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## A Special Service for Real Heroes



Veterans gather for November 11 commemorations at the Vietnam Monument.

**Story and photos  
by Susan Maxwell  
Skinner**

**CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG)** - Carmichael's Vietnam Memorial was last weekend central to Veterans Day commemorations. Flags, music and memories were shared by more than 120 visitors. The ceremony was also livestreamed.

The first-known California monument to the Vietnam War, the memorial is considered a hallowed part of the Koobs Nature Area. First dedicated in 1973, its steel edifice honors La Sierra High School graduates who died in the Vietnam War.

Speaker Edric Cane, an educator and veteran of the French Army, said he was grateful to be at Carmichael's monument every year. He had visited



The Vietnam monument commemorates La Sierra High School graduates who died in Vietnam.

American war memorials in his native France and was glad to honor American service men for all they sacrificed to end WWI and WWII. "When you look at their tombs, you see how

young they were," said Cane. Like most French people, I am grateful to them."

Carmichael rock singer Todd Morgan led ceremony participants in

Louis Armstrong's "What a Wonderful World," an anthem to peace that came out of Vietnam War years.

La Sierra High School administrator Tony Asaro read the names of deceased La Sierra teachers who served in WW II, Korea, and Vietnam conflicts.

The Vietnam Monument is located in Koobs Nature Area, 5325 Engle Rd, Carmichael. Access is available first Saturdays of every month, March through October. For information, go to the Koobs Nature Area Facebook page. Supporters include Carmichael Kiwanis, La Sierra High School Alumni, California Montessori Project and BEAS Academy, Carmichael Park District, San Juan School District, volunteer gardening groups and Boy and Girl Scouts. ★

## CHP Focused on Tackling Distracted Driving Epidemic

**CHP News Release**

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - Every year, thousands of people are seriously injured or killed statewide in vehicle crashes caused by distracted drivers – crashes that are 100% preventable. To address the problem, the California Highway Patrol (CHP) is launching a statewide "Distracted Driving Education and Enforcement for Adult Drivers" traffic safety campaign, boosted by a \$350,000 federal grant.

The yearlong education and enforcement initiative continues through Sept. 30, 2024. Throughout the year, the CHP will conduct at least 90 enforcement operations targeting adult distracted drivers. In parallel with a CHP program targeted at teen drivers, the adult distracted driving campaign also includes 300 adult traffic safety presentations statewide.

"The CHP encourages drivers to make the conscious decision to drive distraction free every time they get behind the wheel of a vehicle," said CHP Commissioner Sean Duryee. "Every distraction, even for just a few seconds, increases your chances of being involved in a crash. Ultimately, it is never worth the potentially devastating consequences."

With multiple modes of communication and instant entertainment, cell phone use is the biggest driver distraction. Between 2019 and 2021, there were a total of 6,343 fatal and injury crashes within CHP jurisdiction stemming from distracted driving. During those same years, CHP officers issued more than 200,000 citations to drivers violating California's handsfree law.

Some of the most common types of adult distracted driving includes texting, talking on a cell phone, eating, grooming, operating a navigation system, and adjusting the radio.

Public education and increased enforcement are designed to encourage drivers to recognize the dangers of distracted driving and reduce the number of people impacted by this reckless, preventable behavior.

Funding for this program is provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

The mission of the CHP is to provide the highest level of Safety, Service, and Security. ★

## Aero-Blast Honors Vets

**Story and photo  
by Susan Maxwell  
Skinner**

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - Veterans Day celebrations got off to an early start as 300 guests donned vintage threads to wine and dine at the Aerospace Museum of California.

With a backdrop of WW II aircraft, the Salute to Service fundraiser supported the non-profit McClellan facility, and its many educational programs.

Cocktails, dinner and dancing preceded the main event: a 20-minute explosion of fireworks staged by the world's largest pyrotechnic company. Pyro Spectaculars annually provides this blowout to honor veterans and support the museum. Gala supporters got front-row seats beside the hangar; much of greater Sacramento viewed the spectacle from afar.



VIP guests included museum board member Jeff Harris (left) Olympic gold medalist Jeff Float, Jan Float, museum executives Tom and Karen Jones, Berta Radcliffe and museum volunteer Dennis Cross

"At this place we recognize service every day of the year," noted museum director/curator Tom Jones. "But our amazing fireworks – with a backdrop of aircraft from major conflicts – seem a

fitting way to honor our nation's heroes."

Gala sponsors included: Safe Credit Union, McClellan Park, Aerojet Rocketdyne, Boeing, SMUD, Lockheed Martin, General Davie

and Linda Martin.

Anyone may visit the Aerospace Museum of California at 3200 Freedom Park Drive, McClellan. For hours and event information visit [www.aerospaceca.org](http://www.aerospaceca.org) ★

# SacRT Celebrates Its Light Rail Modernization Project

## SacRT News Release

### SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) -

The Sacramento Regional Transit District (SacRT) recognized a significant milestone on November 8, 2023, with the celebration of the Light Rail Modernization Project and groundbreaking ceremony for Folsom 15-minute light rail service. This groundbreaking marks the beginning of construction for the passing track near Glenn/Robert G. Holderness Station, a pivotal step in enhancing the transit experience for Folsom area riders.

Starting January 2024, construction will require a temporary light rail service disruption between Historic Folsom and Iron Point stations. To minimize inconvenience, SacRT will offer shuttle bus service during this period, ensuring riders can still access the impacted stations. For park-and-ride users, Iron Point Station will serve as the primary boarding point for downtown-bound trains. Construction is expected to last approximately six months.

Upon completion, the new passing track will allow for 15-minute light rail service frequency, compared to 30-minutes today, for Hazel, Iron Point, Glenn/Robert G. Holderness and Historic Folsom stations. Also, the new low-floor light rail trains will begin service along the Gold Line.

“As we embark on this transformative journey, we recognize the temporary disruptions and inconvenience this may cause our riders,” said SacRT General Manager/CEO Henry Li. “We are working diligently to streamline the construction process and provide alternative transit options to mitigate any inconvenience for our valued passengers.”

