someone in the Bay Area inevitably would have, because rapid development is quickly diminishing what little open land is left. The lack of natural open areas can have an adverse effect on urban vegetation, wildlife, and humans. Fortunately, Twain's quote was not entirely correct. If only he had known about living roofs.

The concept of a “living” or “green” roof has been around for centuries. Ancient cultures throughout the world used soil and plants as rooftops on dwellings. Many European castle walls had green roofs for added reinforcement. Today, architects all over the world are designing living rooftops for public buildings, private companies, and residential homes. They have realized that there is a source of valuable land that can be used to replace habitat and recreate open space just above their heads. Clever gardeners have also found a way to increase the size of their gardens by putting green roofs on sections of their homes and on smaller structures such as garages, sheds, dog houses, chicken coops, and bird houses as well.

Living roofs of all sizes have many other benefits besides increasing garden space. They provide a safer habitat for wildlife

because they are above congested streets and are usually out of the realm of children, dogs, and cats. A living roof will not only keep a home cooler in the summer and warmer in the winter but will also provide the same insulation benefits for wild bird, dog, and chicken houses. A green roof can help purify pollutants that the rain picked up from the atmosphere, and reduce and slow storm water runoff. A vegetative roof reduces the heat released back into the atmosphere, lowering the outside temperature of the air near the structure that supports it.

Consult an engineer before attempting to build one on a larger structure. Many cities require special permits to build a living roof on a home or large shed; therefore, check with the local planning department. Flat roofs or ones with a gradual slope are the best choices for building a green roof. A green roof can be built on a steeper sloped roof but will require more constitution ingenuity to create lateral supports to stop the living roof from sliding off the structure.

Constructing a living roof is a lot like making good lasagna. They both begin with a base layer



composite material. The material used will determine the longevity and load bearing capacity of the living roof. A 100 percent waterproof layer, usually a rubber membrane, sits on top

The final two layers are the living components of a living roof. They are the growing medium and plants. There are numerous landscape supply companies in the Bay Area, and most should have the supplies for building a green roof, including a lighter weight rooftop planting mix. These special blends will have all the ingredients and structure of a good soil with less weight.

There are many plants that can be grown on a green roof. Following some simple guidelines will ensure success. Plants should be drought tolerant, shallow rooting, able to endure full sun and wind exposure, and not need a lot of maintenance. Succulents and grasses are two types of plants that have a high level of success growing on a rooftop.

Installing irrigation and choosing low maintenance plants will minimize the time needed to maintain a green roof but it will still take some work, usually on a ladder. Choosing to build a smaller living roof on a shed or a doghouse can save a lot of maintenance time and still look amazing. Twain again had it right when he wrote, “The secret of getting ahead is getting started.” Once you build your living roof, it will not be long until you feel like your garden is on top of the world.

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



The materials of a living roof are heavier than those of a typical roof; so, a home, freestanding garage, or a shed must meet certain structural standards in order to support the extra weight.

followed by multiple layers of different ingredients that all come together to make the final creation. A green roof begins with a deck layer. It can be made from wood, metal, concrete, or a

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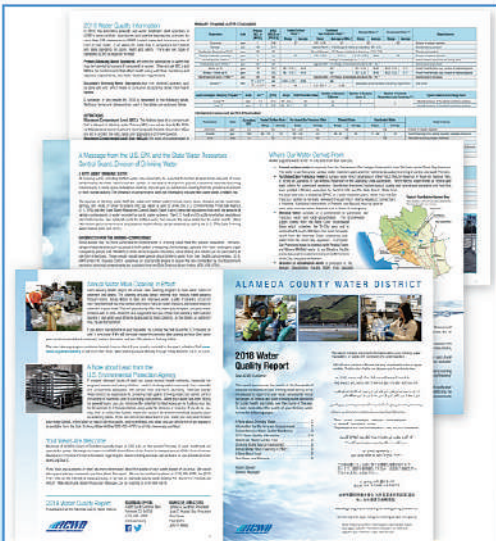
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CASTRO VALLEY TOTAL SALES: 11						
Highest \$: 1,500,000		Median \$: 760,000				
Lowest \$: 612,500		Average \$: 891,864				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
21694 Shadyspring Road	94546	612500	0	2456	1976	5/9/19
19859 Laurelwood Drive	94552	710000	2	0	1986	5/10/19
19859 Laurelwood Drive	94552	710000	2	1324	1986	5/10/19
4845 Larimer Way	94546	750000	3	1176	1959	5/10/19
18989 Carlton Avenue	94546	750000	3	1439	1952	5/10/19
18966 Santa Maria Ave	94546	760000	3	1194	1948	5/10/19
19035 Carlton Avenue	94546	880000	2	860	1935	5/7/19
20943 Glenwood Drive	94552	911000	3	1566	1994	5/10/19
5351 Proctor Road	94546	925000	3	1692	1966	5/6/19
25369 Gold Ridge Drive	94552	1302000	4	2672	1997	5/8/19
10697 Crow Canyon Rd	94552	1500000	3	2600	1998	5/7/19

FREMONT TOTAL SALES: 62						
Highest \$: 2,710,000		Median \$: 991,000				
Lowest \$: 374,000		Average \$: 1,081,137				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
3300 Wolcott Comm #108	94538	374000	1	712	1983	5/7/19
3851 Red Lake Terrace	94555	520000	2	991	1971	5/10/19
38500 Mary Terrace	94538	573000	2	864	1986	5/9/19
4668 Devonshire Comm	94536	665000	2	1140	1987	5/10/19
430 Bolinger Comm #97	94539	679000	2	894	1987	5/9/19
34512 Bluestone Comm	94555	682000	3	1166	1970	5/9/19
39029 Guardino Dr #313	94538	685000	2	1077	1987	5/8/19
3833 Meeks Terrace	94538	735000	3	1316	1981	5/7/19
40379 Davis Street	94538	735000	3	925	1955	5/8/19
49080 Meadowfaire Comm #304	94539	750000	2	1114	2004	5/7/19
37065 Dutra Way	94536	785000	3	1497	1951	5/8/19
241 Le Pomar Terrace	94536	800000	3	1240	1972	5/10/19
39617 Fremont Blvd	94538	825000	3	1582	1978	5/7/19
4812 Balboa Way	94536	828000	3	1163	1955	5/7/19
35916 Killorglin Comm	94536	835000	3	1664	1989	5/7/19
173 El Dorado Comm	94539	850000	3	1329	1970	5/7/19
42931 Corte Habana	94539	860000	3	1242	1970	5/6/19
4018 Central Ave #1	94536	910000	4	1980	2015	5/7/19
4018 Central Ave #2	94536	910000	4	1850	2015	5/7/19
4018 Central Ave #3	94536	910000	4	1850	2015	5/7/19
4018 Central Ave #4	94536	910000	4	1850	2015	5/7/19
4018 Central Ave #5	94536	910000	4	1850	2015	5/7/19
4253 Tehama Avenue	94538	920000	3	1269	1963	5/10/19
4633 Margery Drive	94538	940000	4	1629	1959	5/9/19
1226 Deer Road	94536	945000	2	1582	1941	5/6/19
2937 Pescadero Terrace	94538	950000	2	1644	2013	5/9/19
35143 Lancero Street	94536	950000	3	1108	1965	5/10/19
42361 Blacow Road	94538	955000	3	1056	1957	5/9/19
35560 Cabral Drive	94536	969000	3	1395	1958	5/9/19
40915 Lincoln Street	94538	988000	3	1762	1948	5/10/19
3006 Moss Landing Terr	94538	990000	2	1644	2013	5/10/19
5527 Tyler Place	94538	992000	3	1390	1967	5/10/19
4681 Bianca Drive	94536	995500	3	1523	1958	5/9/19
2824 Barrington Terrace	94536	1000000	2	1376	1988	5/9/19
3177 Kipling Place	94536	1025000	4	1830	1971	5/7/19
4397 Amador Road	94538	1050000	5	1948	1961	5/10/19
40202 Antigua Rose Terr	94538	1100000	3	1922	2009	5/10/19
4672 Sterling Court	94536	1111000	3	1732	1953	5/7/19
4646 Norris Road	94536	1120000	5	2275	1953	5/10/19
36230 Easterday Way	94536	1127000	4	1401	1983	5/10/19
38849 Judie Way	94536	1130000	4	1424	1962	5/9/19
5307 Grant Court	94538	1130000	3	1306	1967	5/10/19
5057 Ridgewood Drive	94555	1140000	4	1759	1990	5/10/19
5057 Ridgewood Drive	94555	1140000	4	1759	1990	5/10/19
4193 Converse Street	94538	1150000	4	1296	1956	5/10/19
923 Oranda Terrace	94536	1161000	3	1384	1995	5/9/19
4355 Delaware Drive	94538	1180000	3	1524	1955	5/6/19
4359 Torres Avenue	94536	1180000	3	1581	1962	5/8/19
228 Goldenrain Avenue	94539	1199000	4	1434	1962	5/10/19
4830 Canvasback Comm	94555	1201000	4	1647	1987	5/9/19
4123 Adams Avenue	94538	1215000	3	1246	1958	5/7/19
3119 Southwycke Terr	94536	1220000	2	1722	1988	5/10/19
44219 Pomace Street	94539	1250000	4	1537	1969	5/7/19
4395 Alder Avenue	94536	1320000	2	708	1953	5/9/19
40883 Marty Terrace	94539	1338000	3	1695	1991	5/10/19
5109 Xavier Common	94555	1360000	3	1812	1990	5/10/19
40431 Carmelita Court	94539	1470000	3	1957	1966	5/6/19
43083 Via Moraga	94539	1607000	4	1860	1973	5/10/19
955 Boar Circle	94539	2250000	4	2743	1989	5/6/19
33482 Bronco Loop	94555	2251000	5	3402	2016	5/9/19
194 Freedom Court	94539	2570000	5	4048	1992	5/10/19
44560 Poulard Court	94539	2710000	5	3929	1992	5/10/19

HAYWARD TOTAL SALES: 30						
Highest \$: 1,130,000		Median \$: 645,000				
Lowest \$: 438,500		Average \$: 639,717				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
27767 Del Norte Court	94545	438500	2	884	1970	5/8/19
1318 B Street #113	94541	440000	2	1056	1984	5/7/19
207 Poplar Avenue	94541	465000	2	1272	1980	5/9/19
2348 D Street	94541	495000	3	1347	1975	5/10/19
21239 Gary Drive #110a	94546	520000	2	1100	0	5/10/19
22857 Fuller Avenue	94541	525000	2	1041	1950	5/10/19
3064 Randall Way	94541	530000	3	1610	1945	5/6/19
1510 E Street #37	94541	535000	2	1933	1974	5/10/19
21100 Gary Drive #309	94546	535000	2	1056	1981	5/10/19
2255 Kelly Street	94541	548000	2	1326	1941	5/9/19
1955 Wingate Way	94541	551000	2	818	1940	5/6/19
1155 D Street	94541	594000	2	1166	1918	5/8/19
25091 Oakridge Court	94541	595000	3	1365	1973	5/6/19
585 Marin Avenue	94541	615000	3	1054	1930	5/9/19
1932 E Street	94541	640000	3	1026	1953	5/6/19
733 Chevy Chase Way	94544	650000	3	1680	1959	5/6/19

251 Poplar Avenue	94541	650000	3	900	1953	5/8/19
504 B Street	94541	650000	2	1294	1905	5/9/19
1122 Merritt Lane	94545	670000	3	1276	1957	5/7/19
1687 Eastori Place	94545	675000	3	1282	1956	5/10/19
30475 Prestwick Avenue	94544	689000	3	1250	1955	5/8/19
27587 Coronado Way	94545	710000	3	1119	1955	5/9/19
1930 Hillsdale Street	94541	725000	2	1130	1973	5/10/19
1840 Trym Street	94541	730000	3	1380	1956	5/8/19
29021 Caravan Lane	94545	740000	3	1777	2008	5/6/19
26629 New Dobbel Ave	94542	742000	4	2443	1980	5/8/19
1513 Sylvia Street	94545	785000	3	1410	2017	5/9/19
619 Gisler Way	94544	799000	3	1501	1960	5/6/19
22865 Mono Street	94541	820000	5	2096	1956	5/10/19
110 Sonas Drive	94542	1130000	5	3300	2011	5/10/19

MILPITAS TOTAL SALES: 14						
Highest \$: 1,290,000		Median \$: 1,070,000				
Lowest \$: 242,500		Average \$: 1,011,500				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
914 Berryessa Street	95035	242500	3	1277	1960	5/6/19
1473 Cherry Circle	95035	772500	1	910	2018	5/8/19
258 Parc Place Drive	95035	925000	3	1280	2005	5/6/19
514 Oroville Road	95035	965000	2	1350	1983	5/7/19
855 Spirit Walk	95035	982000	2	1534	2000	5/6/19
320 Corning Avenue	95035	1015000	3	1310	1955	5/10/19
390 Riesling Ave #21	95035	1060000	0	0	0	5/8/19
687 Elderberry Drive	95035	1080000	3	1951	2013	5/9/19
956 Courtland Court	95035	1090000	3	1763	1983	5/7/19
718 Vida Larga Loop	95035	1140000	3	1772	2006	5/7/19
69 Brookstone Court	95035	1150000	4	1653	1994	5/10/19
1612 Butano Drive	95035	1220000	3	1264	1968	5/6/19
460 Montague Expyx #40	95035	1229000	0	0	0	5/10/19
1397 David Lane	95035	1290000	4	1868	1991	5/6/19

NEWARK TOTAL SALES: 12						
Highest \$: 1,200,000		Median \$: 842,500				
Lowest \$: 585,000		Average \$: 840,583				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
39945 Parada Street #A	94560	585000	2	1448	1984	5/10/19
6281 Joaquin Murieta Ave #B	94560	605000	2	1132	1981	5/6/19
37128 Cedar Boulevard	94560	690000	3	1151	1957	5/10/19
36652 Darvon Street	94560	766000	3	1190	1954	5/6/19
36383 Colbert Street	94560	800000	4	1464	1963	5/6/19
5716 Souza Avenue	94560	835000	3	1051	1958	5/6/19
5867 Saint Matthew Dr	94560	850000	3	1818	1974	5/10/19
6021 Breton Place	94560	865000	3	1320	1960	5/7/19
38475 Jacaranda Drive	94560	876000	3	1678	1975	5/8/19
36292 Cedar Boulevard	94560	935000	4	1576	1971	5/8/19
36930 Papaya Street	94560	1080000	4	1965	1994	5/10/19
8229 Peachtree Avenue	94560	1200000	3	2181	1974	5/9/19

SAN LEANDRO TOTAL SALES: 20						
Highest \$: 1,100,000		Median \$: 677,500				
Lowest \$: 385,000		Average \$: 714,350				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
1410 Thrush Avenue #3	94578	385000	2	820	1994	5/8/19
1252 Pierce Avenue	94577	532000	3	1128	1942	5/10/19
756 Billings Boulevard	94577	545000	2	779	1943	5/10/19
440 Linnell Avenue	94578	605000	3	1032	1952	5/7/19
1374 Manor Boulevard	94579	615000	3	1114	1951	5/7/19
185 Cherrywood Ave	94577	630000	2	1121	1942	5/6/19
14690 Corvallis Street	94579	630000	3	1081	1951	5/7/19
249 Reva Avenue	94577	630000	2	1283	1946	5/10/19
362 Bristol Boulevard	94577	650000	3	1390	1944	5/9/19
1506 Purdue Street	94579	665000	3	1096	1953	5/8/19
996 Castle Street	94578	690000	3	1444	1954	5/10/19
1782 Arena Street	94579	695000	3	1107	1956	5/7/19
520 Diehl Avenue	94577	730000	2	1541	1930	5/10/19
827 Emerald Avenue	94577	790000	3	1342	1946	5/10/19
595 Begier Avenue	94577	800000	3	1369	1957	5/10/19
363 Dutton Avenue	94577	852000	2	1533	1925	5/6/19
871 Bridge Road	94577	860000	3	1414	1940	5/7/19
747 Matoza Lane	94577	865000	4	2207	2002	5/10/19
2019 Gulfstream Way	94579	1018000	5	2968	1996	5/9/19
946 Dowling Boulevard	94577	1100000	2	1937	1935	5/8/19

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Eastbay Astronomical Society

Getting out of the light to savor the dark



pollution has intensified, leading to a movement calling for darkness preservation. Begun in 1988, the International Dark-Sky Association has designated more than 100 places worldwide where artificial light has yet to penetrate. These areas, including more than 50 U.S. parks, are deemed a darkness resource, the night sky preserved to be experienced in all its glory.

Richard Ozer, President of Eastbay Astronomical Society (EAS), an organization with 175 members of mostly amateur astronomers, was featured in a documentary last year, Saving the Dark. He stated, “Light pollution not only affects our hobby, which in the overall scheme of things is not that important, but it affects biological cycles of human sleep and health. In the Bay Area, we are lit up like a stadium.” To enjoy the night sky at its unshrouded best, Ozer leads one of California’s largest star-gazing parties each summer, where 400 people camp near Redding for four nights enveloped by a star-loaded sky.

Any clear night in areas without light pollution provides interesting star gazing visible to the naked eye, but Ozer describes observations through a telescope as “stunning.” Chabot Space and Science Center opens its observation decks Friday and Saturday nights to the public for free viewing through telescopes.

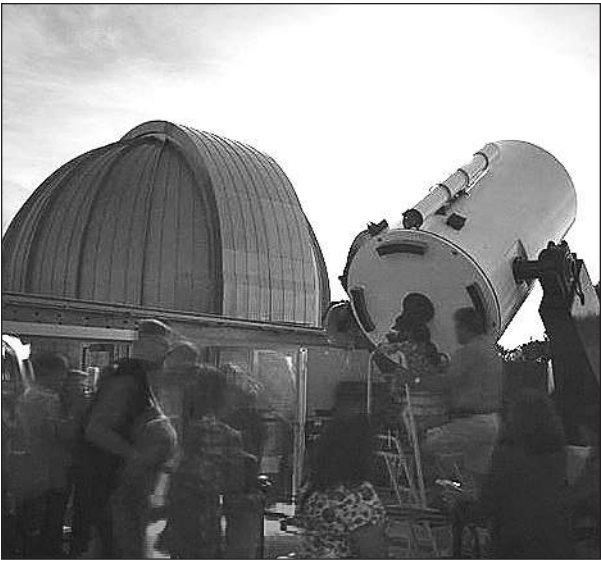
“You don’t have to wait for some astronomical event,” says Ozer, who leads the Telescope Making Workshop (TMW) at Chabot Space and Science Center almost every Friday night from 7 p.m. – 10 p.m. Launched by Franklin B. Wright in December 1930 and in continual operation since, TMW is one of only a handful of regularly-scheduled telescope-making workshops in the United States. No prior experience or knowledge is needed, and there is no registration fee. However, participants purchase some materials including a mirror blank and a grinding tool. Costs range from \$300 to \$600, depending upon aperture size. Ozer says that is one-third the price of a commercial telescope, for far better quality.

Telescope-making usually engages different types of people, from astronomy enthusiasts to lovers of the outdoors, explains David Lawson, an EAS member who built a telescope and now volunteers as an instructor. Children as young as seven have come to build (with a parent), as well as high school and college students.

“They come from all walks of life, some interested in science and astronomy, others not trained in science at all,” explains Lawson, a former high school English teacher and now project manager. Lawson belongs to the latter group: he came to EAS five years ago after reading about Saturn. Seeing the planet with an 8-inch telescope is something he will never forget.

Wesley Chang of Fremont showed up at Chabot Space and Science Center in 2006 (when he was a UC Berkeley student) and participated in telescope making. Chang gravitated to imager astronomy using smaller aperture telescopes and elapsed-time photography to capture sights in the night sky, including Andromeda, Earth’s nearest galaxy. Currently, Chang is building an observer telescope with a 14-inch aperture.

“Astronomy is the gateway science that introduces kids and gets them hooked. It unleashes an interest in science that carries through the rest of their lives, at least that’s the



way it worked for me,” says Chang, a biomedical engineer who watched astronomy on PBS and made an occasion visit to Fremont’s Hopkins Planetarium before taking up telescope making as a hobby.

Chang says EAS offers far more than telescope making to keep amateur astronomers actively engaged, including a speaker series on a wide range of space-science topics, school outreach like a recent visit to Sunol where volunteers came with telescopes to share their enthusiasm for the night sky, and star parties like the one Ozer offers. EAS creates an environment where members learn different aspects of the hobby from each other, Chang says.

For Lawson, who heads EAS’s telescope loaner program where, for a few dollars, members can borrow a telescope for a month, EAS has led him to be more reflective about the cosmos: “We live in a world where we are very disconnected from nature. Astronomy reminds us that we are part of this really pervasive system of natural forces, that we ourselves are in space, moving around the sun, hundreds of miles an hour. These forces that we find ourselves subject to are so humbling to learn about. Astronomy is a great way to change our perspective of the world and our place in it.”

For more information, contact EAS President Richard Ozer at pres@eastbayastro.org or EAS Membership Director Alan Roche at membership@eastbayastro.org.

Telescope making workshop
Fridays, 7 p.m. – 10 p.m.
Chabot Space and Science Center
10000 Skyline Blvd, Oakland
(510) 336-7300
<https://chabotspace.org/>
EAS annual membership: \$10 – 36

Tip-A-Cop raises \$2,103



Officers from the Hayward Police Department pose with McGruff the Crime Dog

SUBMITTED BY TESS DYER

On May 23, Applebee’s Grill & Bar, Hayward opened its doors to members of local law enforcement for a Tip-A-Cop fundraiser. Members of the Hayward Police Department served as ‘celebrity waiters,’ with 100 percent of their tips donated directly to Special Olympics, an organization providing sports training and competition for children and adults with intellectual disabilities or closely related developmental disabilities. The event raised a total of \$2,103 for Special Olympics.

