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## Letting It Flow!



The Oroville Dam Spillway released water in preparation for another incoming storm over the next few days. Photo courtesy Department of Water Resources

By Seti Long

**BUTTE COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - On Friday, March 10th, the Department of Water Resources (DWR) held a press conference regarding the impending release of water from the Oroville Dam. Deputy Director of Communications at DWR, Margaret Mohr introduced Ted Craddock, Deputy Director for the State Water Projects Operations (SWP), who spoke to the planned use of the spillway. Craddock explained that Lake Oroville is “part of the state water project, which is a system that spans the state and provides water to 27 million Californians. An important



Onlookers observe the spillway release. Photo DWR

function of Lake Oroville is it also provides flood protection for the communities downstream of the lake on the Feather River”. Recent heavy rains and storm runoff have elevated lake levels. At the time of the media briefing, Lake Oroville was at 2.7-million-acre feet of its 3.5 million acre feet capacity, up 1.7 million feet since December 1 of 2022. The elevation of lake waters has risen 180 feet since that date, equating to a total of 840 feet, and water levels then sat at 60 feet below the lakes

maximum water elevation. After closely monitoring storms and incoming weather patterns, Craddock said that the DWR and SWP teams expect between 20-40,000 cubic feet a second to enter the reservoir depending on the severity of incoming storms. According to Craddock, flood control operations such as this are performed in coordination with the U.S. Army Corps of engineers and that “up to 830,00 feet of space available on the lake (is) reserved for flood protection.” Friday, March 10 at noon, the 3,000-foot spillway was put into use for  
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## City Council Recognizes Outgoing and Incoming Rec Directors



Trina Leishman (left), who has led the city's rec department for nearly five years, will be succeeded by Ashley Ayala (right), a Gridley native excited to implement her ideas and continue the success of the department. Photo by Cindy Scott

By Cindy Scott

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - The Gridley City Council took time in their March 6 meeting to recognize Trina Leishman for her leadership of the city's Recreation Services for nearly five years. During Leishman's tenure, the Vierra Park playground saw a significant expansion, the tennis courts were renovated, and a \$3.5 million grant was secured for Phase I of the sports complex at the city's industrial park off Highway 99 on West Liberty Road. Phase I will include soccer fields, a bathroom/snack bar building, and landscaping. Leishman also organized the youth soccer and basketball programs, which saw a doubling of participants. The recent soccer season saw 504 participants, with the basketball program capped at 225 players for lack of facilities. She continued Breakfast with Santa and added a Community Picnic event. After a Covid break, Recreation Services will bring back Fishing Day on May 13 at Gray Lodge Wildlife Refuge. Because Recreation Services sponsors the Gridley Senior Center, Leishman assumed the task of delivering food commodities to seniors in Biggs, Gridley, and Live Oak during pandemic closures. She picked up the items in Oroville, and her children helped her assemble and deliver bags. The Senior Center is located in Vierra Park and is open Monday - Thursday, 9:00am - 2:00pm. Ashley Ayala, the new Recreation Director, is already shadowing Leishman and preparing to lead the department. Ayala grew up in Gridley, participating in and benefitting from its many recreation activities. Ayala had the opportunity to address the City Council and stated, “I know firsthand how important it is to have recreation in our community  
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## CAL Fire, Butte County Swiftwater Rescue Team Activated

**CAL FIRE/Butte County News Release**

**BUTTE COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - Due to current and forecast severe weather and flooding, the California State Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) has called on the CAL FIRE/Butte County Swiftwater Rescue Team to deploy to central California. The team left Butte Unit headquarters at 9:00 am Sunday to Paso Robles in San Luis Obispo County. The Type I Swiftwater Team is made up of 16 CAL FIRE/Butte County firefighters, four motorized Zodiac-type boats, four specially designed water rescue rafts, and all the equipment and supplies necessary to be self-contained for up to three days without any outside support. “Cal OES has recognized our team's unique training and preparedness,” said



CAL FIRE/Butte Unit Swift Water Rescue Team loading up multiple rafts for deployment in response to severe weather and flooding. Image courtesy of CAL FIRE

Division Chief and Team Leader Sean Norman. “Our ability to work in the swiftwater environment with a variety of boats and equipment makes us a valuable asset for the rescue efforts we anticipate.” California is currently experiencing widespread rain and record snowfall causing flooding, debris flows, and erosion. A levee in Monterey County has broken, threatening several communities downstream, and more storms are on the way. ★



# The New Pi-Line



By Josh F.W. Cook

**CORRECTION** - the Pi-Line before last (March 3rd) regarding the takeover of the State Local Agency Formation Commission Association by Butte County Supervisor Bill Connelly had an error. As a matter of issuing a proper correction, the error was the pasting of one section of the column twice, which caused some of the information to be redundant. It seems as if the word processor may not be better than setting up the paper with molten lead letters that require much time and effort to be set properly for printing. I guess there is always some downside to technological upgrades.

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The good news is that studies have confirmed over and over again that when people are perusing the newspaper and see

a correction, they read it. Just like the evening news attracts viewers by having some exciting story at the very beginning, having an official correction in the first three pages of the newspaper increases readership. I apologize to those of you who jumped to the correction - and were let down by it not being a much bigger deal or scandal.

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Gridley-Biggs Hummer Vehicle Fan Club President Kory Hamman was much chagrined to see a brand new electric Hummer truck - while he remains on the waiting list for his. He has even paid a deposit. The Hummer, which he is waiting for, can go from 0 to 60 mph in 3.3 seconds and has 1000 horsepower. He receives notices from Hummer every few weeks reminding him he is on the waiting list. His old and now discontinued Hummer is going to break the 650,000-mile mark. As a Gridley Rotary service club member, he should be fined for this.

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Tod Kimmelshue, our local County Supervisor, was recognized as the Butte College Outstanding Alumni last week. He

shared the spotlight with a wonderful young man from Hamilton City who played football at Butte and then went on to kick for the Indianapolis Colts. Rigoberto Sanchez kicked the longest punt of his career, and in Colts history, 79 yards, in a 30-18 win over the 49ers in 2021. He averages 44.3 yards per punt. His last contract was for \$11.6 million dollars. Rigo married a fellow student-athlete he met at Butte; she is from Corning. So for all of you considering which college to attend, Butte seems to have some real winners coming out of the organization, and it is free for the first two years. As always, our College Trustee, Mike Boeger, was in attendance and was happy to report that student enrollment is stabilizing after taking a big dip during COVID. As noteworthy as the \$11 million dollar athlete was the Carrot Cake of Gridleyan Margaret Hughes - which sold for more than \$1000 during the scholarship auction.

