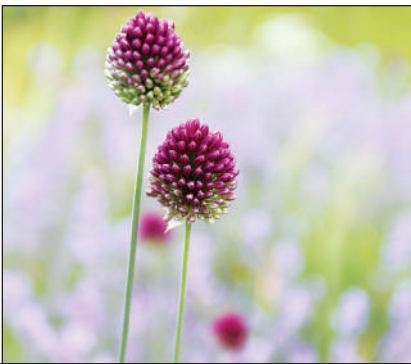




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By Stephanie Gertsch

GLOWFARI

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Glowfari is returning to Oakland Zoo for the third year, with an all-new display of glowing lanterns. This year's experience features new displays including a walkabout through the land down under with kangaroos and koalas, icons of the California coastline including whales, otters, and jellies, exotic animals of the tropical rainforest, and a trip to the past with a towering t-rex and a megalodon shark tunnel!

The gondola will be running and festively lit to take you up to see creatures of the coastline at California Trail. The last ride up is 8:00 p.m. and the last ride down is at 8:30 p.m. Snacks and beverages (including hot chocolate) are available at The Landing Café and Tuskers Grill. (Check restaurant and gift shop hours online.)

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Veterans Day remembrance



SUBMITTED BY MICHY YEE

Ode to Warriors of the 442nd

Veterans Day honors the diverse group of men and women who answered the call of freedom to repel authoritarian forces of extremism and rule by force rather than law. The following poem was written by Barbi Ino to recognize the heroic efforts of the 442nd Regiment of Japanese-American soldiers who faced danger on World War II battlefields of eight major campaigns in Italy, France and Germany while enduring prejudice and shameful practices of their home country.

They were the most decorated unit for its size and length of service in the history of the United States military. The 442nd represents the best of our citizens of all nationalities and race who have pledged and shown loyalty to the country of their birth or through naturalization. It is a reminder of the value and strength of Americans no matter what race, ancestry or country of origin. Even those treated poorly and unfairly by an imperfect society, have remained true to the cause of liberty and freedom during trying times. This is one shining example.

Dear Warriors of the 442
I salute you on this day
Of memories and memorials
That pass along the way

True sacrifice and battles won
Some lost with life undone
You served the country of your birth
For loved ones yet to come

And yet you fought with heads held high
With silent bravery
And pressed beyond the line of hope
To grasp the victory

What victories you did achieve
What cost in lives and blood
Your love and loyalty to prove
To those who sought no good

Did they see the awesome price
These soldiers paid in full

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Light Parade

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For the last few years, the residents of Castro Valley have kept up the tradition of the holiday light parade while social distancing by decking out their homes for a drive by version of the celebration. In 2022, the parade is back with two stages, brilliantly lit floats, community and food booths, and live Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus. When last held in 2019, the parade attracted over 10,000 attendees, with 700 floats and 2,000 participants.

This year, 12 schools are entering floats, so there will be much local spirit from students,

teachers and families. Castro Valley Boulevard will close to street traffic at 3 p.m. on Saturday, November 12. (Come early if you want to stake out your spot.) The parade itself kicks off at 5:30 p.m., to proceed from Lake Chabot Road to Redwood Road. Floats will be announced from the two stages, on Santa Maria and San Miguel Avenues.

Castro Valley Light Parade
Saturday, Nov 12
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Lake Chabot Rd. to Redwood Rd., Castro Valley
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www.edenareachamber.com/castro-valley-light-parade-2022/



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Washington Hospital and Fremont Bank—Partners for a Healthy Community

As a district-owned community hospital, Washington Hospital Healthcare System has been serving the residents of the Tri-City Area since 1958. The Hospital has a long history of support from the community, including philanthropic support from individuals and businesses.

One of the Hospital's longest standing supporters and partners is Fremont Bank, who for the past 39 years, through their Foundation has donated more than \$5 million for innovative health care technology, equipment, and programs.

Most recently, the Fremont Bank Foundation pledged one million dollars toward the UCSF - Washington Cancer Center. This center brings comprehensive cancer care delivered by UCSF oncology specialty and subspecialty physicians to the local community. Cancer patient volume has increased significantly since 2017. Since that time, the center has increased the number of clinical trials available and has recently added two UCSF hematology-oncology physicians to the team.

This world-class, patient-focused cancer center will continue to expand to meet the growing oncology needs in our area due in large part to strategic partnerships like the one Fremont Bank shares with the Washington Hospital Healthcare System.

“Fremont Bank has been one of Washington Hospital's most distinguished community partners with generous financial donations to numerous critical programs like our COVID-19 response, Inpatient Acute Rehabilitation Center, and the UCSF - Washington Cancer Center,” said Washington Hospital Healthcare System Chief Executive Officer Kimberly Hartz. “The Hospital's Critical Care Pavilion which opened in 2018 was inspired in part by the insightful vision of Fremont Bank's founder and president Morris Hyman, for whom the Pavilion is named and whose legacy lives on at Washington Hospital.”

Morris Hyman, who was also a patient at Washington Hospital before he passed away in 2005, believed that partnerships



The Morris Hyman Critical Care Pavilion opened in 2018.

between businesses should be about more than prosperity; they should also ensure a first-class quality of life for the surrounding community. The addition of the Morris Hyman Critical Care Pavilion to the Washington Hospital campus is a physical representation of that belief. The four-story building was designed around patient and family needs with a state-of-the-art Emergency Department and twice the number of the Hospital's previous critical care beds.

The Pavilion opened just in time for the onset of the COVID crisis which played a major role in the Hospital's ability to successfully navigate the pandemic. The Pavilion also was an influential factor in Washington Hospital being named Alameda County's next Level II Adult Trauma Center which was announced in

June of this year. These accomplishments are due in large part to Morris Hyman's foresight; commitment to the safety, health, and wellness of his community; and the millions of dollars Fremont Bank Foundation contributed to the Pavilion project and the Healthcare System.

“We are truly grateful to the Hyman Family, and the Fremont Bank Foundation for their continued support of our Healthcare System,” said Hartz. “It is exceptional relationships like these that enable us to continue providing the most advanced technologies and treatments; world-class physicians; and compassionate health care to this community.”

Fremont Bank has a long history as a valued community partner. It was just named a Top Corporate Philanthropist for

the 18th consecutive year by the *San Francisco Business Times*. Including its support of Washington Hospital, the Fremont Bank Foundation has donated nearly \$35 million to local non-profit organizations to support continual improvement of local health care, education, and the arts.

For more information about the Fremont Bank Foundation and its mission, go to www.fremontbank.com/why-choose-us/corporate-philanthropy. To learn about the many ways you can support the Washington Hospital Healthcare Foundation, visit www.whhs.com/Foundation.



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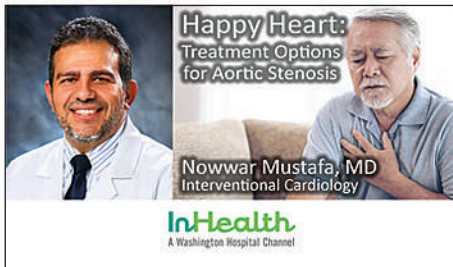
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Self-care and Self-Compassion: Keys to Well-being Nov. 18, 1 p.m.

While finding time for self-care is not always easy, it's always important. Hear from a licensed family therapist about the impact of self-care.



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Préparing to Beat the Holiday Blues

Local Physician Offers Advice on Overcoming Holiday Stress



Feeling down during the holiday season can feel isolating.

The holidays are touted as a season of joy and happiness—but is that really true for all individuals?

No, says Dr. Seema Sehgal, a psychiatrist at Washington Township Medical Foundation department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Science. “The holidays are a high-stress period for many people, often caused by financial pressures, family issues, the loss of a loved one, or just the need to ‘keep up with the Jones’ in terms of socializing, gift-giving, or even something as simple as sending out holiday cards.”

Some worry that they must give gifts to friends and family members—even if they can’t afford to do so. Others feel pressured to attend holiday parties when they’d rather stay at home or have a quiet dinner or gathering with close friends. And this year, COVID-19 is still a factor. Some family members may be concerned about

gatherings. There may be additional concerns about keeping the most vulnerable family members safe.

“We fall into this trap of feeling we must have the ‘perfect’ holiday just like at other times of the year when we feel we must have the ‘perfect’ vacation or the ‘perfect’ dinner party,” she says.

To get out of the holiday pressure cooker, Dr. Sehgal recommends taking time to think about what aspect of the holidays is the most stressful for you and, conversely, what do you like best about the holiday season. “Ask yourself: what do I really want to remember about this holiday season; what is the one activity that will bring me the most pleasure?”

It is important to be mindful of the fact that different people experience different emotions during the holidays.

For some, it’s challenging to join the annual family holiday dinner with a difficult relative. For others, it’s the stress of overspending because of the expectation of gift-giving. The season is the time many feel the loss of a loved one more intensely as memories of happier times are recalled. “Not everyone is in a celebratory mood and we need to be mindful of that,” Dr. Sehgal notes.

She suggests sitting down well in advance of the holidays to develop a plan on how to approach and manage the season. Encourage your family members to think about what it is they would most like to remember about this holiday season when, a month later, they look back on the holiday. “Such an exercise can help children understand that they can’t have it all during the holidays. We all have to make choices as to where to invest our time, energy and resources—this includes children.”

This approach can be helpful all year long to relieve stress from the pressures of work, family and other obligations, Dr. Sehgal adds. “Anxiety is the voice of our subconscious telling us we are stressed; we must take time to listen to our bodies and minds and practice moderation in what we take on.”

Dr. Sehgal suggests that the self-examination of the holidays be carried over into other aspects of one’s life. The same tools that were used to look closely at holiday expectations can be used to reduce anxiety and pressure throughout the year.

The key to making enduring change is to make small changes that are practiced consistently. “A common mistake is to attempt to make big changes all at once that are difficult, if not impossible, to maintain throughout the year. Small steps are the ones that in the long run can result in change that reduces unhappiness caused by stress and anxiety.”

“Anxiety is the voice of our subconscious telling us we are stressed; we must take time to listen to our bodies and minds and practice moderation in what we take on.”

—Seema Sehgal, MD



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Friday, Nov. 18
1 p.m.

Self-care and Self-compassion: Keys to Well-being

Neglecting self-care can result in feeling depleted, lacking focus, and the inability to care for others. Although challenging, it is important to prioritize time for yourself. Hear from a licensed marriage family therapist about the benefits of self-compassion.

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Totem Pole brings sacred space to San Leandro Marina

BY VICTOR CARVELLAS

The evening was cool on October 28th as the setting sun danced on the golden waters of the Bay. The earthy smell of burning sage billowed in the breeze. A small gathering had come to honor the memory of the Lummi Nation's departed chief, Bill James (Tsi'li'xw, d. 6/1/2020). Strapped to a flatbed trailer was a carved memorial totem pole, resplendent in bright colors and adorned with symbols and scenes from James' life.

The totem pole was the work of Master Carver Jewell Se-Sealth James (Praying Wolf) of the House of Tears Carvers. Since 2001, House of Tears has taken a totem pole on an annual journey across the country, visiting sacred sites, villages, and tribes. Jewell couldn't attend as he has done in the past, but his brother Doug (Sit-ki-kadem) was there, totem pole in tow. This was the next to last leg of a journey that began in Washington State, swept across the country to Baltimore and Washington, D.C., then threaded its way back to the West Coast and San Leandro Marina before stopping in Sacramento for the

annual convention of the National Council of American Indians. As with other stops, Doug recounted the events of Chief James' life and explained the pole's carvings (The surname James belongs to both men as the Chief was a second cousin to Doug and Jewell). The evening was also an opportunity for those present to engage in a spirit walk, a time of contemplation, in recognition of the 2022 Sovereignty Run, also taking place in the Bay Area.

In 2002, Tribal Nations, leaders, and Indian Country advocates ran across the country from Washington State to Washington, DC to protest Supreme Court decisions restricting tribal jurisdictions and affecting tribal sovereignty. Commemorating the twentieth anniversary of that milestone, this year's 1,785-mile relay race from Oklahoma to Sacramento draws public attention to more recent cases (in particular, Castro-Huerta v. Oklahoma.). The Run is conducted in partnership with Bright Path Strong, whose mission is to inspire Native Americans through the example of the superlative athlete, Jim Thorpe. Thorpe,

whose Sac and Fox tribal name Wa-Tho-Huk translates to "Bright Path" (1887 – 1953), was stripped of his gold medals from the 1912 Olympics on the dubious application of rules regarding amateur status. He nonetheless went on to successfully play major league baseball, served as first president of the American Professional Football Association (which became the National Football League), and even acted in Hollywood movies.

Chief James himself was a Master Weaver, but he was also a strong advocate for environmental issues. Not the least of his efforts included bringing an orca known to the Lummi as Tokitae back to her home, the Salish Sea. Her story, which is ongoing, is carved onto the side of the pole. The Lummi tribe consider themselves, as Doug James says, "people of the sea," and they extend that familial bond to the creatures that live below it. Tokitae was four years old when she was captured in 1970 and taken to the Miami Seaquarium. "We've been fighting to get her back ever since," said

James. For those Native Americans whose families experienced forced relocation, this orca's situation is especially poignant.

Notable people in attendance at the October 28 event included Miwok Tribal Elder Wounded Knee DeCampo, an activist with the American Indian Movement (AIM) since its founding; Tribal Chair for the Confederated Villages of Lisjan; Ohlone Tribal Elder Corinna Gould; Tribal Elder Ione Mad Plume; Cheyenne artist and poet Kris Longoria; and San Leandro City Councilwoman Corina Lopez. DeCampo spoke to the gathering about the need to preserve the land, forests, and waters for future generations. He reminded everyone that such efforts to change the laws in favor of protecting these things "take time," and that indigenous peoples need to come together to successfully carry out "what our ancestors want us to do, to protect that which is sacred."

As a symbol of welcome, Gould presented James and his family with sacred pouches of sage and tobacco, as well as necklaces

representing the earth and sea. Longoria reflected in an interview on the importance of the gift of acceptance. Her family was "shipped to the Bay area" in the late 1800's but when her Cheyenne family arrived, there was no visible Native population to greet and support them. When the pole came to the area last year, Longoria and her friend Gould uses the sacred space embodied in the pole to "do a prayer together in which she essentially welcomed my family into her territory...it was the first time that I felt I was really home."

The Great Old Broads for Wilderness (<https://www.greatoldbroads.org/>) sponsored the event, bringing refreshments. Councilwoman Lopez is on their Board of directors, and members Carol Kuelper and Sheila Jacobs hosted.

Photo caption: L-R Doug James, Wounded Knee DeCampo



Ohlone College food pantry serves students in need

BY ANDREW CAVETTE

Food insecurity impacts nearly a third of college students nation-wide, according to a survey by Hope Center for College, and Community Justice. That fall 2020 survey states 38 percent of students in two-year colleges and 29 percent of students at four-year colleges reported experiencing food insecurity in the prior 30 days.

The Bay Area is not exempt from these numbers. Food banks across the region, like the Alameda County Community Food Bank, struggle to meet the needs of people with food insecurity, including students. According to a November 23, 2021 article from The Daily Californian at UC Berkeley: “The Berkeley Food Bank [has] people continually visiting the program; [there are] no signs of stopping.”

In Fremont, Ohlone College’s Basic Needs Center hopes to help students who may be dealing with food insecurity. The department is in the fledgling stages of their development. Many services they provide are pop up events; brief, but regular. These services include The Pantry, a place where free groceries are available to all students, staff, faculty, and community members. The Pantry pop up event will

soon become a stationary, reliable presence on Fremont and Newark campuses.

According to Ohlone College’s website:

“The Pantry (a pop-up event) is offered on the Fremont campus on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of every month, and the Newark campus on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of every month. The Pantry is intended to address immediate hunger and raise awareness of resources like CalFresh, which can lead to greater food security for those with limited access to nutritious foods.”

The pantry service will assist Ohlone College students, but non-student members of the community are welcome. The same website states: “The Pantry is also intended as a community service that seeks to normalize access to nutritious foods; we are all human, and humans need food.”

As a new department on campus, one of the other things the Basic Needs Center lacks is data. They have conducted their own, brief (and optional) survey, asking students who visited the pantry about their own food security. According to a department report, among students who visited the pantry and choose to answer the survey, 70% had experienced food insecurity in the prior month.

Paul Simpson, Basic Needs Coordinator at Ohlone College wants a great deal more data and a more comprehensive analysis of that data. To get that data quickly, Ohlone College will be included in the next Hope Center for College, and Community Justice Survey, according to Simpson. The survey which will be conducted in February 2023.

“There are studies across the state: UC studies, CSU studies, Community College studies...” Simpson said, “and what they all agree on is that basic needs insecurities [negatively] impact the way a student is able to engage with their education.”

“They have lower GPAs, lower pathways to graduation, lower satisfaction rates with their education, more negative views of what life would be like after graduation...,” Simpson said, “They have higher stop-out rates (dropping out and then returning), and higher disenrollment (dropping out and not returning).”

“And that makes sense,” Simpson said, “Students who show up in the classroom, but don’t have access to nutrition... that is incredibly challenging. Education is a powerful thing that should be open to all. People who are struggling with poverty have been shut out of education, in a generational way. They deserve to be here. I think our campus is better now because they’re on it.”

Upcoming room renovations on the Ohlone Fremont campus mean the food



pantry and case management office will soon have a permanent home inside Building 6.

Ohlone College’s Basic Needs Center will host a Winter Wellness Festival on December 7, 2022 on their Fremont campus. The event will run from 12 noon to 3 p.m. The department hopes to help students enroll in CalFresh, CalWorks and Covered California. A food pantry booth, with free groceries, will also be part of the Fremont campus event. Non-students are welcome.

Ohlone Winter Wellness Festival

Wednesday, Dec 7

12 noon – 3 p.m.

Ohlone Way in front of bookstore

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Get your recyclables ready

SUBMITTED BY PAUL SANFTNER

In recognition of America Recycles Day, the City of San Leandro is hosting a community recycling event for residents on Tuesday, November 15. The goal of event is to encourage and educate people on how to be more mindful of what they consume, and where and how to properly recycle.

Participants will be able to properly dispose of pharmaceuticals, household batteries and electronic media, such as floppy disks, DVDs and CD cases. They also may drop-off items that contain mercury including

thermometers, thermostats and fluorescent lights.

The event is set for 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Marina Community Center on Wicks Boulevard and is open only to San Leandro residents. Participants must pre-register online at <https://tinyurl.com/2022-ARD>. All active state and local health and safety COVID-19 protocols will be enforced at the event; masks are suggested.

America Recycles Day is the only nationally recognized day dedicated to promoting and celebrating recycling in the United States. More than 2,000 events are held coast-to-coast, engaging more than 2 million participants nationwide.

For more information about recycling in San Leandro, call the city’s Recycling Hotline at (510) 577-6026 or visit their webpage at www.RecycleSanLeandro.org.

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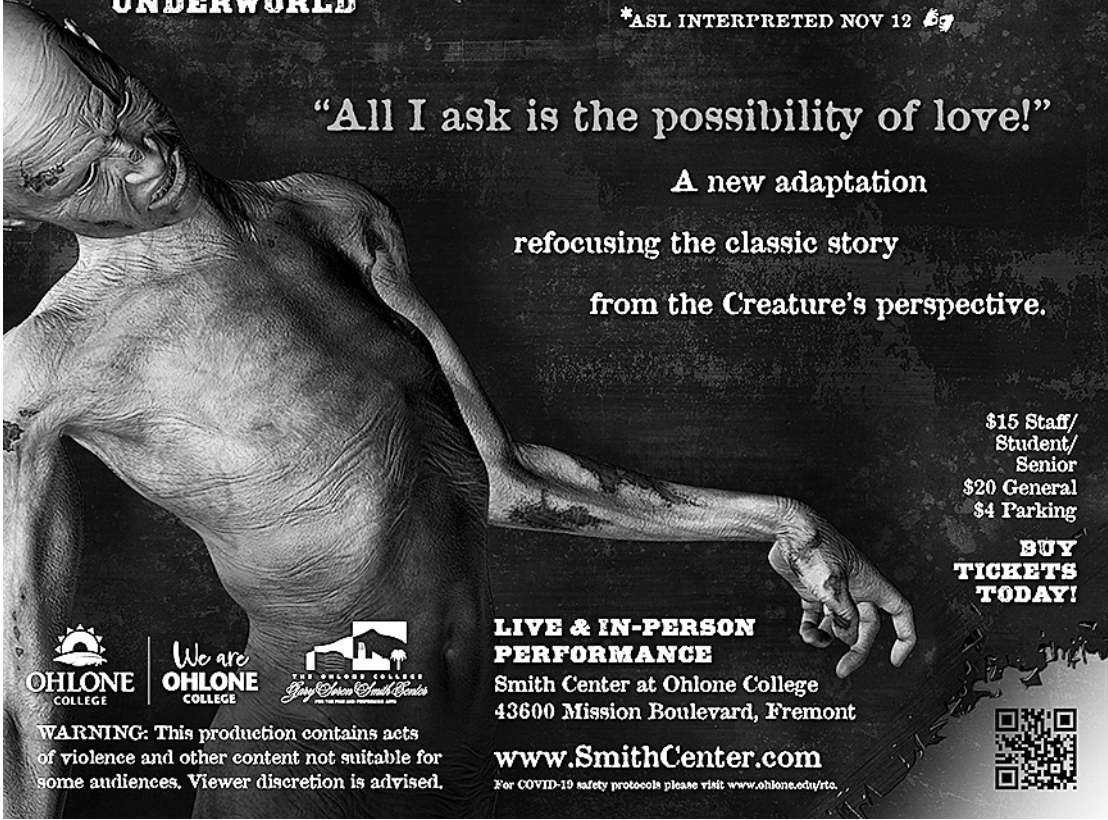
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In a tribute written for University of Virginia's Miller Center, historian William E. Leuchtenburg wrote:

"Under Roosevelt's leadership, the United States emerged from World War II as the world's foremost economic, political, and military power. FDR's contributions to domestic life during his presidency were just as vital. While his "New Deal" did not end the Great Depression, Roosevelt's leadership gave Americans hope and confidence in their darkest hours and fundamentally reshaped the relationship between the federal government and the American people. FDR so dominated American politics that he almost single-handedly launched the Democratic Party into a position of prolonged political dominance. During his tenure, FDR also lifted both the standing and power of the American presidency to unprecedented heights."

For more information, the Grateful American Book Prize recommends "Young

Franklin Delano Roosevelt

Mr. Roosevelt: FDR's Introduction to War, Politics, and Life" by Stanley Weintraub.

Ultimate sacrifices remembered

There are approximately 400,000 veterans in Arlington National Cemetery with engraved ranks, branches of service; dates of birth and death; on their headstones. Except one:

History.com reports that "Exactly three years after the end of World War I [on November 11, 1921], the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier [was] dedicated at Arlington Cemetery in Virginia during an Armistice Day ceremony presided over by President Warren G. Harding."

According to the Arlington National Cemetery, a "Vietnam War Unknown lay in state in the U.S. Capitol Rotunda from May 25 to 28, 1984. On Memorial Day, May 28, a military procession transported the casket to Arlington National Cemetery for burial. President Ronald Reagan presided over the interment ceremony." When DNA became available in 1998, it was

used to discover the identity of the unknown soldier, who was then reinterred in accordance with the wishes of his family.

"On September 17, 1999 -- National POW/MIA Recognition Day -- [his tomb] was rededicated to honor all missing U.S. service members from the Vietnam War."

The Grateful American Book Prize recommends "Twenty-One Steps: Guarding the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier" written by Jeff Gortesfeld and illustrated by Matt Tavares.

