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## The Knot Between Heaven and Earth

LDS Church Opens Feather River Temple for Tours



The newly constructed Feather River Temple of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints is located at 1470 Butte House Road in Yuba City, California. Its impressive architectural structure adds a beautiful feature to the region's landscape. Photo courtesy of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

By Seti Long

YUBA CITY, CA (MPG) - Area members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (LDS) have been patiently awaiting the completion of one of their faith's most sacred buildings since plans for it were announced by Church President Russell M. Nelson in 2018.

On Tuesday, August 15th, members of the media, local and state dignitaries were invited to join tours of the Feather River Temple.

The Feather River Temple sits on a 9-acre site originally sold to the church by Mehar Tumber, a devout Sikh man. Years prior, the church had difficulties in finding suitable grounds to build a Stake Center chapel and although Tumber's peach acreage was not up for sale, he agreed to allow the sale. His daughter Raji told the Church her father

Church Officials and volunteers for felt it was "a blessing to have a relian open house and exclusive first gious organization...as an anchor to our property.'

Those grounds are now gorgeously landscaped with local flora and fauna, preserved oaks, and transplanted trees, including 100-year-old olive trees brought in from Corning and planted at the four corners surrounding the 38,000 sq. ft. holy LDS temple.

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## Colusa **Medical Center Welcomes New Regional CEO**



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#### CMC Special Release

COLUSA, CA (MPG) - As of July 1, 2023 Colusa Medical Center, a community hospital owned and operated by American Advanced Management Group, Inc (AAM), welcomes new regional CEO, Steve Stark, to their leadership team. As part of an operational merger between Glenn Medical Center in Willows, CA and Orchard Hospital in Gridley, CA, both now under AAM management, Steve is responsible for aligning regional healthcare system mission and vision with physicians, the boards of directors, and communities in Butte, Glenn and Colusa Counties. Steve will be working closely with C-suite leadership and managers of Orchard Hospital, Colusa Medical Center and Glenn Medical Center to accomplish goals that create a healthcare delivery system that is safer and more efficient for patients across the northern Sacramento Valley region.

Steve Stark is a graduate of the University of Drury in Springfield, Missouri, with a Bachelor of Business Administration and two Master's degrees from Bellevue University, Nebraska: Hospital Administration and Organizational Performance. Steve most recently served as chief executive officer at Orchard Hospital in Gridley, CA. Steve's healthcare career began over 15 years ago, serving as a hospital information technology director. Since then, Steve has been promoted to more advanced roles including Senior Infrastructure Engineer, Chief Information Officer, Chief Operating Officer, and Chief Executive Officer. Steve has spoken to groups across the country about integrating continuous process improvement and technology into daily workflow to provide better patient care. Today, Steve is considered a leader in organizational strategy and has a black belt in Lean and Six Sigma, Continued on page 2

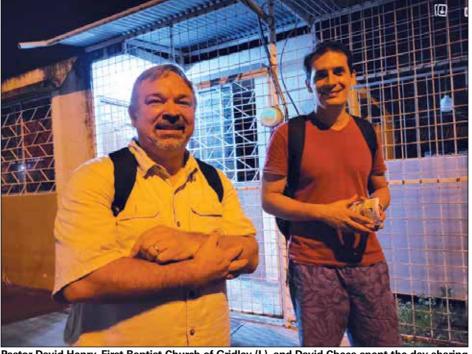
## First Baptist Father-Son Missionary **Team Serves in Ecuador**

By Cindy Scott

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - Pastor David Henry serves as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Gridley, serving international missions along the way. In turn, he is sharing the experience of mission service with his 13-year-old son, Lucas. Together, they spent a week in Chone, Ecuador, strengthening the discipleship of Christian believers and sharing the gospel of Jesus Christ with others.

Pastor Henry has experienced several short-term missionary trips, most of them to developing nations. In 2018, Greg Ernsburger, a college friend and career missionary, asked him to travel to Sigchos, Ecuador and serve a church founded there. Sigchos sits at 9300 feet in elevation in the mountainous region of Ecuador.

What Henry saw in



Pastor David Henry, First Baptist Church of Gridley (L), and David Checa spent the day sharing the gospel in the barrios of Chone, Ecuador and were grateful for the cooler weather after sunset. Photo provided by David Henry

Sigchos inspired him. Although the Sigchos congregation was new, it was well established, with an indigenous pastor. While in

Ecuador, Henry and other foreign missionaries are aided by local interpreters. These local interpreters learned the story of the

church and mission work. Inez Zambrano, one of the interpreters, encouraged Ernsburger and other Continued on page 7

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## The New Pi-Line

Temple for everyone to



By Josh F.W. Cook

Gridley Country Ford is a car dealership once again. Starting somewhere in 2018, when Covid impacted the supply chain, it was odd to see a car dealership on the freeway with no cars to sell or just one or two cars that were out front, with most of the other vehicles being used cars of other brands. So it's one more step toward feeling as if life is back to normal (other than hurricanes and earthquakes) when there are cool cars that you can stare at while you're stopped at the intersection, wishing that you could have one of them instead of the car you're sitting in. The best salesman at Gridley Country Ford has always been Highway 99 and the stoplight on Spruce Street.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints have opened up the new 44,000-square-foot

go through it in Yuba City. The temple, which is called the Feather River Temple (if you call it Yuba City Temple, the people from Marysville and Woodland might not come, so they named it after a random geographic feature), will host tens of thousands of people in the coming weeks. The tours are open to anyone between nine and nine every day but Sunday and will go until September 9. I went in and had the opportunity to meet some of the craftsmen who installed the stained glass, which is a scarce skill set nowadays. We don't have as many stained glass jobs because there are fewer and fewer churches being built. There is also worldclass (literally best in the world) stonemasonry, carpentry, and electrical work. Almost all of those require union labor as its union apprenticeship programs have had to take the place of job training in the last 30 years as the public school system walked away from vocational education in favor of preparing everybody to go to college. Former State **Building and Construction** Trades Council President Andrew Meredith and his

Mulliner ensured that skilled workers were available to meet the project's needs. So no matter your religious variation, the building is truly a masterpiece.

Trust in Government survey is out again. Switzerland is the winner, with 83% of the people responding that they have "trust" in their government. Mexico came in at 52%, Turkey at 42%, Brazil at 39%, Spain at 37%, Ireland at 62%, and the United States rolled in at 31%. This is a trend that needs to be adjusted. It is not good to have our major institutions of social stability being doubted by more than 50% of the people. America is such a better place than what it is getting credit for. We should always be vigilant about government overreach. Still, I think the people who doubt our government to that extent need to travel overseas more often and consider how many people who say they trust their government - are lined up trying to get into the U.S. Odd

Josh F.W. Cook is an administrator and educator. Opinions expressed here are solely his.

phenomenon.

Gettin' Wild

Wild Things director Gabe Kerschner introduces his good friend Samantha the lemur to the crowd. Photo by Seti Long

#### By Seti Long

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - A few Wild Things visited Gridley recently, and no, not Gabe Kerschner and his assistant Piper from the non-profit organization of the same name.

of the same name. The Wild Things wildlife program is based out of Colfax and acts as conservation ambassadors for wildlife that are either in need of rescue or have been confiscated due to being illegal to own as pets. The group is home to 60 displaced species, and in the spirit of education, Wild Things visits local schools, libraries and more to share their knowledge and animal friends

with the youth. This year, Kerschner, director of the program, brought a few animals from the preserve to introduce to a large number of youth that turned out for the Friends of the Library event. For each furry, feathered, or scaled animal, the Wild Things director shared information on their habitats, lifestyle, quirky little tidbits about each animal and how they came to be a part of the Wild Things family.

First up was an adorable 31-year-old brown lemur named Samantha. Kerschner demonstrated how Samantha would greet her family in the wild, the lemur kissing and cleaning his nose. For grapes, Samantha demonstrated her amazing jumping ability and generated laughs from the crowd as she pulled Kerschner back towards him via her leash for more treats.

Next a volunteer was chosen from the crowd to help introduce Boo, a fully grown, yet small, western screech owl. Kids got a kick out of Boo's fixed eyes that made it appear that his head swiveled in nearly a 360 degree turn and his waving goodbye with one wing. As the program continued,



A volunteer got the chance to get up close and personal with Clover, a red kangaroo. Photo by Seti Long



Wild Things assistant Piper helps keep baby skunk Harley calm as she is introduced to the group of children at the Gridley Friends of the Library educational event. Photo by Seti Long



owl, during a fiercely fun part of the Wild Things presentation.
Photo by Seti Long

Kerschner introduced Clover, a two-and-a-half-year-old red Kangaroo that had been with Wild Things since birth, Harley, a baby skunk whose mother had been hit by a car, Dewie Hopper an African pixie frog, and Noah the redtailed Boa.

