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StarStruck Theatre PRESENTS *Les Misérables: School Edition*



StarStruck Theatre 2010 *Les Misérables* production

SUBMITTED BY COURTNEY STOKES
PHOTOS BY ATOM BIGGS

This summer, join StarStruck Theatre as they return to the Outdoor Amphitheater at Ohlone College with the 8-time Tony Award winning musical that has thrilled audiences around the world. *Les Misérables: School Edition* is based on Victor Hugo's classic novel that tells the epic story of adversity, love and redemption in 19th century France. A revolution is brewing amid a society that has neglected its citizens, exposing the trials and tribulations of common folk, especially ex-convict, Jean Valjean. This blockbuster musical will showcase

a full live orchestra and score that includes the songs "I Dreamed a Dream," "One Day More," "On My Own" and more.
Check our website for current COVID protocols.

Les Misérables: School Edition
Friday, Jul 29 – Saturday, Aug 6
8 p.m.
Outdoor Amphitheater at Ohlone College
43600 Mission Blvd., Fremont
(510) 659-1319
StarStruckTheatre.org
Tickets: \$25-30

Newark *Mariachi Festival*

SUBMITTED BY
CITY OF NEWARK

Newark's Mariachi Festival is coming back to Shirley Sisk Grove on Sunday, July 24! This is a free community celebration for the entire family with authentic Mexican food from local restaurants, glamorous Ballet Folklórico dancing and live Mariachi bands. Shilling Elementary School's Ballet Folklórico will be returning, and Tonalli Ballet Folklórico will be joining the festival for the first time. Performing bands are Mariachi Tequila and Mariachi Orgullo.

Food and drinks such as tacos and aguas frescas will be available for purchase. Guests can also enjoy community resource booths and children's activities.
At the event, no-cost Covid-19 vaccines will be available for ages five and up, through Bay Area Community Health. Those under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.

Newark Mariachi Festival
Sunday, Jul 24
1 p.m. – 4 p.m.
Shirley Sisk Grove
(Next to NewPark Mall)
www.newark.org



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Sports Physicals for Student Athletes

Washington Hospital Sports Medicine Program offers \$20 physicals at Local High Schools

The Washington Sports Medicine Program will be providing pre-participation sports physicals on Wednesday, August 3, at the library of Irvington High School and Thursday, August 4, at the library of Newark Memorial High School. The time for both locations is from 3 to 6 p.m. High school athletes of any sport are eligible to attend.

Appointments are required. Walk-up appointments will be accepted if slots are available, but the cost will increase to \$40.

“These physicals are required by the California Interscholastic Federation (CIF), but more importantly, we want to make sure these young athletes are healthy enough to play their sport,” says Mike Rogers, program manager. “Though we’ve had our sports medicine program for several years, for the past few years, we’ve held the physicals at one of the local high schools, rotating locations each time. Due to health concerns during COVID, we had to suspend the program, but are happy to welcome back these student athletes.” Rogers notes both the quality of the exam and the convenience to the students and their parents. “These exams cover basic screenings, an orthopedic exam and a physical with a sports medicine physician. Feedback we received from community members was that having them at a high school made it easier on students and parents.”

Both the families and the schools benefit. The cost is \$20 (cash or check made out to WHHS), and the proceeds are divided among six local high schools to be used for their individual sports medicine programs. Washington Hospital’s sports medicine program is led by Medical



Director, Russell Nord, MD, who is board certified in both orthopedic surgery and sports medicine.

As part of Washington’s Sports Medicine Program, Certified Athletic Trainers are stationed at each high school and their presence contributes to maintaining the safety of student athletes. “By having someone on-site, an athlete is more inclined to have injuries evaluated earlier. The athletic trainer can determine whether an injury requires further medical attention. Athletes — especially high school students — have a tendency to wait before seeing a physician. This can lead to injury exacerbation and further damage by

the time I see them, which often means longer recovery time,” says Dr. Nord. In addition to physicians and athletic trainers, the Washington Sports Medicine Program is staffed with physical therapists who are experienced in helping injured athletes return to their favorite activities with as little downtime as possible.

What students can expect at the exam
Students move from station to station. First, the student athlete checks in and hands in completed and signed medical history forms. The athlete is then evaluated with basic screenings: height,

weight, blood pressure and vision. Next, an athletic trainer will perform an orthopedic evaluation. Finally, each student will meet privately with a sports medicine physician. Students should wear comfortable clothing including shorts and short-sleeved shirts. The information forms must be completed in advance, including the signature of a parent or legal guardian. Forms are available online at whhs.com/services/sports. For information on the Washington Hospital Sports Medicine Program or to find a physician or physical therapist, visit www.whhs/services.



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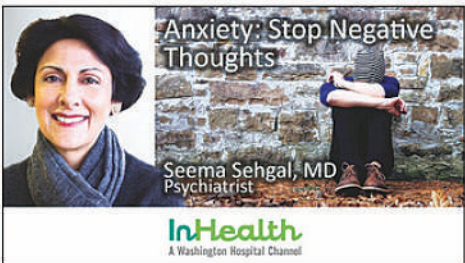
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Kindergarten Readiness
Pediatrician Bhaskari Peela, MD, offers guidance on how to make the transition to the kindergarten classroom successful.



Improve Your Balance Through Yoga
A simple fall can lead to serious health complications and lifestyle limitations. Yoga instructor Shari Gant shares the basic components of balance and how practicing gentle yoga poses can help.



Anxiety: Stop Negative Thoughts
Negative Thoughts: when are they typical or when are they a symptom of anxiety? At this seminar, learn about the warning signs and strategies for coping with anxiety.



Coming Soon!



Breast Cancer Screenings: When and Why
Tuesday, July 26, 3:30 p.m.
OB/GYN, Bettina Kurkjian, MD, FACOG, will review how breast cancer can be detected and when mammograms are recommended.



Intermittent Fasting for Longevity
Wednesday, August 10, 3:30 p.m.
Oncologist Matthew Tenold, MD, will explore the benefits of fasting and how dietary choices relate to better health.

- Other Video Topics:
- Joint Pain
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Fun In The Sun-Safely!

Local dermatologist offers tips on preventing sun burns and skin cancer

Summer days are here. The sun is shining and the weather is warm. It's a great time to get out in the garden or take the family to the beach. But what about sunbathing?

Is there ever a safe way to get a golden tan? What about general safeguards against the sun? How should you protect you and your family from the damage sun can do — both today and long term?

Sunil Dhawan, MD, a Washington Hospital-affiliated dermatologist, will provide answers to these and many other questions at the Health & Wellness seminar, Sun: Beauty or Beast? This seminar will be presented on Tuesday, August 16, at 3:30 p.m. live on Facebook and YouTube (Facebook.com/WashingtonHosp or YouTube.com/whhsInHealth).

"Skin cancer (melanoma) is increasing very rapidly," Dr. Dhawan says. "It's 15 times more common now than in the 1930s. That's why it's so important to know how to protect your skin and to have your skin checked annually for early sun damage."

Fair skinned, blue eyes, blond or red-haired people have a very high risk of developing skin cancer, according to Dr. Dhawan. Individuals with darker skin can still develop skin cancer but aren't at the highest risk.

Factors affecting how the sun can harm your skin include: your skin type, time of day of sun exposure, sunny vs. cloudy weather, your geographic location and altitude, and the sun's reflection off the surrounding environment — sand, water and porch decks, for example.

Dr. Dhawan warns that the risk of sunburn is the greatest between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Just because it's cloudy doesn't mean you are protected as 90% of sunlight can penetrate cloudy or overcast days. Also, he notes, some light fabrics and wet clothes can transmit a large amount of sunlight to the skin, and hats and beach umbrellas don't provide full protection from the sun. And, the ultraviolet rays (UVA) from the sun can penetrate glass and plastic.

As to which sunscreens provide the best protection, Dr. Dhawan recommends any



brand with titanium dioxide or zinc oxide, SPF>30, UVB and UBA protection. Makeup should include sunscreen, and he adds, "Make sure you use a maximum sunblock for your lips."

Sprays are not as good as lotions or creams. Sunscreens should be applied within 15 minutes of going out into the sun and should be reapplied every two to three hours. Further, water-resistant screens only last 80 minutes in the water and must be reapplied.

Dr. Dhawan, who also is a clinical professor at Stanford University for medical residents, will provide additional detail on the types of skin cancer, prevention and treatment, and show illustrations of the various types of skin cancers during the seminar.

Dr. Dhawan adds, "Check your own skin regularly if you spend time in the sun, and make sure to have a doctor check you every year. But, the most important thing is to be aware of the damage the sun can

do, even on mild days, and protect your skin every time you go out into the sun."

For more details on this and other Health & Wellness seminars offered by Washington Hospital, see whhs.com/Events or call 800.963.7070. Past seminars can also be viewed on the Washington Hospital InHealth YouTube channel, YouTube.com/whhsInHealth.



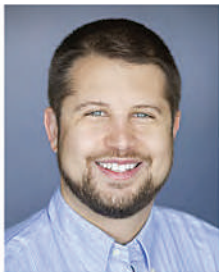
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**Wednesday, August 10
3:30 p.m.**

Intermittent Fasting for Longevity

You've heard the term intermittent fasting, but what does it mean? Is it right for you? What other food choices have direct correlations to improved health? Oncologist Dr. Matthew Tenold will explore the benefits of fasting for cancer prevention and recurrence, and how dietary choices are related to better health.



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Annual Textile Exhibit

SUBMITTED BY SANA CHIANG

Olive Hyde Art Gallery presents the “52nd Annual Textile Exhibit,” featuring Bay Area artists who create works using colorful fabrics and thread in both flat and sculptural works including quilts, felt, beads, wool and repurposed clothing. Come to our opening reception on Friday, July 22 to meet the artists and enjoy the night with other art enthusiasts.

Participating Artists include Mel Beach, Pamela Ciszewski, Adriane Dedic, Kelley Dillon, Giny Dixon, Mona Duggan, Susan Helmer, Jyoti Kapadia, Peter Langenbach, Maureen Langenbach, Zwia Lipkin, Yunan Ma, Dolores Miller, Denise Oyama Miller, Zona Sage, Ileana Soto and Ginger Summit.

Scan the QR code to view the virtual exhibition on the Olive Hyde Art Gallery website!

52nd Annual Textile Exhibit
Through Saturday, Sept 17
Gallery Hours: Thursday-Sunday from 12 noon – 5 p.m.

Opening Reception
Friday, July 22
7 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Olive Hyde Art Gallery
123 Washington Blvd., Fremont
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Klimt's Muse at Midnight 2021 by Adriane Dedic



Sticks and Silk 2021 by Giny Dixon

Back to work tech program expands with Tesla

SUBMITTED BY GENEVA BOSQUES

A newly expanded Smart Manufacturing Technology Back to Work (SMTech B2W) program, aimed at assisting dislocated workers to transition to careers in advance manufacturing is showing promise.

Formerly known as the Earn & Learn Fremont (ELF) pilot program, SMTech B2W, started in 2021 in a partnership between City of Fremont Economic Development Department and Ohlone College to help English as a Second Language (ESL) workers. During a multi-week training program participants learned new skills at local manufacturing companies including Evolve Manufacturing Technologies, a medical device manufacturing firm and Lam Research, a semiconductor company, both in Fremont.

In spring of this year, the program expanded to include electric automaker Tesla. The 10 participants in the first training cohort received an industry-recognized credential as well as a certificate of completion, a pathway to an associate and undergraduate degree, and a portion of the cohort received paid work experience at Tesla. After the program, all participants were offered full-time employment at Tesla, including benefits and stock options.

Tesla hosted a graduation ceremony on July 11 to celebrate the participants, with Fremont Mayor Lily Mei also in attendance to give opening remarks.

“This program not only aims to address the immediate industry need for manufacturing employees, but also is designed to break down the ‘sticky floor’ in manufacturing, which has historically prevented upward mobility for ESL

workers due to language constraints,” Mei said.

Dr. Rose-Margaret Ekeng Itua, Professor of Engineering and Coordinator of the Smart Manufacturing Technology Program at Ohlone College, said, “With our enhanced Back to Work program, we hope to give individuals of all backgrounds an equal opportunity to achieve meaningful, long-term careers in manufacturing in Fremont and provide a framework for nationwide partnerships aimed at educating, growing, and diversifying the manufacturing workforce.”

The initial cohort included several ESL participants who were previously enrolled in Fremont Adult & Continuing Education, which offers lifelong educational opportunities and services for residents of all ages. The other participants were also of diverse backgrounds, including women and veterans. To be eligible for acceptance, participants had to be currently receiving unemployment benefits or had their benefits exhausted.

Participants completed a custom six-week, accelerated Smart Technology Program with Ohlone College where they learned Industry 4.0 standards and skills in additive manufacturing, industrial internet of things, and emerging manufacturing

processes. In conjunction, some participants received eight weeks of full-time, paid manufacturing work at Tesla.

In addition to Tesla’s sponsorship contribution of employee wages, the Alameda County Workforce Development Board provided \$160,000 in funds to support the program through the Ohlone Career Center. The Corporate and Community Education Office at Ohlone College provided technology support for the participants.

The City of Fremont and Ohlone College plan to continue the SMTech B2W program in October with another cohort which will focus on establishing long-term manufacturing careers for Ukrainian and Afghan refugees, who are largely part of the ESL community. To expand future opportunities for participants, the program’s next iteration will include a new English language class at FACE as a prerequisite and funding through a combination of California’s Strong Workforce program to cover the curriculum as well as participating employers who will cover full wages.

For more information on the SMTech B2W program as well as to express interest in future cohorts, visit their webpage at www.ohlone.edu/smttech/earn-n-learn.

POP UP ADOPTION EVENTS

SUBMITTED BY HAYWARD ANIMAL SHELTER

Through the end of July, Hayward Animal Shelter is encouraging the adoption of dogs, cats and small pets.

On Saturday, July 23, Hayward Animal Shelter will hold a pop-up pet adoption event at San Lorenzo Library. Pets are FREE to adopt for qualified homes where owners have done their homework and can provide adequate food, enrichment, shelter and love. To adopt, bring a photo ID and proof of address. If you rent, make sure you have permission to have pets live in the rental.

Starting July 26, the shelter will also participate in Bissell Pet Foundation’s “Empty the Shelters” summer adoption event. Tuesday through Saturday, pets can be adopted for \$20.

Pop-up pet adoption event
Saturday, July 23
10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
San Lorenzo Library
395 Paseo Grande, San Lorenzo

Empty the Shelters
Tuesday, July 26 – Saturday, July 30
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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

I'm writing about the ban on autonomous tractors [The Robot Report, July 5]. They should ban them. I don't like them at all and I don't care for them. I feel the same way about cars too.

They are over doing it with all this autonomous technology you can't trust at all. It's all a bunch of junk. It's not safe at all. I have some tractors that you sit on and drive, that is the best way and the right way. I don't like robots, I don't believe in them, they are stupid.

I hope Mike Oitzman reads this letter and what I have to say about this. I've never heard of Monarch Tractors.

Leonard F. Rose
Fremont

East Bay Swim League upcoming Championship

SUBMITTED BY
BOB ROGERS

The 43rd Annual East Bay Swim League (EBSL) Championships is coming up. This is EBSL's first championship since 2019 and everyone in the league, including volunteers, coaches and swimmers are excited to hold this event again. Typically, this is a one-day event, but this year, due to Covid and the need to reduce the number of people at the event, it will be two days. 13 - 18-year-olds will compete on Friday, July 22 and four - 12-year-olds on Saturday, July 23 at Chabot College.

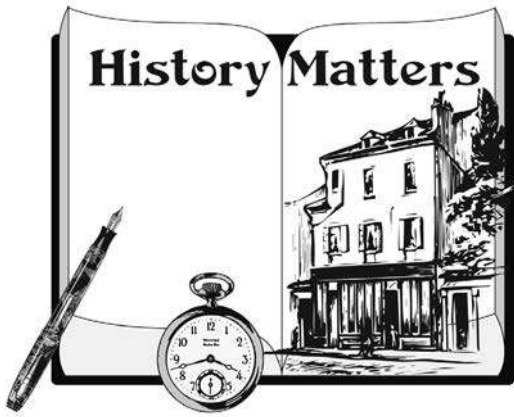
Each team is allowed 100 swimmers who compete in the medley relay, individual freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke, butterfly, 100-yard individual medley (combo of all 4 strokes) and freestyle relay. Scores from both days will be combined and the League Champion and announced on Saturday afternoon.

EBSL started over 30 years ago to help develop the love of swimming in the East Bay. The purpose of EBSL, is to provide

young swimmers with an opportunity for summer recreational swimming competition, in an atmosphere that fosters sportsmanship, team spirit, cooperation and respect for the other swimmers and the league.

It was started in the Hayward area, but has spread to Southern Fremont, Newark, San Leandro and Castro Valley. Each year EBSL hosts its championship meet where all teams in the league compete to determine the overall league champion.

East Bay Swim League Championship
Friday, Jul 23 – Saturday, July 24
Friday 4 p.m. – 8 p.m.
Saturday 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Chabot College
25555 Hesperian Blvd., Hayward
www.ebsl.org



BY JOHN GRIMALDI AND
DAVID BRUCE SMITH
July 16 through 31

A capital idea

On July 16, 1790, the Founding Fathers ensconced the nation's capital in what History.com described as "a swampy, humid, muddy and mosquito-infested site on the Potomac River between Maryland and Virginia," named for George Washington "who saw the area's potential economic, and accessibility benefits due to the proximity of navigable rivers."

The French architect, Pierre L'Enfant, was tasked with mapping out the city's layout, and George Hoban worked up the design for the White House, but George Washington would never live there because he died in 1799 -- a year before it was completed.

The Grateful American Book Prize recommends "Secrets of Our Nation's Capital: Weird and Wonderful Facts About Washington, DC" by Susan Schader Lee.

Slavery abolished

On July 22, 1862, Abraham Lincoln rounded up his cabinet and advisors to divulge his intention to issue an Emancipation Proclamation that would abolish slavery.

"Attempting to stitch together a nation mired in a bloody civil war, Abraham Lincoln made a last ditch, but carefully calculated, executive decision regarding the institution of slavery in America. At the time of the meeting with his cabinet, things were not looking good for the Union. The Confederate Army had overcome Union troops in significant battles and Britain and France were set to officially recognize the Confederacy as a separate nation," History.com reports.

Lincoln, however, waited until September 22, 1862, to release a preliminary Emancipation Proclamation, which freed all enslaved people in the rebellious states -- as of January 1, 1863.

The Grateful American Book Prize recommends "Emancipation Proclamation: Lincoln and the Dawn of Liberty" by Tonya Bolden.

League announces Voter Information Book

SUBMITTED BY
ANGELINA REYES,
PRESIDENT, LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF
FREMONT, NEWARK, AND UNION CITY

League of Women Voters of Fremont, Newark and Union City, a nonpartisan civic organization that encourages the informed and active participation of citizens in government, announced that it is planning the (eleventh) edition of the Voter Information Book (VIB) for the upcoming 2022 elections. The League is extending an open invitation to all candidates running for elected positions in Fremont, Newark and Union City in the November 8th election to participate. If there are local ballot measures, oppo-

nents and proponents may also choose to be part of the VIB.

Many candidates cannot afford expensive personal direct mailers to get their message to voters. VIB has been a highly successful alternative in previous elections where candidates for local office have leveraged a cost-effective method.

Candidates may design and submit two pages of information combining text and graphic elements. The collected pages will be assembled into a book according to the order in which the office appears on the ballot. A VIB will be delivered to each household in the Tri-Cities by the US post office. All participating candidates share the cost of the book with the cost decreasing per candidate as more candidates participate. The cost per household contact should be much

less when compared to mailing an individual piece.

The Project Chair said, "It is expensive to run a campaign. We are attempting to level the playing field so that qualified candidates who are considering running for office will have a more affordable means of getting their message across to the voting public."

When filing closes August 17, 2022, all candidates who have provided contact information will be notified of this year's opportunity and requirements. Those candidates who are interested in participating should visit lwvfnuc.org to find more information, view a copy of VIB 2020 and register to participate. The book requires a minimum number of candidates to participate in order to make it cost-efficient.

Voters will get the information needed to make educated and informed voting decisions while candidates get their message across to the voting public at great value by participation in the League of Women Voters "VIB 2022."

Voter Information Book 2022
lwvfnuc.org

Lawmakers' first assembly

On July 30, 1619, the first legislature was assembled in Jamestown, Virginia.

According to History.com, "Earlier that year, the London Company, which had established the Jamestown settlement 12 years before, directed Virginia Governor Sir George Yeardley to summon a 'General Assembly' elected by the settlers, with every free adult male voting. Twenty-two representatives from the 11 Jamestown boroughs were chosen, and Master John Pory was appointed the assembly's speaker.

On July 30, the House of Burgesses (an English word for "citizens") convened for the first time. Its first law, which, like all its laws, would have to be approved by the London Company, required tobacco to be sold for at least three shillings per pound. Other laws passed during its first six-day session included prohibitions against gambling, drunkenness and idleness, and a measure that made Sabbath observance mandatory."

The Grateful American Book Prize recommends James Horn's "1619: Jamestown and the Forging of American Democracy."

This feature is courtesy of The Grateful American Book Prize, which is an annual award given to authors who have created outstanding works of historical fiction or nonfiction for seventh to ninth graders. Visit them at gratefulamericanbookprize.com.



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Growing local cricket scene

BY ERIC DONATO

On any given weekend in the Bay Area, public park athletic fields are busy with organized sports activities. In the East Bay region, amidst baseball, softball and soccer games, there is a growing presence of cricket games. To the uninitiated, the game appears to be a peculiar version of baseball with familiar pitching, batting, fielding and runs. One can't also help but observe the differences, including the running start before releasing the ball, three sticks behind the batter, and indirect trajectory of the ball pitched, which involves a ground bounce before being hit with a flat-sided bat.

