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Eggstravaganza Proved Eggcellent, Eggciting Fun



by Andrew Rose

RIO LINDA, CA (MPG) - The Eggstravaganza, put on by the Rio Linda Parks and Recreation Department, truly lived up to its name as some 150 youth scrambled (pun intended) to collect their oval scheduled for last Saturday at the

Park last Sunday afternoon.

Festive Easter-themed craft bags were also provided for the young gatherers by Life Point Church.

The Easter egg hunt, whose details were masterminded by coordinator Yanni Lagge, was originally

Linda's Community Center. However, because

hunt to the following afternoon. This is the third year that Lagge has staged the festivities and "the

of Saturday's rain, Lagge moved the

first one we've had to move locations Continued on page 3

Raises 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.

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.

Participation in the

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.

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

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



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?" by

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Family History Week One Dead in Officer-Involved

Continued from page 1 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-gather-

ing information. Also on April 3, two Sacramento Public Library branches will provide overviews of



Volunteers assist patrons at the Sacramento FamilySearch Center. Courtesy photo

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

On April 5, the Center for Sacramento History at 551 Sequoia Pacific Blvd. will conduct 916-487-2090.

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 One Dead in Officer-Involved Shooting March 23

Sacramento County Sheriff's Office News Release

RIO LINDA, CA (MPG) - A man described by a roommate March 23 as wanting to die by "suicide by cop" was fatally shot after he refused to stop advancing with a knife toward an officer, according to a Sacramento County Sheriff's Office news release.

At about 8:15 a.m. March 23, Sacramento County Sherif's deputies were called to a residence on the 6500 block of Campanile Street in Rio Linda about the suicidal man, according to Sheriff's spokesman Sgt. Amar Gandhi. A caller reported that her brother, later identified as 38-year-old Christopher Gilmore, had schizophrenia, was armed with a knife and was cutting himself in a bathroom, Gandhi said.

Prior to deputies arriving on scene, all family members had exited the residence and Gilmore was inside by himself, according to the Sheriff's Office.

Deputies tried to call him outside the residence but he refused, Gandhi noted, and one of Gilmore's roommates said that he made statements that he wanted to die by "suicide by cop."

Approximately 10 minutes after deputies arrived, Gilmore opened the garage while holding a knife. Deputies backed away and directed Gilmore to drop the knife but he refused, according to the Sheriff's Office, as he exited the garage holding the knife and advanced toward deputies. One deputy deployed multiple less lethal shotgun rounds at Gilmore to stop and disarm him but they were ineffective, according to Gandhi.

Despite multiple directives to stop and being hit with multiple less lethal rounds, Gilmore advanced still holding the knife within several feet of a deputy before the deputy shot him with his service weapon.

Deputies administered first aid on the scene, including applying tourniquets and a chest seal until fire personnel arrived, according to Gandhi, but Gilmore was pronounced deceased at the scene.

The investigation into this incident is being conducted by the Sheriff's Homicide Bureau and Professional Standards Division, which is standard practice for any officer-involved shooting that occurs in the Sheriff's Office's jurisdiction.

An independent review of the incident will be conducted by the Sacramento County District Attorney's Office. In accordance with the Sheriff's Office policies and procedures, the deputy involved in the shooting will be placed on administrative leave pending the investigation.

Gilmore was on probation and had been arrested six days earlier (March 17) by another agency for PC 69 (violently resisting an officer) and other charges, including vandalism, DUI and drug charges. The courts had released him on his own recognizance as a pre-trial release.

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County Economic Development Eggstravaganza Proved Strategic Plan Update

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) -

Sacramento County's Office of Economic Development (OED) has launched efforts to create an updated Economic Development Strategic Plan (EDSP) to guide priorities, programs, and resources for the next five years.

"The Sacramento County organization, community, and economic landscape has undergone significant change since our last strategic plan," said Crystal Bethke, Director of Economic Development for Sacramento County. "With this transition comes the opportunity to renew our vision and set strategic areas of focus to meet the needs of our community and stimulate sustainable economic growth."