“This construction project represents a significant leap forward in our efforts to modernize Sacramento’s transit system,” said SacRT Board Chair and Sacramento County Supervisor



Groundbreaking ceremony at Iron Point Station on Wednesday, November 8, 2023, which will connect Folsom with 15-minute light rail services. From left to right: SacRT Board Chair and Sacramento County Supervisor Patrick Kennedy, Assemblymember Kevin McCarty, Michael Cahill, President of Siemens Mobility in North America, Darren Suen, Chief of Staff for Assemblymember Stephanie Nguyen and Elk Grove Councilmember, Mike Kozlowski, SacRT Board Director and Folsom City Councilmember, and SacRT General Manager/CEO Henry Li. Photo courtesy of SacRT



SacRT is testing 17 new low-floor trains built at Siemens Mobility in south Sacramento, modifying station platforms along the Gold Line to meet the height requirements. Photo courtesy of SacRT

Patrick Kennedy. “The 15-minute Folsom light rail service will not only reduce travel time but also enhance the overall commuter experience, aligning with our commitment to providing efficient and accessible public transportation.”

“Efficient public transportation is a keystone for economic development, educational

opportunities and a healthier future,” said Congresswoman Doris Matsui. “Earlier this year, SacRT was awarded a \$45 million federal grant to advance the purchase of new low-floor light rail cars that will greatly improve accessibility and support more frequent service to the last seven miles of the Gold Line. We are excited to see the Light Rail

Modernization Program come to fruition.”

“The Sacramento Regional Transit Light Rail Modernization Project extension to Folsom will provide residents with more options to travel through the Capital region, create jobs and boost the local economy, and increase safety by reducing traffic on local highways,” said Congressman Kevin Kiley. “I am glad to support this project that will help residents of the Sacramento area, and I look forward to seeing the completed project in the coming years.”

“We are now on the path to alleviating congestion and creating a more efficient, accessible and sustainable transportation network for our community, thanks in part to the Solutions for Congested Corridors grant from the state in 2018, which secured \$20 million for this transformative project,” said Assemblymember Kevin McCarty. “I’m thrilled to see the positive impact it will have

on the lives of our residents. Together we are shaping a brighter, more connected future for Sacramento.”

The Light Rail Modernization Project, including the addition of new low-floor trains and station platform modifications, underscores SacRT’s commitment to sustainable, state-of-the-art public transportation solutions.

SacRT is currently in the testing process for 17 new low-floor trains, which were built at Siemens Mobility in south Sacramento. SacRT has an order of 36 trains with the option to purchase up to 76. SacRT has also been actively modifying station platforms along the Gold Line to meet the height requirements of the new low-floor trains. The trains are expected to be in service on the Gold Line by summer 2024.

For more information on the project and updates on service disruptions, please visit [sacrt.com/modernization](http://sacrt.com/modernization) ★

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# Sunrise Marketplace Promises Magical Moments in December

# Tie-Dyes and Mai Tais for Aloha



The audience enjoys the Sunrise Mall laser light show in 2022. Photo courtesy of Sunrise Marketplace

By Tamara Warta

## CITRUS HEIGHTS, CA (MPG)

Christmastime draws near and the Sunrise Marketplace (SMP) is ready to jump into the community with events designed to inspire togetherness, holiday spirit, and great opportunities to stay engaged and entertained locally.

The first event on the roster – a portion of what is known as Magical Moments at Sunrise Marketplace – is the Laser Light Show Spectacular and Night Market in partnership with Kauai’s Night Market, guests of all ages can enjoy crafts, activities, vendors, and then a 45-minute laser light show as the grand finale of the evening.

The laser light show was formerly put on in the Lowe’s parking lot across the way from the Sunrise Mall, but due to space limitations it was moved to the Sunrise Mall parking lot in recent years. This year, it is in the Macy’s Men’s parking lot on the Greenback side of the mall.

Last year, the laser show was projected onto the wall of the mall, but

this year it will be displayed on a jumbo screen in order to allow it to be in the Macy’s location with higher visibility. Besides the night market and show, there will also be carnival games, face painting, and even a magic show. It is a family-friendly activity that SMP hopes to continue on as a tradition as in years past.

According to Lisa Cordell, SMP’s Marketing & Special Projects Manager, the main goal of the Magic Moments series is “to bring the community out together – to just have a fun, safe event and maybe attract consumers from our secondary trade area.”

“Hopefully they will come back to shop and dine in the district,” she said.

The laser show and night market is expected to draw between 500 and 1000 people to its two showings. Performances are at 6pm and 7pm, and the market and activities open at 4pm. All activities are free, and food will be available for purchase.

While the evening is sure to be a hit, visitors are encouraged to keep in

mind that they will be sitting outside in December.

“It’s going to be cold,” said Cordell. “Bundle up. If you would like to bring chairs to watch, you are more than welcome to.”

If you attend the Laser Light Show Spectacular and Night Market and love it, you can continue the Magical Moments fun throughout the month. Next up is a Nutcracker performance happening inside of the Sunrise Mall and performed by Sac Civic Ballet. This special condensed version is being performed at 5:15 PM and 6:10 PM on December 14. Outside of the performances, there are plenty of interactive opportunities including an Elf on the Shelf story hour, character visits with Nutcracker characters, and special giveaways.

Lastly, on December 21 from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm, join other members of the community for a Winter Wonderland skate party at Sunrise Rollerland. Tickets are \$10 and the three-hour session starts at 6pm.

SMP hopes to offer more events in 2024, including the return of Burgers and Brew in May of 2024. Cordell encourages those interested in community events to visit [shopsm.com](http://shopsm.com) and get on the newsletter list.

“Always check back for all the activities that go on in the district. That [website] is a really good place to find out what’s going on,” said Cordell. “There are contests going on continually too, including money and gift card prizes.” ★



Wasted Space band members and fans celebrate their fundraiser for Maui at Time Out Tavern, Carmichael. Musicians are from left: Michael Capps, Zane Miller, Mike Roser, Linda Ingoglia, Frank McClory and Michelle and Johnny Barnes.

Story and photo by Susan Maxwell Skinner

CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG) - The heart of rock ‘n roll is a big one. One of Carmichael’s most popular bands, Wasted Space, recently staged a fundraiser to help Hawaiians devastated by Maui wildfires.

“Our lead guitarist Frank McClory has a cousin from the island who lost everything,” explained singer Michelle Barnes. “I’ve been there several times and I love the spirit of the island. My friend Lisa McGovern – who worked for The Eagle Radio station – used to live there and her son Ryan Clark (now a drummer living in Carmichael) was born in Maui.