Tip-A-Cop is an annual fundraising event organized by The Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics, where law enforcement officers volunteer their time to raise funds for the nonprofit organization.



Lt. Ryan Cantrell, Hayward Police, serves up dessert to guests at Applebee’s

Health fair resource booth spots available

SUBMITTED BY
ROSE PADILLA JOHNSON

Davis Street, a non-profit community service organization in San Leandro is gearing up for its 5th Annual Health Fair coming in August. The event will include free medical and dental screenings, blood pressure checks, nutrition education and children’s health screenings.

Other activities include a farmer’s market, family fun and games area and community information and resource booths. Fair organizers are looking for local organizations that are interested in hosting an information or community resource booth at the fair which is set for 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, August 10 in San Leandro. For information, call (510) 347-4620

extension 113 or send an email to ksberman@davisstreet.org.
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10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
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Davis Street, 3081 Teagarden St., San Leandro
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Free

S.F. 49ers partner with library to promote summer reading

SUBMITTED BY ERIK SANJURJO

A fun-filled afternoon to celebrate the Santa Clara County Library District’s “It’s Showtime at Your Library!” Summer Reading Program is coming soon to the Milpitas Library.

During the program, set for Thursday, June 20, children will have a chance to get up close and personal with reptiles from Python Ron’s Reptile Kingdom and meet with a special guest player from the San Francisco 49ers. This is the second year the San Francisco 49ers are partnering with the library’s Summer Reading Program and its efforts to promote reading at all ages.

The idea behind the program is to help keep children engaged in reading activities over the summer break from school. Studies show school-aged children are susceptible to the so-called “Summer Slide,” where their reading ability goes down when school is not in session. The best way to combat that is to continue reading and keeping their minds active.

The program will be in the auditorium of the Milpitas Library on North Main Street and will start at 3:00 p.m. with the reptile exhibit followed by the to-be-named guest player from the San Francisco 49ers from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. The reptile exhibit will be repeated from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Admission is free.

Showtime - Summer Reading Program
Thursday, Jun 20
3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Milpitas Library, Auditorium
160 N. Main St., Milpitas
(408) 262-1171
Free

Poetry, Music and Fashion

SUBMITTED BY DOROTHY DOMINIQUE

In recognition of Juneteenth which marks the abolishment of slavery, the 1st Annual Black Radiance Production Show is coming to Hayward on Saturday, June 22.

Presented by Treasures Unleashed, the family-friendly event will include poetry, dance and music performances from youths and adults in a program showcasing the beauty of Africa accompanied by drums from the Ivory Coast. Also included will be a runway fashion show with young models.

The 4 p.m. event will be in the Multipurpose Room at Brenkwitz High School in Hayward and is open to everyone. General admission tickets are \$20; \$10 for children. A limited number of VIP tickets are also available. Tickets are available at www.treasuresunleashed.com or by visiting www.eventbrite.com and typing “1st Annual Black Radiance Production Show” into the event search field and following the prompts. For details, call (415) 571-3371.

Black Radiance Production Show
Saturday, Jun 22
4 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Music, dance, poetry and fashion
Brenkwitz High School, Multipurpose Room
22100 Princeton St., No. A, Hayward
(415) 571-3371
www.treasuresunleashed.com
www.eventbrite.com
\$20 adults; \$10 children

Muses and Moments

Olive Hyde Art Guild Scholarship Awards

SUBMITTED BY RADHIKA SHARMA
PHOTOS BY PRESTON MERCHANT

Olive Hyde Art Guild's "2019 Scholarship Reception" featured six artists and their work; the Art Guild felicitated these artists with honorable mentions, a \$2,000 award in two categories, and a one-year membership to the Olive Hyde Art Guild.

Finalists were seniors Shuyan Chen from American High School, Lillian Guo

photographs are an attempt to reconcile anger, pain and loss," says Aaron. Aaron is going to school to be a war correspondent and plans to transfer to San Francisco State University.

Lilian Guo: High School Category Honorable Mention

Lilian started sketching in elementary school art classes, and, encouraged by teachers, she took up painting outside class in middle school. She has taken an AP studio art class and a session at the



Ashley Lau: High School Category Honorable mention

Among the artists featured, Ashley has probably the most unique muse – her sister. "I have been drawing her since she was a toddler," says Ashley with a smile, "She is my muse – I am constantly trying to understand her!" Ashley's future plans include majoring in 2D/3D design at the University of Alberta in Canada.

Vanessa White: Honorable Mention

Vanessa says that she has made art periodically throughout her life and taken a lot of art classes in high school. She is "amazed" at her personal growth and received several awards during her art displays at Ohlone College. Vanessa says that the clay model was the hardest to create, as it kept breaking. In contrast, with photography it was simpler to go out and find and implement an idea. Vanessa will be attending Sacramento State in Fall and plans to do a BA in interior design and continue her focus of building more comfort in people's homes.

Alyssa Campos: \$2,000 Scholarship Prize winner

Mostly a self-taught artist, Alyssa started drawing at the age of three or four. In 2018 she took up a new medium:

painting and mixed media 3D design. Her current teacher Dina Rubiolo, the OHAG scholarship chair, encouraged her to try new mediums. Alyssa's favorite work is the mixed media, 3D design clock. The wireframe clock took about 15 hours over two weeks to make and is illustrative of the passing of time and the inevitable questions of immortality vs. mortality.

Alyssa has been accepted to Cal State East Bay and will focus on graphic design during her time there.

Shuyan Chen: \$2,000 Scholarship Prize Winner

Usually soft spoken, Shuyan described her work at length. "First the idea comes to me. Then I sketch the idea in a thumb nail, and if it appears alright, I proceed with them. Then I outline it on canvas and add layers after layers of paint till it becomes as detailed as possible."

"I am fascinated by old traditional portraits and hence decided to create these images of European young ladies." Growing up in China, Shuyan had only seen similar paintings in books and online and did not have access to museums or tours. While Shuyan started learning about art at age nine, it was not until two years ago that she started making these European paintings. Each painting takes one to three weeks to create.

Shuyan moved to the United States at age 16 and then became aware of artists and how they could make a career out of passion for art. Her future plans include working as an illustrator and going to art college.

The depth of creativity in this year's Olive Hyde Art Guild scholarship art is truly remarkable. You can learn more about the Olive Hyde Art Guild at olivehydeartguild.org/home-about-ohag.



from Mission San Jose High School, and Ashley Lau from Irvington High School. The finalists from Ohlone College were Alyssa Campos, Aaron Godwin and Vanessa White. Celebrated guest jurors were artist and guild member, Kay Hille-Hatten, and Carolina Gainey-Vejar, gallery curator at the CSU East Bay University Art Gallery. The four honorable mentions received a \$250 gift card from an art supply store. Ms. Megan Olsen, mentor of Shuyan Chen from American High School was the winning High School professor and received a \$500 award for classroom art supplies. The six artists shared their thoughts about their work, their processes, muses and their future plans.

Aaron Godwin: Honorable Mention

Aaron Godwin's work "Entitled For Love Eternal" is an intimate look at his hometown of Manteca. "These

California State Summer School for Art (CSSSA). She is now establishing her focus on drawing and design. Her most recent achievement is being accepted for a program in the school of art at the Institute of Chicago.



Put away those illegal fireworks

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As the July 4th holiday approaches, the Hayward Police Department is reminding residents and property owners that fireworks are illegal in the City of Hayward. Fireworks are classified as explosives, and annually are a cause of maiming injury, fire and fright for people, pets and wildlife.

Specifically, the Hayward Municipal Codes states: "It shall be unlawful for any person at any time, to fire or discharge or cause to be fired or discharged any... fireworks or explosive preparation of any nature whatsoever, within the City of Hayward."

Under city and state law, homeowners, landlords and tenants can be held civilly and criminally liable for unpermitted firework use on private or public property or that creates a nuisance.

The Hayward Police and Fire departments are encouraging residents to support a safer and healthier community by enjoying fireworks only at permitted public displays and by not using fireworks anywhere in the City.

ARTICLE AND PHOTO SUBMITTED BY
SHIRLEY GILBERT

The California Arts Council, a state agency based in Sacramento, announced a "local impact" grant award of \$9,640 to the Mission Peak Chamber Singers (MPCS). A local impact grant supports community-driven projects for small and mid-sized arts organizations that build strong, healthy, vibrant and resilient art communities.

"Arts and culture are inextricably linked to our humanity," said Nashormeh Lindo, Arts Council Chair when announcing the grants. "They serve as a universal touchpoint for understanding and addressing our societal issues. The council is humbled to support the vital work of the Mission Peak Chamber Singers and its passionate efforts to make a better California for us all."

The grant award to MPCS, announced June 5, was part of a \$24,508,541 distribution from the California Arts Council for 2018-19 which marks the largest investment in statewide arts programming in two decades.

"It moves me deeply to see our state make such a significant investment in the arts," said

the choir's artistic director Ofer dal Lal. "The recognition that comes with such a generous endowment from the state gives us hope and strength. The people of the Tri-City area showed us that the need for wholesome, engaging arts activities is huge. I can't wait for the day when every last person in our area has experienced the joy of singing together."

MPCS has long been part of the Bay Area's choral scene. Established as the Ohlone Chamber Singers in 1980, MPCS struck out as an independent non-profit organization in 2014. The seasoned and popular choir champions the cause of music as a community enterprise and a medium of change. The many well-attended and joyous singalongs that the choir staged affirmed how much a general audience loves to sing their hearts out.

In September 2018 an all-new choral group, under the auspices of the MPCS, called the East Bay People's Choir (EBPC), was born. This choir invites anyone who loves singing to join. There are no fees, no auditions and people of all ages and cultures are welcome. This ensemble is under the direction of choirmaster Ash Walker.

Now, almost a year later, the new 50-member choir is a resounding success. Choir member Judy Chong marvels at the incredible diversity she sees all around her at rehearsals. "We have grade school, college students, retirees, former singers, those who have never sung a note, partners, singles, people with disabilities and every culture and nationality found in our area. It's really beautiful."

The two choirs complement each other. The difference has to do with repertoire. The MPCS group sings more complex pieces that require musical background while the EBPC takes on simpler numbers learned by rote. Both choirs often sing together in concert to remarkable effect.

Carey Grassinger, president of the MPCS, believes the generous grant gives both choirs the opportunity to go even further with the vision of sharing music with all those who desire to sing. "We're excited to continue our work within the community, reaching out to those who want a joyful place to belong, who treasure the supportive friendships they can make and who delight in sharing their love of singing."

Mission Peak Chamber Singers
<https://www.chambersingers.org/#/>





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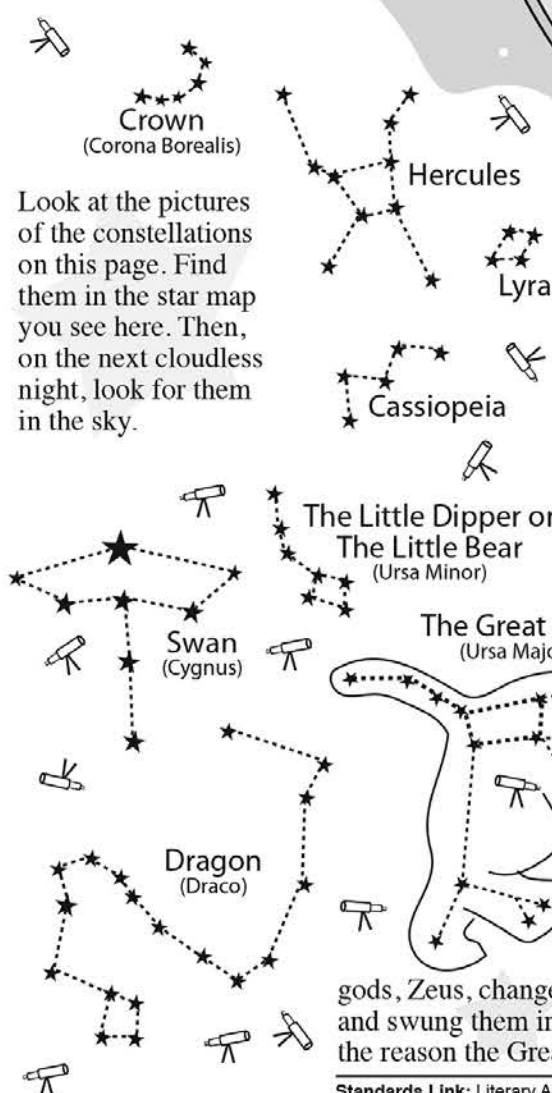
A huge dot-to-dot game is right above your head and you can play it on any cloudless night.

Stellar Shapes

The ancient Greeks contributed more than the Olympic Games to the world. It was in Athens that people first invented democracy, a government by the people, for the people. Ancient Greeks also contributed greatly to modern astronomy.

For thousands of years, people have looked at the stars in the sky and imagined shapes and patterns. The ancient Greeks saw that some stars formed groups that reminded them of people or animals or things like arrows and crowns. Today, we call groups of stars that make up pictures **constellations**.

Standards Link: Earth Science: Students know the patterns of stars and that different stars can be seen in different seasons.



Look at the pictures of the constellations on this page. Find them in the star map you see here. Then, on the next cloudless night, look for them in the sky.

Star Chart for the Northern Sky

The North Star

My Stars!

The Big Dipper is part of the constellation The Great Bear (Ursa Major).

Star Power

The North Star or Polaris is not the biggest or the brightest star, but it is the most important. It stays in the same spot and can be used to find other stars. Travelers use it to find their directions when they don't have a compass. The two stars at the tip of The Big Dipper's bowl help you to find the North Star.

Bear Tails

An ancient Greek legend tells the story of a beautiful woman named Callisto who loved her son Arcas. One day the goddess queen, Hera, became angry with Callisto and turned her into a bear.

When Arcas went hunting he came upon a bear in the woods. It was his mother, but she couldn't tell him.

Arcas was about to kill the bear when the king of the gods, Zeus, changed him into a bear too. Zeus lifted the bears by their tails and swung them into the sky. This caused their tails to stretch and that is the reason the Great and Little Bears have long tails.

Standards Link: Literary Analysis: Comprehend basic plots of legends from around the world.

Seeing Stars, Dots, Speckles, Stripes and Spots

Look through the newspaper and find and cut out pictures of dots, spots, speckles, stripes and STARS! Use these to create a new design.

Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

How many telescopes can you find on this page?

Kid Scoop Together Book Scoop

Use the Kid Scoop Secret Decoder Ring to discover the name of this book by Kathleen Krull and Paul Brewer, which is available at the library. To fill in the blanks, find the letter on the outer ring, then replace it with the letter below it on the inner ring.



A picture-book biography on science superstar Neil deGrasse Tyson, the groundbreaking American astrophysicist whose work has inspired a generation of young scientists and astronomers to reach for the stars! Find out what inspired his interest in space.

K D P G K D G M O E

Kids Reading to Dogs

A recent study revealed that a "Reading to Dogs" program could provide a comfortable environment for a child to practice reading rather than read aloud to classmates and family. Sometimes the factor of making a mistake, especially in front of their peers, presents a reason to avoid reading.

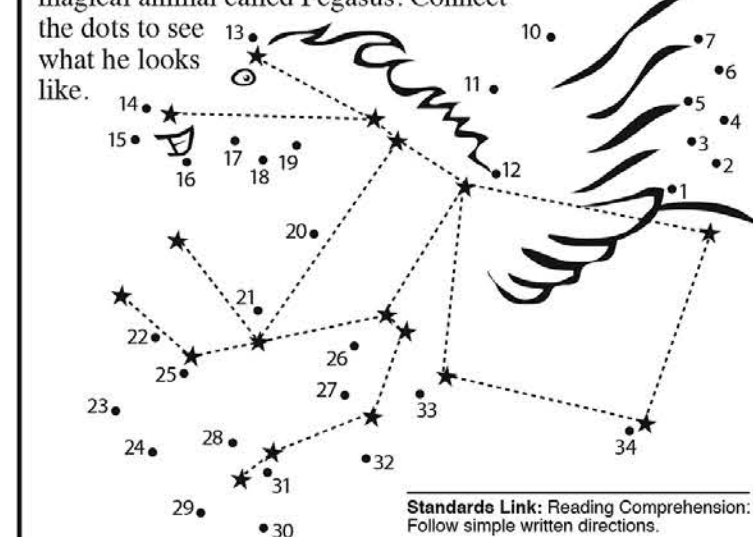
Look for a "Reading to Dogs" program at your local library. Volunteers bring therapy-certified dogs who will sit quietly while being read to. Some programs even provide cats or rabbits.

The results of these programs have been very positive in improving literacy skills.



Kid Scoop Puzzler

Like civilizations that came before them, ancient Greeks gave constellations names. This one is a magical animal called Pegasus. Connect the dots to see what he looks like.



Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

Double Double Word Search

STARS
ZEUS
BEARS
DIPPER
COMPASS
GREEKS
NIGHT
ANGRY
SHAPES
SWAN
PEGASUS
ATHENS
MAP
SKY
LYRA

Find the words in the puzzle. How many of them can you find on this page?

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

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

FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

Constellation Dot-to-Dot

On one page of the newspaper, find and circle the letters that spell the name of a constellation. Connect the circled letters to make a design. Decorate your design!

Standards Link: Spelling: Spell grade level appropriate words correctly; Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.



Why did the astronomer hit himself on the head in the afternoon?

ANSWER: He wanted to see stars during the day.

Write On! Gravity Poem

Write a poem or descriptive paragraph telling what you like or don't like about gravity.



Think Fremont



Fremont Celebrates Groundbreaking of Warm Springs Age-Friendly Center



In partnership with The Mission Peak Company, the City of Fremont hosted a groundbreaking ceremony on Friday, June 7 to celebrate the start of construction on an 11,000-square-foot Age-Friendly Center in Fremont's Warm Springs District.

This new center, the second City building in Fremont dedicated to services for older adults, will provide residents aged 55 years and older a variety of classes and activities such as exercise classes, informational events, and access to many social services and cultural celebrations. As part of the new age-restricted master-planned community, Mission Falls, this center will help fulfill Fremont's goal of being an inclusive community to residents of all ages. It is expected to open by fall 2021.

Master of Ceremonies and Human Services Director Suzanne Shenfil kicked off the festivities, along with Fremont Mayor Lily Mei and City Manager Mark Danaj.



Fremont Recreation Services' 2019 Summer Camps



Explore the possibilities this summer! Recreation Services offers hundreds of camps with a variety of activities at multiple locations. Whether your child is a hacker in training, the next top chef, an arts enthusiast, or an athlete, we've got something for everyone! Camps run from June 17 through August 27 with full-day, half-day, and extended-care options. Learn more at www.RegeRec.com or call 510-494-4300.



Fremont Street Eats is Back

Head over to Downtown Fremont this summer for another season of Fremont Street Eats!

In partnership with the Food Truck Mafia, the Fremont Chamber of Commerce will be hosting new food trucks every Friday from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. starting May 3 through October 25 at the Town Fair Plaza located at 39100 State St. Visitors can also enjoy live entertainment, weekly drawings and prizes, wine, and new beer selections every month.



Fremont Minimum Wage Ordinance to Become Effective July 2019

On February 5, the City Council approved a minimum wage ordinance that increases Fremont's local minimum wage to \$15/hour two years earlier than mandated under State law.

Large employers with 26 or more employees will be subject to a \$13.50/hour minimum wage beginning July 1, 2019. On July 1, 2020, the local minimum wage for large employers increases to \$15.00/hour. To prevent inflation from eroding its value, the minimum wage for large employers will be adjusted beginning on July 1, 2021 by the local consumer price index.

Small employers with 25 or fewer employees will continue to be subject to the State minimum wage until July 1, 2020, at which time the City's higher requirement of \$13.50/hour will become effective, increasing to \$15.00/ hour on July 1, 2021. On July 1, 2022, the small employer minimum increases to the large employer level. From that point on, both large and small employers will be subject to the same minimum wage increase defined by the local consumer price index.

The ordinance exempts non-profit corporations and incorporates feedback received from residents, the business community, non-profit organizations, and low-wage workers.

For more information, visit www.Fremont.gov/MinimumWage or contact the City Manager's office at minwage@fremont.gov or 510-284-4000.



FREMONT MINIMUM WAGE

Beginning July 1, 2019, an employee who performs work within the geographic limits of the City of Fremont must be paid wages not less than the minimum wage stated below.

	Small Employers (25 or Fewer Employees)	Large Employers (26 or More Employees)
July 1, 2019	\$11.00/hr	\$13.50/hr
July 1, 2020	\$13.50/hr	\$15.00/hr
July 1, 2021	\$15.00/hr	\$15.00/hr + CPI
July 1, 2022	Large Employer Level plus increases based on CPI	

- Starting July 1 of each following year, the minimum wage will increase by the prior calendar year's Consumer Price Index (CPI) for urban wage earners and clerical workers for the SF-Oakland-Hayward area.
- Employees of a non-profit corporation are exempt from the Minimum Wage Ordinance.

For more information regarding employer responsibilities and employee rights visit: Fremont.gov/MinimumWage

THE LONGEST DAY

Shining a Light on Alzheimer's Disease

June 21 is the summer solstice, the day when the light outshines the dark. It is also the Longest Day, when people around the world come together to raise awareness of Alzheimer's disease and dementia through fundraising activities. The Masonic Home at Union City, a national leader in memory care, is commemorating the day by inviting friends and family to its state-of-the-art Memory Care Neighborhood for lunch, music, and other activities honoring those living with Alzheimer's or dementia, supporting loved ones and caretakers, and keeping the light alive.

Alzheimer's is the sixth-leading cause of death in the United States, according to the Alzheimer's Association. It is also one of the biggest fears seniors face today. The Masonic Home is committed to addressing the growing need for memory care and provides its residents with a multifaceted brain-fitness program that addresses memory

holistically, taking into account the roles of physical activity, nutrition, emotional stability, spiritual balance, and social interaction.