Unlike baseball, cricket is played with two bases on opposite ends of a strip, each with a batter in the middle of concentric play areas. Cricket is far from a novelty sport. After all, historically, it predates American baseball by hundreds of years. The sport of baseball as we know it is, in fact, a derivative of cricket. Cricket has a massive global following with an avid fan base and is a popular mainstream sport across Europe, West Indies, Oceania and South Asia.

Though the popularity of cricket in America is relatively small compared to overseas, the local Bay Area cricket scene is well and thriving as an organized sport. Sustaining the sport is championed primarily by the established and growing

generations of South Asian communities. There are 56 registered clubs listed on the Northern California Cricket Association (NCCA), with a rotation of about a dozen teams actively participating in league tournaments across its many divisions and formats at some point in the year. When one asks, "when does the local cricket season start?" the appropriate answer is "all the time." The NCCA league calendar is busy year-round, with twelve or more series tournaments, some running concurrently and in short succession.

NCCA President Ganesh Sanap boasts, "the Bay Area is the only area in the world where 12 months of Cricket is played." Tri-City-based NCCA clubs include, but are not limited to, Fremont Warriors CC, Cougars CC, Indus Cricket Club, Union City CC, All Stars Cricket Club, East Bay CC, Afghan Zwanan CC, Kings CC and Bay Area Cricket Club. The local cricket league scene is also not limited to NCCA. There is also Bay Area Cricket Alliance (BACA), CricBay, and Tennisball Cricket Association (TCA).

Rath Shetty, Fremont resident and organizer of Warm Springs Tennis Ball Cricket League (WCL), currently with ten active teams, started the independent cricket league a few years ago. He said, "We follow the Indian Premier League (IPL) modern format and adopted the use of a modern tennis ball as an alternative to the hard leather ball, a standard in the traditional game format."

Shetty added that the type of cricket game format played in WCL is referred to as "20-20." This cricket game format is more suitable locally because you don't



Rath Shetty, organizer of the Warm Springs Tennis Ball Cricket League (WCL) explaining the game

have to play an all-day game or use a hard leather ball that requires special protective equipment. He shared that part of the motivation for starting a local Warm Springs cricket league was the opportunity to play with every team in the league. "The other established leagues are more competitive, so your team has to climb different divisions. And with so many teams, you don't get the chance to play all the teams." He added "most WCL teams are from Warm Springs Cricket Club (WCC), with the majority from Fremont and Union City, but we also have registered teams from Pleasanton."

Despite the growth and expanse of the local cricket scene, it is not without its challenges. NCCA three-term president, Ganesh Sanap, pointed out that "building dedicated cricket fields would make a big difference in the local growth of the sport. We could play night games, or seniors could get involved more. A few league organizers are addressing this with representation at the city level." Soccer and school baseball fields are typically repurposed for cricket games. The fields are playable, but remain subpar with the ideal standard turf for professional cricket matches.

The regulation pitch area where the ball is bowled is typically made of grass and clay, which is expensive to maintain. Bhavani Peddada, one of the NCCA organizers and local coach, explained, "ideally, the grass should be kept to about

two inches or even a quarter inch for international cricket quality." Like golf, the quality of grass could determine the roll and bounce of the cricket ball after being hit, a critical factor in fielding. The lack of standard playing grounds is hardly a deterrent as NCCA continues to thrive. Ganesh Sanap says "we even drive down to Southern California for inter-league games."

Sanap, Shetty and Peddada all have a positive outlook the local cricket scene. Peddada added that the youth have a growing participation. He said, "we have after-school programs, summer cricket camps and it is even played as a school sport. We are taking the kids, putting them in camps. coaching them and building teams." They also noted the growing involvement of girls in the game.

You can catch a game played most weekends locally at the Fremont Sports complex next to Lake Elizabeth, Northgate Park, Sea Breeze Park in Union City, Irvington Park or NCCA Livermore Cricket Ground.

To learn more about local cricket, leagues, teams, club registration, and more, visit:

Warm Springs Cricket Club (WCC):
www.cricclubs.com/WCLBayarea
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Thinking of Lying on Your Resume? Here's What to Do Instead

BY ANNE CHAN, PhD, MFT

Have you ever lied on your resume or an interview? If so, you are not alone. Surveys have found that 50% of a whopping 78% of applicants have either lied or exaggerated on their resumes.

Such was the case with Mina Chang, the Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Bureau of Conflict and Stabilization Operations of the State Department appointed in 2019. Chang, a former singer, apparently got the job by inflating and falsifying her credentials. For instance, she billed herself as a Harvard graduate when she had merely taken a continuing education course at Harvard that lasted for only a few short weeks. Chang also publicly stated that she had a degree in international development from the University of Hawai i. However, her claim was quickly refuted when a university spokesperson stated that University of Hawai i does not offer an international development degree nor does it have a record of Chang attending the university. On top of this, Chang created a Time Magazine cover of herself to give the impression that she was a lauded humanitarian. Soon after media outlets reported the inaccuracies in her resume, Chang resigned, without taking responsibility for her actions. Instead, she blamed her superiors for not defending her.

Chang's case was newsworthy for a while, but sadly, lying on one's resume is hardly breaking news. It is all too common for people to embellish one or more of the following:

- Skill proficiency (e.g. claiming to have advanced mastery when one is actually a beginner)
- Dates of employment (e.g. providing wrong dates so that one looks like one has been employed for a longer period)
- GPA (adjusting the numbers upward)
- Job title (adopting a more senior level title)
- University (claiming to have graduated from a university when one is a few credits shy of completion or when one has only taken a continuing education course)
- Job duties (overstating job responsibilities)

People lie on their resumes for several reasons: They are afraid of being underqualified; they badly want a better job or a better salary; they believe they

can get away with it; or they believe that they should lie since everyone else is doing it. However, the problem with lying is that it is fairly easy for employers to catch you. For instance, employers can easily fact-check if you attended a university, when you were employed at a company and what your actual job title was. Moreover, employers can give a skills assessment to determine your actual level of proficiency. Writing, coding, designing, analysis, and language skills are all easily testable at the interview. Even if you get through the interview and secure the job, it is worth noting that California is an at-will state, which means that you can be fired for any reason (including falsifying your resume) or no reason.

The difference between expressing confidence and lying about one's abilities can be confusing. Indeed, I always encourage people to take ownership of their achievements and to showcase these on their resumes. However, you would know if you are going beyond the truth if you are uncomfortable about being queried further about these accomplishments. For instance, if you say you are fluent in Spanish, would you be comfortable if they brought in a native Spanish speaker to test you? As you write your resume, keep in mind that an employer can quiz you on any line of your resume. So be sure that you can speak confidently and authentically about your capabilities showcased on each line. In addition, make sure your social media presence is compatible with what you have on your resume. Consistency matters when employers do background checks.

You do not have to resort to lying if you are uncomfortable with your skill set or education. Instead, take courses to add to your resume. There is a plethora of highly regarded and affordable online courses that will enhance your skill set and that you can legitimately include in your resume. This includes the \$84,000 Advanced Management Program at Harvard that Chang took. But please cite this correctly!

If you're tempted to lie or stretch the truth beyond recognition, please know that it is truly not necessary or advisable to lie on your resume. No job candidate or resume is perfect. Yours does not have to be perfect either. Be proactive and address the pieces where you fall short. If there's something on your resume that makes you uncomfortable, explain it in the cover letter. If there's a missing skill in your arsenal, fill the gap with continuing education. You don't have to lie to get the job.

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Local organization shares 'our causes'

BY FATEMA BHAIJI

Rcoz.us, a play on the pronunciation of "Our Cause", is a registered nonprofit founded by Roopali Rajvanshy. This platform aims to connect communities and remove the stigma of various topics through short and personal human stories that allows anybody to share what Rajvanshy describes as "everybody's causes."

The idea to create this organization came from Rajvanshy's personal life, especially from the time she spent growing up in India. Within her community, she realized that people talked about accomplishments, which overshadowed significant topics such as mental health. Rajvanshy explains that, growing up, "We never talked about what we were personally going through and I didn't know where to start." When she moved to the U.S., she started working in marketing for various technology-focused companies in the Bay Area, but felt a lack of meaning in her work there. She realized that there were so many people like her who couldn't express what they truly felt and the struggles they were going through. That is what kickstarted her idea to create Rcoz.us. Although she had been working on the idea of the organization for longer, the plan came together about two years ago to found the nonprofit.

Because the organization is Fremont based, several stories are local, but many come from around the globe. These stories come from people of all backgrounds and one that is impactful to Rajvanshy is a story about a pair of sisters. One needed a kidney, and the other sister was trying to donate her own. Because the other sister was on various medications, the doctor wouldn't allow her to give her kidney, so she had to lie in order to save her sister's life. The story described the trauma of her sibling being near death and the strong relationship between

Rcoz.us

the sisters, encompassing Rcoz's mission.

Rajvanshy details that these stories focus on "hope, aspiration, and overcoming adversity to build community." One story that focuses on these ideals is a local one from the Bay Area. Carol Zilli, a high school teacher, created the organization Music for Minors II that allows students who are falling behind in school to take music classes, boosting their confidence. In Zilli's upload to Rcoz, she describes why music is important for different people. One example Zilli includes is of an immigrant who was having difficulties learning the language; the first way she communicated when she started assimilating in the U.S. was through music. Rajvanshy describes these anecdotes as "true, authentic stories that make the platform available to everybody."

To accomplish this, the organization allows anybody to upload a story. In order to upload to Rcoz.us, one can go to the website and use the sign-up form. One can submit their story themselves, record another person's story to submit, or even have the organization record their story for them online. Once the upload is sent to Rcoz.com, it will be approved and uploaded onto their website for others to view. She continues to see the impact of her organization as one hundred stories have already been uploaded. This platform allows people to share their causes and gives communities a space to share all of "our causes."

To learn more, visit Rcoz.us.



Rcoz.us founder, Roopali Rajvanshy (left)

Rabbis Roundtable on Reproductive Rights

BY PAUL MUSSACK

On July 13, an online panel of local women clergy spoke about the Jewish view on abortion and what last month's U.S. Supreme Court decision means for the community.

"So many people on the right think of abortion as a form of birth control, and it's so much more than that ... the human part of being pregnant and having to terminate a pregnancy being completely overlooked," said Cantor Devorah Felder-Levy of Congregation Shir Hadash.

Rabbi Faith Joy Dantowitz (Congregation Emeth) read from foundational texts to explain the origin of the Jewish view.

According to the *Torah*, if a man accidentally injures a pregnant woman and causes a miscarriage, the man must pay for the damage but the act would not be considered murder.

It is written in the *Talmud* that an unborn child is "mere fluid" until the fortieth day.

The *Mishnah Ohalot* prioritizes saving the mother's life during a difficult delivery, unless the "greater part" of the baby has already come out; then it is considered its own person.

The 18th-century German Rabbi Jacob Emden permitted abortion not only to save the mother's life, but also to "from woe associated with it that would cause her great pain."

And in 1991, Rabbi Aharon Lichtenstein considered that the "ethical and humane factors" permitting an exception for birth control should also influence situations regarding abortion.

Cantor Felder-Levy reviewed the American laws related to the issue.

The First Amendment prohibits the government from "establishing" a religion. Under the "Lemon Test," government can assist religion only for secular purposes, neither promoting or inhibiting religion, and without excessive entanglement between church and state.

The Constitution also guarantees no prohibition on the "free exercise" of religion. "This means that not permitting Jews to freely access abortion may interfere with our own understanding of Jewish law," said Felder-Levy.

Jessica Blitchok, associate director of the Jewish Community Relations Council, asked for a "moment of mindfulness" to help calm any anxieties before continuing.

Rabbi Zoe McCoon of Temple Beth Torah in Fremont brought up an important way to view the discussion.

"The framework of pro-choice versus pro-life does not sustain us, and also neither does religious beliefs versus secular beliefs, and in this category, neither does the phrase Judeo-Christian," said

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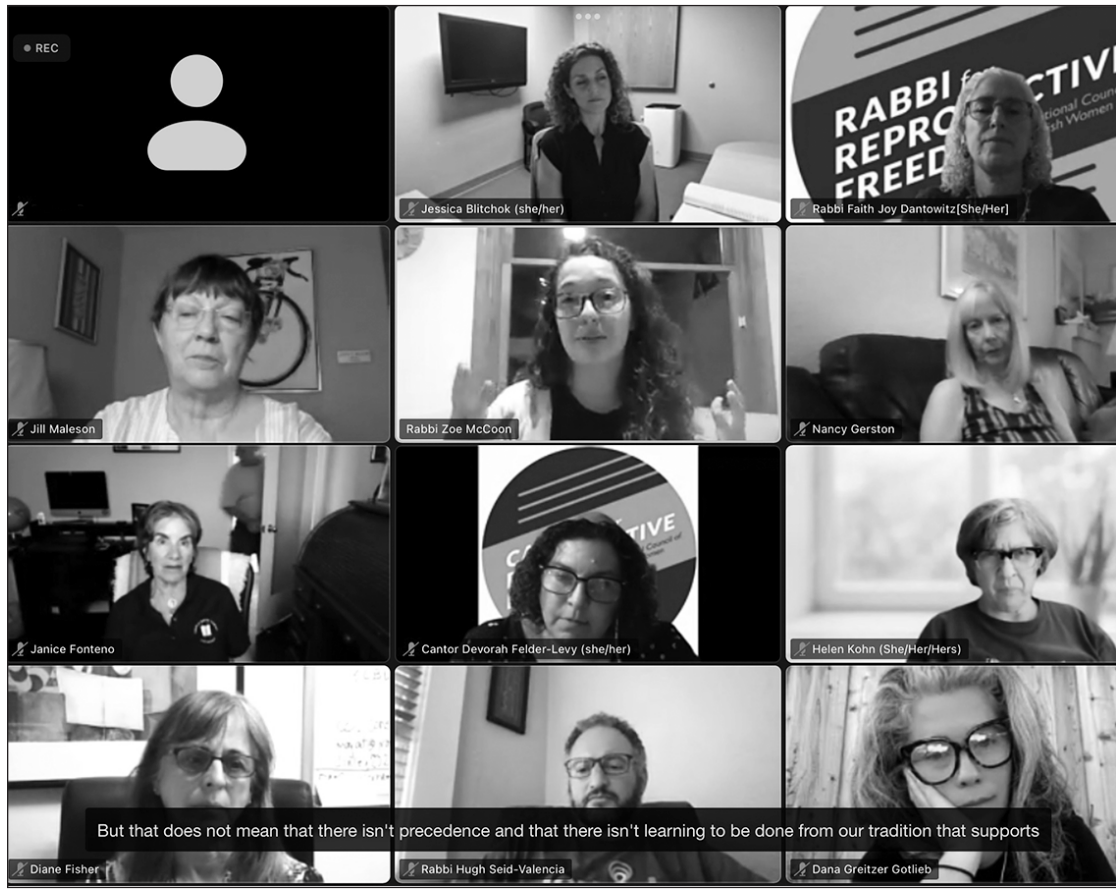
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McCoon. "Judeo-Christian is often a phrase that is used to suggest that we're not just talking about Christian theology, regardless of what Judaism actually has to say."

Rabbi McCoon mentioned that some Jewish organizations recently "felt as though they were not able to talk about abortion, because it was too partisan, [and] was too political" despite the many people looking up to these groups to say something.

McCoon also brought up from a previous panel, the fact that many organizations had been preparing in case *Roe v. Wade* was repealed. For example, an abortion fund in California has ensured that visiting a clinic cannot be traced through phone records and credit card bills.

Rabbi Dantowitz followed with the comment that "each of us can make a difference, and it's important that we engage in the work ... but also recognize that we need to engage in self-care."

A recording of the panel can be viewed on the Jewish Silicon Valley website: <https://www.jvalley.org/2022/07/reproductive-rights-where-are-we-next-steps/>

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Get ready for the unexpected with a disaster "go bag"

SUBMITTED BY JOSHUA FERREIRA

Don't think you need an emergency kit? Think again, say families who needed one.

Flashlights, a first aid kit and water bottles line the table. Lydia Walker is not going camping — she is preparing for disaster by putting together a "go bag." Preparing in advance with a disaster-ready kit has helped families nationwide through extreme and abnormal weather events, which experts warn are on the rise.

Walker of Sunnyvale recognizes the need to be prepared for natural disasters. "Living in the San Francisco Bay Area, I'm always on the road. It's important to me that I have my 'go bag' in my car just in case a disaster strikes," Walker said. As a result, she uses trustworthy resources to help her prepare in advance.

"Having a personal preparedness plan increases your chances of staying safe," according to a training program from Columbia University's National Center for Disaster Preparedness.

Jolted awake by a neighbor's urgent knocking, Aaron and Jacqueline Pate were horrified to see the encroaching flames of the fast-moving Woolsey fire that had been miles away when they went to bed. It burned to within 100 feet of their Westlake Village home in 2018 as part of California's deadliest wildfire season on record.

"Because we had 'go bags,' we weren't running around trying to pack things at the last minute," Jacqueline Pate said. "We had the time we needed to comfort our kids and get everyone safely into the car."

The Pates credited the disaster-preparedness help they received as Jehovah's Witnesses, both through periodic reminders at their congregation meetings and from tips for putting together "go bags" on the organization's website jw.org.

Disaster-preparedness suggestions and tips for putting together a "go bag" are available from ready.gov.

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Park It: Nature programs in regional parks

By NED MACKAY

Lots of interesting nature programs are on the schedule in coming days in the East Bay Regional Park District. Here are just a few options, all of them free activities available without advance registration:

“Nuts About Squirrels” is the theme of Family Nature Fun Hour from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 23 at Doug Siden Visitor Center at Crab Cove in Alameda. Discover what it’s like to be a squirrel on the ground or in the trees. The program repeats on Sunday, July 24 at the same time.

The visitor center is at 1253 McKay Avenue off Alameda’s Central Avenue. For information, call (510) 544-3187.

Nature-themed games, crafts and other activities are the plan for a naturalist-led Beach Break from 3:00 to 3:30 p.m. every Saturday and Sunday through Labor Day at the West Beach swim area in Del Valle Regional Park south of Livermore. When

the West Beach is closed, Beach Break takes place in front of the visitor center.

Or you can join in a campfire program from 8:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. every Saturday until August 27 and September 3, when the program is from 8 p.m. to 9 p.m. All programs are at the campground amphitheater. Non-campers are welcome, too. Del Valle is at the end of Del Valle Road off Mines Road about nine miles south of town. There’s a parking fee of \$6 per vehicle.

There’s also a campfire program from 8 p.m. to 9 p.m. every Saturday at Anthony Chabot Campground, featuring games, songs, photos and stories about the park after dark. Non-campers are welcome. The campground is reached via Marciel Gate on Redwood Road about halfway between Oakland and Castro Valley. For information, call (510) 544-3187.

Insects, spiders, centipedes and other arthropods are the focus of a program from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, July 24 at Black Diamond Mines Regional Preserve in Antioch, with naturalist Kevin Dixon.

Meet Kevin at the park’s innermost parking lot on Somersville Road, about 3½ miles south of Highway 4, for a safari in search of the leggy critters. Black Diamond Mines

has a parking fee of \$5 per vehicle when the kiosk is attended. The program is free. For information, call (510) 544-2768.

Arthropods are also the topic of a program from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. on Sunday, July 24 at Tilden Nature Area near Berkeley.

Meet naturalist Trent Pearce at Tilden’s Environmental Education Center for a short walk to find some of the field- and forest-dwellers. The center is at the north end of Tilden’s Central Park Drive. For information, call (510) 544-2233.

Wednesday Walks are a series of naturalist-led hikes exploring various regional parks. There’s one from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on July 27 at Anthony Chabot Regional Park.

Meet the naturalist at Clyde Woolridge Staging Area at the intersection of Skyline Boulevard and Grass Valley Road in Oakland. This is about a six-mile trek on the Goldenrod, Columbine and Cascade Trails. No toilets along the way. Wear sturdy shoes, bring water, and dress for the weather. For information, call (510) 544-3187.

This is just a partial list. To view more programs, visit the park district website, www.ebparks.org and click on “Things To Do” at the top of the home page.



SUBMITTED BY THE ASSOCIATION OF MATURE AMERICAN CITIZENS

Yikes!

The experts say that your rubber tires will not stop lightning from striking your car, according to the Association of Mature American Citizens (AMAC). It’s a lesson that Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whalen learned the hard way as they were driving in a storm near Tampa, Florida recently. Edward was in his truck and Michelle was behind him in her car when a bolt of lightning struck the truck and proceeded to hit her car. It was a fierce storm and it was all caught on video from Michelle’s car. A county deputy, Kristen Miceli, happened to be driving in the next lane and saw the whole thing. No one was injured.

Ooh-la-la

If you are old enough, you may recall the frenzy Brigitte Bardot and her bikini caused around the world in the 1952 French film “The Girl in the Bikini,” recall the folks at the AMAC. At first it was scandalous. Some 68 years later, we’ve become accustomed to the skimpy swim suit. But the fact is that the bikini actually made its debut in 1946 when on July 5th fashion icon Louis Reard first introduced the two-piece bathing suit. Because it was so “explosive” he named it the “bikini” after America’s famous nuclear test that took place on Bikini Atoll in July of 1945. Thus, the annual

celebration of International Bikini Day takes place on July the 5th. See video about National Bikini Day on YouTube: www.youtube.com/watch?v=oF4w09w1-dw.

Ritzzy spuds

A side of French fries goes for a couple of bucks in most eateries, says AMAC. But at the pricey Serendipity3 restaurant on the Upper East Side of Manhattan they don’t call them French fries, they call them Creme de la Creme Pommes Frites and they will set you back \$200. After all it’s not just potatoes fried up by a hash slinger, it takes a genuine culinarian to do the cooking and a list of ingredients that few of us have ever encountered: Chipperbeck potatoes, Dom Perignon Champagne, J. LeBlanc French Champagne Ardenne Vinegar, cage-free goose fat from France, Guerande Truffle Salt, truffle oil, Crete Senesi Pecorino Tartufello cheese, shaved black summer truffles from Italy, truffle butter, organic A2 100% grass fed cream from Jersey Cows, Gruyere Truffled Swiss Raclette and a topping of 23-karat edible gold dust. See video about the French fries at Serendipity 3 on YouTube: www.youtube.com/watch?v=z39vomxhrlE.