“Between Lisa, Frank and me, we decided it would be awesome to do something to help. We wanted to share Maui’s Aloha spirit among our fans, and to do it in our neighborhood. My daughter Jennifer Holman runs the Time Out Tavern (Fair Oaks Boulevard) and offered the place. We booked a Hawaiian food truck and

called our event ‘Mai tais and Tie Dyes for Maui.’”

The benefit brought more than 200 rockers, decked in tie-dyes to echo the band’s beachy brand. Drummer Ryan Clark sat in during the final set. Raffles buoyed admission charges; musicians donated their performance, and the tavern threw in a chunk of bar proceeds.

“Our goal was \$5000 but we hit \$6,500,” reports Barnes. “We’re so grateful to everybody who participated. We are all a piece of what it will take to rebuild beautiful Maui.”

Event funds have been directed to the Maui Strong Fund, a nonprofit that provides support for those affected by the wildfires.

Fundraiser sponsors included Round Table Pizza (Carmichael); Downtown Dental (Dr Jen Finnerty); Clark’s Snowsports; Brick and Barrel Kitchen and Bar (Lincoln).

To assist Maui fire relief, go to [www.hawaiicommunityfoundation.org](http://www.hawaiicommunityfoundation.org) ★



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# Hands on for Crafty Christmas

# Sacramento County Honors and Serves Our Veterans



Crafters come bearing gifts for the annual St John the Evangelist School's Christmas fair, December 1, 2, and 3 in Carmichael.

**Story and photo by Susan Maxwell Skinner**

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - St John the Evangelist School's blowout – "A Holiday Show of Hands" – will ensure a crafty Christmas for thousands of shoppers on December 1, 2 and 3. Now in its 45th year and boasting more than 150 vendors, the market annually fills the entire Locust Avenue campus with up to 10,000 guests. Proceeds benefit the Catholic school. Entrepreneurism annually soars during the fundraiser. Wares range from funky sweaters to metal sculptures and glittering ornaments. A preview (4-9 pm on December 1) requires an admission fee, but Saturday and Sunday browsing is free. Doors open at 9 am on both weekend days. Organizers have this year added a prize opportunity for admission; guests will be included in a draw for a \$100 Visa gift card. A silent auction will offer hundreds of items; bids close on Sunday afternoon. Santa and Mother Claus will visit from 11

am to 2 pm, Saturday and Sunday. The fair's gourmet pavilion has been enlarged to include more food vendors. "December is a cold month, so hot toddies and Sister Margaret's famous Irish coffee will take the chill off," promises organizer Pat Holbus. Home-cooked lasagna and other hot dishes will be available as sit-down or take-out meals throughout the event. The fair offers a gift wrap service and Carmichael's Boulevard Coffee will host an Espresso bar, with specialty coffees. St John the Evangelist School is located at 5701 Locust Avenue, in Carmichael. Because fair traffic clogs surrounding streets, free shuttles will run from Carmichael Elks Lodge parking lot to St John's Church. "People come here from all over Sacramento – even from out of state," says Pat Holbus. "Our market is a Sacramento tradition. It's a weekend that says Christmas is here at last." For information, call (916) 481-8845. Or visit [www.holidayshowofhands.com](http://www.holidayshowofhands.com) ★

**Sacramento County News Release**

**SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - Sacramento County extends its deepest gratitude and respect to the veterans of this region for their unwavering commitment, courage, and sacrifice in defending our nation. These brave men and women have selflessly dedicated their lives to preserving our freedoms and protecting the values we hold dear. Sacramento County is proud to be home to more than 84,000 veterans. As this vital segment of our population continues to increase, Sacramento County Veterans Services, part of the Department of Human Assistance, encourages veterans to take advantage of the available benefits and resources that are in place to not only assist veterans but family members and dependents. Benefits range from disability compensation (due to injuries/illness resulting from service-related activities) to VA Pension, which is monthly financial assistance to low-income, wartime Veterans over the age of 65 and/or those who are "totally disabled." Surviving spouses may also receive benefits. We assist local veterans in applying for benefits offered through the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, the State of California and local

government entities. Veterans Services is also responsible for administering the College Fee Waiver Program for Veterans' Dependents. This program is afforded to spouses, unmarried surviving spouses, and children of service-connected disabled or service related deceased veterans. Eligible dependents are not required to pay "mandatory system wide" tuition and fees while attending either a California community college, a campus of the California State University (Cal State) system, or a campus of the University of California (UC) system. This program not only provides eligible dependents with the incentive but also the opportunity to pursue their goals. Some of the services we assist with are: Service-Connected Disability Compensation Benefits; Non-Service-Connected Disability Pension Benefits; Dependency Indemnity Compensation (DIC) Benefits; Death Pension Benefits; Aid & Attendance Entitlement; VA Medical Care Eligibility & Access; Vocational Rehabilitation Benefits; California College Fee Waiver Program; VA Life Insurance; State Veterans Homes; Requests for Military Records; Discharge Upgrade Information; Burial Benefits; Other Ancillary Benefits & Programs. ★

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# Niello Responds to the Acceleration of the Sites Reservoir Project

**Office of Senator Roger Niello**  
**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - Senator Roger Niello (R-Fair Oaks) released the following statement regarding Governor Newsom's announcement to accelerate the Sites Reservoir Project: "As we prepare for another wet winter, it is imperative to continue pushing water storage projects forward for California's future," said Niello. "Even though the benefits of the Sites Reservoir have been clear from the beginning, the project has unnecessarily been on hold. While we are still multiple approvals and years away from the construction process, I am pleased

to hear that the Sites Reservoir project is finally getting the chance to move forward in an expeditious manner." Currently, much of the rainfall California receives is not captured. As proposed, Sites Reservoir will be a 1.5 million acre-foot reservoir located in the Sacramento Valley west of Maxwell and will capture storm-related runoff and a portion of storm-related flood water to increase water supply in drier years. Elected in 2022, Senator Niello represents California Senate District 6, which covers portions of Placer and Sacramento Counties and all of Sutter and Yuba Counties. ★