In January 2024, the Board of Supervisors approved a consulting contract with HR&A Advisors, Inc. (HR&A) to lead the EDSP development. Selected through a highly competitive Request for Proposals process, HR&A has four decades of experience in delivering strategic economic development solutions to cities, counties, and special districts within the region.

Throughout 2024, HR&A will engage with the community and key stakeholders, conduct an in-depth economic analysis, and create an actionable strategy and implementation roadmap for OED. The updated EDSP will build on existing regional economic development work, enhance inclusive economic development efforts, and introduce new and timely strategies for the future focus of economic development efforts.

The EDSP development process will be transparent, with regular updates provided on project milestones, timelines, and opportunities for community involvement. Residents and stakeholders are encouraged to participate in community engagement activities to contribute to the shaping of Sacramento County's economic future.

For more information on the EDSP development process, including updates on objectives, timelines, and opportunities for community involvement, please visit the Economic Development Strategic Plan webpage.

Protecting Yourself from EBT Theft

Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - California has been experiencing an increase in the occurrence of Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) theft. The California Department of Social Services (CDSS) is providing security tips and information on how to protect your benefits that can be found on their website at www.cdss.ca.gov in English and Spanish.

How EBT Theft Occurs

EBT Skimming occurs when a thief places a device on a retailer's card-swiping machine to copy your EBT card information so they can steal your EBT benefits.

EBT Scamming occurs when a thief deceives you into giving out your personal information so they can steal your EBT benefits. Personal information includes your EBT card number, EBT PIN number, social security number, or bank information.

How to Protect Your

Benefits with ebtEDGE

A new mobile app and web-based portal called ebtEDGE provides new features for EBT cardholders in California, allowing them to better protect their CalFresh and CalWORKs benefits. Features include

freezing and unfreezing your account, monitoring transactions for suspicious activity, blocking online and out-of-state transactions, changing your pin, and more. The free app is available for download in the Apple App store and Google Play store. Webbased access is available at www.ebt.ca.gov/ cardholder.

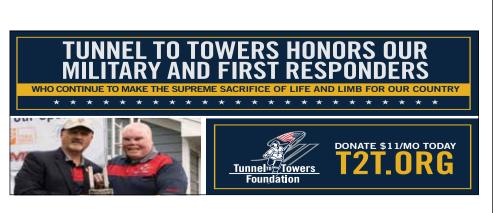
How to Report EBT Theft

If you think your benefits may have been stolen, you should immediately call the customer service telephone number on the back of your EBT card, 877-328-9677, and the Sacramento County office at 1-800-560-0976.

In addition to calling to report EBT theft, you must turn in a completed EBT 2259 form to the nearest Sacramento County office within 90 calendar days from the date of the theft. You can find the forms and more details online at ha.saccounty.gov/benefits/ Pages/EBTCashBenefits.aspx. The county will investigate and process the claim within 10 business days.

To learn more about how to protect yourself from EBT theft, visit www.cdss.ca.gov or view the CDSS "Watch Out for EBT Scams" videos in English or Spanish.









Eggcellent, Eggciting Fun



Besties Abigail Tiner and Alora Conway, both 8-year-old Orchard Elementary School thirdgraders, are delighted with the Eggstravaganza.

Continued from page 1 and the date due to the weather."

The old-fashioned ritual had many of the traditional trappings, including an Easter bunny, the costume cheerily sported by 17-year-old Rio Linda High junior Joshua Ross. Ross volunteered his time as a bunny.

At 6'2," Ross filled out the white furry suit that reached close to seven feet high. Behind the costume, Ross proved to be a gentle giant, naturally attracting the attention of numerous children who posed with him for photos.

Accompanying Ross were eight additional volunteers from the Rio Linda High School's Key Club. Among the student volunteers was Rianna Guardado, taking a brief pause from her extremely busy senior year. Guardado will attend the University of Nevada at Reno, where she plans to major in veterinary science.

sponsored by Rio Linda Kiwanis and club advisor John Perryman, a retired teacher, was there to supervise the high schoolers. But these highly responsible and respectful students needed little supervising as the event ran from noon to 2:30 p.m. without a hitch. Clearly, there was no egg on anybody's face!