The interactive and educational program delighted those in attendance, including adults.

The program was such a hit last year at the Gridley Branch of the Butte County Library that it was moved to Expo Hall at the Butte County Fairgrounds so that more of the public could participate. Wild Things returned to Gridley thanks to Chico Children's Endowment Funds that sponsored the full cost of interactive and educational program.

## Colusa Medical Center Welcomes New Regional CEO

Northstate agent Mark

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which is evident in his management style. Steve is also a Studer Group® Champion.

Colusa Medical Center is the sole community hospital serving the residents of Colusa County with a wide range of medical services. The hospital was reopened after closure due to bankruptcy in 2017 by American Advanced Management Group, a diverse healthcare group committed to delivering high-quality care to patients in a safe and compassionate environment both today and in the future.

American Advanced Management Group, Inc (AAM) originated in 2012 with the opening of its pilot hospital, Central Valley Specialty, a General Acute Care Specialty Hospital in Modesto, California. In the 10 years since opening their first hospital, they have experienced exponential growth and expansion into both long-term acute care, short term acute care, post-acute and rehabilitation facilities, home health and hospice, skilled nursing, rural health clinic services and workforce education and training. Their ability to offer multiple medical specialties through our rural health clinics, as well as dispositioning appropriate hospitalized patients to associated post-acute facilities for continued services are just two examples of their success at delivering quality, patient centered care to communi-



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## The Knot Between Heaven and Earth

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said that before its construction, teams performed a precedent study to understand the area and get a feel for it, which then translated into the temple's overall design, including its landscaping, architecture, and décor aesthetic.

At the entrance to the temple, guests are met with the inscriptions, "Holiness to the Lord" and "House of the Lord," carved in stone and written in gold above the great doors to the building. Elder Mark Bragg, president of the North American West Area for the LDS Church said that the words were "both a declaration as to what it (temple) is but also a reminder that all things within the house of the Lord point us to him."

During the press conference, Elder Bragg said that the church likes to think of its temples as "an intersection between life here and eternity." He continued, "I've heard it described sometimes as the knot that ties Heaven and Earth together. That's what we hope you will feel."

Upon entering the building, one observes a quiet calm and peace about the space. An image of Jesus Christ welcomes those into the reception area which is beautifully adorned with colorful custom artwork and textiles, representing native plants and landscapes, such as the California poppy and golden rolling hills adorned with oaks. The colors orange, gold, blue, and white permeate the décor, both on the lower and upper floors. Intricate stained-glass windows throughout the temple reflect almond blossoms seen in our area during spring, and rich gold leaf and mahogany add warmth to the serene interiors.

Guests are ushered through the lower floors that serve as office spaces for the temple presidency and their wives, other functional spaces such as laundry areas, and the main feature, the baptistry.

A large baptismal font rests on the back of 12 life-sized oxen, representing the 12 Tribes of Israel. The upper floor of the temple features instruction rooms, the elegant Celestial Room, and Sealing Room where sacred ceremonies are conducted, including marriages. A moment is provided in the Celestial Room for guests to sit and contemplate surrounded by light, glistening chandeliers, and large mirrors that reflect each other, giving the impression of visitors images continuing into eternity.

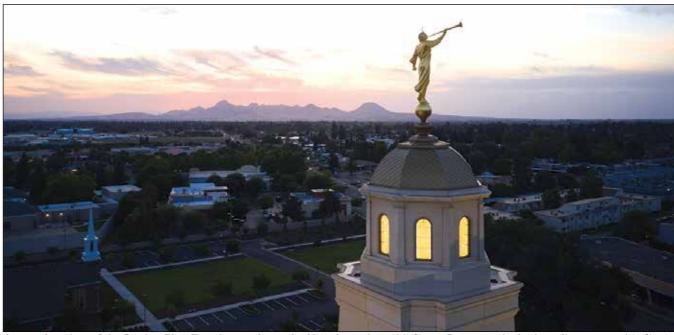
The building is indeed exquisite and a testament to the belief that it is truly the house of God on earth. Senator and church member Rosilicie Ochoa Bogh said that "the temple is a physical representation of our faith, but it is here as a testament to the strength of our commitment to the teachings of Jesus Christ." After taking a tour, Chairman of the Sutter County Board of Supervisors, Karm Bains said it "is a world class structure that will welcome thousands of visitors to our community."

The temple will predominantly serve members from the Yuba-Sutter area, Gridley, Biggs, Chico, Oroville, Redding, Ukiah and Placer County. It is one of 12 temples in California, the first to be constructed since the Sacramento Temple opened in 2006.

During all the excitement of the Feather River Temple's grand opening, committees and crews of hundreds of local volunteers worked to promote and welcome the public to share the temple experience – and not just members of the LDS church.

Area Manager of Communications for the LDS Church Kim Farah described the work of the volunteers and members of the public who made the open house possible. "This community overall, is extraordinary. This community loves each other. The interfaith and nonprofit groups work together," she said, to make events like the temple grand opening and tours possible.

Exclusive tours were held until the temple opened to the general public on Saturday, August 19th. The open house tours will continue until Saturday, September 9th, 2023, with the exception of Sundays, August 20th, 27th, and September 3rd. Tours run from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. The temple will be formally dedicated Sunday, October 8th, wherein it will only be accessible to members of the church.



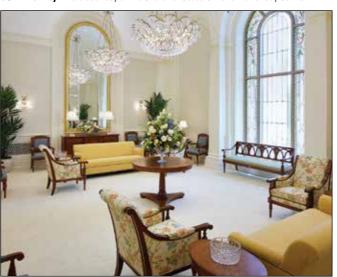
An evening view of the Feather River Temple steeple overlooking the region with Sutter Buttes on the horizon. Photo courtesy of the Church of



Elder Mark Bragg, president of the North American West Area for the LDS Church, elaborated on the significance of the newly constructed Feather River Temple as an intersection between Heaven and Earth. Photo courtesy of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints



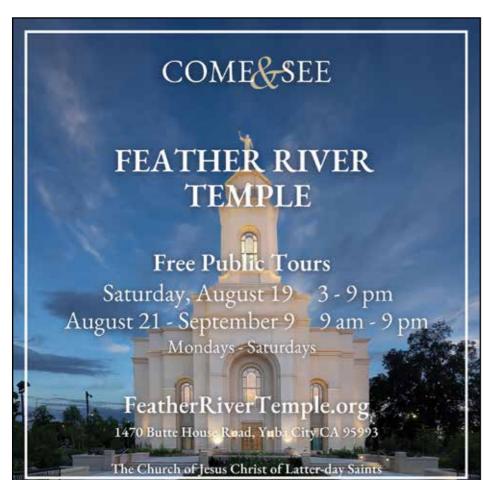
During the open house, the Chairman of the Sutter County Board of Supervisors, Karm Bains, spoke of the temple in the Yuba-Sutter community. Photo courtesy of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints



Surrounding visitors with light, glistening chandeliers and large mirrors, the temple's aesthetic décor provides a warm, serene interior. Photo courtesy of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints



Church members made the grand opening a charming experience for dignitaries and the general public. Photo courtesy of Chris Pedigo





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#### **Delayed Planting For Processing Tomatoes** Leads To Harvest Backlog

As California growers harvest this season's processing tomato crop, there is concern that canneries could struggle to keep up with a backlog of fruit deliveries. Heavy rains left tomato fields wet and muddy through spring, disrupting planting of processing tomato transplants, which continued through May. With much of the crop now being harvested at once, growers are worried about risks to fruit that can't be processed right away. Bruce Rominger of the California Tomato Growers Association said some growers may be encouraged to harvest early when tomatoes are a little green.

#### Klamath Farmers Hope To Finish Harvest Before Water Supplies Run Out

Farmers relying on water supplies from the federal Klamath Water Project say they are trying to finish harvest before their water supply is cut off in the coming weeks. Scott Seus of Tulelake-based Seus Farms, which grows horseradish, onions, mint and grain, said the growers face water shortages again this season, despite a plentiful water year. That's because the Klamath Water Users Association had expected a water delivery of 285,000 acre-feet this year. Instead, irrigators got an initial allocation of 215,000. Still, that is vastly improved over last year's 50,000 acre-feet supply

#### Napa Valley winegrape grower testifies before House panel on wildfire dangers

As the 2017 Tubbs Fire was bearing down on his vineyards, sixth-generation Napa Valley winegrape grower Johnnie White battled the blaze with the St. Helena Fire Department. White testified last week before the House Committee on Natural Resources about the consequences of the fires on rural communities, urging proactive steps including increasing removal of wildfire fuels. He told lawmakers that "our industry continues to witness damage and destruction to our livestock, commodities, farms, ranches, wineries, farm homes, employee housing and equipment."