Research shows that people with mild cognitive impairment in the early stages of dementia are able to return to a state of normal cognition with proper care. The Home's Compass Club provides residents assistance with early memory loss opportunities for social engagement and structured activities, while its Brain Gym is a technology-based preventative program that helps residents maintain brain health through computer games. For residents in more acute stages of memory loss, the home has a

Traditions floor and provides skilled nursing for around-the-clock memory support and specialized care.

Join the Masonic Home at Union City and people around the world

in honoring those living with Alzheimer's disease and dementia. To find out more about the home's memory care program, visit masonichome.org. For ways to contribute to the Longest Day, visit alz.org.



THE CAPTAIN'S BALL:

Presenting the Third Annual Luminary Caregiver Awards

Saturday, June 29, 5:30 p.m.
at Masonic Home Union City

34400 Mission Blvd.
Union City, CA 94587

Tickets \$80 (seating limited)

RSVP by June 24 to Kim Hegg at khegg@mhcuc.org to reserve seats.

Additional sponsorship opportunities are available.



Masonic Homes
of California

SILENT HEROES IN THE FIGHT AGAINST ALZHEIMER'S

According to the national Alzheimer's Association, 5.8 million Americans—and 50 million people worldwide—are living with Alzheimer's disease. Of course those numbers only tell part of the story, as the full effects of the disease are even more profound. Some 16 million Americans annually provide unpaid care for those suffering from Alzheimer's or dementia.

That's why the Masonic Home at Union City is holding its third annual Luminary Caregiver Awards Gala in recognition of the tireless caregivers who so often go overlooked.

The ceremony, to be held June 29, honors the compassionate spirit, hard work, and devotion of these behind-the-scenes nurses, family members, and loved ones in the Tri-City area with a Luminary Caregiver Award. This year's event will include the presentation of the Millennial award, given to a deserving young person caring for a loved one; the

John A. Charland, Jr. Innovation award, presented to a caregiver using technology in profound new ways; and the Inspirational award, to one whose story provides others with motivational support. Members of the Tri-City Senior Commission will vote on nominees and select winners.

All Tri-City residents are invited to the Masonic Home at Union City for the awards ceremony, Saturday, June 29 at 5:30 p.m. The cocktail-attire event will include food and drinks, live music and entertainment, a silent auction and raffle. All funds raised will support nonprofit organizations and caregivers in their fight against Alzheimer's disease. The Masonic Homes of California is proud to play a part in raising awareness around Alzheimer's disease and dementia, honoring those who live with the disease and those who care for them each day. For more information about the homes, visit masonichome.org.



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 Call to confirm activities shown in these listings.

**CONTINUING
EVENTS****Sundays, Apr 14 - Jun 23****Dove Gallery Hosanna Exhibit**

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 Park Victoria Baptist Church
 875 S. Park Victoria Dr., Milpitas
 (408) 464-5011
 dove@parkvictoria.org

Tuesdays & Thursdays, Apr 16 - Jun 27**Back Strength Classes \$**

1:45 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.
Simple stretching and strengthening exercises
 Kenneth C. Aitken Center
 17800 Redwood Rd., Castro Valley
 (510) 881-6738

Monday - Friday, May 3 - Aug 2**Conversation, 7+1 Collective**

9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Paintings, sculptures, collages from eight female artists
 John O'Lague Galleria
 777 B Street, Hayward
 (510) 538-2787
 www.haywardartscouncil.org

Saturdays and Sundays, May 4 - Jun 30**Wild Wonders**

2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Games, activities, crafts for all ages
 Sunol Regional Wilderness
 1895 Geary Rd., Sunol
 (510) 544-3249
 www.ebparks.org

Saturdays and Sundays, May 4 - Jun 30**Nature Crafts**

10 a.m. - 12 noon
Get crafty and learn about the natural world
 Sunol Regional Wilderness
 1895 Geary Rd., Sunol
 (510) 544-3249
 www.ebparks.org

Sundays, May 5 - Jun 30**Animal Feeding Time**

10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Discuss reptiles, observe feeding time
 Sunol Regional Wilderness
 1895 Geary Rd., Sunol
 (510) 544-3249
 www.ebparks.org

Mondays, May 14 - Dec 30**English Conversation Group**

1 p.m. - 2 p.m.
Practice spoken English in a friendly environment
 Union City Branch Library
 34007 Alvarado Niles Rd.,
 Union City
 (510) 745-1464

Fridays, May 17 - Oct 25**Fremont Street Eats**

5:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.
Food trucks, beer, wine, music
 Town Fair Plaza
 39100 State St., Fremont
 fremontstreeteats.com

1st & 3rd Tuesdays, May 21 - Aug 20**Castro Valley Street Eats**

5 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Food trucks, activities
 Adobe Art Center
 20395 San Miguel Ave.,
 Castro Valley
 (510) 881-6735

Thursdays & Saturdays, May 23 - Jun 27**LEAF Seedlings for Sale \$**

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FREMONT:

Kaiser Permanente Fremont Farmers’ Market

Thursdays
10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Year-round
39400 Paseo Padre Pkwy., Fremont
800-949-FARM
www.pcfma.org

Irvington Farmers’ Market Sundays

9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Year-round
Bay Street and Trimboli Way, Fremont
800-949-FARM
www.pcfma.org

Niles Farmer's Market Saturdays

9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Year-round
Niles Town Plaza
37592 Niles Blvd., Fremont
bestfarmersmarkets.org

HAYWARD:

Hayward Farmers’ Market Saturdays

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Year-round
Hayward City Plaza
777 B. St., Hayward
415-472-6100
www.agriculturalinstitute.org

SAN LEANDRO:

Bayfair Center Saturdays

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Year-round
15555 East 14th Street
San Leandro
(925) 465-4690
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Kaiser Permanente San Leandro

Wednesday
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Year-round
Merced St and Fairway Drive
www.pcfma.org

Downtown San Leandro Wednesdays

4 - 8 p.m.

March 27 - October 9
Parrott Street and East 14th Street
San Leandro
www.pcfma.org

MILPITAS:

Milpitas Farmers’ Market at Great Mall Parking Lot Sundays

8 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Year-round
GREAT MALL
882 Great Mall Drive., Milpitas
800-949-FARM
www.pcfma.org

NEWARK:

Newark Farmers’ Market Sundays

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Year-round
NewPark Mall
2086 NewPark Mall, Newark
415-472-6100
www.agriculturalinstitute.org

UNION CITY:

Kaiser Permanente Union City Farmers’ Market

Tuesdays

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April 9 - November 12
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3553 Whipple Rd., Union City
800-949-FARM
www.pcfma.org

Union City Farmers’ Market Saturdays

9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Year-round
Old Alvarado Park
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www.pcfma.org

Saturdays, May 25 - Aug 31

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(510) 544-3187
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Tuesdays, May 28 - Aug 27

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4 p.m. - 5 p.m.
Chat session for intermediate level and above English learners
Fremont Main Library
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Saturdays, Jun 1 - Jun 29

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Mixed media and sculpture from Sun Gallery staff
Sun Gallery
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(510) 581-4050
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Mondays & Wednesdays, Jun 17 - Jul 24

Jenny Lin Program

6:45 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
For orchestra, band and chorus students
Proctor Elementary
17520 Redwood Rd., Castro Valley
jennylinfoundation.org

Monday-Thursday, Jun 17 - Aug 8

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Patterson Elementary School
35521 Cabrillo Dr., Fremont
(510) 793-0420
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Mondays & Wednesdays, Jun 17 - Aug 8

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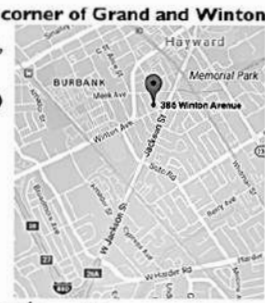
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THIS WEEK

Tuesday, Jun 18

Summer Concert Series

6:30 p.m.
Retro Juke Box
Murphy Park
1645 Yellowstone Ave, Milpitas
(408) 586-3210
www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov

Wednesday, Jun 19

Kayaking for Folks 50+ \$R

11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Paddling techniques and safety guide-lines
Lake Chabot
17600 Lake Chabot Rd,
Castro Valley
(888) 327-2757
www.ebparks.org

Wednesday, Jun 19

Toddler Time

10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
Hear a story, do some chores, meet farm animals
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Wednesday, Jun 19

Rainbow Crosswalk Ribbon Cutting

5 p.m.
Mayor Cutter officially unveils new crosswalk in honor of Pride Month
Downtown San Leandro
Parrott Street between East 14th and Washington Ave.
www.sanleandro.org

Wednesday, Jun 19

Science in the Summer R

1 p.m. - 2 p.m.
Kids in grades 4-6 learn how the body's systems work together
Newark Branch Library
6300 Civic Terrace Ave., Newark
(510) 284-0684

Wednesday, Jun 19

Science in the Summer R

2:15 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.
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Newark Branch Library
6300 Civic Terrace Ave., Newark
(510) 284-0684

Wednesday, Jun 19

Kickboxing and Self Defense R

2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Learn the basics. Bring a water bottle and wear closed toe shoes. Ages 6-10
Fremont Main Library
2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont
(510) 745-1421
www.aclibrary.org

Wednesday, Jun 19

Dinosaurs Rock R

2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
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Irvington Library
41825 Greenpark Dr., Fremont
(510) 795-2626
www.aclibrary.org

Wednesday, Jun 19

Chess Club

3 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Kids going into grades 2-6 can learn to play chess
Irvington Library
41825 Greenpark Dr., Fremont
(510) 795-2626
www.aclibrary.org

Wednesday, Jun 19

Kids Movie

1 p.m. - 3 p.m.
"How to Train Your Dragon: The Hidden World"
Union City Branch Library
34007 Alvarado Niles Rd., Union City
(510) 745-1464
www.aclibrary.org

Wednesday, Jun 19

Story and Craft Time

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Wednesday
12:45 – 2:15 Glenmoor School,
4620 Mattos Dr., FREMONT
6:00 – 6:30
Camellia Dr. & Camellia Ct.,
FREMONT

Thursday
11:30 – 12:30 Our Lady of
Grace, 19920 Anita Ave.,
CASTRO VALLEY
2:15 – 3:15 Cherryland School,
585 Willow Ave., HAYWARD

Monday
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,
Deep Creek Rd. & Maybird
Circle, FREMONT

Tuesday
4:45 – 5:30 Baywood
Apartments, 4275 Bay St.,
FREMONT
5:50 – 6:30 Jerome Ave. &
Oholones St., FREMONT

Wednesday
1:00 – 2:00 Del Rey School,
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2:30 – 3:00 Eden House
Apartments, 1601 165th Ave.,
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CASTRO VALLEY
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Park, 120 Dixon Landing Rd.,
MILPITAS

Park It

By NED MacKAY

Astronomically at least, the solstice is the first day of summer. It's the longest day of the year, when the sun reaches its highest elevation in the northern hemisphere. This year it's on Friday, June 21. The naturalists at Big Break Regional Shoreline in Oakley will celebrate it with a sunset walk from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. It's a chance to enjoy an evening exploration of the Delta, with lots of wildlife sightings possible.

Meet at the Big Break visitor center, 69 Big Break Road off Oakley's Main Street. For information, call (888) 327-2757, ext. 3050.

Summer's wildflowers are the theme of a hike, for ages 10 and older, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, June 22 at Black Diamond Mines Regional Preserve in Antioch. There aren't as many wildflowers in summer, but they are hardy and beautiful. Led by naturalist Kevin Dixon, the free hike is likely to be steep. Registration is required; to register call (888) 327-2757, select option 2 and refer to program 25070.

If snakes are your thing, join naturalist Eddie Willis in a program from 11 a.m. to 12 noon Sunday, June 23. He will show two live snakes and talk about how to share the trails with snakes in the wild. Meet Willis near the parking lot at the end of Somersville Road.

Black Diamond Mines is at the end of Somersville Road, 3½ miles south of Highway 4. The park has

a parking fee of \$5 per vehicle, when the kiosk is attended. For more information, call (888) 327-2757, ext. 2750.

The Over-the-Hills Gang is an informal group of hikers, ages 55 and older, interested in nature study, history, fitness, and fun. Everyone is welcome. Naturalist "Trail Gail" Broesder will lead the gang on a hike from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 25 at Point Pinole Regional Shoreline. Besides its unusual history, Point Pinole is a beautiful refuge from summer heat, on the shores of San Pablo Bay.

Meet Broesder in the parking lot at the end of Atlas Road in Richmond. For information, call (510) 544-2233.

Looking further ahead on the calendar, Fourth of July falls on a Thursday this year. Two of the regional parks plan to celebrate it in style.

You can join the interpretive staff at Crab Cove Visitor Center in Alameda and participate in the town's Fourth of July parade, from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. "Swim" along the parade route with the park's mobile visitor center, or just enjoy the show from the sidewalk. Then from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., Crab Cove will host an open house at the center, which is at the end of McKay Avenue, off Alameda's Central Avenue. There will be family friendly activities throughout the afternoon. For information on the parade and open house, call (510) 544-3187.

Ardenwood Historic Farm in Fremont always stages an elaborate Independence Day celebration, and this year is no exception. From 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., the park plans a

1900s-style community festival with patriotic music on the lawn, fiddle music in the farmyard, and games, contests and races. Try your hand at nail driving, egg tossing, watermelon seed spitting, bucket brigade, and tug-of-war. Bring a picnic and spend the day. Ardenwood is at 34600 Ardenwood Boulevard, just off Highway 84. Fee for the event is \$10 for adults, \$8 for seniors ages 62 and older, \$5 for children ages 4 through 17, and free for kids 3 and under. Parking is free. For information, call (510) 544-2797.

A few helpful hints for celebrating Fourth of July:

No fireworks are allowed in any of the regional parks; fire danger is extreme.

On July Fourth, picnic tables are available first-come, first-served basis. Arrive early to assure a seat, especially in parks with swim beaches.

Blanket picnicking is fine in lawn areas. Portable barbecues okay on lawns, but not in tall dry grass. Dispose of coals only in the concrete bins designed for that purpose.

If you hike, be sure to take lots of water for yourself and your dog.

At the swim areas, stay within your skill level. Children must always be supervised. Please comply with any instructions from lifeguards, rangers, firefighters or police, especially in the event of an emergency.

Have a happy holiday. For a full listing of upcoming activities at the regional parks, visit the website www.ebparks.org.

Friday, Jun 21
Movie Night Out: Bumblebee
8:30 p.m.
Murphy Park
1645 Yellowstone Ave, Milpitas
(408) 586-3210
www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov

Friday, Jun 21
BBQ Lunch \$R
12 noon
Pulled pork sandwich, coleslaw, beans, apple pie. Register early
Newark Senior Center
7401 Enterprise Dr., Newark
(510) 578-4840
www.newark.org

Friday, Jun 21
30th Anniversary Celebration R
1 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Share memories, entertainment by The Dreamers
Kenneth C. Aitken Center
17800 Redwood Rd., Castro Valley
(510) 881-6738
www.haywardrec.org

Friday, Jun 21
Music at the Grove: "Big Bang Beat"
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Pop, rock & soul hits
Shirley Sisk Grove
Cedar Blvd. at New Park Mall, Newark
(510) 578-4000
<http://www.newark.org/departments/recreation-and-community-services/music-at-the-grove/>

Saturday, Jun 22
Wheels and Wildlife Bike Tour R
1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Leisurely 4.5-mile marsh trail ride
Alviso Environmental Education Center
1751 Grand Blvd., Alviso
(408) 262-5513
<https://190622-bike.eventbrite.com>

Saturday, Jun 22 - Sunday, Jun 23
Tri-City Society of Model Engineers Open House
Sat: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Sun: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
View N and HO scale trains in operation
Niles Town Plaza
37592 Niles Blvd., Fremont
<http://www.nilesdepot.org>

Saturday, Jun 22
Fremont Area Writers
2 p.m.
Shelley Adina gives marketing and layout tips for aspiring writers
42 Silicon Valley
6600 Dumbarton Circle, Fremont
cwc-fremontareawriters.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Family Bird Walk R
1 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Explore marsh trails for birds. Ages 5 - 10 with supervision
SF Bay Wildlife Refuge - Don Edwards
1 Marshlands Rd., Fremont
(510) 792-0222 x363
<https://donedwardsfamilybird.eventbrite.com>

Saturday, Jun 22
Stone Garden Apiary Tour
11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Honey tasting, beehive observation, gearup in a bee suit
LEAF C.R. Stone Garden
55 Mowry Ave., Fremont
FremontLEAF@gmail.com

Saturday, Jun 22
As We See It
1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Artists reception
Sun Gallery
1015 E St., Hayward
(510) 581-4050
www.sungallery.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Corn Mosaics
12 noon - 1 p.m.
Create a craft with Indian corn
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Chores for Little Farmers
10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Hear a story, prepare treat for sheep, goats, chickens
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www.ebparks.org

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Bronco Billy's Pizza - Irvington
41200 Blacow Road, Fremont
(510) 438-0121
(510) 914-7304

Thursday, Jun 20
Animals of the East Bay Parks
6:30 p.m.
Naturalist Francis Mendoza talks about local wildlife
Union City Branch Library
34007 Alvarado Niles Rd.,
Union City
(510) 745-1464
www.aclibrary.org

Thursday, Jun 20
Summer Reading Special Event
Python Ron's Reptile Kingdom: 3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
49ers Player: 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Milpitas Library
160 North Main St., Milpitas
(408) 262-1171
www.scdl.org

Thursday, Jun 20
What's Brewin' in the Parks?
5 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Bluegrass music, old-fashioned ice cream making, free beer, food for purchase
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Summer brings live music

Summer is the perfect time to lay out a blanket or pull up a lawn chair and listen to your favorite bands (or discover new ones!) in the long pleasant evenings around the East Bay. In 2019, the summer season will kick off with on June 15 in Fremont with the Pacific Commons Summer Concert Series, starting with pop and rock hits from Cover Story. The fun will continue with concerts from Milpitas to San Leandro. Milpitas will start their season with their Juneteenth summer concert on June 18, to pick up again on July 16 with Lyin I’s. Meanwhile, Hayward will join in with their Municipal Band and Summer Music in the park series, starting June 16 and August 4 respectively. Hayward’s lineup includes Chris Marquis’ Giant Garage Spiders, Sycamore 129 Blues Band, and What’s Up Big Band—and that’s just the start of the season. Newark will host Music at the Grove (starting June 21 with Big Band Beat), and San Leandro will join in with Hot August Thursdays.

With concerts running through September, there is plenty of time for music lovers to make the most of those summer days.