# Bureau Praises Bill to Aid Drone Use

**California Farm Bureau News Release**  
**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - On October 9, 2023, California Farm Bureau President Jamie Johansson applauded the signing of Assembly 1016, which will expedite training and licensing programs so that more farmers may use drones for pesticide applications. "I am proud that the California Farm Bureau is leading the effort to ensure that farmers have access to precision technology," Johansson said. "We thank Gov. Gavin Newsom for supporting us by signing Assembly Bill 1016. With aerial spray technology within reach of all farmers for the first time, this will help them save on crop protection costs by allowing drones

to target affected areas instead of entire fields. Drone use can also replace backpack spray and ground-based delivery systems with remote technologies, which protects our agricultural employees from close contact with pesticide applications. "California's farmers and ranchers lead the world in innovation – producing amazing yields of fresh produce, dairy, and meats while decreasing water, fertilizer and pesticides use. AB 1016 is a bill in that spirit. It allows farmers better access to innovative technology to gain even more efficiency and safety." "The California Farm Bureau works to protect family farms and ranches on behalf of nearly 29,000 members statewide and as part of a nationwide network of 5.3 million Farm Bureau members. ★



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# Country Day School Receives Grant for Tech-focused Learning

**Consolidated Communications News Release**

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - Sacramento Country Day School was recently awarded a \$5,000 grant to support its program to create a more efficient and automated vehicle from Consolidated Communication's Consolidated Connects Educational Grant Program. The program directs support to K-12 schools within the company's service area in support of innovative, technology-focused learning programs that advance creative student learning, develop 21st century skills and promote critical thinking.

Grant funding will support the school's effort to bridge a gap between the physical skills, and the technology and innovation that is taught in multiple classes. Incorporating the subjects of Computer Science, Advanced Topics in Science, and Robotics and Engineering, students at Sacramento Day Country School will seek to create a more efficient and automated vehicle.

"We are excited to expand our engineering opportunities through the support of Consolidated Communications, aligning with our commitment to shaping future leaders," shared Lee Thomsen, head of school for Sacramento Country Day School.

This program will expand student's classroom knowledge of automation and physics, applying this knowledge on a larger scale. Students currently apply these principles to robotics kits successfully, using sensors to help the robot navigate its environment. Using a go-kart frame, students will use data science to improve performance, and power tools to upgrade and improve the vehicle. This includes tracking performance with sensors, seeking to improve rotation, efficiency and safety, as well as decrease wind resistance.



Sacramento Country Day School leadership and Consolidated Communications representatives, including (from the left) head of school Lee Thomsen and Eric Mauck with Consolidated Communications, Michael Unti, director of technology (holding check) and Curtis Barkve (far right) with Consolidated Communications celebrate the donation with students on November 8, 2023. Photo courtesy of Consolidated Communications

"Consolidated Communications is proud to support such an enriching program for local students at Sacramento Country Day School to gain hands-on skills and real-world experiences," said Ron Fischer, senior director of operations for Consolidated. "Just as we invest in our local broadband networks, our Consolidated Connects Educational Grant Program is another investment in the youth in our communities. We are committed to making our communities stronger through support of education programs like this, which help students learn, grow and thrive."

Sacramento Country Day School is dedicated to inspiring intellectual discovery and engaging a diverse community to think critically, live creatively, and act

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Michael Unti, director of technology at Sacramento Country Day School, sits on the go-kart used with sensors for tracking performance, efficiency and safety by his students. The company's educational grant program provides support of the program to create a more efficient and automated vehicle. Photo courtesy of Consolidated Communications

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# Wheel of Fortune Live at Hard Rock Live Sacramento

## Atherton News Release

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - "Wheel of Fortune LIVE!", a theatrical experience, will be coming to Hard Rock Live at the Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento. The live stage show, produced by Right Angle Entertainment in partnership with Sony Pictures Television and UTA, is the one-and-only way fans can experience America's Game® in person outside of Sony Pictures Studios. Hard Rock Sacramento will host two shows on December 3, 2023 at 3:00 P.M. and 7:00 P.M. Ticket info available.

One of the greatest game shows of all time has been adapted into a stage show to give more fans access and more chances to win at "Wheel of Fortune LIVE!" Guests can audition to go on stage and feel like they stepped into the game

show itself. The live stage show is the only way you can have the chance to spin a full-sized replica of the iconic Wheel. At Wheel of Fortune LIVE!, contestants are selected from the audience to go on stage for the chance to call consonants, buy vowels, and maybe even solve puzzles to win fantastic prizes, including trips to destinations like Paris and Hawaii or up to \$10,000 in cash. Everyone gets in on the fun and a chance to win at Wheel of Fortune LIVE! because there are audience games too!

VIP Packages will also be available, and they give fans early access, premiere seats, pre-show lounge access and photo opportunities to spin the wheel. For tickets and more information, visit [www.WheelofFortuneLive.com](http://www.WheelofFortuneLive.com).

Pat and Vanna will not be on tour. Wheatland's tour will be hosted by Bob



Everyone gets in on the fun and a chance to win at Wheel of Fortune LIVE! Credit Mason Aschenbrenner

Goen. "Wheel of Fortune LIVE!" is a live touring production and is not for broadcast.

Bob Goen is an American game show emcee and television personality. Bob is well

known for hosting multiple game shows, including Home Shopping Game, The Hollywood Game, and That's the Question. He's hosted on The Wheel of Fortune TV show from 1989 - 1991

(CBS) and then again in 1991 (NBC). His talents have extended to hosting multiple Miss Universe pageants, serving as a desert-area correspondent for ESPN, and Bob had a long-standing career with Entertainment Tonight. He has voiced a cartoon version of himself on an episode of Nickelodeon's hit TV show The Fairly OddParents.

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Wheel of Fortune, a TV version of the popular game 'Hangman,' is the most successful syndicated program in the history of TV and has earned 7 Emmy® Awards including the 2011 Emmy® for Outstanding Game Show. Hosted by Pat Sajak and Vanna White since its debut in 1983, the show has awarded more than \$250 million in cash and prizes to its contestants. Can you believe that over 10,000 people audition each year for the chance to appear on the show? With more than 26 million viewers per week, America's Game continues to attract a larger audience than many primetime TV shows. ★

## Holiday Lights, Fairytale Delights at Cal Expo

### By D. Givens Media Consulting News Release

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - Come and create lasting memories and celebrate the magic of the holidays with Imaginarium "Holiday Lights, Fairytale Delights" at Cal Expo, Friday, November 17, 2023, to Sunday, January 7, 2024.