#### Almond Board announces new members after elections

The Almond Board of California has announced the election of five voting members for the panel that directs global market development for the almond sector. New member Kelli Evans is a co-op grower from Evans Farming in Live Oak. Members re-elected were: Paul Ewing, an independent grower from Los Banos, Alexi Rodriguez, an independent handler with Campos Brothers in Caruthers, Alicia Rockwell, a co-op handler with Blue Diamond Growers in Sacramento, and Darren Rigg, an independent handler from Minturn Nut Co. Inc. in Le Grand.

## **Gridley Thumbs and Roots**



By Barbara Ott

The plants are working hard to reserve water. Leaves are curling, some are withering for the good of others. Herbaceous plants have little openings called stomas or stomata. These are microscopic openings or pores in the underside "skin" of leaves.

The stomas are like little sets of itty-bity lips that open and close. The stomas have two rounded sausage-like parts that open and close the tiny opening. A stomate opens and closes in response to the internal pressure created in the little "lips." Also called "guard cells." The inner wall of a guard cell is thicker than the outer wall. When the guard cell fills with water it becomes full. The outer wall balloons outward, drawing the inner wall with it and causing the stomate to enlarge. The guard cells work to control excessive water loss. On a hot, dry, or windy day they close. Then open when conditions are more favorable. Most plants, the dawn triggers stomatal opening. This reaches a maximum near noon, which is followed by a decline because of water loss. Sometimes you can see moisture dripping

Fishing rating scale: (b) Excellent • (a) Good • (g) Poor (bad)

on leaves, sometimes it is in gas form. A fancy word for this process is evapotranspiration. This process stops as darkness approaches. Some plants such as Bromeliads Crassulaceae (Jade Plants) have an alternative form of photosynthesis, their stomata open at night to reduce water loss.

When the heat is over 100, this stresses most plants and their little lippy cooling system. When this system is attacked by excessive heat the leaves crinkle and dry up. All of this behavior is a part of photosynthesis. All this gas exchange can be tiring when it is 100 and plants really like it to be no more than 85. This is one reason it is easier on plants to water them early in the morning.



It's a Guideline, Not a Rule

Dear Dave,

Is there any flexibility in your rule about not spending more than 25% of your take-home pay on rent or monthly mortgage payments? I live downtown in Washington, D.C., and I'm finding it's pretty hard to do here. I make about \$90,000 a year, but I'm spending a little over \$2,000 a month in rent. Rent is my largest expense by far, and I don't spend a lot of other money, so I'm still able to save a little and do other things. Can you give me your opinion about this approach?

- Tanner

Dear Tanner,

True, I advise people to spend no more than 25% of their take-home pay on housing. Math still works in every city and state in the country. You don't get a pass on math just because you live in Washington, D.C., even though Congress and a lot

### **Dave Ramsey Says**

of other people there think you do.

But there's really nothing magical about 25%. The purpose behind it is, I don't want you to be house poor. If you find yourself still able to save and invest because you keep other financial aspects of your lifestyle so low, then you're okay. The problem with most people starts when they've got a high cost of housing, and those payments put a real squeeze on their budgets. It doesn't leave them enough room to save up to buy the next car, so that car becomes debt. The same thing happens with Christmas and vacations and everything else. They don't have enough extra money to save for things because a huge chunk of their income is flying out the door every month wrapped up in rent or a house payment.

Now, you're telling me your situation works for you because you've made room in your budget and live a very frugal lifestyle by choice. That's cool. I'm not mad at you about that. But here's the thing: Whatever you spend on rent disappears. And the more money you burn, the less you've got on hand for other things.

I'm not exactly sure how you adjust that in your situation. Maybe you move outside the city and commute, or perhaps you add a roommate into the equation. Or, maybe you're fine with how things are and that's the way you want to live. That's okay too. But my reasoning behind the 25% figure—which is actually more of a guideline than a rule—is so you don't become house poor. I want you to be able to save, invest and give generously. Plus, I want you to own your own home one day.

And you won't be able to do that if everything you make is going toward big

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 the company Ramsey Solutions.

### **LOCAL FISHING**

Bowman Lake Loop Series #6

Brownie's

A Frenchman, P. Faucherie, discovered this small lake (Faucherie Lake) in the late 1800s. The road in is 4X4 only and no trailers. Campsites are primitive and creek water must be boiled. Cross the dam and launch pontoon or belly boats here. This isolated lake is not planted and the native rainbows are small. Best baits are Panther Martin.



**Panther Martin** 

#### SAN FRANCISCO BAY-DELTA

Alcatraz Island gives up captive halibuts. Try: fresh live Anchovy. (b) Also; striped bass located below the Bay Bridge. Try: Jumbo Minnows. (a) Delta; Dekker Island stripers. Six to ten pound fish caught. Trolling incoming tide. Try: Rebel (b) Note: a huge sturgeon took the bait, pulled off 300 feet of line then broke off!! Bodega Bay; high winds force anglers to fish inshore shallows. Vermillion, canary, brown, black, rockfish are numerous. Try: Shrimp Fly or Swimbait. (b)

#### **COASTAL WATERS**

Albacore found at Cresent City; 43 miles offshore. Try: 6" Cedar Plug. (a) Farallon Islands gives up blue fin tuna and several albacore. Try: 6" Cedar Plug. (a)

#### LAKES RESERVOIRS

Davis Lake; limits of 10 rainbows up

to 20-inches. Jigging 18ft deep. Try: Leech Fly. (b) Lake Almanor; fish the spring inlet areas. Slow troll on bottom



Leech Fly

for 8 lb. rainbows. Try: Nightcrawlers or Meal Worms. (b) Bullards Bar Reservoir; Koke limits. Fish the Yuba River inlet for pre-spawn fish (kypes on males, olive green heads, reddish bodies) Try: Hoochie. (b) Stampede Reservoir; 15 pound mackinaws caught. Trolling



Kokanee Cut Plug

deep and slow...Try: Kokanee Cut Plug loaded with Sardine filet. (a)

#### RIVERS

Lower Columbia River Chinook Salmon. Release all clipped fin fish. Troll...Try: Salmon Spreader Blades. (b) A fool and his bait are soon parted.

Plenty of time to "Chew the fat." ~ Brownie

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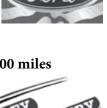


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## **Christmas Concert Rehearsals** Begin in September



Thanks to all in the community who supported the Fish Tales Music Camp. The kids had a great time! Many of these kids will be participating in the Christmas musical in December. Rehearsals begin Tuesday, September 5th 3:30-5 PM for children 4 years old through eighth grade. Call Bonnie at (530)933-9845 to register your child or for more information. Gridley Christian Church is located at 580 Washington Street. Photo courtesy of Gridley Christian Church

## Oakland Man Found Dead in **U-Haul Truck Killed in Butte County**

**BCSO News Release** 

BUTTE COUNTY, CA (MPG) - On August 4, 2023, an individual contacted the San Francisco Police Department and indicated he had a deceased person inside a U-Haul. San Francisco Police Department personnel located a deceased male inside the U-Haul. The deceased male was later identified as Alexander Licona-Romero, age 21, of Oakland. San Francisco Police Department personnel located evidence indicating the death occurred in the Berry Creek area of Butte County. The San Francisco Police Department contacted the Butte County Sheriff's Office (BCSO).

During an investigation, BCSO located evidence that Licona-Romero and at least two other individuals traveled from the Bay Area to Berry Creek. Upon arrival in Berry Creek, the individuals committed an armed robbery at an illegal marijuana grow. During the armed robbery, Licona-Romero was shot. After Licona-Romero was shot, at least two individuals transported Licona-Romero to the Bay Area. One of the individuals later reported the incident to the San Francisco Police Department.

This investigation is ongoing and anyone with information is encouraged to call the Butte County Sheriff's Office Felony Investigations Unit at (530) 538-7671.

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## **School Bus Safety**

More than 22 million students, nationwide, ride on school buses. According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration most children hurt by school buses are injured when boarding or exiting the bus because they are in places that are not visible to the driver. Buses are big and heavy; drivers don't always have the best visibility. Even parents dropping off, or picking up their kids from the bus can be hurt if they put themselves in dangerous places where the driver can't see them. Buses can also block the view of other drivers. CAL FIRE/Gridley Fire Department would like to offer these helpful tips for some safe:

- Stay away from the bus' rear wheels at all times.
- Stay away from traffic.

 When waiting for the school bus, stay back and away from the street until the bus comes to a complete stop, and the door

 Hold the handrail while going up or down the steps.

Do not stand up in a moving bus.

 Never stick hands, arms, or head out of the window, and never throw things out of the windows or on the bus.

 Keep aisles clear. Book bags should be kept on laps.

 When exiting, always cross the street in front of the bus.

 Do not run into the street; always look both ways before crossing.

Thank You, and Be Safe!!