MILPITAS

Juneteenth Summer Concert and Flag Raising
Tuesday, Jun 18
6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Milpitas Community Center
457 E Calaveras Blvd., Milpitas
www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov/milpitas/departments/recreation-services/special-events/

Milpitas Summer Concert Series
Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Murphy Park
1645 Yellowstone Ave, Milpitas
(408) 586-3210
<http://www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov/>

Jul 16: Lyin I’s
Jul 23: Fog City Swampers
Jul 30: Patron Latin Rhythms
Aug 6: Country Cougars

FREMONT

Central Park Summer Concert series
Thursdays, 6 – 8 p.m.
Central Park Performance Pavilion
40204 Paseo Padre Pkwy
(510) 494-4300
RegeRec@fremont.gov
<https://fremont.gov/290/Summer-Concert-Series>

Jul 11: Caravanserai (Santana tribute)
Jul 18: Jukebox Heroes (decades of billboards)
Jul 25: Joel the Band (Billy Joel tribute)
Aug 1: Rachel Steele (country music)
Aug 8: Long Train Runnin’ (Doobie Brothers tribute)
Aug 15: East Bay Mudd (R&B hits)

Pacific Commons Summer Concert Series
Saturdays, 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
The Block (near Dick’s Sporting Goods)
43440 Boscell Rd., Fremont
(510) 770-9798
www.pacificcommons.com

Jun 22: Tinman (vintage rock)
Jun 29: Dr. D Band (rock and funk)
Jul 6: The San Leandroids (80s hits)

Niles Home Concert Series
Friday, Aug 23 – Saturday, Aug 24
6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Historic Niles
37735 Second St., Fremont
(510) 825-0783
www.facebook.com/NilesHomeConcert
Tickets: \$25 minimum donation
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Aug 23: Static & Surrender
Aug 24: The Jones Gang

NEWARK

Music at the Grove
Fridays, 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Gates open 5 p.m.
Shirley Sisk Grove Cedar Blvd at NewPark Mall,
Newark
(510) 578-4405
www.newark.org

Jun 21: Big Band Beat
Jul 5: Decades
Jul 19: Patron Latin Rhythms
Aug 2: Lyin I’s (Eagles tribute)

HAYWARD

Hayward Municipal Band
Sundays, Jun 16 – Jul 14
2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Hayward Memorial Park
24176 Mission Blvd. Hayward
(510)-569-8497
www.haywardmunicipalband.com

Hayward Russell City Blues Festival
Saturday, Jul 13 – Sunday, Jul 14
11 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Hayward City Hall Plaza
777 B St., Hayward
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/hayward-russell-city-blues-festival-2019-tickets-54658465943>

Summer Music in the Park
Presented by Hayward Odd Fellows & H.A.R.D
Sundays, 1 p.m. – 5 p.m.
Hayward Memorial Park
24176 Mission Blvd, Hayward
haywardrec.org

Aug 4: Chris Marquis’ Giant Garage Spiders and Sycamore 129 Blues Band
Aug 11: What’s Up Big Band and Three O’Clock Jump
Aug 25: Kari & the SweetspOts and Dee Smith & Joe Melchoir III
Sept 8: TBD
Sept 15: TBD
Sept 22: TBD
Sept 29: TBD

SAN LEANDRO

Hot August Thursdays
Thursday, Aug 2 – Thursday, Aug 30
6 – 8 p.m.
Marina Park
14001 Monarch Bay Dr., San Leandro
(510) 577-3462
www.sanleandro.org

Aug 2: Native Elements
Aug 16: The Latin Rhythm Boys
Aug 30: 3day Weekend Band

ALAMEDA

Concert at the Cove
Friday, Jul 12 & Friday Aug 9
5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Crown Memorial State Beach: Crab Cove
Visitors Center
1231 McKay Ave, Alameda
(510) 544-3187
<https://www.ebparks.org/>

Jul 12: Majestic: A Tribute to Journey
Aug 9: Jazz Mafia Heaviest Feather

Saturday, Jun 22
Farmyard Games
2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Play tug-of-war and the potato-spoon race
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
(510) 544-2797
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Cart of Curiosities
1 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Cart filled with wonders of cultural and natural history
Coyote Hills
8000 Patterson Ranch Road,
Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Bats in Flight R
7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.
Learn how EBRPD is studying these mammals
Sunol Regional Wilderness
1895 Geary Rd., Sunol
(510) 544-3249
www.ebparks.org/register

Saturday, Jun 22
Wonders of Wetlands
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Explore with dip nets, binoculars and scavenger hunts. 6+ yrs
Coyote Hills
8000 Patterson Ranch Road,
Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Walk in the Wild R\$
5:30 p.m.- 10:00 p.m.
Sample wines, brews and hors d'oeuvres
Oakland Zoo
9777 Golf Links Rd., Oakland
(510) 632-9525
www.oaklandzoo.org

Saturday, Jun 22 - Sunday, Jun 23
Relay for Life of the East Bay
9 a.m. - 9 a.m.
Participate to help those affected by cancer
Chabot College, Building 1400
25555 Hesperian Blvd., Hayward
relayforlife.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Email Security Workshop
10:30 a.m. - 12 noon
Learn how to detect email scams
Castro Valley Library
3600 Norbridge Ave., Castro Valley
(510) 667-7900
www.aclibrary.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Community Clean-Up R
8:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Cleanup and beautification of Jackson Triangle neighborhood. Register by 6/20
Hayward Animal Shelter
16 Barnes Ct., Hayward
(510) 293-7200
www.hayward-ca-gov/your-environment/get-involved

Saturday, Jun 22
People Power Band Concert
2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Modern pop hits and favorite jazz classics
Fremont Main Library
2400 Stevenson Blvd., Fremont
(510) 745-1421
www.aclibrary.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Movie Night \$
7:30 p.m.
"The Lamb", "Felix Woos Whoopee", "A Submarine Pirate"
Niles Essanay Theater
37417 Niles Blvd, Fremont
(510) 494-1411
www.nilesfilmmuseum.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Storytime with Shereen
11 a.m.
Listen to "Little Owl's Night" and "Harold and the Purple Crayon"
Books on B
1014 B Street, Hayward
(510) 538-3943
www.booksonb.com

Saturday, Jun 22 - Sunday, Jun 23
Field Day
11 a.m.
Amateur radio enthusiasts - emergency preparedness exercises
Central Park Lake Elizabeth
40000 Paseo Padre Pkwy., Fremont
www.sbara.org

Saturday, Jun 22
My Mother the Astronaut
10 a.m.
Traveling Lantern Theatre presents a fun look at NASA
Union City Branch Library
34007 Alvarado Niles Rd.,
Union City
(510) 745-1464
www.aclibrary.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Black Radiance Production Show \$
4:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Celebrate Juneteenth with music, fashion, and art. Multi-purpose room
Brenkwitz High School
22100A Princeton St #A, Hayward
www.treasuresunleashed.com

Saturday, Jun 22
Summer Sock Hop \$
1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Music, dancing, refreshments
Sorensdale Recreation Center
275 Goodwin St., Hayward
(510) 881-6778
www.haywardrec.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Mother Son Game Night
6 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Dinner and games
Silliman Activity Center
6800 Mowry Ave., Newark
(510) 578-4620
www.newark.org

Saturday, Jun 22
Parks for Pollinators BioBlitz
10 a.m. - 1 p.m.
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Hayward Municipal Band Concerts in the Park
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Cooking in Country Kitchen
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Monday, Jun 24
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7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.
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Hill and Valley Clubhouse
1808 B St., Hayward
(650) 245-8473
www.isingharmony.com

Tuesday, Jun 25
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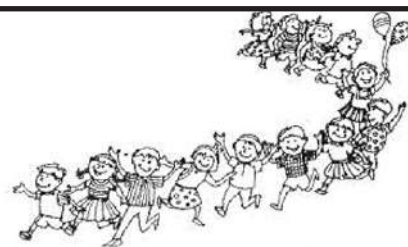
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SPORTS

Rattlesnake Safety

SUBMITTED BY JEN VANYA

As the weather heats up, rattlesnakes become more active in many of our parks, their natural habitat. They like to explore when the weather gets warm, which can lead to more encounters with humans and dogs. The East Bay Regional Park District is advising that the public take snake safety precautions when visiting regional parks.

Safety tips

Always hike with a friend; so, you can help each other in case of emergency.

Look at the ground ahead of you as you are walking.

Look carefully around and under logs and rocks before sitting down.

Avoid placing your hands or feet where you can't see clearly.

Check the area around picnic tables, campsites, and barbecues before using them. If you encounter a rattlesnake in these areas, notify park staff.

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

Bring plenty of water for yourself and your pets as many parks do not have a direct water supply.

What to do if you see a rattlesnake

Leave it alone – do not try to capture or harm it. All park wildlife is protected by law. If you see a snake on a trail, wait for it to cross and do not approach. Then move carefully and slowly away.

What to do if bitten by a snake

If bitten by a rattlesnake, stay calm, and send someone to call 911. Remain calm by lying down with the affected limb lower than the heart. Do not waste precious time on tourniquets, “sucking,” or snake bite kits. If you are by yourself, walk calmly to the nearest source of help to dial 911. Do not run.

If bitten by any other kind of snake, wash the wound with soap and water or an antiseptic and seek medical attention.

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

Snakes are an important resource in the natural environment. They are prime controlling agents of rodent, insect, and other reptile populations. They must be enjoyed from afar and left where they are found. It is illegal to collect, kill, or remove any plants or animals from the East Bay Regional Park District. Additional information is available at www.ebparks.org/parks/safety/#Snakes.

East Bay Regional Park District community survey

SUBMITTED BY JEN VANYA

As the East Bay Regional Park District (EBRPD) celebrates its 85th anniversary, the park district is seeking public input to help inform the district's future priorities and interests to maintain its relevancy to the recreational needs of the East Bay's evolving multi-cultural community. The survey will also give the public an opportunity to weigh in on some of the most pressing issues the park district and our community face moving forward.

“By completing this short survey, the public will help our board and staff to evaluate priorities as the

Park District plans for a future with wide-ranging opportunities and challenges, such as wildfire prevention and climate change. We also want to understand what services, programs and recreational activities residents would like to see added in their local parks, including what they think can be improved,” said Robert E. Doyle, general manager.

Surveys can be taken online at www.eastbayparksurvey.com or are available at the Alameda County Fair EBRPD exhibit in the Agriculture Building. To learn about EBRPD, visit www.ebparks.org.

Fremont student wins at Invention Convention

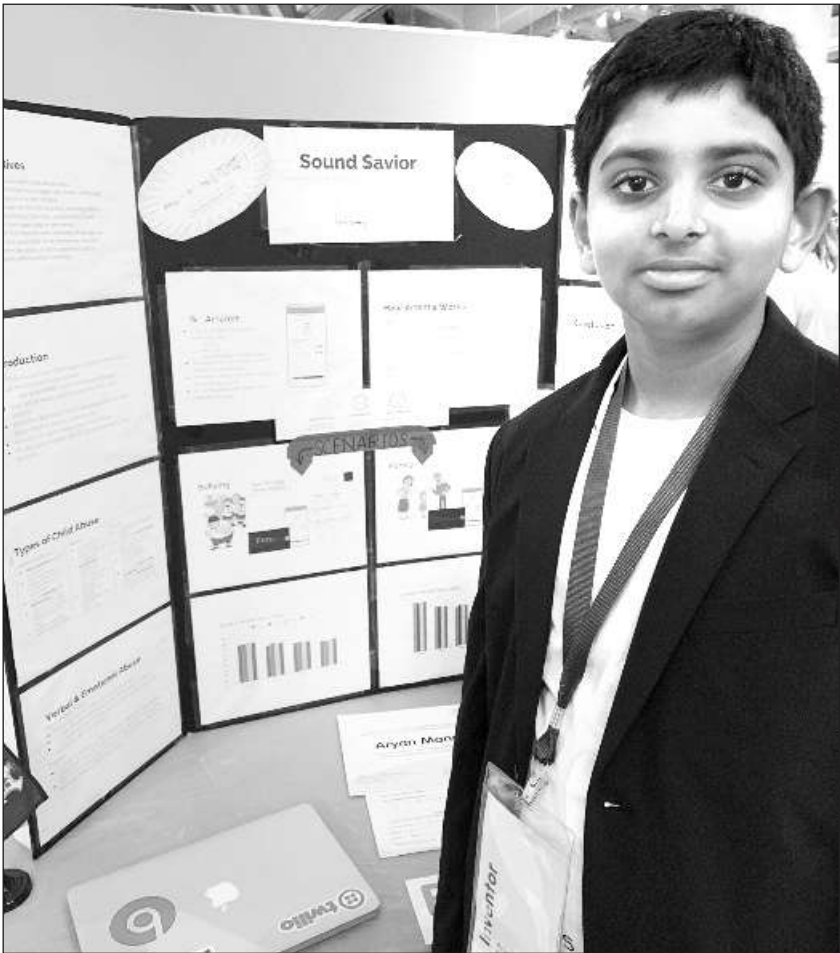
SUBMITTED BY INVENTION CONVENTION WORLDWIDE

Fremont's Aryan Mangal won first place in the seventh grade category for his ingenuity at the Invention Convention U.S. Nationals presented by United Technologies Corp. He was among more than 500 award-winning K-12 inventors from across the U.S and around the world who gathered from Thursday, May 30 to Friday, May 31 in Dearborn, Michigan to compete for top awards in youth invention.

Aryan's invention, Sound Savior, is an app to stop child abuse. “It uniquely uses the power of sound to detect, record, and report cases of child abuse,” he said. “It has two main triggers to start this. The first trigger is sound. If the volume is above 80 decibels, then the app will start recording. The second trigger is cursing, or the use of bad words. If this happens, then the app will start recording and share it on the cloud as evidence. Also, it will send an email/SMS to all family members, who can then inform law and enforcement. Since different phones have different microphones, the app has settings and is configurable to the user's preference.”

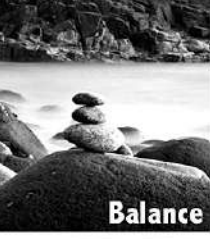
Invention Convention provides students in grades K-12 an interactive and interdisciplinary opportunity to use the invention process to create and pitch an original product at a national convention. More than 120,000 students from across 23 states and representing four countries, competed for a chance to participate in the national event this year. The students earned the opportunity to advance to the invitation-only event by winning their local competition held earlier this year.

Invention Convention helps to instill problem-identification, problem-solving, entrepreneurship and creativity skills for life to inspire young people to become innovators, inventors and entrepreneurs over the course of their K-12 careers. To learn more about the California Invention Convention, visit <https://cainventionconvention.org>.





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Rachel DiFranco - East Bay Community Energy program
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kiwanisfremont.org

Wednesday, Jun 26
Family Movie Night: Wreck-It Ralph
8:30 p.m.
Bring lawn chairs, blankets and snacks. Film rated PG
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(510) 577-3462
www.sanleandro.org

Thursday, Jun 27
Truth Thursdays - "Made in San Leandro"
5:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Food trucks, games, live entertainment
San Leandro Tech Campus
1600 Alvarado St., San Leandro
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www.downtownsanleandro.co

Thursday, Jun 27
Flower Arranging R
6 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Free art class
San Leandro Main Library
300 Estudillo Ave., San Leandro
(510) 577-3971

Thursday, Jun 27
State of the City \$
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Mayor Halliday - city goals and accomplishments
Hayward Main Library
888 C St., Hayward
(510) 881-7980
www.hayward.org

Music at the Grove Summer Concert Series



SUBMITTED BY DAVID ZEHENDER

The City of Newark Recreation and Community Services Department is proud to announce the 32nd season of free concerts at the beautiful Shirley Sisk Grove, located on NewPark Mall Road across from Macy's. Newark was one of the first cities in the Bay Area to offer free community concerts, modeled after the famous Stern Grove concerts held each summer in San Francisco. Our concert series began back in 1987 with performance by Bay Area party band Big Bang Beat. And the Big Bang Beat has been with us ever since, opening our annual concert series to the delight of their many dedicated fans. We have some great concerts scheduled this summer culminating with a fan appreciation event on August 2. Make sure you mark your calendars now and plan on being part of a great summer of family-fun concerts at the Grove.

All concerts will be held on Friday evenings beginning at 6:30 p.m. Concert goers can arrive early to picnic and relax with family and friends. Bring a blanket or low-back

chair as all seating is festival style. The concerts are made available through generous sponsorships including the Newark Betterment Corporation, Tri-City Voice (special media sponsor), The Sign Zone, Homewood Suites, Washington Hospital and Safety Kleen.

Friday, June 21: Big Bang Beat

San Francisco's very own legendary rock 'n' soul review...and the most enduring and amazing party band of them all. From swing, Motown, disco, 80 s, contemporary and beyond, Big Bang Beat is renowned for being the best and most versatile party band ever! Featuring an awesome variety and a phenomenal repertoire, this band has to be seen to be believed. But most of all, this band has SOUL. You can feel it in every song at every show. Only a band that has stayed together and performed together as Big Bang Beat has can bring you this much genuine warmth and entertainment. From Respect to Love Shack and Glen Miller to Adele, Big Bang Beat will take you on a musical journey you will never forget.

Friday, July 5: Decades

Playing all the great songs from the 50's, 60's, 70's, 80's, 90's and today, Decades puts on a fantastic show! Based out of Chico, California, Decades performs all the hits that you remember as well as today's biggest hits. Decades plays throughout California at both large venues and small, private events. See what the folks at Francis Ford Coppola Winery are saying about Decades: "We had them perform at a private event and they truly wowed the audience. They are fun, professional and have great talent. We highly recommend this group!"

Friday, July 19: Patron Latin Rhythms

Patron Latin Rhythms returns to the Grove! Come dance along to the intoxicating sound of this rockin' Latin music. Patr n Latin Rhythms is a collaboration of seasoned professional musicians with diverse backgrounds, which enables the band to play different styles of Latin Music such as, Latin Jazz, Latin Rock, Mambo, and even O'l Skool R& B/Latin Funk! Patr n's goal is simple: to inspire the dancing spirit in everyone with driving percussion rhythms, hair-raising guitar licks, and a horn section that is reminiscent of Tower of Power. Patr n not only will we leave you dancing, but we'll leave you dancing your way home!

Friday, August 2: Fan Appreciation featuring Lyin I's (Tribute to Eagles)

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For further information about the concert series, please call 510.578.4405 or visit our web site at www.newark.org

Music at the Grove
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Fremont News Briefs

SUBMITTED BY CHERYL GOLDEN

Fireworks are banned

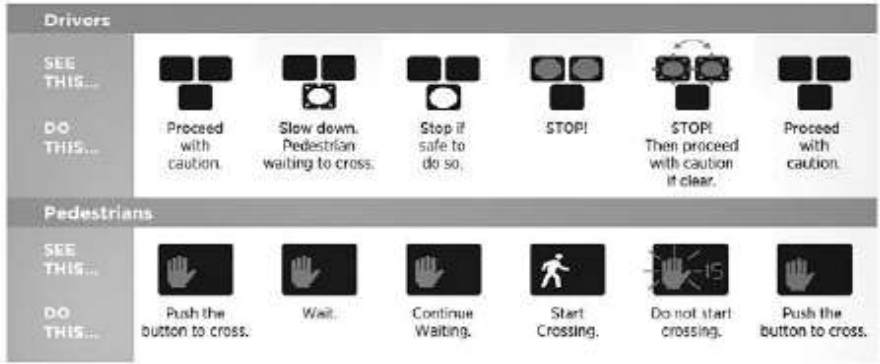
Fremont's public safety departments would like to remind residents, businesses, and visitors that the sale, possession, and use of all fireworks are banned within the city. This ban includes the "safe and sane" variety of fireworks that are legal in some other cities. The ban, in effect since December 1986, has helped reduce the number of injuries, wildland fires, and structure fires caused by fireworks in Fremont. Fire and police resources will be on patrol in the city during the peak times of concern to maintain an active vigilance against fireworks use.

In California, possession of illegal fireworks is considered a misdemeanor, which is punishable by a fine of not less than \$500 or more than \$1,000, or by imprisonment in a county jail for up to one year. If you are found to be in possession of substantial number of illegal fireworks, you may be guilty of a felony and punished by a fine up to \$5,000 and/or imprisonment in a state prison or county jail. Parents may be held liable for any damages or injuries caused by their children's use of illegal fireworks.

To report illegal fireworks' use, call the Fremont Police Department Dispatch Center at (510) 790-6800 and select option 3. Please be extremely careful during the Fourth of July holiday season and throughout the summer months with all outdoor activities. The abundance of dry grass and brush in the area has created an extremely dangerous fire condition.

Pedestrian Signal

Fremont's first pedestrian signal will be activated the week of Monday, June 17 at the intersection of



Mowry Avenue/WaterSide Circle. The signal will offer pedestrians a protected crossing for this busy arterial intersection, enhancing access to the Fremont BART station and city center area. Pedestrian signals are a newer type of traffic control device.

A Federal Highway Administration study found that pedestrian signals can reduce vehicle/pedestrian crashes by 69 percent. Pedestrian signals feature a unique type of operations. For more information on how to use pedestrian signals and other new traffic control devices (including instructional videos), visit www.Fremont.gov/VisionZero2020.

Education Workshop for Renters and Landlords

The City of Fremont Human Services Department and Housing Division are hosting a free education workshop that will cover The City of Fremont Rent Review Ordinance and New Source of Income Discrimination amendment. The workshop will be held from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Thursday, June 27 at the Fremont Main Library, 2400 Stevenson Boulevard. All Fremont renters and landlords are encouraged to attend. To RSVP, visit www.Fremont.gov/EducationWorkshop, email RentReview@Fremont.gov, or call (510) 733-4945.

Calling Older Adults

Are you 55 years or older and a member of the Fremont community? If so, the city is looking for your input. Residents can help inform the city and the Area Agency on Aging (AAA) about the

needs of older adults and the best way to create a better community for adults ages 55+. Complete the online survey at www.surveymonkey.com/r/City_Fremont or pick up a paper copy at the Fremont Senior Center, 40086 Paseo Padre Parkway. You may also download a printed version of the survey in Cambodian, English, Farsi, Mandarin, Spanish, Tagalog, and Vietnamese at <http://seniorervicescoalition.org/what-you-can-do/alameda-county-older-adult-survey-toolkit/>.

Survey participants will be entered into a raffle for a free regular lunch at the Fremont Senior. Also, to receive a prize for participating in the survey, bring proof of filling it out from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. to the Fremont Senior Center.

Meeting-Work Session to Discuss Homelessness

The City of Fremont will organize a Special Meeting-Work Session at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 18 for the city staff to go before the council and provide an overall update on the city's homeless efforts. The staff will also present and establish criteria to evaluate possible locations for a housing navigation center, which transitions those experiencing homelessness into permanent housing, stabilization, and self-sufficiency through coordinated services. This session will take place at the Fremont City Hall, 3300 Capitol Avenue and is open to the public. The regularly scheduled council meeting, which begins at 7 p.m., will follow the Special Meeting-Work Session.

The work session agenda is available at <http://fremontcityca.iqm2.com/Citizens/D>

[etail_Meeting.aspx?ID=1708](http://fremontcityca.iqm2.com/Citizens/Detail_Meeting.aspx?ID=1708). To subscribe and receive Fremont council agendas and minutes, as well as Special Meeting-Work Session agendas, notifications by email and/or text, visit www.fremont.gov/SubscribeCouncilAgenda. All council meetings are available to watch live or rebroadcast via Channel 27, The Fremont Government Channel, or the city's website. Learn more at www.Fremont.gov/Channel27. To learn more about the city's multi-pronged approach to homelessness, visit <https://fremont.gov/CivicAlerts.aspx?AID=1550>.

Minimum Wage Ordinance

On February 5, the Fremont City Council approved a minimum wage ordinance that increases Fremont's local minimum wage to \$15/hour two years earlier than mandated under state law. Large employers with 26 or more employees will be subject to a \$13.50/hour minimum wage beginning July 1. On July 1, 2020, the local minimum wage for large employers increases to \$15/hour.

To prevent inflation from eroding its value, the minimum wage for large employers will be adjusted beginning on July 1, 2021 by the local consumer price index. Small employers with 25 or fewer employees will continue to be subject to the state minimum wage until July 1, 2020, at which time the city's higher requirement of \$13.50/hour will become effective, increasing to \$15/hour on July 1, 2021. On July 1, 2022, the small employer minimum increases to the large employer level. From that point on, both large and small employers will be subject to the same minimum wage increase defined by the local consumer price index.

The ordinance exempts nonprofit corporations and incorporates feedback received from residents, business community, nonprofit organizations, and low-wage workers. For more information, visit www.Fremont.gov/MinimumWage, or contact the city manager's office at minwage@fremont.gov or (510) 284-4000.