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*Josh F.W. Cook is an Educator, and Public Administrator, the views expressed in this column are only his.* ★

# Los Caros Celebrates with the Chamber



Gridley Area Chamber of Commerce welcomes Los Caros to Gridley with their recent ribbon cutting ceremony. Pictured left to right: Teresa Funetas, Maribelle Alcantar, Cathy Mills, Owner Carlos Moreno, Billy Quenga, Lisa Van De Hey, Lynne Spencer, Perry Astaire. Photo courtesy of Gridley Area Chamber of Commerce

By Seti Long

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - The Gridley Area Chamber of Commerce and Board Members helped welcome the new workwear store, Los Caros, to the Gridley community with ribbon cuttings held last Wednesday, March 1, 2023.

Los Caros is owned and operated by a local family. Located at 1565 Hwy 99 in Gridley, the store opened officially in November of 2022 and offers

a variety of work related gear, including highly visible and reflective safety clothes, vests, jackets and hard hats, tools ranging from hammers to gardening equipment, BBQ/grills, jewelry and more.

Owner Carlos Moreno says what they don't have in stock, they can often order and have the ability to order their products in bulk.

Los Caros is open seven days a week from 8:00 am to 7:00 pm. ★

# Dee's House of Beauty Celebrates



Gridley Area Chamber of Commerce, family and friends join the staff at Dee's House of Beauty at their recent ribbon cutting. Photo courtesy of the Chamber of Commerce

By Seti Long

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Gridley and the Gridley Area Chamber of Commerce officially welcomed Dee's House of Beauty with a ribbon cutting ceremony March 1st.

The salon is tucked in at 1571 Hwy 99 and offers an array of cutting-edge services. Owner and Cosmetologist Deanna Garcia is a local and says that she does cuts, perms and colors for men and women, but specializes in color.

Her fellows include aesthetician Monique Rodriguez who offers waxing, facials, and lymphatic massage, which Rodriguez explains is typically utilized for post-op after plastic surgery to help with the healing process. Lash technician

Jessica Chavez's specialty treatments include lash lifts, eyebrow tints, eyebrow lamination and of course, lash extensions. Chavez is currently working towards offering permanent makeup services. Stylist Shelbi Collosi practices barbering but can help both men and women with their hair care needs.

Dee's House of Beauty celebrated their first year anniversary in November of 2022, but recently joined the Gridley Area Chamber of Commerce. Family and friends joined Chamber Members at their ribbon cutting and enjoyed a beautiful spread of hors d'oeuvres and champagne to celebrate the occasion.

Walk-ins are always welcome, but to schedule an appointment, give Dee's a call at (971) 708-3685. ★

### Project Based Voucher Wait Lists

The Housing Authority of the County of Butte (HACB) will open its Project Based Voucher Program Wait List for Sunrise Village Senior Apartments (Ages 62 and over only) located at 1470 State Highway 99, Gridley, CA. 1-BR and 2-BR units available. Pre-applications will be accepted starting 9:00 a.m. PST on Tuesday, February 21, 2023. Pre-applications and instructions are available through the HACB website at [www.butte-housing.com](http://www.butte-housing.com). For more information, application assistance or to request a paper application as a reasonable accommodation, call (530) 895-4474 x238, TDD (800) 735-2929.

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# FFA Field Day Fun!



Gridley FFA members celebrate FFA Field day, showing off their ribbons and banner. Pictured left to right: Merced Acosta, Adam Khan, Danny Soto, Annie Woods and Jasmine Johnson. Photo provided by GHS FFA

By Annie Woods

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Gridley FFA hosted our first field day in many years. We hosted 20 competitions that ran anywhere from poultry judging to farm power, prepared speaking, and everything in between.

A total of 66 teams from up and down the state of California were registered to compete. The small town of Gridley, California had over 1,000 high schoolers from all over to come visit for this day.

Gridley FFA had many successful competitors. For the Career Development Events, GHS's Ag Mechanics team placed 1st overall, the Poultry Judging team placed 3rd, and Parliamentary Procedure and Debate placed 4th. For the Leadership Development Events, Kennison Kota placed 1st in Prepared Speaking, Nico Donati Placed 2nd in Extemporaneous, and Joe Schohr placed 3rd in the Creed Recitation.



FFA Members compete in the Poultry Judging Competition. Photo provided by GHS FFA



FFA Members compete in multiple contests during an FFA Field Day. Photo provided by GHS FFA

Gridley FFA not only had competitors, but a great crew of our members to help run this day. Our very own BBQ committee made delicious tri-tip sandwiches to serve

to everyone at the event. Gridley FFA wants to give a huge thank you to Safeway and the Gridley Education Foundation for their generous donation to make this day possible. ★

# Letting It Flow!

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the second time since April of 2019. Utilizing both the spillway and the Hyatt Power Plant, 15,00 cubic feet a minute began to be released from the second largest lake in California. Craddock describes this as a “relatively small release” and expressed that adjustments in the releases may be made as the DWR and SWP Team monitor incoming water volumes. A team of dam safety engineers were also present to monitor the spillway during the initial release of water Friday afternoon.

After its failure, the spillway was rebuilt, beginning in 2017 and ending in 2018. Craddock reaffirms that the structure was “rebuilt to the highest engineering and design standards that are expected for this type of facility with oversight from both Federal and State dam safety regulators and also independent team of experts”. He stated that instrumentation was installed



Utilizing both the spillway and the Hyatt Power Plant, 15,00 cubic feet a minute began to be released from the second largest lake in California. Photo courtesy Department of Water Resources

throughout the spillway to monitor pressure, drainage and movement. Federal and State dam safety regulators were on site during the first use in 2019 to ensure the spillway functioned properly, which they found that it did. He wanted the immediate communities affected during the dam crisis of February 2017 that they are “very focused on ensuring the safety of this facility.” Speaking to the

significance of the use of the spillway, Craddock said, “After 3 years of drought and low lake elevation, it’s really good to see the lake rising from the standpoint of providing water for the local community and the state-wide water users as well.” The SWP believes that the lake will remain at healthy levels as snow-pack melt flows into the reservoir during the spring months. ★

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# City Council Recognizes Outgoing and Incoming Rec Directors

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because of how diverse we are.”

City Planning Director Donna Decker discussed changes to city codes which would decrease the minimum lot requirement from 1700 square feet to 1300 square feet in the R-1A subzone. This would allow residents with already existing homes on small lots to be legal parcels and to apply for permits.

Councilmember Catalina Sanchez asked Decker about Accessory Dwelling Units, also called casitas or grandma cottages. Changes in state legislation in the last few years have made ADU construction more accessible. Sanchez asked if there had been construction permit applications for ADUs. Decker answered that there had not, but that residents were working with the city to make already-existing ADUs legal.