Cal Expo will come alive with the largest holiday light festival in town, with over 5 million lights! Guests can get lost in over 10 fully immersive experience zones that bring beloved fairytales to life. Explore the worlds of Hansel and Gretel, Rapunzel, Goldilocks and the Three Bears, Jack and the Beanstalk, and Thumbelina, and meet the beautiful princesses of your childhood. Guests can also wander through the enchanting landscape that plays home to over 25 larger-than-life interactive creatures.

New this year is a mesmerizing show featuring synchronized music and lights; three, 30-minute circus shows featuring performers from around the world showcasing unique talents including juggling, contortionism, hula hooping, and more;

the Infinity Mirrors featuring unique selfie rooms to capture the magic of the holidays.

Enjoy holiday festivities for all ages, including carnival rides, ice skating, visits with Santa, and shopping for Christmas gifts, along with sweet treats like mini donuts, hot cocoa, and hand-made pretzels.

Early-bird discount tickets are on sale now at [Imaginarium360.com/sacramento](http://Imaginarium360.com/sacramento). Regular price general admission tickets range from \$21-27. Visitors are also encouraged to follow [Imaginarium360](http://Imaginarium360) on social media for special deals. Imaginarium will be open Wednesday - Thursday: 5 p.m. until 10 p.m. and Friday - Sunday: 5 p.m. until 11 p.m.

Cal Expo is being transformed daily until the big reveal.

In 2014, a team of entertainment fanatics set out to create the first-ever Chinese Lantern Festival in the United States. The vision was to create an experience for the entire family where attendees could venture through a park filled with awe-inspiring, illuminated exhibits including more than 5-million lights, free entertainment, a carnival, ice-skating rink, and more. ★

## SMF's Nichol Named AXN's Director of the Year



Cindy Nichol. Photo courtesy of Sacramento County

### Sacramento County News Release

**SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - Airport Experience News (AXN) has selected Cindy Nichol, director of airports for the Sacramento County Department of Airports, as its Director of the Year, Medium Airports Division. Nichol oversees Sacramento International Airport (SMF), Mather Airport (MHR), a cargo and general aviation facility, as well as Executive Airport (SAC) and

Franklin Field (F72), both general aviation airports.

"I am truly honored and humbled to receive this recognition," said Nichol. "Throughout my career, I've always valued opportunities to contribute to the aviation industry. I believe that any achievement, especially in the aviation industry, is never a solitary effort. I would like to thank everyone who has worked with me and helped in making those contributions over the years."

At the helm of SCDA since 2018, Nichol is currently leading the \$1.3 billion capital program, SMForward, to meet record passenger demand by adding gates and terminal space, parking, rental cars and other ground transportation. Prior to joining SMF, Nichol served as chief financial officer at the Port of Portland. She has also held finance leadership roles at San Francisco International

Airport (SFO) and Leigh Fisher Associates/Jacobs Consultancy.

"Cindy Nichol is known throughout the industry for her extraordinary financial acumen. That, plus her role in leading the SMForward project that will position SMF for the future, earned her this recognition from the AXN team," said Melissa K. Montes, publisher and portfolio director of Airport Experience News. Nichol is also contributing to industry excellence through her roles on the ACI-NA Executive Committee, U.S. Policy Committee, and Board Finance Committee, and in her leadership position with the California Airports Council, Montes noted.

Nichol will be featured in a special Leadership Issue of Airport Experience News and will be honored at the 2024 Airport Experience Conference. ★

## Kings Announce the 22nd Annual Season of Doing Good

### Sacramento Kings Communications News Release

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - On Monday, November 6, 2023, the Sacramento Kings Foundation announced activations for the 22nd Annual Season of Doing Good, presented by Raley's.

"This annual tradition is an opportunity to reaffirm our deep commitment to the incredible Sacramento community and create positive change," said Sacramento Kings Chief Operating Officer Matina Kolokotronis. "We are proud to partner with local organizations and nonprofits and give back to those in need."

"It's our honor to partner with the Sacramento Kings on their Season of Doing Good," said Raley's Vice President of Community Impact and Public Affairs Chelsea Carbahal. "Together we are committed to creating memorable experiences and providing nutritious meals for families across our region."

The season will tip-off on November 9, with the team hosting the annual Eat Like a King event, a harvest festival themed feast at Golden 1 Center. The Sacramento Kings players and coaches will serve dinner and eat with over 200 youth and their families from 27 nonprofits supporting underserved areas of Sacramento. The event will also include interactive games, a DJ, performances by the Kings Dancers and a photo booth.

On December 2, as the Kings take on the Denver Nuggets the team will host a Toy Drive with Les Schwab. The first 200 fans who bring a toy valued at \$20 or more will receive two tickets to a future

Kings home game.

On December 15, the team will host Kingpin Classic at The Apex at Red Hawk Resort + Casino. The Kingpin Classic charity bowling tournament is an opportunity for Kings fans to bowl with their favorite players and coaches while enjoying entertainment from the Kings Dancers, and Slamson. In addition, all participants will receive an exclusive Kingpin Classic shirt, Kings swag, unlimited arcade games, food and beverages and more. All proceeds benefit local youth basketball programs. Advanced sponsorship package and ticket purchases are required for both bowlers and spectators.

On December 17, the Kings and Raley's will deliver bags of groceries, Raley's gift cards and co-branded swag to local veterans as part of the team's Shop Like a King event.

On December 19, the team will spread holiday cheer at select Raley's stores with players surprising shoppers with gift cards for groceries.

Additionally, Kings guard De'Aaron Fox and Raley's, guard Malik Monk and Forward Trey Lyles will each host Thanksgiving meal donations in Sacramento, Arkansas and Indiana, respectively. In December, Fox will also host a toy drive and Monk will provide a holiday shopping spree for families at Target.

All Season of Doing Good event benefactors and audiences are predetermined and selected in collaboration with Raley's, local nonprofit partners and community organizations.

For more information on the Season of Doing Good, visit [Kings.com/Community](http://Kings.com/Community). ★

## "Kids Helping Kids" Announces Headlining Artist for Upcoming Gala

### Kids Helping Kids Sacramento News Release

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - Kids Helping Kids Sacramento is excited to announce that headlining the 10th Annual Signature Gala is the soulful singer-songwriter duo, JOHNNYSWIM.