City Council/Public Agency MEETINGS

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

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- Fremont City Council
1st/2nd/3rd Tuesday @ 7 p.m.
City Hall, Bldg A
3300 Capitol Ave., Fremont
(510) 284-4000
www.fremont.gov
- Hayward City Council
1st/3rd/4th Tuesday @ 7 p.m.
City Hall, second floor
777 B Street, Hayward
(510) 583-4000
www.ci.hayward.ca.us
- Milpitas City Council
1st/3rd Tuesday @ 7 p.m.
455 East Calaveras Blvd., Milpitas
(408) 586-3001
www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov
- Newark City Council
2nd/4th Thursday @ 7:30 p.m.
City Hall, 6th Floor
37101 Newark Blvd., Newark
(510) 578-4266
www.ci.newark.ca.us
- San Leandro City Council
1st/3rd Monday @ 7 p.m.
835 East 14th St., San Leandro
(510) 577-3366
www.sanleandro.org
- Union City City Council
2nd/4th Tuesday @ 7 p.m.
City Hall
34009 Alvarado-Niles Rd.,
Union City
(510) 471-3232
www.ci.union-city.ca.us
- Alameda County Water District
2nd Thursday @ 6:00 p.m.
43885 S. Grimmer Blvd., Fremont
(510) 668-4200
www.acwd.org
- East Bay Municipal Utility District
2nd/4th Tuesday @ 1:15 p.m.
375 11th St., Oakland
(866) 403-2683
www.ebmud.com
- Santa Clara Valley Water District
2nd/4th Tuesday @ 6:00 p.m.
5700 Almaden Expwy., San Jose
(408) 265-2607, ext. 2277
www.valleywater.org
- Union Sanitary District
2nd/4th Monday @ 7:00 p.m.
5072 Benson Rd., Union City
(510) 477-7503
www.unionsanitary.com
- Castro Valley Unified School Board
2nd/4th Thursday @ 7:00 p.m.
4400 Alma Ave., Castro Valley
(510) 537-3000
www.cv.k12.ca.us
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The City of Hayward has opened its 2019 recruitment period for applicants to serve as volunteers on city commissions and Keep Hayward and Green Task Force. The available city commissions include Community Services Commission, Library Commission, Personnel Commission, and Planning Commission. The application submission deadline is Friday, July 5. Interviews with the Hayward City Council are scheduled for Tuesday, July 23. Qualified Keep Hayward Clean and Green Task Force applicants will be required to interview with the Task Force Subcommittee Panel on Friday, July 12. Applications for service on any commission or task force (council’s appointed officials) are valid for one year from the date of receipt and are a public record. In order to be eligible for appointment to any commission or task force, a person shall be a qualified elector (registered voter)

of the incorporated area of the City of Hayward. Volunteer service on the city’s commissions and task forces provides a way for residents to participate in the city’s decision-making process by advising the council and staff on a wide range of important topics. To apply online, visit <https://www.hayward-ca.gov/your-government/boards-commissions>; application forms are on the respective individual page, as well as information that describes duties, time commitments, and number of vacancies. Hard copy applications are also available at the Office of the City Clerk. For more information, call (510) 583-4400. Hayward City Commission and Green Task Force Vacancies Application deadline: Friday, Jul 5 **Interview with City Council: Tuesday, Jul 23** **Office of the City Clerk** **777 B St, Hayward** **(510) 583-4400** <https://www.hayward-ca.gov/your-government/boards-commissions>

TAKES FROM SILICON VALLEY EAST Guide to Investment in Fremont’s Opportunity Zone

By DONOVAN LAZARO, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT MANAGER

Over the last few years, a transformation has taken root in Fremont’s downtown. Today, there’s no question that the district is truly on the rise. It began with the city’s investment in a pedestrian-oriented street grid and a public-private partnership that resulted in the soon-to-be-completed Locale @ State Street project. As of this post, there are more than a half dozen projects proposed in the city’s downtown and city center areas, including a new headquarters for Fremont Bank.

The recent designation of downtown as an Opportunity Zone only adds to Fremont’s appeal as an excellent location for investing. Despite a lot of buzz, however, many investors, developers, and property owners still don’t understand all the ways opportunity zones can benefit them. Our new Fremont Opportunity Zone Investment Guide at http://www.thinksiliconvalley.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Fremont-Opportunity-Zone-Investment-Guide_Online-Version.pdf provides an overview of the unique tax incentive program and investment opportunities present in downtown Fremont. Interested in getting in on the action? Take a look at the guide. It’s a great place to begin, offering an informative primer on opportunity zone investments and other prospects offered in our city. Our Economic Development team is here to answer more in-depth questions and help you make the connections you need to start investing.

Fremont City Council

June 11, 2019

Work Session:

- Presentation on Affordable Housing Ordinance. Staff presented information on city, county and state efforts to increase availability of affordable housing. Modification of affordable housing ordinance was considered and staff was directed to explore increasing inclusionary provisions, fees, State funding, research of other city actions and a new nexus study. Staff report on nexus study in approximately four months. Discussion of SB-2 (State funding) sooner.
- **Flag Raising:** Ceremonial raising of rainbow flag at City Hall to recognize Pride Month in Fremont. Mayor Mei and Vice Mayor Salwan helped raise the flag as councilmembers, staff and visitors looked on.
- **Announcements:** Rachael DiFranco, Sustainability Manager, received a grant from the European Union for a fully funded week-long European Study Tour to observe EU cities’ response to green initiatives.
- Minimum Wage Ordinance was approved February 5, 2019 and will take effect July 1, 2019.

Consent Calendar:

- Authorize agreement with Nanogen Science and Services, LLC dba Mad Science of the Bay Area.
- Authorize payment of deficit assessment for Workers’ Compensation for Program Years 1994/95 and 2003/04.
- Authorize payment for use of East Bay Regional Communications System Authority.
- **Removed from Consent:** Authorize agreement with SWA Service Group for janitorial services. Speakers asked for reconsideration of awarding a contract to a non-union company and expressed fear of benefit losses. ITEM CONTINUED FOR FURTHER STUDY AND DISCUSSION 6-1 (Nay, Shao)
- **Public Communications:** Members of City of Fremont Employees Association asked for a fair Cost of Living Adjustment to wages.
- Niles District community members requested that the council locate a transitional Navigation Center for homeless people in an area more suitable than Niles. Work session scheduled for June 18 to discuss homeless assistance.

Scheduled Items:

- Second public hearing of FY 2019/20 Operating Budget.
- Second public hearing of FY 2019/20 – 2023/24 Capital Improvement Program.



Ceremonial raising of rainbow flag at City Hall to recognize Pride Month in Fremont. Mayor Mei and Vice Mayor Salwan helped raise the flag as councilmembers, staff and visitors looked on.

Other Business:

- Presentation by Facebook on Ardenwood site plans. Previous Sun site will be called Dumbarton Campus paired with existing Commerce Campus. Advantages cited included proximity to Menlo Park site, access to regional transportation, re-purpose under-utilized site that is well suited for office and technology uses. Currently approximately 800 employees but

at capacity, estimated at 4,500-5,000 employees. Facebook has instituted strategies to limit traffic impacts.

Mayor Lily Mei	Aye
Vice Mayor Raj Salwan	Aye
Vinnie Bacon	Aye
Rick Jones	Aye
Teresa Keng (District 1)	Aye
Jenny Kassan (District 3)	Aye
Yang Shao (District 4)	Aye, 1 Nay

CA Governor Issues Seven Pardons

By STEPHANIE GERTSCH

The consequences of breaking the law can reach far beyond the court-issued sentence, as crimes follow the perpetrator throughout their lives, long after they have served out what their State deems appropriate punishment. On May 13 of 2019, California Governor Gavin Newsom issued seven pardons to California residents who have served time in prison. While a pardon does not overturn a conviction or reduce a sentence (the latter is a commutation), it can recognize and further a criminal’s rehabilitation into society. The Governor’s Press Office stated, “A pardon does not minimize past conduct; it recognizes a person’s subsequent progress and accomplishments. A pardon does not expunge or erase the conviction. By granting these pardons to people who are transforming their lives, the Governor is seeking to remove barriers to employment and public service,

restore civic rights and responsibilities and prevent unjust collateral consequences of conviction.” Pardons are not handed out lightly. In California, in order to qualify for a pardon, a person must either apply for a Certificate of Rehabilitation (which shows that someone has been living an upright life since their conviction) or send a direct request to the Governor in accordance with California penal code. In addition, they are only eligible for a pardon if they have completed their prison sentence and/or parole at least 10 years ago. Another factor that may influence the issue of a pardon is whether the person is in danger of “collateral consequences” from the original conviction, such as deportation from the country. However, collateral consequences are no guarantee a pardon will be issued. In spite of these difficulties, pardons provide several concrete benefits to those who want to repair their lives after serving time in jail. Pardons restore critical civic rights, such

as serving on a jury and owning a firearm. They also remove barriers to employment. By giving people something to work for, pardons incentivize accountability and rehabilitation, increase safety for those in jails and prisons, and correct damaging results from the legal system. Those who received pardons in May include residents convicted of grand theft and robbery, DUI, gang activity, and transporting and selling a controlled substance. Several were at risk of being deported and separated from their families. In their press release, the Governor’s Press office stated, “The Governor weighs numerous factors in his review, including the applicant’s self-development and conduct since the offense and whether the grant is consistent with public safety and in the interests of justice.” Hopefully, with pardons will enable these individuals to continue to live as productive citizens of their State.

OPINION



WILLIAM MARSHAK

Alfred Hitchcock's 1958 masterpiece, *Vertigo*, entranced audiences with a tale of intrigue, misdirection and subterfuge that finally exposed a twisted plot of virtual reality worthy of some of the best cinematic manipulations of modern-day thrillers. Hitchcock, however, has nothing on the merry-go-round of musical chairs that politicians play as election season appears on the horizon. It's enough to give the electorate the spinning, disorienting symptoms of vertigo.

Even though many residents are bracing for summer activities and counting the days to vacations, summer events and what to do with the kids who are out of school, the political game is already off to a running start for 2020 festivities. Some politicians are termed out of office; but never fear, they will find a vacant seat to fill in another venue. Everything is fair game: city councils, school and college boards, county supervisor, state office or anything else that keeps the paycheck coming and ambitions viable.

Vertigo

Just as the central character of the film *Vertigo* was unable to separate his perception of events with what had actually happened, so too it is difficult to follow the scorecard of politicians as they scramble to maintain their hold on elected or appointed office. A flurry of activity to replace or displace elected officials is now in play. Along with announcements of retirements and intentions to run for office, strident displays of indignation and policy pronouncements will multiply as those with ambitions seek to continue in their career. Either by reelection, or if termed out of their current office or in search of a different position in the political hierarchy, politicians are now making their intentions known to fellow aspirants and the public.

Some politicians are looking ahead toward the perceived heights of state and national office while others may be searching for a safe haven to slip into obscurity with position and privilege but less notoriety and pressure. Such havens may be a temporary respite until the next election cycle or, a relatively anonymous situation to "retire" insulated from intense public scrutiny.

Consider this... how much do you know about what a city councilperson does, county supervisor, state legislator, representative or senator? Examination of local politics is less complex; meetings are local and those elected are accessible. However, as politicians move toward

office representing larger groups of constituents, contact is less likely and actions are less visible. At the state and national level, depending on the issue, there can be significant attention through press coverage. But county government is an example of a gray area that administers unincorporated areas and acts as a liaison between city and state government. A good place to remain in limbo or catch your breath before a bigger challenge?

Much of this maneuvering takes place as back room deals that rely on political party affiliation and strategy. Others, not tempered by such strategies, may defy established politicians and strike out on their own. In most cases, the exceptionalism bug strikes hard and has no antidote. A taste of power and prestige with access to money is an alluring prize, almost impossible to ignore. Even husband/wife teams are susceptible such as Bill & Hillary Clinton or Mitch McConnell & Elaine Chao on the national scene and, on the local scene in Fremont, Vinnie Bacon & Jenny Kassan. In any case, the machinations of political maneuvers are enough to give an outsider vertigo.

William Marshak
PUBLISHER

EARTHTALK

Dear EarthTalk: What the heck is a "bionic leaf" and how does it help the planet?

— William Friend, Billings, Montana



The "bionic leaf" is a small man-made solar collector that takes sunlight and water and turns it into any of a variety of usable fuels or fertilizers.

Brainchild of Harvard biochemist Daniel Nocera, the "bionic leaf" is a small man-made solar collector that takes sunlight and water and turns it into any of a variety of usable fuels or fertilizers. Nocera's first iteration, the so-called "artificial leaf," was developed in 2011 at the

Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) and could split water into oxygen and hydrogen when exposed to sunlight in a process similar to (and inspired by) Mother Nature's photosynthesis.

Nocera soon thereafter moved his lab to Harvard and teamed up with Pamela Silver there to create the "bionic" version which takes the concept further. There they fed the resulting hydrogen to an on-board catalyst, resulting in the generation of immediately useable downstream liquid "fuels" such as fertilizer for farms, isobutanol to run generators and engines, and PHB, a precursor for bio-plastic.

The team's first version of the "bionic" leaf was about as efficient as natural photosynthesis, that is about one percent of the solar energy flowing in came out as biomass dense enough to use as fuel. But their most recent version ups the ante considerably, clocking in at 10 times more efficient than Mother Nature's fastest growing plants.

"If you think about it, photosynthesis is amazing," Nocera tells the Harvard Gazette. "It takes sunlight, water and air — and then look at a tree. That's exactly what we did, but we do it significantly better, because we turn all that energy into a fuel."

When mass-produced, these tiny solar "carbon-negative" fuel factories could be inexpensive enough for everyday people to use to power their vehicles and run their lights and appliances. Farmers with a small on-site array of bionic leaves could create enough fertilizer for their own needs instead of buying container-loads of synthetic fertilizer produced at sprawling CO₂-spewing factories and shipped for thousands of miles.

The widespread application of bionic leaves could be especially advantageous in developing countries (and remote areas in general) where access to conventional fuels and fertilizers is limited and expensive or non-existent. Nocera

hopes his work can bring the poor of the world their "first 100 watts" of energy through one form or another of the technologies he is developing. A Harvard-funded pilot program putting bionic leaves to use in India is just getting off the ground and Nocera hopes to expand globally within the near future.

The vision is for retiring every fossil fuel out there and replacing them with solar fuels from your own "bionic" garden. Imagine a world with no more utility bills or lining up at the gas pump? "You can use just sunlight, air and water," concludes Nocera, "and you can do it in your backyard."

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July 8, 1936 – June 15, 2019

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Resident of Union City
February 11, 1937 – June 13, 2019

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RESIDENT OF CLEARLAKE
May 29, 1952 – May 6, 2019

Cirila N. Ubaldo
RESIDENT OF EL DORADO HILLS
July 5, 1935 – June 9, 2019

C. Yvonne Bishop
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April 30, 1943 – June 10, 2019

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July 12, 1981 – June 9, 2019

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September 20, 1961 – June 8, 2019

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RESIDENT OF LIVERMORE
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RESIDENT OF FREMONT
May 22, 1939 – June 5, 2019

Tracy Ganier
RESIDENT OF SAN JOSE
January 20, 1962 – June 3, 2019

Thomas Pratt
RESIDENT OF FREMONT
April 24, 1930 – June 2, 2019

Elex Cary Jr.
RESIDENT OF MILPITAS
June 29, 1933 – May 31, 2019

Obituary

Myrna M. Alpay-Garcia

Resident of Brentwood

March 18, 1949 – June 4, 2019

Myrna Merto Alpay-Garcia was born March 18, 1949 in Pagbilao Quezon Province, Philippines and entered into rest on June 4, 2019 in Brentwood CA, at the age of 70. Daughter of Timoteo Q. Alpay and Josefa M. Alpay.

Myrna is survived by her beloved children Jose Marie, Joselito Alpay Jr, Jose Ian, Mary Ann Joy, Honofre, and Evelyn. Loving grandmother to Desrae Faith, Tyler Caine, Jaeden Alijah, Jaesic Asileon, Jaerek Ami, Trystan Jet, Jaeriel Avolene, Hunter Jet, Logan Chase, and Avery Creed.

Myrna attended the University of Santo Tomas and graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing. She worked at Kaiser Permanente in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) as a charge nurse and after 30 years she retired and spent the rest of her time with her loving family.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 PM – 8:00 PM on Wednesday, June 19, 2019 with a

Vigil at 6:30 PM, Fremont Memorial Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd., Fremont. A Mass will be held Thursday, June 20, 2019 at 10:00 AM, Saint Anne’s Catholic Church, 32223 Cabello St, Union City. Burial to follow at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, 26320 Mission Blvd., Hayward.

Fremont Memorial Chapel
510-796-8900

Obituary

Paul Richard Pomeroy

September 20, 1961 – June 8, 2019

Resident of Newark

Paul was born on September 20, 1961 in San Francisco and entered into rest on June 8, 2019 in Union City, at the age of 57.

Paul is preceded by father Gerald L. Pomeroy. Survived by his mother Barbara M. Pomeroy, sister Irene B. Pomeroy (Ron J. Kall), brother Peter L. Pomeroy, nieces Jacqueline Magalhaes, Stephanie Burke (Derek),

Amanda Eickmeyer (Hank), Cassandra Trejo (Vincent Jr.), and grand nieces and nephews: Cassara Tripp, Scottie Burns, Francesca Starnes, Rufina Burke, Leonard Burke, Junior Salas, Vincent and Victoria Trejo. Service where already held.

Fremont Chapel of the Roses
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Obituary

Carol Yvonne Bishop

April 30, 1943 - June 10, 2019

Resident of Livermore

Carol Yvonne Bishop was born April 30, 1943 in Long Beach, CA and died June 10, 2019 at her home in Livermore, CA with her family at her side. Her parents were Elvie and Henrietta Henley from Monet, AK. both of whom preceded her as did her son Donnie McCullugh (age 2), her brothers Kenny Henley, Mark Henley and her sister Charlotte Harper.

Yvonne is survived by her husband Alan N. Bishop, her daughter Tracy McCullugh, her step daughters Melinda Roeben (husband Walter) and Jennifer Krause (husband Gregory), and let’s not forget her Chihuahua Daisy who was her protector to the end. She is also survived by six grandchildren, Dustin Spence, Tyler Spence (wife Tania), Macie Roeben, Kaylee Roeben, Hannah Krause, Natalie Krause and two

great grandchildren Tyler Spence and Jon Spence. Her surviving siblings include her sisters Gloria Wood (husband Larry), Terry Moon (husband Bruce), Barbara Henley, Kathy Jakobson (husband Gregg), and her brothers Jimmy and Allen (wife Trudy) Henley.

Yvonne’s career included working for a carpet company in Southern California, and secretary in the regional Safeway Produce Buying Department in Walnut Creek, CA. She ended her career as a Real Estate Broker working for her and her husband’s company, Century 21 Mission Bishop in Fremont, CA where she led the Nationwide Relocation Department.

Yvonne will be missed. She was a classy lady, loved people, and loved to host many backyard BBQ’s. She was a devoted Christian who had an unfailing Faith in her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. She did not fear death and was ready for the next chapter in her eternal life.

A Celebration of Life service will be held on Friday, June 21st, 2019 at 12:00 at Bay Area Baptist Church at 2929 Peralta Blvd in Fremont, CA. If you choose to send contributions they can be sent to Bay Area Baptist Church or Muttville, a dog adoption service at 255 Alabama St, San Francisco, CA 94103 where Daisy was adopted.

Fremont Chapel of the Roses
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Obituary

Mark Edward Dutra

May 29, 1952 - May 6, 2019

Resident of Clearlake, CA

Mark passed away peacefully in Napa, CA with his brother, Matthew, his sister, Carol, and a ceramic walrus by his side. He was born at Hayward Hospital and spent the majority of his life in Union City. He was preceded in death by his parents, Anthony Edward Dutra and Roselyn Medeiros Dutra. He is survived by his siblings, Carol Dutra-Vernaci and Matthew Dutra, and their spouses. He also leaves behind many nieces, nephews, god children and his two cats, Kitty and Kat. Mark was a proud graduate of James Logan High School, Class of 1970 and went on to earn a B.A.degree in Psychology. He ran his own income tax practice for over 45 years. He enjoyed attending all Logan events for many years. Mark was an avid photographer and enjoyed taking pictures of friends, family, sporting events,

and concerts. He traveled the world in search of the best location to photograph eclipses. His last eclipse, Oregon in 2017, was where he started making plans to see the eclipse in Chile in 2024. His final adventure was last year traveling with his siblings to the Azores, the islands of their grandparents and great grandparents. Mark’s wish was to have his final resting place be

with his Grandpa Dutra. A celebration of life will take place on Saturday, June 22nd, at 11:30am at Our Lady of the Rosary Church 703 C Street Union City, CA. Internment to follow at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward with Grandpa Dutra. Reception following at Holly Community Center 31600 Alvarado Blvd, Union City. Per Mark’s style, attire should be Hawaiian or Tank Top (T shirt), shorts, and flip flops or very casual.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Mark’s favorite charity: The Marine Mammal Center 2000 Bunker Rd. Fort Cronkhite Sausalito, CA 94965-2619. On the memo line write Mark E. Dutra or go online.

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Obituary

Cirila N. Ubaldo

July 5, 1935 – June 9, 2019

Resident of El Dorado Hills

Cirila "Lillie" N. Ubaldo, age 83, passed away peacefully on Sunday, June 9, 2019 at home in El Dorado Hills, Ca. She was born on July 5, 1935 in Caniogan, Rizal, Phillipines to Engracio and Carmen Nolasco. She was a 1954 graduate of Morong High School and later earned a degree in Accounting from College of Commerce and Far Eastern University. She married Jaime Ubaldo and had one son Allan. She began her career as an accountant at Bank of America and joined BART where she worked until she retired at 70 years old. The majority of her life was spent living in Fremont, Ca. She enjoyed traveling, walking, gardening, going to church and spending time with her family. Some of her favorite times out and about were to watch her grandson's play basketball, meeting her friends at the casinos and watching sports, especially her Golden State Warriors. She is survived by her son Allan, daughter in law Heather, grandchildren, Miles, Owen and Alec, sisters Susan Nolasco Alonzo and Severina Nolasco Santiago as well as many numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives, classmates and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Jaime, sibilings, Fidela Nolasco Mendiola, Ambrosio Nolasco and Leticia Nolasco Condez. Cirila will be



remembered as shining and bright light to all that have come to know her. She was a devoted wife, loyal sister, loving mother, joyful grandmother and generous friend.