Sparky the Dog **Gridley Fire Station 74** 

## **Adventist Health and Rideout Earns National Recognition**

Adventist Health and Rideout News Release

MARYSVILLE, CA (MPG) - Adventist Health and Rideout has earned the American Heart Association's Get With The Guidelines® - Stroke GOLD PLUS quality achievement award for its commitment to ensuring stroke patients receive the most appropriate treatment.

This commitment is leading to more lives saved and reduced disability for our patients. In fact, in a 2022 assessment of patients' conditions 30 days after being discharged, 84 percent of patients had either slight disability or no symptoms after receiving thrombolysis treatment to break up blood clots caused by a stroke.

Adventist Health and Rideout has also been named to both the Stroke Elite Honor Roll and the Type 2 Diabetes Honor Roll. The Stroke Elite Honor Roll award was earned for Adventist Health and Rideout's success in reducing the time between a stroke victim's arrival at the hospital and the start of treatment. The Type 2 Diabetes Honor Roll was achieved by ensuring patients with Type 2 diabetes receive the most up-to-date, evidence-based care after suffering a stroke.

"Adventist Health and Rideout is on a pathway to excellence. Every physician, nurse and ancillary health care professional possesses an unwavering dedication to the highest quality care for the community we are privileged to serve," said Chris Champlin, Adventist Health and Rideout President.

"This honor spotlights that dedication and is an indicator to the community of our progress along the pathway. I am incredibly proud of our doctors, nurses and ancillary professionals. This is a

well-deserved recognition," Champlin

Stroke is the No. 5 cause of death and a leading cause of disability in the U.S. A stroke occurs when a blood vessel that carries oxygen and nutrients to the brain is either blocked by a clot or bursts. When that happens, part of the brain cannot get the blood and oxygen it needs, so brain cells die. Early stroke detection and treatment are key to improving survival, minimizing disability, and accelerating recovery times.

Get With The Guidelines puts the expertise of the American Heart Association and American Stroke Association to work for hospitals nationwide, helping ensure patient care is aligned with the latest research and evidence-based guidelines. Get With The Guidelines - Stroke is an in-hospital program for improving stroke care by promoting consistent adherence to these guidelines, which can minimize the long-term effects of a stroke and even prevent death.

Each year, program participants qualify for the award by demonstrating how their organization has committed to providing quality care for stroke patients. In addition to following treatment guidelines, Get With The Guidelines participants also educate patients to help them manage their health and recovery at home.

Get With The Guidelines® is the American Heart Association/American Stroke Association's hospital-based quality improvement program that provides hospitals with the latest research-based guidelines. Developed with the goal of saving lives and hastening recovery, Get With The Guidelines has touched the lives of more than 12 million patients since 2001. For more information, visit heart.org

## Wells Fargo Announces Sponsorship of **Financial Management Training Program**



Wells Fargo representatives shown making the donation to the business program to SBDC staff.

Special SBDC Release

CHICO, CA (MPG) - Wells Fargo announced their sponsorship of a Financial Management Training Program for small business owners in Northern California, to be administered by Sacramento Valley Small Business Development Center (SBDC) and Butte College Small Business Development Center (SBDC). With the combined sponsorship of \$30,000, the centers will host eight cohorts of the training series (four per center) from June 2023 to May 2024. The series will be offered at no charge to businesses throughout the eight counties that the two centers serve: Sacramento, Yolo, Sutter, Yuba, Butte, Tehama, Colusa, and Glenn Counties. Each cohort will receive about eight hours of training. The series will be offered in-person and online.

"The U.S. economy is powered by small businesses and Wells Fargo is committed to helping them succeed financially and strengthening the small business sector for the long term," said Kevin Barri, Wells Fargo Region Bank President, Northern Golden State Region. "Wells Fargo's goal is to support programs that empower as many small businesses as possible, with a strong emphasis on supporting the needs faced by diverse small business owners."

A total of 160 small and micro-enterprise businesses are anticipated to take advantage of the program, which will cover important topics such as understanding financial statements; ratio and trend analysis; using financial tools to make good business decisions; and forecasting and budgeting as tools to improve profits. Participants will also benefit from one-on-one free advising from their respective SBDC.

For business owners with expertise in their industries, but who might be less familiar with the technical side of running a profitable business, opportunities to learn financial management strategies are crucial. With the support of Wells Fargo, the Financial Management Training Program will prepare small business owners for success and growth.

For more information, contact Sophie Konuwa, Director, Butte College at 530-895-9017.

For training registration visit https:// www.buttecollegesbdc.com/events/





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#### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENTS

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000663 The following person(s) are doing business as: Pure Water Pools, 3028 Esplanade Suite E, Chico, CA 95973

Ben P Rist, 39 El Cerritos Drive, Chico, CA 95973, and Ryan Gaytan, 2257 Moyer Way, Chico, CA 95926

Date filed in Butte County: July 19, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: July 18, 2023.

This Business is conducted by A General Partnership. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000669 following person(s) are doing business as: Fabrication ETC, 1125 Sheridan Avenue 1125 Sheridan Avenue Unit 50, Chico, CA 95926 Vaughn W Harold, 1125 Sheridan Avenue Unit 50, Chico, CA 95926

Date filed in Butte County: July 21, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A.

This Business is conducted by: An Individual. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this state-ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023 8-25-23 FABRICATION

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000643 The following person(s) are doing business as: Celestinos Live From NY/Celestinos NY Pizza, 101 Salem Street Suite 100, Chico, CA 95928

Date filed in Butte County: July 13, 2023. Celestino Eno LLC. 101 Salem Street Suite 100, Chico, CA 95928. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: January 1, 2009.

This Business is conducted by: A Limited Liability Company. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023 CELESTINŎS

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000673 The following person(s) are doing business as: Waterstone Services LLC, 14063 Morning Glory Place, Chico, CA 95973 Kathy Stone, 14063 Morning Glory Place, Chico, CA 95973 Date filed in Butte County: July 26, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name

on: July 21, 2023. This Business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2023 WATERSTONE 8-2

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000670 The following person(s) are doing business as: Churro's Daisy, 771 Oro Dam W Boulevard, Oroville, CA 95965

Victor Hugo Guido and Deisy Guido, 1058 Sage Street, Gridley, CA 95948 Date filed in Butte County: July

24, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 12/1/2020

This Business is conducted by: A Married Couple. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000679 The following person(s) are doing business as: 110 Alpha, 9436 Corbett Court, Durham, CA 95938

John A Moss, 9436 Corbett Court, Durham, CA 95938 Date filed in Butte County: July 28, 2023. The Registrant com-

menced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A This Business is conducted by:

CA 95969 An Individual. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was

filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this state-ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000685 The following person(s) are doing business as: Aeonian Permanent Jewelry, 1638 Crest Drive, Oroville, CA 95965 Mai Yer Thao, 1638 Crest Drive, Oroville, CA 95965

Date filed in Butte County: July 31, 2023. The Registrant com-menced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A

This Business is conducted by: An Individual. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000675 The following person(s) are doing business as: The Blind Spot, 3053 Oro Bangor Highway, Oroville, CA 95966 Carl L. Young, SR, 3053 Oro

Bangor Highway, Oroville, CA Date filed in Butte County: July

26, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 7/25/2023

This Business is conducted by: An Individual. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000687 The following person(s) are doing business as: CR Creative Crafts, 3177 Via Casita Place, Chico, CA 95928 Casey B Rolfe, 3177 Via Casita

Place, Chico, CA 95928 Date filed in Butte County: August 1, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 7/27/2023

This Business is conducted by: An Individual. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this state-ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023 **CREATIVE** 

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000650 The following person(s) are doing business as: Ryans Garage LLC, 352 4th Avenue, Chico, CA 95926 Ryans Garage LLC, 352 4th Avenue, Chico, CA 95926

Date filed in Butte County: July 14, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 6/12/2023

This Business is conducted by: A Limited Liability Company. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code Publish: August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000707 The following person(s) are doing business as: Tee's Sweets/ Tees Sweets/T'S Sweets, 1991 Potter Road, Chico, CA 95928

Triton Inc., 1991 Potter Road,

Chico, CA 95928 Date filed in Butte County: August 8, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A

This Business is conducted by: Corporation. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this state-ment does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000709 The following person(s) are doing business as: Research 2000. 4435 Sierra Del Sol, Paradise,

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Debra L Stroschein, 4435 Sierra Del Sol, Paradise, CA 95969 Date filed in Butte County: August 9, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 12/27/1999

This Business is conducted by: An Individual. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish August 18, 25, Sept 1, 8, 2023

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000639 The following person(s) are doing business as: La Michoacan, 2030 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Oroville, CA 95965

Daniel Olivar and Karla Alcantar 241 Indiana Street, Gridley, CA 95948 Date filed in Butte County: July

12, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 12/9/2022

This Business is conducted by: A General Partnership. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish August 18, 25, Sept 1, 8, 2023 MICHOACĂN

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000702 The following person(s) are doing business as: Tiley, 6211 Forgotten Way, Paradise, CA Ryan R Mulford, 6211 Forgotten

Way, Paradise, CA 95969 Date filed in Butte County: August 7, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: July 27, 2023

This Business is conducted by: An Individual, NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish August 25, Sept 1, 8, 15, 2023 9-15-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000712 The following person(s) are doing business as: Oregrown, 1408 Park Avenue, Chico, CA 95928 Chico Flagship, LLC, 679 E 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Chico, CA 95928 Date filed in Butte County: August 11, 2023. The Registrant

commenced to transact business under the above business. name on: January 1, 2021

A limited Liability Company. NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish August 25, Sept 1, 8, 15, 2023 9-15-23 OREGROWN

#### NOTICE OF PETITION TO **ADMINISTER ESTATE**

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF NEVA JEAN BROMBERG CASE NO. 23PR00355

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate of Neva Jean Bromberg.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Dawn Judd, in the Superior Court of California, County of Butte, requesting Dawn Judd be appointed as per sonal 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 Estate's 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: September 12, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 1. Superior Court of California, County of Butte, 1775 Concord Avenue, Chico, CA 95928.

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 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: Brian DeAmicis 2377 Gold Meadow Way #100, Gold River, CA 95670; 916-440-8833

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: TWILA EILEEN ANDERS AKA TWILA E. ANDERS AKA TWILA EILEEN KNAPP CASE NO. 23PR00361

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the WILL or estate, or both of TWILA EILEEN ANDERS AKA TWILA E. ANDERS AKA TWILA EILEEN

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by GABRIAL A. ANDERS in the Superior Court of California, County of Butte. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that GABRIAL A. ANDERS be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will

be held in this court as follows: 09/12/23 at 9:00AM in Dept. TBD located at 1775 CONCORD AVE., CHICO, CA 95928 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 per-

son or by your attorney.

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

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Attorney for Petitioner
TEAL SCHOONOVER, ESQ. -SBN 318672 HUSCH BLACKWELL 355 S. GRAND AVE, STE 2850 LOS ANGELES CA 90071 Telephone (213) 356-2958 8/11, 8/18, 8/25/23 CNS-3725917# GRIDLEY HERALD 8-25-23

#### SUMMONS

SUMMONS CROSS-COMPLAINT (CITACION JUDICIAL-CONTRADEMANDA CASE NUMBER: 34-2021-00313216 NOTICE TO CR DEFENDANT: (AVISO CROSS

CONTRA-DEMANDADO); Daniel Lopez Leon; Ellis Kathy Rodriguez; Jesus J. Sandoval Hernandez; Jesus Sandoval Cervantes; And does 1 through 10. Inclusive YOU ARE BEING SUED BY CROSS-COMPLAINANT: BY

ESTA DEMANDANDO (LO CONTRADEMANDANTE); State of California, Department of Transportation NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against

you without your being heard uness you respond within 30 days. Read the information below You have 30 CALENDAR

DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear vour case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at

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 Web site (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.
Tiene 30 DIAS DE
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 leyes 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 poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. AVISO: Por lev. 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

The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y direccion de la corte es): Sacramento County Superior Court, 720 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA

que la corte pueda desechar el

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): Monika D. Troike; Jones & Dyer, 3031 F Street Suite 101, Sacramento, CA 95816.

Date: (Fecha) 2/23/2023 (Secretario) B. Pool, Clerk Deputy (Adjunto) August 11, 18, 25, Sept 1, 2023 STATE 9-1-23

SUMMONS (CITACION JUDICIAL) CASE NUMBER: 23CV00914 NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: (Aviso Al Demandado): Rotssana Medrano and does

1-10, Inclusive YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: (Lo Esta BY PLAINTIFF: (Lo Esta Demandando El Demandante): Butte Credit. NOTICE! You have been sued.

The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days.

Read the information below. You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your cáse. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at 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.

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Tiene 30 DIAS DE 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 Avuda 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 bodra 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 poniéndose 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.

The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y direccion de la corte es): Superior Court of California, 1775 Concord Avenue, Chico, CA 95928

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): Joseph L Selby, 60 Declaration Drive Suite A, Chico, CA 95973. 530-715-7688 Date: (Fecha) 4/6/2023

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#### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

OF TRUSTEE'S NOTICE SALE T.S. No. 48047584 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 12/15/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: CHARLES STAFFORD, SINGLE Α Duly Appointed PERSON Trustee: IDEA LAW GROUP, PC Recorded 12/21/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0066863 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of BUTTE County, California, Street Address or other common designation of real property: 902 KENTUCKY ST GRIDLEY, CA 95948 A.P.N.: 009-081-013-000 Date of Sale: 9/20/2023 at 3:30:00 PM Place of Sale: Butte County Courthouse, Court Street, Oroville, CA 95965 Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$304,649.79, Estimated. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for

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**Team Serves in Ecuador** 

## CAL FIRE Officers Make an Arson Arrest First Baptist Father-Son Missionary

CAL FIRE Butte County Fire Dept. News Release

BUTTE COUNTY, CA (MPG) - On Monday, August 7, 2023 in the afternoon, while patrolling the area of Riverbend Park in Oroville, CAL FIRE Law Enforcement Officers observed a man standing on a bike trail surrounded by dry annual grass and brush. At 4:47 pm minutes after the officers left the park, a vegetation fire was dispatched by Oroville Emergency Command Center.

The fire investigation led officers to suspect matching the description of the person they had encountered earlier.

Tuesday afternoon, a Butte County Judge issued a warrant for the arrest of the subject, Russell Ellison, age 40.

The officers returned to Riverbend Park with the warrant found Mr. Ellison, and placed him under arrest. He was transferred to the Butte County Jail and charged with three crimes:

Penal Code 451(c), arson to wildland (felony)

Penal Code 422 (a), making criminal threats (felony)

Health and Safety Code 11364 (a), possession of narcotics paraphernalia (misdemeanor)

Ellison's bail was set at \$125,000.

#### a church in Chone, in the Ecuadorian lowlands, nearer the coast. Henry described Inez as a "person of peace," like Lydia in the New Testament (Acts 16:13-15).

The Chone church now serves over 200 congregants. During his recent mission trip, Henry preached to the members. Henry focuses on two things. First is, "The relationship that you really can have with God. That's a real thing." Secondly, "You need to honor the Lord in a church that believes what the Bible savs." Henry describes Southern Baptists as "people of the book."

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Henry and Lucas also taught in the barrios of Chone, sitting in chairs under street lights and in community centers. They taught members how to share their faith and also made pastoral visits to their homes. Henry started street discussions by asking, "Are you a good person?" He then taught about how Jesus Christ saves them from sin.

The people of Chone are very poor, because there is little work. Those who work are taxi drivers or work in shops and restaurants. Henry said they are looking for hope and are open to the gospel,



Gridley, stands in front of the Iglesia Christiana Bautista church in Chone, Ecuador. Daniel Bermeo, the local pastor, stands in the doorway. Photo provided by David Henry

like Jesus, who "Came to the least of these, the widow, the orphan, the prisoner, the sick. They were listening to him."

The Henrys have nine children, and all of them have accompanied Pastor Henry or Keisha Henry, his wife, on missions. Lucas served by telling his own faith story, sharing Bible stories, and participating with young people in activities such as soccer and crafts. Traveling down to Chone, a nearly two-day trip, involves flights to Los Angeles, then Miami, then Quito, with a four-hour bus ride to Chone.

The Henrys fund their own mission trip expenses, with the help of generous members of the First Baptist Church in Gridley. The Church belongs to the Southern Baptist Convention, a national organization of churches heavily focused on international missionary work.

In this work, Henry shares the message of the Garden of Eden, and the choice of Adam and Eve that brought sin into the world, Henry said, "God made this perfect world, and it all went haywire. He didn't blow it up and start over again, he sent himself, Jesus, into the world, to give us grace. The blood of Jesus pays for all of our sin."

### **Detectives on the Trail of Crossbow Shooter**

Sutter County Sheriff's Dept. News Release

SUTTER COUNTY, CA (MPG) - On May 24, 2023, at approximately 12:24 pm, the Sutter County Sheriff's Office was dispatched to the area of Lincoln Road and Clements Road in Yuba City, reference a calf being shot by a crossbow bolt. An additional calf was located at the scene which was fatally shot by a crossbow bolt. Both crossbow bolts were recovered for evidence.