In fact, there were no actual eggs at all. The Easter eggs were colorful plastic shells filled with candy. Many youths brought their own buckets and baskets for the occasion. Treats were limited to a dozen per child, with 3,000 plastic eggs scattered through the outfield of the two main Little League diamonds, soon to be snatched up by eager little fingers.

For safety reasons, there were two groups during the hunt: one for ages 7 and up and the other for tots up to 6 years old.

Rio Linda residents rejoiced in the early spring The Key Club is event, enhanced by sunny

conditions between the high 50s and low 60s. Mild temperatures inspired a variety of attire. While some children trotted and gathered in shorts and tees, long pants and sweatshirts were mainly seen.

A smattering of children was adorned more formally. Some little girls sported festive sundresses matching the colors of the plastic eggs. In addition, one young gentleman, eight-year-old Cruz Flores, an Orchard School second-grader, was truly dashing in a seasonal cream-colored suit.

All ages seemed to have a great time at the Eggstravaganza, best summed up by Eric Moreno, who brought his 9-year-old daughter, Emelie, and 10-year-old son, Brian, both Orchard Elementary School students.

"The families appreciate the time and effort," Moreno said. "It was thoughtfully put together with truly kind people." ★



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What Are They to Do?

Sacramento gave a homeless camp a lease as an experiment

By Marisa Kendall CALMatters.org

When Sacramento changed its plan to demolish a homeless encampment on a vacant lot on Colfax Street, instead offering the homeless occupants a lease, activists and camp residents celebrated it as a win.

The first-of-its-kind deal, which allows the camp to remain in place and govern itself without city interference, was held up as a model Sacramento could replicate at future sites. Other cities, including San Jose, have said they're considering similar models, putting the success or failure of this encampment under the microscope.

A year later, Sacramento has not managed to reproduce the concept and has no plans to. Residents of the camp, who lack electricity or running water, complain they feel forgotten. And the county district attorney, claiming the site threatens public safety, has demanded the city clear the camp or risk prosecution.

Those troubles highlight the logistical and ethical dilemmas that come with setting aside outdoor spaces for homeless residents to go when there aren't enough beds indoors. And it comes at a time when officials across the state increasingly are turning to this last-ditch solution as they face mounting pressure to clear encampments away from sidewalks, parks, schools and other high-traffic public areas.

"The fact that people have a place where they can legally exist and not be threatened with arrest, not be run off and have to lose their belongings, where they can go to the bathroom with dignity, where there's trash pickup so they don't have to live in a place where there's trash all over, where service providers can find them regularly and they aren't going to lose contact with people as they work their way to housing — those are all good things," said Eric Tars, senior policy director of the National Homelessness Law Center. "But it would be even better if they were doing them indoors."

They Got A Lease, And They **Make Their Own Rules**

Camp Resolution, as the Sacramento camp is known, was started in 2022 by Sharon and Joyce Jones — a married couple in their 50s who found themselves homeless for the first time late in life. More than four-dozen people now live there, some in new-looking Bullet trailers provided by the city, and others in cars, tents and more dilapidated trailers and RVs.

Some residents have taken pains to make it more homey: Two potted plants hang from the hitch of one trailer, chickens roam the lot, and Sharon and Joyce are putting in a garden, using pallets to make raised planter beds.

"We try to make it as comfortable as possible," Joyce said, "but sometimes it's impossible."

Shortly after Joyce and her community occupied the city-owned, formerly vacant lot in 2022, city workers determined the camp was unsafe and needed to be demolished — as often happens in Sacramento and throughout California. But that's where the story takes an unusual turn. Residents of the camp, and their supporters, showed up in force to a city council meeting and persuaded council members to delay the sweep. About six months later, the city signed a lease allowing the camp to remain in place.

The lease, which advocacy group Safe Ground Sacramento signed on behalf of the Camp Resolution residents, was an experiment. Generally, similar programs are run by nonprofits contracted by a city. They often impose curfews, no-guest policies, sobriety requirements and other rules on residents. In exchange, they offer social services such as counseling or help finding permanent housing, and amenities such as showers and bathrooms.