Councilmember Angel Calderon brought a motion to the meeting to send a letter of support to North Valley Catholic Social Services in their effort to renew the grant allowing them to continue providing mental health services in the Gridley area. Citing recent tragic deaths, and school staff reporting an epidemic of suicidal ideation among our Gridley youth, Calderon reported that current NVCSS staff is proactive in reaching out to those who are suffering. NVCSS serves anyone at no cost and can be reached at 530-345-1600.

The only split vote of the council meeting came with a motion to continue teleconferencing of City Council, Planning Commission, and study session meetings. With the pandemic and remote participation in council meetings, the Council has offered teleconference participation by Zoom.

City Administrator Cliff Wagner made the decision to end teleconferencing and noted that he is not aware of any boards or commissions in the county or area

that are still using teleconferencing tools. He noted that the Council is “past the emergency that necessitated the telecommunication option.”

Sanchez requested the motion to reinstate teleconferencing, citing improved handling of the technology by city staff, the service it provides to the disabled, seniors, working families, and those working from home or out of the area. She added that, with the end of teleconferencing, “We’re preventing democratic participation in our government.”

Councilmember Bruce Johnson discussed the technical difficulties with teleconferencing, such as interrupted internet connections and poor audio. “If you want true transparency,” Johnson added, “We meet here, so we can see you, and you can throw stuff at us and yell at us, and you’re right here.” The motion failed, with Sanchez and Calderon voting in favor.

The Council approved a contract amendment to extend a home-assistance contract with Habitat For Humanity Yuba Sutter. Habitat will assist city residents with low-interest deferred loans for owner-occupied rehab and assist first-time home buyers. City Finance Director, Elisa Arteaga, who explained the grant, encouraged residents who have home repair needs such as leaky roofs or other home improvements to contact Habitat’s Sonia Dilree at 530-777-3452.

The Butte County Board of Supervisors is organizing an ad hoc committee to study and seek solutions to the funding problems faced by the county library system. Calderon agreed to represent the Gridley City Council stating, “If my presence there guarantees that it stays open, I’ll go.” Sanchez mentioned that the Gridley Library, a county library branch, is celebrating 40 years since it first opened. ★

# Thoughts to Ponder

*by Kathy Neal*

When God stepped out and started to create, He had a plan.

God placed light opposite darkness. He placed the sun and moon to separate the two. He placed water above and below on the earth. He put the clouds in place and the stars above to complete His creation. God had a plan!

God decided to put human beings in His creation with a purpose to have a relationship with Him. To walk, to talk, to take care of His garden and His creatures. God had a plan!

But the best laid plans sometimes go awry. In comes the ever present evil of greed, envy, jealousy, and lies (Satan). Out go the humans and God’s plans had to be rearranged. But He did not let His plans go away. He placed the humans on the earth, He told them to multiply, and extended His plan to include His Son, and His Spirit. God still had a plan!

God place Noah in a desert to build a huge boat to save His creatures. He chose Abraham and His family to go to a promise land prepared to build a great nation. He put a 17-year-old in a foreign land (Egypt) to build a nation. He also put a baby in the Nile to grow up in a palace. Then put him in the wilderness, only to

bring two million people back to where He wanted them centuries before. God worked His plan!

A young man in Ireland gets to realize God’s plan for him. Patrick was put on a ship to work, went to Ireland only to find he was needed there to spread the word of God to a people who didn’t know God’s vision. God put a plan into action!

On March 17th, each year we celebrate St. Patrick’s Day. We all wear green so we won’t get pinched. We eat corned beef and potatoes, and break sourdough bread. If we are in some towns we march in parades, dye rivers green, and toast the day with green beer. We all become Irish. God’s plan was to remember those who took His word around the world. God’s plan worked!

Praise God for His plans, His promises kept, and His goodness toward His creatures great and small. Wear your green. Eat your favorite Irish dish. Believe in God’s plan to restore His original plans. You can trust Him!

*Come celebrate God’s plan and goodness with us at the Gridley United Methodist Church. We worship every Sunday at 10 am. The church is located at 285 Magnolia Street.* ★



# Gridley Thumbs and Roots



**By Barbara Ott**

It’s raining it’s pouring, the old man is snoring. Went to bed and bumped his head and couldn’t get up in the morning. I decided this rhyme has nothing to do with rain and everything to do with daylight savings time. I’m on the side that wants to have the same standard time all of the time. No changing

the clocks back and forth. I like being a part of nature and simply not messing with time. We know that nature doesn’t care about manmade time. The cycles and rhythms of the seasons run the time on earth without man. The storms running over the top of California don’t care if we decide it is 7:00 am when the sun comes up or 6:00 am when it comes up. The flowers and trees don’t care. They care that it is freezing cold and the wind is whipping them this way and that. Our pets care because they are confused as to why we are feeding them at their usual schedule. But the wild birds and other creatures could care less. Here you thought this was a gardening column. Surprise!

The Spring Equinox is getting ready to spring out of winter. I’m ready for spring. I had a delightful surprise in some pots of mine. I had experimented with picking the bulbets of my double tiger lilies and planting them. I looked down the other day and I saw at least 20 baby lilies poking out of the dirt. I’m hoping for more. May they grow to maturity. A friend told me a great tale. She had planted some grass seed. She was out in her yard bending down to see it. Crack, Pop, Crinkle tiny regular sounds were coming out of the ground and the new grass. She could hear her grass growing! Gardeners experience magic every day. ★



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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Butte County Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing on **March 28, 2023 at 9:15 am** regarding the Certification of the Final Environmental Impact Report (FEIR) pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), adoption of Butte County General Plan 2040 with recommended revisions, Findings of Facts and Statements of Overriding Consideration, approval of the General Plan 2040 Action Plan, and adoption of the Upper Ridge Community Plan. This hearing will be open to the public and held in the Board of Supervisors Chambers at 25 County Center Drive, Oroville, CA 95965. At a public hearing held on March 9, 2023, the Butte County Planning Commission recommended certification of the Final Environmental Impact Report (FEIR), adoption of Butte County General Plan 2040, approval of the General Plan 2040 Action Plan, and adoption of the Upper Ridge Community Plan.

Public comment will be accepted in-person at the meeting or may be submitted prior to the meeting. Use the following information to remotely view the Board of Supervisors meeting, including the Public Hearing portions online (pursuant to recent changes to the Brown Act Teleconferencing Rules, no online public comments will be taken):

**Link:** <http://www.buttecounty.net/clerkoftheboard/boardmeetings>

Members of the public are encouraged to review this project and submit public comments in the following ways: U.S. Mail to 25 County Center Drive, Suite 200, ATTN: Clerk of the Board, Oroville, California 95966; voicemail at (530) 552.3303, or by email to: **ClerkoftheBoard@ButteCounty.net**.