The Association of Mature American Citizens is a nonprofit, nonpartisan advocacy organization representing membership in Washington, D.C. and in local congressional districts nationwide. More information is available on its website at www.amac.us.

Webb’s First Image: light from 4.6 billion years ago

KAILASH KALIDOSS, AEROSPACE ENTHUSIAST

NASA’s James Webb Space Telescope (JWST) launched on December 25, 2021 has produced the deepest and sharpest infrared image of the distant universe to date. It is Webb’s First Deep Field image captured using the Near-Infrared Camera (NIRCam). Webb’s first image of galaxy cluster SMACS 0723 is overflowing with detail.

JWST is a collaboration between NASA, European Space Agency (ESA), and the Canadian Space Agency (CSA). JWST is currently in Lagrange point 2, also called L2, which is further beyond the earth’s moon orbit. This will keep Earth, Sun, and Moon all on the same side of the spacecraft all the time. This will mean that the net force of gravity acting on the telescope is nullified and the telescope has a stable orbit of its own. JWST unfolded to its functional dimensions en route to L2.

Thousands of galaxies – including the faintest objects ever observed in infrared – have appeared in Webb’s view for the first time. This slice of the vast universe covers a patch of sky approximately the size of a grain of sand held at arm’s length by someone on the ground.

While the Hubble Space Telescope can now measure about 1,600 nanometres of wavelength, the JWST has extended this range to up to 30,000 nanometres. The first Webb image was unveiled at the White House on Jul 11, 2022. It is a composite made from images at different wavelengths, totaling

12.5 hours – achieving depths at infrared wavelengths beyond the Hubble Space Telescope’s deepest fields, which took weeks.

The image shows the galaxy cluster SMACS 0723 as it appeared 4.6 billion years ago. The combined mass of this cluster produces the effect of a gravitational lens, magnifying much more detail behind it. Webb’s NIRCam has brought those distant galaxies into sharp focus – they have tiny, faint structures that have never been seen before. The scientific community will soon have much more in-depth access to the galaxies’ masses, ages, histories, and compositions, as Webb seeks the earliest galaxies in the universe that were formed after the big bang with the ability to analyze light from around 13.8 billion years ago.

In addition, the scientific community also hopes to uncover more information about exoplanets and also find new exoplanets, especially isolating the ones that show biosignatures through their chemical composition.

Kailash Kalidoss is an aerospace enthusiast and educator serving the Bay Area. Kailash first fell in love with aerospace as a teenager when he learned about aviation from his father’s role as a Ground Operations Manager. Kailash has since spent his efforts sharing knowledge about aerospace, astronautics, aviation, science and technology, and of course, the night sky. Kailash also represents the Civil Air Patrol and NASA as a volunteer.



JWST’s First Image Source: nasa.gov

Support Ohlone Humane Society

SUBMITTED BY ANGELA HARTMAN

Ohlone Humane Society has a goal to raise \$120,000 to cover 2023 annual operations costs for the Ohlone Humane Society Wildlife Rehab Center (OHSWRC) in Newark. We need our communities support to keep running the wildlife center so you will continue to have a place to bring us injured and orphaned local wildlife.

OHSWRC’s mission is to ensure that any wild animal found injured, ill or orphaned is given the care it needs and is rehabilitated to be released back to wild. Since we opened in 1997, we have rehabilitated over 25,000 animals from the Tri-Cities. We support ourselves through donations, grants, memberships, and the 40 hardworking volunteers that show up seven days a week to support these animals in need.

We help so many different species of animals, it’s too many to mention here! Some of our recent patients are:

- Raccoons, squirrels, opossums, skunks, foxes
- California native birds of all kinds
- Waterfowl like egrets, ducks, geese, and herons
- Many species of raptors such as barn owls, great horned owls and hawks

In 2020 we took in 844 injured and orphaned wild animals, and in 2021 we helped 861. We often take wildlife outside of our service area since

the pandemic started. In addition, animal control from all over the Bay Area have been bringing us wildlife as local rehabilitation facilities are either closed or operating in a limited capacity.

Yearly Operations Cost Breakdown

- Rent and Utilities 20%
- Fresh Fruit, Vegetables, Eggs, Baby Bird and Milk Formulas 25%
- Veterinarian Animal Exams and Medication 10%
- Medical Equipment, Building Maintenance, Habitat Refurbishing 5%
- Full Time Wildlife Rehabilitator Center Manager & 2 Part Time Employees 40%

Any amount you can donate will be appreciated because, in the end, it all adds up. When you donate to this cause, you will help us fund another year of operations. This is a GoFundMe Certified Charity Campaign, your donation is tax deductible, and you will receive a PayPal Giving Fund official donation receipt.

Follow us on Facebook (facebook.com/OhloneHumaneSociety) and Instagram (@ohs_wildliferehab). Caution: You might experience cuteness overload following us on social media.

To donate, go to: www.gofundme.com/f/help-keep-us-wild

Learn more about Ohlone Humane Society at: ohlonehumanesociety.org

A Quiet-Loud July at Bankhead

SUBMITTED BY
RUTH EGHAMAN

July, with all its vacations and escapes from the heat, is a slower month here at The Bankhead in terms of the number of performers coming through our doors. Yet while it may be quieter, we still have a loud summer month planned with the remarkable rock-star stylings of Lee Rocker of the Stray Cats on July 22.

Fresh from the multi-platinum Stray Cats' '40th Anniversary Reunion Tour' and release of the first new Stray Cats album in 10 years, The Bankhead will be jolted with the rock energy of Grammy-nominated Stray Cats founder and upright slap bassist Lee Rocker, who has also toured and performed with George Harrison, Ringo Starr, Levon Helm, Keith Richards, John Fogerty, and many more. Together with piano, harmonica, guitar and drums, Lee Rocker

will perform Stray Cats hits and songs he performed with other music legends, right here in the Tri-Valley.

Bankhead Theater continues to keep COVID safety protocols in place with enhanced air circulation and no touch ticketing. Proof of vaccination is no longer required for entry at ticketed performances, unless noted as part of a contractual obligation with the artist. Tickets for all shows are available online, by calling (925) 373-6800, or at the box office windows. For a complete list of events visit livermorearts.org

Lee Rocker of the Stray Cats
Friday, Jul 22
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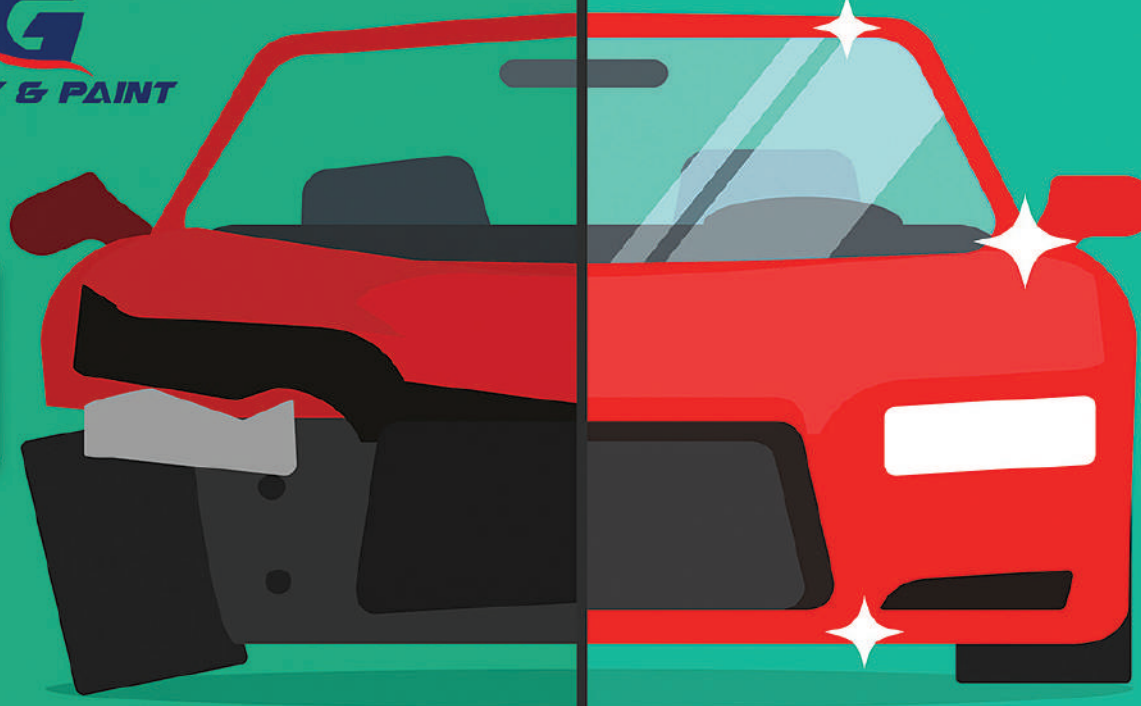
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Home & Garden

Eight intoxicating garden infusions

By DANIEL O'DONNELL

An egg to be served by itself can be boiled, fried, poached, scrambled or baked. Each of these cooking methods creates slightly different offerings. However, by combining different ingredients, an egg becomes unrecognizable in the final concoction. Egg yolks, butter and lemon juice are used to make hollandaise sauce. Yolks, clarified butter and white wine vinegar are combined to make béarnaise sauce. Egg whites, sugar, vanilla extract and crème de tartar can be whisked together to make a meringue topping. Similar remarkable transformations can be tasted when different sprits are infused with plants from the garden.

An alcohol infusion is made by steeping fruits, herbs or other foods in a liquor. Finding or leaving fruit in the bottom of a container created the earliest alcohol infused juices, possibly over 100,000 years ago. Through the ages, the process was refined making the creation of straight alcohols such as vodka, whiskey, and rum possible. However, many people never stopped creating juice infusions or infusing those purer liquors with fruits and herbs available to them. Today, Bay Area gardens are full of plants and fruits that make great-tasting alcohol infusions.

A sealable container and a cheesecloth or other strainer for removing flavor-imparting ingredients is all the equipment needed to begin a basic infusion. A high-quality alcohol should be used, especially to complement spices with

subtle flavors. 1-part of infusing ingredients to 16-parts alcohol is a good general ratio for basic infusions. 80 proof liquors are best for extracting flavors from fresh ingredients, while 90 proof and above are better at showcasing tastes from dried contents. Always chop ingredients. Avoid mincing or using fruits and plants that break down easily as they are hard to strain. Infusing at room temperature is ideal in most cases.

It is best to keep the infusion recipe simple at first. Use a single ingredient from the yard or a few that pair well together. Cocktail recipes make good guidelines for deciding which type of alcohol to use. Many tequila drinks incorporate citrus slices or juices. Whiskey cocktails often use blueberries, cherries or apples. Vodka, having no pronounced flavor, is a common base for practically any flavored mixed drink. Besides creating one’s own infusion, there are many true and tried recipes. Below are some worth trying:

All bottles in the recipes are 750 ml unless otherwise stated, and each infusion should be shaken gently periodically.

Limoncello: 10 lemons, 3 ½ cups warm water, 2 ½ cups sugar, and 1 bottle of vodka. Shave lemons with a vegetable peeler. Remove any pith. Add lemon peels and vodka to a container. Dissolve sugar in warm water and combine with vodka and lemon peels. Infuse for one to four weeks, depending on desired citrus taste. Strain into a decorative bottle and store in the freezer.

Lavender Gin: 6 tsp fresh lavender blossoms and 1 bottle of floral gin. Place blossoms in a jar, pour in gin, seal, gently



Limoncello

shake and let stand. Lavender blossoms can over-infuse making gin bitter tasting, so sample after five hours. If not ready, taste every hour until gin is fragrant. Strain into a decorative bottle.

Scented Geranium Vodka: 1 cup of loosely packed scented geranium leaves and 1 bottle of vodka. Gently crush geranium leaves before adding them to a container. Cover with vodka, seal, and let infuse for two days. Strain into a decorative bottle.

Apple Pie Bourbon: 3 sliced apples, 3 cinnamon sticks, 10 – 12 whole cloves, ¼ cup of sugar, and 1 bottle of bourbon. Combine all ingredients in a container and seal. Let stand for two weeks. Strain into a bottle, or for presentation purposes, into three mason jars and add apple slices back in.

Nasturtium Rum: Enough nasturtium flowers to loosely fill a 750 ml container or 3 smaller ones and 1 bottle of pale rum. Cover flowers with rum, seal, and steep for up to three weeks. Strain into a decorative bottle.

Rose Petal Vodka: Enough rose petals to fill a 750 ml container or 3 smaller ones, 2 tbsp of sugar, 1 bottle of vodka. Pour sugar and vodka over rose petals, seal, and infuse for no more than 3 days. Strain into a decorative bottle.

Lemon Balm Liquor: 3 cups of lemon balm leaves, zest of 3 lemons, 1 cup honey, and 1 bottle of vodka. Gently crush lemon balm leaves and combine with all other ingredients in a jar and seal. Infuse for four to six weeks and strain into a decorative bottle.

Homemade Gin: 2 tbsp of juniper berries, ¾ tsp coriander seeds, ¼ tsp allspice, a 3-inch peel of any citrus fruit, 1 bottle of 100 proof vodka, and about a ¼ tsp of any botanicals sourced from the



Scented Geranium Vodka

garden. Botanicals could include lavender, rosemary, yarrow flowers, yerba buena leaves, or any other plant with a pronounced flavor. Combine ingredients and infuse for one month or so until taste is satisfactory.

When plants and fruits from the garden are used to transform a bottle of alcohol into a delectable drink, the enjoyment it brings is just as intoxicating as the beauty of the plants and flowers themselves.

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Apple Pie Bourbon Infusion

THE ACWD CONNECTION

STATEWIDE BAN ON NON-FUNCTIONAL TURF IRRIGATION FOR COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL & INSTITUTIONAL PROPERTIES

In response to California’s record-setting drought, the state has adopted emergency regulations temporarily banning irrigation of non-functional turf with drinking water on commercial, industrial and institutional properties.

Non-functional turf has been defined by the state as “turf that is solely ornamental and not regularly used for human recreational purposes or for civic or community events.”

Effective June 10, 2022, owners and managers of commercial industrial and institutional (CII) properties are prohibited from irrigating non-functional turf with potable water. This ban was issued by the Governor and will be in place for one year unless modified or readopted.

For more questions, call our Water Conservation team at 510-668-4218.

Further details about the emergency drought regulation are available on the State Water Board’s website at bit.ly/conservationreg

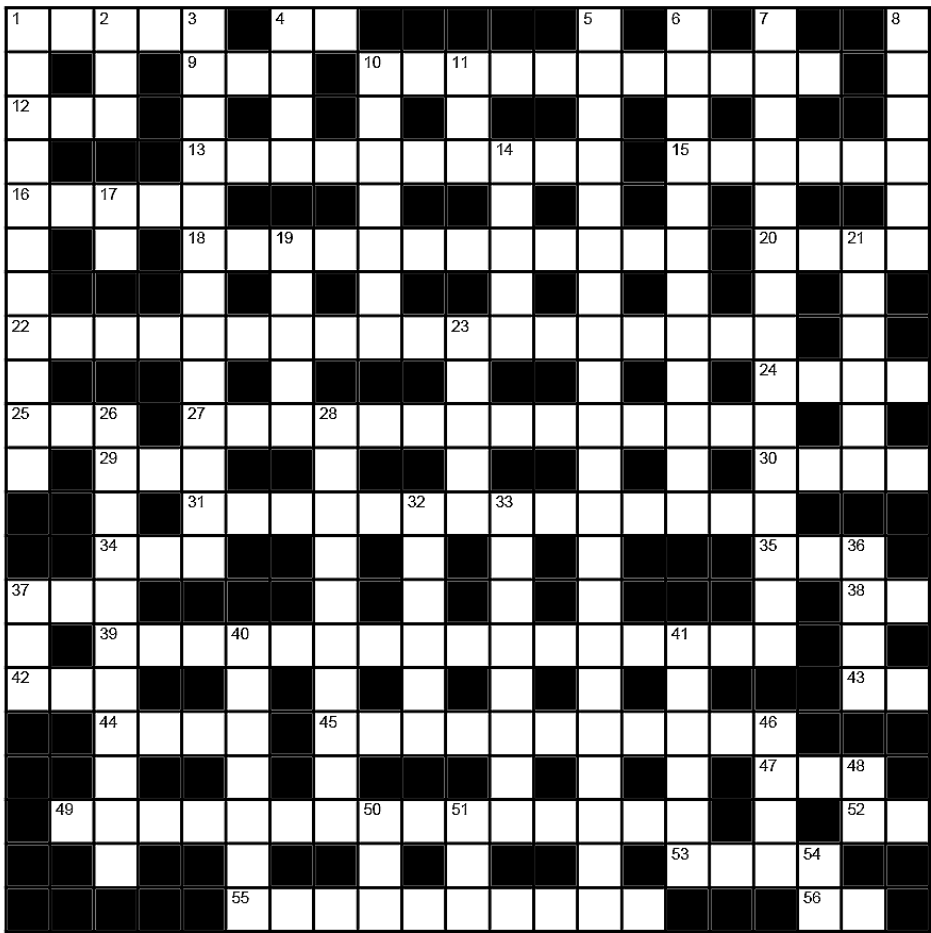


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Mind Twisters

Crossword Puzzle



- Across

1

" ___ tov!" (5)

4

Depart (2)

9

Half of a Heyerdahl title (3)

10

Plotter (11)

12

"The Rum ___ Tugger" (song from "Cats") (3)

13

Italian eatery (10)

15

Advanced course (6)

16

Desert: Prefix (5)

18

Dieter, at times? (5,7)

20

"Life of Pi" author ___ Martel (4)

22

Annual to-do item (3,5,10)

24

Recipe amt. (4)

25

Green New Deal proponent, initially (3)

27

"As a matter of fact..." (2,4,3,5)

29

___ polloi (3)

30

Atlas abbr. (4)

31

Correspondents covering Wimbledon? (5,9)

34

Texter's "Beats me" (3)

35

Narc's find (3)

37

Berne's river (3)

38

Above (2)
- 39

"Heaven forbid!" (6,3,7)

42

Compete (3)

43

That thing (2)

44

Rhodes, to Italians (4)

45

Infinite quality (11)

47

Archipelago unit: Abbr. (3)

49

As a remembrance (3,3,5,4)

52

"That hurt!" (2)

53

Barely managed, with "out" (4)

55

Controllers of flow (10)

56

Belonging to (2)
- Down

1

Extended family member (6-2-3)

2

"Invader ___" (Nickelodeon cartoon series) (3)

3

Attackman's equipment (8,5)

4

Magazine contents (4)

5

Dimensionless physical quantity at the heart of Michael Atiyah's purported proof of the Riemann Hypothesis (4-9,8)

6

Influential older man (6,6)

7

Friend in need (6-2-3-4)

8

Joins a poker game (4,2)
- 10

Frog, at times (7)

11

Youth group. (3)

14

Introduction to chemistry? Jackson role) (2)

17

"Captain ___" (1986 Michael Jackson role) (2)

19

Court decree in Canada. (5)

21

Brit's diaper (6)

23

"Socrate" composer (5)

26

Committee head (11)

28

Fertilizer's purpose (10)

32

Did farrier work (6)

33

Cheek (8)

36

Hungarian sheepdog (4)

37

Off-road goer, for short (3)

40

Christmas tree decorations (7)

41

Bangtail. (3-3)

46

Monkey. (4)

48

Behold (2)

50

Babysitter's handful (3)

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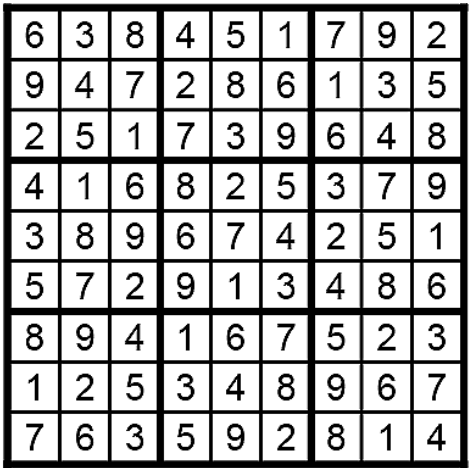
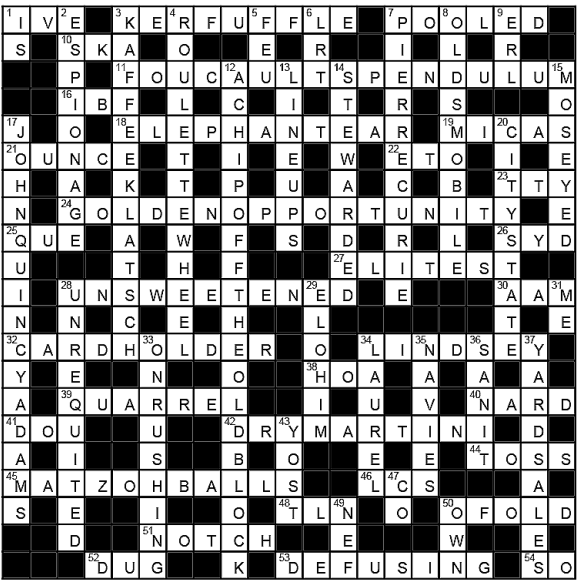
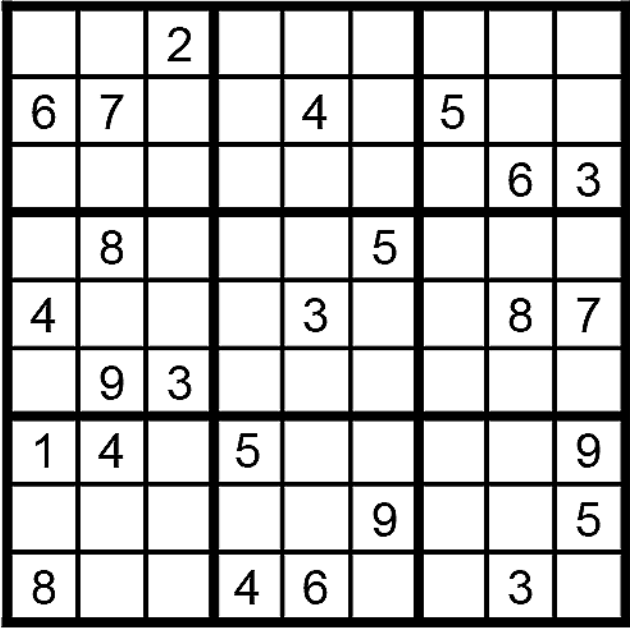
"Boola Boola" singer (3)

54

Execute (2)

Sudoku:

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



Tri-City Stargazer FOR WEEK: JULY 19, 2022

All Signs: This week, Mercury and the Sun enter truth-seeking Leo. This is wonderful news because for the first time in 12 years, lucky Jupiter is in Aries. Meanwhile, both Aries and Leo are Fire signs, which means when the Sun and Mercury move into Leo this week, this creates a magnificent vibration with lucky Jupiter, which in turn, promotes feelings of peace and harmony. Everyone will feel more optimistic, enthusiastic and have a better chance of finding parking. This is time to take stock, and try new things. It’s a great time to travel.