A nation of immigrants

In 1892, Annie Moore -- a 15-year-old Irish immigrant -- was the first of more than 12 million who were welcomed to Ellis Island -- until it was decommissioned -- in November of 1954. Even now, appreciable numbers of visitors, tourists and genealogy buffs still pass through every year.

"Not all immigrants who sailed into New York had to go through Ellis Island. First- and second-class passengers submitted to a brief shipboard inspection and then disembarked at the piers in New York or New Jersey, where they passed through customs. People in third class, though, were transported to Ellis Island, where they underwent medical and legal inspections to ensure they didn't have a contagious disease or some condition that would make them a burden to the government. Only two percent of all immigrants were denied entrance into the U.S.," according to History.com.

The Grateful American Book Prize suggests books such as "American Passage: The History of Ellis Island" by Vincent J. Cannato for more information.

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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Herbs and Spices

By PAT KITE

Today we watch cooking shows and conjure up entrees with amazing herbs and spices from around the world. But once upon a time, herbs and spices held quite different rites of honor. Come along the Santa Fe Trail in about 1830. Hordes went looking for a better life, a way to get rich, and a healing climate. They came on wagon trains, on horseback, sometimes on foot. Along with their pots, pans, blankets, buckets, and other worldly and trading goods, they carried disease.

Please remember that while today you visit doctors for this or that, reasonably expecting a remedy of some sort, back then... good luck. Disease was caused by "miasma," invisible vapors. Cholera, malaria (ague), typhus, smallpox, tuberculosis, and measles traveled the trail. Standard treatment, when nothing else worked, was bloodletting, purging via enema, and vomiting up everything. Hospital medicine cabinets contained cloves, ground ginger, nutmeg, and cinnamon, among the least nasty materials.

BITS AND PIECES

- **Fennel:** a sprig hung in a home kept the "evil eye" away. Sprigs of Fennel were stuffed in keyholes to keep away annoying spirits, therefore ensuring a good night's sleep.
- **Garlic** had many uses, including as an antiseptic for battle wounds.
- **Rosemary:** Insect repellent, fumigant, food preservative.
- **Cloves:** for toothaches when softened in honey
- **Pepper:** one of American's first Millionaires, Elihu Yale, earned riches from pepper.
- **Allspice:** Allspice was placed within military boots to keep feet warm during Napoleons' troops winter retreat from Moscow
- **Turmeric dye** was used to color Buddhist monks' robes.
- **White Sage leaves,** crushed and mixed with water, served as a shampoo, hair color and hair straightener. Mashed with water: a deodorant

This was fun... Happy fall.

Pat Kite's Garden

PAT KITE

L. Patricia [Pat] Kite's several garden books include KISS Guide to Gardening, Gardening Wizardry for Kids, Raccoons, Ladybug Facts and Folklore and Silkworms. They may be found at Amazon.com and Alibris.com.

World Kindness Day

SUBMITTED BY MARI-LYN HARRIS

Did you know it's World Kindness Day Sunday November 13th? Let's have some fun to reward people doing kind deeds. Headquarters in Fremont is at Mission Coffee starting at 9 a.m. You'll receive your "Pay it Forward" cards with instructions in how to proceed. More information is available at kindnessatwork.us.

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Famous Southern BBQ Restaurant reopens after COVID setback

SUBMITTED BY
EVE MARIE LITTLE

The flavors found at *Just Potato Salad* Southern BBQ might make this restaurant the closest place to heaven. Located in Hayward off Mission Boulevard, this hole-in-the-wall Mom and Pop restaurant is one of the hidden wonders of the East Bay. Don't be dissuaded by the rustic exterior; there is an amazing selection of slowly-cooked meats, incredible sides and desserts, and their most famous side dish, mustard-based potato salad. Some of the most popular dishes—including St. Louis Ribs, tri-tip, soul food style green beans, and smothered oxtails—have people driving in from all over the Bay area.

Pastor C.D. Bennett, the owner and executive chef of this restaurant, always had a passion for food. Whenever his church would put together a social event or fundraiser, his congregation would insist that he cater. “I would make a huge variety of meats and side dishes, but when they would come back for seconds, my guests would request just the potato salad—thus the name,” says Pastor Bennett, “I enjoy testing out new recipes and perfecting my culinary skills, but this one dish is always the favorite.”

However, Pastor Bennett has recently been tested in real life. When COVID happened, his restaurant took a big hit. “I used to have tons of guests coming to enjoy homemade meals, and now it feels like a ghost town. I was scared I would lose my small BBQ business.” To add further

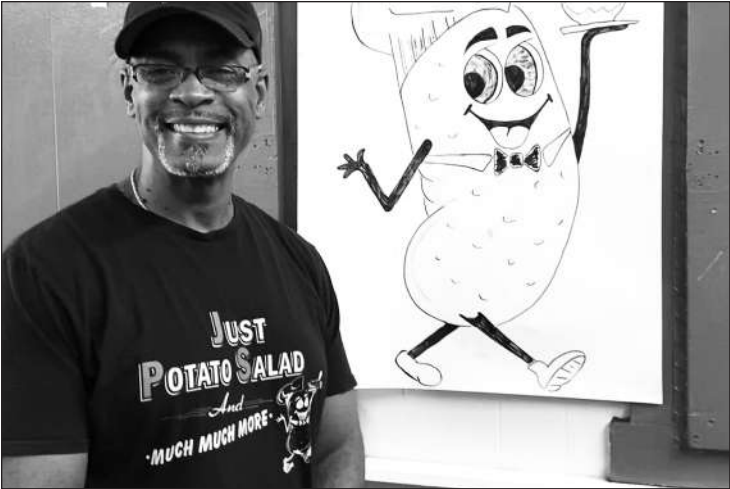
stress, Pastor Bennett recently faced a life-threatening medical circumstance that left him bedridden for three months. His family even feared that he would not make it. He temporarily closed his restaurant and focused on his health.

But with time and prayers, things started to turn around. Now Pastor Bennett is back in the swing of things with his restaurant. He added more items in the menu and has decided to expand his business with delivery options through Doordash and UberEats. “I want to make it more convenient for my guests to have their homemade meals delivered straight to them versus driving to the restaurant.” But don't disregard coming out every once in a while. Pastor Bennett is so welcoming at his small place and pretty much invites guests to become part of his family.

“I am just glad to have gotten this second chance at life and glad to still be here for my family and friends,” states Pastor Bennett. “I am so grateful that I get an opportunity to share my happiness with everyone through the delightful flavor and smell of BBQ food.” After having some of his dishes, anyone can agree that this food is out of this world.

For a chance to try just potato salad, or more, swing by this famous restaurant in Hayward or order your next meal through delivery services.

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Officials from Weichert, Realtors -- Rainbow Properties in Newark recently announced that Yousuf Wadhwani has joined their team.

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PARK IT: GREAT FALL ACTIVITIES FROM PLANTS TO ANIMALS

BY NED MACKAY

The Regional Parks Botanic Garden in Tilden Regional Park near Berkeley harbors a diversity of plants and habitats that are attractive to migratory birds. Naturalists Paula Urtecho and Melissa Fowlks will lead an easy walk at the garden from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 12 in search of some of the seasonal arrivals. Binoculars will be available to loan.

The walk is free of charge, and will be led in English and Spanish. It's part of a recurring bilingual program: People of Color: Walks & Talks. The walks are from one to five miles in length, great for families. All are welcome.

No registration is required, just show up. Wear sturdy shoes, bring water, and dress for the weather. Heavy rain cancels. Meet at the botanic garden entrance. It's located at the intersection of Wildcat Canyon Road and South Park Drive in Tilden Regional Park. For information, call (510) 544-2527.

Melissa also plans an easy walk from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, November 12 in search of wild turkeys in the Tilden Nature Area. After the search the program will end with a turkey-themed craft. Or you can join naturalist Anthony Fisher on the back deck of the visitor center between 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. afterwards for an hour of fun. The group may make cordage, start a (small) fire with a hand drill, play games or throw an atlatl.

Both programs are free and registration is not required. Meet for either at Tilden's Environmental Education Center, which is at the north end of Central Park Drive. For information, call (510) 544-2233.

Down at Sunol Regional Wilderness, oak trees are the subject of a “Talk ‘N’ Draw” session from 1:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 12, led by naturalist Erica Stephens. The group will draw oak trees step-by-step while learning about the ecosystems that they create. It's drop-in; no registration is required. Drawing supplies will be provided, or you can bring your own journal or art

supplies. All ages are welcome; parents must participate.

Meet at the Sunol Visitor Center, which by the way has been completely renovated. Formerly in a dilapidated state, it now features interactive exhibits showcasing the area's Native American and ranching history, wildlife research, and a kids' discovery zone with live animals. Exhibits are bilingual in English and Spanish. In general, the center is open on weekends from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Sunol Regional Wilderness is at the end of Geary Road off Calaveras Road about five miles south of I-680 and the town of Sunol. The program is free; there's a parking fee of \$6 per vehicle. For information, call (510) 544-3249.

Folk-art is the theme of a program from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 12 at Ardenwood Historic Farm in Fremont. Participants can fashion dolls out of colorful corn husks gleaned from the farm fields, adding corn silk hair, a twig broom, or an acorn cap to complete the effect. Naturalist Chris Garcia will preside. The program is drop-in, all ages welcome. Ardenwood admission fees apply.

Ardenwood recreates life on a prosperous 19th century estate, with all sorts of historic attractions and activities. The park is located at 34600 Ardenwood Boulevard, just north of Highway 84. For information call (510) 544-2797.

The plants and animals of Black Diamond Mines Regional Preserve in Antioch will be on display during a series of two- to three-mile naturalist-led hikes on some Saturdays in November and December. There's one from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 12. It's drop-in and free of charge, though there's a parking fee of \$5 per vehicle when the kiosk is attended. Minimum age is four years, and parent participation is required.

Black Diamond Mines is at the end of Somersville Road 3½ miles south of Highway 4. Meet at the uppermost parking lot, a mile past the kiosk. For information, call (510) 544-2750.

“Bio Blitz” is the name of the game from 11 a.m. to 12 noon on Sunday, November 13 at Big Break Regional Shoreline in Oakley. It's a community science activity. The idea is to see how many different plants and animals you can find throughout the park. This helps the staff to collect meaningful data on species richness and diversity, and it's open to all levels of expertise.

Meet supervising naturalist Wyatt Moore at the visitor center. Parent participation is required. Big Break is at 69 Big Break Road off Oakley's Main Street. For information, call (510) 544-3050.

There's always something interesting going on in the regional parks. For the full story, visit www.ebparks.org/things-to-do.



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How shared meals work out in cohousing

SUBMITTED BY
EVELYN LATORRE AND
JANE MUELLER

In a time when so many are concerned about polarization, it is reassuring to know effective ways to bring people together. A key element in the culture of cohousing communities all over the world is sharing meals in the Common House (community center) an average of three times per week. TV travel host and celebrity chef Anthony Bourdain, who proclaimed himself a “Lefty Democrat,” observed that he could reliably find commonalities with Americans who held conservative beliefs because of the common ground they could find in food and drink.

There’s an unwritten rule (but not a requirement) in cohousing communities that every adult cooks and/or cleans, and the task rotates. With few exceptions, though, people who move into cohousing have little experience preparing meals for large groups. How does that work out? And what do they cook?

In an article on cohousing.org, Joani Blank wrote, “Every community starts out with a person or two who insists that he or she cannot possibly learn to cook, especially for a crowd. But in communities where everyone is expected to cook, I’ve found that there is always willingness to bring ‘non-cooks’ up to speed by pairing them up with more experienced, or at least more fearless, cooks.” One timid cook who had overcome her fear of cooking said that she felt stressed about it at first, but over time she learned the technique of planning around basic dishes that most people like and are easy to prepare.

To the surprise of no one, favorite recipes have emerged, and cohousing residents have

been glad to share them. *Moosewood Restaurant Cooks for a Crowd* has become a popular cookbook among cohousers. Cohousing.org also lists favorite dishes, including Carin’s New Mexican Dream Cookies, Moroccan Chicken, Roasted Corn and Black Bean Salad, and Sandy’s Scramble. It seems only fair to share one here:

Sandy’s Scramble

Serves 25 adults
3 lbs of Roma or large cherry tomatoes
8-12 oz of soft goat cheese
1 large bunch of fresh basil, chopped
1 Tbsp Italian seasoning
Olive oil
Salt - kosher or regular
6 dozen eggs
1 cup of milk
Black pepper

A couple of hours before the brunch, roast the tomatoes by cutting them in half and putting them on a cookie sheet lined with aluminum foil. Spray with olive oil and sprinkle with salt. Bake at 325 degrees for about an hour, depending on the size of the tomatoes. Baking enhances the flavor and cuts down on the juices that would make eggs runny. When the tomatoes are done roasting, chop them and put them in a bowl with the chopped fresh basil and Italian seasoning. Drizzle olive oil over the tomatoes and set aside.



Cut the goat cheese into half-inch cubes; set aside.

Put the eggs in a bowl and add milk and black pepper. Whisk until eggs are broken and beaten.

Heat a large skillet or wok. Put in about 2 tablespoons of olive oil and add the eggs. Scramble until they are about three-quarters done. Add the tomato mixture and finish cooking. Turn off the heat, add goat cheese, and serve hot.

Children get into the act too: “My parents were cooking together last night, and at my request they made homemade macaroni and cheese for everyone. Some of the adults thought it was really weird that I like ketchup on mac and cheese, but a few of the braver ones tried it and thought it was pretty good.”

This article is part of an ongoing series on cohousing. To learn more, visit Mission Peak Village on Facebook or the www.missionpeakcohousing.org website. Join us on our monthly walk to explore the neighborhood around our future site in the Irvington district of Fremont.

Mission Peak Village is a group of friends forming Fremont’s first cohousing community. Memberships are still available. For information, see www.missionpeakcohousing.org or call Kelli at (510) 413-8446. For more information on the topic of cohousing, visit www.cohousing.org.

Nervous about sharing your writing? Join a social writing group

SUBMITTED BY
TISH DAVIDSON

Do you long to be an author but are anxious about sharing your writing? Perhaps English is not your native language, and you are concerned that your writing will be criticized. Or maybe you are don’t feel “educated” enough to call yourself a writer. No need to be nervous. The Zoom Social Write-In is a welcoming, nonjudgmental community of writers.

At the free Zoom Social Write-In on Saturday, November 12, you can meet aspiring writers from the Fremont-Newark-Union City area in an open-minded environment. This event is for everyone from complete beginners to established writers. It is not a writing critique session. Your writing will not be judged, just enjoyed and appreciated by your fellow writers.

How the Write-In works:
After you sign in, the computer will assign you to a virtual room with three other writers. You will be given a choice of four word and visual prompts—for example, “an ancestor I would like to meet” or a photograph of a mother and baby animal. Choose one prompt and free write fiction, memoir, or poetry for 10 minutes. After you finish, all the writers in the room share their response to the prompt in a relaxed, supportive atmosphere.

The computer will then assign writers to a different room. This time, you will get a choice of four sentences to start a story. Write for 10 minutes and then share what you have written. Many writers finish and edit their stories at home after the Write-In. Fremont Area Writers members can submit their writing for publication in the monthly newsletter.

The Write-In is sponsored by Fremont Area Writers, a branch of the California Writers Club. In addition to the Write-In, FAW meets on Zoom from 2 p.m. – 4 p.m. the fourth Saturday of each month with speakers who address some aspect of writing and publishing. The next meeting is November 26. For more information, check the Fremont Area Writers website. To participate in the free Write-In or attend the free general meeting, please request the Zoom meeting link from Scott Davidson at scottfrombayside@yahoo.com.

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FALL WORD GAME

Each row of squares below has the letters of a word that can be found on this page. Read today's *Kid Scoop* page and then try to unscramble them all.

- 1 - 3: Junior Hiker
- 4 - 7: Botanist
- 8 - 10: Dendrologist (Tree scientist)

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Standards Link: Spelling: Spell grade-level words correctly.

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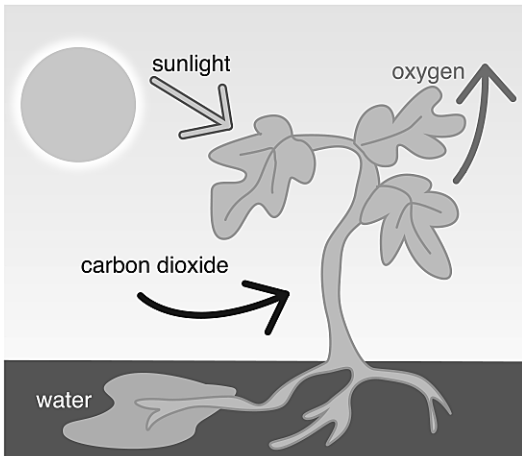
This week's word: ABSORB
The verb **absorb** means to take in or swallow up.
The sponge was able to **absorb** my spilled milk.

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

Write On! Eat Like a Plant

Would you like to "eat" like a plant—meaning have the ability to turn sunshine, water and CO2 into food through photosynthesis? Why or why not?

Why do leaves change color in the fall?



It's Not Easy Staying Green

Plants make food in a process called **photosynthesis**. During summer, plants take water up from their roots to their leaves. They absorb **carbon dioxide** from the air. These combine to make **chlorophyll** which makes plant leaves green.

Photosynthesis slows in fall as winter approaches. Trees and plants live off their stored food. The green chlorophyll disappears leaving red, orange and yellow leaves. The dry, brittle leaves soon drop from trees with the help of crisp autumn breezes.

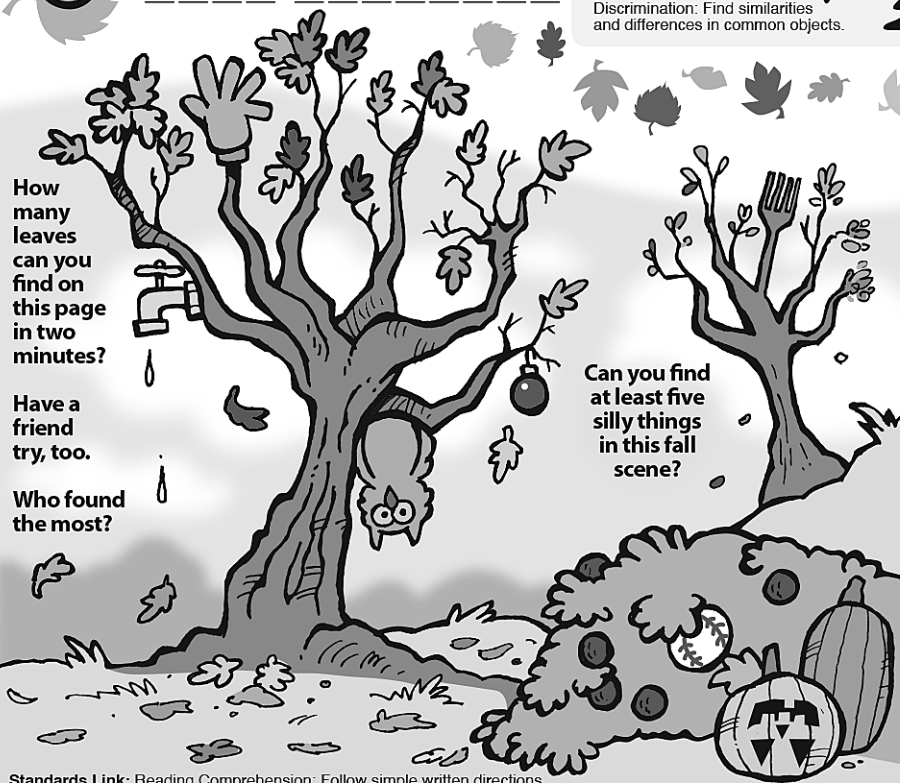
When the rain comes down, what goes up?

Find the answer in the fall leaf border! Start here. Then read every other letter as you move clockwise around the border.

Lookalike Leaves

All of the leaves at right have an identical twin—except one. Can you find it?

Standards Link: Visual Discrimination: Find similarities and differences in common objects.



Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

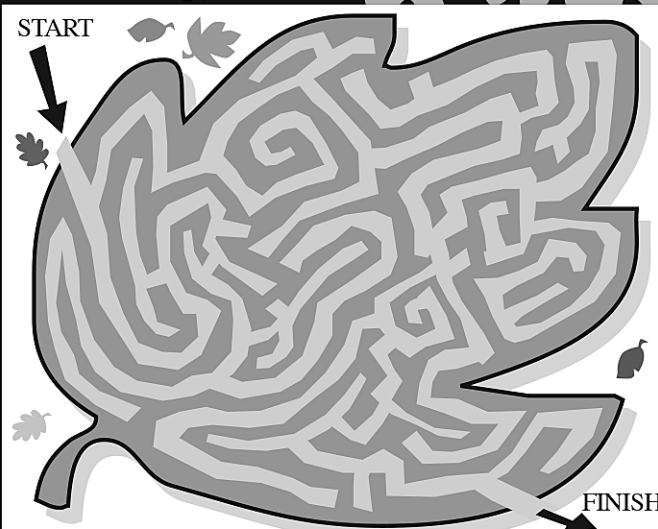
Extra! Extra! Fall Syllables

Find words in the newspaper that have the same number of syllables as the fall words below. Paste each word on the picture with the matching number of syllables.



Standards Link: Decoding and Word Recognition: Decode regular multi-syllabic words.

Kid Scoop Puzzler



Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

Double Double Word Search

- LEAVES
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- SYLLABLES
- CARBON
- SEASON
- WINTER
- SCENE
- BORDER
- CRISP
- ACORN
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- ROOTS
- FALL
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Find the words in the puzzle. How many of them can you find on this page?

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

FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

Autumn

Find five words in the newspaper that describe the autumn season. Paste the words onto a sheet of paper. Write a sentence using each word. Decorate your paper with images of fall.

Standards Link: Grammar: Identify and use adjectives in writing. Sentence Structure: Write simple and complex complete sentences.



ANSWER: Climb a tree and act like a nut.



New Radar Speed Feedback/Message Signs Installed along Fremont Blvd.

As part of the City’s Fremont Boulevard Safe/Smart Corridor Project, the City’s contractor is in the process of installing 26 new radar speed feedback/dynamic message signs along both directions of travel along Fremont Boulevard, between the Interstate 880/Fremont Boulevard interchange (north) and the Interstate 880/Fremont Boulevard interchange (south). The new signs are noticeably larger than the standard radar speed feedback signs installed elsewhere in the city, and the larger signs can operate both as radar speed feedback signs during normal operation for traffic calming purposes, as well as display custom messages to support temporary traffic control, traffic detour, and incident management purposes along the corridor. The signs’ dynamic message feature is important for this section of Fremont Boulevard, as the corridor is often used as a bypass route for regional traffic during times of heavy congestion along the I-880 freeway corridor or during a major incident event on the I-880 freeway.

The Fremont Boulevard Safe/Smart Corridor Project is funded through an \$8.3 million Countywide Measure BB transportation grant awarded by the Alameda County Transportation Commission, and it is on schedule to be substantially completed by the end of 2022.

For more project-related information, please visit the project website at <https://fremontsmartcorridor.org> or contact Eric Hu, Principal Transportation Engineer, by email at ehu@fremont.gov.



Fremont Receives Grant Award for Affordable Housing

The City of Fremont has been awarded a \$5 million Local Housing Trust Fund grant award. The City was eligible to apply for this grant from the California Department of Housing and Community Development because it has established a housing trust fund through fees paid by residential and commercial developers under

Fremont’s Affordable Housing Ordinance. The grant funds will be used to offset City funds already targeted for a planned affordable housing development on Osgood Road. Therefore, the award effectively frees up \$5 million in City affordable housing funds to be used on a future project.