Amanda Sudano and Abner Ramirez met in Nashville, started writing songs together, fell in love and formed their band JOHNNYSWIM in 2005. Some of their recognizable successes include a television show dedicated to them on The Magnolia Network, performing along legendary rock musician Daryl Hall, as well as having their song "Home" be featured on HGTV's hit series "Fixer Upper" to name a few. Over the last 18 years, the duo sold out tour dates on multiple continents, performed on both the Today and Tonight Show's, earned acclaim from NPR to Rolling Stone, and have gathered

over 500,000 monthly Spotify streams. Through their unique blend of emotionally intelligent and uplifting brand of music, this Gala will be a night of both soulful music and changing children's lives.

This incredible event will take place on January 20th, 2024, in Folsom at the Harris Center. Along with the benefit concert, the Gala will include a premium silent auction of a variety of baskets with items as popular as a once-in-a-lifetime vacation experiences, concert tickets, sporting events, and so much more. All proceeds raised during the Gala will go directly towards families who have children battling pediatric cancer.

Tickets go on sale Thursday November 16th so be on the lookout for a special friends and family code to purchase the best seats in the house.

For more information on Kids Helping Kids, go to [kidshelpingkids.org](http://kidshelpingkids.org). ★



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# What went wrong at EDD? An Investigation of its Managerial Meltdown



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

In theory, we humans practice politics as a pathway to governance – providing an array of laws, regulations and services to protect and otherwise enhance the lives of the governed.

In practice, politics often – too often – become all-consuming exercises that bear only the faintest relationship to governance. Case in point: the U.S. Congress.

An aspect of that disconnect is the eagerness of those in office to build their images by constantly offering up proposals for new laws, services and programs while ignoring whether earlier laws, services and programs that officialdom birthed are performing as promised.

Often they are not, but even when informed about the shortcomings of design and/or implementation, officials tend to minimize or brush aside the criticism, fearing that acknowledgement would be a sign of weakness. Management and oversight just don't have the political sex appeal of some shiny new notion that promises boundless benefits.

Examples of the syndrome abound, particularly in a state as large and diverse as California.

The state's bullet train project is certainly one. Billions of dollars have been consumed and various

structures have been built but the project has become a zombie, something that's neither alive nor dead.

Oroville Dam is another. It was poorly designed and shoddily constructed in the 1960s and those who managed it knew of its deficiencies, particularly spillways that couldn't handle Feather River flows from extraordinary storms.

But the interest groups that provided financial support for the dam in return for water were evidently not willing to spend the money necessary to make it safe.

Officialdom didn't make it a priority, even when safety issues were raised in 2005 during the dam's relicensing. In 2017, it came extremely close to a collapse that could have killed thousands of people.

There are many others but the poster child for governmental dysfunction has to be the Employment Development Department, which imploded during the COVID-19 pandemic as millions of Californians lost their jobs and needed unemployment insurance benefits.

EDD managed to simultaneously deny countless unemployed workers of the life-sustaining benefits to which they were entitled and parcel out countless billions of dollars in benefits to clever fraudsters.

A preview of EDD's dysfunctional tendencies was felt during the Great Recession a decade earlier and the state's watchdogs, the state auditor's office and the Legislature's budget analyst, issued timely warnings of potential disaster. But three governors and hundreds of legislators couldn't be bothered to fix them and

the result was cruel chaos.

In the aftermath of the near-catastrophe at the Oroville Dam, an exhaustive and damning analysis of what went wrong was commissioned. EDD deserves similar scrutiny.

After a year of painstaking research and interviews, CalMatters investigative reporter Lauren Hepler has written a four-part series that delves into what happened and why. She also catalogs the pain that EDD's managerial collapse imposed on people who needed unemployment insurance benefits when the state shut down their jobs.

"Once COVID hit," the series' foreword summarizes, "public records and interviews reveal that California's system was initially friendlier to scammers than to many real workers – and then the state got so aggressive that many workers struggled to prove their own identities. New financial reports requested by CalMatters show that amid the chaos, the EDD and its unemployment payment contractor Bank of America split a half a billion dollars in revenue, though the bank says it ultimately spent more to cover fraud losses. Another large EDD contractor, Deloitte, made more than a quarter of a billion dollars on tech contracts and emergency contracts to build systems that state reports say buckled during the pandemic."

Will it be fixed or will EDD melt down again when another recession hits?

Dan Walters has been a journalist for more than 60 years, spending all but a few of those years working for California newspapers. ★

# Social Security Matters

## Social Security Disability vs. Spouse Benefits vs. Survivor Benefits (and COLA)



By Russell Gloor, AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor

**Dear Rusty:** I retired from working in June but will not sign up for Social Security until age 70 and, to do that, I plan to draw from my IRA for the next 3 years. My wife is receiving Social Security disability benefits and will reach her full retirement age in March of next year. I know that my wife simply reaching her full retirement age will not mean an increase to her benefit – except for COLA. What I'm wondering is, can my wife get spousal benefits of any sort based on my Social Security benefits - either before I draw or after I am drawing - apart from her benefits at my death? Her Social Security disability amount is only a fraction of my maximum benefit. **Signed: Baffled Husband**

**Dear Baffled:** Looks like you're confused about your wife's Social Security disability benefits, retirement benefits, spousal benefits, and survivor benefits. Here's what you need to know:

When your wife reaches her full retirement age (FRA) next year, her

current Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) benefit will automatically convert to become her regular SS retirement benefit at the same amount she was receiving on SSDI (disability). The amount stays the same because your wife's SSDI amount is based on her FRA entitlement.

Your wife cannot get any spousal benefits from you until you claim your own Social Security retirement benefit. Since you plan to delay claiming until you are 70 several years from now, after your wife's SSDI converts to become her regular retirement benefit at her FRA next year, she will continue to receive her own SS retirement benefit until you claim. At that point your wife will get a "spousal boost" added to her own SS retirement benefit. The amount of her spousal boost will be the difference between her FRA entitlement (same as her SSDI amount), and 50% of your FRA entitlement (not half of your age 70 amount - spousal benefits are always calculated using FRA amounts, regardless of when Social Security is actually claimed).

Your wife cannot get a spousal benefit from you until you start your Social Security, but after you claim she will receive her higher spousal benefit (her own SS retirement benefit plus a spousal boost) for the rest of her life, or until you predecease her. If you die first, your wife will get 100% of the amount you

were receiving at your death (e.g., your age 70 amount), instead of the smaller amount she was receiving as your spouse while you are both living.