"They don't think people experiencing homelessness are capable of governing themselves," Tars said. Camp Resolution is different.



Joyce and Sharon Jones poke holes in a water bottle to water their garden next to their trailer at Camp Resolution on Feb. 28, 2024. The camp has no running water, so residents must rely on bottled water for all their needs. Photo by Fred Greaves for CalMatters



Jeanne Gillis cooks ground turkey over a wood fire beside her trailer at Camp Resolution on Feb. 28, 2024. Residents must rely on bottled water, generators, and wood fires because no utilities are provided at the camp.

and held underground storage tanks for diesel and gasoline, he said. It's not safe to camp on the contaminated soil, according to his letter. But only half of the site is paved, while the other half is bare dirt and people live on both sides.

Ho's office did not set a specific deadline for the city to clear the encampment, leaving it unclear exactly what, if anything, will come of his threat.

When asked about Ho's next steps, Sonia Martinez Satchell, a spokesperson for the District Attorney's Office, indicated prosecution is still on the table.

'To date, the City has failed to move the unhoused off this toxic has agreed to take up the case and will hear arguments next month. But for now, cities' hands remain largely tied if they lack enough shelter beds.

Safe sleeping sites take many different forms — and have a range of price tags. In August, after the city stalled in its attempts to open safe sleeping sites, Sacramento City Manager Howard Chan single-handedly tried to identify locations for the projects. He initially said Camp Resolution could be a model for future sites because it cost the city so little to run, it would allow the city to open more sites than if they used more

expensive models. Instead, the city in January launched its next safe sleeping site, on Roseville Road, with more services, more oversight and a greater cost — \$3.2 million per year. The site has 60 rudimentary tiny homes and 40 trailers and is governed by a nonprofit contracted through the city.

But, due to an anticipated budget shortfall for the coming fiscal year, the city has no plans to launch additional safe sleeping sites, Swanson said. At a committee meeting last month, city staff predicted that by next year, the city's budget for homeless services would be short \$11 million. By the 2025-26 fiscal year, they expected to be short nearly \$39 million.

Life At Camp Resolution

There are about 800 people on the waitlist to get into Camp Resolution, according to Sharon and Joyce. Only six people from the camp have moved out and into permanent housing, they said. Just on the other side of the gate that separates Camp Resolution from the rest of the world, a group of people live in a cluster of cars parked haphazardly on the side of the road. Across the street, someone has erected a makeshift shack. RVs that serve as stand-in homes line the road.

Inside the gate, Sharon and Joyce tend to have the ultimate say in what goes, though there's also a council that meets on Thursday evenings to discuss camp issues. Things don't always go smoothly.

Last year a neighbor's dogs attacked Sharon and sent her to the hospital with multiple bite injuries. That led to new rules at the camp about pets. But Sharon and Joyce say it's hard to actually enforce the rules they impose. "We need more structure,"

Sharon said. As they showed off the different

parts of their community, Sharon and Joyce expressed disapproval of a trash pile in the middle of the camp. "That can go in the trash can,"

Joyce said. It didn't take long. A

CalMatters Capitol reporter Jeanne Kuang contributed to this story.

Safe Ground Sacramento, which leases the property from the city for free, takes a hands-off approach that lets residents run the camp and write their own rules. The city gave the residents a handful of residential trailers, set up portable toilets and a hand-washing station, and provided dumpsters and ongoing trash pickup. But that's it.

Many activist groups laud that model as a best practice, saying it's important to let the residents run, or at least help run, their own camp.

"When individuals in these encampments have a sense of ownership, then it can really lead to the camp being a place that they take pride in and that they are trying to keep in as good condition as possible," Tars said. "It gives a sense of responsibility to others in that community."

It also means minimal overhead for the city: The trailers provided to Camp Resolution residents came from the Federal Emergency Management Agency at no cost to the city of Sacramento, and adding the camp to the city's existing contract for trash pickup didn't add any additional expense.