Giving Hope

Giving Hope: An opportunity to increase choices for our neighbors this season through gift giving. This holiday season, after two years of economic fallout from COVID many households are struggling be-cause of the growing pressures of inflation. Dollars aren’t going as far. As a result, individuals, families, and older adults may have to make tough choices on how to prioritize their limited budget. Holiday celebrations may not make the list this year. By making a gift to Giving Hope this year, the opportunities for our neighbors expand. Holiday celebrations may return without sacrificing other important expenses. Consider partnering with us for an opportunity to increase choices available to your neighbors this holiday season. Visit our website and discover the different ways you can join us in giving at city.fremont.gov/givinghope.



Smart Parking Comes to Centerville



Finding a parking space in Centerville just got easier with the activation of new real-time parking guidance signs installed along Fremont Boulevard and Peralta Boulevard. At the two parking lots next to the Centerville Train Depot, signs now display the number of spaces available at each parking lot to help direct patrons to the appropriate parking lot based on parking space availability.

The dynamic parking signs are installed as part of the City’s Fremont Boulevard Safe/Smart Corridor Project, which also installs new traffic signal technology equipment and fiber optic communication lines along Fremont Boulevard

between the two Fremont Boulevard/Interstate 880 interchanges. The objective of the project is to implement advanced traffic operation and smart city technologies throughout the corridor to make driving, walking, bicycling, and use of transit safer and more convenient. The installed equipment will also set up the Fremont Boulevard corridor to accommodate future connected vehicle technologies. The project is funded by an innovation grant obtained from the Alameda County Transportation Commission.

For more information, please visit the project website at <https://fremontsmartcorridor.org>.

Fremont City Council Adopted Ordinance to Prohibit Spectator Participation in Illegal Street Racing or Sideshow Activities

On September 6, 2022, the Fremont City Council adopted the Street Racing and Sideshow Ordinance to prohibit the promotion of and attendance at such events. This ordinance went into effect on October 20, 2022. Vehicle exhibitions and street racing have been a recurring concern for the health and safety of motorists, pedestrians, and residents in the city. These activities have caused fatal collisions, property damage, and traffic congestion, creating a public nuisance. In addition, illegal speed contests, exhibitions of speed, and sideshows pose a clear danger to the residents of the city and the motoring public traveling on the roadways within the city. Therefore, the ordinance will prohibit the promotion and attendance at these illegal racing events to significantly curb this criminal activity.

At speed contests and exhibitions of speed, street racers accelerate to high speeds without regard to oncoming traffic, pedestrians, or vehicles parked or moving nearby. In most situations, sideshows attract hundreds of spectators to gather on the streets late at night and in the early morning hours, blocking

the streets and sidewalks to traffic to form a racetrack area or an area for stunts or reckless driving. The spectators provide protection to those drivers by blocking roadways, which prevents law enforcement from approaching or contacting the reckless drivers. In addition, the spectators provide significant motivation for the sideshows, as the crowd size and participation encourage the actual drivers to engage in the activity.

The ordinance amends Chapter 9.35 (Street Racing) to add provisions to prohibit promoters from encouraging gathering at and spectators from attending illegal street racing and sideshow events. Fremont Police believes the ordinance will serve to discourage promotion and participation in sideshows and street races.

The adopted ordinance can be viewed at city.fremont.gov/streetracingsideshowordinance. The Fremont Municipal Code Chapter 9.35 (Street Racing) will be updated to reflect these changes.

For questions regarding the adoption of this ordinance, please contact Captain John Harnett at jharnett@fremont.gov or 510-790-6705.

Online Scheduling for Fire Inspections

All fire permit applicants should now request their fire inspections online through the City’s Citizen Access permit portal at fremont.gov/citizenaccess. This change went into effect on October 14, 2022 and is consistent with the process for requesting building inspections. The City wants to make it easier for applicants to schedule their inspections and complete their permit process online. For more information, visit the City’s Building Inspections webpage at city.fremont.gov/buildinginspections.

2022 Building Code Adoption for Fremont

On November 1, 2022, the Fremont City Council adopted the 2022 California Building Standards Code, which can be viewed at www.dgs.ca.gov/BSC/Codes.

The Council also re-adopted existing local building and fire code ordinances for certain types of construction and conditions. The code and local ordinances will become effective on January 1, 2023. All construction and development projects submitted to the City on or after this date will be required to comply with the new code requirements. For more information, visit city.fremont.gov/buildingcode.

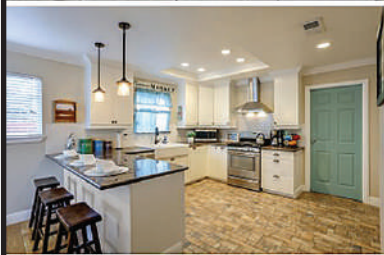


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Fall colors bring a breath of fresh air. Driving around to see fall colors is a feel-good activity that everyone can do, including wheelchair users. Fremont and other parts of the East Bay show a lovely kaleidoscope of colors every year starting in early November.

On the Cal State, East Bay Campus you can enjoy the colorful fall foliage by driving around. Visit on a weekend so that you have the parking lot to yourself to click beautiful pictures. Taylor Avenue in Hayward also has a beautiful cluster of yellow foliage.

A swift trip to Pleasanton at the intersection of Hopyard and Gibraltar is well worth the effort. There is a cluster of colorful Sugar maples turning orange.

Koll Center Parkway, Sunol Water Temple, Sunol Boulevard, and Sunol Wilderness Regional Park have a good mix of colors. The drive on Main Street in Sunol and Foothill Road looks very nice with the colorful vineyard.

The intersection of Fremont Boulevard and Michael Avenue in Fremont has a row of brilliant yellow foliage.

Curie Street at Pacific Commons is bordered by beautiful orange foliage.

The intersection of Omar Street and Stevenson Boulevard in Fremont intersection has a row of Sugar maples turning into a multicolor background. You can find the best colors between Hilo and Stevenson.

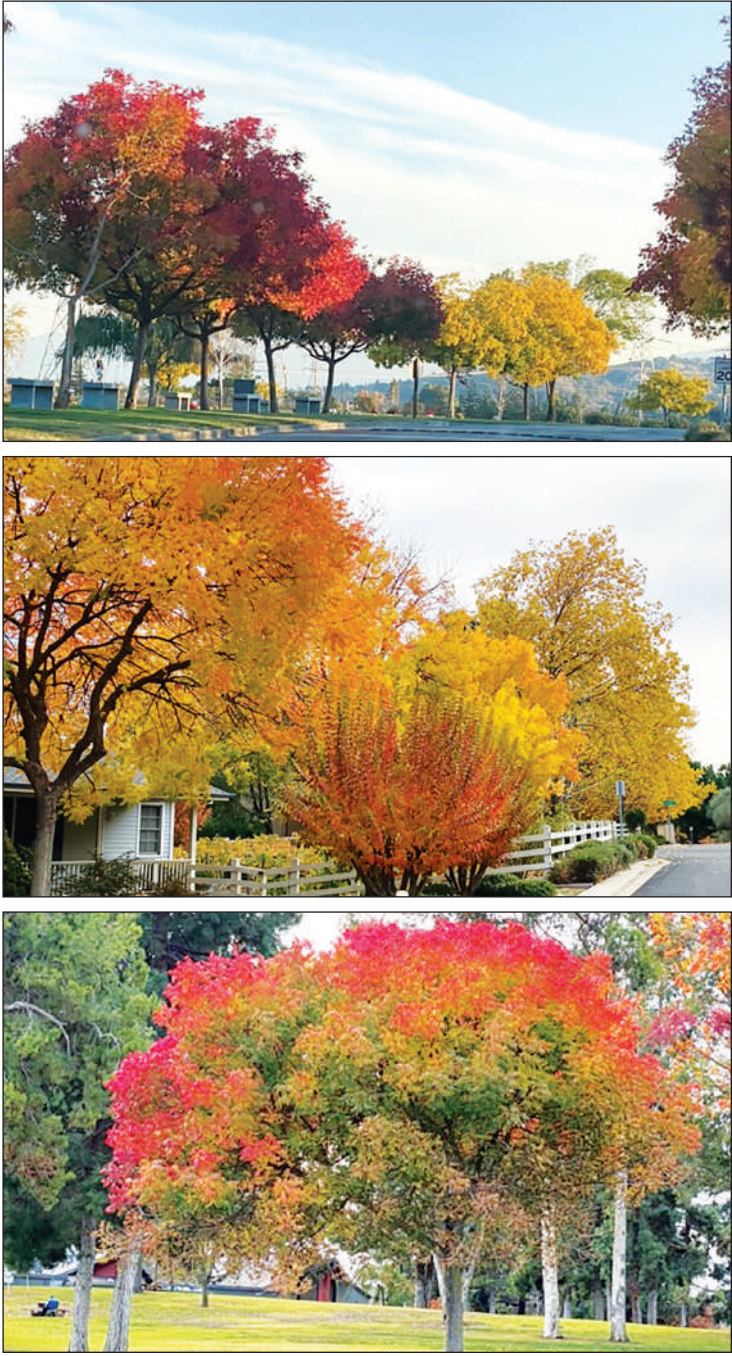
In the Mission area, the Intersection of Gomes and Grimmer on Mission Boulevard, Stevenson to Driscoll, and Bedford Drive have a brilliant range of color displays.

Lake Elizabeth Park and Quarry Lake recreational area also provides a range of colors during this time.

Wheelchair Accessibility

The Niles Canyon Staging area is completely wheelchair accessible. It has a couple of accessible parking and a portable accessible restroom. Alameda creek trail is also wheelchair accessible. Some parts of this trail may be unpaved.

Sunol downtown is completely wheelchair accessible. There are a couple of accessible parking spaces in front of the post office on Main Street.





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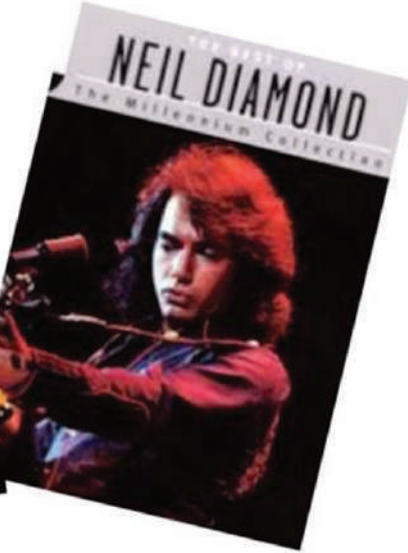
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Home & Garden

Plant alliums this fall to add variety and beauty to your garden

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Take your garden to new heights with alliums. This ornamental member of the onion family provides welcome color as spring bulbs fade and before summer perennials fill our gardens with colorful blooms.

Most people have seen pictures of the giant allium, but there are many other size and height options suitable for any size and style garden. Most allium flowers are globe shaped, and all are made of tiny florets. They make great cut flowers, pollinators love them, and deer tend to leave them be.

Plan for months of color by including a variety of alliums that bloom from late

spring through early summer. Longfield Gardens' Planning Guide for Alliums (Longfield-gardens.com) showcases the various alliums, their size, and bloom times, to help you plan. Add alliums to zone four to eight gardens in fall when planting your other spring flowering bulbs like tulips and daffodils.

Dress up the front of a flowerbed or rock garden with *Allium karataviense*. It may be small in stature at only eight to ten inches tall, but the broad grey-green leaves and five-inch round, silvery-pink flowers provide a big impact in the late spring garden.

Add years of spring beauty with Purple Sensation. Its shimmering four-inch diameter, violet-purple flowers are held above the leaves on 24 to 30" tall stems. It provides nice height and vibrant color to the early season garden. You will enjoy these alliums and their offspring for years to come.

For something different, add *Allium bulgaricum*, also known as *Nectaroscordum bulgaricum*, to perennial and informal gardens. The cluster of drooping cream and burgundy bell-shaped flowers is followed by seedpods that lift themselves skyward. This provides an interesting vertical accent in the garden.

Gladiator and Globemaster are sure to have passersby and visitors stopping to take a second look at your garden. Mix them in amongst perennials and add to mixed borders. Gladiator has blue-violet, six-inch diameter flowers that are smaller than Globemaster, but Gladiator blooms earlier and stands a foot taller and the leaves are longer lasting. Both are sure to grab your attention and that of pollinators.

Stretch your enjoyment into early summer with Ambassador. Its dense five- to six-inch, violet-blue flowers are a deeper color than most alliums. What's even more impressive is these large flowers are atop four- to five-foot stems. Like the other alliums, bees and butterflies love it.

It's no surprise that *Allium christophii* is a favorite among gardeners. The eight- to ten-inch diameter, violet-pink flowers have spikey florets and a silvery sheen that makes them look like globes in the garden. Though this allium is only 12-18" tall, it has a big presence in the garden and is very long-lasting.

Allium schubertii produces even larger, 12" diameter flowers on stems of a similar height. Some of the star-like florets are closer to the center of the flower than others, and

this makes the blossom appear to be expanding, like fireworks in the garden. Save some of the seedheads and use them in dried flower arrangements.

The flowers of heirloom. *Allium atropurpureum* are dome-shaped rather than round. Their dramatic, dark burgundy color and upright stature add structure to the garden. They are also long-lasting cut flowers.

End the season with Drumstick allium. The egg-shaped flowers are raspberry on top and green on the bottom with long slender stems. They are perfect grow-through plants and good companions for ornamental grasses.

Add a variety of alliums to your garden this fall and enjoy the added color, texture, and height this group of plants provide. You and the pollinators will be glad you did.

Melinda Myers has written more than 20 gardening books, including the recently released *Midwest Gardener's Handbook, 2nd Edition* and *Small Space Gardening*. She hosts *The Great Courses "How to Grow Anything"* DVD instant video series and the nationally syndicated *Melinda's Garden Moment TV & radio* program. Myers is a columnist and contributing editor for *Birds & Blooms* magazine and was commissioned by Longfield Gardens for her expertise to write this article. Her web site is www.MelindaMyers.com.



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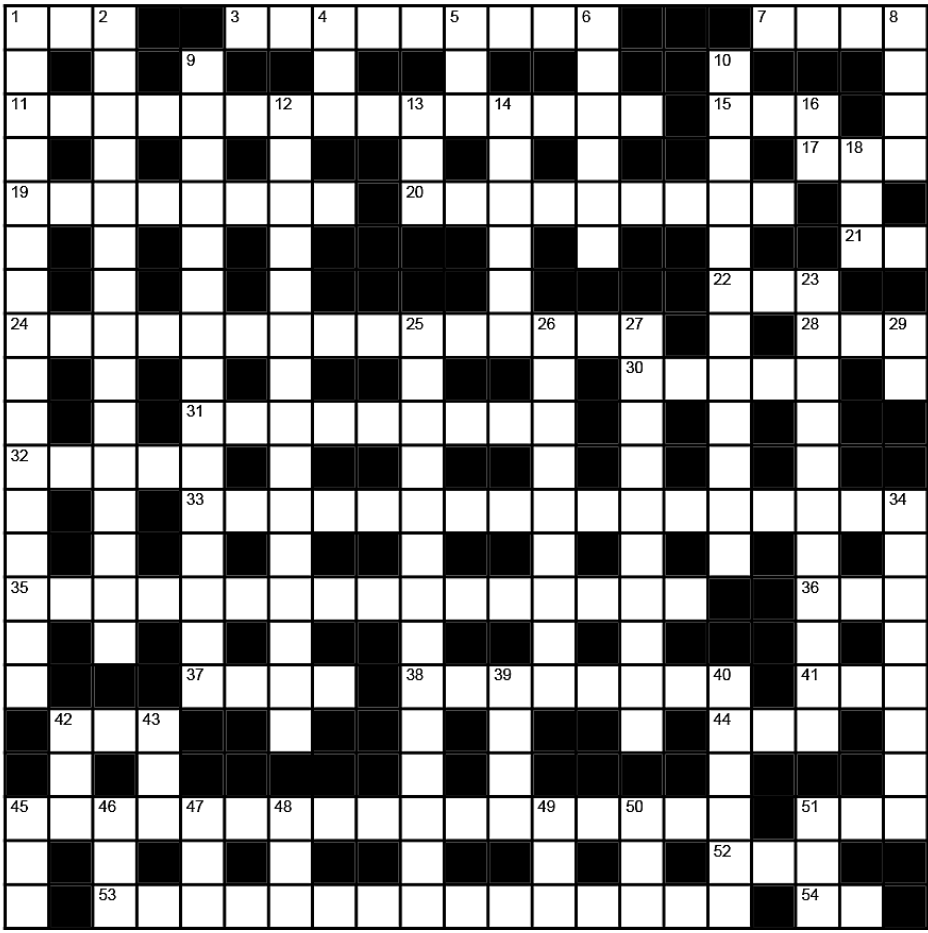
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Mind Twisters

Crossword Puzzle



- Across

1 New Test. book (3)

3 It often causes a big splash (9)

7 Find a space (4)

11 Not all there (3,6,6)

15 "Ages Beyond Myst" online and computer game (3)

17 National dish of Vietnam (3)

19 Lacking a middle (8)

20 Detectors of a pitch's speed (5,4)

21 I give you ____ word (2)

22 "The Games People Play" puzzlemaker's initials. (3)

24 One concern of Census Canada (3,12)

28 Type of post office: Abbr. (3)

30 Cartoon art (5)

31 "My frat's name is ____" (5,2,2)

32 1970 World's Fair site (5)

33 This puzzle's long-winded advice, simply put (4,6,3,4)

35 "____, it will be nighttime" (2,3,3,2,3,3)

36 "Losing My Religion" rock group (3)
- Down

1 Spicy stew (9,7)

2 Extreme defensiveness (6,9)

4 "Seinfeld" uncle (3)

5 Adversary (3)

6 Sel companion (6)

8 Hawaiian taro (4)

9 Place with many paintings (8-7)

10 Newsmagazine covering wildfires? (7,5)

12 Carouse (5,3,4,3)

13 Three-part vaccine given to
- 37 California's Santa ____ Valley (4)

38 Ontario city (5,3)

41 Big picture?: Abbr. (3)

42 Mr., abroad (3)

44 Monogram of Sherlock's creator (3)

45 "Chip off the old block" comparison (4,6,4,3)

51 Actress Scala (3)

52 Seat of White Pine County, Nev. (3)

53 Exaggerated melodrama (5-3-7)

54 3.14 (2)
- kids: Abbr. (3)

14 Adamite (6)

16 Above (2)

18 "Interesting..." (3)

23 Preserved, in a way (6-5)

25 Clumsy (14)

26 Seriously (2,7)

27 Insipid (5-5)

29 "No kidding!" (2)

34 Running of the bulls site (8)

39 French roast (4)

40 It's a bore (6)

42 "____ gather" (3)

43 Manhattan addition (3)

45 Wall St. action (3)

46 Bluesman Mo' (3)

47 Away (3)

48 Rx instruction (3)

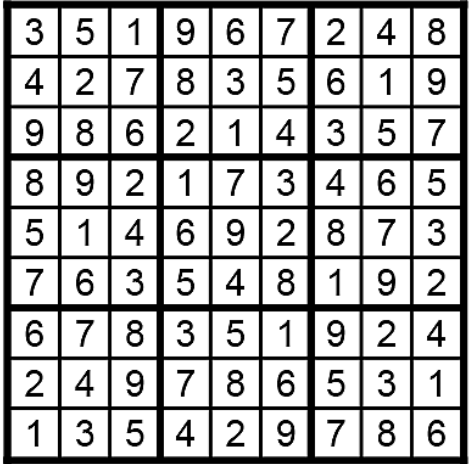
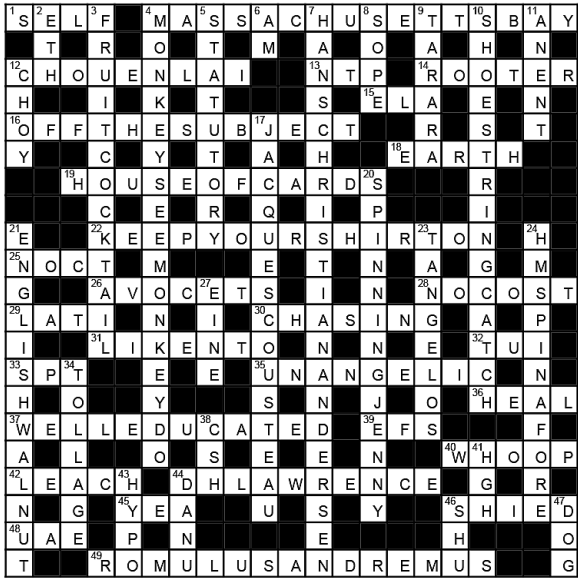
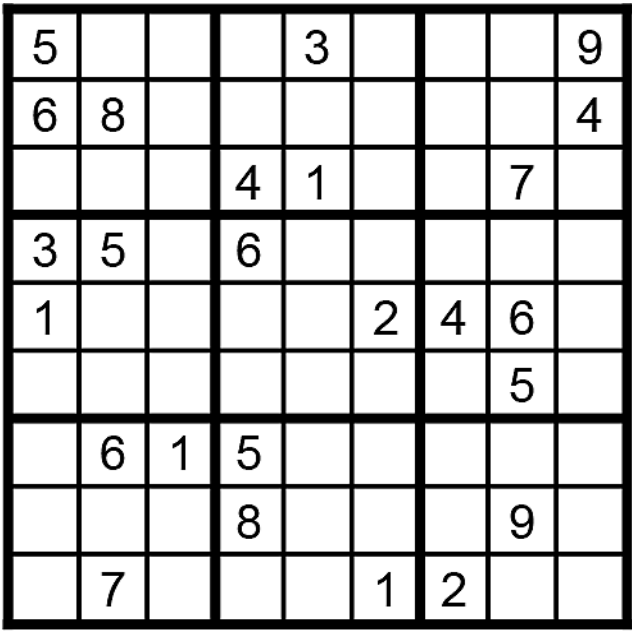
49 Liberian tribe (3)

50 Audio file extension (3)

51 Cheat (3)

Sudoku:

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



Tri-City Stargazer FOR WEEK: NOVEMBER 8, 2022

All Signs: I talked to an Aquarian the other day who was surprised to learn that Saturn was in his sign, and that it had been there since March 2020. I told him about Saturn's effects: It would force him to deal with heavy responsibilities. It would make him feel old. It might trigger dental problems and achy joints. After it left his sign in March 2023, he would feel young again! This prompted me to think we should all look where Saturn is for our sign, to help us pinpoint where we are and where we're going.

Aries the Ram (March 21-April 20):

The last time Saturn was in Aries was from 1996 to 1999. It will return in 2026. Meanwhile, since the beginning of 2020, it has been in a position to help you. It has strengthened many areas of your life so you can withstand adversity. It might have brought you recognition from authority figures. On a more personal level, Saturn has been helping you learn how to juggle your own needs and responsibilities, versus satisfying those of others. It's a delicate balance between being cooperative and protecting your own space and interests.

Taurus the Bull (April 21-May 20):

Two weeks ago, the Solar eclipse was opposite your sign. On Tuesday this week, the Lunar eclipse is in your sign. A double whammy! This means you are making fast adjustments to relationships. Fortunately, both Venus and Mercury will help you communicate, and be accommodating and informative. This has been your time of harvest – since 2020 – because Saturn is travelling across the top of your chart. You have enormous responsibilities, and are getting recognition for your efforts. This is also when you see clearly what is working and what is not.

Gemini the Twins (May 21-June 20):

Mars continues to be in your sign until March next year. (Normally, Mars is in your sign only once every two years for six weeks.) This a rare blessing! Mars is

giving you extra drive and aggression to negotiate and work for what you want. Meanwhile, since 2020, Saturn has been urging you to get ready for your time of harvest, which will begin next year. These are the last few months of preparation. Is there any further education or training you can get? Can you travel to enrich yourself?