Aries the Ram (March 21-April 20):

For the next four weeks, your personal mantra will be, “I want to be me! I want to enjoy myself!” You will feel more lighthearted and playful than usual, which is why you will make an effort to enjoy sports events, entertaining diversions, the theatre, fun luncheons, romantic dates, playful activities with kids and exciting vacations. Aries people also love to camp. This placement of Mercury will make you want to pursue mental activities for their own sake – games, puzzles and mysteries.

Taurus the Bull (April 21-May 20):

This week the Sun and Mercury will trigger a four-week window where your focus on home and family will become much stronger. You might be involved more with a parent. You will enjoy spending more time at home, relaxing among familiar surroundings. Many of you will tackle home-repair projects and enjoy family discussions. Because Mercury will be at the bottom of your chart, you will take more time to reflect and examine your personal life, as well as think about whether your goals are meeting your needs.

Gemini the Twins (May 21-June 20):

Get ready because the next four to five weeks are fast-paced and stimulating! Your ruler Mercury will be in its “home” in your chart, which will intensify its energy. You will be more involved in group discussions. You will meet new people, take short trips and have

more contact with relatives and neighbors. You will not want to settle down. Au contraire! The tempo your life will be accelerating! Break free from your everyday routine. Remember that it’s important to express your views, especially your affection to loved ones.

Cancer the Crab (June 21-July 21):

This is a lovely time for you because fair Venus is in your sign promoting your desire to relate to others. Venus will also make you warm, friendly, diplomatic and charming. It’s also a good time to buy wardrobe treasures and score bargains! In the next four weeks, your interest in money, cash flow and taking care of what you own will be stronger. Financial transactions will take place. You will also give more thought to your values and where you stand on certain issues.

Leo the Lion (July 22-August 22):

This is a powerful time because both the Sun and Mercury are moving into your sign this week. This will boost your energy and your confidence, which is why you will create a better impression on everyone. Meanwhile, Mercury is the planet of communication, and when it’s in your sign, it helps you to communicate effectively because you will put more of yourself into what you say. This winning combo puts you in the perfect position to impress others and be successful in going after what you want.

Virgo the Virgin (August 23-September 22):

Because your birthday is a month away, your personal year is coming to an end. When this occurs, the Sun, and this week, Mercury, are actually “hiding” in your chart. You will prefer being in the background for the next four to five weeks. The next few weeks are an ideal time to go off by yourself to think, study, and make goals for your new year ahead (which begins on your birthday). Goals give you a clearer focus on what is important.

Libra the Scales (September 23-October 22):

You are the most social sign in the zodiac. This week, the Sun and Mercury will move into the part of your chart associated with groups and friends. This means friendships will become more important, and you will examine the role people play in your life. It will give you the personal courage to establish who you are with your friends. You are a people pleaser. Now, it’s time to think of who is willing to please you.

Scorpio the Scorpion (October 23-November 21):

Once a year, for four weeks, the Sun sits at the top of your chart, casting you in a flattering spotlight. Bosses, parents, teachers and VIPs will see you as competent and capable. That makes the month ahead the perfect time to make your pitch or ask for permission or approval for whatever you want. Mercury will also be at the top of your chart helping you to make plans about your professional life. It’s a great time to take up studies that will help your career.

Sagittarius the Archer (November 22-December 21):

This week the Sun and Mercury move into the part of your chart that is your “home.” This means you will feel energized to do all the things you love! It will heighten your desire to travel and broaden your horizons. It will promote opportunities in publishing, the media and anything to do with medicine and the law. It will also help you finish important papers or manuscripts. It will encourage discussions about abstract ideas and general philosophy and approaches to life. And fiery Mars will help you work hard to attain your goals.

Capricorn the Goat (December 22-January 19):

In the next four weeks, you will get in touch with some hidden aspects of yourself. You might go deeper within yourself and make changes in your way of thinking. In part, this is because the Sun is now helping you be more in touch with your inner being. You want to experience things beyond just an intellectual level. You will also have more discussions about finances, property and shared possessions because these areas will concern you as well. Fortunately, Venus opposite your sign will pave the way for smooth negotiations.

Aquarius the Water Bearer (January 20-February 18):

This week the Sun and Mercury move directly opposite your sign. (This happens once a year.) Don’t go it alone. It’s best to work with others or create working units and partnerships. It’s an excellent time to ask for help from consultants, lawyers, specialists or astrologers. You can examine your closest partnerships. If so, you have more

objectivity to discover what needs these relationships do or do not fill in your life. Mercury will help you to clarify issues to someone else. Mercury will also stimulate conversations with others –and arguments!

Pisces the Fish (February 19-March 20):

You will accomplish a lot in the next four to five weeks because this week both the Sun and Mercury are moving into your House of Employment. Even if you are retired, this astrological energy will help you to focus on whatever task you set yourself. Mercury makes this an excellent time for mental work. You will pay more attention to details and enjoy planning and looking at something from every angle. Relations with coworkers will likely improve. In addition, you will explore ideas about how to improve your health.



By Georgia Nicols
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CASTRO VALLEY TOTAL SALES: 11						
Highest \$: 1,785,000		Median \$: 1,503,000				
Lowest \$: 860,000		Average \$: 1,417,682				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
21735 Baywood Ave	94546	860,000	3	1192	1942	5/19/22
2655 Somerset Avenue	94546	1,100,000	2	1268	1950	5/17/22
7721 Summerhill Place	94552	1,188,000	3	1443	1997	5/16/22
3530 Teeling Court	94546	1,210,000	3	1684	2019	5/19/22
6063 Greenridge Rd #275	94552	1,430,000	4	1891	1975	5/16/22
22125 West Lyndon Loop	94552	1,503,000	4	2379	2000	5/19/22
18703 West Cavendish Dr	94552	1,588,000	-	2078	1978	5/17/22
5837 Alderbrook Court	94552	1,600,500	4	2154	1984	5/19/22
22829 Rancho Palomares Pl	94552	1,650,000	5	2560	1997	5/17/22
5471 Troost Court	94552	1,680,000	4	2078	1978	5/16/22
5724 Medallion Court	94552	1,785,000	4	2098	1985	5/18/22

FREMONT TOTAL SALES: 43						
Highest \$: 3,300,000		Median \$: 1,590,000				
Lowest \$: 332,000		Average \$: 1,500,488				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
3337 Foxtail Ter #202	94536	332,000	-	421	1986	5/17/22
39109 Guardino Dr #335	94538	500,000	1	693	1987	5/16/22
39191 Argonaut Way	94538	640,000	1	1030	1974	5/19/22
172 Hackamore Ln #24	94539	680,000	2	835	1983	5/16/22
39224 Guardino Dr #213	94538	717,000	2	1053	1990	5/20/22
38566 Royal Ann Cmn	94536	730,000	3	1180	1971	5/19/22
3333 Howard Common	94536	750,000	2	1024	1971	5/17/22
3975 Lake Tahoe Terrace	94555	831,000	2	1056	1971	5/20/22
113 Mohave Cmn #24	94539	890,000	2	1200	1986	5/20/22
42766 Hamilton Way	94538	1,000,000	3	1156	1959	5/19/22
38524 Thane Street	94536	1,010,000	2	810	1954	5/18/22
1045 Dolphin Common	94536	1,139,000	2	1178	1995	5/17/22
43886 Paso Pino Cmn	94539	1,150,000	2	1431	2012	5/17/22
3998 Fossano Common	94538	1,275,000	3	1771	2017	5/18/22
3633 Dowitcher Terrace	94555	1,400,000	3	1607	1989	5/20/22
4340 Providence Terrace	94538	1,418,000	3	1485	2008	5/20/22
39061 Presidio Way	94538	1,475,000	3	1356	1960	5/17/22
44969 Insight St #1008	94538	1,491,000	-	-	0	5/20/22
2046 Clematis Court	94539	1,500,000	3	1568	1963	5/19/22
45188 Tom Blalock St #306	94539	1,560,000	3	2465	2019	5/20/22
34141 Asti Terrace	94555	1,585,000	4	1969	2013	5/17/22
34739 Bowie Common	94555	1,590,000	3	1384	1988	5/16/22
32488 Lake Chabot St	94555	1,600,000	3	1239	1973	5/18/22
5473 Borgia Road	94538	1,630,000	5	2206	1962	5/17/22
42431 Grand Teton Park St	94538	1,635,000	3	1347	1963	5/17/22
36146 Magellan Drive	94536	1,650,000	4	2026	1955	5/17/22
5401 Buckner Terrace	94555	1,651,000	3	1481	1988	5/16/22
39639 Blacow Road	94538	1,651,000	3	1379	1961	5/18/22
5364 Tanglewood Park Dr	94538	1,660,000	4	1581	1963	5/18/22
4476 Peralta Boulevard	94536	1,750,000	3	1917	2007	5/19/22
42589 Fern Circle	94538	1,761,000	3	1488	1987	5/19/22
35236 Lancero Street	94536	1,770,000	3	1739	1965	5/20/22
42656 Fern Circle	94538	1,826,000	3	1633	1987	5/18/22
4042 Margery Drive	94538	1,845,000	5	1924	1958	5/19/22
38258 Acacia Street	94536	1,898,000	4	1569	1961	5/17/22
350 Phantom Falls Cmn #Cmn	94539	1,950,000	-	-	0	5/19/22
38525 Kimbro Street	94536	1,970,000	4	2055	1962	5/18/22
35665 Chaplin Drive	94536	1,975,000	3	1671	1985	5/20/22
32716 Bucks Lake Lane	94555	2,025,000	4	2141	1976	5/18/22
747 Choctaw Drive	94539	2,220,000	3	1481	1976	5/16/22
490 Calistoga Circle	94536	2,501,000	4	2083	1994	5/19/22
2826 Benchmark Ave	94536	2,590,000	4	2682	1986	5/16/22
44153 Boitano Drive	94539	3,300,000	4	2643	1989	5/16/22

HAYWARD TOTAL SALES: 34						
Highest \$: 1,700,500		Median \$: 880,000				
Lowest \$: 380,000		Average \$: 977,309				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
418 Orchard Avenue	94544	380,000	2	958	1910	5/17/22
25850 Kay Avenue #225	94545	464,000	1	748	1989	5/16/22
933 Cheryl Ann Cir #6	94544	480,000	2	1060	1979	5/19/22
22511 Colton Court	94541	528,000	2	1080	1987	5/20/22
25037 Copa Del Oro Dr #204	94545	625,000	2	958	1986	5/20/22
1015 Imperial Place #22	94541	630,000	2	1565	1982	5/18/22
26599 Luvena Drive	94544	636,000	3	951	1950	5/19/22
1013 Evans Court	94544	695,000	3	1219	1986	5/16/22
18007 Sahara Road	94541	740,000	3	1314	1973	5/18/22
24905 Joyce Street	94544	750,000	3	960	1952	5/19/22
27774 Orlando Avenue	94545	760,000	3	1000	1955	5/20/22
1054 Firestone Court	94541	761,000	2	1270	1973	5/18/22
151 May Court	94544	805,000	3	1550	1952	5/19/22
740 City Walk Place #1	94541	838,000	3	1418	2001	5/19/22
3361 East Avenue	94541	850,000	1	1038	1927	5/16/22
27697 Havana Avenue	94544	875,000	3	1000	1954	5/17/22
27673 Seminole Way	94544	880,000	3	1000	1954	5/16/22
24362 Park Street	94544	880,000	3	1015	1950	5/17/22
161 Burbank Street	94541	925,000	4	1910	2012	5/18/22

24927 Muir Street	94544	930,000	4	1556	1952	5/19/22
582 Cottage Park Drive	94544	1,080,000	3	1523	2007	5/20/22
2322 Sleepy Hollow Ave	94545	1,100,000	3	1260	1959	5/19/22
2234 Sleepy Hollow Ave	94545	1,128,000	3	1215	1957	5/16/22
1181 Huron Lane	94545	1,160,000	3	1276	1957	5/19/22
1312 Radcliff Lane	94545	1,210,000	3	1476	1959	5/20/22
22345 Ralston Court	94541	1,230,000	3	1416	1962	5/17/22
4030 Freestone Place	94541	1,299,000	4	1922	2017	5/17/22
31066 Chicoine Avenue	94544	1,299,000	3	1707	0	5/19/22
508 Palmer Avenue	94541	1,310,000	4	1995	2016	5/20/22
25129 2nd Street	94541	1,350,000	4	1600	1960	5/17/22
2868 Randall Way	94541	1,550,000	4	1949	1961	5/20/22
24401 Chandler Road	94545	1,680,000	4	2249	1979	5/16/22
27895 Adobe Court	94542	1,700,000	5	2650	1971	5/17/22
345 Bridgecreek Way	94544	1,700,500	5	2677	1999	5/17/22

MILPITAS TOTAL SALES: 12						
Highest \$: 2,300,000		Median \$: 1,457,500				
Lowest \$: 518,000		Average \$: 1,448,500				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
412 Dempsey Rd #113	95035	518,000	2	842	2007	6/8/22
800 South Abel St #526	95035	925,000	2	1259	2007	6/10/22
1816 Snell Place	95035	1,180,000	3	1450	2010	6/6/22
1729 Lee Way	95035	1,288,000	3	1512	2013	6/10/22
1789 Girard Drive	95035	1,335,000	3	1102	1960	6/9/22
410 Desert Holly Street	95035	1,450,000	4	2035	2018	6/9/22
714 Calero Street	95035	1,465,000	3	1277	1960	6/10/22
241 Spring Valley Lane	95035	1,500,000	3	1242	1970	6/9/22
998 Hamilton Avenue	95035	1,591,000	3	1659	1978	6/6/22
1224 Glacier Drive	95035	1,800,000	4	2349	1970	6/6/22
96 Calypso Lane	95035	2,030,000	5	2636	2014	6/8/22
790 Alcosta Drive	95035	2,300,000	4	2874	1981	6/10/22

NEWARK TOTAL SALES: 8						
Highest \$: 3,000,000		Median \$: 1,410,000				
Lowest \$: 750,000		Average \$: 1,502,813				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
6460 Market Avenue	94560	750,000	3	1054	1953	5/18/22
6426 Cedar Boulevard	94560	1,127,500	3	1414	1963	5/16/22
5687 Daylily Street	94560	1,150,000	3	1622	2017	5/19/22
37986 Luma Terrace	94560	1,340,000	3	1873	2015	5/20/22
37745 Manzanita Street	94560	1,480,000	3	1379	1965	5/16/22
39744 Potrero Drive	94560	1,550,000	3	1766	1994	5/20/22
36248 Worthing Drive	94560	1,625,000	3	1930	1971	5/19/22
39416 Dragonfly Street	94560	3,000,000	5	3792	2019	5/20/22

SAN LEANDRO TOTAL SALES: 15						
Highest \$: 1,580,000		Median \$: 880,000				
Lowest \$: 483,000		Average \$: 972,367				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
1212 Drake Avenue	94579	483,000	3	1081	1951	5/17/22
3823 Yorkshire Street #4	94578	499,000	2	896	1987	5/18/22
1522 Kelly Avenue	94577	760,000	3	1309	1942	5/17/22
1584 152nd Avenue	94578	780,000	2	1050	1941	5/17/22
659 Macarthur Blvd	94577	815,000	3	1732	2008	5/18/22
14386 Corvallis Street	94579	860,000	3	1436	1951	5/19/22
14023 School Street	94578	880,000	2	1358	1956	5/19/22
2329 Marina Boulevard	94577	880,000	3	1885	1949	5/20/22
357 Accolade Drive	94577	920,000	4	1627	2002	5/19/22
2120 Placer Drive	94578	980,000	2	1378	1955	5/20/22
15921 Wellington Way	94578	1,170,000	2	1417	1948	5/19/22
649 Maple Court	94577	1,210,000	2	1118	1922	5/18/22
1449 Sandelin Avenue	94577	1,250,000	2	1530	1940	5/17/22
856 Bridge Road	94577	1,518,500	2	1534	1936	5/17/22
1755 Vistagrand Drive	94577	1,580,000	3	2819	1975	5/20/22

SAN LORENZO TOTAL SALES: 5						
Highest \$: 1,060,000		Median \$: 1,009,000				
Lowest \$: 870,000		Average \$: 992,800				
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED
17480 Via Alamitos	94580	870,000	3	1043	1950	5/20/22
1790 Via Natal	94580	1,005,000	3	1238	1955	5/18/22
871 Via Bregani	94580	1,009,000	3	1403	1956	5/20/22
1866 Bandoni Avenue	94580	1,020,000	3	1252	1955	5/16/22
16019 Via Anade	94580	1,060,000	3	1460	1955	5/19/22



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Call to confirm activities shown in these listings.

CONTINUING EVENTS

Monday – Friday, June 22 – July 22

Words for Lunch

11 a.m. – 12 noon
Lunch and reading activities
Hayward Public Library, Heritage Plaza
888 C St., Hayward
mark.salinas@csueastbay.edu

Monday – Saturday, July 1 – July 31

Sunrise and Sunset

11 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Watercolor/pastel paintings by Robin Scholl
Portola Art Gallery
Allied Arts Guild
75 Arbor Rd., Menlo Park
www.portolaartgallery.com

Monday - Friday, July 5 - August 11

Climate Change: Endangered Planet

9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Artists reflect on our climate emergency
John O'Lague Galleria
Hayward City Hall
777 B St., Hayward
(510) 581-4050
www.sungallery.org

Monday and Wednesday, June 22 – July 22

Words for Lunch

11 a.m. – 12 noon
Lunch and reading activities
Mia's Dream Come True All Abilities Playground
28377 Huntwood Ave., Hayward
mark.salinas@csueastbay.edu

Tuesday – Saturday, July 12 – July 30

Bissell Empty the Shelters \$

1 p.m. – 5 p.m.
Adopt a dog, rabbit, kitten or cat for \$20
Hayward Animal Shelter
16 Barnes Ct., Hayward
(510)293-7200
www.haywardanimals.org

Wednesdays

San Lorenzo Street Eats

5 p.m. – 9 pm.
1062 Grant Ave., San Lorenzo
www.thefoodtruckmafia.com

Thursdays

Newark Street Eats

5 p.m. – 9 p.m.
6430 Thornton Ave., Newark
www.thefoodtruckmafia.com

First Thursdays

Plethos Comedy Lab \$

8 p.m.
Ever-changing lineup of Bay Area comics (18+)
Castro Valley Marketplace Lab 200
3295 Castro Valley Blvd., Castro Valley
<https://plethos.org/>
Tickets: \$10

Thursdays, Fridays, Sundays

Patterson House Tours

11:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m., 2:30 p.m.
Tour the Patterson House Museum
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
www.ebparks.org
(888) 327-2757

Thursdays, Fridays, Sundays

Animal Feeding

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Check for eggs and feed livestock
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
www.ebparks.org
(888) 327-2757

Thursdays, Fridays, Sundays

Ride the Rails

10:20 a.m. – 2:55 p.m.
Travel on the train through the eucalyptus groves
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
(888) 327-2757
www.ebparks.org

Arts & Entertainment

Friday, July 15 – Sunday, July 31

Picasso at the Lapin Agile \$

Fri/Sat: 8 p.m., Sun: 6 p.m.
Comedy imagines a meeting between Pablo Picasso and Albert Einstein
Chanticleers Theater
3683 Quail Ave., Castro Valley
(510-733-5483)
<https://chanticleers.org>
\$27 General Admission; \$22 Senior/student

Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays, July 16 – Aug 14

San Leandro Players Present: Harvey \$

Saturday: 8 p.m.
Sunday: 2 p.m.
Fridays 8/5 and 8/12: 8 p.m.
San Leandro Museum/Auditorium
320 West Estudillo Ave, San Leandro
(510) 895-2573
www.slplayers.org
\$20 general; \$15 seniors & under 12

Fridays

Fremont Street Eats

5 p.m. – 9 p.m.
3500 Capitol Ave., Fremont
www.thefoodtruckmafia.com

First Fridays at Chabot Space \$

6 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Hands-on activities, workshops, and performances
Chabot Space and Science Center
10000 Skyline Blvd., Oakland
<https://chabotspace.org/>
\$15 adults, \$10 seniors/kids, \$5 members

Third Saturdays

Investigating Space \$

11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Discuss topics in exploring space with researchers and scientists (Included with admission)
Chabot Space and Science Center
10000 Skyline Blvd., Oakland
<https://chabotspace.org/>

Saturdays

Laugh Track City

8 p.m.
Improvised games and scenes based on audience suggestions (Please show proof of vaccination)
Made Up Theatre
4000 Bay St., Ste B, Fremont
(510) 573-3633
madeuptheatre.com
Tickets: \$15

Saturdays, July 2 - August 27

Bubbleworks

2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
4 p.m. - 5 p.m.
Upbeat pop music and bubble machines
Courtyard near Old Navy
39281 Fremont Hub

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, July 19

Climate Action Plan Workshop #2

6:30 p.m.
Learn and provide input on Hayward's proposed draft measures
Via Zoom
hayward.zoom.us
environment@hayward-ca.gov
Register at: <https://bit.ly/3RDDJHu>