On July 25, 2023, at approximately 1:30 pm, the Sutter County Sheriff's Office received a call regarding a deceased mare (female horse) that was located on a property on South Butte Road in Sutter. Deputies and Animal Control responded to the scene and contacted the property owner. During the investigation, it was discovered the mare had been shot in the head by what we believe to have been a crossbow, immediately killing the mare. No crossbow bolt was located as we believe the suspect(s) had removed the crossbow bolt prior to fleeing the scene.

If anyone has information regarding these cases, the Sutter County Sheriff's Office urges them to call Detective Evans at (530) 822-2210. Your assistance can play a crucial role in helping to apprehend those responsible and preventing future incidents.



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08/25/2023, Trustee Sale No. 132079-5 Loan No. 21-129CF Title Order No. 95313610 APN 010-190-014-000 TRA No. NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 09/17/2021. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION THE NATURE OF THE OCEEDINGS AGAINST PROCEEDINGS YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT LAWYER. MORTGAGE LENDER SERVICES, INC. as the duly appointed Trustee WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state of federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state) all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust, described as follows: Trustor(s): DONALD F. DUPONT, JR. AND JERRE HAYNES Deed of Trust: recorded on 09/23/2021 as Document No. 2021-0006575 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Plumas County California, Date of Trustee's Sale: 09/19/2023 at 11:00 AM Trustee's Sale Location: At the main entrance to the County Courthouse located at 520 Main Street, Quincy, CA 95971 The property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: PARCEL 1: A PORTION OF THE SE 1/4 OF SECTION 35, T. 23N, R. 16E., M.D.M.AND MORE PARTICÚLARLY DESCRIBED

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THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SW 1/4 OF THE SE 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 35; THENCE ALONG THE EAST LINE THEREOF S 00° 34` 38` W, 286.45 FEET TO THE NORTHERLY LINE OF U.P.R.R. RIGHT OF THENCE ALONG SAID NORTHERLY LINE N 85° 43' 03' W, 1319.17 FEET TO THE WEST LINE OF THE SE 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 35; THENCE ALONG SAID WEST LINE, N 00° 51° 33° E, 200.79 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE PARCELS SHOWN ON THE MAP FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE BECORDER OF SAID PLUMAS COUNTY IN BOOK 11 OF PARCEL MAPS, AT PAGE 123; THENCE ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID PARCELS, S 89° 26` 26` E, 1315.42 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. PARCEL 2: A NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR ROAD PURPOSES AND PUBLIC UTILITY PURPOSES OVER A STRIP OF LAND 60.00 FEET IN WIDTH, BEING THE EASTERLY 60.00 FEET OF PARCEL 4 OF BOOK 11 OF PARCEL MAPS, AT PAGE 123. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 93696 HIGHWAY 70, CHILCOOT, CA 96105. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any in-correctness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: \$2,652,113.73\* (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The Beneficiary may elect to bid less than the full credit bid. The Note is additionally secured by Deeds of Trust recorded on 09/23/2021 as Document No. 2021-0119398- 00 in the Official Records of Placer County and on 09/23/2021 as Document No. 2021-136085 in the Official Records of San Mateo County. The beneficiary under said Deed Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have

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Notice of Trustee's Sale No. 1168522

Loan No. Title Order No. APN 024-250-006 TRA No. You Are In Default Under A Deed Of Trust Dated 12/08/2021. Unless You Take Action To Protect Your Property, It May Be Sold At A Public Sale. If You Need An Explanation Of The Nature Of The Proceedings Against You, You Should Contact A Lawyer On 09/18/2023 at 03:30PM, First American Title Insurance Company as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded on December 29, 2021 as Number Document 0055472 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Butte County, California, executed by: Sumanpreet Singh, a married man, Sarabjit Singh Bhullar, a married man, and Natarjan Gutta, a married man, as Trustor, Tierra Partners V LP, as Beneficiary, Will Sell At Public Auction To The Highest Bidder For Cash (navable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state) At: steps of County Courthouse One Court Street, Oroville, CA, all right, title and interest conveved to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County California describing the land in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any of the real property described above is purported to be: APN: 024-250-006-000. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrance es, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with inter est thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: \$1,578,795.58 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Notice To Potential Bidders: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before vou can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to

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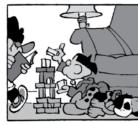


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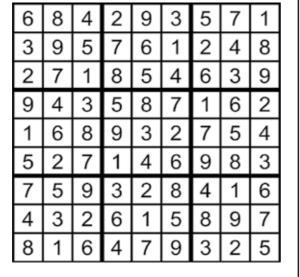
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## Thoughts to Ponder Slim Randles' HOME COUNTRY

by Kathy Neal

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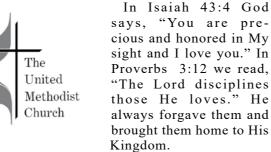
"I've told you over and over not to do that! How many times does it take to sink in? That will hurt you! Don't do it!" Sound familiar? Mom says: "Put that down. You'll poke your eye out!" Dad says: "Stay away from that

saw! You'll cut your fingers off!" Over and over we are instructed by parents, guardians, and teachers to practice and obey rules set forth to protect us.

Sometimes it sinks in, sometimes not. They say the fastest thing on earth is a toddler with something he or she should not have. Run, run got to get away. Ha!

The Jews (the Hebrew people) tried the same thing as they disobeyed their Lord's commands and rules in the new land. Idols were in play. New gods came into the picture and God told them over and over, to "knock it off!"

But the bull-headed people reaped what they deserved. God as a loving father had to discipline His misbehaving kids. We think it was harsh but when a chosen nation disobeys and causes other to fall away from God, discipline was called for.



Discipline hurts, it comes with consequences. Lost homes, lost land, lost cities, and lost power were some of the consequences. Even as humans today we dislike to be punished when we do wrong. But we do learn what is right and what is

Some people think God is issuing punishment upon our country and people because we have pushed Him out of our country, our schools, and our families. Could that be why things are so bad now? Let's heed the calling and go back to God's rules and laws. He loves us and He doesn't want to lose even one of us. He forgives with open arms.

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Oh, we could always just go ask Delbert Chin why he did it, but that would take all the fun out of it. You know. So we sat and sipped at the world dilemma think tank meeting of Everything Important down at the Mule Barn truck stop and talked it over.

It was probably inspired by Jasper Blankenship bringing cookies down from the diggin's and passing them out, along with a compliment for each recipient. Others in town did likewise, including Delbert Chin, whose immaculate Gates of Heaven Chinese restaurant is a favorite for special times. Delbert got in the spirit of cookies and

## How you think he's gonna get out?

passed out fortune cookies on the street to all concerned, wishing each of us a good fortune. He lit up when he did it, you could see. Maybe that's what happened.

It was less than a week later. Delbert brought out a large glass jar full of water and punched small holes in the lid. He set it on a small table just inside the front door to the Gates and put a sign on it: "World Famous Invisible Golden Trout."

Problem was no one could see the fish. When he was asked about it, he said he caught it in Owens Lake, which is dry. He also added he caught it on a dry fly, naturally.

He had a kind of smirk about his mouth when he answered these questions, but it didn't stop every kid and half the adults in town from coming in and looking in that glass jar to see if they could spot the fish.

It was a tourist lady who finally did it, though. She confronted Delbert directly.

"Sir," she proclaimed, "there's no fish in that jar over there. That's a lie!"

"Oh no!" said Delbert and ran to the jar. "Whew!" he said with relief. "For a while I thought he was gone, you know."

"There's no fish in there!" she said.

"Ma'am," Delbert said. "He's more than eight inches long. You see those little-bitty holes? How you think he's gonna get out?"

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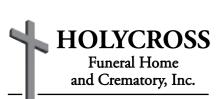
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# **Notorious Hate Crime Revisited**

Story by Susan Meeker

COLUSA, CA (MPG) - A convicted killer was sentenced last week to 120 days in Colusa County jail for violating the terms of his parole - again.

Prior to his release from prison, Marvin Dean Noor, 61, of Colusa, spent decades in maximum security for one of the most notorious racially motivated murders in Northern California.

"Marvin Dean Noor was released on parole on April 17, 2018, after having served 38 years on a first-degree murder conviction for the intentional and senseless killing of Jimmy Lee Campbell," said Special Prosecutor Matthew Beauchamp, of the Colusa County District Attorney's Office. "Campbell, a young black man, was shot in the back simply for being African American."

Noor, who reportedly led a criminal life since he was 13, along with longtime friend James Thomas McCarter, and Noor's girlfriend Dani Shope, were convicted of killing Campbell on the evening of Jan. 14, 1979, as he walked along Park Avenue in Chico after leaving the roller rink.

Campbell, who was deaf, would not have heard Noor's car pull slowly up behind him as McCarter leveled a 30-30 rifle at his back and pulled the trigger; nor would Campbell hear the gunshot as the bullet tore through his left shoulder, broke a rib, and traveled into his heart, slicing his aorta.