But in the case of Camp Resolution, it also means residents are left to fend for themselves. The city doesn't provide electricity or running water. Community members donate food, some residents have generators, and a nonprofit used to bring a trailer with showers every other Sunday — but they recently stopped. "It's not going very well," Joyce

said. "I think that (the city) should do a little bit more." The Camp Resolution lease says

the city would provide up to 33 trailers. Residents ended up receiving just 16. But 51 people live at the camp, meaning some people sleep in tents, in their cars or in dilapidated trailers and RVs that leak in the rain and have sprouted The city wouldn't comment

on the trailers — or anything else citing a pending threat of prosecution from the county District Attorney's Office. City officials recently sent 40 trailers to a new safe sleeping site they opened on

Roseville Road, which also has



Jeanne Gillis uses tubs to wash dishes next to her trailer at Camp Resolution on Feb 28, 2024. Photo by Fred Greaves for CalMatters

plumbed toilets and showers.

Several of the Camp Resolution residents are elderly, and some have serious medical issues that make living without reliable power and water difficult. One woman, who recently turned 60, is on dialysis and gets around on an electric mobility scooter that she leaves parked outside her trailer.

Most of the residents are women. some of whom wouldn't feel safe on the streets by themselves. Jeanne Gillis, 53, was cooking ground turkey over an open flame outside her trailer on a recent Wednesday. Gillis, who used to work as a medical patients' advocate, lost her housing two years ago when she got sick with lupus and could no longer work. She'd never been homeless before and didn't know what to do - so Sharon and Joyce took her under their wing. Now she's part of their tight-knit

"Thank God for everybody. Because it's hard," she said, tearing up. "I don't think I'd be here if it wasn't for everybody."

Camp Resolution Faces Legal Threat

Camp Resolution also faces an outside threat — Sacramento County District Attorney Thien Ho has demanded that the city close the camp. His office sent a letter to the city and Safe Ground Sacramento in November labeling the site a public health hazard. The

used as a vehicle maintenance yard

waste site," she said in an emailed statement. "We will not waver from our commitment to protect public safety for all. As outlined in our letter, all available actions and recourse remain available."

But camp residents and the advocates working with them say they've heard nothing but silence from the District Attorney's Office since the November letter. That means the fate of those living at Camp Resolution is still up in the air.

Tim Swanson, spokesman for the City Manager's Office, said the city can't comment on any aspect of Camp Resolution because of the pending threat of prosecution.

Sharon and Joyce aren't concerned — they claim the camp isn't on the portion of the site that's contaminated. Ho's letter is just an excuse to try to kick them off the property, they said. **Sanctioned Homeless**

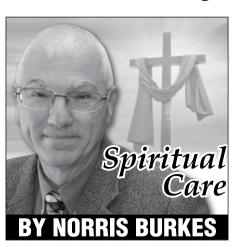
Encampments In California Faced with a massive short-

age of affordable homes, desperate city officials across California are considering opening places where unhoused people can legally set up tents. The move could give them more power to clear encampments

from around parks, schools, downtown zones and other high-profile areas. That's because unless cities have somewhere for displaced unhoused residents to go, the 2018 appellate case Martin v. Boise limits the extent to which they can site is contaminated by toxic chemicals left over from when it was clear encampments. That could

few minutes later, residents could be seen picking up the garbage and carrying it to a nearby dumpster. change soon, as the Supreme Court

Is Your Legacy In the Bag?



It seems the marketing folks won't leave us alone. They are constantly trying to sell us something.

They follow us everywhere. "Buy, buy, buy!" It's the mantra of a marketing world where the word "miracle" is defined by how quickly our plants grow or how white our teeth become.

The solicitations blast through TV commercials, emails, voicemails, texting, even through recorded infomercials wailing in medical waiting rooms. Thankfully, I can ignore most of those sources.

But there's one place I can't escape -

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Yet, despite all the pleas to buy things,

my hospital chaplain experiences tell me that whatever I buy will likely one day be packed away in a plastic garbage bag. I know this from the numerous

times I was present for the end of life. Thosemoments usually started with a squawk over the public address system.

"Code Blue, 5 North. Code Blue, 5 North.'