At this hearing, County staff and consultants will provide a presentation of the General Plan 2040 Update. The General Plan 2040 Update outlines the County’s goals for physical growth, conservation, and community life, and contains policies and actions to guide the County in reaching those goals. The General Plan 2040 Update is updating six Elements of the General Plan: Health & Safety (including the Noise Element), Housing, Land Use, Circulation, Water Resources, and including a new Environmental Justice Element. The Housing Element was adopted by the Board of Supervisors on January 24, 2023, and later certified by the State Department of Community Development. Other Elements of the current General Plan are revised to ensure consistency with the updated elements such as Area and Neighborhood Plans, Agriculture, Conservation and Open Space, Economic Development, and Public Facilities and Services. The General Plan 2040 Update also incorporates the Upper Ridge Community Plan, which includes projects and strategies for the Upper Ridge Community Plan Area, including the redesignation of 28 parcels from Retail and Office to Mixed-Use.

A Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) was prepared in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) to analyze the potential environmental impacts associated with the Butte County General Plan 2040 Update and Upper Ridge Community Plan. The DEIR was made available for a 45-day public review period from January 6, 2023 to February 21, 2023. After receiving public comments, a Final Environmental Impact Report (FEIR) was prepared for certification by the Board of Supervisors.

The above-mentioned project is on file and available for public viewing online at <http://www.buttecounty.net/ddsgeneralplanupdate>. If you challenge the above project in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to the public hearing. For further information, contact Principal Planner Mark Michelena, Butte County Development Services Department, Planning Division at 530.552.3683 or [mmichelena@buttecounty.net](mailto:mmichelena@buttecounty.net).

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APN: 104-270-018-000 TS No.: 22-03819CA TSG Order No.: 220477659-CA-VOI NOTICE OF TRUSTEE SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED AUGUST 4, 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. Affinia Default Services, LLC, as the duly appointed Trustee, under and pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust Recorded August 22, 2006 as Document No.: 2006-0007302 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Plumas County, California, executed by: Ed Rodgers, a married man as his sole and separate property, as Trustor, will be sold AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER for cash (payable in full at time of sale 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). All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said deed of trust in the property situated in said county and state, and as more fully described in the above referenced deed of trust. Sale Date: April 4, 2023 Sale Time: 11:00 AM Sale Location: At the main entrance to the County Courthouse located at 520 Main Street, Quincy, CA 95971 File No.:22-03819CA The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3316 Lakeview Way, Lake Almanor, CA 96137. 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 in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by 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: \$130,161.63 (Estimated). Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to

Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call, (916) 939-0772 for information regarding the trustee's sale or visit this internet website, www.nationwideposting.com, for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case, T.S.# 22-03819CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the internet website. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. NOTICE TO TENANT: You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call (916) 939-0772, or visit this internet website www.nationwideposting.com, using the file number assigned to this case 22-03819CA to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. File No.:22-03819CA 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 no further recourse. For Trustee Sale Information Log On To: www.nationwideposting.com or Call: (916) 939-0772. Dated: February 22, 2023 By: Omar Solorzano Foreclosure Associate Affinia Default Services, LLC 301 E. Ocean Blvd., Suite 1720 Long Beach, CA 90802 (833) 290-7452 NPP0421664 To: GRIDLEY HERALD - PLUMAS 03/10/2023, 03/17/2023, 03/24/2023 NPP\_664 3-24-23 TS No: CA08000741-22-1 APN: 028-100-007-000 To No: 220364130-CA-VOI NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE (The above statement is made pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(1). The Summary will be provided to Trustor(s) and/or vested owner(s) only, pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d) (2).) YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED November 30, 2004. 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 April 11, 2023 at 11:00 AM, At the main entrance to the County Courthouse located at 520 Main Street, Quincy, CA 95971, MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps, as the duly Appointed Trustee, under and pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust recorded on December 16, 2004 as Instrument No. 2004-0013513, of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Plumas

County, California, executed by JAY W. SCHROEDER AND BERNARDINE K. SCHROEDER, TRUSTEES OF THE JAY W. SCHROEDER AND BERNARDINE K. SCHROEDER FAMILY LIVING TRUST DATED 04/18/2002, as Trustor(s), in favor of BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. as Beneficiary, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, that certain property situated in said County, California describing the land therein as: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN SAID 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: 19 BIG GRIZZLY, PORTOLA, CA 96122 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 without covenant or warranty, express 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. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligations secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Trustee's Sale is estimated to be \$79,989.63 (Estimated). However, prepayment premiums, accrued interest and advances will increase this figure prior to sale. Beneficiary's bid at said sale may include all or part of said amount. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the California Financial Code and authorized to do business in California, or other such funds as may be acceptable to the Trustee. In the event tender other than cash is accepted, the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed Upon Sale until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. The property offered for sale excludes all funds held on account by the property receiver, if applicable. 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 no further recourse. Notice to Potential Bidders If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a Trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a Trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same Lender may hold more than one mortgage or Deed of Trust on the property. Notice to Property Owner The sale date shown on this Notice of Sale may be postponed one or

more times by the Mortgagee, Beneficiary, Trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about Trustee Sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call Nationwide Posting & Publication at 916.939.0772 for information regarding the Trustee's Sale or visit the Internet Website www.nationwideposting.com for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case, CA08000741-22-1. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Website. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Notice to Tenant NOTICE TO TENANT FOR FORECLOSURES AFTER JANUARY 1, 2021 You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call 916.939.0772, or visit this internet website www.nationwideposting.com, using the file number assigned to this case CA08000741-22-1 to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase. Date: February 27, 2023 MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps TS No. CA08000741-22-1 17100 Gillette Ave Irvine, CA 92614 Phone: 949-252-8300 TDD: 711 949.252.8300 By: Amy Lemus, Authorized Signatory SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ONLINE AT www.nationwideposting.com FOR AUTOMATED SALES INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: Nationwide Posting & Publication AT 916.939.0772 NPP0421963 To: GRIDLEY HERALD - PLUMAS 03/17/2023, 03/24/2023, 03/31/2023 NPP\_963 3-31-23