Noor would later confess to police that he saw Campbell jerk, clutch his shoulder, and stumble a few steps, but that he sped the car away before Campbell fell, hitting his forehead on the railroad tracks and sprawling face up in death, as he would be discovered a short time later by a passing motorist.

According to news reports, the case would likely have gone unsolved but for the drunken and exuberant boasting of two of the culprits, who, using racial slurs, bragged about killing black people in Chico and Oroville.

Noor, who was 19 at the time, Shope, 24, and McCarter, 20, all of Oroville, had reportedly spent the day drinking and smoking pot, after getting the rifle from Noor's mother's home in Oroville to poach deer in the hills.

They had spent the afternoon shopping in Marysville and, by the time they decided to go hunting, it was late in the evening. Failing to shoot a deer, they looked for a cow to shoot, but failed to spot any in the darkness and steady rain.

It was Noor's suggestion, at the urging of Shope to kill something, to hunt black people.

Later reports would say that Noor had a deep hatred for blacks from the many run-ins he had while locked up in the California Youth Authority as a juvenile. Noor, who had just been released from Preston a few months earlier. had a history of violence and was on probation for assault with a deadly weapon.

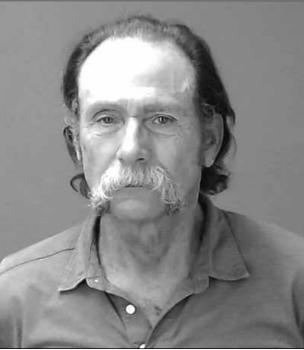
McCarter reportedly had black friends and had never been arrested but had been expelled from high school twice for offenses committed with Noor, who had the dominant personality.

Both McCarter and Noor would drop out of high school before graduating, leading lives they admitted revolved around drugs and alcohol. Shope had left her husband and children to live a carefree and wild lifestyle, reports said.

Already on his second bottle of rum after McCarter shot Campbell, Noor narrowly avoided a head-on collision on the road back to Oroville and crashed his Pontiac through a fence and into a

After passersby helped push the car out of the mud and back onto the road, the trio traveled into South Oroville, which had a large African American population. They soon spotted three young black men at a park.

This time, it was Noor's turn to shoot, but he fumbled with the trigger. The men, who watched the Pontiac slowly approach and saw the long barrel of the gun pointed at them through the window, dropped to the ground.



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couldn't fire, Noor sped

After midnight, three blocks from the park, Noor pulled slowly upon Michelle Knight, who was walking on Roseben Avenue with her purse in one hand and holding an umbrella with the other.

Noor called out to her, and she looked up. He fired. Knight screamed and crumpled to the ground as Noor sped away. Noor's bullet missed but had reportedly passed so close to Knight's cheek it left powder burns.

After dropping McCarter off a few blocks away, Noor and Shope drove around, shot out a few streetlights and at power poles, until deciding to go to Noor's brother David's home to tell him what they had done.

Noor's brother was asleep, but his girlfriend let them in and heard the confession and the drunken couple's exhilaration at what had transpired that night.

According to reports, Shope eagerly indicated that it would be "her turn next" to shoot.

The following morning, Noor and Shope returned the gun to his mother's home and went on about their day.

Within 24 hours of Campbell's murder, Noor, McCarter, and Shope had been arrested and were being integrated by police. David Noor's girlfriend, Frustrated that he Linda Hammersley, had

called the police after hearing the evening news that a body of a man, shot with a large caliber weapon, had been found in Chico. The news had not disclosed his race. A neighbor of Noor's brother had also called. She was awake when Marvin Noor and Shope bragged about killing a black man and a black woman, which she overheard through the thin walls of the adjoining apartments.

At the time of their admissions, Noor and Shope were unaware that Knight had not been hit and survived the attempt on her life.

New District Attorney Will Mattley, who was sworn in on Jan. 8, the week before Campbell was killed, swore to seek the death penalty, which had been reinstated in 1977 and went into effect on Jan. 1, 1979. The penalty for murder with special circumstances, such as killing a human being because of race, was death in San Quentin's gas chamber. Noor, McCarter, and Shope would be the first to be charged for a hate crime and tried under the new law.

But Mattley's confidence the case would hold waivered after defense attorneys repeatedly attacked many of the circumstances of Noor, Shope, and McCarter's arrests, largely on hearsay evidence, and irregularities in the process.

Gridley District Court Judge Steven McNelis, who authorized the search warrants for Marvin Noor's house, where he and Shope were arrested, and Noor's mother's home, where the gun was found, had also joined the police as an observer when the warrants were executed.

McCarter was arrested at his home late that same night without an arrest warrant, only after Noor and Shope implicated him for Campbell's murder during questioning.

Under a gag order, the case progressed secretly through the courts, until one year after Campbell's death, when Noor and McCarter pleaded guilty to first degree murder in a deal that dropped the special circumstance charge and the attempted murder of Knight.

The plea deal came with a 25-year-to-life sentence, if Noor and McCarter forfeited appeals, and an opportunity for parole. Shope had already pleaded guilty to second degree murder in exchange for testimony against the others and had been sentenced to only 15 years in prison.

The arrangement outraged Campbell's family, who only learned about it from news reports after Noor and McCarter entered their pleas. With the gag order lifted, the ghastly details of the murder spread quickly in news outlets across the country. The deal for all three killers angered the NAACP, which questioned a dual system of justice. Would the deal have been reached if the races of the victim and perpetrators were reversed?

California Attorney General George Deukmejian also questioned the DA dropping the special circumstance charge and was asked by Assembly Speaker Leo McCarthy to investigate.

A year later, McCarter did appeal his conviction, hoping to get the hearsay and search warrant evidence thrown out, but the court upheld their validity and the manner of the searches, and affirmed there was sufficient probable cause for his arrest, based on creditable informants.

"Officers knew a racially motivated murder had occurred in Chico the night before and that another murder could have occurred in Oroville," court records state. "Because of Shope's statement indicating 'her turn' was next, officers could reasonably have believed that the senseless shooting would continue."

Eventually, the murder and attempted murder of black people in Butte County would slip from peoples' memory, and all three involved in the crime would eventually be released.

Noor, who violated his parole and served a short stint in Sutter County Jail, in 2022, was arrested again by CDCR parole officers on July 14, at his residence in Colusa, for using and possessing alcohol, which is prohibited by terms of his prison release.

His parole officer, Agent M. Taylor, said the state frequently checks on Noor, but he would not say why he is living in Colusa rather than his home county, where the crime occurred, and where there are better resources to help parolees successfully reenter society.

Noor's release from prison and his presence in Colusa bothers Beauchamp.

"The State California's decision to release Noor is hard to reconcile with the depravity and cruelty of the underlying crime," Beauchamp said. "Since being released from prison, Noor has violated his parole multiple times, including weapons violations."

Beauchamp said the killer's release is just another example of California's failed public safety policies and agreed with Noor's parole officer that Noor's past criminal history and behavior while on parole places the community at risk.

"Colusa should not be a dumping ground," Beauchamp said. "Noor, who is not from Colusa County, has no business being on parole in the city of Colusa."

Sources: Chico News & Review; Chico Press-Enterprise; People v. McCarter (1981) California Court of *Appeals Third District.* ★

## Oroville Man Sentenced to 15 years to Life in Prison for Molesting Daughter

**Butte County DA News Release** 

BUTTE COUNTY, CA (MPG) - August 16, 2023 an Oroville man was sentenced to 15 years to life in prison for molesting his adopted daughter from the ages of nine to twelve years old.

The life sentence for Ralph Bogue, 60, was handed down August 16, by Superior Court Judge Jesus Rodriguez after Bogue admitted to years of abuse suffered by his adopted daughter while she was living with him and his wife. Bogue's wife is the victim's biological aunt, who adopted the victim several years ago. The victim lived in the home with Bogue, his wife, and their biological children, at a home in Oroville.

Butte County District Attorney Mike Ramsey said the case against Bogue began when the then 12-year-old victim disclosed to a family member in late 2022 about the ongoing sexual abuse. Investigators from the District Attorney's Office interviewed the victim, who disclosed the abuse at the hands of Bogue. The victim stated the abuse eventually progressed to explicit sexual abuse over the course of several years. The victim described Bogue forcefully dragging her to his room and throwing her down during the assaults. The victim also described Bogue waking her up in the middle of the night by dumping ice-cold water

on her, so that he could sexually abuse her under cover of darkness.

The victim stated that she had previously disclosed the abuse to other family members but was not believed and the abuse continued. After the investigation began in late 2022, Bogue was confronted by another family member about the abuse and admitted to inappropriately touching the victim. He was arrested and charged in February of 2023 and remained in custody at the Butte County Jail through sentencing.