Family and friends who would like to celebrate her life are invited to Fremont Memorial Chapel 3723 Peralta Blvd, Fremont, Ca. Viewings will be held on Sunday, June 16, 2019 5-9 pm and Monday, June 17, 2019 5-9 pm, with a vigil service at 6:30 pm. Funeral Mass will be on Tuesday, June 18, 2019 at 10:00 am St. Anne's Catholic Church in Union City, Ca. Interment to follow at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward, Ca.

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Free Recycled Water

SUBMITTED BY ALICE KIM

Starting June 6, San Leandro residents and businesses can get almost unlimited amounts of free, non-potable recycled water every day from H2O Works, the city-owned wastewater treatment plant. A ribbon cutting event will take place on Tuesday, June 18 at the facility with Mayor Pauline Russo Cutter and members of the city council. Residents are invited to this event to learn more about the program.

"The drought may be over for now, but it's a good habit to conserve our drinking water for inside the home and office use," said Justin Jenson, manager of H2O Works.

In the summer months, H2O Works produces about 1.1 million gallons of recycled water per day, primarily used to water golf courses. Through this program, it expects to provide about 20,000 gallons per day to residents and business. The recycled water station will be open to the public on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Recycled water receives extensive treatment and is rigorously tested to meet strict requirements. It can be used for ornamental landscaping and for vegetables, fruits and herbs (rinse

them with drinking water before eating). It should not be used for drinking water, cooking, or washing dishes, or in any way that it might come into contact with people, such as wading pools, squirt guns and dog washing.

To receive the water, residents and businesses will need to submit an application, available at www.sanleandro.org/depts/pw/wp cp. Participants must review a short presentation about proper use of recycled water and submit their application before or during their first visit to the facility. After receiving an ID card, customers can come for water during station hours. Customers will need to bring their own containers, with a minimum of 1 gallon and a maximum of 275 gallons. There's no limit to the number of times customers can receive water. For more information, call the Public Works Service Department at (510) 577-3440.

Recycled Water Station
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Tuesday, Jun 18
1 p.m.

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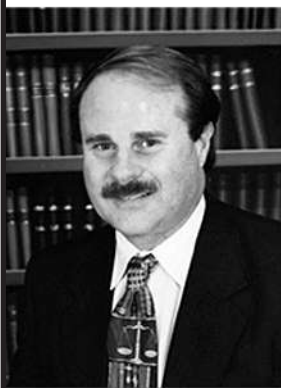
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Newark Planning Commission Vacancy

The Newark City Council declared a vacancy on the Newark Planning Commission at their May 23, 2019, City Council meeting.

The Planning Commission reviews and takes action on certain planning applications and makes recommendations to the City Council on land use issues. The Planning Commission meets on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month. Planning Commission meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. in the City Administration Building, 37101 Newark Boulevard, 6th Floor, Newark.

Persons interested in serving on the Planning Commission are invited to apply. Applicants must be a current resident and registered voter of the City of Newark. Application forms are available

on the City website www.newark.org/departments/commissions-committees, in the Office of the City Clerk located at 37101 Newark Boulevard, 5th Floor, via email city.clerk@newark.org, or by calling (510) 578-4266. Applications must be received in the City Clerk's office by 4 p.m. on Thursday, June 6, 2019.

The person appointed to the Planning Commission will be required to file a Form 700, Statement of Economic Interest with the City Clerk within 30 days of their appointment and complete two hours of ethics training within one year of their appointment.

SHEILA HARRINGTON
 City Clerk
 Dated: May 24, 2019

SOCIAL SECURITY COLUMN

Connect with Social Security on social media

BY LINDA ZAMFINO
 SOCIAL SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE

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Regulate plastic straws and single-use disposable food service ware

SUBMITTED BY
 LAUREN SUGAYAN

The Union City City Council provided direction to staff at the May 28 meeting to prepare and implement a local ordinance regulating plastic straws and other single-use disposable food service ware. Before adoption of the ordinance, the city will visit 200 restaurants in Union City to discuss the proposed ordinance and how to best meet the needs of disabled customers. The proposed ordinance will:

Prohibit restaurants and food vendors from providing single-use plastic straws. Compostable straws will be provided when customers request a straw.

Require restaurants to provide disposable food ware accessories only when the customer specifically requests these items.

Examples of accessories are single-use utensils, napkins, cup lids, condiment packages, and portion cups. Many restaurants already practice this provision by providing service counters with food-ware. Customers select the food-ware items needed. Drive-in restaurants would be exempt from providing food-ware accessories upon request.

Plastic straws do not biodegrade in the environment and create a maintenance problem in Union City drains. Littered micro-plastics persist in the environment causing harm to human and wildlife health. City staff presented information to the council last fall regarding a new state law that prohibits full-service (dine-in) restaurants from providing single-use plastic straws to customers unless requested by the customer. At that time, the

council agreed that the city should go beyond the State's "straws upon request" law and consider a city ordinance with additional requirements regulating single-use plastics and expanding on the types of food vendors that must comply.

Staff will come back to the council and propose the amendment to the Food Ware Ordinance on Tuesday, September 24. If the council adopts the ordinance, the effective date would be January 1, 2020, which would include the execution of a comprehensive outreach plan and enforcement starting July 1, 2020. Enforcement against restaurants will be complaint based. The intent of the ordinance is to work with restaurants to provide compostable straws to customers and food-ware accessories upon request.

Innovation keeps Too Good Gourmet tasting sweet



Too Good Gourmet Founder Jennifer Finley

ARTICLE AND PHOTOS BY
DAVID R. NEWMAN

It’s all about the cookies at Too Good Gourmet Inc. in San Lorenzo. Nine tons of cookies per day, to be exact, when this small bakery and production plant is running at peak capacity. And with over 50 recipes, there’s something for everyone, from classic crunchy chocolate chips to moist cake batter bites, to light, powdery tea cookies, to chocolate-enrobed caramel cookies.

“Who doesn’t love cookies?” quips Jennifer Finley, who founded the company with her mom, Amie Watson, back in 1998. With no experience in the food industry, the two set out to create something “one better than the animal cracker.” They noticed a lack of creativity when it came to holiday-wrapped gourmet cookies, so they designed and hand crafted some ultra-cute boxes to house their goodies – a cottage, school bus, fire truck, watering can, etc.

“When we started, it was all about the box,” says Finley. Their products were a hit, selling in specialty stores nationwide. The mother-daughter team worked well together, not just because they were family, but because they each brought different skills to the table. Watson focused on the production, while Finley, with her marketing background, used her networking and business skills to

help secure clients. Combined with customer support, it was a win-win-win.

They decided on cookies early on because it’s such a consumable product, unlike jams or other specialty products that take a while to use. This meant people coming back for more, more often. They researched extensively to come up with the right recipes, and found a co-packer to make their product. As production ramped up, they hired designers to help with the packaging, and began to focus on the holidays. Too Good Gourmet quickly became a seasonal phenomenon.

In 2004, they had outgrown their co-packer, so decided to open their own bakery. They took out a \$1 million loan, bought some industrial baking equipment, and moved into the 50,000-square-foot facility on Grant Avenue, where they have been ever since. While they’re not as large as companies like Nabisco or Pepperidge Farm, their output is still significant, while still being flexible enough to handle a lot of custom orders.

Today, Too Good Gourmet is a multimillion-dollar business, with 95 percent of sales going to

retailers like Safeway, CVS, Kroger, and Costco. Holidays are still their biggest draw, and with Easter sales over, they are already gearing up for the winter holidays – Halloween, Thanksgiving, and Christmas. During this time their staff swells, from about 50 to 150.

Finley has seen a lot of market changes over the years and has had to adapt, learning some hard lessons along the way. In 2010, when the economy tanked, fewer people were buying gifts, and specialty gift shops began to close. Says Finley, “There was a major shift in how people buy products, so we had to respond by making more, just regular cookies that you buy to eat yourself, as opposed to giving as a gift.” And recently they have had a lot of success with their “shelf-stable soft” products, cookies that keep that home-baked feel and taste longer.

Their constant innovation is certainly one of the keys to their success. They are always looking to put a spin on a classic recipe, whether it’s adding caramel to a chocolate chip cookie, or enrobing it in chocolate or sugar icing. Today, many of their ideas

come from customers, who keep them informed about current trends. And they have expanded their product line to include items like candy, hot chocolate, and pretzels (which they buy from someone else).

Says Finley, “It’s a lot harder to run a business than you would think. There are challenges around every corner. Just when you think you’ve mastered it, there is a new set of circumstances and you need to respond in a different way.” As an example, Too Good Gourmet was impacted by China’s recent decision to raise tariffs on exported goods – much of their packaging comes from China.

Through it all, Finley has learned to focus on what she does well, and to have the courage to say no to opportunities that may be distractions. She misses her mom, who retired 12 years ago. Says Finley, “It really helps, when starting a business, to not be alone. To be able to collaborate with someone.”

Now Finley runs it all, with support from her family. She has a 16-year-old daughter and a 1 ½-year-old son. While her work schedule and travel are challenging, she wouldn’t have it any other way. “And it doesn’t hurt that it’s cookies,” Finley adds with a smile.



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Fremont Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
GENEVA BOSQUES,
FREMONT PD

Thursday, June 6

• Two auto burglaries were reported on the 4100 Block of Cushing Parkway.

Friday, June 7

• A laptop computer was reported snatched by an unknown male from a customer inside a Starbucks coffee shop on Auto Mall Parkway.

• Officers were dispatched to the Target store at the Fremont Hub shopping center on a report of two people stealing game controllers. When the two people exited the back door, they were detained by store employees and Officer Madsen. Additional officers located a vehicle in the parking lot associated with the two suspects that was occupied by two other people. Officer Dubowy arrested a 23-year-old man on suspicion of petty theft.

Saturday, June 8

• Officers responded to a 911 call about a security guard being hit with a stick at the Fremont Hub shopping center. Officer La Strape located the suspect who fled on foot; a perimeter was set up and Officer Kennedy used his K9 to track the suspect, but he was

not found. An investigation is continuing.

• An auto burglary was reported outside a business on the 2000 Block of Warm Springs Court. The suspect fled on foot as officers arrived and was not found.

• Officers were dispatched to a Starbucks coffee shop on Mowry Avenue on a report of a man entering the store and grabbing a customer’s Mac Book and running away. The man was described as white, in his 20s with a thin build and wearing a red-hooded sweatshirt and blue jeans. He fled in a brown Toyota Camry. The case is being investigated by Officer Blanchet.

Saturday, June 9

• Officers responded to reports of a transient male swinging a machete while walking through the parking lot in the 5100 block of Mowry Avenue. Officers found the 33-year-old parolee and arrested him. A records check showed the man had a parole violation warrant and was on court probation for brandishing a weapon and burglary. He also faces charges possessing a dangerous drug and drug paraphernalia. He was booked at Santa Rita Jail.

Tuesday, June 11

• A window smash auto burglary was reported in the Walmart parking lot on Osgood Road. No suspects were immediately located.

Wednesday, June 12

• Officers responded to multiple reports about an oddly dressed man acting strangely around Mattos Elementary School on Farwell Drive. Officers located a 40-year-old man wearing a bathrobe and arrested him on suspicion of possessing a controlled substance.

• Two officers responded to a report about a possibly intoxicated man trying to fight patrons at Coach’s Bar on Fremont Boulevard in the Irvington district. The 41-year-old man was uncooperative with officers and was handcuffed and taken to a hospital for a medical evaluation. While at the hospital he became agitated and had to be restrained by six officers. A records check showed he was on post release community supervision for violation of a controlled substance for sale order. He was booked at Santa Rita Jail on suspicion of public intoxication, resisting arrest and assault on a peace officer.

• Officers Huey and Davis and Field Training Officer Soper responded to a report of a vehicle collision at Peralta and Fremont Boulevards. A 26-year-old man was contacted at the scene and apparently had been driving westbound on Peralta, and then made a turn and struck a parked vehicle. The man was arrested on suspicion of driving while under the influence.

Investigation continues in deadly police shooting

SUBMITTED BY
SAN LEANDRO PD

Detectives from the San Leandro Police Department (SLPD), along with the Alameda County District Attorney’s Office are investigating an officer-involved shooting that left a 56-year-old man dead on Tuesday, June 11.

The incident started at 4:05 p.m. when San Leandro police received a 911 call from a resident in the 1900 block of North Blvd. The caller told police dispatchers that a man was wielding a machete in the middle of the street. The caller told police the man was his neighbor and gave them his name. At one point, he said the man had also dropped his pants and exposed himself to small children in the neighborhood.

The caller also told police that the man said he would “kill the police” if they were called and that he would not go down without a fight. Arriving on the scene at 4:11 p.m. officers saw the man standing in the street, shirtless and still holding a machete. The man refused orders by police to drop the machete and began to walk toward a house in the 600 block of Martin Blvd.

The man eventually discarded the machete by throwing it into the air several feet away, and it

landed in the front yard of a nearby home. Next, he walked to the front porch of a home and stood there facing the officers.

Officers spotted an older woman sitting on the porch a short distance away from the man and told her get off the porch while they continued negotiate with the man. Officers discussed a plan to get closer to the house, which included less-lethal intervention measures.

As the team of officers began to approach the house, they could not see the man’s hands or if there were any hidden weapons accessible to him. Officers tried for about six minutes to negotiate with the man; but he did not comply.

Officers began to approach the sidewalk of the home. Suddenly, the man stood up and raised what officers believed to be a gun in his hand and pointed it directly at the officers. The man had a bladed stance and simultaneously shouted a challenging comment that included profanity.

At 4:17 p.m. one officer, a nine-year SLPD veteran, fired one shot at the man, striking him in the upper body. The man immediately dropped the object he was holding and fell to the porch. Officers approached and immediately began life-saving measures; however, the man was later pronounced dead at the

scene by paramedics.

Officers recovered the item the man was holding and determined it to be a piece of wood that was similar in size and color of a firearm, however, no firearm was found.

Per SLPD policy, officers involved in the incident were removed from the scene and replaced by detectives and other uninvolved personnel. Investigators from the Alameda County District Attorney’s Office also arrived on scene and will work with SLPD in conducting three separate and independent investigations into the incident.

“This is a tragic event for everyone,” said San Leandro Police Lieutenant Isaac Benabou.

“Our officers never want to be placed in a situation such as this and go to extreme measures to achieve a peaceful outcome. Deadly force is only exercised by an officer in the most extreme circumstances, to protect the officer or others from what the officer reasonably believes would be an imminent threat of death or serious bodily injury.”

Police said they are confident they know the dead man’s identity, but they will not release his name until the Alameda County Coroner’s Office can confirm his identity.

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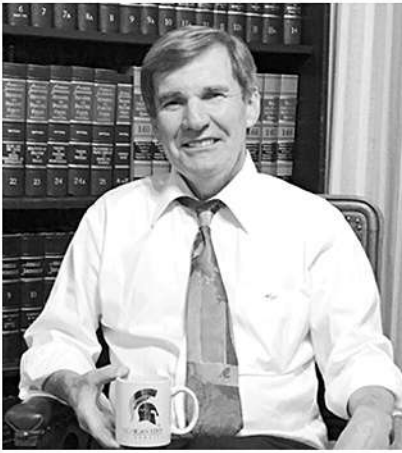
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BART Police Log

SUBMITTED BY LES MENSINGER

Friday, Jun 7

• At 8:20 a.m. a man identified by police as Chyance Anderson, 31, of Oakland was arrested on a \$30,000 warrant at the San Leandro station. He was booked at the San Francisco County Jail.

Tuesday, Jun 11

• At 11:27 a.m. a man identified by police as Jaime Reyes, 26, of Hayward was arrested at the South Hayward station on an outstanding \$40,000 warrant. He was booked into Santa Rita Jail.

Hayward Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
HAYWARD PD

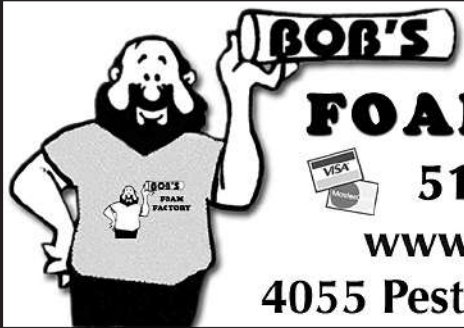
Tuesday, June 11

• At about 1:30 p.m. officers joined the Hayward Fire Department in responding to a report of a vegetation fire behind the Casper’s Hotdog eatery on Foothill Boulevard. A citizen alerted officers to a male loitering nearby who had intentionally started the blaze. The male was

arrested on suspicion of arson. The blaze was quickly extinguished leaving two acres of grassland burned. There were no injuries.

Wednesday, June 12

• Officers were canvassing Tennyson Park for witnesses to an assault that occurred there earlier in the day when a witness pointed out a potential suspect. When officers tried to contact the man, he fled on foot. An evening search of the Tennyson Road corridor between Ruus Road and Huntwood Avenue was done, but the man was not found



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TESLA KATO – 47400 Kato Road – PLN2018-00212 – To consider a Modification of Zoning Standards to amend the allowed uses related to a previously approved Floor Area Ratio Increase and to allow a new Parking Reduction for an existing building located in the Bayside Industrial Community Plan Area, and to consider a categorical exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per CEQA Guidelines Section 15301, Existing Facilities. Project Planner – James Willis, (510) 494-4449, jwillis@fremont.gov

ARDENWOOD IV/I OFFICE PARK – 7650 Dumbarton Circle – PLN2018-00232 – To consider a Discretionary Design Review Permit to allow construction of four Class A office buildings totaling approximately 802,340 square feet, including two five-story office buildings and two six-story office buildings, in addition to two five-level parking structures and additional surface parking on four vacant parcels on Campus Court totaling 25 acres in the Ardenwood Technology Park, and to consider a finding that no further environmental review is required pursuant to CEQA. Guidelines Section 15183 as the project is consistent with the intensity of development established by the Ardenwood Technology Park Planned District Amendment for which a Final Environmental Impact Report (SCH#2015052052) was previously prepared and certified. Project Planner – Joel Pullen, (510) 494-4436, jpullen@fremont.gov

* NOTICE *

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KRISTIE WHEELER
ZONING ADMINISTRATOR



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BULK SALES

NOTICE TO CREDITOR'S OF BULK SALE AND
OF INTENTION TO TRANSFER ALCOHOLIC
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ESCROW # 0126013345-PC

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bulk sale of assets and a transfer of alcoholic beverage license is about to be made. The name(s) and business address(es) of the seller(s) is/are Waili Inc. 34348 Alvarado Niles Road, Union City, CA 94587

Doing Business as: New Mayflower
All other business name(s) and address (es) used by the seller(s) within the past three years, as stated by the seller(s), is/are: (if none, so state) NONE
The location in California of the chief executive officer of the seller is: SAME
The name(s) and business address of the buyer(s) is/are: Meiyou Feng and Thanh Chi Lam 34348 Alvarado Niles Road, Union City, CA 94587
The assets being sold are generally described as: furniture, fixtures, equipment, inventory and liquor license and are located at: 34348 Alvarado Niles Road, Union City, CA 94587
The kind of license to be transferred is: 41 – On-Sale Beer and Wine – Eating Place #596277
Now issued for the premises located at: 34348 Alvarado Niles Road, Union City, CA 94587
The anticipated date of the bulk sale / transfer is July 5, 2019 and upon approval by Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control at the office of OLD REPUBLIC TITLE COMPANY located at 1000 Burnett Avenue, Suite 400, Concord, CA 94520 or E-Fax to 925-265-9040.

The amount of the purchase price or consideration in connection with the transfer of the license and business including estimated inventory is \$12,000.00.

It has been agreed between the Seller/Licensee and the intended Buyer/Transferee, as required by Sec 24703 of the Business and Professions Code that the consideration for the transfer of the business and license is to be paid only after the transfer has been approved by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control.

Dated: 6/4/2019
Buyer(s):
/s/ Meiyou Feng
/s/ Thanh Chi Lam
6/18/19

CNS-3262420#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
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NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559429
TS Engineering, 45383 Industrial Place, Suite #15, Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Douang Dokkham, 832 California Ave., Modesto, CA 95351

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/ Douang Dokkham

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 21, 2019.

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). 6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9/19

CNS-3265068#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559444-5
1. The Essence of It Beauty Supply and Salon, 2. The Essence of It... 5409 Central Ave., Ste. 14, Newark, CA 94560, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Tracey Perry, 2044 Hancock Dr., Fremont, CA 94538

Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 1) 2014, 2) 1999
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/ Tracey Perry

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559543
FBC Fitness, 3100 Capitol Ave., Suite H, Fremont, CA 94538, County of Alameda
Mailing Address: 37811 Fremont Blvd., Apt. #41, Fremont, CA 94536

Registrant(s):
Olga Chiriac, 37811 Fremont Blvd., Apt. #41, Fremont, CA 94536
Andrei Chiriac, 37811 Fremont Blvd., Apt. #41, Fremont, CA 94536
Business conducted by: Married Couple
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on Married Couple

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/ Olga Chiriac, Owner

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 23, 2019.