Cancer the Crab (June 21-July 21):

When Saturn was last in your sign, from 2003 to 2005, you began a new journey of reinventing yourself, after giving up people, places and possessions. Since 2020, Saturn has been in your Money House that deals with wealth and resources from others. Saturn is stern; but also, the Great Teacher. Resources from others have been diminished, forcing you to stand on your own. Be reassured because you are coming to your own life peak around 2026. That is when your cherished dreams will come true.

Leo the Lion (July 22-August 22):

Since 2020, Saturn has been opposite your sign, which happens once every 30 years. The last time was from late 1991 to early 1994. When Saturn opposes you, life gets harder. You feel discouraged and overwhelmed. Even your ambitions might be thwarted. Fortunately, this challenging time for you is almost over! Your life is changing rapidly, and you are moving forward towards your life peak five or six years from now. This challenging time has made you stronger.

Virgo the Virgin (August 23-September 22):

Since 2020, Saturn has challenged your health, your job and even your pets. Many of you have dealt with arthritis, broken bones, or teeth problems. Saturn has also made you work incredibly hard in the last few years – so hard that at times, you felt overwhelmed. Fear not, because in the long run, there is a payoff! Respect your health and take care of your body. Keep working because next year, you will receive the recognition for your efforts.

Libra the Scales (September 23-October 22):

Since 2020, Libran parents have had increased burdens with their kids. You are the most social sign in the zodiac. Areas that might have been a source of fun are almost a burden now. Any gains you have made in the last few years have been the result of your own hard work. And admittedly, there has been less fun. Some of you are also wondering what you want to be when you grow up. Starting next year, you will work with focus and purpose. Money from other sources will help you.

Scorpio the Scorpion (October 23-November 21):

Since 2020, you have faced enormous challenges related to home and family. Many things that you had been “putting up with” for years came to a head. Whatever was important to you rose to prominence in your life. Interactions with a parent involved increased responsibilities. Many of you made home repairs or residential moves so that you could have a solid base on which to build in the future. This is actually a time of new beginnings.

Sagittarius the Archer (November 22-December 21):

Saturn rules the government and legal documents. Think passports. Since 2020, Saturn has been in the part of your chart that deals with your day-to-day world. This means change has been afoot! Many of you have changed residences or jobs. The last time you went through this kind of flux was 1991-1994. But this has all been for a reason. Since Saturn was in your sign in 2016, you have been reinventing yourself. The “new you” will be ready for your coming out season next year!

Capricorn the Goat (December 22-January 19):

Saturn is your ruler. It is the stern disciplinarian, which is why you know tough times are character building. You are a long-lived sign because you use adversity to polish your life skills. Since the beginning of 2020, you have had to learn what is important to you: both material things and psychological, spiritual and moral values. You might have had to deal along with less, but you are a frugal sign who hates waste. Now you are entering a year when home and family life will flourish!

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

Saturn has been in your sign since March 2020. It will stay there until March next year. It's been a challenge and a time of immense personal growth! You had to determine what kind of a person you are. You were forced to deal with challenging issues with family and friends. Ideally, you did some

psychotherapy or counselling. Many of you entered new turf at the beginning of 2020. By next year, you will have a stronger sense of who you are, and increased optimism and happiness.

Pisces the Fish (February 19-March 20):

For the last several years, you have been going through the Dark Night of the Soul. The challenges you faced forced you to give up things: possessions, jobs, relationships and possibly, even a country. At that time, this might have felt like loss. But looking back, you will see that you streamlined your life and lightened your load. This is the end of the big cycle for you, which means next year, you enter a new world.



By Georgia Nicols
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CASTRO VALLEY TOTAL SALES: 10							
Highest \$: 2,700,000		Median \$: 1,062,500					
Lowest \$: 767,000		Average \$: 1,214,700					
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
21665 Lake Chabot Rd	94546	767,000	2	848	1942	9/9/22	
18675 Stanton Avenue	94546	830,000	2	1149	1946	9/8/22	
20119 Summerridge Dr	94552	950,000	4	1666	1997	9/9/22	
4941 Seaview Avenue	94546	1,000,000	4	3022	1991	9/6/22	
18889 Walnut Road	94546	1,020,000	3	1492	1953	9/6/22	
4477 Seven Hills Road	94546	1,105,000	3	1554	1955	9/8/22	
18907 Heidi Street	94546	1,200,000	4	2416	1967	9/8/22	
4033 Leavitt Court	94546	1,250,000	3	1811	1961	9/7/22	
19012 Mayberry Drive	94546	1,325,000	-	2576	1972	9/9/22	
4507 Recreation Road	94552	2,700,000	5	6345	2006	9/6/22	

FREMONT TOTAL SALES: 26							
Highest \$: 3,850,000		Median \$: 1,367,500					
Lowest \$: 323,000		Average \$: 1,400,154					
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
37399 Sequoia Road	94536	323,000	-	421	1986	9/7/22	
1024 Walnut Ave #91	94536	525,000	1	732	1984	9/6/22	
2755 Country Dr #238	94536	550,000	2	950	1970	9/8/22	
3520 Mission View Dr	94538	710,000	3	1191	1957	9/9/22	
42942 Via Valparaiso	94539	815,000	3	1188	1971	9/9/22	
5630 Salvia Common	94538	850,000	2	1157	1994	9/9/22	
4464 Porter Street	94538	1,056,000	4	1351	1955	9/8/22	
4476 Ogden Drive	94538	1,110,000	4	1427	1962	9/7/22	
4028 Carol Avenue	94538	1,170,000	3	1460	1989	9/8/22	
38098 Edward Avenue	94536	1,220,000	3	1389	1973	9/9/22	
39690 Catamaran Court	94538	1,265,000	4	1456	1961	9/8/22	
1290 Ocaso Camino	94539	1,350,000	2	2213	1979	9/6/22	
38864 Argonaut Way	94536	1,365,000	3	1458	1961	9/7/22	
2892 Predio Terrace	94539	1,370,000	3	1829	2015	9/6/22	
37854 Argyle Road	94536	1,370,000	4	1942	1965	9/9/22	
4837 Ridgewood Drive	94555	1,400,000	3	1446	1988	9/9/22	
35668 Dee Place	94536	1,450,000	3	1579	1970	9/6/22	
38375 Paseo Padre Pkwy	94536	1,451,000	4	1648	1969	9/9/22	
14 Viento Drive	94536	1,570,000	3	1762	1976	9/9/22	
4293 Jacinto Drive	94536	1,610,000	4	1704	1965	9/7/22	
36013 Cripps Place	94536	1,630,000	4	1797	1965	9/6/22	
5177 Roycroft Way	94538	1,700,000	4	2377	1961	9/6/22	
4620 Alhambra Drive	94536	1,794,000	4	1148	1958	9/6/22	
1902 Sioux Drive	94539	2,000,000	4	2434	1978	9/7/22	
1049 Geronimo Court	94539	2,900,000	4	2961	1980	9/8/22	
47969 Avalon Heights Ter	94539	3,850,000	4	3374	1998	9/9/22	

HAYWARD TOTAL SALES: 26							
Highest \$: 1,218,000		Median \$: 778,000					
Lowest \$: 505,000		Average \$: 795,385					
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
21355 Gary Drive #18	94546	505,000	2	936	1961	9/9/22	
27779 Vasona Ct #20	94544	535,000	2	1071	1985	9/8/22	
21117 Gary Drive #221	94546	580,000	2	1041	1981	9/8/22	
21095 Gary Drive #311	94546	595,000	2	1101	1980	9/7/22	
25495 Southwick Dr #107	94544	605,000	2	1130	1991	9/9/22	
21062 Gary Drive #114	94546	640,000	3	1232	1980	9/9/22	
656 Colette Place	94544	658,000	3	951	1950	9/8/22	
25852 Gettysburg Ave	94545	700,000	3	1244	1959	9/6/22	
623 Staley Avenue	94541	700,000	2	1227	2012	9/9/22	
1348 Inglewood Street	94544	715,000	3	1452	1952	9/9/22	
24647 Pontiac Street	94544	727,000	2	864	1950	9/6/22	
31108 Chicoine Avenue	94544	745,000	3	1371	1955	9/8/22	
210 Caterina Way	94545	776,000	4	1876	2017	9/9/22	
23318 Wilmot Circle	94545	780,000	2	1350	2017	9/8/22	
28481 Pacific Street	94544	815,000	3	1050	1952	9/6/22	
27711 Havana Avenue	94544	815,000	3	1000	1954	9/7/22	
2767 Kelly Street	94541	820,000	2	1259	1948	9/7/22	
3258 Valley Brook Way	94541	860,000	4	1483	1979	9/6/22	
25720 Eldridge Avenue	94544	860,000	3	1417	1954	9/9/22	
32167 Bernice Way	94544	900,000	3	1228	1955	9/7/22	
26091 Eastman Court	94544	901,000	4	1626	1952	9/8/22	
23245 Henry Court	94541	925,000	4	2043	1990	9/9/22	
26165 Adrian Avenue	94545	1,000,000	3	1289	1959	9/7/22	

25287 Morse Court	94542	1,125,000	3	2220	1988	9/9/22
27895 Farm Hill Drive	94542	1,180,000	4	2097	1969	9/8/22
27120 Columbia Way	94542	1,218,000	4	2088	1984	9/8/22

MILPITAS TOTAL SALES: 12							
Highest \$: 1,520,000		Median \$: 1,290,000					
Lowest \$: 489,000		Average \$: 1,210,292					
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
404 Dempsey Rd #107	95035	489,000	2	842	1977	9/30/22	
1419 Currant Road #31	95035	800,000	2	1072	2018	9/29/22	
1870 Joshua Tree Circle	95035	1,087,000	-	-	0	9/27/22	
155 Sinnott Lane	95035	1,100,000	3	1200	1885	9/30/22	
1690 Delano Street #23	95035	1,125,000	3	1552	2018	9/28/22	
1575 Mount Shasta Ave #370	95035	1,270,000	3	1064	1966	9/29/22	
1325 Coyote Creek Way	95035	1,310,000	3	1788	2013	9/26/22	
472 Coelho Court	95035	1,385,500	3	1497	1964	9/26/22	
428 Maple Avenue	95035	1,425,000	4	1709	1960	9/30/22	
1902 Terracotta Court	95035	1,495,000	-	-	0	9/27/22	
1863 Trento Loop	95035	1,517,000	4	2144	2016	9/27/22	
1354 Terra Alta Drive	95035	1,520,000	3	2082	1990	9/29/22	

NEWARK TOTAL SALES: 9							
Highest \$: 1,605,000		Median \$: 1,300,000					
Lowest \$: 1,030,000		Average \$: 1,306,444					
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
4952 Windermere Drive	94560	1,030,000	3	1008	1970	9/9/22	
37535 Skysail Street #21	94560	1,120,000	3	1682	2018	9/6/22	
6476 Marguerite Drive	94560	1,220,000	3	1315	1963	9/8/22	
36832 Nutmeg Court	94560	1,298,000	4	1946	1973	9/9/22	
5537 Mcdonald Avenue	94560	1,300,000	4	1360	1961	9/6/22	
6237 Market Avenue	94560	1,325,000	-	1582	1979	9/8/22	
8556 Schooner Way	94560	1,410,000	4	2041	2016	9/6/22	
36819 Nutmeg Court	94560	1,450,000	5	2236	1973	9/8/22	
35398 Severn Drive	94560	1,605,000	3	1604	1975	9/7/22	

SAN LEANDRO TOTAL SALES: 11							
Highest \$: 1,450,000		Median \$: 880,000					
Lowest \$: 688,000		Average \$: 946,182					
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
16625 Ehle Street	94578	688,000	3	1096	1952	9/7/22	
1215 Lucille Street	94577	699,000	2	1082	1946	9/6/22	
2273 West Ave 133rd	94577	740,000	3	1296	2004	9/7/22	
15926 Windsor Drive	94578	765,000	2	1289	1947	9/9/22	
692 Greer Avenue	94579	878,000	4	1534	1952	9/9/22	
1609 Russ Avenue	94578	880,000	4	1492	1948	9/8/22	
247 Bancroft Avenue	94577	930,000	2	1432	1921	9/8/22	
15313 Inverness Street	94579	968,000	5	1435	1955	9/6/22	
2259 Aquatic Court	94579	1,060,000	4	1923	1999	9/7/22	
2550 West Ave 134th	94577	1,350,000	7	2756	1953	9/7/22	
13057 Neptune Drive	94577	1,450,000	4	2790	1950	9/9/22	

SAN LORENZO TOTAL SALES: 3							
Highest \$: 900,000		Median \$: 853,000					
Lowest \$: 520,000		Average \$: 757,667					
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
17543 Wickman Place	94580	520,000	2	1168	1971	9/7/22	
15730 Via Colusa	94580	853,000	3	1288	1944	9/9/22	
16052 Via Cordoba	94580	900,000	3	1834	1950	9/9/22	

UNION CITY TOTAL SALES: 12							
Highest \$: 2,200,000		Median \$: 975,000					
Lowest \$: 590,000		Average \$: 1,086,167					
ADDRESS	ZIP	SOLD FOR	BDS	SQFT	BUILT	CLOSED	
32848 Arbor Vine Dr #33	94587	590,000	2	950	1985	9/6/22	
2203 Eric Court #3	94587	619,000	3	1134	1977	9/7/22	
4370 Planet Circle	94587	760,000	3	1137	1971	9/9/22	
31021 Granger Ave	94587	815,000	2	1533	1912	9/9/22	
2531 Village Drive #6	94587	815,000	2	1273	1984	9/9/22	
2613 Central Court	94587	950,000	4	1544	1975	9/7/22	
2443 Andover Drive	94587	1,000,000	3	1591	1968	9/8/22	
32642 Noah Drive	94587	1,100,000	4	2164	1979	9/8/22	
2453 Andover Drive	94587	1,200,000	3	1720	1968	9/8/22	
4561 Janae Court	94587	1,370,000	3	1370	1976	9/6/22	
4358 Bolina Drive	94587	1,615,000	5	2135	1993	9/9/22	
4570 Arce Street	94587	2,200,000	5	3160	2008	9/8/22	

Home Sales Report

Veterans Day Exhibit Program

SUBMITTED BY
SAN LEANDRO LIBRARY

On Saturday, November 12, San Leandro Library will host a Veterans Day Program centered on an exhibit curated by Bertram C. Clark, Jr. from his collection “African Americans in the Military from the Revolutionary War to World War II.” The exhibit will feature displays highlighting the Bay Area’s historical participation and contribution during WWII.

The exhibit will include articles and photographs of:

- Bay Area women shipyard workers and dockworkers
- Oakland native, Olympian and Tuskegee Airman Lt. Archie Williams
- Oakland’s DeFremery Park’s Black USO
- West Oakland’s 7th Street
- The Port Chicago Mutiny

San Francisco Hunters Point Shipyard’s African American workers

San Francisco’s Fillmore nightclub scene and more

This visual history of photographs, posters and memorabilia honors the millions of forgotten African American men and women who served in the United States Armed Forces. The story is about those who fought and died in this country’s wars while being denied respect, human dignity and freedom here at home. These patri

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GLOWFARI

Finish your experience with a ride on the train through a fantasy wonderland full of fabled creatures like fairies, unicorns, and more mythical beasts! Visit Santa in the rides area Fridays to Sundays in November, and every night December 1 – 23.

This event can be considered photosensitive. Guests who are prone to seizures or have light sensitivity should be aware. Masks are strongly recommended in all indoor spaces (including indoor exhibits, gift shop, restaurants, and restrooms) by all individuals ages 2 and up, regardless of vaccination status. We also recommend wearing a mask outdoors when adequate distancing may not be possible.

Glowfari runs 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Last entry is between 6:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. with a timed ticket reservation. Tickets go on sale 28 days (four weeks) in advance on a rolling basis.

Proceeds from Glowfari support Oakland Zoo's operating expenses, animal care, education and conservation programs.

Glowfari
November 11-13, 16-23, 25-27, 30, 2022
December 1-23, 26-31, 2022
January 1-8, 11-15, 18-22, 25-29, 2023
5 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Oakland Zoo
9777 Golf Links Rd., Oakland
(510) 632-9525
www.oaklandzoo.org
Adults: \$24; Children (2-14)/Seniors; (65-75): \$20
Under 2 and over 76: Free
Members: 10% discount
Parking: Free



By Stephanie Gertsch

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Giving back to the community

I recently saw the article in your newspaper titled "Making a difference" [Nov. 1, 2022] and was touched by it.

I started my scouting journey as a cub scout and have continued to be a star rank in Troop 120. My troop has taken part in "Make a Difference Day" yearly and it feels great to give back to the community that has given so much to me.

One person who has truly inspired me, was an elderly man living in the Parkmont area. His name was Dominic Verdile and he was an amazing person all around. Every morning he would go to Parkmont Elementary School and pick up trash. He was also a voluntary gardener for the school. He wasn't getting any money or benefits, but it was done through the kindness of his heart. He had a strong sense of community and believed that everybody needed to do their part. Sadly, he passed away a few years ago, but me and my fellow scouts live with his memory that keeps us going. We continue to maintain gardens, clean trash, paint benches, and more, every year.

These are the kind of people that make the world a better place. When I found out about the Hayward task force created, I was happy that Dominic's wish was being fulfilled by the masses. Thank you for writing this story that has touched my heart.

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

CONTINUING
EVENTS

Second Tuesdays

The Page Turners

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Book discussion for adults lead by li-
brarian Chris Selig
3600 Norbridge Ave, Castro Valley
(510) 667-7900
aclibrary.org
castrovalley@aclibrary.org

Tuesdays

International Folk Dancing in
English R\$

01:30 pm - 02:50 pm
Member: \$38.50
Non-Member: \$58.50
47111 Mission Falls Ct, Fremont
(510) 742-7529
bit.ly/3rAEdSC

Wednesdays

Teen Weekly Wednesdays

4:30 pm - 5:00 pm
Video games, board games, puzzles,
ukuleles, anime, button making,
crafts, 3D printing, and more
37055 Newark Blvd, Newark
(510) 284-0675
bit.ly/3DyAJaM

First Wednesdays

Talkin' Dirt

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Online Gathering of Gardeners
6501 Niles Blvd, Fremont
fremontleaf.org/talkindirt

Thursdays

Chair Yoga R

10:00 am - 11:00 am
Consists of breathing and stretching
techniques
47111 Mission Falls Ct, Fremont
(510) 742-7529
bit.ly/3rAEdSC

First Thursdays

Plethos Comedy Lab \$

8:00 pm - 10:00 pm
Ever-changing lineup of Bay Area
comics (18+)
3295 Castro Valley Blvd, Castro Val-
ley
(510) 901-1001
castrovalleymarketplace.com,
plethos.org
Ticket: \$10

Thursdays, Fridays, and
Saturdays

Ride the Rails \$

10:20 am - 1:55 pm
Travel through the eucalyptus groves
34600 Ardenwood Blvd, Fremont
(888) 327-2757
ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood

Thursdays, Fridays, and
Sundays

Patterson House Tour \$

11:00 am, 11:30 am, 1:00 pm, 2:00
pm, 2:30 pm
Tour the Patterson House Museum
34600 Ardenwood Blvd, Fremont
(888) 327-2757
ebparks.org/parks/ardenwood

Thursdays, Saturdays, and
Sundays

Rockin' Tots \$

10 am - 12 pm
Saturday: 8 am - 10 am
Sunday: 9 am - 11 am
37177 Farwell Drive, Fremont
(510) 246-3098
rockinjump.com/Fremont
\$10 for a parent and child under 6
for an hour

Fridays

Knitting Class in Mandarin

09:45 am - 10:45 am
Learn about knitting.,
47111 Mission Falls Ct, Fremont
(510) 742-7529
bit.ly/3rAEdSC

First Fridays

Chabot Space \$

06:00 pm - 10:00 pm
10000 Skyline Blvd, Oakland
(510) 336-7300
chabotspace.org
Ticket: \$15 adults, \$10 seniors/kids,
\$5 members

Saturdays

Laugh Track City \$

8:00 pm
Improvised games and scenes
(Please show proof of vaccination)
4000 Bay St suite B, Fremont
(510) 573-3633
madeuptheatre.com

Second Saturdays

Lazy Saturdays?