Regarding COLA, after becoming eligible for benefits, everyone gets the annually awarded COLA increase whether they are already collecting SS benefits or not. The next annual COLA increase will be added to your wife's SSDI at the end of this year and added to her SS retirement amount each year thereafter, and then to her higher amount as your spouse after you claim. And even though you are waiting until age 70 to claim, the annual COLA will still be added to your Primary Insurance Amount (PIA) each year, and you will receive that past COLA in your monthly payments after you later claim.

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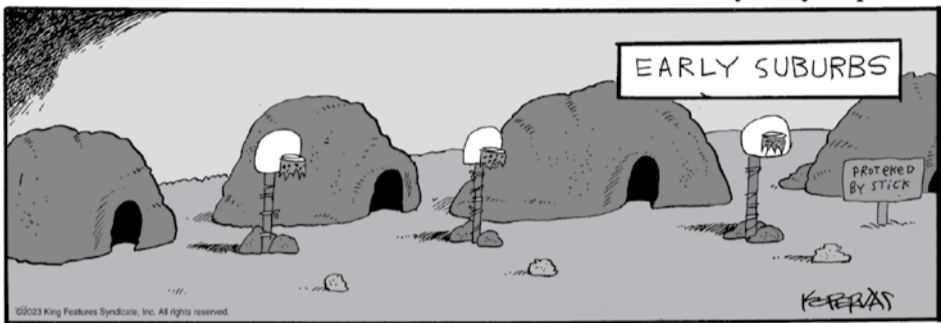
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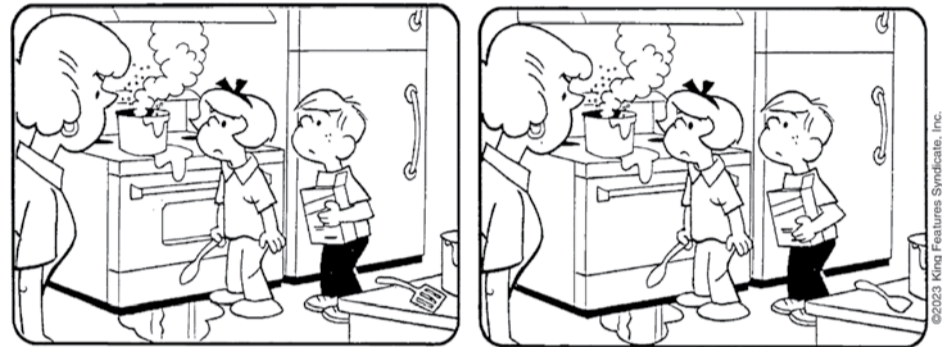


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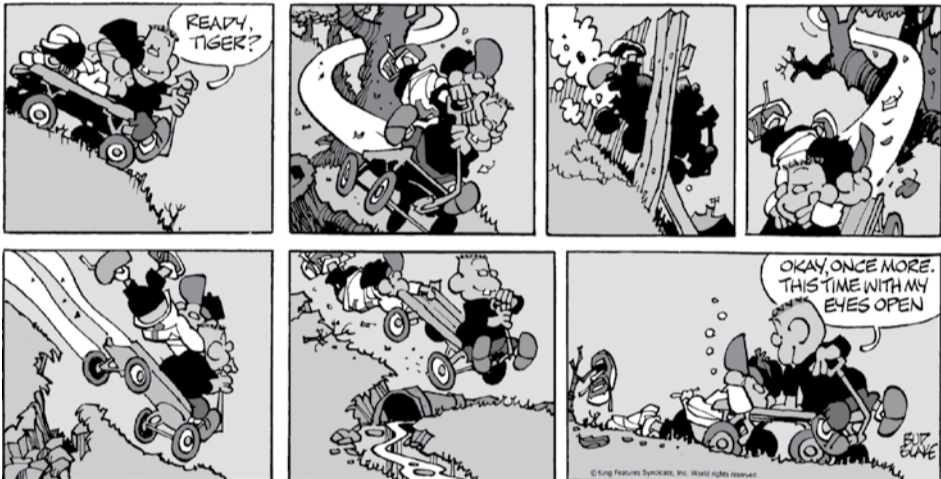
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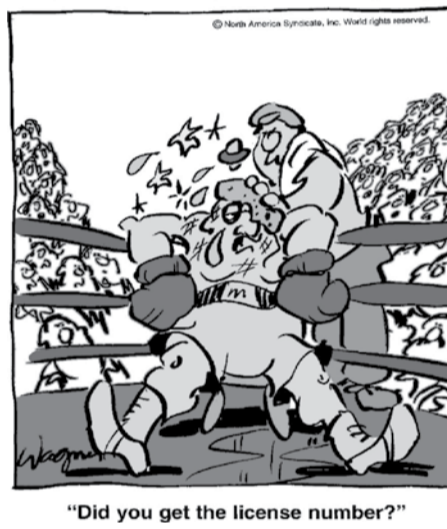
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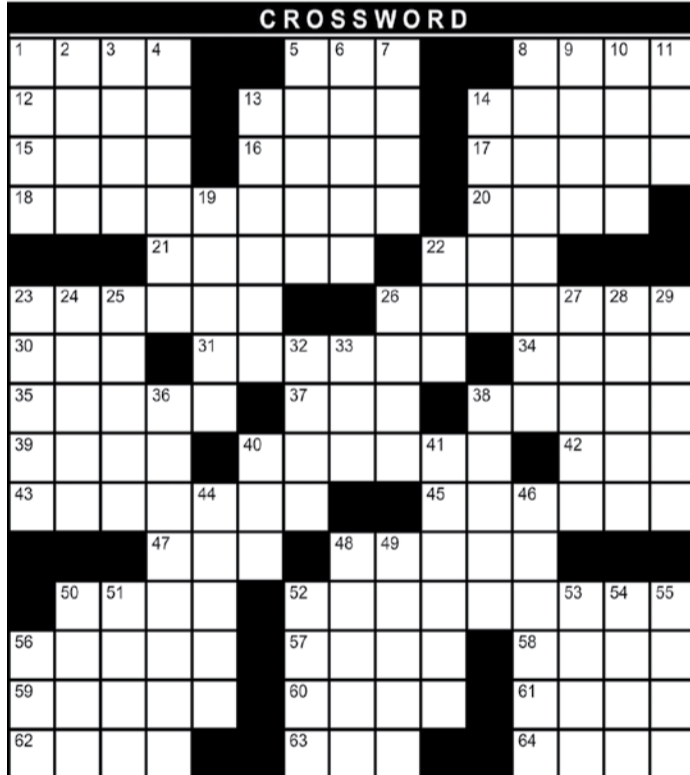
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# 2022 Crop and Livestock Report Released

## Sacramento County News Release

**SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - During her presentation of the 2022 Sacramento County Crop and Livestock Report at the Nov. 7 Board of Supervisors Meeting, Agriculture Commissioner, Chris Flores reported that the gross production value of all agricultural commodities in Sacramento County was more than \$602

million, up 5% from \$568 million in 2021!