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. 22-02377-RM-CA Title No. 8779553 A.P.N. 010-081-010-000 ATTENTION RECORDER: THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE TO AN ATTACHED SUMMARY IS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTICE PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR ONLY PURSUANT TO CIVIL CODE 2923.3 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 02/11/2021. 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 PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, (cashier's check(s) must be made payable to National Default Servicing Corporation), drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state; will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of 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 in an "as is" condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: Neva J Bromberg, an unmarried woman Duly Appointed Trustee: National Default Servicing Corporation Recorded 02/18/2021 as Instrument No. 2021-0007075 (or Book, Page) of the Official Records of Butte County, California. Date of Sale: 04/19/2023 at 3:30 PM Place of Sale: At the main entrance to the Butte County Courthouse, 1 Court Street, Oroville, CA 95965 Estimated amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$115,053.85 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 220 California Street, Gridley, CA 95948 A.P.N.: 010-081-010-000 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the 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 no further recourse. The requirements of California Civil Code Section 2923.5(b)/2923.5(c) were fulfilled when the Notice of Default was recorded. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title

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### LEGAL NOTICE

The annual report of the Robert A. "Bob" and Mary E. "Beth" Morrison memorial Education Fund is available for inspection at the principal office of the foundation, 2711 Afton Rd., (PO Box 143) Biggs, CA, phone 530-868-5440 from 8:30 a.m. To 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. CRN"1849512

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### NOTICE OF SALE

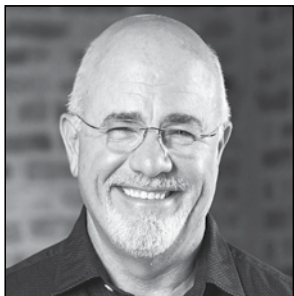
#### NOTICE OF SALE OF ABANDONED MOBILE HOME (MH) at Butte Grande MHP #19 Gridley, CA 95948

For sale by sealed, private bidding start at \$5k. MH will be sold to highest bidder as is condition without title. Bids must be received by 04/07/2023 to HL Angel LLC 9009 Chaff Ct., Elk Grove, CA 95758. MH may remain in the park by a person approved for tenancy by Landlord. You can see MH before bidding, contact, bgmhp@outlook.com.

Son Hur Landlord for Butte Grande MHP - 916 683-2439.

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### Sometimes Helping Means More Than Just Giving

Dear Dave,

How do you handle a situation where someone needs financial help, but has mis-spent money you've given them in the past? My wife and I have been trying to help a young man we recently met. He told us he was trying to get his life together after a divorce and job loss, and he just needed a little money for groceries and household items. He has asked us a couple of times since for more money, but we discovered he was buying alcohol with most of the cash we gave him. We learned from friends what he said about losing his job and being divorced was true, but we are unsure what to do next.

— Andrew

## Dave Ramsey Says Slim Randles' HOME COUNTRY

Dear Andrew,

This young man's problem sounds as much like a mismanagement of money as it is a lack of money. He seems to have an issue with lying, and possibly an addiction problem, too.

I've never been against helping people who have good hearts and just need a break. But if someone is bold enough to ask for your money, you have every right to attach requirements to the help you give—especially when it's for their own good. If he really needs food or household things, you can just buy them for him. At least that way, you'd know you were providing necessities.

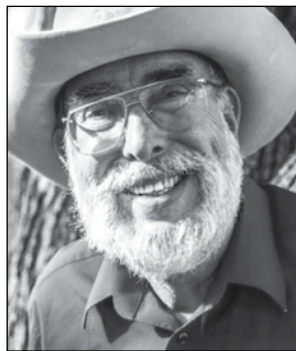
But in many cases, truly helping someone is a lot more work than just giving them money. Sometimes, you have to get down in their mess, get real with them and walk with them. If you haven't been put off by what has already happened, and you still really want to help, I'd suggest getting to know

this young man and his situation a little better. Be straight with him, and let him know you've learned he hasn't been honest with you in the past. Hopefully, as a result he'll apologize and start making better choices. If he does, you might even offer to arrange for him to talk to a good pastor or counselor.

This whole situation is much bigger than helping someone with a little cash. This guy needs someone who cares enough to help him get his life back together.

— Dave

*Dave Ramsey is an eight-time national bestselling author, personal finance expert and host of "The Ramsey Show," heard by more than 18 million listeners. He has appeared on "Good Morning America," "CBS This Morning," "Today," Fox News, CNN, Fox Business and many more. Since 1992, He also serves as CEO of Ramsey Solutions.* ★



Slim Randles

"Makes a guy wonder sometimes," Windy Wilson said, "if gettin' all stabbed to death might not be a bad way to go."

The rest of us — the Supreme Court of Dang Near Everything at the Mule Barn coffee shop — politely choked on our java and put the cups down. Even for Windy, this was quite an observation.

"Yer prolly askin' yer-selves," Windy said, "how I gerrymandered myself into this observation."

"Well ... yes ... actually."

"Doc, I know you and the boys need fresh idears ever year or two jest to keep you

*Well, it sure made him famous, didn't it?*

sharpened, so here's how I figger it. You know it's dang near March fifteen, right? Back in the olden days, before we even had our interdependence from England, they called it The Idears of March. So they knew they needed idears even back then. This whole stabbin' thing came from that old Roman guy, Julius Caesar.

This year woman, called herself the Oriole of Dolphins, 'cuz she thought she was smarter than most folks in Baltimore or even in Miamia ... she told ol' Julius to beware them Idears of March, 'cuz they's nothin' but trouble."

Windy waited for Loretta to top off his cup. "But ol' Julius wasn't too purty good about listenin' cuz he'd already whupped England

and Germany so he figgered he was too smart already. So he give a speech they didn't like and a bunch of Brute's stabbed him plumb to death. Well, it sure made him famous, didn't it? I'm sure you heard of a caesarian section house — somethin' on the railroad, I think — and an epileptic Caesar, and Caesar salad, and an Orange Julius. 'Course you have.

"So mebbe we need to ease up on them Brute's in history, light up a roman candle in their honor. They messed up them Congressional steps some, but Julius Caesar's story is still around and it's long after that mop bucket dried out."