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). 6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9/19

CNS-3264062#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559522
Haller's Medical Supply, 4067 Peralta Blvd., Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda
Registrant(s):
Haller's Pharmacy and Medical Supply, Inc., 37323 Fremont Blvd., Fremont, CA 94536; CA

Business conducted by: a Corporation
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 02/01/2019

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/ Jasmine Basrai, President

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 23, 2019.

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). 6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9/19

CNS-3264057#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559074
Baljit K. Dhanjal dba Mission Valley Driving School, 2450 Peralta Blvd., Suite 117, Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Baljit K. Dhanjal, 699 W. Montecito Ave., Mountain House, CA 95391

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/ Baljit K. Dhanjal, Owner

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 13, 2019.

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CNS-3262613#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559523
Original Grooming, 3090 Warm Springs Ct. #164, Fremont, CA 94539, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Kumar Rane, 385 Woodcreek Terr, Fremont, CA 94539

Nicole Mendoza, 385 Woodcreek Terr, Fremont, CA 94539
Business conducted by: co-partners
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/ Kumar Rane Partner

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 23, 2019.

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CNS-3262341#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559890-91
1. RLBOOK Detailing, 2. Q Auto Glass, 1998 Osage Avenue, Hayward, CA 94545, County of Alameda

Mailing Address: 4125 Darwin Drive, Fremont, CA 94555

Registrant(s):
Kenneth Lorica, 4125 Darwin Drive, 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/ Kenneth Lorica, Owner

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 4, 2019.

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CNS-3262193#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 560104
Mustache Mike's 925, 7778 Tuscany Dr., Dublin, CA 94568, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Jordan Rojo/ the Rojo Family Trust dated 12/2/13, 7778 Tuscany Dr., Dublin, CA 94508

Business conducted by: A Trust
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 10/4/11

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/ Jordan Rojo, Owner/Trustee

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on June 10, 2019.

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CNS-3262189#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559723
Ramen Arashi, 46691 Mission Blvd, Fremont, CA 94539, County of Alameda

Mailing Address: 41276 Mahoney St, Fremont, CA 94538

Registrant(s):
J.O. LJF Inc., 41276 Mahoney St, Fremont, CA 94538; 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/ Jieun Jung, President

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 29, 2019.

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CNS-3262185#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559277
Uptown Family Hair Salon, 38487 Fremont Blvd., #231, Fremont, CA 94534, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Fatma Meky, 38069 Camden St., CA 94536, Fremont, CA 94536

Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 1989

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/ Fatma Meky, Owner

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 17, 2019.

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CNS-3262184#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559688
A&A Cleaning, Paint and Repair, 37173 Creekside Ter, Apt #142, Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Araceli Hernandez, 37173 Creekside Ter, Apt. #142, Fremont, CA 94536

Business conducted by: an individual
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 5-28-19

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/ Araceli Hernandez

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 28, 2019.

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CNS-3261230#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559702
Dani G Photography, 37679 Niles Blvd., Fremont, CA 94536, County of Alameda

Mailing address: 32480 Lake Temescal Lane, Fremont, CA 94555

Registrant(s):
Danielle Ghiringhelli, 32480 Lake Temescal Lane, 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/ Danielle Ghiringhelli

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 29, 2019.

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CNS-3259869#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559565
National Machining & Engineering, 42285 Osgood Road, Unit C, Fremont, CA 94539, County of Alameda

Registrant(s):
Pat Chan, 4911 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont, CA 94555

Foune Yuen Chan, 4911 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont, CA 94555
Business conducted by: married couple
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 4-1-1994

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

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on May 23, 2019.

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CNS-3259406#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):
File No. 559515
Mission Valley Educational Center, 45

PUBLIC NOTICES

and women owned business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, marital status, sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, age, sexual orientation, including a perception that the person has any of those characteristics or that the person is associated with a person who has, or is perceived to have, any of those characteristics in consideration for an award. Pursuant to Section of 1773 of the Labor Code, the general prevailing rate of wages in the county in which the work is to be done has been determined by the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations of the State of California. These wages are set forth in the General Prevailing Wage Rates for this project. The Contractor and all subcontractors shall pay all their employees performing labor under this Contract salaries or wages at least equal to the general prevailing wage rates for the particular crafts, classifications or types of workers employed on this project. These wage rates appear in the latest Department of Industrial Relations publication. Future effective wage rates which have been predetermined and are on file with the Department of Industrial Relations are referenced but not printed in said publication, and are available on the internet at www.dir.ca.gov. Dated: June 8, 2019 SHEILA HARRINGTON, City Clerk City of Newark, Alameda County, California Publish Dates: Tuesday, June 11, 2019 Tuesday, June 18, 2019 6/11, 6/18/19

CNS-3262296#

PROBATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF LASZLO T. SEBIAN CASE NO. RP19015811

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Laszlo T. Sebian A Petition for Probate has been filed by Eric L. Sebian in the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda. The Petition for Probate requests that Eric L. Sebian be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The Petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. 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 July 2, 2019 at 9:31 a.m. in Dept. 201 located at 2120 Martin Luther King, Jr. Way, Berkeley, CA 94704. If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. Attorney for Petitioner: Eric G. Dzubur, 21550 Foothill Blvd., #3, Hayward, CA 94541, Telephone: (510) 582-2588 6/11, 6/18, 6/25/19

CNS-3262687#

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF DORIS M. CANDELARIO AKA DORIS CANDELARIO CASE NO. RP19021692

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Doris M. Candelario aka Doris Candelario A Petition for Probate has been filed by Peter D. Ortoljo in the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda. The Petition for Probate requests that Peter D. Ortoljo be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The Petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. 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 7/17/2019 at 9:31 AM 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. Attorney for Petitioner: Srinoi G. Rousseau #112017, Law Office of Srinoi G. Rousseau, 1001 Marina Village Pkwy., Ste. 400, Alameda, CA 94501-6401, Telephone: (510) 523-7279 6/11, 6/18, 6/25/19

CNS-3262180#

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JIE ZHANG CASE NO. RP19021388

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Jie Zhang A Petition for Probate has been filed by Emily Yang Bauer in the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda. The Petition for Probate requests that Emily Yang Bauer be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The Petition requests the decedent's will

and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. 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 07/16/19 at 9:31 a.m. 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. Attorney for Petitioner: Elizabeth P. Fung, Law Offices of Cindy Lee, 5429B Geary Blvd., San Francisco, CA 94121, Telephone: 415-885-5800 X 3 6/11, 6/18, 6/25/19

CNS-3262165#

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF Estate of Thomas R. Teeters CASE NO. RP19020393

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Estate of Thomas R. Teeters A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Darek Teeters in the Superior Court

of California, County of ALAMEDA. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Darek Teeters 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 full 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 on 07/02/2019 at 9:31 a.m. in Dept. 201 located at 2120 Martin Luther King Jr Way Berkeley, CA 94704 Main. 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 formal Request for Special Notice (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: Kyla J. Hale, Esq. (324434) BOLD, POLISNER, MADDOX NELSON & JUDSON 2125 Oak Grove Road, Suite 210 Walnut Creek, CA 94598 Telephone: (925) 933-7777 6/11, 6/18, 6/25/19

CNS-3261177#

Newark City Council

June 13, 2019

Presentations and Proclamations:

- Introduce Administrative Support Specialist II Melanie Cabeceira
- Proclaim June as Elder Abuse Awareness Month. Members of Alameda County Adult Protective Services Agency and District Attorney's office accepted the proclamation.
- Commend Lieutenants

David and Sharon Kim of the Salvation Army Tri-Cities Corps who will transfer to divisional headquarters in San Francisco on June 24, 2019.

- Presentation by the Farmers and Farmerettes Square Dance Club. Three organizations – Meals on Wheels, Newark K-9 Police, Graffiti Abatement – each received \$1,200.

Public Hearings:

- Adopt Master Fee Schedule for Fiscal Year 2019-2020.

Consent Calendar:

- Approve sign permit for Cedar Neighborhood Church for a 13-foot-tall cross at 38325 Cedar Boulevard.

- Authorize parking lease agreement with Portuguese Fraternal Society of America Council 16 for 100 parking spaces at Newark Pavilion during construction of the new Civic Center for \$3 per day per parking space Monday through Friday.

- Authorize a lease agreement with Child, Family and Community Services, Inc. for use of Jerry Raber Newark Ash Street Park Building #2 for Head Start Preschool Program.

- Authorize amendment to lease agreement with County of Alameda for janitorial and pest control services at Newark Library.

- Authorize extension of additional Sunday hours of library services.

- Adopt program for managing Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) during demolition.

Non-Consent:

- Initiate proceedings for levy and collection of assessments for Landscaping and Lighting District Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 10, 11, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 for Fiscal Year 2019-2020.

- Select final name for dog park from city-wide contest. Names to consider include: Newark Central Bark; Newark Canine Commons; Newark Community Dog Park; The Ruff

Patch; NewBark Dog Park.

Following a spirited, light-hearted discussion, NewBark Dog Park was selected.

City Council Matters:

- Consider and approve city council recess during the month of August 2019.

Oral Communications:

- None

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



Introduce Administrative Support Specialist II Melanie Cabeceira



Newark Police Officer Patrick Smith and K-9 Tio (on his first shift of duty) personally thank Farmers and Farmerettes for their support.



Farmers and Farmerettes Square Dance Club present checks for Meals on Wheels, Newark



Proclaim June as Elder Abuse Awareness Month. Stephanie Morsilli of Alameda County Adult Protective Services Agency (right) and Cheryl Poncini of the District Attorney's office (speaking) accepted the proclamation from Mayor Nagy



Lieutenants David and Sharon Kim (and family) of the Salvation Army Tri-Cities Corps accepted a commendation and thanks from City of Newark for their service.

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Eden Community Connections Circle of Friends Come join with other mental health clients looking for mutual support and fun. We meet every Wed. 1:30-3pm at various locations in San Leandro and Hayward. Call Judy 510-605-8412 for information	Fremont FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER 24 agencies help Tri-City residents with employment, counseling, childcare subsidies, housing, legal, public benefits, health insurance, workshops & more. Mon-Fri 8-5. 39155 Liberty St, Fremont 510.574.2000 or Fremont.gov/FRC	Let’s Do Lunch! Volunteer for LIFE ElderCare Meals on Wheels Mon – Fri, 10:30-12:30 Choose your day(s) Call Tammy 510-574-2086 tduran@LifeElderCare.org www.LifeElderCare.org	10 lines/\$10/ 10 Weeks \$50/Year 510-494-1999 tricityvoice@aol.com Shout out to your community Our readers can post information including: Activities Announcements For sale Garage sales Group meetings Lost and found For the extremely low cost of \$10 for up to 10 weeks, your message will reach thousands of friends and neighbors every TUESDAY in the TCV printed version and continuously online. TCV has the right to reject any posting to the Community Bulletin Board. Payment must be received in advance. The “NO” List: • No commercial announcements, services or sales • No personal services (escort services, dating services, etc.) • No sale items over \$100 value • No automobile or real estate sales • No animal sales (non-profit humane organization adoptions accepted) • No P.O. boxes unless physical address is verified by TCV	
SPARKPOINT FINANCIAL SERVICES for Low-Income Residents FREE financial coaching & services. SparkPoint Info Session 3rd Thursday, 6-7pm City of Fremont Family Resource Center 39155 Liberty St, Rm #A120 To register, call 574-2020 Fremont.gov/SparkPointFRC		DISCOVERY COVE Drop-in Childcare Center Fremont Family Resource Center Open to the public M-F 8:30-5. Staffed by City of Fremont Rec Dept. Open to well children aged 2-10. \$8/hour per child. 39155 Liberty St, #H850, Fremont. Fremont.gov/FRC Reservations: 510.574.2010		
League of Women Voters Fremont-Newark-Union City www.lwvnuc.org Free meetings to inform the public about local, regional and statewide policy issues. Participate in non-partisan in-depth, discussions with guest speakers at our meetings. All sites are wheelchair accessible	Al-Anon & Alateen Family Groups are here to help you Are you troubled by someone else’s drinking? Al-Anon has but one purpose, to help families and friends of alcoholics. We share our experience, strength and hope Website: alanond17.weebly.com For a meeting list or Email: Easyduz@gmail.com or call: 510-276-2270	FREE AIRPLANE RIDES FOR KIDS AGES 8-17 Young Eagles Hayward Airport Various Saturdays www.vaa29.org Email for more information youngeagles29@aol.com		
Is Food a Problem For You? Try OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS Do you eat when you’re not hungry? Do you binge, purge or restrict? Is your weight affecting your life? No dues, no fees, no weigh-ins, no diets. All are Welcome www.oasaco.org or www.oa.org 510-449-7610	Is Your Life Unmanageable Because of Debt? Are you sick of bouncing checks, paying late fees, & having creditors knocking at your door? You are not alone DEBTORS ANONYMOUS www.debtorsanonymous.org Fri. 7pm St. James Episcopal Church 37051 Cabrillo Terrace Fremont 510-449-7610		FREE PRESCHOOL Fremont Unified School District offers FREE preschool for income-eligible families. The income limits have been raised recently and more families are qualifying. Children must be 3-5 years old and toilet trained. It's a 3-hour class, 5 days per week. Openings now and throughout the school year. For information: 510-659-2579 or preschool@fremont.k12.ca.us	
ABWA-Pathfinder Chap. American Business Women’s Assoc. provides opportunities for women personally & professionally thru leadership, education, networking Dinner Meetings: 3rd Wednesday each month. DoubleTree 39900 Balentine Dr, Newark (Fremont): 6:30-9:00 pm Call Harriet 510-793-7465 www.abwa-pathfinder.org	TRI-CITIES WOMEN'S CLUB Meets on the third Tuesday Elk’s Club on Farwell Drive 9:15 – Cards & Games 11:45 – Lunch 1:00 – Program & Meeting Group meeting monthly/bimonthly; marathon bridge, walking group, lunch bunch,rummikub group, pinochle group, bocce ball & book club. For more info, call 510-656-0162	Bay Area Guide Dog Puppy Raisers Looking For Volunteers Interested in giving back to their community Raise a puppy and change a life! We meet Thursday 7-8pm For more information Call Randy Hollenshead 510-331-4862	A-1 Comm. Housing SVCS Credit & Money Management Workshop Resolve your credit issues & be better money managers Every 2nd Saturdays 10am-2:30pm 22693 Hesperian Blvd. #150 Hayward, CA 94541 Please register www.a1chs.org or call 510-674-9227	FREMONT COIN CLUB Established 1971 Meets 2nd & 4th Tues 7pm At the Fremont Elks Lodge 38991 Farwell Dr., Fremont Guests Always Welcome, come join us www.fremontcoinclub.org 510-792-1511
		Do you get nervous when you have to speak in public? Newark Toastmasters can help Learn this skill and more in a supportive atmosphere It’s FREE to attend Tues 7am-8:10am Newark Library 6300 Civic Terrace Ave., Newark 510-796-3562 or 510-402-8318 www.1118.toastmastersclub.org		FREMONT STAMP CLUB Meets 2nd Thurs. each month 7pm Fremont Community Activities Center 3375 Country Dr., Fremont Collectors of all ages welcome www.fremontstampclub.org/ or call Tom 510-793-9124 write12me@gmail.com
English Conversation Cafe Practice your English & enjoy refreshments Small conversation groups with English tutors, Beg & Adv Students Free / Drop-ins welcome Tuesdays 7-8:30pm Bridges Community Church 505 Driscoll Road, Fremont 510-651-2030 / nateg@bridgescc.org	Sunday Sermon Translations South Bay Community Church welcomes our neighbors with written sermon translations in Chinese, Spanish and Urdu Message in written translation Sundays 8:00 am South Bay Community Church 47385 Warm Springs Boulevard Fremont, CA 94539 For information and to request another language : 510-490-9500	Afro-American Cultural & Historical Society Sharing our culture and history in the Tri-Cities and surrounding area Meetings: Third Saturday Except Dec, Feb, June, July 5:30pm Newark Library 510-793-8181 aachstricity.org Welcome!	Union City Toastmasters All are Welcome! Every1st & 3rd Monday from 7-9pm 904 H Street, Union City Practice your Speaking Skills & Lead with Confidence! For more information 5269.toastmastersclubs.org/ 510-386-7722	Fremont Cribbage Club Meets to play weekly, every Weds. We play a Cribbage Tournament starting at 6PM. at SHAKERS PIZZA at 4075 Thornton Ave., Fremont We welcome experienced players and will work with new players hoping to learn the game. Email:Accgr43@gmail.com For more information.
Become a volunteer driver with LIFE Eldercare Drive older adults to appts/errands Flexible weekday scheduling Call Valerie 510-894-0370 x2 vdraeseke@LifeElderCare.org www.LifeElderCare.org	Do you want to help build our Model Railroad Layouts & Operate Trains? The Tri-City Society of Model Engineers Looking for new members Meet Fridays - 7:30pm-9:30 pm Niles Plaza 37592 Niles Blvd., Fremont www.nilesdepot.org or call 510-325-2092	Free Health Coaching Session Weight loss, Blood Sugar Balance, Cognitive Health and Better Sleep. Work with a Coach for Better & Longer Lasting Results. www.missionvalleyhealthcoach.com jackie@missionvalleyhealthcoach.com 510-320-3956	Zumba with Jazzy Jenny! Monday nights 7:30pm-8:30pm at Hope Community Church 2190 Peralta Blvd., Fremont Cost is FREE but donations are appreciated. Men and Women 12 + Zumba is a fun filled dance workout with many rhythms from around the world	AMERICAN LEGION POST 837 Veterans and Active Duty Military are invited Meetings 3rd Tuesday each month - Except July and Dec. Social Time 6:30pm General Meeting 7:15pm VETERANS MEMORIAL BUILDING (NILES) 37154 2nd & E Strets Fremont www.POST837.org
F.U.N. (Fremont, Union City, Newark) PROGRESSIVES Join us for pizza and politics Bronco Billy’s Pizza 41200 Blacow Road Fremont Most meetings 6pm - third Sun of the month. For Info Visit our website: www.funprogressives.com Contact us at: funprogressives@gmail.com		The Tri-Cities Democratic Forum meets every 3rd Wednesday Chadni Restaurant- 5748 Mowry School Rd- in Newark. Resident of Fremont, Union City or Newark. Get involved in the political process, stay informed On local & national issues. Meet like-minded people. Contact President Sean Manalo sean.t.manalo@gmail.com		Newark Cub Scout Pack 441 Looking for adventurous kindergarteners to fifth graders to join our Pack! Meetings are every third Wednesday at 6:30pm at Holy Redeemer Church, 35660 Cedar Blvd, Newark. For more information: pack441cubmaster@yahoo.com
Make a new friend! Be a volunteer friendly visitor with LIFE ElderCare Spend time with a lonely older adult. You both will enjoy your weekly visits. Call Linda 510-894-0370 x3 lhoyne@LifeElderCare.org www.LifeElderCare.org	Vacaation Bible School “Roar” July 22 - 26 12:45pm family Safari on July 28 9:30am Hope Community Church 2190 Peralta Blvd., Fremont 510-739-0430 Register on line at www.hopefremont.church		Buon Tempo Italian American Club Family Dinners 1st Tuesday of Month at 7 P.M. at Transfiguration Church in Castro Valley Everyone is welcome: Members \$15/Guests \$20 5-Course dinner Reservations by prior Friday at 510-483-6929 www.buontempoclub.org	Do you like learning about history? Are you interested in antiques & collectibles? Meet 2nd Tuesday each month to share lunch and learn something new. Contact Fran at 510-792-0388 or June Swift (510) 797-5315 or email dieseln@comcast.net

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SUMMER ART CAMP AT THE SUN GALLERY! Sign up for 2 weeks before May 31 and receive a 3rd week FREE! 8 weeks of fun all summer long! Full weeks, half-weeks and drop-in days available, 1015 E St. Hayward CALL 510-581-4050 or visit www.SunGallery.org	LOVE to WRITE? WANT to WRITE? WRITER’S BLOCK? Fremont Area Writers (FAW) is here to HELP! Meets 4th Saturdays (except July & Dec) 2:00 to 4:00 P.M. 42 Silicon Valley, 6600 Dumbarton Cir, FRMT. Great speakers! “Second Saturday” Monthly Readings w/ a published author from 2:00 to 4:00 P.M. Half Price Books in the Fremont Hub. Open Mic 4th Mondays 7:00 to 9:00 P.M. at Suju’s on Thornton Ave next to Dale’s Hardware in FRMT. Critique Groups to help you from first draft to publication Everyone is welcome! www.cwc-fremontareawriters.org	GARAGE SALE SATURDAY - JUNE 29 AND SUNDAY - JUNE 30 9AM-3PM 2735 Bruce Drive Fremont, 94539	MEHS Band & Orchestra FLEA MARKET 4TH Saturday of the month (weather permitting) March through October \$20 Cash fee for Vendors Due the day of flea market Set up 6am - 7am - 3:30pm 2300 Panama St. Hayward officialmehsband@gmail.com
A-1 Comm. Housing SVCS 1st Time Home Buyers Certification Workshop Learn the process of shomeownership & What Down Payment Assistance Programs are available for dates & location, go to www.a1chs.org or call 510-674-9227	TCSME Model RR & Niles’ Deport Museum 8th Annual Open House FREE Family Fun HO & N Train layouts operating Sat. June 22 - 10am-5pm Sun. June 23 10am-4pm 37592 Niles Blvd. - Fremont http://www.nilesdepot.org Q: bobcz007@commcast.net	Public Community and Event Spaces Open to all ages Town Fair Plaza at the corner of Capitol Ave and Downtown Fremont CHECK US OUT AT: WWW.TOWNFAIRPLAZA.COM	

Wieckowski announces candidacy for Alameda County supervisor

SUBMITTED BY MATT LIEBMAN

California State Sen. Bob Wieckowski has announced that he will be running for Alameda County supervisor, District 1. The supervisorial seat was recently made open after the announcement that current Supervisor Scott Haggerty will not be running for re-election.