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Join members of LEAF and tackle
various projects
6501 Niles Blvd, Fremont
fremontleaf.org/volunteer
volunteer@fremontleaf.org

Third Saturdays

Investigating Space \$

11:00 am - 3:00 pm
Discuss topics in exploring space
with researchers and scientists
10000 Skyline Blvd, Oakland
(510) 336-7300
chabotspace.org

Saturdays and Sundays

Open Recreation Swim "Water
Park" In Silliman \$

12:30 pm - 3:00 pm
Activity pool, Water slides, Lazy
River
6800 Mowry Ave, Newark
(510) 578-4620
bit.ly/3rYybve

Mondays

Advanced Math + Tutoring

5:30 pm - 7:00 pm
Free High School and College-Level
tutoring,
3600 Norbridge Ave, Castro Valley
(510) 667-7900
aclibrary.org
castrovalley@aclibrary.org

Second Thursdays,
September 8 - June 9

Café Dad

6:00 pm
Father and father figures to obtain re-
sources,
24823 Soto Rd, Hayward
(510) 723-3857
husd.us/hub

Thursdays - Sundays,
October 6 - December 4

Shape, Form, and Color:
Modern Expressionism

1:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Reception: Saturday, Nov 12, 1:00
pm - 3:30 pm
Art exhibit at the UNCLE Union Art
Gallery
2400 First St, Livermore
(510) 373-6800
livermorearts.org

Friday - Thursday,
October 21 - November 17

Celebrate Women! Art Exhibit

9:00 am - 5:00 pm
John O'League Galleria
777 Hayward, Hayward
(510) 583-4000

Sunday, Tuesdays, and
Thursdays,
October 30 – December 02

ACT math review bootcamp R\$

8:00 pm - 9:30 pm
Exam Prep for December ACT Test
Date (6-week camp)
je411.com/act

Tuesdays, November 1
Practice Your English R

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Improve your English by talking with
native speakers
bit.ly/3TH2keU
jliu@aclibrary.org

Thursdays, November 3 -
December 8

Calling all Carolers! R

7:15 pm
Sing with Bay Area Showcase Chorus
1989 E Calaveras Blvd, Milpitas
(408) 973-1555
mt-olive.org, singharmony.org
info@singharmony.org

Thursdays, November 3 -
November 17

Exploring the World of Wine
R\$

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Join Wine Educator to learn more
about wine
47111 Mission Falls Ct, Fremont
(510) 742-7529

bit.ly/3rAEdSC
Member: \$17.50
Non-Member: \$37.50

Monday - Monday,
November 7 - November 21

More Threads: Beginner
Sewing Series R

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Basic sewing class
2400 Stevenson Blvd, Fremont
(510) 745-1400
aclibrary.org/locations/FRM
tisaacson@aclibrary.org

Thursdays, November 10
International Folk Dancing in
Chinese R\$

11:30 am - 12:50 pm
47111 Mission Falls Ct, Fremont
(510) 742-7529
bit.ly/3rAEdSC
Member: \$35
Non-Member: \$55

Friday - Sunday, November
11 - November 19

November 12, 17, 18

Frankenstein R\$
8:00 pm
A new adaptation refocusing the clas-
sic story
Smith Center
43600 Mission Blvd, Fremont
www.ohlone.edu

Saturdays, November 12 -
February 5

13 Weekly (Grief Share)
sessions R

9:00 am - 10:30 am
38451 Fremont Blvd, Fremont
(510) 793-3366
popfremont.org

Tuesdays,
October 11 - December 27

Needle Time

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Bring your latest sewing, or knitting
project to craft
395 Paseo Grande, San Lorenzo
(510) 284-0640
aclibrary.org/locations/SLZ

UPCOMING
EVENTS

Tuesday, November 8

Annual Animation Show of
Shows

4:00 pm
10 Short animated films at NUMMI
theater
Ohlone College
43600 Mission Blvd, Fremont
www.ohlone.edu

Wednesday, November 9

Breathe Easy: Managing
Asthma

6:30 pm
Identify asthma triggers, control
symptoms
youtube.com/whhsInHealth
facebook.com/WashingtonHosp

Wednesday, November 9

Health Insurance Counseling
and Advocacy Program

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Medicare counseling
Age Well Center at Lake Elizabeth
40086 Paseo Padre Pkwy, Fremont
(510) 790-6606
ashicap.org

Thursday, November 10

Bouncing Babies Story time

11:15 am - 11:45 am
Stories, songs, and fun; pick your
tickets at Children Desk 15 minutes
prior
Fremont Main Library
2400 Stevenson Blvd, Fremont
(510) 745-1400
aclibrary.org/locations/FRM
Masks required

Thursday, November 10

Outdoor Family Movie Night R

6:00 pm
Food and drinks on sale
Boys & Girls Clubs of San Leandro
2200 San Leandro Blvd, San Leandro
(510) 483-5581
bgcsl.org

Thursday, November 10
Organic Gardening Webinar R
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Fall Pest Prevention
bit.ly/3DZJE4H

Thursday, November 10
Darshana: A Glimpse into Hindu Civilization
Nationwide Traveling Exhibit
Milpitas Public Library
160 N Main St, Milpitas
(408) 262-1171
scld.org

Saturday, November 12
Lego Building R
1:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Get creative with Lego bricks. Sign up as a team of 2-5
Calvary Lutheran Church
17200 Via Magdalena, San Lorenzo
calvaryslz.org
info@calvaryslz.org

Saturday, November 12
Veterans Say Exhibit Program
2:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Displays, photographs, articles, and posters highlighting the Bay Area's contributions during WWII
San Leandro Library
300 Estudillo Ave, San Leandro
(510) 577-3970
bit.ly/3R2Q1kc

Saturday, November 12
Meet Author Paul Justison
11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Reading of "Lost and Found in The 60s" and book signing
Books on B
101 B street, Hayward
(510) 538-3943
booksonb.com

Saturday, November 12
Neat Stuff with a Naturalist
10:00 am - 11:00 am
Unique hands-on activities, tours, or crafts with Naturalist
Coyote Hills Visitors Center
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd, Fremont
(510) 544-3220
bit.ly/3UGfdGr

Saturday, November 12
Oak Tree Talk and Draw
1:00 pm - 1:30 pm
Draw tree step-by step, learn about learn about the ecosystem
Sunol Regional Wilderness Visitor Center
1895 Geary Rd, Sunol

(510) 544-3245
ebparks.org/parks/Sunol

Sunday, November 12
Science Experiments for kids
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Learn about clouds and leaves changing their colors
Sunol Regional Wilderness Visitor Center
1895 Geary Rd, Sunol
(510) 544-3245
ebparks.org/parks/Sunol

Saturday, November 12
Olive Harvest
9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Help Dominican Sisters at annual olive harvest
Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose
43326 Mission Blvd, Fremont
(510) 657-2468
msjdominicans.org

Saturday - Sunday, November 12 - November 13
Goodguys America's Favorite Car Show R\$
8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Explore over 2,500 American made or powered hot rods,
4501 Pleasanton Ave, Pleasanton
(925) 426-7600
alamedacountyfair.com, goodguys.com/agt

Sunday, November 13
Tribute to Count Basie & Duke Ellington R\$
3:00 pm
Bringing back different era of music
Bankhead Theatre
2400 2400 First St, Livermore
(510) 373-6800
livermorearts.org
Tickets: \$20-\$85 (\$20 student/military personnel)

Sunday, November 13
The Neil Diamond Story
2:00 pm
Starring William Florian. songs - stories - humor
Newark Junior High School
6201 Lafayette Ave, Newark
(510) 818-3000
njhs.newarkunified.org

Sunday, November 13
Felted Pumpkins at Mindy Castle
11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Create some felted fall fun and decorate your home

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

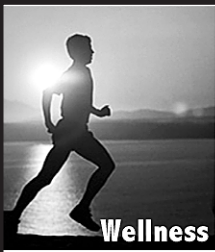
Sunday, November 13
Water Chemistry
10:00 am - 11:30 pm
Learn about the elements in water with experiments
Coyote Hills Visitors Center
8000 Patterson Ranch Rd, Fremont
(510) 544-3220
bit.ly/3UGfdGr

Sunday, November 13
Rcoz's First Fundraising Gala R
3:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Explore art, create music, and hear inspiring stories
Olive Hyde Art Gallery
123 Washington Blvd, Fremont
(510) 791-4357
rcoz.us

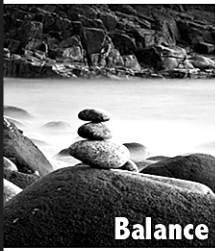
Monday - Tuesday, November 14 - November 15
Ride -On Tri City Travel R
9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Learn to plan trips, read transit schedules, pay fares, transfer between buses and Bart
47111 Mission Falls Ct, Fremont
(510) 574-2053
bit.ly/3rAEdSC
rideontricity@fremont.gov

Tuesday, November 15
America Recycle day Event R
9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Disposal of pharmaceuticals, household batteries, floppy disks, DVDs (San Leandro residents)
Marina Community Center
15301 Wicks Blvd, San Leandro
(510) 577-3462
tinyurl.com/2022-ARD, sanleandro.org
Register by November 9

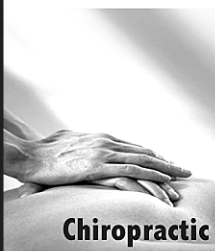
Tuesday, November 15
Technology Class R
10:00 am - 11:00 am
Learn how to surf net, find information, and look-up videos
Age Well Center at South Fremont
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(510) 742-7529
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SUBMITTED BY ED CHOA

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and will take place on Saturday, December 10 at 7 p.m. at IPC. For more information or to sign up, please call or text Virgie Reyes (408) 718-7240.

2022 Messiah Sing-along

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Saturdays: Oct 29, Nov 5, 12, 19, Dec 3
7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Concert
Saturday, Dec 10
7 p.m.
Irvington Presbyterian Church
4181 Irvington Ave., Fremont
(408) 718-7240

Anyone can help their neighbor this Thanksgiving

SUBMITTED BY SHARON SLAYTON

LOV – The League of Volunteers – has created Thanksgiving opportunities for everyone to make a difference this year. Food donations are now being accepted to help feed hundreds of families. Items needed include: canned cranberry sauce, boxed or bagged stuffing mix, chicken broth, black olives, pickles, applesauce, canned and shelf-stable soups, shelf stable milk boxes, canned corn, green beans and peas, ground coffee & variety tea bags, white and dark sugar, small bags of flour, and small spice packages with traditional flavors like

parsley, sage, rosemary, thyme, cinnamon pumpkin pie spice, salt & pepper. Bring your food donations to the LOV office in Newark, or call to make arrangements for a LOV Food Barrel at your business, office or workplace. Contact LOV for more information, or visit their website to find more ways you can participate this year.

Donate to LOV Thanksgiving Until November 18
LOV Office
8440 Central Ave., Suite A/B, Newark
(510) 793-5683
www.lov.org/thanksgiving

Celebrate Thanksgiving, Taiwanese style

SUBMITTED BY JOHN HSEIH

In the Spirit of Thanksgiving and sharing during the holiday season, the Taiwanese Chamber of Commerce of the San Francisco Bay Area and Love of Taiwan Association will hold their 22nd Taiwanese Free Thanksgiving Dinner on Tuesday, November 22 in Fremont. The boxed dinners will be distributed from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. at Centerville Presbyterian Church on Central Avenue across the Department of Motor Vehicles. Along with the church, co-sponsors include the Centerville Free Dining Room and Formosan United Methodist Church. Admission is free and open to community members in need. For details, call (510) 432-7353.

Taiwanese Thanksgiving
Tuesday, Nov 22
4 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Centerville Presbyterian Church
4360 Central Ave., Fremont
(510) 432-7353
Free



Beau's Bridge Club Holiday Boutique
Saturday, Nov 12
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Jewelry by Springtime Creations, baked goods by Ashley Wong, and more!
Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
38801 Blacow Rd., Fremont

Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose Holiday Boutique
Saturday, Nov 19
9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Fruitcake, honey, olive oil, and hand-made items

DSMSJ Motherhouse
43326 Mission Cir, Fremont
www.msjdominicans.org

Georgian Manor Holiday Boutique
Saturday, November 19
10:00 am - 4:00 pm
Handcrafted items for holiday gift, raffle prizes
Georgian Manor Mobile Home Park
1419 Buckingham Way, Hayward
Harlen Strauss: (510) 887-4366
(510) 785-2212
harleneatvip@comcast.net

Mistletoe Madness
Saturday, Nov 26
10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
70+ booths from local crafters and artisans
Marina Community Center
15301 Wicks Blvd., San Leandro
www.mistletoemadness.net

Tree Lighting Calendar

Niles Festival of Lights Parade
Friday, Nov 25
6 p.m. Tree Lighting
6:30 p.m. Parade starts
Downtown Niles
Niles Blvd., from G St. to J St., Fremont
(510) 857-6512
www.nilesfestivaloflightsparade.org

Tree Lighting Ceremony
Thursday, Dec 1
7 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Milpitas Civic Center Plaza

455 E. Calaveras Blvd., Milpitas
(408) 586-3210
www.milpitas.gov

Bright up the Night
Friday, Dec 2
6 p.m. – 8 p.m.
Laser light shows set to holiday music, selfies with Santa and other characters
Courtyard near Old Navy, Fremont Hub
Argonaut Way & Mowry Ave.
fremonthub.shopkimco.com

It's a Wonderful Night
Friday, Dec 2
5:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Estudillo Plaza
Estudillo Ave., between E 14th St. and Washington Ave., San Leandro
Kids' crafts, holiday drone show, holiday market, movies, Santa and Mrs. Claus
(510) 281-0703
downtownsanleandro.com/events/its-a-wonderful-night/

Hayward Light up the Season
Saturday, Dec 3
5 p.m.
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Flash Fiction Fairy Tale Winner #4

SUBMITTED BY ARATHI SATISH

Continuing our series on the winners of this year's Flash Fiction contest, next a poem! Read more about the contest at <https://fremontculturalartscouncil.org/>

The Witch Who Flew Upside-Down BY SARAH JENSEN

Before the stars took flight from land,
Before the waves crashed over sand,
There was a witch of great renown,
Who rode her broomstick upside-down.

Her potions raised the freshly dead,
Her spells could stitch a chopped-off head,
Her work was loved by all the town,
But not when she flew upside-down.

This witch, she could not wear a hat,
But flew with glee below her cat,

Her hair hung free and dangled down,
But this upset some folks in town.

Said they, "She shouldn't fly this way!
She should fly upright, like a jay!
Graceful, like a manta ray!
Not dangling over the bay!"

The witch, she shook her head and said,
"Why do you view me with such dread?
You know that I can raise the dead,
But for my flying, tears are shed?

"I do not think this is your fear,
Nor how you keep your conscience clear.
You love me when you use my craft,
But see my joys and call me daft."

Yet all over this little town,
The cry arose: "The witch should drown!"
The witch heard this and rolled her eyes,
Packed up her bags, took to the skies.

The corpses risen from the dead
Collapsed to bones as the witch fled,
The townsfolks' cries to her fell flat
As she transformed into a bat.

So if you venture out at night,
And spot a creature in strange flight,
Judge not this creature's odd delight
Or risk reversal of her rite.

Correction

In the November 1, 2022 issue, the article "International Contact Inc.: Improving Industries with Inclusivity" by Marc Vicente, there was a misspelling. "Carla Itzkowicz" should be written "Carla Itzkowich."

The article stated that Carla Itzkowich would be presenting at Zoomtopia 2022. She will be attending, not presenting.
The correct photo caption for the group picture is "IC staff in 2012, including Jon Golding, Carla Itzkowich, Tracy Lu."

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Veterans Day remembrance

With no complaint of sacrifice They truly gave their all	Forbearance to impart
I will remember you this Day and all days in between With grateful heart that overflows And sorrow left unseen	No one shall take my birthright now Nor peace shall steal away I stand secure in honor's grip No matter what they say
I thank you for the legacy Of great and noble heart A birthright born of love and strength	Dear Bravehearts of the 442 Rest well in God's own grace You've earned a place of honor bright With every shame erased.



Santa Clara County expands waste disposal program for small businesses

SUBMITTED BY COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA

The County of Santa Clara Household Hazardous Waste Program is expanding access to provide a simple and cost-effective way for small businesses to dispose of hazardous waste. The Very Small Quantity Generator (VSQG) program provides businesses that generate small amounts of hazardous waste a convenient way to properly dispose of hazardous materials.

The VSQG program is cheaper for small businesses than contracting a private company to pick up and transport their hazardous waste, and it's

easy to use. Roughly 300 businesses use the program every year, but the county has capacity for more businesses to participate. Nonprofits and property managers are also eligible to participate.

"The VSQG program is an effective way to reduce threats to our health and environment and make our community more sustainable," said Billy Puk, Program Manager of the VSQG program. To participate in the program, businesses need to submit an inventory and set up an appointment. Program staff will provide a quote based upon the inventory. Common items include paint, motor oil, batteries and propane tanks.

Businesses must not exceed 220 pounds, or 27 gallons, of hazardous waste per month or 2,640 pounds/324 gallons in a calendar year. The program collected 64,560 pounds of hazardous waste during the 2021-22 fiscal year, and holds two drop-off events per month in San José and one per month in San Martin.

To learn more about the program, visit the County's Very Small Quantity Generator program webpage <https://bit.ly/3fvbPPu>. For questions, call (800) 207-8222.

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LOVE to WRITE? WANT to WRITE? WRITER’S BLOCK? Fremont Area Writers (FAW) is here to HELP! Zoom meeting 4th Saturday of the month (off July & Dec) 2:00-4:00 PM Great speakers! * All genres! * Critique groups available! Email scottfrombayside@yahoo.com for Zoom link before the meeting. Writers’ Salon meets 4th Monday of the month (occasional exceptions) Join us via Zoom 7:00-9:00 PM Read, discuss or just listen. Email up.dragonfly.com@gmail.com for Zoom link before the meeting. Everyone is welcome! www.cwc-fremontareawriters.org		Fremont Cribbage Club Meets to play weekly, every Weds. We play a Cribbage Tournament starting at 5PM. at BRONCO BILLY’S PIZZA at 41200 Blacow Road, Fremont We welcome experienced players and will work with new players hoping to learn the game. Email:Accgr43@gmail.com For more information.		Join the American Association of University Women - Fremont Branch Make new friends Create STEM opportunities for girls Arrange STEM summer camps for teens Attend social events Choose students for college scholarships Meet with your book group. Gather for coffee Have Fun https://fremont-ca.aauw.net/	
SEEKING VENDORS Seeking quality arts and crafts vendors for our 17th annual “Believe” Holiday Boutique in Fremont on Saturday, December 3rd 9am-3pm Sponsored by American High School PTSA For more information: https://ahsboutique.weebly.com/		Want to see a collection of vintage buses? Visit the Pacific Bus Museum in Fremont at 37974 Shinn Street. View and explore these antiques which were built from 1932 to 1995. Open the first and third Saturday of every month from 10am to 2pm. Children always welcome. www.pacbus.org		Mission Peak Fly Anglers Join us to meet with those who enjoy fly fishing Programs Casting Lessons FlyTying Meetings every 3rd Wednesday 7 pm Fremont Activity Center 3375 Country Dr, Fremont www.missionpeakflyanglers.org email: fremont.mpf@gmail.com	
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Afro-American Cultural & Historical Society Sharing our culture and history in the Tri-Cities and surrounding area Meetings: Third Saturday 5:30-7:30pm begin in October Newark Library 37101Newark Blvd. Newark 510-793-8181 aachstricity.org		Coming to the Georgian Manor Mobile home park 1419 Buckingham Hayward 94544 Holiday Boutique Saturday Nov. 19th 10am-4pm Here is your chance to purchase handcrafted items for your holiday gift giving or a gift for yourself Raffle prizes with money going to Toys for Tots For information call Harlene Strauss 510-887-4366 or email toharleneatvp@comcast.net		HO, O, & G SCALES MODEL RAILROAD CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE Saturday December 17, 2022 10-4 Presented by: The SAN LEANDRO HISTORICAL RAILWAY SOCIETY Railroaders Of All Ages Are Welcome Located In Thrasher Park at the Historic 120-Year-Old South-ern Pacific Railroad Depot 1302 Orchard Ave., San Leandro, CA. Visit us on the Web: www.slhrs.org	

OPINION



WILLIAM MARSHAK

November 11th, Veterans Day, is a moment in time to honor those who have served in the armed forces of the United States of America. It embraces all who defend the public trust in our way of life.

This is a particularly vulnerable time to reflect on the nature of our political experiment. Born in rebellion, but anchored by thoughtful and articulate ideals, the Declaration of Independence and Constitution of our country are based on the premise that, though people are imperfect in thought and action, striving for an ideal is not idle fantasy or an impossible dream. Citizens and non-citizens of all colors, religion and creeds have fought, some with fatal consequences, to protect this 'land of opportunity,' no matter how flawed.

Service to these ideals comes in many forms, some not clothed in a uniform. However, the visible testament to this collective effort is represented by our service men and women, standard bearers for all of us – separated from prior military service or not. Many military personnel, especially those who have endured the hardship and frightening aspects of combat, will counsel against indiscriminate violence, in favor of peaceful diplomacy. That same lesson can

be applied to all levels of strife – local to national and international.

Throughout the history of conflict involving the United States, leaders have often used phrases that indicate strength, but reserve armed conflict for occasions that warrant it (or sometimes, don't!). During a period of expanding international influence, our 26th president, Theodore Roosevelt (1858-1919), was fond of saying, "Speak softly but carry a big stick; you will go far." Although applied in an uneven manner by that president and others that have followed, the sentiment carries a message of hope and reconciliation, holding force in reserve. The United States has a big stick; thoughtful and judicious use of it is always a challenge with the lives of many in the balance.

Veterans Day is an occasion to enjoy a holiday, but also to contemplate the cost of our form of government and threats to its existence. Attempts to subvert and corrupt the rule of law and people's voice are the antithesis of our way of life. Fascism, authoritarianism and unquestioning devotion to a "dear leader" despot is unacceptable. At all levels of management - public and private, civil and military – debate and discourse should take precedence over intimidation and coercion. While the force of law and consequences is a necessary ingredient for practical life, force and might can be held as a defensive option to provide peace of mind that will protect our land and families in times of strife.

In the 1965 musical, Man of La Mancha, inspired by a fictional portrayal of Don Quixote by the 17th century Spanish writer, Miguel de Cervantes, the theme song, "The Impossible Dream" became a worldwide hit. In the face of overwhelming odds and a mock trial, the main character expands on the idea of persevering in the face of insurmountable odds. His song [music by Mitch Leigh, lyrics by Joe Darion] is a reflection of an ideal that may or may not be achieved, but is worth the struggle. The song ends with the aspirational conclusion:

And I know if I'll only be true

To this glorious quest

That my heart will be peaceful and calm

When I'm laid to my rest.

In recognition of our people in uniform – parents, siblings, children, friends and family - that are asked to protect us, the phrase, "Thank you for your service" has meaning.

William Marshak
PUBLISHER

Amazon Music expands catalog to 100M songs for members

BY JONATHAN LANDRUM JR.
ASSOCIATED PRESS ENTERTAINMENT WRITER

Amazon Music is gearing up for a massive content expansion: The streaming giant will offer a full catalog of music with more than 100 million songs for members.

The streaming service told The Associated Press that members will gain hundreds of millions of songs -- a huge increase from 2 million -- in shuffle mode without any advertisement at no additional costs. It will also include most top podcasts ad-free including Wondery's catalog of premium shows along with series like "MrBallen Podcast: Strange, Dark & Mysterious Stories" and Keke Palmer's new original podcast "Baby, this is Keke Palmer."

"We can't wait for members to experience not only a massively expanded catalog of songs, but also the largest selection of ad-free top

podcasts anywhere, at no additional cost to their membership," said Steve Boom, vice president at Amazon Music.

Amazon Music says the decision behind the huge increase came after customers pressed for access to a full catalog of music. Now, members will be able to shuffle play any music artist, album or playlist with the option to upgrade to the Amazon Music Unlimited tier to get on-demand access -- which has spatial audio along with songs in HD and Ultra HD.

Members will be able to listen to shows ad-free from major media outlets such as CNN, ESPN, NPR and The New York Times. Other top podcasts on the platform include "Dr. Death," "SmartLess" and "Even the Rich."



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East Bay Municipal Utilities District

October 25, 2022

Determination

Appoint Amit Mutsuddy as Director of Wastewater. Approved.

Consent Agenda:

- Award a contract to William E. Munson Company for supplying one Munson 21-foot PackCat survey-utility boat and one EZ Loader trailer for the District’s Lodi Office.
- Award a contract to Diamond Fiberglass for supplying three fiberglass reinforced plastic tanks for the Oakport Wet Weather Facility.
- Award a contract to Trace3, LLC for supplying three Dell PowerEdge servers and mission-critical technical support services for the Administration Building.

- Authorize agreement with Logik Systems, Inc. for supplying Logikcull Discovery Solutions software.
- Authorize agreement with Nautilus Data Technologies, Inc. for data center colocation services.
- Authorize agreement with Woodard & Curran, Inc. for the preparation of a Wastewater Electrical Resiliency Master Plan.
- Authorize agreements for concrete repair services.
- Authorize agreements for hydro/air-vacuum excavation services.
- Authorize Consor PMCM, Inc. for as-needed construction management and inspection services.

President Doug Linney	Aye
Lesa McIntosh	Aye
John Coleman	Aye
Marguerite Young	Aye
Andy Katz	Aye
William Patterson	Aye
Frank Mellon	Aye

Santa Clara Valley Water District

October 25, 2022

Orders of the Day

- Resolution to obtain loans for up to \$165 Million for certain Safe, Clean Water and Natural Flood Protection Program Projects. Passed.

Watersheds:

- Execute a right of way agreement between Dominic G. Kovacevic and Carolyn W. Kovacevic and Santa Clara Valley Water District, for acquisition of 166 Arroyo Way, San Jose for the Coyote Creek Flood Management Measures Project. Passed.

- Resolution requesting the Association of California Water Agencies to sponsor state legislation to streamline permitting for Water Supply and Flood Risk Reduction Projects. Passed.

Consent Calendar:

- Declare November 2022 as Native American Heritage Month.
- Declare October 2022 as National Breast Cancer Awareness Month.
- Accept the CEO Bulletin for the weeks of October 7-20, 2022.

John L. Varela, District 1	Aye
Barbara Keegan, District 2	Aye
Richard Santos, District 3	Aye
Linda J. LeZotte, District 4	Aye
Nai Hsueh, District 5	Aye
Tony Estremera, District 6	Aye
Gary Kremen, District 7	Aye

Hayward City Council

November 1, 2022

Public Hearing:

- Building and fire code updates. Passed unanimously.
- Introduction of Reach Code Ordinance addressing new building electrification; electric vehicle charging; and repealing current reach code. Passed unanimously.