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NAME STATEMENTS

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000111  
The following person(s) are doing business as: MI MERCADO LATINO, 1045 Hazel Street, Gridley, CA 95948  
Prisciliano Gutierrez, 2280 Lea Court, Live Oak, CA 95953  
Date filed in Butte County: January 30, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: Feb 24, Mar 3, 10 & 17, 2023  
MI 3-17-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000191  
The following person(s) are doing business as: NORTH STATE REAL ESTATE, 603 Luds Way, Oroville, CA 95965  
Michael Roy Hill, 603 Luds Way, Oroville, CA 95965  
Date filed in Butte County: February 15, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 10/20/2005  
This Business is conducted by: 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: Feb 24, Mar 3, 10 & 17, 2023  
NORTH 3-17-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000178  
The following person(s) are doing business as: LEO INNOVATIONS dba PETS PRESS, 1179 East Avenue, Chico, CA 95926  
Liz Candice Rosen, 1179 East Avenue, Chico, CA 95926  
Date filed in Butte County: February 13, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: Feb 24, Mar 3, 10 & 17, 2023  
LEO 3-17-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000190  
The following person(s) are doing business as: THE COW CAFE AND GRILL, 935 Oro Dam Boulevard, Oroville, CA 95966  
Crystal Silence, Inc., 31 Buehler Avenue, Oroville, CA 95966  
Date filed in Butte County: February 15, 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 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: Feb 24, Mar 3, 10 & 17, 2023  
COW 3-17-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000103  
The following person(s) are doing business as: SPIFFY SHINE, 5624 Farley Street, Oroville, CA 95966  
Atsoca Selsor LLC, 5624 Farley Street, Oroville, CA 95966  
Date filed in Butte County: January 27, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
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: Feb 24, Mar 3, 10 & 17, 2023  
SPIFFY 3-17-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000099  
The following person(s) are doing business as: PELICAN ROOST OF PARADISE, 6945 Skyway, Paradise, CA 95969  
Jesus Perez Luna, 6870 Quail Drive, Paradise, CA 95969  
Date filed in Butte County: January 26, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: Feb 24, Mar 3, 10 & 17, 2023  
PELICAN 3-17-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000197  
The following person(s) are doing business as: BEST ASIAN MASSAGE, 1008 W Sacramento Avenue, Suite F, Chico, CA 95926  
Chunmei Zhang, 1008 W Sacramento Avenue, Suite F, Chico, CA 95926  
Date filed in Butte County: February 17, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 3, 10, 17 & 24, 2023  
BEST 3-24-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000210  
The following person(s) are doing business as: SUNDAY STUDIO, 1100 Shumard Oak Way, Chico, CA 95928  
Christina Burnham, 1100 Shumard Oak Way, Chico, CA 95928  
Date filed in Butte County: February 23, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 3, 10, 17 & 24, 2023  
SUNDAY 3-24-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000159  
The following person(s) are doing business as: HULA NUT COMPANY / WEST CHICO PROPERTIES, 470 B Street, Biggs, CA 95917  
Bayles Exemption Trust; Colusa Glenn Storage Company Inc.; Lavy Brothers, 470 B Street, Biggs, CA 95917  
Date filed in Butte County: February 8, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 6/21/2005  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 3, 10, 17 & 24, 2023  
HULA 3-24-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000174  
The following person(s) are doing business as: PEACEFUL WARRIOR TAI CHI, 254 E 1<sup>st</sup> Street, Chico, CA 95928  
Michael Joseph Gaughan III, 251 Rio Lindo Avenue, Apt 4, Chico, CA 95926  
Date filed in Butte County: February 10, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 10, 17, 24 & 31, 2023  
PEACEFUL 3-31-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000216  
The following person(s) are doing business as: HG LANDSCAPES INC., 2465 Maple Avenue, Oroville, CA 95966  
HG LANDSCAPES INC., 2465 Maple Avenue, Oroville, CA 95966  
Date filed in Butte County: February 24, 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 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: March 10, 17, 24 & 31, 2023  
HG 3-31-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000171  
The following person(s) are doing business as: KINETIC FREEDOM MASSAGE

THERAPY, 811 East 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Room #2, Chico, CA 95926  
Isaac Clipper, 508 West 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Chico, CA 95926  
Date filed in Butte County: February 10, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 2023  
KINETIC 4-7-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000229  
The following person(s) are doing business as: YOWZERS / YOWZERS.COM, 774 Birch Street, Paradise, CA 95969  
Barry Cunningham, 774 Birch Street, Paradise, CA 95969  
Date filed in Butte County: February 28, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 1/7/1999  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 2023  
YOWZERS 4-7-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000070  
The following person(s) are doing business as: GRIDLEY PHYSICAL THERAPY AND SPORTS MEDICINE, 1516 State Highway 99, Suite G, Gridley, CA 95948  
Western Physical Therapy Inc., 1495 Victor Avenue, Suite A, Redding, CA 96003  
Date filed in Butte County: January 18, 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 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: March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 2023  
GRIDLEY 4-7-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000233  
The following person(s) are doing business as: GOODWIN FABRICATION, 120 Inglegwood Drive, Oroville, CA 95966  
Jerry Allen Goodwin, 120 Inglegwood Drive, Oroville, CA 95966  
Date filed in Butte County: March 1, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 2023  
GOODWIN 4-7-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000170  
The following person(s) are doing business as: TRAVELER MEDIA, 6186 Beckworth Way, Oroville, CA 95966  
Seth Dekkenga, 6186 Beckworth Way, Oroville, CA 95966  
Date filed in Butte County: February 10, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 2023  
TRAVELER 4-7-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000260  
The following person(s) are doing business as: FREEBIRD YOGA STUDIO, 243 W. 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Chico, CA 95928  
Chelsea Smith, 1520 Boucher Street, #2, Chico, CA 95928  
Date filed in Butte County: March 8, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 2023  
FREEBIRD 4-7-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000256  
The following person(s) are doing business as: SIGN CLUB, 131 W 1<sup>st</sup> Street, Chico, CA 95928  
Valerie Rose, 535 Cypress Street, Chico, CA 95928  
Date filed in Butte County: March 7, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 3/7/2023  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 2023  
SIGN 4-7-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000241  
The following person(s) are doing business as: ETHEREAL MESSAGE, 811 East 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Chico, CA 95926  
Grace Ashworth, 1539 West 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Chico, CA 95928  
Date filed in Butte County: March 3, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 2023  
ETHEREAL 4-7-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000179  
The following person(s) are doing business as: VICTORIA ROSE, 1557 Myers Street, Oroville, CA 95965  
Dominique Haas, 3520 Glen Avenue, Oroville, CA 95966, and Kayla Wilson, 507 Hillview Ridge Lane, #301, Oroville, CA 95965  
Date filed in Butte County: February 13, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: 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: March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 2023  
VICTORIA 4-7-23

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT FILE NO. 2023-0000257  
The following person(s) are doing business as: MURDOCK'S MOVING AND STORAGE, 2590 CA-32, Chico, CA 95973  
Murdock's Moving and Hauling, Inc., 2590 CA-32, Chico, CA 95973  
Date filed in Butte County: March 8, 2023. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 1/1/2023  
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 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: March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 2023  
MURDOCK'S 4-7-23