“For over 20 years, Haggerty has been a champion for our district and our county. It’s been an honor to work with Haggerty, and I congratulate him on a job well done and thank him for his dedication and service,” said Wieckowski.

“I want to continue on the supervisor’s work to create a more efficient transportation network to better connect people, housing, and jobs and invest in programs that will take on homelessness and serve children, youth, and families.”

In announcing his candidacy for the 1st Supervisorial District, Wieckowski received the early endorsement of California Lieutenant Governor Eleni Kounalakis. Commenting on her reasons for backing Wieckowski for supervisor,

Kounalakis said, “Wieckowski’s leadership on housing affordability and modernizing our transportation infrastructure is well-known throughout California. In the Senate, he has worked to reduce red-tape to empower homeowners to build ADU’s as a solution to our housing crisis. He’s also delivered the funding we need to build key projects that will reduce traffic congestion across the Bay Area. I’m endorsing Wieckowski because he has the experience in state and local government and the vision to ensure that Alameda County remains a place that works for everyone.”

The lieutenant governor joins a growing list of state and regional leaders endorsing the senator’s campaign, including Senate President Pro Tem Toni Atkins. He said, “Wieckowski is a proven leader in climate adaptation for California and has helped position our state to be a model for our nation and the world on the fight against climate change. His pioneering work on granny units and on income inequality will make him a great asset on the Alameda County Board of Supervisors.”

Input sought on Mulford-Marina Library

SUBMITTED BY ALICE KIM

The City of San Leandro invites residents to two community meetings on Tuesday, June 25 and Saturday, June 29 regarding the Mulford-Marina Library reconstruction. The San Leandro Public Library is in the early stages of developing the plans for the new Mulford-Marina branch library. Community meetings will include discussion on the library’s

building initiative and space design, and the public can share its thoughts and ideas.

An online survey is also available to provide input. Find the survey and participate at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MulfordMarinaSurvey>. A printed version is also available. For more information, contact Theresa Mallon, library director at (510) 577-3942 or email tmallon@sanleandro.org.

Mulford-Marina Library Community Meetings
Tuesday, Jun 25
6 p.m.
Saturday, Jun 29
12 noon
Mulford Marina Library
1305 Aurora Ave, San Leandro
(510) 577-3942
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MulfordMarinaSurvey>

Honor Roll

University of Iowa
Spring 2019 graduate

- Chermaine Hung, Fremont; MD-Medicine

University the Sciences, Pennsylvania
Spring 2019 graduate

- Priti Pednekar, Fremont, PhD, Health Policy

Clemson University, South Carolina
Spring 2019 Dean’s List

- Shelby M. Maloney, Newark

Georgia Institute Technology
Spring 2019 graduates

- Meghna Chatterjee, Fremont
- Rachel Chen, Fremont
- Jennifer Evans, Fremont
- Kevin Le, Fremont
- Kaniska Mandal, Fremont
- Sahibjit Ranu, Fremont

- Jun Shi, Fremont
- Allan Zhang, Fremont
- Hongshen Zhaoi, Milpitas

Azusa Pacific University, California
Spring 2019 graduates

- Austin Gee, Fremont
- Josiah Romero, Fremont
- John Breslow, Castro Valley
- Daniel Jean, Fremont
- Kirsten Harte, Milpitas
- Justine Brown, Castro Valley
- Conner Edstrom, Fremont
- Chelsey Marazita, Fremont

University San Diego
Spring 2019 graduates

- Chelsea Lyka Corpuz, Fremont
- Orhi Dinkha, Fremont
- Alicia Fernandez, Milpitas
- Eric Jiang, Fremont
- Celesta Loo, Milpitas

Police chief advisory panel named

SUBMITTED BY THE CITY OF HAYWARD

A dozen community members have been selected to fill seats on a new Advisory Panel to the Chief of Police in Hayward. The purpose of the panel is to improve trust and strengthen understanding between the Hayward Police Department and community members by creating a structure and venue for open and honest dialogue on police-community relations.

A product of the city’s Community Task Force, the idea for creating the panel was a

response to community concerns about the results of the 2016 presidential election and potential changes in immigration and civil rights policy.

Those selected to serve on the panel were chosen by Mayor Barbara Halliday, City Manager Kelly McAdoo and Police Chief Mark Koller from a pool of candidates recommended by the City Council and reflective of the city’s diverse makeup.

Panel members announced June 7:

- Toni Adams
- Stephen Carter

- Tiffany Chaplin
- Freddye Davis
- George Escutia
- Danish Farooq
- Brenda Gomez
- Andrew Gutierrez
- Georgette Munoz
- Zachariah Oquenda
- Sara Prada
- Shawan Worsley

Panel members are asked to attend regular quarterly meetings and commit additional time to create and carry out a program of community outreach.

California OKs health care for some adult immigrants

BY ADAM BEAM
ASSOCIATED PRESS

Some low-income adults in California living in the country illegally will soon get their health benefits paid for by taxpayers.

Democrats in the state Legislature on Sunday agreed to make adults between the ages of 19 and 25 eligible for the state’s Medicaid program. Not everyone will get those benefits, only people whose incomes are low enough to qualify for the program. State officials estimate the program will cover an additional 90,000 people at a cost of \$98 million.

“California believes that health is a fundamental right,” said state Sen. Holly Mitchell, a Los Angeles Democrat who led the budget negotiations.

The move continues to stake California’s position as a bulwark against the policies of Republican President Donald Trump. While the Trump administration has worked to weaken the health care law signed by former President Barack Obama, the budget agreement approved Sunday and expected to pass the state Legislature later this week would strengthen California’s commitment to the law known as the Affordable Care Act.

In addition to covering some adults living in the country illegally, California’s proposed \$213 billion budget would make the state the first in the country to help families earning as much as six times the federal poverty level pay for their monthly health insurance premiums. That means families of four earning \$150,000 a year would be eligible for help of about \$100 a month.

But to pay for part of it, the state will begin taxing people who don’t have health insurance. It’s a revival of the individual mandate penalty that had been law nationwide under Obama’s health care law until Republicans in Congress eliminated it as part of the 2017 overhaul to the tax code.

Republicans on the legislative committee negotiating the budget voted against the proposal, arguing it was not fair to give health benefits to people who are in the country illegally while taxing people who are here legally for not purchasing health insurance.

The budget agreement still must be approved by the full state Legislature. State law requires lawmakers to enact a budget by midnight on June 15. If they don’t,

lawmakers would lose their pay. Democratic Gov. Gavin Newsom has 12 days to act on the budget once lawmakers pass it. In a news release, Newsom said the budget initially approved by lawmakers on Sunday is balanced and “creates historic reserves” and said he looks forward “to continuing to work with the legislature.”

The health care proposals are a win for first-term Democratic Gov. Gavin Newsom, who proposed both of them. Several lawmakers in the Democratic-dominated state legislature wanted to go further by offering health coverage to all adults living in California illegally. But Newsom opposed that, noting it would cost \$3.4 billion.

Newsom did not get everything he wanted in the deal. Advocates say more than 1 million people in California don’t have access to safe drinking water. Newsom had proposed a 95-cent tax on most residential water bills as well as fees on dairies, animal farms and fertilizer sellers, to help water districts pay for improvements and boost supplies.

Lawmakers rejected the tax, arguing it was too burdensome in a year when the state is projected to have a \$21.5 billion surplus – the largest in at least 20 years.

Instead, lawmakers decided to use \$130 million in existing tax revenue to pay for the drinking water improvements. Most of that money – about \$100 million – would come from the state’s sale of carbon credits as part of its “cap and trade” program. The move means the state’s agricultural industry, whose pollution is often blamed for the drinking water problems, would have about \$100 million less than it normally gets from the program for various projects.

Newsom also wanted to spend an additional \$800 million to boost the annual tax refunds for low-income people who have at least one child under the age of 6. But to pay for it, he wanted to selectively adopt some of the changes to the federal tax code that Trump signed into law in 2017. The changes, which would mostly impact businesses, would have brought the state an extra \$1 billion.

But the legislature did not include the tax changes in its version of the budget proposal. Instead, lawmakers said they hope to reach a tax agreement outside of the budget process by July 1.

Alameda County Library going fine-free

SUBMITTED BY
ALICIA REYES

On July 1, Alameda County Library will eliminate all fines on library materials. The Alameda County Board of Supervisors voted on May 7 to approve the library's proposal to eliminate daily fines and all past overdue fines on library materials. By eliminating fines, the library is removing barriers and strengthening its commitment to equitable access for all.

Studies have shown that library fines create significant barriers to library access, especially for families on fixed incomes and among children and teens. Nearly 80,000 Alameda County Library cardholders have outstanding fines that prevent them from checking out materials; of these library cardholders, more than 20,000 are children and teens. The experience of other libraries that have eliminated fines has shown that library fines are not an effective tool in encouraging library members to return borrowed items on time.

Overdue library fines and fees account for less than two percent of the library's revenue. Library members will still be expected to return library materials on time and will be billed for lost or damaged items. Visit aclibrary.org to learn more about its new fine-free borrowing policy.

Fremont Main Library celebrates a milestone

SUBMITTED BY JULIANNA OPEL

It's been 30 years since the Fremont Main Library opened its doors to the clean and modern two-story building on Stevenson Boulevard in Fremont that library patrons see today. Opening on Friday, June 23, 1989, the building replaced a tiny and cramped portable building on the edge of Central Park that had housed library services since 1971. The new building was the culmination of a 20-year community effort to plan and finance a permanent building.

The library was popular from the get-go and attracted hundreds of people eager to see the inside of the building and take advantage of the library's impressive collection of books, periodicals and other materials. It's no different today as the library attracts an average of 1,500 visitors per day with almost 1.5 million items are borrowed from the library each year. In 2018, more than 1,800 free programs were offered at the library for all ages.



Library staff members are inviting visitors to see an exhibit commemorating the building's anniversary on the second floor through the month of June. Admission is free. For details, call (510) 745-1400.

Fremont Main Library
2400 Stevenson Blvd, Fremont
(510) 745-1400
www.aclibrary.org



Field Day

Amateur radio enthusiasts test skills to prepare

SUBMITTED BY WILLIAM ARTELT

On Saturday, June 22 – Sunday, June 23, Amateur Radio (“ham”) operators across the country will leave the comfort of their home-based radio “shacks” for a weekend of emergency preparedness activities called “Field Day.”



The event is designed to test operators' skills in setting up and operating radio communication equipment in situations where electrical power is limited or unavailable. The idea is to simulate the conditions that can occur during natural disasters, whether hurricane, earthquake, flood, or man-made. The event is sponsored by the

ARRL – the national association for Amateur Radio. The first Field Day took place in 1933.

During Field Day, operators set up radio transmitting and receiving equipment in local parks, at shopping malls, or even in backyards, and get on the air using generators, battery or solar power to run their equipment. This type

of exercise, along with the operators' dedication to public service, allows them to step in and help emergency officials and relief organizations when disaster strikes. Cell phones, the internet and other communications technologies have yet to replace what Amateur Radio operators can do. They have a long track record of getting the message through when all other systems fail!

This year, the South Bay Radio Association (SBARA) will be holding its preparedness exercise at Central Park in Fremont. There are 757,550 Licensed Amateur Radio operators in the United States, (recorded as of 5/25/19) including 1,295 Licensed Amateurs in Fremont. There are more than 3 million Licensed Amateur Radio Operators worldwide. Through the ARRL, ham volunteers provide emergency communications for the Department of Homeland Security, HS Citizens' Corps such as CERT, FEMA, Salvation Army, and hundreds of state and local agencies, all free of any charges. Said Al Rendon, Affairs Officer.

To learn more about Amateur Radio visit the Amateur Radio Relay League Website at <https://www.sbara.org/>. The public is most cordially invited to come, meet and talk with the hams. See what modern Amateur Radio can do. SBARA can even help you get on the air!

Field Day
Saturday, Jun 22 – Sunday Jun 23
11 a.m.
Central Park
40000 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont
<https://www.sbara.org/>
hamradio@comcast.net

Gibbons are ‘singing’ in new home at Oakland Zoo

SUBMITTED BY ISABELLA LINARES

At 8 a.m. on June 13, zookeepers looked on anxiously as a new pair of gibbons took their first tentative steps into their new Gibbon Island home inside the Tropical Rainforest area at the Oakland Zoo.

So far, so good. The female and male pair named Mei and Rainer seem to be enjoying their new habitat after spending a required quarantine period at Oakland Zoo Veterinary Hospital. Veterinary staff had reported that both animals got along very well upon their first introduction. They quickly began singing “duets” together several times a day. Gibbons mate for life, and once bonded sing “duets” as a demonstration of their bond. They also sing as a territorial marker, indicating they’ve accepted their new home on Gibbon Island.

Animal Care staff members at the zoo have worked through a multi-step process to support the white-handed gibbons’ adaptation to their new surroundings. After completing their quarantine period at the Vet Hospital, they were moved into their night house to begin training sessions with zookeepers; to reinforce bond-building with each other, and their zookeepers, and also to aid in ongoing voluntary health-checks.

They were then given access to an adjoining outdoor “Gibbon Patio” or as zookeepers call it, a “Gatio.” Once acclimated, they were ready for release into their new home on Gibbon Island, where zoo guests can now see the pair daily. The zoo has been without a gibbon since the death Nikko, a white-handed gibbon that resided at the zoo for 32 years.

“We are very excited to have gibbons back at Oakland Zoo. The keepers have been working extra hard getting everything ready so that we can provide the best possible care for them as they get to know each other and get to know their new home,” said Andrea Dougall, Oakland Zoo’s Animal Keeper. “The keepers and the gibbons have done a fabulous job and all are doing very well.”

Mei and Rainer were “matched” as a good breeding pair by the gibbon



Mei (left) and Rainer (right) are new white-handed gibbons at the Oakland Zoo. Photo by Steven Gotz

Species Survival Plan (SSP), but the veterinary staff is administering birth control for now. Currently, Mei is contracepted to help the gibbons focus on bonding with one another and adapting to their new environment. SSP was developed by the Association of Zoos and Aquariums (which Oakland Zoo is accredited by) to help ensure the sustainability of a healthy, genetically diverse, and demographically varied AZA population.

Gibbons are native to tropical forests that are suffering from large-scale deforestation for plantation development of palm-oil. Mei and Rainer will serve as ambassadors at the Oakland Zoo for the palm oil crisis.

“This popular oil is used in many of our everyday products, making the choice ours. We can all be Taking Action for Wildlife superheroes by choosing wisely,” said Amy Gotliffe, the zoo’s Director of Conservation. People who are interested in the issue can take action by either avoiding palm oil products or only purchasing from companies that are a part of the Roundtable for Sustainable Palm Oil. More information is available online at <https://rspo.org/>.

Located at 9777 Golf Links Road, Oakland, the zoo is home to more than 750 native and exotic animals and is open 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays and 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekends and

holidays. For ticket prices and parking details, visit the zoo website at www.oaklandzoo.org or call (510) 632-9525.

Oakland Zoo
10:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. weekdays
9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. weekends, holidays
9777 Golf Links Rd, Oakland
(510) 632-9525
www.oaklandzoo.org

Union City City Council

June 11, 2019

Consent Agenda:

Approved joint resolution for the transfer of property between Union City and the Successor Agency. Properties include East Plaza on 34603 11th Street, Historical Museum on 3841 Smith Street, and part of Drigon Dog Park on 7th Street.

Started a contract with Gates and Associates in the amount of \$84, 960 to provide design services for the Contempo Park ADA (American Disabilities Act) City project. The project will involve replanting trees, restoring asphalt, resurfacing of pathways, and replacing picnic arena with new ADA compliant tables, benches, and grills.

Public Comment:

On drinking water concerns.
On the presence of homeless in the city.

Public Hearing:

Presentation and public hearing on the 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 budget.

A \$53,000 full time Police Office Assistant to Property and Evidence position and a \$88,000 permanent Emergency Operations Manager part time position were added to the budget. The \$6.2 million budget deficit is covered over the next two years through liability reserves, workers compensation, and unassigned reserves. Vice Mayor Singh said this is a temporary fix and he doesn’t see budget progress. He suggested bringing in more businesses to the City. Councilmember Patiño said their focus should be on economic development including considering allowing businesses to sell recreational marijuana. Councilmembers Gacoscos and Duncan brought up the needs of City employees. Mayor Dutra-Vernaci said they are looking forward to the fire data presentation on July 16, 2019 so they can make further

budget decisions. Final budget adoption for the next two years is on June 25, 2019.

City Reports:

Adopt resolution on annual rates for solid waste, organic waste, recycling and storm water runoff surcharges for 2019-2020. This rate review is for the compensation for the services workers provide. Republic Services shows 3% rate increase for general and administrative expenses and for disposal and organic material composting. There’s a 2.27% rate decrease for Tri-CED because of labor and fuel cost decreases. But residents would eventually pay a separate Tri-CED recycling processing surcharge for their recycled materials. A staff report on the Tri-CED recycling processing fee will be on July 9, 2019.

Approved amendment to a Disposition and Development Agreement (DDA) for the Windflower Project Block 2 at Station District. Request was to extend the building permit deadline to December 31, 2024, allowing more time to redesign



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parts of the housing project. Since the start of the project, the cost of construction per unit increased to \$408,000. Because of the high construction cost, Fei Tsen, president of the project, said they will redesign the project by increasing total units from 443 to 504. This change means

more studios and one-bedroom units.

Mayor Carol Dutra-Vernaci Aye
Vice Mayor Gary Singh Aye
Emily Duncan Aye
Pat Gacoscos Aye
Jaime Patiño Aye

Milpitas City Council (Special Meeting)

June 11, 2019

Public Hearings:

• Reopened the Public Hearing which was adjourned since the Council meeting of June 4. Following public comments and inputs, a very lengthy discussion among the Council Members ensued. At the

end the Council approved the FY 2019-20 operating budget and 2019-2024 Capital Improvement Program for the City of Milpitas and the Milpitas Housing Authority.

• Reopened the Public Hearing which was adjourned since the Council meeting of June 4. Following the hearing and further discussions the Council approved the funding for FY 2019-20. Authorized City Manager to execute CDBG agreements with approved

recipients.

Consent Calendar:

• Authorized access to State Level and Federal level Summary Criminal History Information for Employment, Certification, and Licensing Purposes.
• Approved a Professional Service Agreement with ADS Environmental Services for Flow Monitoring Consulting Services.
• Authorized the City Manager to execute agreement with West Yost Associates for Design Services for Main Lift

Odorous Emissions Control Facility.

• Authorized the City Manager to execute the Consulting Services Agreement with HMM, Inc. for the Midtown Street Light and Utility Underground 2017.
• Approved Project Plans and Specifications for the Creighton Park Renovation, awarded a construction contract to and authorized the City Manager to execute the contract to the lowest responsible bidder submitting a respon-

sive bid, Marina Landscape, Inc. Authorized the City Manager to execute to the Professional Services Agreement with BFS Landscape Architects to increase compensation by \$70,530 for the Project.

Rich Tran (Mayor) Aye
Karina Dominguez (Vice Mayor) Aye
Carmen Montano Aye
Bob Nunez Aye
Anthony Phan Aye



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Valor games

The VGFW is for any disabled veteran or active duty service member who is eligible for VA healthcare and lives in the Western Region of the United States. Eligible disability conditions include but are not limited to amputation and limb loss, post-traumatic stress disorder, spinal cord injury, stroke, traumatic brain injury and visual disabilities.

Backer presented the case of Shanon Hampton, a retired Air Force Master Sergeant who suffered from traumatic brain injury while serving in Iraq. With the mindset of adapting to different situations no matter how easy or grave, and after support and encouragement from family and from VGFW director Jessica Elix, he decided to participate in adaptive sports, which marked a turning point in his life. After competing in the Valor Games of 2015, he signed up for as many sports as were compatible with his disabilities. He then trained on various terrains, completed two Ironmans, climbed several mountain peaks and even competed at the 2018 Warrior Games at the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs. After several other athletic competitions, he was able to compete in the 2018 Invictus Games in Sydney Australia. The Valor Games helped develop his confidence to open up to new



and exciting challenges for which he is very grateful.

“The Valor Games isn’t just a place to play games; it is so much more than that. It is a place to come to rebuild, a place to come to break down the walls, a place to come where you can be safe. My first instincts upon arrival were to stay inside my shell, however; Jessica and her mother had other plans! They went to work on me to open up, participate, and enjoy myself in a safe environment,” says Hampton.

The Valor Games first started in Chicago, Illinois in 2011 and after two successful years it expanded to three additional regions of the country, including the Bay Area (the only Valor Games event west of the Rockies). Since 2013, when the first Bay Area event was held, more than 500 participants

have taken part in these Games with sponsorship from organizations such as AT&T, NBC Bay Area, Coca Cola, Kaiser Permanente, USAA, US Coast Guard, Wounded Warrior Project, and the Northern California Regional Paralympic Sport Program to name a few. In addition to sponsorship, eight collaborating Paralympic Sport Clubs contributed the required expertise, coaching, training, equipment and volunteers to make the event a resounding success.

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What’s noteworthy about these Games is that the athletes don’t merely compete for the medals. “Valor Games is an experience that you won’t really find elsewhere, with the most amazing athletes; I think everyone can learn from an environment like that, whether academically, intellectually, or motivationally,” said Kyle Siskar, Sports Council officer, and president of the West student-chapter of the American Chiropractic Association. Siskar and his team of Sports Council members provided athletes with various complimentary chiropractic services during the 2018 Valor Games.

According to Jessica Elix, Director of the VGFW, the event will be held again from June 11 – 14, 2020 at the same location.

In addition to sponsors, Valor Games also depends on generous donations from the public. To learn more about Valor Games, become a sponsor, or make a donation, please visit <https://valorgames-farwest.com/> or contact Jessica Elix at valorgames@fwaa.org.