Wednesday, July 20

How to Get into the College of Your Choice

4 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Tips and strategies to demystify college admissions
RSVP for link:
<https://bit.ly/FreeCollegeEvent>

Thursday, July 21

Employment Fair

9:30 a.m. – 12 noon
Bring your resume; possible interview on site
Age Well Center at South Fremont
47111 Mission Falls Ct., Fremont
<http://bit.ly/agewellclass>

Friday, July 22

Family Caregiver Film Series: Strangers in Good Company R

10:30 a.m.
Eight elderly women find themselves depending on each other
City of Fremont
3300 Capitol Ave., Fremont
fsharifi@fremont.gov
(510) 574-2035

Friday, July 22

Rancho Del Agua Caliente Tour

10:30 a.m.
Tour the adobe, display of artifacts
Galindo-Higuera Adobe
47300 Rancho Higuera Rd., Fremont
City.fremont.gov/agewellcenters

Friday, July 22

Lee Rocker of the Stray Cats

8 p.m.
Evening of music by upright slap bassist
Bankhead Theatre
2400 First St., Livermore
<https://livermorearts.org>

Friday-Sunday, July 22 - 24

National Adoption Weekend \$

1 p.m. – 5 p.m.
Adoption fee \$20
Hayward Animal Shelter
16 Barnes Ct., Hayward
www.haywardanimals.org/adoptions

Saturday, July 23

Keep Hayward Clean and Green Task Force R

8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

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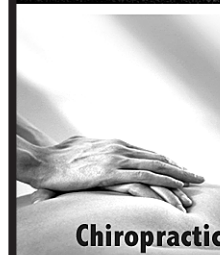
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835 C St., Hayward
www.hayward-ca.gov/khcg

Saturday, July 23
Storefront Storytime
11 a.m.
Mindfulness book reading “I Am Peace”, walk-up art workshop
Books on B
1014 B. St., Hayward
(510) 538-3943
www.booksonb.com

Saturday, July 23
Pressing Plants
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Take home your own pressed and preserved plant
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
www.ebparks.org
(888) 327-2757

Saturday, July 23
Berry Picking
10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Bring a basket and gather berries
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
www.ebparks.org
(888) 327-2757

Saturday, July 23
Clothespin Dolls
1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Create and dress up your own doll

Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
www.ebparks.org
(888) 327-2757

Saturday, July 23
Tail Wagging Tales
11 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Read your favorite book to Bentley the dog
Centerville Library
3801 Nicolet Ave., Fremont
aclibrary.org

Saturday, July 23
Pop-Up Pet Adoption Event
10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Free adoption of rabbits, cats, guinea pigs and maybe dogs
San Lorenzo Library
395 Paseo Grande, San Lorenzo
(510) 293-7200
www.haywardanimals.org

Saturday, July 23
Keep Hayward Clean and Green Task Force R
8 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Help beautify downtown Hayward.
Grabbers, bags, and gloves provided
Heritage Plaza
835 C St., Hayward
Register on Eventbrite.com

Saturday, July 23
Folklorico Fun in the Sun Festival \$
2 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Food, vendors, games, folklorico performances

Ballet Folklorico Mexico Danza
1472 Zephyr Ave., Hayward
(510) 303-1042
Mexicodanza.com

Saturday, July 23
Campfire Program
8:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.
Nature topic “Skulls and Skins”, games, songs, activities.
Parent participation required.
Dumbarton Quarry Campground
9400 Quarry Rd., Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Sunday, July 23-24
Discovery on Demand
10:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Hands-on activities, live animal feeding, learn about habitats
Coyote Hills Visitors Center
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd., Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Saturday, Sunday, July 23-24
Nectar Garden Exploration
11 a.m. – 12 noon
Discover native pollinators and plants
Coyote Hills Visitors Center
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd., Fremont
(510) 544-3220
www.ebparks.org

Sunday, July 24
Wheat Harvesting
1 p.m. – 2 p.m.
Help mill grain into stone-ground flour
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
(888) 327-2757
www.ebparks.org

Sunday, July 24
Victorian Herbal Remedies
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Make your own herbal tea to take home
Ardenwood Historic Farm
34600 Ardenwood Blvd., Fremont
(888) 327-2757
www.ebparks.org

Monday, July 25
Process Art Project – Peaceful Wish Sticks
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Decorate sticks with personal hopes and wishes for peace
Books on B
1014 B. St., Hayward
(888) 538-3943
www.booksonb.com

Monday, July 25
CAR-A-VAN
5 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Police escort drive on residential streets to show off fun and colorful vehicles
Southland Mall Parking Lot
Winton Ave. & I-880
www.hayward-ca.gov/NN0

Tuesday, July 26
Brain Health Talk Series: Social Determinants of Brain Health in the Bay Area R
1:30 p.m.
Latest research on healthy aging
Family Resource Center – Pacific Room
39115 Liberty St., Fremont
City.fremont.gov/awcclasses

Tuesday, July 26
Age Well, Drive Smart R
10 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Aging and its effects on safe driving
65+
Age Well Center at Lake Elizabeth
40086 Paseo Padre Pkwy., Fremont
http://bit.ly/agewellclass

Summer Outdoor Movie Nights & Concerts

Free Outdoor Movies
8 p.m.
Bring picnic dinner, low-back chairs or blankets, flash-lights

Sing 2
Saturday, July 22
Kennedy Park
19501 Hesperian Blvd., Hayward

Luca
Friday, August 19
Castro Valley Community Park
18988 Lake Chabot Rd., Castro Valley

Addams Family 2
Friday, September 10
Meek Estate Park
240 Hampton Rd., Hayward

HaywardRec.org

Classic Movies Under the Stars
Reserve tickets at www.milpitas.gov
\$5 per person

Some Like It Hot
Friday, August 12
8 p.m.
Civic Center Plaza, Milpitas

Movie Night Out
Reserve tickets on www.milpitas.gov
\$10 = up to 6 seats

Sing 2
Friday, July 29
8:30 p.m.
Foothill Park, Milpitas
Summer Concerts

Dive in Movie: Luca
Friday, July 22
Doors Open: 7 p.m.
Showtime: 8 p.m.
Farrelly Pool
864 Dutton Ave., San Leandro
(510) 569-1245
www.sanleandro.org/377/Recreation-Human-Services
Tickets: \$3 online, \$6 at the door

Milpitas Summer Concert Series

The Cires
Friday, July 22

6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Pinewood Park
Starlite Dr., & Lonetree Ct., Milpitas

Jordan T
Friday, August 5
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Hall Park
La Honda Dr., Milpitas

Groovin’ at the Grove Free Summer Concerts
Gates open: 4 p.m.
Concert: 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

July 22 – Cisco Kid
August 5 - Servants

Shirley Sisk Grove
NewPark Mall, Newark
Bring a blanket or low-back chair
www.newark.org

Fremont Summer Concert Series
6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

July 21 – Almost Famous
July 28 – Big Bang Beat
August 4 – Jukebox Heroes
August 11 – Aja Vu

Central Park Performance Pavilion
40204 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont
(510) 494-4300
RegeRec@fremont.gov

Pacific Commons Summer Concert Series
7 p.m. – 9 p.m.

July 22 - Gary Flores Trio (Latin jazz/salsa)
August 26 - TinMan (classic rock)
September 23 - Last One Picked (rock, blues, country)

Pacific Commons Shopping Center
Auto Mall Parkway at I-880, Fremont
(510) 770-9798

3 O’Clock Jump
Third Saturdays: August 20, September 17, October 15
1 p.m. – 4 p.m.
Big Band music in outdoor patio (no cover fee)
World Famous Turf Club
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(510) 244-3449
www.worldfamousturfclubca.com

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July 23 – Salute to Russell City Blues Women
July 30 - West Coast Caravan of All Stars (closing festivities)

Heritage Plaza
888 C St., Hayward
OR
Hayward City Hall Plaza
777 B St., Hayward
www.westcoastbluessociety.org

Hayward Oddfellows Summer Concerts
Sundays; 1 p.m. – 5 p.m.

August 7 - 3 O’Clock Jump
August 14 – Uncle Rico’s with The Hypnotones, Mike Meagher’s Music Machine, Brown & Lee, Alrighty Then, and Spirit Flute
August 21 – Gravity
August 28 – SweetSp0ts
September 11 – Hayward La Honda Music Camp
September 18 – Giant Spiders and 129
September 25 – East Bay Youth Orchestras and East Bay Symphonic Band

Hayward Memorial Park Outdoor Amphitheater
24176 Mission Blvd., Hayward
www.haywardlodge.org

150 Minutes of Music and Light
Thursday, August 11
Food trucks: 5:30 p.m.
Band begins: 6:30 p.m.
Hella Fitzgerald concert, food trucks, light show sponsored by Pinnacle. Bring a lawn chair.
Marina Park
14001 Monarch Bay Dr., San Leandro
SanLeandro.org/150

Florida man tries to flee deputies on a riding lawn mower

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Florida deputies used a taser to stop a man who tried to avoid arrest by fleeing on a lawn mower on July 9.

The Okaloosa County sheriff’s office said it was trying to serve arrest warrants on the 40-year-old man and found him on the mower in a backyard. They shouted at him to stop and get on the ground when he tried to escape on the mower.

Deputies chased him on foot before using the taser. When he was finally caught deputies found him with a revolver, a handcuff key and a pipe with methamphetamine residue. He is facing charges of grand theft, grand theft of a vehicle, felony criminal mischief, two counts of resisting an officer, possession of a concealed weapon by a convicted felon, carrying a concealed handcuff key, possession of drug paraphernalia, felony failure and other counts.



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SUBMITTED BY CITY OF FREMONT

A new 72-unit housing development aimed at low-income renters will soon be opening in Fremont and applications are now being accepted for 57 of the units in the development's first phase.

Granite Ridge Apartments, located at 3135 Medina Common in the Centerville area, include 1-bedroom, 2-bedroom, and 3-bedroom floor plans and a community room, computer lab, on-site manager and resident services. Several of the units are designated for people who are experiencing homelessness. The units are anticipated to be move-in ready by this fall and will be managed by Eden Housing, a Hayward-based nonprofit that works to develop affordable housing.

To be eligible to lease one of the units, households must earn a gross monthly income to support two times the monthly rent. Preference will be given to people currently residing or working in Fremont, Newark or Union City, then those residing or working in Alameda County.

To qualify, applicants cannot exceed the annual gross income listed below based on their household size:

Household size:	Annual Gross Income
1 person:	\$60,000
2 persons	\$68,580
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6 persons	\$99,420
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Current rent ranges:

1 bedroom	\$1,071-\$1,607
2 bedroom	\$1,286-\$1,929
3 bedroom	\$1,485-\$2,228

Note that these figures are subject to change.

To submit an application online, visit the Alameda County Housing Portal at <https://housing.acgov.org>, then select the "See Rentals" box and follow the Granite Ridge Apartments link.

Applications must be filed by 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 27.

Applications received will be placed into a lottery. A waiting list will be created based on the results of the lottery and the ranking order of the applications. Applicants will be invited for an interview in the order of the waiting list. Interviews will continue until the maximum number of applicants to fill the units has been reached. Those who do not receive a unit will be placed on the Granite Ridge Apartments waitlist according to their lottery ranking order.

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Granite Ridge Apartments

Construction to close Niles Canyon Road

SUBMITTED BY FREMONT POLICE DEPARTMENT

Motorists planning to travel through Niles Canyon along State Route 84 from July 22 to July 25 should look for another route because of road construction work.

Caltrans will close the roadway, also known as Niles Canyon Road, in both directions from Palomares Road in Fremont to Main Street in Sunol for work on the Alameda Creek Bridge. The closure will start at 8:00 p.m. Friday, July 22 and continue until 5:00 a.m. Monday, July 25. In the case of rain or unanticipated developments, the closure will be rescheduled and the public will be notified.

During this closure, a contractor will work around the clock to install polyester concrete overlay on the existing bridge railings on Alameda Creek bridge deck in both the eastbound and westbound directions. Once concrete is cured, a temporary striping will be placed, and the road will be opened to traffic.

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be in place to advise motorists about the closure throughout the weekend.

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Traffic from Palomares Road:

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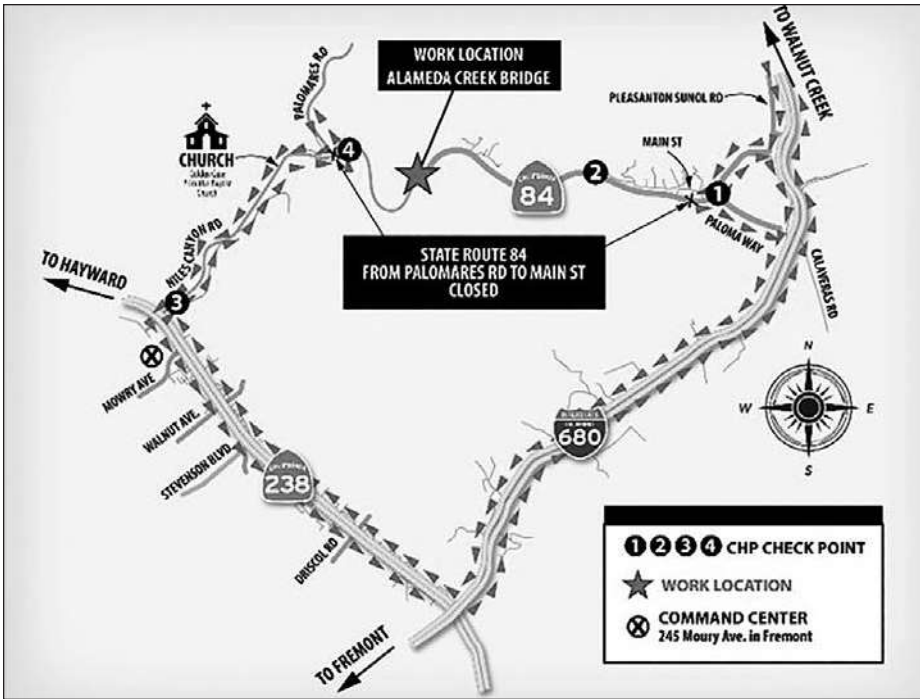
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- Northbound Route 680
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Traffic from Sunol and Pleasanton Sunol Road:

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- Southbound Route 680
- Offramp to northbound Route 238 (Mission Boulevard)

- Northbound Route 238
- Westbound Route 84
- Traffic from southbound Route 680 and westbound Route 84:**
- Via: Continue Southbound Route 680
- Offramp to northbound Route 238 (Mission Boulevard)
- Northbound Route 238

Caltrans officials are advising motorists to drive with caution and be aware of work zone alerts and follow detour signage posted during the construction. All-day traffic updates are posted online at 511.org and real-time traffic is posted on the Caltrans QuickMap site at quickmap.dot.ca.gov/.



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Teen saves police officer and 3 others from drowning

NEWSFINDER FROM AP

City officials are commending a Mississippi teen for saving a police officer and three teenage girls from drowning in the Pascagoula River.

Corion Evans, 16, jumped into the river around 2:30 a.m. Sunday after he saw a car drive off the I-10 boat

launch. The driver of the vehicle said she was following her GPS and did not realize she was headed for the water's edge, according to a Moss Point Police Department news release Wednesday.

Evans and one of his friends, Karon Bradley, jumped in and helped get the teenagers inside the vehicle onto the roof, WLOX-TV reported.

Moss Point police officer Gary Mercer was called to the scene and said Evans was already in the water when he arrived. Mercer said he jumped into the river and began assisting one of the teenagers before she panicked and caused him to go underwater. Evans then helped Mercer and the teenager reach the shore.

“If Mr. Evans had not assisted, the situation could have turned out differently, instead of all occupants being

rescued safely,” said Moss Point Chief of Police Brandon Ashley.

The Moss Point mayor and board of aldermen presented Evans with a certificate of commendation for his actions Tuesday night.

"We are proud of the young man for having the courage to forget about himself and jump into the water," Mayor Billy Knight told The Associated Press. "It's not often enough that you see people put others above themselves."

OPINION



WILLIAM MARSHAK

An initial confrontation with an escalator can be daunting. Unlike many other forms of transportation, escalators are designed to move continuously, relying on a user's ability to step on or off a moving surface. This dynamic staircase design evolved from a never-built "revolving stairs" patent in 1859 to the current flexible metal horizontal slat, track design. Throughout its many iterations, it has retained the concept of a continuous, belt-driven loop designed to move groups of people between building floors with little waiting time [and continue to function as a static staircase in the event of motor failure].

Typically, escalators rise at an angle of approximately 30 degrees and move at a speed of 1-2 feet per second. The speed and angle of ascent are critical factors when determining practical applications since safety is a primary concern. If either of these factors becomes extreme, the danger of injury to passengers can rapidly

increase. Entanglement of clothing or footwear with moving parts is also cause for concern.

Just as it's not unusual to find escalators in many public and private facilities, their ubiquitous presence in a variety of forms has been incorporated into our daily lives. Some escalators are mechanical devices, easily understood and obvious, while others are more subtle and insidious. When seen in contrast to a roller-coaster, for instance, an escalator appears relatively benign but is that always the case? While a roller-coaster signals drastic change and anticipation of a sudden decline, the other, although possibly accompanied by a descending companion, moves at a well-measured, comfortable and constant angle and speed.

For most of us, our eyes glaze over when economic forecasts, cost of living and price indexes are reported. They are usually relegated to the world of economists and number geeks. However, whether we recognize it or not, we are all on a world escalator that is constantly moving. Some movements are worldwide such as climate change while others can either be widespread or limited to a particular region or country – job growth, currency value, inflation. In any event, recognition of the movement is, at times obscured by the smooth functioning of the escalator behind these patterns. It is hard to recognize or respond when the

ride is smooth and the angle of ascent moderate. However, even an escalator requires some agility and expertise as well as regular maintenance. Otherwise, unwanted, even disastrous consequences of a roller-coaster ride will result.

We are currently in the throes of an escalator experience that has inexorably carried us to new heights of technological progress, but its angle and speed have become seriously unbalanced. As a result, inflationary pressure, housing, climate and a host of corollary social problems have arisen akin to a roller-coaster ride that requires a secure seat belt and steady nerves. While a wild ride, filled with conflicting sensations of trepidation and angst, repair is possible and with it, a return to a more benign escalator ride. However, in our society, it is up to citizens to demand responsibility from their leadership in fiscal and organizational matters. Is this the best moment for inflationary raises in the public sector?

William Marshak
PUBLISHER

Student-led organization promotes student volunteering

SUBMITTED BY SRINIDHI SAMPATH

In the past few weeks, more than 300 new students have joined Student Bono's intern network, helping the organization surpass their 1,000 student milestone.

Student Bono is a student-led organization based in Fremont with a two-fold mission of nonprofit vitality and student experience; the organization is working to counter the tumultuous times of change and unpredictability imposed by the COVID-19 pandemic.

In fact, Student Bono itself was founded by a high schooler during the pandemic. "I saw that there was a huge, untapped potential in the commitment, capability, and creativity of today's high school students," says rising senior Krish Parikh, the organization's founder and Executive Director. "Student Bono was initially founded to harness that power as a force for good, and help the world during the challenges of the pandemic."

After living life online during the pandemic and experiencing vocational uncertainty, students are gearing up to invest their newfound free time into meaningful

endeavors. With this greater need for opportunities, where do students turn for help? A growing sanctuary is Student Bono, which bridges the gap between nonprofits attempting to sustain their initiatives and talented high school students with staff-level skills who are trying to hone their abilities.

Students can apply for these intern opportunities—which span from robotics and engineering to fundraising and graphic design—on the organization's website, or by accessing any of its social media outlets. Nonprofit organizations in need of an adept student force can reach out to Student Bono, who will provide them with interns with skills relevant to the internship.

Now, almost two years after its founding, Student Bono has worked with 24 nonprofit partners including Endangered Species International, Oppia, and even Stanford University. With the completion of their most recent projects, they will have worked with over 1,000 students around the world, spanning from the Los Angeles and Chicago, to Egypt and India. Across all their internships, SB interns have raised over \$18,727 and have educated thousands of people with their work.

"I'm sometimes in disbelief of how big of an impact Student Bono has had. We've been able to provide so many students with valuable opportunities for them to contribute meaningfully to the world, and we've been able to help so many nonprofits in fulfilling their missions," adds Parikh.

As Student Bono continues to grow, they hope to touch more people—student interns, nonprofit organizations, and the thousands of people who benefit from the nonprofits and interns' work—with their efforts. It's a story of hope, where despite the challenges of the pandemic and the nonprofit staff exodus today, everyone, including teenagers, are rising up to address these challenges and help society. All it takes is a dream and the drive to create something that's far greater than themselves. Parikh says, "To me, Student Bono is concrete evidence for the idea that youth can change the world."

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Fremont students win top academic award

SUBMITTED BY LAURA FORREST

Officials from Fremont Unified School District (FUSD) recently announced that seven district students have been named 2022 National Merit Scholarship winners. The FUSD students are among more than 1,200 high school seniors/recent graduates announced July 11 by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation, which awards these scholarships to National Merit Finalists who plan to attend the U.S. college or university financing the award.

American High School

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- Vinay Patil

Mission San Jose High School

- Sahiti Alladi
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- Jack Peng

“Our outstanding students continue to excel, thanks in large part to our phenomenal educators and wider community that supports each of our students to succeed in academics and beyond. I congratulate our graduates and these scholarship recipients on all they achieved in the past school year, and wish them well in the new chapters they’ve just begun,” said FUSD Superintendent CJ Cammack.

The latest winners bring FUSD’s total National Merit Scholars to 47 from the Class of 2022. In June 2022, seven FUSD students were named winners of college-sponsored Merit Scholarship awards. In April 2022, nine FUSD students were named winners of corporate-sponsored National Merit Scholarship awards. In May 2022, 24 FUSD students were named as winners of National Merit \$2,500 Scholarships.

