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A softball player delivers a pitch on opening day.

Story and photos by Rick Sloan

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - On Saturday, March 16th, Cordova Girls Softball officially started their 59th season of recreational girls softball. At approximately 9 a.m. on a beautiful spring morning, 25 teams composed of more than 280 participants paraded around home plate to the infield as Rod Borba, president of Cordova Girls Softball, announced their



as their president for the past 25 years. The players and their coaches walked into the diamond proudly behind their teams' banner.

The program serves the communities of Rancho Cordova, Anatolia/ Kavala Ranch, Gold River, Rosemont, College Glen and Lincoln Village areas for girls ages 4-16. Cordova Girls Softball offers programs for girls to participate in during spring, summer and fall. *Continued on page 2*

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Doggy Dash to Raise Funds



Support all the furry friends of Sacramento by participating in the Doggy Dash. Photo courtesy of Sacramento SPCA

By Annie Kerr

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The largest 5K/2K dog walk and festival event in the Sacramento area is right around the corner. On April 20, the Sacramento SPCA will hold the 31st annual Doggy Dash at William Land Park from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. The Doggy Dash is a widely beloved event in the Sacramento area and is a great way to not only have a fun day with your furry friend, but also contribute to the efforts of the SPCA to save and care for animals in need.

Participation in the Doggy Dash helps the Sacramento SPCA provide direct care for more than 40,000 animals each year in the community. Funds raised at this event provide medical care to sick or injured animals, low-cost vaccinations and spay/neuter services, behavior training, humane education programs and so much more. Registration is now open for the Doggy Dash, with options to register as an individual or as a team. Individual walkers pay \$35, while teams pay \$45. With registration comes a short-sleeved T-shirt and admission into the festival afterwards. On the day of the Doggy Dash, registration opens at 8:30 a.m. and the 2K/5K walk leaves at 10:00 a.m. Note: registration is \$50 on the day of. It is required that all dogs be up to date on their vaccinations to participate. Immediately following the walk, stay and play at the Bark in the Park festival and enjoy K-9 demonstrations, contests, and more than 100 sponsor and vendor booths to visit, sample and purchase pet-friendly products and more. Bark at the Park Festival admission is free for registered Doggy Dash walkers. There is a \$5 suggested donation for anyone not registered to walk upon entering the festival area. As of press time, \$81,000 has already been raised for the 2024 Doggy Dash, with a goal of \$222,500. The park is located on the corner of Sutterville Rd. and Freeport Blvd.



A softball player takes a swing on opening day

teams division, coaches has had the esteemed honor and sponsors. Mr. Borba

of leading the organization

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Family History Week Helps 'Dig for Family Treasures'

FamilySearch.org News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - The benefits of discovering your family history are immense. Knowing where and who you come from can provide a sense of identity and belonging and helps you connect with your cultural heritage. You can even find family members you might never have known who can help you unlock family mysteries and even secrets. Genealogy is also one of the most popular hobbies in the United States, surpassed only by gardening. It's not surprising that both hobbies have common threads, including roots, trees and a lot of digging to be successful, according to John Edmondson at FamilySearch.org.

A week dedicated to researching your family history, "Digging for Family Treasures," kicks off April 1, with a full day of genealogical workshops, classes and tours at the Sacramento FamilySearch Center. During the rest of



John and Paige Edmondson are the Sacramento FamilySearch Center directors. Courtesy photo

the week, research facilities, archives and libraries throughout the Greater Sacramento area will provide special tours and activities, culminating on April 6, with another full slate of classes and tours at the California State Archives, Sacramento, located near the state Capitol. The week will come to a grand conclusion with a presentation by California Secretary of State Shirley N. Weber.

This special Family History Week from April 1 to 6 is being organized by the Sacramento Regional Genealogical Council, along with help from several sponsors. It includes tours and other activities in the Sacramento, Sutter, Yolo, El Dorado and Placer County region. Many of the classes and tours require registration by going to the council's website at www.srgcouncil.org.

On April 1, Family History Week launches at 10 a.m. at the Sacramento FamilySearch Center, 2745 Eastern Ave., with a presentation, "Genealogy: What's in It for Me?" Continued on page 4

For tickets, registration, donations, and more information, refer to the SPCA Doggy Dash website.

www.RanchoCordovaIndependent.com

Girls' Softball Starts its 59th Season!



The Lil' Angels hold their team's banner during Cordova Girls Softball's opening day festivities.

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"We strive to provide an opportunity for all. Over the years the program has developed some strong players that have gone on to play college ball and become Rancho Cordova Hall of Fame inductees. We are very proud of our program", said President Borba.

The league functions under a volunteer board with great relationships with the City of Rancho Cordova and the Folsom Cordova Unified School District (FCUSD). Mills Middle School Softball Complex, completely redesigned and upgraded for the 2021 season, is home to their program. Now considered a premiere facility, with seven fields at Mills/ Cordova High and 2 fields they maintain at Cordova Gardens, the program has great promise for future generations.

In attendance for the ceremony were several invited dignitaries that included Rancho Cordova Vice-Mayor Siri Pulipati, City Council Member Linda Budge, City Council Member Garrett Gatewood, FCUSD Trustee Christopher Clark, Cordova Recreation and Park District (CRPD) Board Chair Brian Danzl, CRPD Vice-Chair Rick Sloan, CRPD Board Member Michael Yearwood and Mills Middle School Vice-Principal Keith Shields. Vice-Mayor Pulipati carried on the tradition of throwing one of five ceremonial first pitches. The mayor of Rancho Cordova has historically performed this honor, but Mayor David Sander was out of town attending to his duties as president of the National League of Cities.

Besides being president of the league, Mr. Borba and a handful of volunteers has run what I can honestly say is one of the best snack bars in the region for the past 22 years. Some of the more popular menu items include Rod's famous tritip sandwich. grilled chicken sandwich, cheeseburgers, hot dogs and chili cheese nachos. What's even more impressive is the always-stocked condiment table that includes sliced tomatoes, sliced and chopped onions, lettuce, dill pickle slices, relish, jalapeños, ketchup, mustard and barbeque sauce.

Next year, the softball program will celebrate it's 60th year. Mr. Borba said he has big plans for an opening day to match no other. Registration for the 2025 season will begin October 1, 2024. Until then, come on out to the Mills Middle School Softball Complex located at 10439 Coloma Road in Rancho Cordova and enjoy watching some exciting softball competition and get something from the snack bar.



The Crush parade with their team's banner during Cordova Girls Softball's opening day festivities.



The Fever hold their team's banner during Cordova Girls Softball's opening day festivities.



Above: Softball teams gather on the field during Cordova Girls Softball's opening day festivities.Right: 6-year-old Joslynn Haven is ready at third base for the ball.





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Rancho Cordova Councilman Voted Baby Blue Eyes Named **Official City Flower** Multi-County Organization Chair



Garrett Gatewood. Courtesy

Sacramento County News Release

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Rancho Cordova City Councilman Garrett Gatewood recently became the Capital Southeast Connector Joint Powers Authority chairman by a unanimous vote of the board that represents Sacramento County, El Dorado County and three cities.

The Capital Southeast Connector Joint Powers Authority is tasked with constructing the Southeast Connector Expressway, a voter-approved 34-milelong roadway from Elk

Grove to the El Dorado Hills aimed at connecting communities and alleviating traffic congestion on Highway 50.

In addition to being a City Council member, Gatewood owns a business that provides technology service to companies throughout California and across the country from its Rancho Cordova headquarters.

"The connector is an essential project for the prosperity of the region and to ease traffic jams for current residents," Gatewood said. "As chair, I look forward to forging the coalition needed to push this vital transportation project to completion."

When completed, the voter-approved Connector Expressway will add significantly to the regional economy, creating new jobs and acting as a catalyst for new economic activity. One study found that the Connector Expressway would

produce \$528.2 million of economic output, create 2,802 new jobs, and generate \$23.5 million additional state and local taxes.

Gatewood has also served on the Rancho Cordova Chamber of Commerce board, often sharing his vision of Rancho Cordova as a world-class city. An active volunteer in the community, Gtaewood helped found the Invictus Foundation, a nonprofit organization aimed at helping students succeed academically. And he serves with BARO, an organic certifying organization, and Sonder Solutions, an organization that helps hard-to-place individuals return to the workforce.