That announcement was my cue to join medical staff running toward the Intensive Care Unit. Inside the unit, the resuscitation team would surround the patient while I'd stand a few feet away beside a frantic family member.

We'd watch together as clothes were cut off. IVs inserted. Chest compressions made.

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"One ampule epinephrine," called the doc to the nurse.

More compressions and more shock.

Heads turned to the monitor. Nothing. The doc placed his stethoscope on his patient's chest.

"I'm calling it," he'd say.

This was the official pronouncement for everyone to cease their lifesaving efforts and allow the time of death to be recorded.

As you might imagine, I'd spend the next few minutes with the family in closing rituals and prayers.

Those were highly meaningful

moments to the family, but eventually we came to a rather awkward time of gathering the loved one's belongings. Of course, the family was unprepared

for this duty, so the nurse would offer the easiest packaging available -- often a plastic bag. After the family filled the bag, staff

would say their goodbyes and I'd walk

the family out of the hospital through the

main lobby where the TV typically wailed

another pitch to buy one more thing. Those walks often had me wondering what it might be like when my time comes.

Will my bags be filled with things the marketers persuaded me to buy? And what will my children do with those bags?

Whatever they decide, I hope my physical possessions aren't the only things I'll pass on to them. I hope they carry a part of my faith as well.

Of course, faith can't be inherited from parents. That's why it's been said that 'God doesn't have grandchildren, only children" — meaning a person must find his or her own faith.

However, it is still a legitimate part of my faith journey to regularly ask myself questions like: Will there be a part of myself worth commending to my children? What part of me do I wish they would become? And what part of my faith ends with my death?

I guess all those questions can only be answered superimposed with Jesus' question in Mark 8:36 and repeated throughout modern history by Gandhi, King and

"What does it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses his soul?'

Keep that question in sight and the answers you find will become a legacy



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 di-

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

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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 your 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 cover-

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Sacramento's New Theatre **Company Announces First Show**

Pioneer Players News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - Pioneer Players, a

newly formed nonprofit theatre company in midtown Sacramento, have announced their inaugural production, Oscar Wilde's "The Importance of Being Earnest".

Serving as the new resident theatre company of Pioneer Congregational United Church of Christ, Pioneer Players is the creative vision of Artistic Director and church member David-Matthew Barnes. The objective of the new company is to produce inspiring and uplifting shows including plays for young audiences and original works written by their planned workshop-based Pioneer Playwrights.

Barnes, whose catalog of more than seventy stage plays have been produced around the world, says he recognized the need for more support for local playwrights. "Many of my stage plays were first performed in Sacramento before moving on to other theatres," he says. "Giving the opportunity to workshop scripts is something I'm very committed to offering to fellow playwrights. We would love for Pioneer Players to be the first theatrical home for many playwrights in Sacramento."

Similarly, Barnes recognized the need for more productions specifically aimed at young audiences. This fall, Pioneer Players will launch their first children's theatre production

(featuring adult actors), an interactive musical version of Little Red Riding Hood. "I love the idea of families having a shared experience through theatre," Barnes says. "As an arts educator, I realize how significant having access to theatre can be, especially for young people."

Also joining this artistic endeavor is Cyndi Lopez-Spencer, who is serving as the Resident Technical Director of Pioneer Players. An alum of Sac State's theatre program, Lopez-Spencer has been working as a stage manager or a technical crew member for over 30 years. "I'm really excited to join Pioneer Players and their effort to provide theatre that is accessible to the community," says Lopez-Spencer. "This is a really amazing team to be working with. It's exciting to be a part of this company who are doing and planning such

innovative things." First, Pioneer Players will present Oscar Wilde's "The Importance of Being Earnest", with Barnes directing. Performance dates are April 6 - April 21: Fridays and Saturdays at 7 p.m.; Sundays at 3 p.m. The Pioneer Theater is located inside the Fellowship Hall at Pioneer Congregational United Church of Christ: 2700 L Street in midtown Sacramento. To reach the Pioneer Theater, enter the church through the doors located in the church courtyard. The theater is accessible. Street parking is available. Concessions are cash only. Patrons arriving late will not be seated until

intermission. Tickets are \$15.00

Advance tickets can be purchased from Eventbrite. Tickets can also be purchased at the door.