Item Removed from Consent Calendar:

- Amend agreement with Eden Housing, Pacific West Communities, Strategic Growth Partners and other affiliated entities for transfer of specified city owned properties. Passed 6-0-1 recusal (Andrews).

Consent Items:

- Approve plans, specifications, and calls for bids for the municipal parking lot improvement projects.

- Negotiate site license agreement with East Bay Community Energy for electric vehicle charging.
- Resolution supporting Public Bank East Bay and Letter of Support to the Alameda County Board of Supervisors.

Mayor Barbara Halliday	Aye
Aisha Wahab	Aye
Angela Andrews	Aye, Recused
Sara Lamnin	Aye
Elisa Marquez	Aye
Mark Salinas	Aye
Francisco Zermينو	Aye

Fremont Unified School District

October 26, 2022

Consent Calendar:

- Approve study trips
- Approve funding for non-public schools/non-public agencies for 2022-2023 school year.
- Approve the LCAP Federal Addendum.
- Amend agreement with LPA, Inc. for the new construction project at Centerville Middle School.
- Amend agreement with Quattrocchi Kwok Architects for the new construction project at Thornton Middle School.

- Amend agreement with Construction Testing Services, Inc. for the new construction project at Thornton Junior High School.
- Approve personnel actions.
- Resolution in support of contracting with individuals with speech and language pathology licenses and master’s degrees in communications to provide speech and language services.

President Dianne Jones	Aye
Vice President Vivek Prasad	Aye
Yajing Zhang	Aye
Desrie Campbell	Aye
Larry Sweeny	Aye
Sissi Zhang (student)	Aye

Grab a cup of joe with cops

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Community members, students and local business owners in Union City are invited to a meet-and-greet “Coffee With Cops!” event on Friday, November 11 in Union City. Sponsored by the Union City Police Department, the three-hour event starts at 4 p.m. at the Starbuck’s coffee shop in the Union Landing Shopping Center. The goal

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Milpitas Unified School District

October 25, 2022

Action Items:

- Adopt revisions to Independent Study Policy. Passed 4-0-1 abstention (Tsai).
- Certify disclosure of Milpitas Teachers Association Collective bargaining agreement. Passed.
- Recognize October as Filipino American and LBGTQ+ History Month. Passed.
- Recognize and Honor MUSD School Administrators. Passed.
- Approve agreement between Milpitas Unified School District and The Stepping Stones Group.
- Approve Air Tutors 2022-2023 contract agreement.

- Approve field trip requests.
- Approve notice of completion for Robert Bothman for Rancho Track.
- Approve IBI Architect’s additional aervices for Mattos Phase II.
- Approve fencing projects at Curtner, Rose, Weller, Sinnott, Rancho and Russell.
- Approve Nutritional Concepts, LLC agreement for student nutrition consultant.

President Kelly Yip-Chuan	Aye
Chris Norwood	Aye
Minh Ngo	Aye
Hon Lien	Aye
Michael Tsai	Abstain

Milpitas Police Log

SUBMITTED BY MILPITAS PD

Wednesday, October 12

- At 2:10 p.m. officers responded to a theft report at the Great Mall. When they arrived, officers saw three suspects exiting the mall with stolen merchandise. The suspects ran from the officers but were detained after a short foot pursuit. Officers arrested one suspect, a 19-year-old Hayward resident. Officers recovered several hundred dollars’ worth of stolen merchandise from multiple stores. Officers were later able to identify the second suspect, a 16-year-old Hayward resident. Complaints against the two suspects were filed with the District Attorney’s Office and the Juvenile Probation Department for theft-related charges.

Sunday, October 16

- At 8:41 p.m. a witness reported to police that two suspects were trying to break into a vehicle parked near the 200 block of N. Hillview Drive. Officers arrived and contacted two suspects, both Milpitas residents, ages 43 and 23. Officers determined the vehicle was reported stolen out of SJPD and the same two suspects had parked

the stolen vehicle earlier in the day. A record check showed the suspects were also associated with a second vehicle that was reported stolen out of San Jose. Both suspects were arrested on suspicion of possession of a stolen vehicle, possession of the stolen property, possession of an illegal dirk, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Sunday, October 22

- At 3:04 p.m. a witness reported to police a catalytic converter theft in progress near the 1600-block of Sunnyhills Drive. Officers arrived and saw three suspects as they were attempting to cut the catalytic converter from a vehicle. Officers arrested a 24-year-old Pittsburg resident and a 22-year-old Antioch resident. The third suspect fled on foot and was not located. Fortunately, the suspects were caught before they cut the catalytic converter and there was no damage to the victim’s vehicle. The suspects were booked into jail on suspicion of attempted grand theft, and conspiracy to commit a crime. An investigation is continuing to try and identify the third suspect.

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June 25, 1947 – October 30, 2022

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Resident of Hayward
February 15, 1942 – October 30, 2022

Rajiv Narayan
Resident of Santa Clara
April 28, 1973 – October 29, 2022

Sister Anne Schaeffer
Resident of Fremont
March 29, 1922 - October 28, 2022

Charles Hunt
Resident of Fremont
March 11, 1938 - October 25, 2022

Yuen Kwok
Resident of Fremont
September 5, 1937 - October 23, 2022

Scott Campbell
Resident of Redwood City
August 20, 1951 - October 23, 2022

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October 31, 1951 - October 22, 2022

Bankey Behari Lal
Resident of Fremont
June 5, 1945 - October 22, 2022

Johnny Harris
Resident of Fremont
March 25, 1946 - October 20, 2022

Frida Hernandez Cordero
Resident of Fremont
March 21, 1998 - October 2, 2022

Sister Anne Schaeffer

Resident of Fremont

March 29, 1922 – October 28, 2022

Sister Anne Schaeffer died peacefully on October 28, 2022, at the age of 100. She was born Anna Marie Schaeffer in San Francisco on March 29, 1922, to Michael Schaeffer and Johanna Zach, and entered the Sisters of the Holy Family from St. Joseph Parish in San Jose on January 21, 1942 at the age of 19.

Sister Anne spent most of her years in the Holy Family Sisters working with children and families in religious education programs in parishes throughout California and in Reno. From Marin County to the West Bay and coastal areas, to the Pleasant Hill area and northern California, and finally to Fremont, she shared her faith and ministered to families. In addition, she also served in day homes in Reno, San Francisco and San Jose. In 1972

Sister Anne came to the Motherhouse in Mission San Jose where she remained for the next 50 years, serving first in parishes and St. Elizabeth’s Day Home in San Jose, and then in the Sisters’ finance department, before retiring to community ministry.

Sister Anne’s greatest gift was unconditional love, which she lavished on family, visitors, the cottage staff where she lived and all whom she encountered. She loved reading and movies, from Hallmark romances to Knight Rider and Perry Mason. She loved the Vacation Bible Schools she taught in the Half Moon Bay area along the coast, and once she learned to drive, there was no place she would not go. Another favorite activity was paging through the archive’s photo books of all the Sisters, telling stories about the ones she had known. Her sweet disposition was her hallmark, and she is greatly missed.

Sister Anne’s funeral Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, November 16, in the Sisters’ Oratory. Burial will take place on Tuesday, November 29 at at Holy Cross Cemetery in Colma; she will be buried with Sister Georgette Roeder, who passed away on October 1.

Alfonso Marion Grappone

January 1, 1923 – November 2, 2022

Resident of Newark

Alfonso (Al) Marion Grappone of Newark passed peacefully on November 2, 2022, at the age of 99. Al was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 62 years, Toshiko (Mitzi) (2015), and his youngest daughter Linda (2020). Al is survived by sons: Stephen (Debbie) and Tommy (Barb); Daughter Shirley; grandchildren: Jennifer (Jason), Katie (Landon), Andrea (Robert), Ryan (Vanessa), Stepy, Nicole (Taylor), Michael; Great grandchildren: Molly, Landon, Alex, Tyler, Zachary, Gabriella and numerous cousins, nephews and nieces.

Upon graduation from Oil City High School, Al enlisted in the Navy at age 18 and upon completing Naval training was assigned to Lighter than Air School (blimp squadron) in Lakehurst, New Jersey. In 1949 he met the love of his life while stationed at Oppama, Japan and he and Toshiko were married several years later. In 1957 Al was promoted to Chief Petty Officer. During his 20 years of Naval service and many duty assignments that took him around the world to such places as Puerto Rico, Trinidad, Cuba, South America China, Japan, Florida, Hawaii, and finally San Diego, he retired from the Navy and moved the family to Newark, CA. Al worked for a time at Hiller Aircraft in Palo Alto and moved on to Lockheed where he was an assembler on the Agena rocket program and was later promoted to final test inspector for the Gemini system. After leaving Lockheed he went to work for the City of Newark where he eventually was promoted to Equipment Shop Supervisor and retired after 21 years.

In his retirement years he and Mitzi enjoyed travels to Canada, Japan and visits to the east coast to visit his cousins. In his early retirement years, he was a regular contributor to the local Argus paper letter to the editor. Al

enjoyed many hobbies such as gardening and was an avid Apple user and was still using Facetime on his iPhone shortly before his passing. He loved his crossword puzzles which he completed in ink and enjoyed watching tv shows Jeopardy and NHK-Japan. Al never met a piece of chocolate he never liked. He loved to cook and in his earlier years with a young family would prepare Sunday dinners for the family and he often would watch the galloping gourmet tv show and write down recipes. Although he stopped cooking regularly, he enjoyed Taco Tuesday with Steve; weekend, Holiday and Birthday meals with Shirley and weekend dinners with Tom, Barbara and their dog Bella

Losing his wife of 62 years was hard for Al to overcome and as age and medical issues in recent years began to advance, he showed his courage in facing life with humor and a smile and despite the pain of loss and medical challenges he stayed strong until the end, never complaining.

A private celebration of life is scheduled for later in November.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

How much more hate do we have to tolerate?

As a long-term Fremont resident, I am very concerned about our children’s future. Will they be living in a society where there is no difference between right and wrong? Are they going to live in a society that is going to live through a cultural revolution similar to the 1960s in China? Are they going to be safe? These are all the questions that I long to find answers.

According to Assembly Bill 367, where it says, “Existing law requires a public school maintaining any combination of classes from grade 6 to grade 12, inclusive, that meets a 40% pupil poverty threshold specified in federal law, to stock 50% of the school’s restrooms with feminine hygiene products, and prohibits a public school from charging for any menstrual products provided to pupils.”

We, as parents, found this bill has been violated by the school board. First, it says that if 40% of pupil are below the poverty threshold, that menstrual products shall be provided without cost. According to US Census Bureau, Fremont has a 4.9% overall poverty level. Therefore, we are challenging that menstrual products shall not and need not to be provided in the Fremont school district.

Second, the tampon rack was installed in the lower grade boy’s bathroom, that violates the assembly bill that says, “any combination of classes from grades 6 to 12.” Parkmont elementary currently holds K to 6th grade and in process to transition the 6th grade to middle school next year.

Third and most importantly, a tampon dispenser in the boys’ bathroom creates confusion in children’s minds. My neighbor’s son, after seeing the tampon rack in his bathroom has asked his mom if he is going to start a period.

Therefore, out of all those concerns, on October 26, a handful of concerned parents went to Fremont Unified School Board meeting in order to challenge the board decision during the open forum discussion. Somehow our communication prior to the meeting got leaked and alerted a group of

trans activists to the same board meeting to counter our protest.

Several days later, my neighbor received a text from her niece with information that one activist, Jenna Daugherty, posted my neighbor’s speech said that her story was made up and called her son stupid on the activist’s Instagram page.

Tolerance is a two-way street, and we as parents are only asking for reading, writing and math skills for the next generations. The study of sexuality can wait until they have a solid foundation of academics. Is that too much to ask? What was the purpose of all these activists coming out to counter what we had to say? Is it wrong for us to voice our concerns? According to Higher Education Fellow Nicholas Giordano, America is emerging an education crisis where 12th grade reading material is written in 7th grade level. What is the rush of pushing sex ed on young children when normal school children cannot even get the facts right? And who is that activist to judge the accuracy of my neighbor and her son’s story? And she outright called a 4th grader “stupid.” How much hate do we have to tolerate?

The school board members are not paying attention to this behavior and their silence reinforces activists’ behavior toward parents and their precious children. Growing up in Hong Kong, I always heard the stories of how the communists torture citizens, how the red guards turn against their own neighbors and parents, how many suicides that happened during the cultural revolution because they could not deal with public shaming. Is this what is happening in America, in the name of diversity, equity and inclusion? How much hate do we need to tolerate before it gets better, or will it ever?

Stephanie Szto
Fremont

June C. Jolly

Resident of Fremont

June 25, 1947 – October 30, 2022

June Carolyn Jolly was freed from her earthly bonds to enter into her Lord's presence October 30, 2022, at the age of 75. She was born June 25, 1947, in Galveston, TX to William and Minnie Hoffman, was raised in Alta Loma, TX, and had been a resident of Fremont, CA for over 40 years.

June was a devoted wife and mother, and faithful servant of God. She is survived by her husband of 47 years, Steve Jolly, her daughter and son-in-law, Sarah and Tom Ainsworth, grandchildren Syd, Sam, Tessa, and Tallie, mother-in-law Isabelle Jolly, sister and brother-in-law, Ella and Elliot Figman, brothers- and sisters-in-law Tom and Penny Jolly, and Ed and Michelle Jolly, and their children and grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents and her sister Dorothy M. Brown.

Although June nearly died from a childhood bout of encephalitis that left her with an impaired sense of balance, she prevailed, learning to walk again at age four, and later getting a driver's license, attending college, and raising a child.

She grew up in relative poverty on the Gulf Coast of Texas. Undaunted, June made her way to Houston Baptist University and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, TX, where she earned a Master's Degree. After seminary, June moved to Ely, NV, where she was the day care director of the First Baptist Church. She met Steve on the first day of her service there. They married the following year, and soon moved from Ely to El Segundo, CA, near Steve's family, then to the San Francisco Bay Area in 1979, settling in Fremont just before their daughter Sarah was born.

During her married life, June was a homemaker while also volunteering her time to teach a neighborhood Bible study and to lead a Bible study at Aegis Living



in Fremont. In the 1980s and 90s, she was a director in the AWANA children's program at Fremont Community Church (F.C.C.), and for many years was an evangelism volunteer at Vacation Bible School at F.C.C., sharing her love of Jesus with hundreds of children. June demonstrated through her actions the importance of literacy, dignity, patience, kindness, and going the extra mile for things that mattered.

She spent many happy days hiking and exploring California with Steve and Sarah, locally at Coyote Hills and Quarry Lakes regional parks, and further afield along the Monterey coast and at Lassen Volcanic National Park, but her very favorite place was among the giant sequoias of Calaveras Big Trees State Park. God's beautiful creation brought her sheer delight; she would happily sit under the massive trees and marvel at the magnificent world He made. Spending time with June left a person a little more connected to nature, a little closer to God, and a little more grateful. She also uncomplainingly visited scores of museums of practically every type with Steve. She was beautiful, well-organized, well-educated, loving, soft-hearted, and a godly woman of enduring faith. We are grateful for the time we had with her, and would like to thank the friends, caregivers, and hospice teams that supported us during her final days.

A memorial service will be held at Fremont Community Church, 39700 Mission Blvd., Fremont, CA, at 2:00 P.M. on November 12, 2022.

Rosemary Ramsell

February 16, 1922 – October 28, 2022

Resident of Fremont



Rosemary Ramsell passed away peacefully at home on Friday, October 28, 2022. She was 100 years old. Rosemary was predeceased by her parents, her loving husband, Gene Ramsell, and her brother, Louis Sessa. She is survived by her children Gene Ramsell Jr, Jerilyn (Jim) Kroske, and Marilyn Manchester; grandchildren Darrell (Akiko), Carl, Jon, and Brian (Ester) Ramsell; Lisa and Rebecca Kroske, Matthew Manchester, and nine great-grandchildren.

Rosemary was born February 16, 1922, in Holtville, CA, to Alois Sessa and Rosalie Sessa-Bucher, who immigrated to California from Switzerland. Rosemary worked in the fountain at Cloverdale Creamery her senior year of high school and met Gene Ramsell, a Cloverdale milkman. After

dating about one year Gene proposed, and they were married June 14, 1941. They celebrated their 70th anniversary four months before Gene passed away in 2011.

Rosemary loved her Swiss roots and was very involved with the Swiss Park in Newark, CA. She organized a trip to Switzerland with about 164 Swiss club members in 1964, which was the beginning of her career as a travel agent. That job let Rosemary travel the world, which she loved.

Rosemary loved Swiss dancing, playing cards, and spending time with friends and family. Her home was always open to her many friends and relatives. She was a special lady who enjoyed life to the fullest.

A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, November 11, 2022, 11:00 a.m. at Fremont Chapel of the Roses, 1940 Peralta Blvd, Fremont, CA.

Remembrances can be made to: Aelpfer Gruppe Swiss Club Memorial Fund, 5911 Mowry Ave, Newark, CA 94560.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

City attempts to limit access to a public park

The parking shortage at the main gate to Mission Peak Regional Preserve has been a hot-button issue in city politics for the last 10 years. Entitled local residents complained vociferously when they saw pedestrians walking on the sidewalks or cars parked on the public streets. To alleviate the complaints from this small but vocal band, the board of EBRPD approved 300 additional parking spaces in September of 2016. This had the full support of the city council.

EBRPD helped eliminate over 1,000 public parking spaces in late 2016, through restrictive temporary permits for residents only. The park district also paid for the cost of administration and enforcement, but the temporary permits expired in July 2022 and were then extended by the city at its own cost. Since 1978, the district has operated the main entrance to Mission Peak under a long-term lease with the city that ran out in summer 2020 and has been month-to-month ever since.

Upon announcing the 340 additional parking spaces In September 2016, board director Ayn Wieskamp said, “We’re looking at many ways to improve things at Mission Peak for the visitors, park staff and neighbors...and we’re excited to get the process started.” She envisioned better landscaping, picnic tables, and flush restrooms. (Link: bit.ly/3WvjFc). In spite of these lofty promises, the "temporary" porta potties installed in 2015 remain in place, still odious and unsanitary.

In September 2016, EBRPD certified the environmental impact report (EIR) for the new staging area and appropriated \$1.6 million for plans and permits. EBRPD expected to appropriate funding from Measure WW, grants, and other sources. The improvements were at no cost to the city, and completion was scheduled for 2020. After approving the EIR, the park district was sued by Stanford Avenue neighbors. They claimed the ground beneath their homes is too geologically unstable to support a parking lot. Ironically, the parking project with 340 spaces would offload most of the congestion from nearby residential streets.

The park district has recently floated a concept that calls for only 82 spaces and would do little to alleviate congestion. Parking enforcement is costly, and Mission Peak is the only neighborhood in the city that has restricted street parking. Police services to enforce parking restrictions cost \$360,000 a year for three enforcement officers hired in 2021. Their total compensation exceeds the ticket revenue, so the parking restrictions cost the city \$260,000 a year which is nowhere near attaining “revenue neutrality” as promised to the city council in 2020.

Mission Peak has long been the city's and the park district's most contentious political issue. The city council has put politics over the needs of the community, or “Politics Over People.” The city council sacrificed public health for political gain when they closed the park's entrance and several trails for nearly two months during the lock-downs in the spring of 2020. Now the council wants to slash the parking spaces, and continue to hand out parking tickets with no end in sight.

On November 15, 2022, the city council will once again discuss the fate of Mission Peak. The agenda will be posted here: bit.ly/3FRdeuJ ; You can tell the city council that you want to protect public access to popular parks like Mission Peak, not slash the parking project and not build more fences or barricades. We need clean, flush toilets.

An investment in our parks is an investment in our future.

william yragui
Mission Peak Conservancy

PUBLIC NOTICES

CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNION CITY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the City Council of the City of Union City for the purpose of considering an **Ordinance Amending Chapters 15.20, 15.40, 15.44, 15.48, 15.52, 15.80, 15.81, and 15.84 Title 15, Building and Construction, of the Union City Municipal Code to incorporate the 2022 California Building Codes.** In accordance with State law, the California Building Standards Code, in its entirety, and other related appendices will go into effect on January 1, 2023, with or without City action. The proposed ordinance will adopt the California Building Standards Code by reference and include local amendments consisting of structural, fire and life safety, green building and sustainability, and administrative provisions or procedures. The majority of the proposed amendments are a continuation of previously adopted amendments from prior code adoption cycles. A copy of the California Building Standards Code and all related appendices is available for public inspection in the City's Building Division.

The public hearing is scheduled for:

**CITY COUNCIL MEETING
November 22, 2022 at 7:00
City Council Chambers
34009 Alvarado-Niles Road Union City, CA 94587**

The hearing will be held at 7:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard.

The Meeting will be held both in person and via Teleconference. To access the meeting please see the City's Teleconference Guidelines, which are published as part of the meeting agenda.

Copies of the text of the proposed ordinance will be available for public review as part of the City Council meeting packet no later than November 18 at 5:00 PM on the City's website. Instructions on how to attend the meeting and provide comment to the City Council will be included in the City Council meeting packet. Written comments regarding this item should be received by the City Clerk by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 22, 2022. If you challenge the action of the City Council on this matter in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered at, or prior to the Public Hearing.

If you have any questions, please contact the City Clerk at Cityclerk@unioncity.org or (510)675-5448.

CNSB #3641372

CIVIL

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. 22CV019596
Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA
Petition of: ARSHMAN MAJID for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner RAKHSHANDA BEGUM filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

ARSHMAN MAJID to AYAAN MAJID
The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Notice of Hearing:
Date: DEC 02, 2022, Time: 11AM, Dept.: 17, Room: --

The address of the court is 1221 OAK ST., OAKLAND, CA 94612
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: TRI CITY-VOICE

Date: OCTOBER 14, 2022
CHARLES A SMILEY
Judge of the Superior Court
10/25, 11/1, 11/8, 11/15/22

CNS-3637332#

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Case No. 22CV018994
Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA
Petition of: for Change of Name

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

QIANRU WANG to CHRISTINA QIANRU CHANG
The Court orders that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Notice of Hearing:
Date: DECEMBER 2, 2022, Time: 11:00 A.M., Dept.: 17, Room: N/A

The address of the court is 1221 OAK STREET, OAKLAND, CA 94612
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: TRI-CITY VOICE

Date: CHARLES A. SMILEY
Judge of the Superior Court
10/18, 10/25, 11/1, 11/8/22

CNS-3634368#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAMESFICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 593049
Fictitious Business Name(s):
TRUE JAM, 715 BERYL PLACE, HAYWARD, CA 94544, County of ALAMEDA

Business conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 01-01-2022

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].)

/s/ LAWRENCE TRUEHILL
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on 10/28/2022

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). 11/8, 11/15, 11/22, 11/29/22

CNS-3641107#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 593047
Fictitious Business Name(s):
AS WE RISE, 29188 DIXON STREET, HAYWARD, CA 94544, County of ALAMEDA

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].)

/s/ NAVJOT BRAR
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on 10/28/2022

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CNS-3641104#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 592819
Fictitious Business Name(s):
M HAIR, 34380 FREMONT BLVD, FREMONT, CA 94555 County of ALAMEDA

MAILING ADDRESS: 2720 MURTHA DR, SAN JOSE, CA 95127

Registrant(s):
CHUONG LANG., 2720 MURTHA DR, SAN JOSE, CA 95127

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

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

/s/ CHUONG LANG
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on 10/19/2022

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.

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CNS-363986#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 592869
Fictitious Business Name(s):
SAMER BY SEALM, 812 STRINGRAY TER, FREMONT, CA 94536 County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
SELAMAWIT AREGAWI ABADI., 812 STRINGRAY TER, FREMONT, CA 94536

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

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

/s/ SELAMAWIT AREGAWI ABADI.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on 10/21/2022

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.