More information on the project is at https://www. southeastconnectorexpressway.com and on the project's YouTube channel at https://www.youtube. com/@southeastconnectorexpressway.



Staff gather outside of the Rancho Cordova City Hall to commemorate the naming of the city flower. Photo courtesy of the City of Rancho Cordova

By Samantha Mott, City of Rancho Cordova

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - In a celebration of local natural beauty and community pride, Rancho Cordova has officially declared Baby Blue Eyes (Nemophila Menziesii) as its official city flower. This announcement, made on #NationalFlowerDay, marks the city's ongoing commitment to beautification and environmental stewardship.

Baby Blue Eyes, characterized by its delicate bright blue petals and sunny yellow centers, is a wildflower native to California. Often spotted along the banks of the American River and scattered across various areas within the community, this charming flower serves as a symbol of the city's vibrant ecosystem and rich biodiversity.

Council Member Linda Budge, speaking at a ceremonial planting event, expressed hopes that the sight of Baby Blue Eyes blooming throughout the city this spring would serve as a reminder of the community's strong sense of pride and connection to nature.



Baby Blue Eyes is the official city flower of Rancho Cordova. Photo courtesy of the City of Rancho Cordova

incorporating Baby Blue Eyes into their gardens. Through the end of May, the city is offering free seed sheets of Baby Blue Eyes at Rancho Cordova City Hall, located at 2729 Prospect Park Drive. Residents can pick up one of these seed sheets during regular business hours from Monday to Friday, 8 AM to 5 PM.

After planting their seeds, residents are encouraged to share photos of their Baby Blue Eyes on social media platforms such as Facebook and Instagram, using the hashtag #ranchocordovainspires

city's official website at CityofRanchoCordova.org/ CityFlower.

The selection of Baby Blue Eyes as Rancho Cordova's official city flower, through an online community vote, follows a thoughtful process initiated by the Rancho Cordova City Council in Fall 2023. In considering various options, the council prioritized flowers native to California while ensuring they were not listed as invasive or threatened species.

This declaration of Baby Blue Eyes as the official city flower not only showcases Rancho Cordova's commitment to preserving its natural heritage but also adds a vibrant splash of color to the city's landscape as it blooms in Rancho Cordova.

Lend a Hand, Give a Can!



Cordova Recreation & Park District (CRPD) Board of Directors and staff with over 700 food donations for the Rancho Cordova Food Locker. Photo courtesy of CRPE

By Shelby Golden, **Cordova Recreation** & Park District

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG)



- The Cordova Recreation & Park District's (CRPD) Community Engagement Program is underway! Spearheaded by CRPD General Manager Patrick Larkin, this program focuses on giving back to the community. Over the last few weeks, CRPD Board of Directors and staff contributed food items including pasta, instant noodles, rice, and canned foods such as soup, veggies, and chili.

On March 15, CRPD staff presented over 700 food items to the Rancho Cordova Food Locker. The Rancho Cordova Food Locker provides an emergency supply of food

Cordova Recreation & Park District (CRPD) General Manager Patrick Larkin and Human Resource Manager Andrea White deliver over 700 food donations to the Rancho Cordova Food Locker. Photo courtesy of CRPD

for individuals and families in the community.

"I am immensely proud of our staff's continued commitment to our community. Together, we are on a mission to give back and our recent contribution of over 700 food items to the Rancho Cordova Food Locker exemplifies the spirit of compassion and

generosity within our team," shared Larkin.

The Rancho Cordova Food Locker accepts more than just cans, however, canned, boxed or bottled non-perishable foods are welcomed. To learn more about the Rancho Cordova Food Locker or to donate items, visit www.ranchocordovafoodlocker.org.

Residents are invited to join in the celebration by

For those eager to learn more about cultivating Baby Blue Eyes, including essential growing tips, comprehensive information is available on the

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Family History Week



Volunteers assist patrons at the Sacramento FamilySearch Center. Courtesy photo

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by professional genealogist Sarah Clift. More than a dozen workshops during the day include ones on Angel Island immigration records, documenting heirlooms, using social media for research and tracking a family's military past. Facility tours throughout the day include access to multiple genealogical sites and photo, movie and audio preservation capabilities, will be given throughout the day. The day will culminate with a "Researching Naturalization Records" presentation at 3 p.m.

On April 2, a special viewing of the California Constitutions will be provided at the California Secretary of State Building, 914 Capitol Mall, Sacramento, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Also on April 2, the Yolo County Archives at 226 Buckeye St., Woodland will offer tours from 1:30 to 3 p.m. on its collections and how they can be used for genealogical purposes.

The California State Library's California History Room, 900 N St., will be open for research opportunities from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sacramento FamilySearch will be open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. for research assistance on April 2.

On April 3, Sutter County Museum at 1333 Butte House Road, Yuba City, will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. to share local history and genealogical-gathering information. Also on April 3, two Sacramento Public Library branches will provide overviews of their research capabilities. The Central Branch tour at 828 I St., Sacramento is at 11 a.m. and the Carmichael Branch tour at 5605 Marconi Ave. is at 4 p.m. The California State Library's California History Room will be open for research opportunities from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sacramento FamilySearch will be open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. for research assistance.

On April 4, the California Statewide Museum Collections Center, which is home to the California State Parks Archives, will have a 1 p.m. tour at 4940 Lang Ave., McClellan. The California State Library's California History Room will be open for research opportunities from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sacramento FamilySearch will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. for research assistance.

On April 5, the Center for Sacramento History at 551 Sequoia Pacific Blvd. will conduct presentations on research of its resources, followed by tours of the collection storage vault at 10:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. In addition, Sacramento FamilySearch will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

On April 6, the California State Archives at 1020 O St. is headlining a full day of classes designed for both the beginning and experienced genealogical researcher, along with facility tours and displays from local genealogical and historical societies. The 16 classes include "Bad Boys Make Headlines," "Sneaky Pete," "From Arrest to America" and "How Did They Live and Die? Exploring Medical Genealogy." The event runs from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and the Secretary of State's presentation begins at 3 p.m.

For more information and for more activities, go to www.srgcouncil.org. Or email the genealogical council at info@ srgcouncil.org or call the Sacramento FamilySearch Center at 916-487-2090. ★



The Kentucky Derby is right around the corner, but for the Sacramento Kings this is their version of coming down the home stretch. The recent 2-1 road trip is reason for celebration, and the recent nail-biting win over the Orlando Magic should have every fan applauding.

It's hard to imagine any game that our multi-talented 6th man Malik Monk goes 0-11 from the field, and still the Kings pull out a victory. Still, that's what happened, and once again this frenetic squad continues to amaze.

What Domantas Sabonis is doing nightly is awe-inspiring, and I for one believe he will eventually set a new NBA record for consecutive double doubles. Imagine leading the league in rebounds for a second consecutive season, as well as leading the league in triple doubles.

Thirteen games to go, and for any naysayers as it relates to matching or exceeding last years 48 wins, I say shame on you. Dream the dream, and get behind these guys.

I love the way they play together, and when someone hits the hardwood, it's a mad dash to see who is going to help him up first!

The smiles these guys bring nightly are genuine, and if you need any more inspiration, I'd recommend watching the movie Hoosiers one more time. I can feel the magic in this team, and I'm beyond excited to see what the last 13 games will look like.

Every team in the NBA passed on Keon Ellis, and it took the Sacramento Kings to see promise in him. Rising from the depths of the G league, this unlikely prospect is having his own version of a coming out party.

The recent injury to popular Kevin Huerter has given Keon a temporary starting spot, and it appears he would like to make a case for it being permanent. Keon had a career-high 19 points in the gritty win over the Magic, and his defense has been consistent the entire season. Fast feet, quick hands, and stamina give Keon an edge that he takes advantage of every night, and like teammates Domantas Sabonis and De'Aaron Fox, he brings his lunch pail to work every night.

This team is full of unselfish players that not only talk the talk, but walk the walk.

Every year 30 teams begin the season with dreams of a championship, and it takes a

grueling 82 games before the playoffs begin. This year the Kings have a real shot at either the 5th or 6th spot, which would avoid the uncertainty of a one game playoff in the new format called the play-in for teams in the 7th thru 10th positions.