Seniors from each comprehensive high school in FUSD, 169 in all, were named 2022 National Merit Scholarship semifinalists in September 2021. Finalists must have an outstanding academic record throughout high school, be endorsed and recommended by a high school official, write an essay, and earn SAT or ACT scores that confirm the student’s earlier performance on the qualifying test. Scholarship winners also submitted applications demonstrating their academic record, community service, leadership, employment and honors/awards received.

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Personal Attendant-Care Giver

I am 61-year-old woman with cerebral palsy, I am really easy going, friendly and pleasure to be around. I cannot physically walk and I use a wheelchair daily to get around, but I am very independent. I drive myself to and from work every day in my van that is specially equipped for my needs. I am able to load and unload myself into the van without any help. However, I do need help with my evening routines. I have a golden retriever named "Sweetheart" that will also need to be fed and let outside. I walk Sweetheart daily in the evening when I return from work. I also have a live-in care attendant/roommate that is more like family to me, that will also help with my weekend and overnight care. Duties include: some meal prep, light cleaning, pet care, incontinence care, dressing for bed and transferring into bed with Hoyer lift.

The successful candidate would work an evening shifts: Monday through Friday 5pm to 11pm (for my evening care) Benefits: For Full-time Employees: medical insurance (Kaiser/dental through Delta Dental) (employer pays 100% of the premium for the employee), paid vacation (48 hours/year) For all employees: paid sick time (24 hours/year), holiday bonuses, 401k.

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The successful candidate would work Morning shifts: Monday through Friday 7:30am -9:30am to help me get ready for work in the morning. (Morning hours might change during summer) Benefits: For Full-time Employees: medical insurance (Kaiser/dental through Delta Dental) (employer pays 100% of the premium for the employee), paid vacation (48 hours/year) For all employees: paid sick time (24 hours/year), holiday bonuses, 401k.

To apply for this position, please call/text (510)302-9897 and/or email your resume to tnelson@bayareasupportservices.org The successful candidate must enjoy pets, I have a golden retriever name “sweetheart”. The candidate will need to clear Community Access-Supported Living Live-scan/background check. Job Type: Part-time/Full-time depending on your availability Pay: \$15 per hour COVID-19 considerations: Vaccine required, PPE supplies provided

Business Reporting Analyst (Newark, CA). ID data needs, metrics, ensure integrity of all data used to support departmental reporting. MS Info Sys, Stats, or related. 2 yrs exp healthcare informatics or healthcare data analysis. Exp must incl some solid background in: SQL; ETL; SQL server (SSMS); SSRS; MS Access, Excel, Office; database management; quantitative data analysis; business reporting. MUST follow these specific application instructions: Send CV, cvr ltr to jhurtado@stanfordhealthcare.org or Josefina Hurtado, Stanford Health Care, 1850 Embarcadero Rd, Ste B, Palo Alto, CA 94303 within 30 days Re Job #W2021-390.

Account Supervisor (Market Account Specialist), Milpitas, CA.
Develop account strategy & provide strategic marketing & managerial guidance 4 pharmaceutical clients. Implement assigned brands & ensure optimal execution & client satisfaction. Mng client bdgt, expenses, & variable revenue. Oversee acct activity 2 ensure exectn in line w/strategic needs. Monitor & comm indiv hrs & bdgt status of projs. Generate new prod & promo ideas. Devel & present key segments of new biz pitches. Partcpt in client mtgs & build solid relationships w/ clients. Provide directn 2 intrnl teams & direct reports. Contrib 2 Acct Svcs grp thru idea genertrn & mentorg. Reqs: Bach in Biotech, Pharm Sci or related + 2 yrs exp in positn devel comm stratgs 4 pharm or med accts & bldg pharm or med brand mgmt. Req bkgd chks, incl emplymt, ed, crim, SSN & references. Send resume: J Kilkus, Director, HR, Purohit Navigation, Inc., 233 S. Wacker Drive, Ste. 6220, Chicago, IL 60606 or hr@purohitnavigation.com.

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March 25, 1929- July 5, 2022
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July 1, 1936 – July 4, 2022
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February 6, 1945 – July 14, 2002

Keith Medeiros
Resident of Watsonville
January 9, 1926 – July 14, 2022

Agusto Pascual
Resident of Milpitas
August 23, 1968 – July 14, 2022

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Resident of Fremont
June 23, 1935 – July 13, 2022

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Resident of Fremont
May 13, 1930 – July 12, 2022

Patricia Deggelman
Resident of Fremont
July 20, 1930 – July 11, 2022

Florentino Halog Sr.
Resident of Union City
September 22, 1942 – July 10, 2022

Ryan Freitas
Resident of San Jose
July 29, 1970 – July 9, 2022

Pritam Singh
Resident of San Jose
March 3, 1930 – July 8, 2022

Michael Coleman
Resident of Reno
January 17, 1951 – July 7, 2022

Hitendra Vasa
Resident of Danville
November 13, 1957 – July 6, 2022

Michael Williams
Resident of Redlands
June 8, 1986 – July 3, 2022

Gilbert Castillo
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November 3, 1949 – July 3, 2022

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November 1, 1957 – July 2, 2022

Delia Ormonde
Resident of Fremont
September 27, 1942 – July 2, 2022

Dorothy “Jean” Gardner

June 21, 1931 - June 27, 2022

Resident of Fremont



Dorothy Gardner, of Fremont, passed away on June 27, 2022, at the age of 91. Jean is survived by her 5 children, Maria Yraceburu (Linda), Teddy Jr. (Kelly), Gladys, Carrie (David) and Philip (Jennette) and Sister in Law Roberta (Gary) Marshall and extended family Lisa and Doug Maxwell and Haley and Nathan Thom. She also has 10 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. Jean had two younger brothers who preceded her in death, Harold R. Baker and Clifford W. Baker and her Husband Ted L. Gardner.

Dorothy Jean Baker was born on June 21st, 1931 in Omaha, Nebraska to Harold S. and Mary G. Baker, a Methodist Minister and his wife. Jean studied to become a nurse and worked at the Firestone Tire Company before meeting the Love of her life Ted in 1957. Jean was a member of the Phi Beta Epsilon Sorority and served as its president until the middle 1970's. She and Ted along with their youngest son Philip moved to Majorca, Spain in 1980 on a special job for United Airlines, whom Ted worked for nearly 40 years. They returned to Fremont after 2 1/2 years in Spain and then operated Sequoia Wholesale Thermography in Hayward together for 13 years after which they retired to Grass Valley in 2001.

Jean and Ted lived in Fremont for more than 50 years before moving to Grass Valley where they lived until Ted's passing in January of 2016. Jean stayed in Grass Valley for another 2 years before health issues required a move back to Fremont in 2018 to be closer to her children and friends. She has lived at the Cogir Retirement Community

on Country Drive until her passing.

Jean was an active member of the Irvington Presbyterian Church for more than 60 years and has served her church in many capacities as a Deacon, Sessions Member and a member of the Choir for many years. Jean was also instrumental in the starting of the Tri Cities Breakfast Program with other members of the Church and her Husband Ted. This program continues to serve the needy in Irvington and the city of Fremont.

Jean was one of the most loving and giving people anyone could ever meet. She always had a smile even when things were not going so well for her personally. She had many many friends and loved them all. She will be forever in our hearts and memories.

A Memorial Service will be held for Jean on Saturday, July 23, 2pm at Irvington Presbyterian Church, 4181 Irvington Avenue, Fremont, CA 94538.

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The "Life" That John Donald Moore Built



five southern states for the next 8 years. He was a foreman of a welding gang and lived in an outfit car, which is a box car converted into housing.

He moved to the Bay area in 1962 and went to work for United Airlines as a welder and became an aircraft engine inspector till his retirement of 28 years.

In 1972, he was one of the five founders of the BMW Motorcycle Owners of America Club (BMWMOA). Which he enjoyed until the end of his life.

In 1982 he started an income tax practice and became an enrolled agent with the IRS, and eventually accounting and investment advisory service, which evolved into Moore Financial Services. He took great pride in helping people reach their retirement goals.

He is survived by son, John M. Moore, and his daughters Susan Beeman, Cathy Smith, Cheryl Cook, and Charlene Burkhardt and eight grandchildren.

John Donald Moore died peacefully at his home in Fremont, Ca. the morning of December 23rd, 2021, at the age of 89 years old, comforted by family.

John was born in Westmoreland, CA. November 1st, 1932, and graduated high school in 1951, he then enlisted into the National Guard where he served three years.

He then became a welder for Southern Pacific Railroad where he worked and lived throughout

Lupe Lopez

December 13, 1932 – July 12, 2022

Resident of Newark



Lupe Lopez, of Newark, passed away on July 12, 2022 surrounded by her family at the age of 89.

A Funeral Service will be held for her on Saturday, July 23, 11am at Hayward Apostolic Church, 28436 Harvey Ave., Hayward, CA 94544.

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Christina Marie Chester

December 12, 1949 – June 12, 2022

Resident of Fremont

Christina Maria Chester resident of Windsor Country Care, passed away peacefully on June 12, 2022 at the age of 72. Christina leaves behind her sister Regina Cake, and her only daughter Kathy Hughes. She is also survived by 2 grandsons, and 3 great grandchildren.

She was born December 12, 1949 in Albany, New York to Bob and Rose Martratt. Christina had a love for Roller Skating and Owls. Christina was a loving, and kind person and will be deeply missed by her family, friends and anyone who knew her.

A Private Service was held.

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Christine Montez

Loving Mother, Sister, Nana, Aunt & Friend



Our mom who was fighting Alzhimers and cancer lost her battle on June 30, 2022 at her home surrounded by her family. Our mom is survived by her three daughters Leslie Alves from Castro Valley and Julie Johnson and Mishelle Montez from Fremont. Our mom went home to be with God and her parents Evelyn Mough and Fred Mazzeo. She is also survived by her big brother from Santa Cruz, James Mazzeo. Chris has 10 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren

whom she loved dearly. Our mother's dedication to working hard and loving even harder was what made her who she was. She had two careers that she loved equally and that was being an engineer for Pacific Bell for 25 years and also being a school clerk for John F. Kennedy High School for another 25 years. She had many passions, but the two most dear to her heart were spending time with family and friends and playing BINGO. Our mother loved and treated everyone equally and her favorite saying that she always lived by was to always live, love, & laugh! She was a beautiful woman and she touched so many people's lives, for that she will be greatly missed by all.

We will be having a Celebration Of Life for our mom on August 19, 2022 from 2pm to 6 pm at Swiss Park in Newark.

We are asking everyone to please bring a special dessert to share. If anyone has any further questions please do not hesitate to contact Mishelle at (510) 386-7627

Michael "Mike" H. Coleman

Resident of Reno, NV

January 17, 1951 to July 7, 2022

Mike was born in Peoria, Illinois to parents Walter and Martha "Pat" Coleman. He was raised in Eugene, Oregon where he was a graduate of Churchill High Class of 1969 and graduate of the University of Oregon with a business degree in Marketing.

Mike was a high school track and decathlon champion. He loved to ski, golf, travel and had a keen interest in music and history! He possessed the most amazing intellect, memory and sense of recall. Loved it when his friends called him to get the answer to a trivia question.

Mike travelled extensively with his work in corporate retail management for many years before moving to Aptos, CA for a career in Real Estate and in Sales and Marketing. In Aptos, he met his soulmate, the love of his life, wife Judy.

They were married for 25 wonderful years and traveled the world together and with their Rotarian friends.

After retirement Mike and Judy moved to Reno, NV. where they met special neighbors and friends.

Mike is survived by his wife Judy Kithcart Coleman, his Aunt Eleanor Shane, loving siblings Dr. Randall Coleman (Carol), Debbie Sittner (Fred), Sharon Clark (Dale) and brother-in-law Alan Kithcart. Mike is loving Uncle to Chris, Kevin and Doug Sittner, Crissy Coleman, Jenny Pierce and to five great nephews, many



cousins and friends. He was also lifelong friends with Paul Bennett, Ron Schacher (Heidi), Greg Schacher (Shirley) and their families.

Mike sends to each of you who knew him a fond smile with his bright azure blue eyes sparkling. He knew he was loved and loved you right back with his whole heart. He sends farewell for now! Think of him with laughter and happy memories shared!

A celebration of life will be held the weekend of September 24-25 in Reno, NV.

Memories of Mike can be shared online in his "family album" located at Berge Pappas Smith Chapel of the Angels website:

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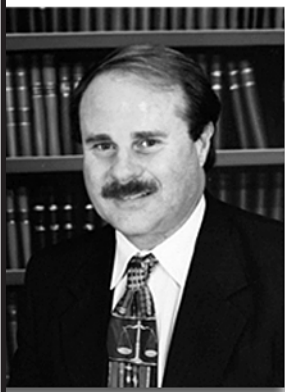
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Alice C. Martinez

March 10, 1927 – July 10, 2022

Resident of Union City



Alice Casillas Martinez, aka, Elisa Casillas Ramirez of Union City, California, passed away peacefully on July 10th, 2022, at the age of 95. Loving sister to 18 siblings. Loved mother of Harry Harrig, Alice Krull, Steven Martinez, and Julie Urquidez. Adored grandmother to Lisa Harrig, Eileen Solario, Daniel Harrig, Lanette Gonzalez, Kelly Orellana, Dolores Alvarez, Arlene Munoz, Richard Martinez, Shane Urquidez, Chad Urquidez, and Dylan Urquidez. Cherished great-grandmother and great-great grandmother to twenty-eight.

Born on March 10, 1927 in Valle de Guadalupe, Jalisco, Mexico to Jose Elias and Paula Ramirez. Known to many as "Alley Cat". Alice lived in San Diego for over 30 years and retired to Union City to travel and experience the next part of life near more family. Alice enjoyed spending time with her sisters and brothers, including many cruise trips – Alaska being her favorite. She also enjoyed Sunday morning football in her recliner, alongside her sister, Juana or son, Stevie. Alice was a

lifelong humanitarian who devoted weekly trips to Tijuana providing clothing, food, and basic necessities to those in need, including many orphaned children. Upon retirement from her career as a nurse, Alice continued to support and care for those in need. As she was called on by friends and friends of friends to provide in-home care for elderly in their final years. She accepted those requests with grace and offered dignity and the sincerest care to those she tended.

Alice was loved and enjoyed by many friends. In earlier years, Alice enjoyed bowling, darts, and bunco. Smiling, laughing, joking

and enjoying those functions were some of her best times. Alice was filled with joy and pride at the times she spent with her children and grandchildren. Countless trips to the beach, zoo, parks, SeaWorld, Disneyland, or just spending time watching Golden Girls or Wheel of Fortune...letting a grandkid squish next to her on her recliner. She was the most loving and active grandmother with a beautiful energy that will live on. Her legacy is as powerful and beautiful as her and her love. She will be missed dearly but always loved and appreciated.

Join the family in remembering Alice:

Sunday, July 24, 2022 at 5pm to release lanterns at sunset in Half Moon Bay.

A Funeral Service will be held on Tuesday, July 26th at 10-11am at Our Lady of the Rosary Church, 703 C St, Union City. Burial to follow at 12:00pm at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward where her ashes will be laid to rest with her mom and dad.

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Charmion Sorensen Murray

July 30, 1931 – May 21, 2022

Fremont, CA



Charmion "Charm" Murray passed away peacefully with family at her bedside on Saturday, May 21, in Fremont, CA. She was 90 years young.

Charm lived her entire life in Alameda County, CA. Born in Berkeley, and raised in Oakland, she graduated as a "January 49er" from Fremont High School in Oakland. In 1952, she married her husband, Dale Murray, and moved to Hayward, where they lived for 14 years before relocating the family to Newark. Fifty-one years later, in 2017, she and Dale moved to Fremont, where Charm would reside for almost 5 years.

In her youth, Charm was active in Jobs Daughters. For many years she supported church missions making bags and collecting donations for children in Ganado, Arizona on the Navajo reservation. She sorted, clipped, and counted all the

donated Box Tops for Education for the church preschool. After moving to Fremont, Charm became very active in the senior community where she lived participating in various groups. She was an avid reader and family historian, long before computers or the internet, researching and compiling centuries of ancestral history and stories because she

loved her family. She was devoted to her family, raising her children and enjoying her grandchildren.

Charmion was predeceased by her husband of 65 years, Dale, young son Daryl, and sisters Dorothea Bruun and Carol Davis. She is survived by 4 children Timothy, Victoria, David (wife Nancy), and Angela (husband George); 7 grandchildren Todd (wife Dana) and Taylor (their mother Theresa), Matthew, Elizabeth and Alexander (fiancé Miranda), Paul (wife Marie) and Elena; and her brother Viggo Sorensen.

A Celebration of Life will be held at Centerville Presbyterian Church, 4360 Central Ave., Fremont, CA on Saturday, July 30, at 11:00am. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Guide Dogs for the Blind, San Rafael or Centerville Presbyterian Church, Missions Projects.

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Violeta D. Nacional
September 23, 1936 – July 9, 2022
Resident of Newark

Violeta D. Nacional, 85, of Newark, passed away in Fremont on Saturday, October 9, 2022. Violeta is survived by her brothers and sisters: Linda (Chan), Rudolfo (Letty), Emma (Vir), Maria Leda (Fred), and Dan (Teri) in addition to numerous beloved nieces, nephews, and grand-nieces and grand-nephews. She was predeceased by her loving husband Pedro, her parents, and her brother Nelson and sister Carmen.

Violeta, known as Violy, was born in Miagao, Iloilo, (Philippines) on September 23, 1936 to Narcisa (Gimeno) and Gregorio Duran. She attended Iloilo City College to study Commerce. In 1956, she married a handsome U.S. sergeant major named Pedro Nacional whom she met through his sister when he was visiting his family nearby. They settled in Newark, CA that same year in a beautiful 3-bedroom home with a great garden where she spent many hours growing alugbati, lemons,



and lots of flowers. With Pedro, she gained her first taste of traveling as his job took him around internationally. Violeta loved life and celebrating it. She enjoyed throwing big backyard parties where she equally enjoyed winning at blackjack and laughing with her family and friends. In fact, she threw an 80th birthday bash where the rest of her family is still

recovering from the abundance of food and good times. When she could, she loved going on cruise tours with those same loved ones to Europe and Asia, visiting countries such as Russia, Netherlands, Italy, and of course the Philippines. When at home, she could be found shopping at Macy's (and other designer stores), making joking quips like "No money, no honey!", and showing her newest shopping finds to anyone near her. Visitation will be held from 1pm-5pm on Sunday, July 24th with a Vigil Service starting at 3pm at Fremont Memorial Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd., Fremont, 94536. A Funeral Mass will be held on Monday, July 25th, 10am at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 37588 Fremont Blvd., Fremont, 94536. A burial to follow at Irvington Memorial Cemetery in Fremont.

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Rick Allen Wood
October 29, 1961 – July 8, 2022
Fremont Chapel of the Roses

Rick Allen Wood, age 60, of Fremont passed away unexpectedly on Thursday July 8, 2022 from heart failure. He is survived by his mother Esther (Marlene) Wood; his children, Rikki Wood and Randy Wood; his granddaughter Penelope Lindstrom; his sisters Debbie Wood, Toni (Wood) VanHooser, Renee Wood, and Kelly Wood; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins. Preceding him in death was his father, Richard Wood. Since his early childhood, Rick always loved to artistically create, and those talents excelled with his passion for cars. He admired his father as a skilled welder, mechanic, and drag racer and dedicated his life following those footsteps. He took absolute pleasure working with his son to



carry on the tradition. Rick was a master mechanic and painter, there wasn't anything he couldn't fix. He built numerous cars for himself, always taking pride when going to the racetrack and car

shows. Throughout his years, he constantly strived to help others with their cars as well. Rick had a huge heart and was always there to give a helping hand. Whether it was a friend in need of support, a family member who trusted his advice, or a stranger who was feeling hard times. His friendships extended throughout generations, and he never forgot those who cared. A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, July 30, 2022 at 12:00 pm. at the Newark Pavilion, 6430 Thorton Avenue, Newark. If attending, in honor of his passion, please wear your favorite hot rod shirt!

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Fremont
City Council
July 12, 2022

- Consent Calendar:**
- Continue meetings via videoconference until Augusts 9, 2022.
 - Authorize contract with California Department on Aging for Senior Services.
 - Authorize playground maintenance contract with SpectraTurf, Inc. in an amount not-to-exceed \$891,344.
 - Authorize wage increase and amend employment agreement with City Attorney Rafael E. Alvarado Jr.
 - Authorize wage increase and amend employment agreement with City Manager Karena McGee Shackelford.
- Ceremonial Items:**
- Proclaim National Night Out Tuesday, August 2, 2022. Public Affairs Manager Amy Gi accepted the proclamation.
 - Ceremonial presentation of painting to City of Fremont by Michi Yee, President of Country Club of Washington Township.
 - Proclaim Summer Learning Week, July 11-15, 2022. Community Service Director Suzanne Wolf and Recreation Superintendent Irene Jordahl.
- Public Communications:**
- Comment about police report completeness including name and status.
 - Return Fremont Boulevard through Centerville to two lanes in each direction.
 - Unreported moving violations in annual financial report.

- Items Removed from Consent:**
- Approve successor Memorandum of Understanding with Fremont Police Association.
 - Approve successor Memorandum of Understanding with Fremont Association of Management Employees.
 - Approve successor Memorandum of Understanding with Fremont Fire Fighters.
 - Approve successor Memorandum of Understanding with Fremont Battalion Chiefs.
 - Approve successor Memorandum of Understanding with Professional Engineers and Technicians Association.
 - Approve successor Memorandum of Understanding with Teamsters Local 856.
 - Approve successor Memorandum of Understanding with City of Fremont Employee Association.
- PASSED 6-1 J(Nay, Kassan)
- Scheduled Items:**
- Public Hearing of draft of 2023-2031 Housing Element
 - Amend Fremont Municipal Code authorizing salary increase for Mayor and Council Members to take effect when "new" council is installed (December 2022). PASSED 6-1 (Nay, Salwan)

Mayor Lili Mei	Aye
Vice Mayor Raj Salwan,	
District 5	Aye, 1 Nay
Teresa Keng, District 1	Aye
Rick Jones, District 2	Aye
Jenny Kassan, District 3	Aye, 1 Nay
Yang Shao, District 4	Aye
Teresa Cox, District 6	Aye

Alameda County
Fire
Department
Log

SUBMITTED BY ACFD

Thursday, July 14

- At 5 p.m. firefighters responded to a residential structure fire on Sunnyside Drive in San Leandro. Upon arrival, they found heavy smoke and flames coming from the back of the house. They contained the fire within 30 minutes; there were no injuries.