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CNS-363985#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 592943
Fictitious Business Name(s):
MULTANI FOODS SERVICES INC., 20848 MISSION BLVD #1450, HAYWARD, CA 94541, County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
MULTANI FOODS SERVICES INC., 20848 MISSION BLVD #1450, HAYWARD, CA 94541, County of ALAMEDA

Business conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 10/25/2022

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].)

/s/ LAWRENCE TRUEHILL
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on 10/28/2022

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CNS-363947#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 592455
Fictitious Business Name(s):
PROXIMITY PHYSICAL THERAPY, 1335 MARTIN LUTHER KING DR, HAYWARD, CA 94541 County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
ANISHA AJGAONKAR, 1335 MARTIN LUTHER KING DR, HAYWARD, CA 94541

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

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

/s/ ANISHA AJGAONKAR
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on 10/28/2022

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/s/ ANISHA AJGAONKAR
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on 10/05/2022

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CNS-3637324#

STATEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL OF
PARTNERSHIP OPERATING UNDER
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

File No. 544399
The following person(s) has/have withdrawn as a general partner(s) from the partnership operating under the Fictitious Business Name:

The Fictitious Business Name Statement for the Partnership was filed on 04/30/2018 in the County of ALAMEDA

DMJ TRANSPORTATION, 34264 ATTERIDGE PL., FREMONT, CA 94555, County of: ALAMEDA.

Registered Owner(s):
MAYLON PERRY, 24650 AMADOR ST #100, HAYWARD, CA 94544

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

/s/ DALE PINE
This statement was filed with the County Clerk-Recorder of Alameda County on SEP 23, 2022.

10/25, 11/1, 11/8, 11/15/22

CNS-3635455#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 592347
Fictitious Business Name(s):
GOLDSTRIKE RESUME SERVICES, 37189 SECOND STREET, FREMONT, CA 94536 County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
KENNETH REED, 37189 SECOND STREET, FREMONT, CA 94536

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

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

/s/ KENNETH REED
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on 09/28/2022

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CNS-3634558#

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT

File No. 592476
Fictitious Business Name(s):
CHERIE'S SOUTHERN KITCHEN, 4285 TROLAN LANE, DUBLIN, CA 94568, County of ALAMEDA

Registrant(s):
CHERIE BARFIELD, 4285 TROLAN LANE, DUBLIN, CA 94568

Business conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL
The registrant began to transact business using the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 10/05/2022

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].)

/s/ CHERIE BARFIELD
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on OCTOBER 05, 2022

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CNS-3633593#

GOVERNMENT

CITY OF UNION CITY
OFFICIAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Government Code Section 66016 et seq., the City Council of the City of Union City will conduct a public hearing to receive and consider all evidence and reports relative to a resolution amending the City of Union City Master Fee Schedule of fees and charges for City Services pertaining to all City departments.

Public Hearing – Commercial Cannabis Application Fees and Adjustments Thereto in the Master Fee Schedule for Fiscal Year 2022-2023.

The public hearing is scheduled for:
**CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Council Chamber
34009 Alvarado-Niles Road
Tuesday, November 22, 2022**

The hearing will be held at 7:00 PM, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard. Details on how to participate in the meeting will be set forth in the meeting agenda, which is anticipated to be posted by 5:00 PM on November 18, 2022, at <http://citycouncil-live.unioncity.org> (Passcode: M67%qH6P)

Dated: Thursday, November 3, 2022
Primary: +1 (408) 638-0988 (US), Passcode: 52282697

Secondary: +1 (213) 338-8477 (US), Passcode: 52282697

Proposed changes to the Master Fee Schedule and supporting documentation are available for inspection beginning November 3, 2022, by contacting the City Clerk via the contact information listed below or at the following:

<https://www.unioncity.org/DocumentCenter/View/8939/Proposed-Changes>

Any person wishing to speak to the City Council on this matter is invited to attend the hearing. Written comments regarding this item should be received by the City Clerk by 5:00 PM on Tuesday, November 22, 2022.

Send all comments or questions to:
City Clerk
34009 Alvarado-Niles Road
Union City, CA 94587

Email: CityClerk@unioncity.org
Dated: Thursday, November 3, 2022
Published: Tuesday, November 8, 2022

Signed: Anna Brown, City Clerk
11/8/22

CNS-3641861#

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNION CITY APPROVING ZONING TEXT AMENDMENT, AT-22-004, TO AMEND TITLE 18, ZONING, OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE TO ADD SECTION 18.52, "PUBLIC CONVENIENCE OR NECESSITY DETERMINATION AND APPEALS, TO ALLOW THE ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR TO DETERMINE THAT PUBLIC CONVENIENCE OR NECESSITY WOULD BE SERVED BY THE ISSUANCE OF ABC RETAIL LICENSES FOR ALCOHOL SALES"

The above introduced Ordinance was introduced on October 11, 2022 and adopted by the City Council on October 25, 2022. This abbreviated notice is

published in lieu of the full text of the ordinance. A copy of the full text of the ordinance, is available on the City's website at: <https://www.unioncity.org/250/Transparency-Portal>

A copy of the full text of the ordinances is also available at the Office of the City Clerk, 34009 Alvarado-Niles Road, Union City, California, during normal business hours. The City Clerk can be reached by phone at 510-675-5448 if you desire a copy of the full text of the ordinance sent to you via email or by first class mail.

ORDINANCE NO. 901-22 WAS PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Union City at a regular meeting held on Thursday, November 3, 2022.

AYES: Councilmembers Duncan, Gacoscos, Singh, Vice Mayor Patriño, Mayor Dutra-Vernaci
NOES: None
ABSTAIN: None

APPROVED:
Carol Dutra-Vernaci
CAROL DUTRA-VERNACI, Mayor
ATTEST:

/s/ Anna M. Brown
ANNA BROWN, City Clerk
APPROVED AS TO FORM:

/s/ Kristopher J. Kokotaylo
KRISTOPHER J. KOKOTAYLO, City Attorney
11/8/22

CNS-3641754#

CITY OF FREMONT
SUMMARY OF ADOPTED ORDINANCE NOS.

11-2022 AND 12-2022
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FREMONT ADOPTING BY REFERENCE AND AMENDING THE 2022 CALIFORNIA BUILDING, MECHANICAL, PLUMBING, ELECTRICAL, EXISTING BUILDING, HISTORICAL BUILDING, ENERGY, RESIDENTIAL BUILDING, AND GREEN BUILDING STANDARDS CODE, 2021 INTERNATIONAL POOL AND SPA CODE, AND THE 2021 INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE; AND REPEALING AND REPLACING FREMONT MUNICIPAL CODE TITLE 15 (BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION) DIVISION 1 FREMONT BUILDING STANDARDS CODE

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FREMONT ADOPTING BY REFERENCE AND AMENDING THE 2022 CALIFORNIA FIRE CODE AND AMENDING FREMONT MUNICIPAL CODE TITLE 15 (BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION) DIVISION 1 (FREMONT BUILDING STANDARDS CODE), CHAPTER 15.35 (FREMONT FIRE CODE)

On October 4, 2022, the Fremont City Council introduced the above Ordinances adopting by reference and amending the 2022 California Building Standards Code, the 2018 International Pool and Spa Code and the 2018 International Property Maintenance Code. Most of the amendments carry forward the existing local amendments to the 2019 California Building Standards Code. The amendments are briefly summarized as follows:

1-Administrative Amendments: These amendments define the requirements, terms and conditions for applying for and obtaining building permits; the authority of the Building Official and Fire Marshal; the appeals procedure; when the submission of plats of survey and soil and structural observation are necessary; and the terms and conditions for issuance of certificates of second reading.

2-Soils Reports, Investigation and Soils Observation: The amendments in this area are identical to current local amendments. Amendments are added to clarify when soil reports and liquefaction evaluation are required.

3-Structural Inspection and Structural Observation: The amendments concerning structural inspection and structural observation respond to the unique hazards associated with Fremont's proximity to the Hayward fault and carry forward current local requirements.

4-Roof Coverings: This amendment requires that the fire resistance of roof materials be certified.

5-Fire Resistant Construction,

PUBLIC NOTICES

LEGAL PUBLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following is a list of the Vote Centers designated by the Registrar of Voters in the County of Alameda for a Election, to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2022:

Location Name	# of Days	Location Address Line 1	Location Address Line 2
000001	4	1ST CONGREGATIONAL CH OF ALAMEDA	1912 CENTRAL AVE ALAMEDA
000002	11	CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH	2133 CENTRAL AVE ALAMEDA
000003	4	BUENA VISTA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH	2311 BUENA VISTA AVE ALAMEDA
000004	4	SOUTH SHORE CENTER SUITE A	2202 SOUTH SHORE CENTER ALAMEDA
000005	4	COLLEGE OF ALAMEDA	555 RALPH APPEZZATO MEMORIAL PKWY ALAMEDA
000006	4	TEMPLE ISRAEL SOCIAL HALL	3183 MECARTNEY RD ALAMEDA
000007	4	ALBANY REC & COMM SERVICES	1249 MARIN AVE ALBANY
000008	4	CHURCH ON THE CORNER SANCTUARY	1319 SOLANO AVE ALBANY
000009	4	SAN LORENZO LIBRARY	395 PASEO GRANDE SAN LORENZO
000010	11	ANNA HEAD ALUMNAE HALL	2537 HASTE ST BERKELEY
000011	4	ED ROBERTS CAMPUS	3075 ADELINE ST BERKELEY
000012	4	ROSA PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	920 ALLSTON WAY BERKELEY
000013	4	LONGFELLOW SCHOOL GYM	1522 WARD ST BERKELEY
000014	4	WEST CAMPUS OXFORD GYM	1222 UNIVERSITY AVE BERKELEY
000015	4	LIFE ADVENTIST CH OF BERKELEY	2236 PARKER ST BERKELEY
000016	4	SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS LUTHERAN CHURCH	401 GRIZZLY PEAK BLVD BERKELEY
000017	4	EPWORTH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH	1953 HOPKINS ST BERKELEY
000018	4	NORTH BERKELEY SENIOR CENTER	1901 HEARST AVE BERKELEY
000019	11	CASTRO VALLEY LIBRARY	3600 NORBRIDGE AVE CASTRO VALLEY
000020	4	UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF C V	19806 WISTERIA ST CASTRO VALLEY
000021	4	PALOMARES HILLS REC CENTER	6811 VILLAREAL DR CASTRO VALLEY
000022	4	CASTRO VALLEY COMMUNITY CENTER	18988 LAKE CHABOT ROAD CASTRO VALLEY
000023	11	HIRING HALL - CHERRYLAND	1050 MATTOX RD HAYWARD
000024	4	SANTA RITA PUBLIC WORKS	4825 GLEASON DR DUBLIN
000025	4	DUBLIN CIVIC CENTER	4201 CENTRAL PARKWAY DUBLIN
000026	11	THE WAVE	7421 AMARILLO RD DUBLIN
000027	4	JOHN KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	4321 SALEM ST EMERYVILLE
000028	4	EMERYVILLE SENIOR CENTER	23515 MAUD AVE HAYWARD
000029	4	FAIRVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	300 GURDWARA RD FREMONT
000030	4	SIKH TEMPLE	42000 PASEO PADRE PKWY FREMONT
000031	4	TEMPLE BETH TORAH SYNAGOGUE	42412 ALBRAE ST FREMONT
000032	4	ISLAMIC CENTER OF FREMONT	41825 GREENPARK DR FREMONT
000033	4	IRVINGTON LIBRARY	43600 MISSION BLVD FREMONT
000034	4	OH LONE COLLEGE	4700 CALAVERAS AVE FREMONT
000035	4	FREMONT ADULT SCHOOL	38255 BLACOW RD FREMONT
000036	4	UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST FREMONT	3375 WARWICK RD FREMONT
000037	4	WARWICK ELEM SCHOOL	4141 DEEP CREEK RD FREMONT
000038	4	BASERO MOBILE PARK SOCIAL HALL	38569 CANYON HEIGHTS DR FREMONT
000039	4	VALLEJO MILL ELEM SCHOOL	47065 WARM SPRING BLVD FREMONT
000040	11	SAN FRANCISCO BAY UNIVERSITY	2400 STEVENSON BLVD FREMONT
000041	11	FREMONT MAIN LIBRARY	25800 W LOOP RD HAYWARD
000042	4	CAL STATE UNIV EAST BAY	28605 RUUS RD HAYWARD
000043	4	PALMA CEIA BAPTIST CHURCH	425 GRESSEL ST HAYWARD
000044	4	FAIRWAY PARK BAPTIST CHURCH	750 CALHOUN ST HAYWARD
000045	4	ST CLEMENTS CHURCH	224 W WINTON AVE HAYWARD
000046	4	ALAMEDA COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING	888 C ST HAYWARD
000047	4	DOWNTOWN HAYWARD PUBLIC LIBRARY	25001 INDUSTRIAL BLVD HAYWARD
000048	4	LIFE WEST COLLEGE	25555 HESPERIAN BLVD HAYWARD
000049	11	CHABOT COLLEGE STUDENT CENTER	1135 BLUEBELL DR LIVERMORE
000050	4	CELEBRATION CHURCH	557 OLIVINA AVE LIVERMORE
000051	4	LIVERMORE VALLEY ACADEMY	2466 8TH ST LIVERMORE
000052	11	BOTHWELL ARTS CENTER - ROOM EAST END	1232 ARROWHEAD AVE LIVERMORE
000053	4	HINDU COMMUNITY & CULTURAL CTR	4550 EAST AVE LIVERMORE
000054	4	FIRE STATION 6	1020 MOCHO ST LIVERMORE
000055	4	HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH	35501 CEDAR BLVD NEWARK
000056	4	NEWARK COMMUNITY CENTER	37055 NEWARK BLVD NEWARK
000057	11	NEWARK PUBLIC LIBRARY	6800 MOWRY AVE NEWARK
000058	4	THE SILLIMAN CENTER	5555 ASCOT DR OAKLAND
000059	4	MONTERA MIDDLE SCHOOL	3594 SANBORN DR OAKLAND
000060	4	JOAQUIN MILLER CENTER	666 BELLEVUE AVE OAKLAND
000061	4	LAKESIDE PARK GARDEN	125 14TH ST OAKLAND
000062	4	OAKLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY	8501 INTERNATIONAL BLVD OAKLAND
000063	4	ALLEN TEMPLE GYM	1021 81ST AVE OAKLAND
000064	4	81ST AVE BRANCH LIBRARY	7001 OAKPORT ST OAKLAND
000065	11	ARENA CENTER ATRIUM	7701 KRAUSE AVE OAKLAND
000066	4	ARROYO VIEJO RECREATION CENTER	3200 BOSTON AVE OAKLAND
000067	4	FRUITVALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	1183 10TH ST OAKLAND
000068	4	BETH EDEN BAPTIST CHURCH	1500 E 15TH ST OAKLAND
000069	11	ST ANTHONYS CHURCH	701 105TH AVE OAKLAND
000070	4	LIGHTHOUSE COMM PUBLIC SCHOOL	560 59TH ST OAKLAND
000071	4	BUSHROD RECREATION CENTER	3994 BURCKHALTER AVE OAKLAND
000072	4	BURCKHALTER ELEM SCHOOL	4351 BROADWAY OAKLAND
000073	11	OAKLAND TECH HIGH SCHOOL	4025 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR WAY OAKLAND
000074	4	SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH	5366 COLLEGE AVE OAKLAND
000075	4	OAKLAND LIB ROCKRIDGE BRANCH	1801 ADELINE ST OAKLAND
000076	4	WEST OAKLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY	7200 BANCROFT AVE OAKLAND
000077	11	EASTMONT TOWN CENTER ENTRANCE F	1023 MACARTHUR BLVD OAKLAND
000078	4	OAKLAND HIGH SCHOOL	920 CAMPBELL ST OAKLAND
000079	11	PRESCOTT SCHOOL	6401 SAN PABLO AVE OAKLAND
000080	4	ST COLUMBA CATHOLIC CHURCH	1410 10TH AVE OAKLAND
000081	4	WILLIAMS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH	2101 35TH AVE OAKLAND
000082	4	UNITED FOR SUCCESS ACADEMY	2825 INTERNATIONAL BLVD OAKLAND
000083	4	THINK COLLEGE NOW	5000 MACARTHUR BLVD OAKLAND
000084	4	MILLS COLLEGE	401 HIGHLAND AVE PIEDMONT
000085	4	PIEDMONT VETERANS MEMORIAL BLDG	4645 BERNAL AVE PLEASANTON
000086	11	VILLAGE HIGH SCHOOL - MULTIPURPOSE ROOM	4433 WILLOW RD PLEASANTON
000087	4	THOMAS S HART MIDDLE SCHOOL	4900 VALLEY AVE PLEASANTON
000088	4	HARVEST PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL	5001 CASE AVE PLEASANTON
000089	4	PLEASANTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	480 ADAMS WAY PLEASANTON
000090	4	VALLEY VIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	2860 HALCYON DR SAN LEANDRO
000091	4	HALCYON BAPTIST CHURCH	300 ESTUDILLO AVE SAN LEANDRO
000092	4	SAN LEANDRO MAIN LIBRARY	14600 CATALINA ST SAN LEANDRO
000093	11	ALAMEDA COUNTY ELECTRICAL JATC	14235 BANCROFT AVE SAN LEANDRO
000094	4	BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	601 MACARTHUR BLVD SAN LEANDRO
000095	4	SAN LEANDRO CHURCH OF CHRIST	945 PASEO GRANDE SAN LORENZO
000096	11	SAN LORENZO COMMUNITY CHURCH SOCIAL HALL	33000 ALMADEN BLVD UNION CITY
000097	11	TROPICS MOBILE HOME PARK AUD	1800 H ST UNION CITY
000098	4	JAMES LOGAN HIGH SCHOOL	31224 UNION CITY BLVD
000099	4	THE MARK GREEN SPORTS CENTER	600 G ST UNION CITY
000100	4	DECOTO SCHOOL	

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the ballots for this election will be tabulated at the René C. Davidson Alameda County Court House located at 1225 Fallon Street (basement), Oakland, CA. Ballot tabulation will begin at 8:00 p.m. on November 8, 2022 and continue until complete. The public is welcome to view the tabulation. The totals will be uploaded into the central server throughout election night. The central server is located at the René C. Davidson Court House, 1225 Fallon Street, Oakland, CA.

DATED AT OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA THIS 29th day of OCTOBER 2022

Tim Dupuis, Registrar of Voters,
County of Alameda, State of California

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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 11/23/2022 at 9:45 A.M. in Dept. 202 Room N/A located at 2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR WAY, BERKELEY, CA 94704.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for Petitioner: KATHLEEN BOCK STEWART, 5030 BUSINESS CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 280, FAIRFIELD, CA 94534, Telephone: 707-252-9000 11/1, 11/8, 11/15/22

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JONATHAN RUIZ GARNICA CASE NO. RP22132329

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: JONATHAN RUIZ GARNICA A Petition for Probate has been filed by MYRIAM MARGARITA RUIZ GARNICA in the Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA.

The Petition for Probate requests that MYRIAM MARGARITA RUIZ GARNICA be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court on NOVEMBER 28, 2022 at 2:00 P.M. in Dept. 201 Room N/A located at 2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR WAY, BERKELEY, CA 94704.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

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Attorney for Petitioner: REGIS J. AMANN, 2600 CENTRAL AVENUE, SUITE N, UNION CITY, CA 94587, Telephone: 510-471-7786 10/25, 11/1, 11/8/22

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TRUSTEE SALES

T.S. No. 22-01035-LC-CA Title No. 2147809 A.P.N. 483-0015-030-00 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE. YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 03/07/2019. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, YOU MAY BE SUBJECT TO A PUBLIC SALE. 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(s) must be made payable to National Default Servicing Corporation), drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, 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 the 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 in an "as is" condition, 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. 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 consent 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 or visit this Internet Web site www.ndscorp.com/sales, using the file number assigned to this case 22-01035-LC-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 888-264-4010, or visit this internet website www.ndscorp.com, using the file number assigned to this case 22-01035-LC-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. "Pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code, the potential rights described herein shall apply only to public auctions taking place on or after January 1, 2021, through December 31, 2025, unless later extended. Date of Notice of Default: 10/19/2022. National Default Servicing Corporation c/o Tiffany & Bosco, P.A., its agent, 1455 Frazee Road, Suite 202 San Diego, CA 92108 Toll Free Phone: 888-264-4010 Sales Line 855-219-8501; Sales Website: www.ndscorp.com By: Gabriela Sanchez, Trustee Sales Representative 10/25/2022, 11/01/2022, 11/08/2022 CP#353443 10/25, 11/1, 11/8/22

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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 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: 12/13/2022 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: \$938,085.94 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 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 or visit this Internet Web site <http://www.ndscorp.com/sales>, using the file number assigned to this case 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. NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE OWNER-OCCUPANT: Any prospective owner-occupant as defined in Section 2924m of the California Civil Code who is the last and highest bidder at the trustee's sale shall provide the required affidavit or declaration of eligibility to the auctioneer at the trustee's sale or shall have it delivered to Quality Loan Service Corporation by 5 p.m. on the next business day following the trustee's sale at the address set forth in the below signature block. 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 of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, including if the Trustee is unable to convey title, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the monies paid to the Trustee. If the sale is set aside for any other reason, the Trustee 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 rights against the 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 LPSB #0181602 10/25/2022 11/1/2022 11/8/2022 10/25, 11/1, 11/8/22

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF CAROL LEUNG CHAN CASE NO. RP22130437

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: Carol Leung Chan, A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Adam Chan in the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Adam Chan be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on 11/30/2022 at 2:00 pm in Dept. 201 located at 2120 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. WAY BERKELEY, CA 94704 BERKELEY COURTHOUSE, BERKELEY

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 (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: Damian Rickert - State Bar No. 169968 109 Jackson Street, Suite 230 Hayward, CA 94544, Telephone: (510) 886-9414 11/1, 11/8, 11/15/22

CNS-3639747#

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MARIA PEREZ MACIAS AKA MARIA P. MACIAS CASE NO. RP22132668

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of: MARIA PEREZ MACIAS AKA MARIA P. MACIAS A Petition for Probate has been filed by ANGELO FRANK MACIAS in the Superior Court of California, County of ALAMEDA. The Petition for Probate requests that ANGELO FRANK MACIAS be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

Newark Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
CAPTAIN JONATHAN ARGUELLO

Sunday, October 2

• At 7:58 p.m. Officer Swadener responded to a report about a person brandishing a knife in the 100 block of NewPark Mall Road. Swadener located the suspect, later identified by police as a 40-year-old man. The suspect was arrested on suspicion of battery and booked into Santa Rita Jail. The brandishing report was unfounded.

Tuesday, October 4

• At 6:29 p.m. officers responded to a report about a battery in the 37000 block of Eureka Dr. Upon arrival, officers arrested a 56-year-old

Stockton man on suspicion of battery causing serious bodily injuries. He was booked at Santa Rita Jail

Wednesday, October 12

• At 4:41 a.m. Officers Sanchez and Herrera arrested a 24-year-old woman in the area of Sycamore Street and Thornton Avenue on suspicion of brandishing a weapon at officers. She was booked at Santa Rita Jail.

Friday, October 14

• At 6:32 p.m. Officer Soto responded to a report about a person brandishing a knife in the 36000 block of Cherry St. Upon arrival, Soto arrested a 24-year-old Newark man on suspicion of exhibiting a weapon (not a firearm). He was booked at Santa Rita Jail.