Over and over again this season, the Kings have beaten teams that are headed for the playoffs, and currently have a 50% winning percentage over teams they've faced with a winning record.

The Kings face a tough 76er squad Monday night, and then play back-to-back games against the Dallas Mavericks Tuesday and Friday nights.

Dallas has an identical record to the Kings, so this mini home stand looms large in determining who will make the top 6 and avoid the dreaded play-in.

Why am I so optimistic? For one, the Kings have finally found some rhythm from the free-throw line, and although their overall percentage for the season is still abysmal, their recent performances are showing great improvement. Couple that with Keon Ellis's sudden offensive outburst, the yeoman like performances nightly from Sabonis and Fox, and the overall team defense that has suddenly hit their stride: hold onto your seats!

Coach Brown has suddenly been able to win some challenges, and that could not have come at a better time.

Sadly, NBA officiating, in my humble opinion, may be at an all-time low, and without a doubt, the league will need to address much needed changes in the off-season.

With heralded 7th man Trey Lyles sidelined with a knee sprain, it's critical that bench players Alex Len and Davion Mitchell continue to shine. Both players have a big upside, and the extended minutes they are likely to see will undoubtedly pay dividends when the playoffs arrive.

I continue to say that matching or exceeding the 48 wins from last season is not beyond this team's capability, so as fans let's give them all the encouragement we can.

Buckle up, but by all means get excited. This is what basketball is all about, and we have a real team to root for!

Give me your thoughts at vgharriskingsfan@gmail.com.

Enjoy the home stretch!

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Sacramento Superior Court Celebrates Historic Women Leaders

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Sacramento Superior Court Presiding Judge Bunmi O. Awoniyi speaks with Judge Dena M. Coggins, Jury Commissioner Ginger Durham and CFO Laetesia Ible in her chambers. Photo courtesy of Sacramento Superior Court

Superior Court of California News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Sacramento Superior Court proudly celebrates the contributions of historic women leaders who have blazed trails within the court.

Presiding Judge Bunmi O. Awoniyi is the first Black woman to preside over the unified Superior Court of Sacramento. Judge Awoniyi was appointed to the bench by Gov. Jerry Brown in 2012. During her tenure, she has served rotations in Family Law, Criminal Domestic Violence, Criminal Trials, and Master Calendar for all Criminal assignments. She also served as the Supervising Judge for Family Law and Probate for four years and served two years as the court's Assistant Presiding Judge.

Juvenile Court Supervising Judge Dena M. Coggins is the first Black woman from the Sacramento County bench to be nominated by a sitting president to serve on the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of California. Judge Coggins was appointed to the bench by Gov. Gavin Newsom in March 2021. She presides over dependency matters.

Veteran court employee Ginger Durham is the first Black woman to serve as Jury Commissioner for Sacramento Superior Court. Durham is a Nationally Certified Court Manager through the National Center of State Courts and has worked at the court for 18 years. In addition to Jury and Interpreter Services, she has also managed the court reporters and court attendants throughout her career, is an active participant in several statewide pilot programs, is the Language Access Representative for the Sacramento Superior Court and is on the bargaining team for the Region 3 Courts in the court's labor relationship with the California Communications Workers Union.

Laetesia Ible is the first Black woman to serve as the court's Chief Financial Officer. Prior to joining the court in 2023, Ible had more than 15 years of experience with Sacramento County in various fiscal roles. She previously managed the Sacramento County Probation Department's Fiscal Unit as a Senior Administrative Analyst, overseeing all budgetary, purchasing, accounting, contracting, and grant reporting for the department.

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By Bob McGarvey

Actor David McCallum was a great actor, and he was called "Ducky" on NCIS. He actually died in 2023. He was thought of very highly, and the part he played on NCIS was a very wise person, and something that he said about death was, "We die two times; first when our bodies die, and second when our stories are no longer being told." Stories about our lives can be very rich and fulfilling as we move forward. I think all of our personal stories are worth telling. Think about it.

My wife and I and a few hundred other citizens were able to attend the opening of the "Rancho Cordova Youth Center" last year. There were some great pictures in last week's Grapevine. One of them showed County Supervisor Pat Hume giving a proclamation to City Council member Linda Budge, Rancho Cordova City Manager Micha Runner, and Vice-Mayor Siri Pulipati. When the Youth Center opened we were all hoping for the best for our children. It is truly a success.

St. Patrick's Day is a holiday in which many people are able to celebrate whether they Irish or not because it is a day in which Americans can enjoy the day together. Even if they are not Irish, they, and many of their friends, can enjoy being Irish on St. Patrick's Day. I hope you and everyone you know had an enjoyable time on St. Patrick's Day.

And Another Thing

"We die two times; first when our bodies die, and second when our stories are no longer being told."

> March 29 is used for many things like National Smoke and Mirrors Day, Good Friday, International Mermaid Day, World Piano Day, National Lemon Chiffon Cake Day, and much more. To me, something much more important that day. On 2017 the Vietnam War Veterans Recognition Act was signed into law as National Vietnam War Veterans Day. I am very glad that was done, and I am proud to be one of them.

> My Memorial Day and Veterans Day committee will continue to be celebrating those days and will continue to give the Vietnam War Lapel pins to Vietnam Veterans. We have given them to many Veterans who served active military duty between November 1, 1955, and May 15, 1975.

> I am waiting for information from Congressman Ami Bera to see if the original time will be extended past November 11, 2025. We lost at least two years from giving the lapel pen to Vietnam Veterans because of COVID. I will have to contact our Congressman again as he indicated there should be a deadline.

> I am sorry for the article I missed last week, but having a cold or allergies or bronchitis or whatever it was, I had to take it easy. It is better to take care of yourself rather than pushing it and not getting things done. Make sure you take care of yourselves.

> From Bob McGarvey, God bless, and see you next time.

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Don't Risk It All Dear Dave.

My husband is a good, hard-working man, who has been stuck in a job he really doesn't like for almost 10 years. He came to me the other day with an idea to cash out his 401(k) and using the money to open a business. He has always loved the idea of going into business for himself, and I want him to be happy, but I'm not sure this is a good idea. Do you have any advice?

– Renee

Dear Renee,

Yes, I do have some advice. And it can be summed up in

one word.

Don't.

I admire your husband's spirit, but the way he wants to approach this turns the entire situation into a trap. Think about it. If his business idea doesn't work out, you guys have lost your retirement savings, and bankruptcy becomes

Dave Ramsey Says

a very real possibility. Diving head-first into opening a new business just because you're bored with your current situation, or tired of answering to others, is not a good idea.

Look, I get it. Lots of folks have an entrepreneurial spirit. And everyone I know like that wants to live their dream. The problem is these dreams can turn into nightmares, for the entrepreneur and everyone around them, if they don't plan wisely and very carefully ahead of time.

In my mind, one definition of a nightmare in business is "going all in." When you're playing cards, this means betting everything on a single hand. You never go "all in" when it comes to business. So, for the moment, the first question he needs to ask himself is this: How can I live my dream without going all in?

For starters, he needs to find something he truly loves doing and can look forward to every single day. To have any chance of success, he'll have to live and breathe that idea. I know you love this guy and want to help. So, the best thing you can do right now is express your concerns about his idea, and offer to help him think about what he could do every day that would make him smile. Once he has the answer to that question, the next step is figuring out how to start that business without putting your entire financial world in danger. In other words, how can he save up some money—and start small—instead of blowing your entire savings or going into debt?

If you have some cash other than your emergency fund or retirement fund, it's okay to use some of that. But never, ever, go into debt to start a business, or pledge every dime you have to something that could be a complete disaster.

It's not an either/or proposition, Renee. He doesn't have to risk it all to get away from a job he hates and live his dream!