Union City
City Council

July 12, 2022

Proclamations and
Presentations:

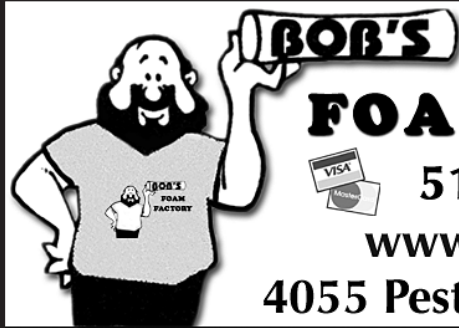
- Proclamation recognizing July as Parks and Recreation Month.
- Fourth of July After-Action oral report, Police Chief Jared Rinetti.

Consent Calendar:

- Waived further reading of proposed ordinance (this permits reading the title only in lieu of reciting the entire text of any proposed ordinance).
- Approve the minutes of city council meetings held on June 28, 2022.
- Adopt a resolution designating voting delegate and

- alternate delegate for League of California Cities Annual Conference - September 7-9, 2022 in Long Beach.
- Adopt a resolution accepting Measure B, Measure BB and Measure F Vehicle Registration Fee Audit Reports.
 - Reaffirm a State of Emergency resolution to continue conducting city legislative board meetings remotely due to COVID-19 pandemic health and safety concerns for another 30 days beginning July 12.
- Public Hearings**
- Conduct a public hearing and adopt a resolution confirming the assessment and order the levy for the Landscape and Lighting Maintenance District No 3 for fiscal year 2022-23.
 - Conduct a public hearing and adopt a resolution approving site development review for the development of two 5-story buildings containing 123 affordable rental housing units at 33945 7th St.
- City Manager Reports:**
- Consider and adopt a resolution asking voters at the November 8, 2022 election to consider a nine-year

- extension of the existing voter-approved local one-half cent transactions and use (sales) tax with no increase in tax rate to maintain city services.
- | | |
|---------------------------|-----|
| Mayor Carol Dutra-Vernaci | Aye |
| Vice Mayor Pat Gacoscos | Aye |
| Emily Duncan | Aye |
| Jaime Patiño | Aye |
| Gary Singh | Aye |



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Multiple arrests made in 2021 homicide

SUBMITTED BY
HAYWARD POLICE DEPARTMENT

Six suspects have been arrested in connection with the death of a Hayward man who was found lying injured on a street near downtown Hayward in late 2021 and later died.

In a July 13 statement, officials from Hayward Police Department (HPD) said the suspects, ranging in age from 19 to 48, were taken into custody following months of investigation by involving several East Bay police departments.

The case started Monday, October 4, 2021 when officers were called to the 400 block of W. A St. at about 6:50 p.m. to investigate a report of an injured male who was unconscious on the ground. Upon arrival, officers and medical personnel found the victim, later identified as Yeison Toroc, 25, of Hayward. Police said Toroc suffered injuries consistent with being assaulted and was taken to a hospital where he died.

Throughout the course of the investigation, six suspects were identified and, on June 30, 2022, four were placed under arrest.

These arrests were made as a result of a multi-jurisdictional operation with assistance from Union City Police Department, Fremont Police Department, Oakland Police Department and San Leandro Police Department.

Police identified the first four arrests as:

- Cristian Inocencio, 19, of Fremont
- Daniel Angulo-Armenta, 20, of Hayward
- Jonathan Delacruz, 24, of Union City
- Kevin Gonzalez, 27, of Hayward

On July 5, 2022, a fifth suspect, identified by police as Juan Navarro, 48, of Hayward was taken into custody by Hayward Police Department. Then, on July 13, through the collaborative effort with and assistance from the South Monterey County Task Force, HPD Detectives took the sixth and final suspect, into custody, they identified him as Victor Lucero, 31, of Oakland.

A homicide investigation is continuing and police are asking that anyone with information to contact HPD Detective Justin Green at (510) 293-7176.

Emergency crisis line goes live

SUBMITTED BY
MILPITAS POLICE DEPARTMENT

For people who are experiencing a personal or emotional crisis and need help right away, a new telephone resource service is now available in Milpitas and neighboring communities.

By dialing or texting to 988 callers have access to trained counselors who can help people experiencing suicidal, substance use and other mental health crises. Service is also available online at 988Lifeline.org. The service launched July 16 in Milpitas and is available 24-hours a day.

- How does 988 differ from 911?

People who call 988 will be connected to trained crisis counselors and local crisis care resources, which are distinct from 911, which dispatches paramedics, firefighters, and police to emergencies as needed. The 911 system generally does not attempt to provide counseling and crisis resolution over the phone. Rather, 911 is designed to quickly triage calls so that emergency personnel can be dispatched to a caller's location as soon as possible. The intention behind 988 is that mental health crises will get an emergency mental health response, rather than a police or paramedic response.

- Not sure which number to call?

988 is 24/7 crisis and support for anyone who needs help. It can be used when having thoughts of suicide, mental health crisis, or substance use crisis. Mental health crises that don't require additional intervention can be handled by 988 operators.

In some situations, such as suicide or imminent risk of suicide, a medical emergency, a violent crime in progress or another scenario in which someone's physical health or safety are involved, callers should dial 911.

- How do calls route to 988?
- 988 is NOT like 911. The way that calls are routed for 988 are based on the area code of the caller. For example, if a caller has a 916-area code and they call from Santa Clara County to 988, the call would be routed the Sacramento area crisis center.

Not all call centers are open 24/7, some may shut down and certain centers of the 200 in the network are assigned as backup or overflow centers. Backup or overflow centers also are provided to ensure that no one gets a busy signal when they call 988.

More information about the new dialing code is available on the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration website at [samhsa.gov/find-help/988](https://www.samhsa.gov/find-help/988).

A family affair

SUBMITTED BY UNION CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

For the first time in its 56-year history, Union City Police Department has a father and daughter on its roster of police officers. When Madison Geldermann was sworn in as an officer in early July she joined her father, veteran officer Nate Geldermann on the force serving the Union City community.



Nate Geldermann and Madison Geldermann are the first father and daughter cops in Union City Police Department history. Credit: UCPD/Facebook



City of Newark

City Clerk's Office

37101 Newark Boulevard
Newark, CA 94560

Notice of Newark Planning Commission Vacancy

The City of Newark is accepting applications from Newark residents interested in serving on the Planning Commission. One vacancy has occurred for a term that expires on December 31, 2023.

The Planning Commission consists of five members appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council. 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 7:00 p.m. in the David W. Smith City Hall, 37101 Newark Boulevard, 1st Floor, Newark.

Persons interested in serving on the Planning Commission are invited to apply. Applicants must be a current resident 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, 2nd Floor, via email city.clerk@newark.org, or by calling (510) 578-4266. Applications must be received in the City Clerk's office by 4:00 p.m. on July 29, 2022.

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: July 12, 2022

BART Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
LES MENSINGER AND
BART PD

Saturday, July 9

- At 2:37 a.m. a man identified by police as Terrance Bell, 31, of Redwood City was arrested at Milpitas station on suspicion of trespassing on railroad property. He was booked into Santa Clara County Main Jail.

Sunday, July 10

- At 6:15 p.m. a man identified by police as Jose Cervantesnoriega, 47, of Hayward was arrested at Bay Fair station in San Leandro on suspicion of possessing methamphetamine and drug paraphernalia and on outstanding warrants. He was booked into Santa Rita Jail.

Monday, July 11

- At 6:10 a.m. a woman identified by police as Keturah Carlisle, 46, of Oakland

Wednesday, July 13

- At 6:30 a.m. a person identified by police as

was arrested at San Leandro station on suspicion of assault and resisting an officer and a warrant. She was booked at Santa Rita Jail and issued a prohibition order.

- At 9:04 a.m. a man identified by police as John Moss, 56, of San Francisco was contacted by officers while on the trackway between Bay Fair station in San Leandro and Hayward station. He was arrested on suspicion of trespassing on transit property and battery on an officer. After being medically cleared, he was booked at Santa Rita Jail and issued a prohibition order.
- At 12:13 p.m. two men, identified by police as Manuel Ponce, 58, and Joseph Martinez, 59, both of Hayward were arrested at Fremont station on outstanding warrants and booked at Santa Rita Jail.

Keveen Satchel, 26, of Oakland was contacted at Warm Springs/South Fremont station on suspicion of fare evasion. A record check showed two outstanding misdemeanor warrants totaling \$25,000 in bail. Satchel was booked at Santa Rita Jail.

- At 11:50 a.m. a person identified by police as Hasani Bell, 24, of Union City was contacted on the platform at Union City station on suspicion of fare evasion. A record check showed an outstanding \$20,000 warrant issued in Union City. Bell was arrested and booked at Santa Rita Jail.
- At 7:17 p.m. a man identified by police as Ruben Blankas, 46, of Antioch was arrested at Bay Fair station in San Leandro on suspicion of possessing methamphetamine and drug paraphernalia and on a warrant. He was booked into Santa Rita Jail.

Newark City Council

July 14, 2022

Presentations:

- Introduction of employees Rebecca Hicks, Recreation Coordinator at Newark Senior Center and Alysia Reyes, Junior Engineer
- Proclamation for the Portuguese Fraternal Society of American Council Holy Ghost Festival 99th anniversary
- Public Works Director Soren Fajeau recognized for 25 years of service with the City of Newark

Consent Calendar:

- Approval of audited demands
- Approval of June 23, 2022 special and regular meeting minutes
- Adopt a resolution finding that there is a proclaimed state of emergency; authorizing continued remote teleconference meetings

Public Hearing

- Hearing to consider property owners' objections and adopt a resolution confirming the Superintendent of streets' report concerning weed abatement

Other Business

- Newark Railroad Quiet Zone Study presentation
- Ordinance amending Newark Municipal Code to increase salaries of City Councilmembers and Mayor by 10 percent. Motion passed; (3-1-1) Nay (Bucci), Absent (Freitas)

City Council Matters:

- Newark library providing free student lunches all summer
- Newark Mariachi Festival Sunday, July 24
- Mayor Nagy and council member Sucy Collazo will not be running for re-election

Mayor Alan Nagy	Aye
Vice Mayor Michael Hannon	Aye
Luis Freitas	Absent
Sucy Collazo	Aye
Michael Bucci	Aye, 1 Nay



Public Works Director, Soren Fajeau, accepts plaque for 25 years of service



Employee introduction of Rebecca Hicks (left) and Alysia Reyes (center)



Newark Portuguese Fraternal Society representatives receiving proclamation certificate

PUBLIC NOTICES

BULK SALES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE
(U.C.C. §6104, §105)
ESCROW #: 0126018005

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to creditors of the within named seller that a bulk sale is about to be made of the assets described below.

The names and business address of the Seller(s) is/are: Kay Yaim and Sam Yaim 46625 Mission Blvd, Fremont, California 94536

The location in California of the Chief Executive Office of the seller is: same as above
As listed by the seller, all other business names and addresses used by the seller within three years before the date such list was sent or delivered to the buyer are: None

The names and business address of the Buyer(s) is/are: Sreynneas Noun and Chandara Met 46625 Mission Blvd, Fremont, California 94536

The assets to be sold are described in general as: All stock in trade, furniture, fixtures, equipment and other property

And are located at: 46625 Mission Blvd, Fremont, California 94536

The business name used by the Seller(s) at those locations is: "Donut House"

The anticipated date of the bulk sale is: August 4, 2022

At the office of Old Republic Title Company @ 1000 Burnett Avenue, Suite 400, Concord, CA 94520.

The bulk sale is subject to California Uniform Commercial Code Section 6106.2. If so subject, the name and address of the person with whom claims may be filed is as follows: Old Republic Title Company @ 1000 Burnett Avenue, Suite 400, Concord, CA 94520 or E-Fax to 925-265-9040 or Fax 925-363-2276.

The last day for filing claims shall be August 3, 2022 which is the business day before the sale date specified herein.
Dated: June 9, 2022

Buyer(s):
/S/ Sreynneas Noun
/S/ Chandara Met
7/19/22

CNS-3605436#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 589993

Fictitious Business Name(s):
1. KSRRAH, 183 AUSTIN AVENUE, HAYWARD, CA 94544 County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
KATHERINE ARBUES, 183 AUSTIN AVENUE, HAYWARD, CA 94544

Business conducted by: an Individual

The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A.

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

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on 06/24/2022.

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).
Original Filing
7/19, 7/26, 8/2, 8/9/22

CNS-3604272#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 590035

Fictitious Business Name(s):
BHAGTANA TRUCKING, 4120 POLARIS AVE, UNION CITY, CA 94587, County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
RAVINDER SINGH, 4120 POLARIS AVE, UNION CITY, CA 94587, County of ALAMEDA

Business conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL

The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 06/28/2022

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].)

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on JUNE 28, 2022.

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).
7/12, 7/19, 7/26, 8/2/22

CNS-3603705#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 589865

Fictitious Business Name(s):
ALLRIGHT CRAFTS, 35211 ADRIANO ST., FREMONT, CA 94536, County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
NATALIE PECK, 35211 ADRIANO ST., FREMONT, CA 94536

Business conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL

The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A

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

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on JUNE 17, 2022

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).
7/5, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26/22

CNS-3601279#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 589750

Fictitious Business Name(s):
SAINT SABI, 41467 FREMONT BLVD, FREMONT, CA 94538, County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
CHRISTINE ROSATI, 41467 FREMONT BLVD., FREMONT, CA 94538

Business conducted by: MARRIED COUPLE

The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on N/A

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

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on JUNE 14, 2022

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).
7/5, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26/22

CNS-3600371#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 589881

Fictitious Business Name(s):
LUXURY TRAVEL SERVICES INC. / TRAVEL FOR LESS, 39111 PASEO PADRE PARKWAY #203C, FREMONT, CA 94538, County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
LUXURY TRAVEL SERVICE INC., 151 ESTRELLA RD., FREMONT, CA 94539

Business conducted by: 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].)

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on JUNE 20, 2022

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).
7/5, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26/22

CNS-3599955#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 589618

Fictitious Business Name(s):
KBN REAL ESTATES, 37091 HOLLY ST., FREMONT, CA 94536, County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
HAEL EUN LEE, 16416 SW CORNUS CT., SHERWOOD, OR 97140

Business conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL

The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 06-01-2022

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].)

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on JUNE 09, 2022

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).
7/5, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26/22

CNS-3599950#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 589843

Fictitious Business Name(s):
VIP CAB CO., 4722 ROSE AVE, UNION CITY, CA 94587, County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
SHAKIR LODIN, 4722 ROSE AVE, UNION CITY, CA 94587

Business conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL

The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 6/17/2022

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].)

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on JUNE 17, 2022

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).
7/5, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26/22

CNS-3599948#

GOVERNMENT

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Directors of the Alameda County Water District will hold a public hearing on Thursday, August 11, 2022 to review and consider the Alameda County Water District Draft Report on Water Quality Relative to Public Health Goals 2019-2021. The hearing will be held at the August 11 regular Board meeting, which begins at 6:00 P.M. at the District headquarters, 43885 South Grimmer Boulevard, Fremont, CA. Staff will be making a presentation on the Draft Report on Water Quality Relative to Public Health Goals 2019-2021 at the public hearing to present key facts and details pertaining to the Draft Report on Water Quality Relative to Public Health Goals 2019-2021. After said presentation the Alameda County Water District Board of Directors will hear and consider public comments, if any, to the aforesaid report. Members of the public may participate in person at the above address or via webinar by accessing <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83359856504?pwd=ZkxPUGVHVWmVNTl8raFc2UjUGY3ZkZzO9> (Passcode: 438204) or by calling any of the following phone numbers 1-669-900-9128 or 1-346-248-7799 or 1-301-715-8592 followed by 833 5985 6504.

A copy of the Draft Report on Water Quality Relative to Public Health Goals is available on the Alameda County Water District website at: <https://www.acwd.org/DocumentCenter/View/4545/2022-PHG-Report-for-Web>

GINA MARKOU
District Secretary
Board of Directors
Alameda County Water District
7/19, 7/26/22

CNS-3604045#

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
CHERRY STREET CLASS IV SEPARATED BIKEWAYS, PROJECT 1254

The City Council of the City of Newark invites sealed bids for the construction of public improvements for Cherry Street Class IV Separated Bikeways, Project 1254, City of Newark, Alameda County, California.

Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed opaque envelope. The envelope shall be sealed and clearly marked on its face with the Bidder's name, address and the notation "SEALED BID ENCLOSED, CITY OF NEWARK" with an identification of the PROJECT NAME, PROJECT NUMBER and BID DATE. The sealed envelope shall also be clearly marked on its face with the notation "SEALED BID ENCLOSED, CITY OF NEWARK" with an identification of the PROJECT NAME, PROJECT NUMBER and BID DATE as identified on this Notice to Bidders.

Sealed bids must be delivered to the City Clerk of the City of Newark at 37101 Newark Boulevard, David W. Smith City Hall, Second Floor, Newark, California 94560, before 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, August 2, 2022. The bid opening will be held using a hybrid format. At that time, all bids will be publicly opened, examined, and declared in the City Council Chambers at the City of

Newark David W. Smith City Hall, 37101 Newark Boulevard, First Floor.

To attend the bid opening by web browser, please use the Zoom link below for video and audio:

From a PC, Mac, iPad, iPhone or Android device: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87848112088?pwd=GM5cXzUqQ1A3a1E4aG5EdTbVktU09>

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Passcode: 127266

International numbers available: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/kRS7a77Ph>

City of Newark David W. Smith City Hall is currently open during limited hours only, Monday through Thursday, and every other Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The City will continue to comply with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), and local health agencies to provide a safe workplace for City staff and customers. In the event a new or updated COVID-19 Health Order is issued preventing the delivery or opening of bids as prescribed above in this Notice to Contractors, alternative provisions will be made for bid submittals at the same time and location. Any such provisions will be made available to all plan holders with an Addendum. The Separated Bikeways Improvements are generally described as follows:

Place approximately 862,800 square feet of type II polyurethane modified black aggregate slurry seal on Cherry Street between Central Avenue and Stevenson Boulevard. Project includes crack sealing, applying herbicide, traffic striping and legends removal, street sweeping services, thermoplastic re-striping, upgrading existing curb ramps to ADA-compliant curb ramps with detectable warning surfaces, upgrading existing Class II bike lanes to Class IV separated bikeways and related bike lane signage, installing new bicycle/vehicle detector loops and high visibility "green" pavement markings at all transition and conflict zones per the latest guidelines and recommendations developed by Caltrans, National Association of City Transportation Officials (NACTO) and Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), and other related items of work necessary to complete Separated Bikeways. The City reserves the right to add/delete certain elements from the project, if necessary, to stay within funding limitations at the sole discretion of the City Engineer.

Slurry seal work on this project shall be completed no later than Friday, November 18, 2022. It is the City's intent to award the contract for this work by Monday, August 15, 2022.

Plans and Specifications for the work may be obtained in electronic (PDF) format from the City of Newark Public Works Department, free of charge, via e-mail delivery by calling Ms. Helen Gordon at (510) 578-4452 or by e-mail to helen.gordon@newark.org.

Information regarding obtaining Plans and Specifications or a list of plan holders is available by calling Ms. Helen Gordon at (510) 578-4452 or by e-mail to helen.gordon@newark.org.

All technical questions should be directed to Anwar Mirza, Associate Civil Engineer, at (510) 578-4256 or by e-mail to anwar.mirza@newark.org.

No pre-bid meeting is scheduled for this project. However, Bidders are strongly urged to visit the job site before submitting bids. Submission of a bid shall be considered as an acknowledgement of site investigation.

The Contractor shall possess a valid Class A, Class C-12 or Class C-32 California Contractors license at the time bids are opened. The Clerk of the Board of Supervisors shall furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond. Items of work in conjunction with this project are included in the Proposal.

As of July 1, 2014, all Contractors bidding on this project are required to register with the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) and to pay the required annual fee. Under California Labor Code section 1771.1, as amended by SB 854, unless registered with the DIR, a Contractor may not bid or be listed as a Subcontractor for any bid proposal submitted for public works projects on or after March 1, 2015.

The City of Newark reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive any minor informalities, irregularities and/or bid non-responsiveness that does not influence the competitive nature of the bid.

The City of Newark hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business and women owned business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, marital status, sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, age, sexual orientation, including a perception that the person has any of those characteristics or that the person is associated with a person who has, or is perceived to have, any of those characteristics in consideration for an award.

Pursuant to Section 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: July 6, 2022
Kathleen L. Slaffer
Deputy City Clerk

For SHEILA HARRINGTON, City Clerk
City of Newark, Alameda County, California

Publish Dates: Tuesday, July 12, 2022
Tuesday, July 19, 2022
7/12, 7/19/22

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PROBATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF:

KERRI LEANN DOUGLAS AKA

KERRI L. DOUGLAS

CASE NO. RP22127607

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of KERRI LEANN DOUGLAS AKA KERRI L. DOUGLAS

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by JEFFREY HOWARD DOUGLAS in the Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that JEFFREY HOWARD DOUGLAS be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

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

A HEARING on the petition will be held in this court as follows: 08/29/22 at 2:00PM in Dept. 201 located at 2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. WAY, BERKELEY, CA 94704

REMOTE APPEARANCE: The Court allows, but does not require, all parties who wish to attend the hearing on the above date and time, including those who wish to state objections, to appear by audio or video technology. The parties should consult the court's website for the specific telephonic and video applications available. The parties may also contact the probate clerk in the respective department for information concerning remote appearances. Parties must be present at least five (5) minutes before the scheduled hearing time.