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF BUTTE  
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE  
OF NAME  
CASE #23CV00358  
Petitioner Gary Weston Brown filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Gary Weston Brown to Gary Weston Hill.  
THE COURT ORDERS that all per-

sons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing April 19, 2023, 9:00 a.m. Department TBA, Room TBA, Superior Court of California, County of Butte, North County Courthouse 1775 Concord Avenue Chico, CA 95928  
Filed on February 14, 2023  
Stephen E. Benson, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 2023  
GARY 4-7-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO  
ADMINISTER ESTATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO  
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF  
MARTHA LORRAINE GRAVES,  
AKA MARTHA L. GRAVES  
CASE NO. 23PR00053  
To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate of Martha Lorraine Graves, aka Martha L. Graves, deceased.  
A Petition for Probate has been filed by Charity D. Berry, in the Superior Court of California, County of Butte, requesting Charity D. Berry be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

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

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many 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: March 28, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept TBA. 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 Petitioner is: Charity D. Berry, 2558 S. Gatewood Lane, Boise, ID 83709; 5307990-1020  
Publish: March 3, 10, 17, 2023  
GRAVES 3-17-23

NOTICE OF PETITION TO  
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF  
CAROLANN ROE  
CASE NO. 23PR00018

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate of Carolann Roe, deceased.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Kory S. Roe, in the Superior Court of California, County of Butte, requesting Kory S. Roe be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, howev-

er, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows: April 18, 2023, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 2. 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 Petitioner is: Kory S. Roe, 2083 Mansfield Court, Chico, CA 95928; phone 530/701-7133  
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SUMMONS

SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON,  
COUNTY OF ASOTIN  
SUMMONS: NOTICE ABOUT  
MARRIAGE

CASE NUMBER: 22-3-00095-02  
In re the Marriage of: Petitioner, Tracy Vaughn,  
And Respondent, Matthew Vaughn,

Summons: Notice about a Marriage or Domestic Partnership  
To the Respondent: Your spouse/domestic partner (the Petitioner) started a case asking the court to end your marriage. You must respond in writing for the Court to consider your side. Deadline! Your Response must be served on Petitioner within 20 days of the date you were served this Summons (60 days if you were served outside of Washington State). If the case has been filed in court, you must also file your Response by the same deadline.

If you do not file and serve your Response or a Notice of Appearance by the deadline: no one has to notify you about other hearings in this case, and, the Court may approve the Petitioner's request without hearing your side. (This is called a default judgment.)  
Lawyer not required. It is a good idea to talk to a lawyer, but you may file and serve your Response without one.

Follow these steps:  
1. Read the Petition and any other documents you receive with this Summons. These documents explain what the Petitioner is asking for.  
2. Fill out the Response on this form: Response to Petition about a Marriage (FL Divorce 211). You can get the Response and other forms at The Washington State Court's website: www.courts.wa.gov/forms; Washington Law Help, www.washingtonlawhelp.org, or The Superior Court Clerk's office or county law library (for a fee).

3. Serve (give) a copy of your Response to Petitioner at the petitioner's address for service.  
4. File your original Response with the clerk of the court at the court's address for filing. Petitioner's lawyer: Neil P. Cox. Petitioner's address for service: Law Office of Neil P. Cox, 924 Fifth Street, Clarkston, WA 99403

Court's address for filing: Superior Court of Washington, County of Asotin, 135 Second Street, PO Box 159, Asotin, WA 99402

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
OF THE CITY OF GRIDLEY COUNCIL ADOPTION  
OF THE SUTTER BUTTE BASIN REGIONAL LEVEE  
IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT IMPACT FEE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Gridley Council will hold a public hearing at 6pm on April 3rd, 2023, in the Council Chambers, at City Hall, 685 Kentucky St, Gridley, CA for the purpose of receiving written and oral comments from the public regarding the adoption of The Sutter Butte Basin Regional Levee Improvement Program Development Impact Fee Nexus Study pursuant to Government Code Section 66016.5(a)(7). The Sutter Butte Basin Regional Levee Improvement Program Development Impact Fee would provide funding for the implementation of 200-year flood control improvements in the urban (Northern) portion of the Sutter Butte Basin and 100-year flood control improvements in the rural (Southern) portion of the Sutter Butte Basin. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that at the said time and place any person may appear and be heard regarding the approval of the proposed impact fee nexus study. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that any data required by the Mitigation Fee Act is available and can be mailed to any interested party who files a written request with the City of Gridley for mailed notice of any meeting considering new or increased fees or service charges. Written requests maybe provided to City of Gridley at its offices located at 685 Kentucky St, Gridley, CA 95948 Attn: Carmen Santana. All interested parties are encouraged to attend the hearing and provide written and oral comments or suggestions concerning the proposed impact fee nexus study.



# COMICS & PUZZLES

The Spats



by Jeff Pickering

Amber Waves



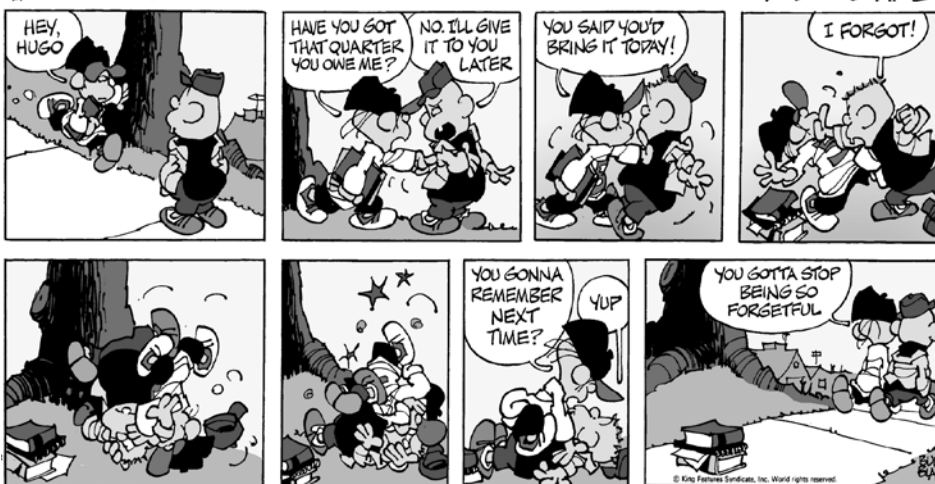
by Dave T. Phipps

Out on a Limb



by Gary Kopervas

TIGER



by BUD BLAKE



BY HENRY BOLTINOFF

Find at least six differences in details between panels.