- Dave

Dave Ramsey is an eight-time national bestselling author, personal finance expert and host of The Ramsey Show. He has appeared on Good Morning America, CBS This Morning, Today, Fox News, CNN, Fox Business and many more. Since 1992, Dave has helped people take control of their money, build wealth and enhance their lives. He also serves as CEO for Ramsey Solutions

Rep. Ami Bera Holds Roundtable, Tours EV Manufacturing Facility



Office of Rep. Ami Bera News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - On March 18, Representative Ami Bera, M.D. (CA-06) hosted **Environmental Protection** Agency (EPA) Region 9 Administrator Martha Guzman for a roundtable discussion with regional stakeholders and toured Lion Electric's all-electric truck, bus, and minibus manufacturing facility in Sacramento County. They were joined by Sacramento Mayor Darrell Steinberg, Sacramento County District 2 Supervisor Patrick Kennedy, Sacramento City Councilman Eric Guerra, Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District (AQMD)Executive Director and Air Pollution Control Officer Alberto Ayala, and other local leaders to highlight Sacramento's climate successes, showcase EPA investments in the Sacramento community, and discuss potential avenues for continued EPA regional support.

"From the Inflation Reduction Act to the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, I am pleased to see President Biden's Investing in America agenda at work right here in Sacramento County," said Congressman Ami Bera. "I extend my thanks to Administrator Guzman and her team at the EPA for their continued partnership in supporting critical investments in our region's infrastructure, including electric vehicle manufacturing, that will create job opportunities and pave the way for cleaner and greener transportation options." "The Sacramento region's innovative and ambitious plans for utilizing the full range of historic federal investments supported by President Biden's Investing in America agenda — from soil health to electric vehicle charging in disadvantaged communities — constitute a national model," said EPA Pacific Southwest Regional Administrator Martha Guzman. "I applaud local

leaders for their commitment to collaboration, and to moving the ball forward on the most difficult environmental justice and climate change challenges."

"Thank you to Congressman Bera, and to the EPA, for supporting critical investments in air quality improvement, monitoring and infrastructure projects in neighborhoods most impacted by pollution," said Sac Metro Air District Air Pollution Control Officer Dr. Alberto Ayala. "We are thrilled to highlight the electric, hydrogen, and biomass projects already underway in our region focused on advancing environmental justice and reducing negative climate impacts in our region. Through the Climate Pollution Reduction Grants program, made possible by the Inflation Reduction Act and the Investing in America Agenda, our region has a comprehensive plan ready to address these challenges through innovative and cutting-edge projects. We look forward to advancing our collaborative efforts and driving positive climate action in the Sacramento region for years to come."

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Social Security Matters *Veteran Uncertain About Social Security and Healthcare Coverage*



By Russell Gloor, AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor

Dear Rusty: I'm not sure what I should sign up for in terms of Social Security: I am 64 and I am still employed full time and intend to stay employed until age 70. I am retired from the Navy and receive military retirement payments, and have military TriCare, as well as medical, dental, eye and life insurance through my employer. I don't want to lose benefits, but I also don't want to take Social Security until it reaches the maximum at age 70 (I think that is correct?). I will turn 65 in 4 months. Can you advise me? Signed: **Uncertain Veteran**

Dear Uncertain Veteran: First of all, thank you for your service to our country. From what you've shared, and since you're still working full time, not claiming Social Security yet is a smart decision. If you were born in 1959 your full retirement age (FRA) is 66 years and 10 months and, if you claim SS before your full retirement age, you'll be subject to Social Security's earning test which would likely make you ineligible to receive SS benefits at this time.

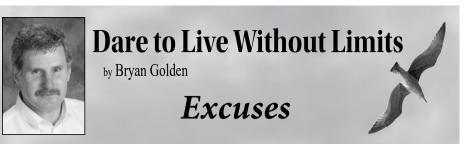
The 2024 earnings limit (limit changes yearly) when collecting Social Security early is \$22,320 and, if that is exceeded, Social Security will take away \$1 in benefits for every \$2 over the limit (half of what you exceed the limit by). If you significantly exceed the limit, SS will declare you temporarily ineligible to collect SS benefits until you either reach your FRA or earn less. The earnings test no longer applies after you reach your FRA. So, if you're now employed full time and plan to stay so until age 70, and you expect at least average longevity (about 84 for someone vour current age), delaying until age 70 to claim Social Security is how to get your maximum Social Security benefit.

As for your healthcare coverage as a veteran: TriCare requires you to enroll in Medicare Part A (inpatient hospitalization coverage) and Part B (coverage for outpatient services) at age 65, but you do not need to take Social Security when you enroll in Medicare. You must, however, enroll in Medicare at age 65 or you will lose your TriCare (military) healthcare coverage. You could choose to delay enrolling in Medicare at 65 because you have "creditable" employer coverage, but if you do so you will lose your current TriCare

coverage and need to rely solely on your employer healthcare plan. In that case, you would still be able to enroll in both Medicare and TriCarefor-Life without penalty prior to your employer coverage ending and have coverage under both programs thereafter. I suggest you contact TriCare directly at 1-866-773-0404 to discuss your personal TriCare coverage after age 65. You can also go to www. TriCare4U.com.

Whenever you enroll, Medicare will be the primary payer of your healthcare costs and TriCare will be the secondary payor. Your vision, dental, and prescription drug coverage would be through TriCare (Medicare does not cover those services) or acquired separately. Just remember, you must be enrolled in Medicare Part A and Part B to have TriCare-for-Life coverage after age 65.

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Excuses are used to justify why a particular goal can not be achieved. In essence, excuses justify failure. By attempting to formulate a plausible reason for failure, any incentive to succeed is eliminated. Excuses condition a person to accept failure rather than to strive for success.

While some people make excuses for why something is impossible, others find ways to get it done. Excuse makers are adept at articulating why something can't be done. Successful people specialize in finding ways dreams can be transformed into reality.

The excuses are many and often rather creative. "I don't have time." "I don't know how." "It won't work." "It's not possible." "What will others think?" "No one I know is doing it." "I tried it once and it didn't work." "The odds are against success." "I will be laughed at.". "I had a bad experience." "My parents discouraged me." "I'm not smart enough."

For every excuse that's been concocted, there is a person who has refused to be limited by it. If you think you can't do something, you will make excuses. If you believe you can succeed, you will find a way. Successful people don't waste a minute dwelling on excuses.

Excuses are a limitation. They prevent accomplishment. As you get in the habit of using excuses, they become an automatic response when facing challenges. Excuses are the path of least resistance that avoid risk and therefore guarantee failure.

One of the reasons people make excuses is because they don't truly believe in themselves. They have self-imposed limitations preventing attainment of their goals. They don't recognize the restrictions they put on themselves. They genuinely believe in the validity of their excuses.

Even though a person may use excuses to justify inaction, feelings of dissatisfaction will still form. Watching others achieve their goals will invariably exacerbate these feelings, even if only subconsciously. Rather than making excuses, why not concentrate your efforts on finding a path to your desired destination. You may have numerous excuses but you only need one reason for succeeding. One reason to succeed is more potent than dozens of excuses. Additionally, success is infinitely more satisfying than failure. But you have to be willing to discard your excuses. Your reason to succeed can be simply, "I really want this to work." With a burning desire, you will find a way.

Changing your approach begins with recognizing your own unlimited potential. Any chains holding you back are of your own design. These chains have taken years to forge. They won't be broken overnight.

You must believe in yourself. Within you lies the ability to find at least one reason to succeed. Once you find it, you have to focus on it to the exclusion of all other mental distractions. Any temptation to revert to excuses has to be resisted. Distractions from others will abound. As if you can't do it yourself, other people will suggest excuses for you to use. Ignore these as well.

Your objective is to focus on where you want to go and figure out how to get there. Giving in to any excuse will halt your journey. Should this happen, you have to get up and keep going. Just because you become sidetracked, you don't have to give up.

Fighting off excuses is an ongoing battle. Even the most determined individuals deal with this. Successful people aren't deterred by excuses, they look past them, keeping their destination in clear view.

Starting today, don't make any more excuses. Grab hold of one reason to succeed. Fan your desire. Let no person or thought deter you. You can do it.