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
LISA WEINMANN - SBN 320109,
PROBATE CALIFORNIA

17765 CALLE GRANADA

MORGAN HILL CA 95037

7/19, 7/26, 8/2/22

CNS-3606415#

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF

HERMELINDA HERNANDEZ

CASE NO. RP22127427

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: HERMELINDA HERNANDEZ AKA HERMELINDA C. HERNANDEZ

A Petition for Probate has been filed by JOHN ALCORCHA in the Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA.

The Petition for Probate requests that JOHN ALCORCHA 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 AUGUST 15, 2022 at 2:00 P.M. in Dept. 201 Room N/A located at 2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR WAY, BERKELEY, CA 94704

PUBLIC NOTICES

short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale." For sales conducted after January 1, 2021: NOTICE TO TENANT: You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call (844) 477-7869, or visit this internet website www.STOXPOSTING.com, using the file number assigned to this case 85843 to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid; by remitting the funds and affidavit described in Section 2924m(c) of the Civil Code; so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase.
7/5, 7/12, 7/19/22

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T.S. No. 22000748-1 CA APN: 052-1437-003-00 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 08/20/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: **MARIA DEL CARMEN CAMACHO, A SINGLE WOMAN AND ZAIDA CAMACHO, A MARRIED WOMAN AS HER SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, AS JOINT TENANTS** Duly Appointed Trustee: **ZBS LAW, LLP** Deed of Trust Recorded on 08/27/2007, as Instrument No. 2007312584 The subject Deed of Trust was modified by a Loan Modification Agreement recorded 06/05/2013 as Instrument Number 2013269712 and further modified by a Loan Modification Agreement recorded 03/02/2017 as Instrument Number 2017053764 of Official Records of Alameda County, California; Date of Sale: 7/27/2022 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: At the front Fallon St emergency exit to the Alameda County Courthouse 1225 Fallon Street Oakland, CA Estimated amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$485,475.46 Note: Because the Beneficiary reserves the right to bid less than the total debt owed, it is possible that at the time of the sale the opening bid may be less than the total debt owed. Street Address or other common designation of real property: **3330 CALIFORNIA STREET BERKELEY, CA 94703** Described as follows: As more fully described on said Deed of Trust. A.P.N #: **052-1437-003-00** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may

charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call **866-266-7512** or visit this Internet Web site www.elitepostandpub.com using the file number assigned to this case **22000748-1 CA**. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. NOTICE TO TENANT: You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call **866-266-7512** or visit this Internet Web site www.elitepostandpub.com using the file number assigned to this case **22000748-1 CA** to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. Dated: **06/24/2022 ZBS LAW, LLP as Trustee 3000 Park, Suite 450 , Irvine, CA 92606 For Non-Automated Sale Information, call: (714) 848-7920 For Sale Information: 866-266-7512 or www.elitepostandpub.com Michael Busby, Trustee Sale Officer** This office is enforcing a security interest of your creditor. To the extent that your obligation has been discharged by a bankruptcy court or is subject to an automatic stay of a bankruptcy, this notice is for informational purposes only and does not constitute a demand for payment or any attempt to collect such obligation. EPP 34853 Pub Dates 07/06, 07/13, 07/20/2022
7/5, 7/12, 7/19/22

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. CA-18-809353-RY Order No.: 180095363-CA-VOI YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 7/20/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): GERARDO GRANADOS AND LETICIA GRANADOS, HUSBAND AND WIFE AS JOINT TENANTS Recorded: 7/28/2006 as Instrument No. 2006291051 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of ALAMEDA County, California; Date of Sale: 8/23/2022 at 12:00 PM Place of Sale: At the Fallon Street entrance to the County Courthouse, 1225 Fallon Street, Oakland, CA 94612 Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$933,013.29 The purported property address is: 41669 GIFFORD ST, FREMONT, CA 94538 Assessor's Parcel No.: 525-1116-013 NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property MM, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be

a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call **1-866-539-4173** for information regarding the trustee's sale or visit this internet website <http://www.qualityloan.com>, using the file number assigned to this foreclosure by the Trustee: CA-18-809353-RY. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the internet website. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. NOTICE TO TENANT: You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call **1-866-539-4173**, or visit this internet website <http://www.qualityloan.com>, using the file number assigned to this foreclosure by the Trustee: CA-18-809353-RY to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location this letter is intended to be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, including if the Trustee is unable to convey title, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the monies paid to the Trustee. This shall be the Purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Trustor, the Trustee, the Beneficiary, the Beneficiary's Agent, or the Beneficiary's Attorney. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. Date: Quality Loan Service Corporation 2763 Camino Del Rio S San Diego, CA 92108 619-645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: 1-866-539-4173 Or Login to: <http://www.qualityloan.com> Reinstatement Line: (866) 645-7711 Ext 5318 Quality Loan Service Corp. TS No.: CA-18-809353-RY IDSPub #0179189 7/5/2022 7/12/2022 7/19/2022
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LEGAL NOTICES

8768346 A.P.N. 513-0702-014
ALS NO. 2021-410
IMPORTANT NOTICE
NOTICE OF DEFAULT AND ELECTION TO
SELL UNDER HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION
LIEN
IF YOUR PROPERTY IS IN FORECLOSURE
BECAUSE YOU ARE BEHIND IN YOUR
MORTGAGE, IT MAY BE SOLD WITHOUT ANY
COURT ACTION, AND YOU MAY HAVE the legal
right to bring your account in good standing
by paying all of your past due payments plus
permitted costs and expenses within the time
permitted by law for reinstatement of your
account, which is normally five business days
prior to the date set for the sale of your property.
No sale date may be set until approximately 90

days from the date this Notice of Default may be recorded (which date of recordation appears on this notice). The delinquent amount is \$18,978.30 as of MAY 28, 2021, and will increase until your account becomes current.
While your property is in foreclosure, you still must pay other obligations (such as insurance and taxes) required by your Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions. If you fail to make future payments on the loan, pay taxes on the property, provide insurance on the property, or pay other obligations as required in the Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions, the Association may insist that you do so in order to reinstate your account in good standing. In addition, the Association may require as a condition to reinstatement that you provide reliable written evidence that you paid all senior liens, property taxes, and hazard insurance premiums.
Upon your written request, the Association will give you a written itemization of the entire amount you must pay. You may not have to pay the entire unpaid portion of your account, even if full payment was demanded, but you must pay all amounts in default at the time payment is made. However, you and your Association may mutually agree in writing prior to the time the notice of sale is posted (which may not be earlier than three months after this Notice of Default is recorded) or if your property is in foreclosure for any other reason, contact **Olazaba Terrace Homeowners Association, c/o ASSOCIATION LIEN SERVICES, P.O. Box 64750, Los Angeles, CA 90064, (310)207-2027**
THIS NOTICE is given pursuant to Civil Code Sections 2924, and other relevant provisions of the California Civil Code, pursuant to that certain Assessor's Map recorded on March 29, 2021 as document no. 2021124907, of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Alameda County, California.
Owner(s): Homer John Lillie, Jr., and Margaret Ann Lillie, Trustees of the Homer John Lillie, Jr. and Margaret Ann Lillie Living Trust Dated 08/19/1900
of See "Legal Description" attached as shown upon the Condominium Plan, Recorded on N/A as document no. N/A, as shown on the Subdivision map recorded in Maps of the County of Alameda, State of California.
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 114 Lurene Drive, Fremont, California 94539
If you have any questions, you should contact a lawyer or the Association which maintains the right of assessment upon your property.
Notwithstanding the fact that if you fail to pay all money lawfully due the Association, it may foreclose against your property, you may offer your property for sale, provided the sale is concluded prior to the conclusion of the foreclosure.
Remember, **YOU MAY LOSE LEGAL RIGHTS IF YOU DO NOT TAKE PROMPT ACTION.**
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ASSOCIATION LIEN SERVICES is duly appointed Trustee Agent under the above referenced Lien, dated March 25, 2021, executed by Olazaba Terrace Homeowners Association (Association) to secure assessment obligations in favor of said Association, pursuant to the terms contained in the certain Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions recorded May 13, 1996 as document no. 96115417, of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Alameda County, California, describing the land therein, that the beneficial interest under said Homeowner's Association Lien and the obligations secured thereby are presently held by the Association. That a breach of, the obligation for which said Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions as security has occurred in that the payment(s) have not been made of: HOMEOWNER'S ASSESSMENTS AND ALL SUBSEQUENT HOMEOWNER'S ASSESSMENTS, MONTHLY OR OTHERWISE, LESS CREDITS AND OFFSETS, PLUS LATE CHARGES, INTEREST, ASSOCIATION'S FEES AND COSTS, TRUSTEE'S FEES AND COSTS, AND ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COSTS. That by reason thereof, the present Association under such Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions has executed and delivered to said Trustee, a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and has deposited with said duly appointed Trustee, such Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions and all documents evidencing the obligations secured thereby, and has declared and does hereby declare all sums secured thereby immediately due and payable and has elected and does hereby elect to cause the herein described property Liened by said Association, to be sold, if in compliance with the applicable statutory requirements, to satisfy the obligations secured thereby.
Date: May 28, 2021
ASSOCIATION LIEN SERVICES AS TRUSTEE
Megan Pamula
TRUSTEE SALES OFFICER

LEGAL DESCRIPTION
THE LAND REFERRED TO IN THIS REPORT IS SITUATED IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, CITY OF FREMONT, AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:
Parcel 1:
Lot 2, Tract 5035, FILED DECEMBER 9, 1983, MAP BOOK 142, PAGE 19, ALAMEDA COUNTY RECORDS.
Parcel 2:
A NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR INGRESS AND EGRESS OF ALL VEHICLES, AND FOR SUCH PUBLIC SERVICE UTILITIES AS MAY BE REQUIRED IN, UNDER, OVER, ALONG AND ACROSS A STRIP OF LAND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:
BEGINNING AT THE MOST NORTHERN CORNER OF THE LAND DESCRIBED IN THE DEED TO JESSEN A. CALLERI, ET UX, ET AL, RECORDED FEBRUARY 3, 1960, SERIES NO. AR-13161, REEL 20, IMAGE 843, ALAMEDA COUNTY RECORDS, SAID POINT IS ALSO THE INTERSECTION OF THE SOUTHERN LINE OF LURENE DRIVE, A PRIVATE ROAD, 30 FEET WIDE, WITH THE WESTERN LINE OF MISSION BOULEVARD, 70 FEET WIDE; THENCE ALONG THE NORTHERN LINE OF THE LAND DESCRIBED IN THE DEED FIRSTLY MENTIONED SOUTH 76°10'21" WEST 130 FEET, SAID BEARING BEING USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS DESCRIPTION, TO THE WESTERN LINE OF THE LAND DESCRIBED IN LAST SAID DEED; THENCE ALONG THE NORTHERN BOUNDARY LINE OF THE LAND DESCRIBED IN THE DEED TO JOE ALETTO, ET AL, RECORDED SEPTEMBER 12, 1946, SERIES NO. 17986, BOOK 4088, IMAGE 245, ALAMEDA COUNTY RECORDS, SOUTH 76°10'21" WEST 648.55 FEET TO THE EASTERN BOUNDARY LINE OF THE LAND DESCRIBED IN THE DEED OF TRUST MADE BY RICHARD E. CONDON, JR., ET UX, RECORDED FEBRUARY 4, 1971, SERIES NO. 13178, REEL 2781, IMAGE 518, ALAMEDA COUNTY RECORDS; THENCE ALONG THE NORTHERN EXTENSION OF SAID EASTERN BOUNDARY LINE, NORTH 13°49'39" WEST 30.00 FEET TO THE NORTHERN BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID LURENE DRIVE, SAID POINT ALSO BEING ON THE SOUTHERN BOUNDARY LINE OF THE LAND DESCRIBED IN THE DEED OF TRUST MADE BY RICHARD E. CONDON, JR., ET UX, RECORDED FEBRUARY 4, 1971, SERIES NO. 13178, REEL 2781, IMAGE 518, ALAMEDA COUNTY RECORDS; THENCE ALONG THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, RENDERED FEBRUARY 9, 1972, CASE NO. H-4420, ESTATE OF MARIE AUST DECEASED, A CERTIFIED COPY OF WHICH WAS RECORDED FEBRUARY 9, 1972, SERIES NO. 17986, BOOK 4088, IMAGE 245, ALAMEDA COUNTY RECORDS, THENCE ALONG THE LAST NAMED LINE, NORTH 76°10'21" EAST 785 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO THE WESTERN BOUNDARY LINE OF MISSION BOULEVARD; AND THENCE ALONG THE LAST NAMED LINE, SOUTH 0°31' WEST 30.99 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.
ASSESSOR'S PARCEL NUMBER: 513-0702-014
WRITTEN DECLARATION OF DEFAULT AND DEMAND FOR SALE
BOARD OF DIRECTORS RESOLUTION TO INITIATE FORECLOSURE OF A LIEN
California Civil Code Section 5705(c)
Association: Olazaba Terrace Homeowners Association (the "HOA")
Assessor's Parcel Number of Property: 513-0702-014 ("APN")
WHEREAS, the Board of Directors ("Board") has found the Owner of Property listed above is delinquent in paying regular and/or special assessments and currently owes \$ in assessments, late charges, and interest, along with costs of collection, including attorney's fees, and is months delinquent in making their payments to the Association.
WHEREAS, the Board, in compliance with the current Association collection policy, is resolving to initiate foreclosures of a lien for delinquent assessments that has been validly recorded.
WHEREAS, the Board hereby certifies that the following has occurred in compliance with California Civil Code section 5705(c):
• The Board itself has voted on the subject of this resolution and did not delegate voting to any agent of the Association.
• The vote occurred in an executive session of the Board at which a quorum was present, consisting of 2 out of 2 Board members.
• A majority of those Board members present in an executive session of the Board constituting a quorum has voted in favor of initiating foreclosure of the lien for delinquent assessments on the Property described above.
• The vote occurred at least 30 days prior to any public sale. Total Votes: 2 Votes in Favor: 2 Votes opposed: 0
• A copy of this resolution must be attached and made part of the Board's meeting minutes.
IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED THAT, the Board has adopted this Resolution and that it is signed by a member of the Board vested with the authority to do so.
ADOPTED BY:
Allen Sitho, Authorized Board Member
Title: President
Date: June 9, 2021
7/19, 7/26, 8/2, 8/9/22

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Journey down the rabbit hole with San Leandro Players in *Harvey*

By HUGO VERA

As Mark Twain once wrote, “Happiness and sanity are an impossible combination.” Such is the underlying theme of the San Leandro Players’ production of *Harvey*. Directed by Dana M. Fry and based on the 1945 Pulitzer Prize-winning play by Mary Chase, *Harvey* is an endearing story that balances magic realism with relevant social commentary.

Set in the 1930s United States, this production centers around eccentric socialite Elwood Dowd who comes into a massive fortune after inheriting his mother’s estate. When Elwood insists that he has befriended Harvey, an invisible talking rabbit who stands at over six feet tall, Elwood’s sister Veta Simmons takes matters into her own hands and attempts to have Elwood committed to a sanitarium. Over the course of this roughly two-and-a-half-hour play (counting intermission), Veta’s attempt to commit Elwood evolves into a journey of self-discovery for various members of the Dowd family as well as those around them.

Front and center of this ensemble is Keith Jefferds who plays Elwood. Jefferds’ portrayal of Elwood is the absolute crux of the play as he juxtaposes the charismatic and humorous side of Elwood with profound, introspective

monologues that contain a timely message despite the play being a “period piece.” Complementing Jefferds’ performance as Elwood is Terry Guillory’s performance as Veta Simmons. Jefferds and Guillory’s on-stage chemistry effectively conveys the obvious power struggle between the two siblings as Elwood’s devotion to Harvey undermines Veta’s well-meaning but ultimately superficial motive to have her brother exiled.

The supporting cast composed of (but not limited to) Zoe Novic as Myrtle Mae Simmons (Veta’s headstrong daughter), Thomas Farley as the methodical Dr. William Chumley and Kathy Blumenfeld as sanitarium nurse Ruth Kelly all bring a unique flair to these characters as their individual arcs take form under the overarching quest to accept Harvey’s existence and recognize the ghostly rabbit’s contribution to the wellness of the Dowd family.

In addition to the on-stage performances, the set-design is top-tier. Despite the smaller, more intimate confines of the San Leandro Museum Auditorium where the play is held, the set’s clever use of props and multiple points-of-entry help distinguish which scenes are set in the Dowd residence and which are set in the sanitarium. The expert work of the sound booth is also evident in this

production as the pre-recorded sounds of party-chatter and downtown “white noise” further aid in the audience’s suspension of disbelief.

As a whole, this production will most definitely be enjoyed by adults. While nothing in this play is excessively crude or suggestive, the “dark-humorous” aspects of this play as well as its commentary on topics such as classism, gender roles and mental health are obviously intended for mature audiences. Those who enjoy the “slice-of-life” genre as well as fans of the 1950 and 1996 film adaptations of *Harvey* will surely enjoy the San Leandro Players’ production.

Health and Safety: Masks must be worn and proof of vaccination is needed for entry.

Harvey
Saturday, July 16 – Sunday, August 14
Saturdays: 8 p.m.
Sundays: 2 p.m.
Fridays, Aug 5 & 12: 8:00 p.m.
San Leandro Museum Auditorium,
320 W. Estudillo Ave., San Leandro
Enter through back courtyard
www.slplayers.org
Admission: \$20 for general, \$15 for seniors, under 12 and students with ID





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Debbie Smith with daughter Kelly McGarva

Debbie Smith's website unites horse world

BY JACK ALCORN

Horse-loving residents of the Bay Area are a motley bunch of disciplines and passions. Horseback riding, racing, rodeo, dressage and competitive exhibition all thrive in our diverse suburban population. Tri-City communities, and neighboring cities Dublin, Pleasanton and Livermore are home to hundreds of ranches, stables and businesses serving 100,000 equestrian enthusiasts. Horsemanship enabled western expansion and the settling of California. Success for the horsekeeping industry depends on ancient crafts, trades, and often hard-to-find resources. Bay Area Equestrian Network (Bayequest.com) is an online community where local equine businesses, organizations and consumers meet and exchange information.

Bayequest was created in 1997 by Internet visionary Debbie Smith to promote the equine industry in Northern California, and help horse enthusiasts find products and services. Smith explained, "Those different disciplines, they didn't interact; they had their own shows, their own clubs, and there wasn't a lot of shared community." Bayequest created a level playing field where people from different sectors of the horse world could share information. "It also allowed the average horse person to advertise and access the same level of service and exposure that wealthy professionals could," Smith added.

Born and raised in Southern California, Smith studied Greek and Latin at UCLA. Shortly after graduating, Smith met her husband Greg and moved to the Bay Area with him in 1984. The pair have been married 44 years. "I grew up riding horses and got away from it with marriage and adulthood. My daughter was two when we took her to a stable and put her on a pony, and she didn't want to get off, so that was the start of getting back into horses," Smith recounted.

Smith recalled, "I was a parent taking my daughter to lessons and shows, and I was sitting at one of the barns where she rides, watching her take a lesson. The Internet as a marketplace was really just getting going in 1997. And as a horse person, I suddenly realized that there was no place online for people like me to go find a trainer or a veterinarian, tack store, or boarding facility near me. Where are other people like me riding and buying things? We should build an online directory."

With two young children, Smith had gone to work in sales and marketing for Extend Incorporated, which provides computer system designs and services to organizations such as Microsoft, Intel, and Sun Microsystems. Smith pitched the idea of interactive online platform to Extend. They embraced the concept and the site soon became successful, at one point comprising more than half of the company's business. By 2006, Smith was operating Bayequest independently. She still credits her daughter Kelly as the reason the website exists.

"When we first started, in '97, a lot of the people I wanted to reach out to did not have Internet. If they had Internet at all it was 'dial-up.'" So Smith went to the library, manually looked up local horse resources in the Yellow

Pages, and created a binder of her mockups for the website. "I would drive to barns and training facilities and physically show them this binder. If they wanted to be part of this, I offered free services for six months. No obligation. I would just like to get you up there and use you as an example. And some of those clients are still with me all these years later." The site spread by word of mouth. Horse people would tell each other, or a vet would tell a client. "We grew fast because there really was no competition. And then competition came along, Facebook and Craigslist and different ways for people to connect online. And yet we have maintained a pretty robust business."

Now Smith has been running the website for 25 years. "To be able to partner with [Extend, Inc.] and have them provide the technical expertise, while I provided the on the ground horse expertise, horse experience, contacts in the horse world, it was a perfect marriage."

On Bayequest, anyone can look at ads, post an ad, find a business listing, check the event calendar, or use message boards free of cost. The mammoth website is easily navigable for novices to access recreation and ownership. Bayequest enables horse professionals to efficiently

identify equine goods and service providers. The site also offers marketing options for businesses. "The goal of the site was to bring the horse community together online to support the industry," says Smith. More than 500,000 horses in California generate roughly \$30 Billion each year and 175,00 jobs. Horse-related commerce in the Bay Area includes breeding, boarding, transportation, training, riding lessons, veterinary services, saddlery, tack, grain, hay and other businesses.

Bayequest boasts 60,478 registered users and 5,039 business listings. Staffed by horse owners and enthusiasts, the site is supported through the sale of memberships, website development, web hosting and advertising. Smith said, "Bayequest reflects the values of its members and users. There's an old saying: 'Horse people are stable people.' There's a lot of truth to that. Horses and the horse industry can be very grounding, very real."

Smith shared, "I would like to thank all of our Bayequest users, many of whom have stuck with us from the beginning. Their loyalty and willingness to continue to support us so that we can provide free services to so many people is inspiring and I appreciate that."

Smith bought her daughter's horse when she went off to college, and remembered, "It was wonderful, like being 13 years old again." On riding horses, Smith said, "One of my favorite things was when the rains would start here in the Bay Area, the hills would turn green. I would take [my horse] out onto one of the hillsides and just throw the lead line over his back and I would sit in the chair, read a book and watch him eat. If you're a horse person, it's very satisfying. To watch your horse enjoy his food... You don't have to ride at all. Just their company is very affirming."

Debbie Smith's horse