Even with an 8% decrease from 2021, wine grapes were once again the leading cash crop in Sacramento County, with a value of more than \$188 million, or more than 31% of the total gross value of all crops. More than 38,330 acres of wine grapes were harvested in Sacramento County in 2022.

Market milk held on to the number two spot with a total

value of more than \$91 million, while pears kept the number three spot with more than \$56 million.

“Agriculture continues to be a significant contributor to the local economy and plays a crucial role in preserving the region's rural character,” said Flores. “The County's diverse agricultural landscape includes farms, ranches, orchards, and vineyards and produces crops such as rice, tomatoes, pears,

and grapes, as well as dairy and livestock commodities.”

**Top 10 Agricultural Commodities in 2022:** 1. Wine grapes: \$188,815,000; 2. Market milk: \$91,344,000; 3. Pears: \$56,313,000; 4. Poultry: \$32,527,000; 5. Aquaculture (bass, carp, catfish, crayfish, sturgeon and caviar): \$32,427,000; 6. Corn silage: \$24,239,000; 7. Nursery Stock (ornamental trees and plants, Christmas trees and sod):

\$22,802,000; 8. Hay/Alfalfa: \$22,486,000; 9. Cattle and calves: \$16,747,000; 10. Rice: \$14,793,000.

The 2022 Sacramento County Crop and Livestock Report presents highlights the Board of Supervisors. The Board actively supports and promotes sustainable agricultural practices, to ensure the long-term viability of farming and the preservation of the County's rich agricultural heritage. ★



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# Homicide on Del Norte Boulevard

## Sacramento County Sheriff's Office News Release

**SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - At approximately 3:50 a.m., on Thursday, November 2, 2023, Sacramento County Sheriff's deputies assigned to the Central Patrol Division were conducting routine patrol when they

observed a house on fire on the 5200 block of Del Norte Boulevard in South Sacramento. The Sacramento Fire Department responded and located a male victim inside the residence. They were able to pull the victim outside and begin life-saving measures, but the victim was declared deceased at the scene. Upon further inspection of

the deceased, fire personnel discovered a gunshot wound to his torso, prompting further investigation from law enforcement. Sheriff's homicide detectives and Crime Scene Investigators responded to the scene, interviewed witnesses, and gathered evidence. This investigation is still ongoing, and detectives are

asking anyone with information about this incident to contact the Sheriff's Office at (916) 874-5115 or Sacramento Valley Crime Stoppers at (916) 443-HELP (4357). Tips leading to an arrest are eligible for a CASH reward of up to \$1000, and tipsters remain anonymous. Tips are paid in cash, and you are never asked

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- La Sierra Community Center (5325 Engle Rd)
- Johnson Gymnasium

**FEES:**

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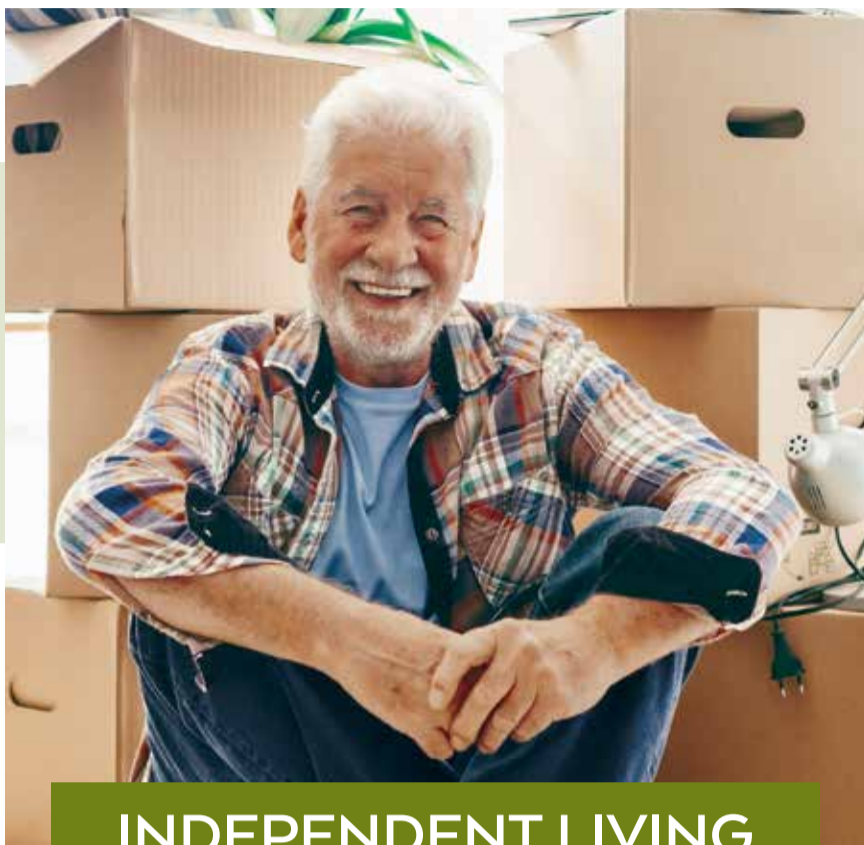
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**WEEKLY MEAT SPECIALS**

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Earl Grey Ahmad Tea 200 gr \$7.99/ea	Pyramid Pure Honey with Comb 1.1 kg \$16.99/ea	Sofal Special Black Tea 50 T/B \$5.79/ea	Sunflower Oil Refined 910 ml \$4.49/ea	Sunflower Oil Unrefined 910 ml \$4.49/ea
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