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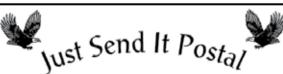


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STATEMENT FBNF2024-00838 The Anxiety Treatment Center, 10419 Old Placerville Road. Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "The Anxiety Treatment Center" 10419 Old Placerville Road. Sacramento. CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 1,2024

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STATEMENT FBNE2024-01757 loughbouse Corn LLC 102 Altameza Road, Wilton, CA doing business un-95693 der the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Sloughhouse Sweet Corn/Davis Ranch LLC" 13501 Jackson Road, Sloughhouse, CA 95683. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 7, 2024 Publish: March 15, 22, 29, April 5, 2024 SLOUGHHOUSE 4-5-24

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STATEMENT FBNF2024-01881 Wali Hassany, 1808 Richmond Street, Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Aahoo Document Solutions" 2740 Fulton Avenue 101-16, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 11, 2024 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 AAHOO 4-12-24

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-02101

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV003707

Kennedy Mckenzie Gordon has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Kennedy Mckenzie Gordon to Kennedy Mackenzie O'Shea.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on May 15, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 29, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

#24CV002615

Jackson Alexander Caine has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) Jackson Alexander Caine to Hamza Mohammad Akhtar.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 6, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 13, 2024 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: March 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024 3-29-24 CAINE

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV002660

Maleyka Aliyeva has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Maleyka Aliyeva to Malika Aliyeva.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 6, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 14, 2024 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV003856 Tarjinder Singh Kaler has filed a

petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Tarjinder Singh Kaler to Tarjinder Sinah.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on May 15, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54. located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 1, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: March 15, 22, 29, April 5, 2024 KALER 4-5-24

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OWN 4-12-24 Lavender Nail Salon LLC, 1010A 95831. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 12, 2024 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01234

Debrah Dickenson, 81 Natoma Street Suite 100, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Folsom Smog Test Only" 81 Natoma Street Suite 100, Folsom, CA 95630, Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 16, 2024 Publish: March 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024 3-29-24 FOLSOM

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01375 Kathryn LeGro. 6067 Shirley Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Bucket List Bridge" 6067 Shirley Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 23, 2024 Publish: March 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024 BUCKET 3-29-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01364 Maryna Sys, 5425 Garfield Avenue #125, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MM Therapy" 5425 Garfield Avenue #125, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 23.2024

Publish: March 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024 MM 3-29-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01327 Michael Pugliese, 3849 Navaho Drive, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Laseris Incidit" 3849 Navaho Drive, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 22, 2024 Publish: March 15, 22, 29, April 5, 2024 LASERIS 4-5-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01267 California RVM Solutions, 3672 Stephen Drive, North Highlands, CA 95660 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Simply Recycle" 4802 San Juan Avenue, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 20.2024

Publish: March 15, 22, 29, April 5, 2024 SIMPLY 4-5-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01603 SQY Inc, 8732 Fruitridge Road #2, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "SQY Autos Inc" 8732 Fruitridge Road #2, FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01807 Seedstar Inc., 1401 21st Street Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Business Name(s) Fictitious 'Seedstar Cannabis" 5711 Florin Perkins Road, Sacramento, CA 95828. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 7, 2024

Publish: March 15, 22, 29, April 5, 2024 SEEDSTAR 4-5-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01464 Dominique Fairbank, 9029 Sutters Gold Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Gold Country Books/ Country Books and More" 9029 Sutters Gold Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 27, 2024 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 GOLD 4-12-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01768 Arrow Drillers, 1850 Diesel Drive, Sacramento, CA 95838 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Arrow Construction" 1850 Diesel Drive, Sacramento, CA 95838. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 7, 2024 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 ARROW 4-12-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01395 Gerry Johnson, 2121 Natomas Crossing #200, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Tri-Star Real Estate Group/ Tri-Star Diversified" 4030 Truxel Road Suite D. Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 23.2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01575 Janai Lynne Vernott, 3225 Garfield Avenue. Carmichael. CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business

"Creative

Klutz

Name(s)

Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 PHANTOMICE 4-12-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01911 Xtelnetic LLC, 5252 Sunrise Boulevard Suite 4, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Netellix" 5252 Sunrise Boulevard Suite 4, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 12, 2024 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024

4-12-24 NETELLIX

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01912 Performance Niello Motors II Inc, 1481 River Park Drive, Sacramento, CA 95815 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Porsche Sacramento" 2200 Auburn Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 2200 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 12, 2024 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024

PORSCHE 4-12-24 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01928 Gateway Foods LLC. 6 Kitai Court, Sacramento, CA 95835 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Taqueria La Puerta" 4391 Gateway Park Boulevard Suite 650, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 12, 2024

Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 TAQUERIA 4-12-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01656

California Auto House, Inc, 7333 Roseville Road #5. Sacramento. CA 95842 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "California Auto House, Inc" 8636 Antelope North Road BLDG C, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 5, 2024

Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 CALIFORNIA 4-12-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01530 National Vision, Inc., 2435 Commerce Avenue, Duluth, Commerce Avenue, Duluth, GA 30096 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "America's Best Contacts & Eyeglasses" 2922

Michelle Green-Clark, 4615 Manzanita Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "KM Dance Arts" 4615 Manzanita Avenue Carmichael CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 13, 2024

Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 KΜ 4-12-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01925 Surinder Singh Bedwal, 7733 Charmain Court, Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) Twin River ATMS" 7733 Charmain Court, Antelope, CA 95843. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 12, 2024

Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 TWIN 4-12-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01623 Accredited RealEstate Schools Inc. 7840 Madison Avenue #149. Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Accredited Real Estate Schools Inc" 7840 Madison Avenue #149, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 4, 2024

Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 ACCREDITED 4-12-24 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01932 Amanda Dugan, 6550 Sutter Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608

is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Ritual Cookies" 6550 Sutter Carmichael, Avenue, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 12, 2024

Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 RITUAL 4-12-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-01213 Best Choice Logistics Inc, 1922 Naomi Way, Sacramento, CA 95815 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Best Choice Logistics/BC Cab' 1922 Naomi Way, Sacramento, CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 15,2024

Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 BEST 4-12-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01268

JDV Distribution LLC, 3710 Branch Street, Sacramento, CA 95838 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Jenner Vacation Rentals" 3710

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-02247

Devin Wayne Ford, 8686 Greenback Lane, Orangevale, CA 95662 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Smalz Studios" 8686 Greenback Lane, Orangevale, CA 95662. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 21.2024 Publish: March 29, April 5, 12, 19, 2024

SMALZ 4-19-24

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV003632

Mohammad Rahim Yalghaz has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Mohammad Rahim Yalghaz to Rahim Yalghaz.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on May 15, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 28, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: March 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024 YALGHAZ 3-29-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV003621

Edward James Thompson and Iridian Eunice McConico has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Edward James Thompson to Edward James Salcido and Nazare Lenae Thompson to Nazare Lenae Salcido.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on May 14, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 23, 2024

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV004736

Mary Kaye Bartholomew aka Mary Kaye Bassett has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Mary Kaye Bartholomew aka Mary Kaye Bassett to Mary Kaye Prentice.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on May 23, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 12, 2024 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of

the Superior Court Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 BASSETT 4-12-24

> SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV004689

Michael Fennema-Isaiah Montoya has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Isaiah Michael Fennema-Montoya to Isaiah Michael Montova.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 3, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 12, 2024 Richard K. Suevoshi, Judge of

the Superior Court Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 MONTOYA 4-12-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV004443

Celebrating One Year of Impact: Youth Center's 1st Birthday Bash

Bv Samantha Mott

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) -Amidst colorful birthday cards and a joyful atmosphere, the Rancho Cordova Youth Center (RCYC) celebrated its first birthday with a community-wide bash on Thursday, March 14. The event marked a year of growth, empowerment, and positive impact on the youth of Rancho Cordova.

The festivities, held at the beautiful state-of-the-art facility, located on Investment Circle, drew families from across the city who came to enjoy food trucks, cupcakes, and an assortment of fun activities. From arts and crafts to obstacle course races, attendees enjoyed the diverse offerings that RCYC provides to kids year-round.

"We are incredibly proud of the Rancho Cordova Youth Center and its impact on our community in just one year," said Rancho Cordova Mayor David Sander. "This celebration marks not only a milestone but a testament to our commitment to providing our vouth with a safe, nurturing environment where they can learn, grow, and thrive."

The Youth Center, a cityowned and managed community space, has been a place of inspiration and opportunity for the youth, of Rancho Cordova thanks to partnerships with the Boys and Girls Club of Greater Sacramento and the Rancho Cordova Police Activities League (PAL). Together, they offer an array of free programs designed to cater to the interests and needs of young people aged 6-17.

Attendees at the birthday bash had the chance to learn more about these programs, which include Power Hour for homework assistance, Health and Wellness sessions focusing on nutrition and fitness, arts and crafts, and technology labs for honing computer skills. Moreover, the introduction of new enrichment programs in 2024, such as Youth Poet Laureate and STEM Education, has further enriched the offerings at RCYC.