Thursday, October 20

• At 9:42 a.m. officers responded to a report of an

in-progress commercial burglary in the 39000 block of Balentine Dr. Officers arrived, cleared the building and located the suspect hiding on the roof. Officers successfully de-escalated the situation and the suspect climbed down. While being taken into custody, the suspect kicked and spat on an officer. The suspect was arrested on suspicion of burglary, resisting arrest and battery on a peace officer, then booked into Santa Rita Jail.

Friday, October 21

• At 11:31 p.m. officers responded to a report about a single vehicle collision in the area of Balentine Drive and Mowry School Road. Upon arrival officers found a solo occupant trapped inside the vehicle. Members of the Alameda County Fire Department also responded and extricated the

person, later identified by police as a 27-year-old Newark man, from the vehicle. He was treated at a hospital and later reported in stable condition. Police said alcohol is believed to be a factor; the incident is under investigation.

Sunday, October 23

• At 8:55 a.m. officers responded to a theft report in the 6100 block of Mayhews Landing Road. The suspect fled before officers arrived, but was later found hiding on the roof of the building. After brief negotiations, the suspect, identified by police as a 41-year-old man, come down and was taken into custody. The man was arrested on suspicion of obstructing a peace officer, theft of personal property, and possession of drug paraphernalia. He was booked at Santa Rita Jail.

• At 9:53 p.m. Officer Swadener responded to a report about an assault with a deadly

weapon in the 200 block of NewPark Mall Road. Upon arrival, Swadener arrested a 58-year-old Hayward man on suspicion of assault with a deadly weapon (not a firearm), possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of a controlled substance. He was booked at Santa Rita Jail.

Vehicle catalytic converter thefts:

• October 2: 5000 block of Scarborough Drive; October 15: 37000 block of Magnolia St., 6000 block of Clark Ave.; October 17: 6000 block of Tourraine Drive; October 24: 6000 block of Bellhaven Ave.;; October 30: 5000 block of Central Ave.

BART Police Log

SUBMITTED BY LES MENSINGER AND BART PD

Friday, October 28

• At 9:34 a.m. a woman identified by police as Emani Johnson, 21, of Hayward was taken into custody at Bay Fair station in San Leandro on suspicion of assault with a deadly weapon and making criminal threats. She was taken to Santa Rita Jail where she faced additional charges of bringing contraband into jail and possessing a weapon. She also was issued a prohibition order from BART.

Sunday, October 30

• At 9:45 p.m. a man identified by police as Robert Sodervick, 66, of San Francisco was arrested at Bay Fair station in San Leandro on suspicion of trespassing on railroad property and two outstanding warrants. He was taken to Santa Rita Jail.

Monday, October 31

• At 1:34 p.m. a man identified by police as Robert Sumner, 27, of San Leandro was arrested outside Bay Fair station in San Leandro on suspicion of indecent exposure. He was booked at Santa Rita Jail and issued a prohibition order.

• At 8:04 p.m. an adult identified by police as Honesty Gray, 19, of Oakland was arrested at

Bay Fair station in San Leandro on suspicion of robbery and battery on public transit and a possible hate crime, then booked into Santa Rita Jail. A 17-year-old male and 16-year-old female also were taken into custody on similar charges and booked into Alameda County Juvenile Justice Center. The 14-year-old also had an outstanding felony warrant. All four suspects were issued prohibition orders from BART.

Tuesday, November 1

• At 6:38 p.m. a person identified by police as Angel Knox, 38, of San Leandro was stopped at Bay Fair station in San Leandro on suspicion of fare evasion. A record check showed two arrest warrants. Knox was arrested and booked into Santa Rita Jail.

• At 11:21 p.m. a man identified by police as Tommie Patterson Jr., 41, of Brentwood was arrested at Bay Fair station in San Leandro on suspicion of robbery. He was booked into Santa Rita Jail and issued a prohibition order.

Thursday, November 3

• At 7:56 a.m. a woman identified by police as Britany Russ, 35, of Hayward was arrested at South Hayward station on suspicion of battery on a police officer, resisting arrest, violating a court order and probation violation. She was issued a prohibition order and booked at Santa Rita Jail.

CHP Log

SUBMITTED BY
CHP HAYWARD

Monday, October 31

• At about 11:00 a.m. a fatal crash involving a motorcyclist and a big-rig truck closed four southbound lanes of I-880 starting just north of the A Street exit in Hayward. A preliminary CHP investigation indicated the motorcyclist went down on the highway, then was fatally struck by the truck which continued on. CHP said it is not clear if the truck driver knew they stuck the motorcyclist. The traffic lanes reopened about 2:45 p.m. An investigation is continuing and CHP is asking anyone who witnessed the crash or has information about it to call them at (510) 489-1500.

Hayward Police Department Log

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FIRE DEPARTMENT

Friday, November 4

• Day shift officers responded to a 911 call about a person being robbed at gunpoint by a man leaving the scene in a BMW. Officers spotted the vehicle and tried to make a traffic stop, but the driver sped away. Police used a pursuit intervention technique to disable the car near the 1400 block of Industrial Parkway West. The driver then complied and was arrested. Inside the car, officers found a handgun and items belonging to the person who was robbed. One officer sustained minor injuries and was treated at a hospital.

Union City Police Log

SUBMITTED BY
UNION CITY PD

Monday, October 31

• During the night shift, as Field Training Officer Noyd was patrolling the area near Medallion Drive and Whipple Road, he spotted a parked vehicle with several people inside drinking. One of the people told

Noyd that there was a gun inside the vehicle. Noyd then recovered a loaded semiautomatic pistol which was later determined to have been reported stolen in Sacramento County. The person was arrested on firearms charges and booked into jail.

Washington Boys Water Polo MVAL Victory

BY ANGELA XIONG

On Friday, October 28, the Washington Huskies (Fremont) took on the American Eagles (Fremont) at the Boys Water Polo Mission Valley Athletic League (MVAL) Championships. The bleachers at American High School were filled with parents and friends from both schools cheering loudly for their teams.

The game kicked off evenly matched with Washington taking a slight lead. The Huskies strengthened their lead over the Eagles through strategically angled shots and strong defensive plays. By halftime, the Huskies had a 4-point lead over the Eagles with a score of 8-4 respectively. Going into the third quarter, the American Eagles fought back by securing a powerful goal. The Washington Huskies quickly countered the Eagles’ advances by scoring another point bringing the score to 9-5. The Huskies continued to excel in defense,

with consecutive successful blocks sending the audience into a fit of roaring cheers. The quarter ended with the Huskies scoring a penalty shot, bringing the score to 10-5, Huskies with a 5-point lead.

The energy shifted going into the final quarter as both the Huskies and Eagles fought to secure the final victory. In an upset, the Eagles blocked an impressive 5-meter shot from the Huskies and then proceeded to make a goal themselves, bringing the score to 10-6. As the quarter came to an end, the Huskies scored one last point, sealing their victory with a final score of 11-6. “[This victory] was definitely a whole team effort. We had a rough start [this season], but we started improving halfway through the season, and our all-around team bonding was what made us so successful this season,” Washington Boys Water Polo Varsity Co-captains Nathan Javier and Nathan Young said.

Fremont Police Log

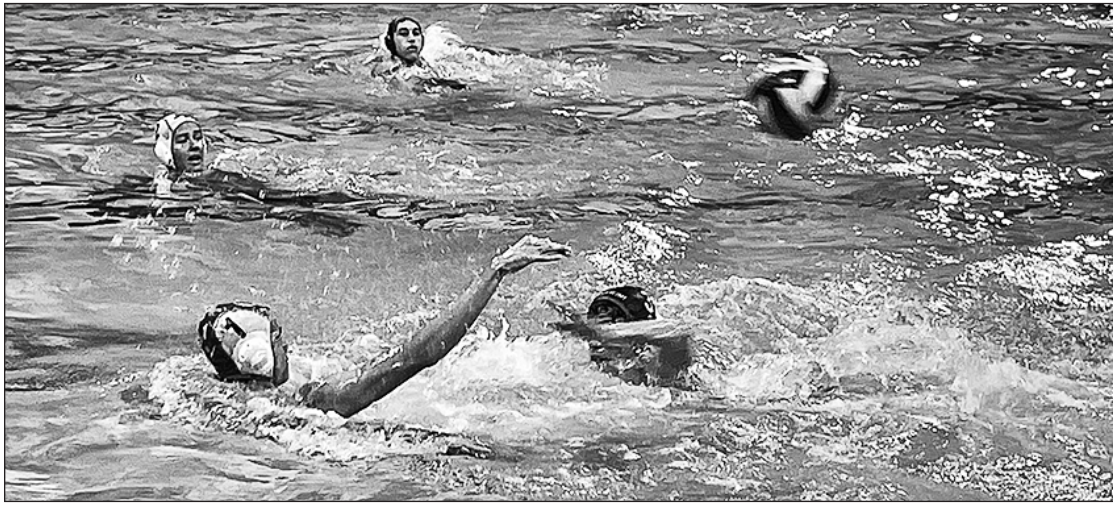
SUBMITTED BY MONICA LEON

Sunday, October 30

• During a traffic stop for a vehicle code violation, officers discovered the driver had multiple firearms inside the vehicle. One of the firearms was loaded with a high-capacity magazine. Officers also found contraband packaged for sale. The driver was arrested and faces firearm and drug-possession charges.



A firearm loaded with a high-capacity magazine found by Fremont police officers during a vehicle traffic stop. Credit: Fremont Police Department/Facebook



News and Notes

FROM AROUND THE WORLD

SUBMITTED BY
THE ASSOCIATION OF
MATURE AMERICAN
CITIZENS

Happy birthday

It was Kason Johnson's eighth birthday. There he was in Mountain Grove, Missouri hanging on to a lot of birthday balloons. But the Association of Mature American Citizens (AMAC) says he lost his grip and up they went, sky high and seemingly lost forever. Alas, they floated away. Five hundred miles later they made landfall in the yard of Todd Huyler in Cleveland, Tennessee. He found an envelope attached to the bouquet of balloons. It provided the address of Kason's school. Huyler wasted no time putting together a batch of goodies, as well as \$100, sending them to Kason along with his Happy Birthday wishes. See video about Kason Johnson's story on YouTube: www.youtube.com/watch?v=vVn-QwcE7Io0.

It's a scary coaster

It takes a die-hard daredevil to seek out and take a ride on the fastest, steepest, most complex rollercoaster. If you are fearless and adventurous enough, you may want to book a trip to Dubai, suggests AMAC. It's there you'll find what the judges at the Guinness World Records say is

the fastest vertical-launch rollercoaster on the planet. It is called The Storm Coaster. Beware, it has a vertical launch speed of 25 mph and accelerates to a top speed of some 48 miles per hour. See video of The Storm Coaster on YouTube: www.youtube.com/watch?v=hQ2Fllt97VU.

Pea wheel!

It seems that the folks at the Guinness Book of World Records search far and wide to find what some might call off-beat categories, says AMAC. Take, for example, the award it gives out to a contender who can blow a pea farther than anyone else. David Rush keeps breaking that record over and over again. He outdid his competitors and himself recently by putting his lips together and blowing his pea a distance of 84 feet, 11.28 inches. It was Rush's 250th win not just for pea blowing but for a variety of Guinness records. See video of David Rush in action on YouTube: www.youtube.com/watch?v=Za-VcbsGXSGo.

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.

Xin Li dominates with backhand at the Classic Hardbat World Championships

BY LARRY HODGES

Many players struggle in making the transition from sponge to hardbat in Table Tennis. Less so for Xin Li, who won Women's Singles at the Classic Hardbat World Championships. While she's a standard shakehand player, (a grip closely resembling a hand shake) with inverted on both sides, she used to play with medium-long pips on the backhand. Li switched to inverted on the backhand five years ago, when she was 17 years old, but quickly recovered her old pips-out stroke. She dominated with her backhand, which is her stronger side, especially in hardbat. Li was top seed and won convincingly, in the final round robin of six players, where she went 5-0 and defeated second-place finisher Ning Cheng, 7,3,3. Li is originally from Shaanxi, China, where she started playing table tennis at age seven. She immediately dropped all other extracurricular activities to focus on table tennis – to her mom's initial dismay. But it paid off as she made the Shaanxi

Provincial Team of China at age 15 and won the Shaanxi Provincial Women's Championships. She moved to the Bay Area in 2018 when she was 18 years old. For her first few years here, Li focused on studying English and getting a degree in Business Administration at Ohlone College. Since graduating, Li has focused more on table tennis and has been training regularly at the ICC Table Tennis Center in Milpitas since October of 2021. The training paid off in February 2022 when she won Open Singles at the Fremont Butterfly Open. In May, she won Women's Teams at the U.S. Team Championships in Rockford, Illinois. Her current USATT rating is 2265, but she does not yet have a hardbat rating. When asked what the biggest challenge was in switching to hardbat, Li said, "You have to supply all the power, and there's a lot of movement." She's moved from being a sponge star to hardbat superstar. The tournament livestream is available at: <https://www.facebook.com/ClassicHardbat/>



Records made at Cross Country league Championship

BY APRIL RAMOS
PHOTOS COURTESY OF
TODD TOKUBO

Through the inconsistent rain, one thing was certain at the Mission Valley Athletic League (MVAL) Cross Country Championships, the athletes came out breaking records and defending titles. On Wednesday, November 2, all cross-country runners of the eight schools in the MVAL gathered at Quarry Lakes in Fremont for the Championship they have been working toward. Five races made up the MVAL championship meet; Frosh/Soph boys two-mile, Junior Varsity girls' and boys' two mile, and Varsity girls' and boys' three-mile run. The Frosh/Soph boys' two mile was dominated by Mission San Jose High School Warriors (MSJHS) who swept the top four spots claimed by Aris MacKenzie, Aadi Yadav, Andrew Li and Jay Gokani, all under 11:15. In the girls' Junior Varsity two mile, the Newark Memorial Cougars' talents shone through as they defended their title as team winners and junior Rene Exley defends her title once again as



Varsity girls first, second and third place Kara Tokubo, Ania Wong and Ava Irwin.

race champion with a time of 13:14, nearly 30 seconds ahead of the pack. MSJHS claimed the team lead in the Junior Varsity boys' two mile followed by Moreau Catholic and Newark Memorial, both with a total average of three minutes behind MSJHS' team time. With many repeat winners, Newark Memorial High School broke the mold as its Varsity Girls' team earned their first ever league title. The lady Cougars took control of the varsity category with seven of their runners in the top ten, including juniors Kara Tokubo and Ava Irwin in the first and third slot, respectively. The final and fastest race of the meet was the Varsity Boys'

three mile. The NMHS team's score earned them first place with MSJHS and James Logan following behind. But the three mile stand out was Moreau Catholic's Jacob Hupke, who set a new course record with a time of 14:43. Top seven individuals from each Varsity race will be proceeding in the North Coast Section state qualifying meet, Meet of Champions on November, 19 at Hayward High School. For MVAL Championship results visit www.diablotiming.com/results/2022-11-02/. For more information or to purchase tickets for the Meet of Champions visit www.cifnco.org/sports/cross_country/index.



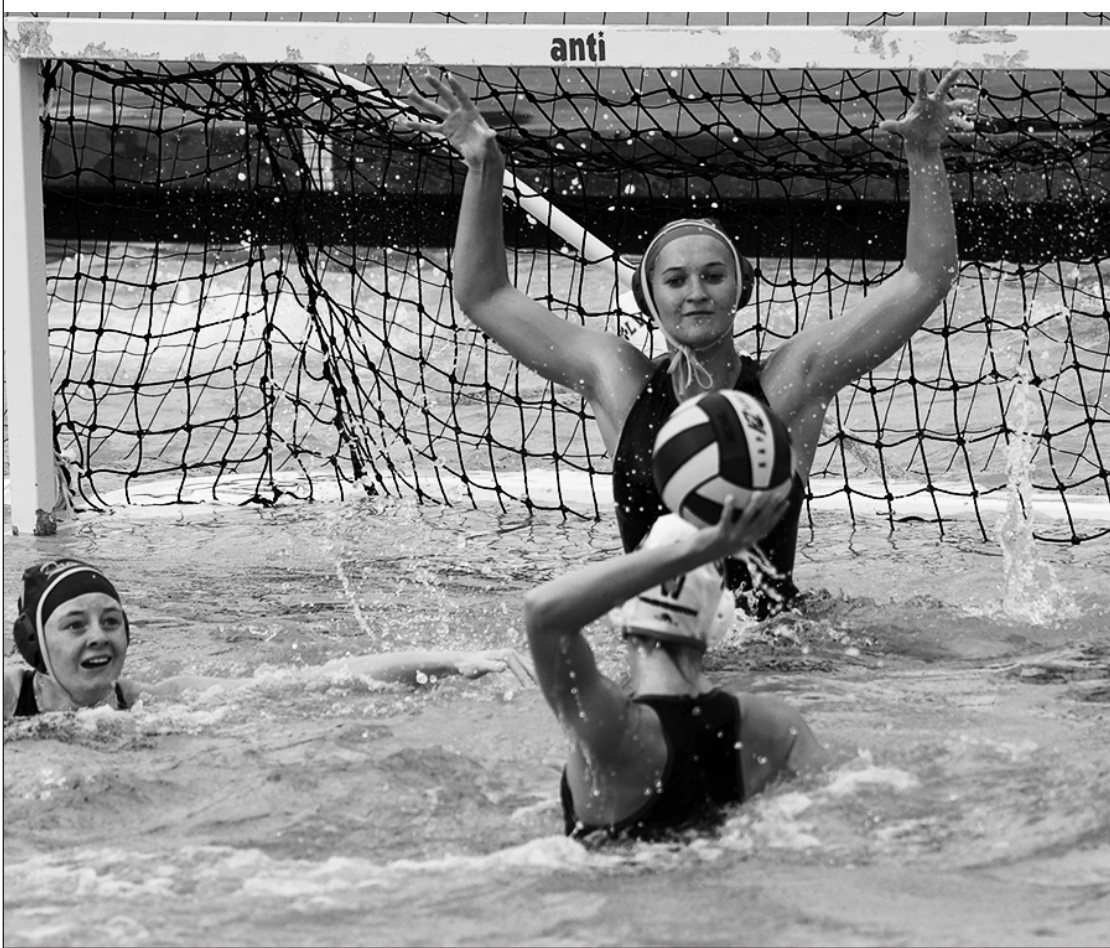
Junior Varsity boys' take off

Amador Valley defeats Washington in Water Polo Thriller

BY ERIC DONATO

The Amador Valley Dons (Pleasanton) secured a trip to the 2022 North Coast Section (NCS) Girls Water Polo semi-finals by defeating the Washington Huskies (Fremont) Saturday in the quarter-finals with a score of 10-9. The Dons dominated the first quarter with an initial shutout lead-in score of 3-0. Despite the intense effort of Washington to score three goals in the second period, Amador Valley maintained the gap with three additional goals of their own. Seconds before the second quarter ended, the Dons threw the ball for a highlight reel-worthy goal from the opposite side end of the pool, keeping the lead at 6-3. Amador Valley continued the three-point gap with Washington into the third period ending at 8-5.

Despite trailing behind, the Huskies' tenacity was fully displayed during the fourth period, with their defensive play shutting out the Amador Valley's offense. Washington's offense was in complete rally overdrive, scoring their sixth goal in the second half of the fourth period and two additional goals in the closing two minutes. The tying goal at 8-8 was a riveting buzzer-beater moment, with the ball thrown three seconds before the end of regulation time. The water polo game between the Amador Valley and Washington continued to be a gripping match that ended with a "sudden death" showdown in the third and final extra period after both teams took a goal each in the two three-minute extra periods. In the end, the Dons bested the Huskies with yet another exciting goal half a minute before the end of the final third extra period. The thrill of the equalizing goal from the Huskies during the closing seconds was short-lived with an exclusion call from the game officials. The 10-9 win over Washington punches Amador Valley's ticket to advance in the playoff and host Redwood High School for the NCS semi-finals on November 9th.



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LOCAL TEACHER RUNS CHICAGO MARATHON

By CHARLENE DIZON

Newark resident and Milpitas teacher Estelle Ríos showed great resilience and perseverance on her journey in preparing for the 2022 Chicago Marathon. Despite the unexpected wave of the pandemic along with juggling her final semester of college, Ríos not only fulfilled her marathon goal but inspired her students.

Staying physically active is a lifestyle that Ríos has embraced for years. Currently, she is avidly engaged in crossfit. In high school, she participated in softball, water polo, cross country, and track and field. At Wheaton College in Illinois, where she majored in elementary education, she was a member of the varsity softball team. It was through her softball coach that Ríos formed an unexpected connection to marathons in 2020.

“My coach knew that I enjoyed running and asked if I was interested in registering for a marathon, which I’ve always wanted to do,” she explains. Ríos joined a team with World Vision, a humanitarian organization dedicated to providing clean drinking water for countries with widespread poverty. Team World Vision would participate in the Chicago Marathon, a 26.2-mile distance run. What followed for Ríos was months of vigorous preparation.

Training began in April 2020, with the marathon set for October 2020. Ríos followed an 18-week marathon training plan provided by her organization, which included daily mile runs to practice pacing. Unfortunately, the rising pandemic caused the marathon to be canceled.

Regardless of this setback, Ríos deferred for the 2021 Chicago marathon in the hopes that she would be able to put her training to use. When April 2021 arrived, Ríos resumed her training. “I was student-teaching at the time while finishing up my most important semester of college, so it was very hectic,” she recalls. Despite returning home late in the evenings, Ríos would still implement running into her routine and simply stay up to finish grading schoolwork.

However, another setback arose in 2021: Ríos got COVID-19 a mere three weeks before the marathon. To her family and friends’ surprise, she remained consistent in her training, though it required decreasing her daily mileage runs. She thankfully recovered in time but the marathon was difficult in her post-recovery state, causing Ríos to not reach her personal record (PR). This outcome led her to register for the 2022 Chicago marathon.

In 2022, Ríos received an official full-time teaching position in Milpitas Christian School. As a fifth-grade teacher, Ríos’ passion for teaching shines in the classroom. Her first year thus far has been a fulfilling experience as she states, “This age range is such a critical time as my students start figuring out who they are. I love that I can make an impact on their lives academically and connect with them personally.”

With the 2022 Chicago Marathon in mind, Ríos not only trained diligently but discussed her experience with her students. The children were supportive and intrigued by the marathon process. Ríos says, “I taught them how to download the Chicago Marathon app that would show me on the course in real-time if they wanted to track my progress.”

On October 7th, Ríos flew out to Chicago, where she celebrated her birthday the day before the marathon. In comparison to her prior year’s

run, Ríos 2022 marathon experience was much more fulfilling. With her sharpened training techniques and goals in mind, Ríos overcame her PR of five hours, finishing at an astounding four hours and thirty-three minutes.

Upon returning to school, her fifth-grade students congratulated her and spoke in specific detail about her race. Ríos learned from their parents that the children were completely invested, waking up extra early in order to follow along with their teacher’s real-time progress. “They congratulated me on beating my PR and even told me that they wanted to try running a marathon,” Ríos says. “I encouraged them to add it to their bucket list once they meet the age requirement!”

Participating in a marathon has only strengthened Ríos’ appreciation for running. With the unconditional support of her fifth-grade students, family, and friends, the experience has been an unforgettable one. Ríos’ enjoyment for marathons stems not only from the thrill of fulfilling a PR but being able to enjoy the atmospheric Chicago scenery and community cheering on the sidelines, as well as meeting people from various walks of life. As for advice for those who hope to someday run a marathon, Ríos says, “Anyone can do it. You don’t have to be an elite athlete or Olympian. Start small, pace yourself, and remember that your running style is specifically for you.”

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