First performed on February 14, 1895, at the St James's Theatre in London, "The Importance of Being Earnest" is a farcical British comedy classic. The play tells the story of two men, Jack Worthing and Algernon Moncrieff, who both assume the identity of a fictional man named Ernest, leading them both to fall in love and find an assortment of problems along the way. Working within the social conventions of late Victorian London, the play's major themes are the triviality with which it treats institutions as serious as marriage and the resulting satire of Victorian conformity.

"We believe that the Pioneer Players align closely with the mission of our church through their creative storytelling and performances, fostering connections among individuals, providing a welcoming and inclusive environment for all, and contributing to the betterment of the community," says Rev. Dr. David C. Bocock, the Pastor of Pioneer Congregational Church. "This initiative resonates with our core values and exemplifies our commitment to spreading love, building community, and extending our service to all. We are thrilled to support Pioneer Players and look forward to their positive impact on the Sacramento community."

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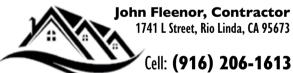
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01677 Larisa Dzyuba, 7045 Patience Court, Sacramento, CA 95842 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Secure Notary Solutions" 7045 Patience Court, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 5, 2024 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01881 Vali Hassany 1808 Richmor Street, Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business "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

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01800 Andrea Z Evans, PO Box 4145, Ketchum, ID 83340 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Philantrophy Consulting Group" 205 Raven . Ketchum, 83340. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 7, 2024 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01704 Karen Ortiz, 2335 33rd Street, Sacramento, CA 95817 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Own It Real Estate" 1610 R Street Suite 200, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 5, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01924 Lavender Nail Salon LLC, 1010A Florin Road, Sacramento, CA 95831 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Lavender Nail Salon" 1010A Florin Road, Sacramento, CA 95831. Filed with the Clerk of 2024 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 LAVENDER

Sacramento County March 12,

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01805 Daniel W Todd, 2025 W El Camino Ace Apt 238,

Sacramento, CA 95833 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Phantomice Interactive" 2025 W FI Camino Ace Apt 238, Sacramento, CA 95833. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 7, 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

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01928 Gateway Foods LLC, 6 Kitaj Court, Sacramento, CA 95835 is doing business under the Business Name(s) Fictitious Taqueria La Puerta" 4391 Boulevard Gateway 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

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01530 National Vision, Inc., 2435 Duluth, Commerce Avenue, GA 30096 is doing business under the Fictitious Business "America's Name(s) Best Contacts & Eyeglasses" 2922 Fulton Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 29, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME National Vision, Inc., 2435 Commerce Avenue, Duluth, GA 30096 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "America's Best Contacts & Eyeglasses" 5899 Sunrise Boulevard, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 29, 2024

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STATEMENT FBNF2024-01574 National Vision, Inc., 2435 Commerce Avenue, Duluth, GA 30096 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "America's Best Contacts Eyeglasses" 6019 Florin Road Suite 500, Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 1, Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024

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Sacramento, CA 95832 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Journey to Freedom" 3432 Gates Way, Sacramento, CA 95832. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 8, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01667 Grace Sur, 9545 Folsom Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business un-

Fictitious Business der the Name(s) "Beauty Solutions By Grace 9545 Folsom Boulevard Sacramento, CA 95827, Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 5, 2024 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024 BEAUTY 4-12-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01986 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

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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

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 Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 12,

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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

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME Ryan Stambuk, 3115 Eades Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Off Duty Photography" 3115 Eades Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 5, 2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01622 TNT Industrial Contractors, Inc., 3800 Happy Lane, Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) Industrial "TNT Contractors, Inc." 3800 Happy Sacramento, 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 4, 2024 Publish: March 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2024

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STATEMENT FBNF2024-02073 Donna R. Chabrier, 1523 Oak Tree Drive, Roseville, CA 95661 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Real Experience Group" 1610 R Street Suite 280, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 15, 2024 Publish: March 29, April 5, 12, 19, 2024 4-19-24