The community's response to the first year of operation has been overwhelmingly positive. Since its official opening on February 27th, 2023, RCYC has served 457 youth in Rancho Cordova, representing diverse cultural backgrounds and age groups.

Looking ahead, the City and its partners are committed to sustaining and expanding the offerings at RCYC to further engage the youth in Rancho Cordova. Plans are underway to issue another Request for Proposals for the 2024/25 school year programming, with the aim of reaching even more young people and providing them with opportunities for growth and development.

"Together with our partners, we will continue to invest in programs and resources that empower our young people and shape a brighter future for Rancho Cordova," added Sander.

Families in Rancho Cordova interested in enrolling their children in RCYC programs throughout the year can visit the City of Rancho Cordova's website at www.CityOfRanchoCordova. org/YouthCenter. Here, they can find information about upcoming events and program offerings. \star

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Carmichael Times Adjudicated For and By the County of Sacramento, Adjudication No. 317294 – February 7, 1984 Rancho Cordova Independent Adjudicated For and By the County of Sacramento, Adjudication No. 195380 – September 18, 1969 Citrus Heights Messenger Adjudicated For and By the County of Sacramento, Adjudication No. 34-2020-00273535 – March 12, 202 The Rio Linda News Adjudicated For and By the County of Sacramento, Adjudication No. 358073 – March 21, 1988 March 12, 2020

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Gabrielle Blalock-Tovar has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Gabrielle Nicole Blalock-Tovar to Gabrielle Nicole Blalock and William Bruce Blalock-Tovar to William Bruce Blalock and Eloise Carleen Blalock-Tovar to Eloise Carleen Blalock

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on May 28, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54. located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 8, 2024

Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV005403

Indira D. Obediah has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Indira D. Obediah to Indira D. Joshi

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 4, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 20, 2024

Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: March 29, April 5, 12, 19, 2024

OBEDIAH 4-19-24 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

CHANGE OF NAME #24CV004617

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 16, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 19, 2024 Richard K. Suevoshi, Judge of

the Superior Court Publish: March 29, April 5, 12, 19, 2024 ARELLANO 4-19-24

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF **ARSENIO FEI IPE** CASE NO. 24PR000595

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Arsenio Felipe.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Michael Felipe, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Michael Felipe be appointed personal representative(s) as 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 executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows April 10, 2024, 1:30 p.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826 IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written obections 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 deceased, 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 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. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Robert J. Busch Jr., 2228 Longport Court, Suite 110, Elk Grove, CA 95758; 916-859-0370 Publish: March 15, 22, 29, 2024

3-29-24 FELIPE NOTICE OF PETITION TO

ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MARY KATHRYN BAKER CASE NO. 23PR001946

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Mary Kathryn Baker.

An Amended Petition for Probate has been filed by Eric J. Koontz, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Eric J. Koontz be appointed as personal representative(s) 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 executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows April 3, 2024, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826 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 deceased, 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 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 ap praisal 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. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Beniamin V Platon, Attorney & Counselor at Law, Certified Specialist Estate Planning, Trust & Probate Law, 9701 Fair Oaks Boulevard, Fair Oaks, CA 95628; 916-674-2066 Publish: March 15, 22, 29, 2024 3-29-24

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF PATRICIA ANN WHITMAN AKA PATRICIA WHITMAN AKA PAT

BAKER

WHITMAN CASE NO. 24PR000678 To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Patricia Ann Whitman aka Patricia Whitman aka Pat Whitman

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Leslie D. Whitman III, in the Superior Court of California. County of Sacramento, requesting Leslie D Whitman be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many vithout (approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

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> NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF **BONALD THOMPSON** CASE NO. 24PR000763

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Ronald Thompson

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Tonja Kraynik in the Superior Court of California. County of Sacramento, requesting Tonja Kraynik be appointed personal representative(s) 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 executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows April 25, 2024, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129: Superior Court of California County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state vour 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 deceased, 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 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. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Andrew Kern, 755 Baywood Drive, Petaluma, CA 94954, 707-658-4602 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 2024 THOMPSON 4-5-24

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the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo. ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Website (www.lawhelpcalifornia. org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo. ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case. AVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 dias, la corte puede decidir en su contra sin escuchar su version. Lea la informacion a continuacion.

30 DIAS DE Tiene CALENDARIO despues de que le entreguen esta citacion y papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefonica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y mas informacion en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www. sucorte.ca.gov) en la biblioteca de leves de su condado o en la corte que le quede mas cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentacion, pida al secretario de la corte que le de un formulario de exencion de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podra quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin mas advertencia. Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remision a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en el sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.sucorte. ca.gov) o poniendose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. AVISO: Por ley, la corte tiene derecho a reclamar las cuotas y los costos exentos por imponer un gravamen sobre cualquier recuperacion de \$10.000 o mas de valor recibida mediante un acuerdo o una concesion de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la corte antes de que la corte pueda desechar el caso.

Dang have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Hoai Bao Khanh Nguyen to Kathy Nguyen and Hoai Bao Thy Nguyen to Thy Nguyen. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 3, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 11, 2024 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: March 29, April 5, 12, 19, 2024 NGUYEN 4-19-24

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV005398 Miguel Marquez Arellano has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Miguel Marguez Arellano to Miguel Arellano Marquez.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows April 19, 2024, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129: Superior Court of California. County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826

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.

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YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are 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. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Raoul J. LeClerc, P.O. Drawer 111, Oroville, CA 95965; 530-533-5661

SUMMONS

SUMMONS (CITACION JUDICIAL) CASE NUMBER: 23CV001955

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: Flora Taylor, an individual; and does 1-20.

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The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney is: (El nombre, la direccion y el numero de telefono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es): Robert C. Bowman, Jr. 1451 River Park Drive, Suite 125, Sacramento, CA 95815, 916-923-2800 Date: (Fecha) 5/19/2023 Clerk (Secretario) N. Young, Deputy (Adjunto)

Publish: March 15, 22, 29, April 5, 2024 BRADLEY 4-5-24

NOTICE OF **ADOPTED** ORDINANCE

The following is a summary of an Ordinance adopted by the City Council of the City of Rancho Cordova at its meeting of March 18, 2024:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RANCHO CORDOVA AMENDING TITLE 2 (ADMINISTRATION AND PERSONNEL), CHAPTER 2.30 PLANNING COMMISSION

Passed and adopted on the 18th day of March, 2024 by the following vote:

AYES: Budge, Gatewood, Pulipati, Terry, and Sander NOES: None ABSENT: None **ABSTAIN: None**

The full text of the adopted Ordinance is available in the City Clerk's office, 2729 Prospect Park Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670.

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the Upcoming Solar Eclipse



Glasses are essential when watching a solar eclipse. Photo by Dave Davidson of Pixabay

By Dr. Premilla Banwait, Vice President of Clinical Programs, **UnitedHealthcare**

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) -For people in Sacramento and hundreds of millions more nationwide, the upcoming solar eclipse offers a great opportunity to view a rare celestial event.

A solar eclipse occurs when the moon blocks any part of the sun. On April 8, virtually everyone across the country will have the chance (weather permitting) to see at least a partial solar eclipse, while over 31 million people in a narrow path from Texas to Maine will have the opportunity to witness a total solar eclipse. In Sacramento, the eclipse coverage will reach a maximum of 34.3% at approximately 11:15:59 AM PDT.

While the solar eclipse is a fun and educational opportunity for everyone, there are precautions you should take to help maintain your eye health while safely viewing this spectacle. Looking at a solar eclipse without proper protection may cause serious eye damage, including blurry vision that can last months, or even permanent problems such as "eclipse blindness."

Prevent Blindness, the nation's leading volunteer eye health and safety organization, has been spreading awareness since 1908 about preventing blindness. Below are five tips from Prevent Blindness to help safely view the solar eclipse:

Get protected. It is unsafe to look directly at the sun at any time and during a partial or total solar eclipse, other than if you are in the path of totality during the brief total phase. Proper eclipse viewing glasses, which are heavily tinted – much more so than regular sunglasses - can enable you to see the moon track across the orb of the sun until it creates a total eclipse, revealing the sun's corona.