At the sentencing hearing on August 16, the prosecutor handling the case read a statement from the now 13-year-old petite victim, who described the damage that 6-foot, 345-pound Bogue caused, and will continue to cause in her life. The victim stated he ruined her life, and her relationships with her family, but that she was glad he could no longer hurt her. The prosecutor noted that Bogue took advantage of a troubled young woman, who looked up to him as a father and violated her trust for his own perverse pleasure. The prosecutor commended the victim for being brave enough to come forward, despite previously having not been believed by her family, and for having the strength to follow through with the case to ensure there will be no future victims.

## 16-Year-old Oroville Minor Admits **Involuntary Manslaughter**

**Butte County DA News Release** 

BUTTE COUNTY, CA (MPG) - The 16-yearold Oroville youth who accidentally shot and killed his 13-year-old friend while both were in a stolen car was in juvenile court on August 9, 2023, and admitted guilt to a charge of involuntary manslaughter with the personal use of a firearm.

Butte County District Attorney Mike Ramsey said the teenager and three other boys, ages 13, 14, and 16, were joyriding in a stolen car with a handgun during the early morning hours of July 18, 2023. All had been playing with the firearm and, during the course of the evening, one of them had loaded the gun with ammunition. The handgun was being handled by the shooter in the back-passenger seat of the stolen vehicle when the weapon discharged. The 13-year-old victim, Amadeus Miller-Ramos, who was in the front passenger seat, was struck once in the back by a bullet. Ramos died as a result of the gunshot wound. The shooter claimed he did not know the weapon was loaded at the time it discharged.

After the shooting, the victim's body was placed in a field in Thermalito near the intersection of 18th Street and Tehama Avenue where he was eventually found. The teenagers in the vehicle all gave differing stories as to who participated in the disposal of the victim's body. The Butte County Sheriff's Office is continuing to investigate the other surviving boys concerning their culpability for other crimes committed in the early morning hours just before the 13-yearold's death.

Ramsey noted the 9 mm semi-automatic pistol believed used in this tragedy was stolen from a separate vehicle in the Oroville area the night before the shooting. The gun was later turned into the sheriff's office through a confidential source after the shooting.

Ramsey said, "This case is a sad reminder to us all that firearms are dangerous and should always be handled with care. Gun owners should make sure their weapons are stored safely to ensure that minors do not have easy access to them."

The teenage shooter will next appear at the Butte County Juvenile Court on September 13, 2023, at 8:30 a.m. for sentencing. He continues to remain in custody at Butte County Juvenile Hall pending this next hearing.

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## **Lions' New Attack Brings Excitement to Program**



Live Oak head coach Robert Tilton demonstrates during practice how he wants his players to hit the sleds during the Lions practice on Monday, August 7.

Story and photos by Steven Bryla

LIVE OAK, CA (MPG) - The Live Oak Lions football team looks to have a new identity this season as potential offensive changes add excitement throughout the program.

Live Oak started the year off to a hot 3-0 start in the 2022 football season, but eventually lost their next eight games in a row including a first round exit in the CIF Northern Section Division III playoffs to the eventual Section Champion and CIF Division 5-A State Champion Orland.

Lions head coach Robert Tilton expressed to the Herald that the level of competition they faced last season was rough, and it's not going to seem any easier as it appears that a lot of their competition in the Sacramento Valley League either got stronger or kept the same amount of depth.

Tilton told the Herald he is excited about this group of players he has this season as he added that they will have a lot of athletes on the field and that is huge for his program.

Taking snaps under center this season and starting the new offense for Tilton and Live Oak will be junior quarterback Aaron Rogers.

Tilton expressed to the Herald with Rogers being able to throw the ball with a lot of confidence, "Everyone has been excited about it, the coaches and the players so we're going to roll with it," Tilton said.

Tilton said that junior



A Live Oak player tackles a sled during the Lions practice on Monday, August 7 in Live Oak.

running back/wide receiver Tanner Tillotson and senior wide receiver/ corner back Noah Cuevas will be some of the go to targets in the air this season.

One of the biggest positives for Tilton and the Lions this season will be the return of their offensive line.

Tilton told the Herald that Live Oak is returning a lot of their defensive front players from last season and that was one of their strengths from last season. Some of the returners for the Lions on the defensive line include senior defensive tackles Ali Khan and Angel Trejo.

Tilton added that the biggest difference is the secondary this season is Live Oak will have players able to cover the deep ball in the secondary against the passing teams they face throughput the season. "We are going to have athletes that could actually cover the deep ball and it gives us a lot of coverage down field," Tilton said.

The Lions schedule

begins on Friday, September 1 when they travel to Oroville. Live Oak plays another tough schedule in the Sacramento Valley League as four out of the five teams in the SVL finished with a record of .500 or above throughout the season.

The Lions scored 22 points total in their five league games, we will see if they are able to expand that number by a landslide if the new passing attack option is successful.

The game everyone in Live Oak is looking forward to is the yearly Harvest Bowl game, which takes place on Friday, September 15 at Gridley. The Lions look to bring back the title for the first time since 11 years ago when Live Oak last won in

The Lions as a unit thrive for the game with Gridley and it is visible that you can read it off of their faces, but Live Oak will have to wait for the Bulldogs as they prepare for Oroville next Friday at their season opener.







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### Basic Sales and Use Tax & Online Filing Workshop (Chico)

Gain an understanding of sales and use tax, district tax, taxable and nontaxable labor, as well as foreign and interstate taxability. Find out if you need a seller's permit and learn how to complete a resale certificate. Understand what exemptions and deductions are

available and the formula for selling items "tax included". Get a solid foundation on record-keeping and filing requirements. See all the online services now available including registration, filing, payment, free industry tax guides and publications related to your business. Finally, get step-by-step instructions on how to file your Sales and Use Tax Return electronically using California Department of Tax and Fee Administration's new online services system. There will be plenty of time for questions and possess.

**Date/Time:** Wednesday, August 23, 2023; 9:00am — 11:00am **Cost/Location:** Free, Butte College SBDC, 2480 Notre Dame Blvd., Chico

#### Financial Management Series for Existing Businesses (Chico)

This 4-weeks, 2 hours per week series is designed to teach you how to utilize your financial statements to better manage and understand your business operations, cash flow, and profitability. Focus includes: Interpreting and understanding your financial statements (Profit & Loss, Balance Sheet) hands-on exercise and case study; Identifying cash flow cycle and how it impacts your business; Learning how to calculate & use financial ratios to troubleshoot fiscal dangers, and analyzing trends to improve business performance; Using financial tools to make good business decisions for effective spending & break-even analysis; Knowing how to think critically when looking at pricing and costs; and Developing forecasts and budgetary tools and techniques to improve profit.

**Date/Time:** Tuesdays, September 5, 12, 19, 26, 2023; 8:30am — 10:30am **Cost/Location:** Free, Butte College SBDC, 2480 Notre Dame Blvd., Chico

#### Common Problems Encountered with QuickBooks Desktop Accounting (Orland)

Accurate bookkeeping is critical for successfully managing your business; therefore, taking the time to understand how to correctly use your accounting program is key for your business financial success. This 2-hour workshop is for individuals who have already set up their QuickBooks Desktop system, have been working with the system for 6 months or more, and need help with ensuring that they are using the system correctly (i.e., performing the necessary reconciliations, matching and categorization properly). We will cover reconciling your bank and credit card accounts to your ledgers, problems with categorizations vs. matching vs. rules, understanding reporting and problem solving the data, cleaning up Accounts Payable and Accounts Receivable anomalies and cleaning up Balance Sheet misallocations. There will be plenty of time for questions and answers.

Date/Time: Wednesday, September 13, 2023; 9:00am — 11:00am
Cost/Location: Free; Butte College Glenn-County Center, 1366 Cortina Dr, Orland

#### **Branding Your Business (Paradise)**

If you are planning to grow your business, brand clarity is a must! Focusing on your customers and target audience are vital to the success of your branding. We will define the meaning of branding, discuss branding ideas and tips, the difference between branding and marketing, why branding is important to your business and customers, how to create your brand and a branding plan, and how to successfully measure the results.

Date/Time: Thursday, September 14, 2023; 9:00am — 11:00am

Cost/Location: Free: Paradise Chamber, 6161 Clark Rd., Paradise

#### Attract, Engage, and Retain Great Employees (Chico)

How do you "optimize" the talent on your team? How do you attract, and select great employees? How do you know if they are HAPPY and planning to STAY? What's the best way to ID what's getting in the way of each team member offering their best and highest contributions? Join us for a 2-hour rapid-fire workshop that will help you improve your company culture, engagement, and retention. This learning event will be facilitated by Melissa Ortiz, Business Owner and Talent Optimization Expert.

\*\*Date/Time:\* Wednesday, September 20, 2023; 8:30am — 10:30am

Cost/Location: Free; Butte College SBDC, 2480 Notre Dame Blvd., Chico

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