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STATEMENT FBNF2024-02101 Carlos Derreza, 1420 South Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95838 is doing business under the **Business Fictitious** Name(s) "Derreza Yard Care" 1420 South Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95838. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 18, 2024 Publish: March 29, April 5, 12, 19, 2024 **DERREZA** FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2024-02097 Aliatta LLC, 7924 Fruitridge Road, Sacramento, CA 95820 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Faisal Market And Restaurant" Fruitridge Sacramento, CA 95820. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 18, 2024

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4-19-24 FAISAL FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-01917 T-Rex Auto Repair LLC, 2577 Elkhorn Boulevard, Rio Linda, CA 95673 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Linda, CA 95673. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 12, 2024 Publish: March 29, April 5, 12, 19, 2024 TREX 4-19-24

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2024-02256 Critical Path Consulting, PO Box 2924, Rancho Cordova, CA 95741 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Critical Path Training" 4313 Narraganset Way, Mather, CA 95655. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 21, Publish: March 29, April 5, 12, 19, 2024 CRITICAL 4-19-24

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**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

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 Yalqhaz. 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

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 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court

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

sons 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 the Superior Court Publish: March 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024 **GORDON** 3-29-24

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)

of 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 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 the Superior Court Publish: March 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024 ALiYEVA 3-29-24

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By V.G. Harris



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 tri-

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

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

have beaten teams that are headed for the

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.

against the Dallas Mavericks Tuesday and

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!

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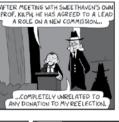














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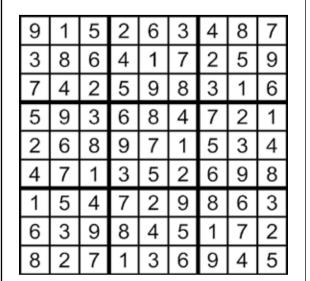


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warning 48. "Heart of Darkness"

author

are such stuff as

all the men and women

67. *Macbeth: "Our

68. Scoundrel 69. Hi _ monitor

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4. Set straight

5. Like a knife 6. Comes before a storm?

7. The "place with the helpful hardware folks'

8. Spectrum maker 9. Wild ox of India

10. Plotting (2 words) 11. Multitude

12. Having Everything Revealed, singer and songwriter

15. *Hamlet: "When we have shuffled off this

20. Corpulent 22. Tin Woodman's "med-

icine"
24. "Two cents"? 25. *Twelfth Night: "If be the food of love,

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1. Type of help center 6. Fake tooth

9. What geysers do 13. Lagoon wall

Acronym, in brie

17. It often comes with

18. External

19. *Richard III: "A horse! A horse! My
for a horse!"
21. *Romeo and Juliet:

"Parting is such sweet

23. Animal's nose 24. Fail to mention

25. Capone's family 28. *Hamlet: "O, this

is the poison of grief"
30. Soap froth

35. Iris holder

43. Not in favor 44. Hipbone-related

47. Thomas the Engine's

50. Brewer's kiln 52. Beer choice

53. Not a verb 55. Comic cry

57. *The Tempest: "We

are made on" 60. *As You Like It: "All the world's a stage and

64. Primatologist's concern, for short 65. "This land is your land"?

merely _

master's murder'd!"

70. Wombs

71. "A Visit from St. Nicholas" beginning

72. Teacher's favorite 73. Got ready for a close up

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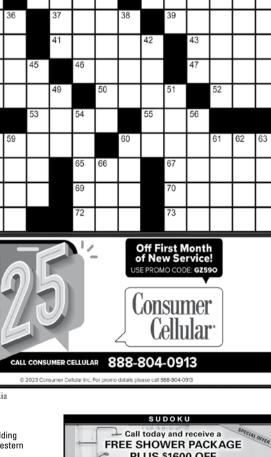
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63. Went down slippery 64. Cathode-ray tube 66. *Merchant of Venice: But love is blind, and



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play on" 26. Convex molding 27. Nigeria's western 29. Listening devices
31. *Hamlet: "To be, or not to be: _____ is the question" to be: _____ is the ques 32. Capital of Vietnam

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