Avoid fakes. Use certified solar eclipse glasses, specifically ones that have been reviewed by the

International Organization for Standardization and look out for fake viewers that may be sold. A list of vendors that sell certified solar eclipse glasses is available here. And make sure to read and follow any instructions packaged with or printed on the glasses.

Don't add other devices. Even while wearing approved solar eclipse glasses, it's important not to look at the sun through a camera, telescope, binoculars, or any other optical device. Doing so may concentrate the solar rays and damage the filter, enter your eyes, and potentially cause serious injury.

Use caution during the moment of totality. If you are planning to watch the eclipse from along the 13-state path of totality, eclipse glasses should be worn during the entirety of the partial eclipse phase and may only be removed once the moon completely blocks the sun. Once the sun reappears, glasses should be replaced.

Consider a comprehensive eye exam. If you or a loved one experience eye discomfort or vision problems following the solar eclipse, visit a local eye care professional for a comprehensive exam. Importantly, comprehensive eye exams may also identify vision problems while helping with the potential detection of other health issues, including diabetes, heart disease and some types of cancer.

The upcoming solar eclipse can be a fun and educational opportunity, provided you take the necessary precautions to protect your eye health.

Five Tips to Help Safely View Sattva California: Home of Positive Mind Performance Training



Sattva California recently celebrated its grand opening. Photo courtesy of Sattva California

Sattva California News Release

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Located in Rancho Cordova's, Capital Village, Sattva California is a premier learning center for meditation, breathwork and yoga integrated with transformative knowledge. Sattva California is home of "Positive Mind Performance Training".

Positive Mind Performance Training combines mindfulness breathwork and meditation training to reduce stress and anxiety, improve mental health, boost productivity, enhance team communication and cultivate wellness.

Conducted by certified experts, these 30-minute classes are designed for busy minds and are practiced sitting on chairs, couches, or cushions. We have in-person and live streamed classes at Sattva California, and we bring this program to businesses



Customers can learn yoga at Sattva California's studio. Photo courtesy of Sattva California

and organizations for employees and team members.

In addition to our Positive Mind Performance Training, we also offer yoga classes, meditation workshops, and yoga teacher trainings.

Rooted in the rich traditions of the Himalayas, these time-tested, practical, and scientific techniques are evolutionary technologies cultivating optimal health and wellness benefits.

Sattva California Co-Founders Bajrang Moran and Gabriel Gendron first moved to Rancho Cordova over 30 years ago. Now they are investing in cultivating wellness for the community of Rancho Cordova and Sacramento County.

"We invite everyone looking to reduce stress and anxiety to visit our beautiful oasis in the heart of Rancho Cordova and experience one of our classes," Bajrang stated. ★

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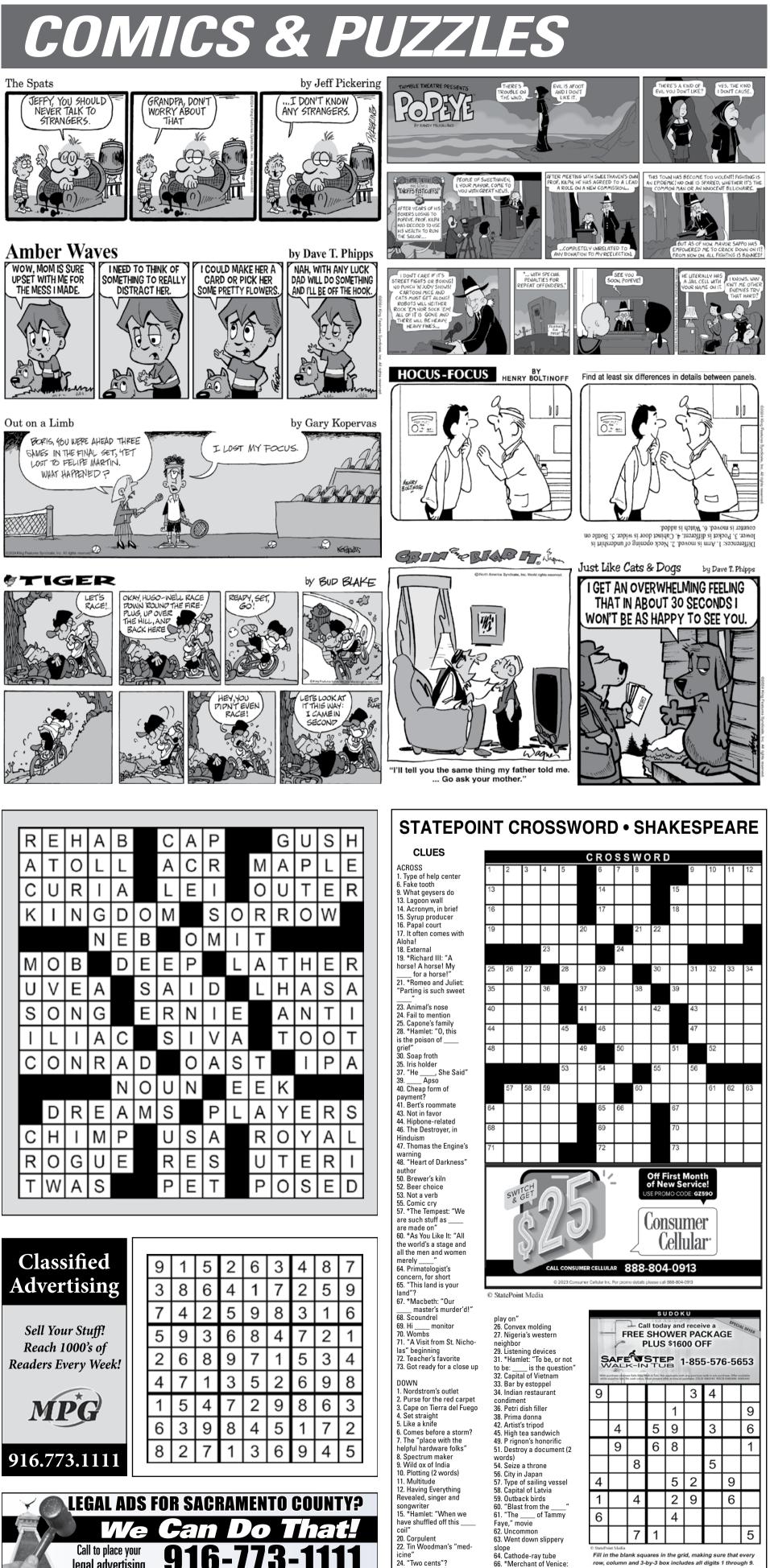
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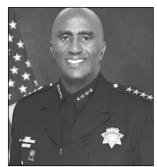
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Sheriff Cooper Supports Initiative to Restore Safety to Our Neighborhoods and Communities



Sheriff Jim Cooper. Courtesy photo of Sac County

Sacramento County Sheriff's Office News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - In 2014, the voters passed Proposition 47 (Prop 47). Those who wrote the initiative deceived the public by naming it the "Safe Neighborhoods and Schools Act." I actively opposed Prop 47 because it was clear to me that this initiative would severely hurt our communities and eliminate much-needed programs to ensure the public's safety. The proposition nearly decriminalized narcotic possession for personal use, including fentanyl, cocaine, heroin, and methamphetamine.

It also made retail theft very lucrative for serial thieves by reducing penalties to virtually the same as receiving a traffic ticket. It also prohibited adding the dollar amounts from multiple thefts, resulting in an illegal industry in which career thieves could repeatedly steal with minor consequences.

However, the most damage caused by Prop 47 was the decimation of mandated drug and alcohol courts that were used to get people help in lieu of jail time. Just in Sacramento alone, drug court participation dropped over 70% because of the so-called "Safe Neighborhoods and Schools Act."

After its passage, I spent eight years in the California Legislature attempting to correct the reckless impacts of Prop 47. After many attempts to amend the proposition, California courts and Legislative legal counsel deemed that Prop 47 could not be fixed by the Legislature and had to be returned to the voters for any meaningful amendments. In 2020, because the only way to return to common sense and restore public safety was through the action of the voters, I was one of the proponents of Proposition 20 (Prop 20), which would have fixed the problems we are all witnessing today.

Once again, the advocates for criminal lawlessness lied to the voters, claiming that Prop 20 would result in "mass prison incarceration." Sadly, that measure failed, and the problem of rampant retail theft, homelessness, and drug addiction has only gotten worse.

As Sacramento County Sheriff, I have witnessed first-hand the horrific problems brought about by Prop 47 in our community. It continues to devastate businesses of all sizes and types. Many small community-based businesses have been driven to the brink of closure. Additionally, the catastrophic impacts of Prop 47 on drug addiction left untreated cannot be denied in Sacramento. Without the ability of the courts to mandate drug treatment, many people's lives continue to be ravaged by addiction, leading to homelessness and death.

As Sheriff. I have tried to address the homeless and theft crisis. Through our intervention efforts, data has been collected and analyzed, which shows in Sacramento County alone, 66% of our homeless population has a drug or alcohol addiction. I have also conducted major retail theft operations. One operation named "Operation Bad Elf" netted over 300 misdemeanor arrests for retail theft in just a 7-day period. This is nothing short of unabated lawlessness caused by Prop 47's misguided provisions promoting criminal behavior with no accountability.

I conducted these operations because I refuse to have the citizens of Sacramento County be victims of the unjust laws created by Prop 47. However, those arrests are still misdemeanors and operations that size are costly to the taxpayer and unsustainable. Furthermore, those addicted to drugs and alcohol will continue to have their lives caught in substance abuse turmoil until we have the courage to mandate their treatment. I

will continue doing what the law allows me to keep you safe and increase your quality of life, but it will not be enough.

This is why I am endorsing the Homelessness, Drug Addiction, and Theft Reduction Act Initiative, which is in the qualification phase and if qualified, it will give the voters an opportunity to amend the dangerous and failed aspects of Prop 47.

This initiative will classify repeated retail thefts as a felony if they have two or more theft convictions. It allows for stolen property values to be combined so serial thieves can be charged with a felony if that amount exceeds \$950.

Also, it adds fentanyl to the list of hard drugs that are illegal to possess with a firearm, enacts the "treatment mandated felony" that would give drug addicts the option to get treatment instead of going to jail, and allows drug-addicted offenders who successfully complete drug and mental health treatment to avoid jail time.

This initiative does not repeal Prop 47, does not lead to "mass incarceration," and is necessary because the California Legislature cannot, by statute, fix the chaos created by Prop 47. It must be fixed by the voters.

I urge you to join me in this effort to return our neighborhoods and schools to safer places that have been devastated by Prop 47.

- Sheriff Jim Cooper

Deadline for Admission Applications Extended at Sacramento State

Sacramento State News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Sacramento State remains committed to ensuring accessibility and inclusivity, and to providing equal opportunities for all qualified individuals seeking access to higher education. To support these ideals, we are extending the Fall 2024 admission application deadline for non-impacted undergraduate programs to May 1. The deadline for admitted students to submit their intent to register for the fall semester has been extended to June 1.

With the significant Department of Education delays in processing the 2024-25 FAFSA, we want to ensure that students and their families have enough time to accurately complete their FAFSA applications. In addition, Sacramento State has launched two first-in-the-nation programs, the Black Honors College and Combat U, that are providing current students, incoming students, and prospective students with unique learning opportunities they won't receive anywhere else.

Sacramento State has bold new enrollment goals focused on increasing enrollment and graduation rates for former foster youth, community college transfer students, Native American and Indigenous students, and our out-of-state and international students. Extending our admission application deadline will provide time for students to learn more about financial aid packages, as well as new and existing programs.

We continue to engage with incoming and prospective students and invite interested individuals to join our hive. We encourage you to spread the word about the May 1 admission application extension, and the April 2 FAFSA deadline. ★



SACOG Receives \$22.5 Million for Green Means Go Program

SACOG News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - The U.S. Department of Transportation's Reconnecting Comm-unities Grant will advance transportation design and planning projects to address barriers in disadvantaged areas.

The Sacramento Area Council of Governments (SACOG) has received \$22.5 million from the U.S. Department of Transportation to fund the next phase of SACOG's award-winning Green Means Go program. The planning investment will accelerate infill development in ten areas across the region in designated Green Zones, or areas that have been identified for infill development, to reimagine neighborhoods and address transportation needs. By pairing transportation planning and housing investments together in Green Zones, it will help build more complete communities where residents can meet their daily needs more wholistically within their neighborhoods.

The planning projects span various rural and urban areas within the counties of Sacramento and Yuba, and the cities of Citrus Heights, Isleton, Marysville, Rancho Cordova, Sacramento, West Sacramento, Woodland, and Yuba City. These ten areas share similar issues, busy roadways that limit the ability of community members to safely walk, bike, or roll in their neighborhoods and connect to services and jobs without a car. These investments will help increase connectivity and reduce the reliance on driving, which helps the region meet greenhouse gas reduction goals.

Equitable community engagement is a significant emphasis of the project to ensure the involvement of communities who have been traditionally left out of planning processes. SACOG will create a Community-Based Organization (CBO) Working Group and leverage the model created by the agency's Engage, Empower, Implement program to build capacity, trust, and partnerships with CBOs from

SACOG Sacramento Area Council of Governments

across the region.

Another element of this grant is workforce development in which Valley Vision, a nonprofit focused on building a livable region, is leading the efforts to create a pipeline of skilled workers. This effort aligns with the region's Prosperity Strategy and considering the long-term needs as development ramps up in Green Zones once planning has been completed, ensuring that available jobs go to our local skilled workforce.

"Our region is like many in the nation struggling with aging infrastructure that no longer serves us, and local governments who want to reinvest in areas to meet the needs of communities today and into the future," said Michael Saragosa, SACOG board chair, and councilmember for the City of Placerville, "A huge thanks to the U.S. Department of Transportation for recognizing Green Means Go efforts and for investing in the Sacramento region."

Planning Projects

Below is a list of projects that are subrecipients of the grant. These ten projects across the six-county region all serve a federally designated disadvantaged community.

City of Sacramento– Reconnecting Old North Sacramento (Del Paso)

Sacramento County- Sacramento County Re-Imagine North Watt Corridor

Yuba County– East Linda Gateway: Lindhurst Corridor Revitalization project

Yuba City– Central City Green Zone Revitalization Plan

City of West Sacramento- US 50 Community Connectivity Project & Sycamore Trail Project

City of Citrus Heights- City of Citrus Heights Sunrise Tomorrow Project

Rancho Cordova– Folsom Blvd: Transforming Old Lincoln Highway Plan

Marysville– Re-Envision Downtown Marysville Plan

Woodland – East Street Corridor Complete Streets

Isleton- SR 160 Bike/Pedestrian Bridge Design

About Green Means Go

Green Means Go is the Sacramento region's commitment and solution to California's housing, climate, equity, and transportation problems.

The program aims to lower greenhouse gas emissions within its six-county region by accelerating infill development and reducing and electrifying vehicle trips. Green Means Go is a mechanism to target investment in locally designated Green Zones - areas that cities and counties have identified for infill development that also show a reduction in vehicle miles traveled (VMT). Since launching the program in 2018, twenty-six SACOG member jurisdictions have identified and adopted Green Zones. To date, SACOG has deployed over \$38 million in state funds to support Green Zone investments that explore the intersection of land use, housing, economic and workforce development, transportation investments, equity, and travel choices.

Meet the Lancer Boys' Golf Team



Pictured from left to right: Maddox Tran, Justin Rai, Nate Zilles, Mason Gibbons, and Jacobi Habib,

Story and photo by Joe Zilles

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - The 2024 Cordova Lancer High School boys golf team includes sophomores Mason Gibbons, Justin Rai, Maddox Tran, Nate Zilles, and junior Jacobi Habib behind the coaching from Brian Botsford. This marks the second season for returning golfers Maddox Tran and Nate Zilles, while it marks the first season for Mason Gibbons, Justin Rai, and Jacobi Habib.

The Lancers started their season practices in February with morning

workouts before school and sessions at the driving range after school. The Lancer duffers continue to work hard improving their skills each week and post some impressive scores. To see some exciting golf, come and support the Lancer golfers.

The Lancers' remaining schedule:

4/1Wildhawk Golf Course, Tee time 1 p.m.

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