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Just Like Cats & Dogs

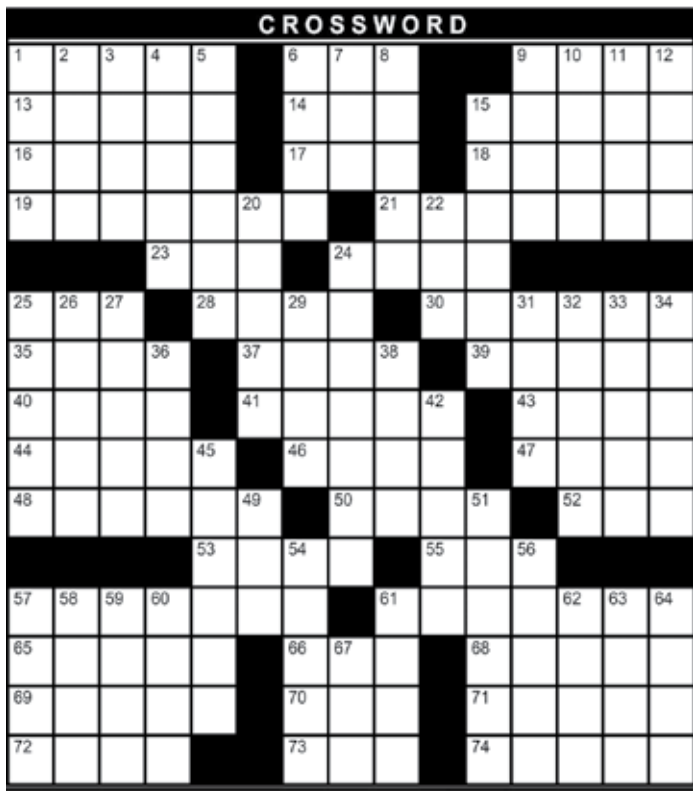
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### CLUES

- ACROSS
- Necktie alternative
  - Finish line
  - Show of appreciation
  - Biotic community
  - Hula dancer's necklace
  - House duty
  - Sofia Costanza Brigida Villani Scicolone's stage last name
  - International distress signal
  - Hogwarts professor, part werewolf
  - "Avengers: \_\_\_\_\_," second-highest grossing movie of all time
  - "Annexed Black Sea peninsula"
  - Santa \_\_\_\_\_, Orange County
  - Multicolored horse
  - "Rand Paul's title, abbr."
  - Youngster
  - "Type of spinner popular in the late 2010s"
  - Between duet and quartet
  - Newspaper piece
  - Pope's court
  - Bohemian
  - "Tonya and Harley Quinn to Margot Robbie, e.g."
  - "Like Millie Bobby Brown and friends in 'Stranger Things'"
  - Prows
  - Vaulting prop
  - Fencer's blade
  - "Animated story of Elsa and Anna"
  - Greek salad ingredient
  - Make #26 Down
  - Look through a book
  - Good times
  - "Global surveillance whistle-blower"
  - "Swedish audio streamer"
  - BBQ spot
  - Words at the altar (2 words)
  - Beneficiary
  - Anti-seniors sentiment
  - Ides mo.
  - Bone hollow
  - Prepare potatoes
  - Tide's backward flow
  - City in France
- DOWN
- Having the means
  - Land of Israel
  - "\_\_\_\_\_cutting, broadcast TV phenomenon"
  - Opposite of alpha
  - Not owner
  - Something \_\_\_\_\_
  - Opposite of paleo
  - "Saturday Night Fever" music
  - Pal
  - Between trot and gallop
  - Operatic solo
  - Actor Sean
  - Healthcare facility
  - "Bill de Blasio, e.g."
  - England's airforce
  - Recite rapidly (2 words)
  - Walking stick
  - Felding mistake
  - Part of TNT
  - "BTS" genre
  - "Home to Blue Devils, 2015 NCAA winners"
  - Complain
  - Downy duck
  - Policeman's shocker
  - Court of law opener
  - Mark for omission
  - Frame job
  - Not often
  - \*Amal Clooney \_\_\_\_\_
  - Alamuddin
  - Naturally footless
  - Japanese cartoon art
  - Expressionless
  - Junk e-mail
  - Hindu serpent deity
  - Singer-songwriter Redding
  - Item on Santa's list
  - Acidic kind of apple
  - A fan of
  - \*Plant in Zach Galifianakis' 2019 movie
  - Those not opposed
  - \*Popular meme move



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# Bulldogs Wait to Throw First Pitch, Lions Announce Pitching Staff

By Steven Bryla

## GRIDLEY

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - The Gridley Bulldogs haven't competed on a baseball field since their 2022 defeat in the Northern Section Division III finals.

On top of not playing a competitive inning this season and former Gridley head coach Dan Crabtree retiring, the Bulldogs made alumnus dreams come true.

Javier Solis was named the new head coach and it was something he knew he always wanted to do.

"When I graduated from here, I knew I eventually wanted to come back and give back to the town who made me who I was," Solis said.

Solis graduated from Gridley in 2005 where he continued his baseball dream of playing at Yuba College and transferred to California State University, San Francisco.

The one thing Solis hasn't been able to do yet is compete in a game with his team as their game against Sutter was rained out on March 6 and March 8.

"We're getting work in any way we can whether that's in the weight room or the basketball gym. These guys do not like taking a day off," Solis said to the Herald.

Solis is going to lean on his senior leadership to help break the ground of a new season with a new coach.

Senior shortstop/pitcher and captain Michael Ryan is the perfect mold as one of the senior leaders for this hungry and experienced team.

Ryan is a four-year varsity player and said that as a freshman, a senior player took him under his wing and it helped groom him into the leader he wants to be.

"The key thing is for everyone to know that you have their back no matter what," Ryan said.

Ryan exclaimed to the Herald that Solis approached the new head position in a great way as he has brought fun ways to the team so far.

An example of this was displayed when the Herald was present for a hitting competition between all the Bulldogs in the Farmers Hall gym where they had to hit a soft tossed ball into the center of a net and the most points



Gridley junior catcher Bryar McWilliams hits a ball soft tossed by head coach Javier Solis during practice on Thursday, March 9. Photo by Steven Bryla



Gridley senior shortstop/captain Michael Ryan and junior catcher Bryar McWilliams practice during a throwing drill at the Bulldogs practice Thursday, March 9. Photo by Steven Bryla

moved on to the next round.

After everyone finished their stations, the top few competed in the finals. With smiles all around, the coaching staff is implementing the rapport with the team early on.

Ryan reiterated although the weather has taken away some opportunities to play during the season, he is grateful for always being able to get some work in somewhere.

As Solis was previously the junior varsity coach at Gridley, he has players that are coming up

with him and junior catcher Bryan McWilliams told the Herald he appreciates the intensity Solis brings daily.

Sophomore pitcher Garrett Francis was brought up to the varsity level early last season as there was a huge need for pitching last year. Francis expressed that he stepped in as needed and ended up with 50 innings pitched and had 52 strikeouts.

The confident sophomore was able to gain the experience in his freshman season to where he has the confidence of an ace and will

be an important player for the Bulldogs this season.

Gridley was scheduled to play on the road Tuesday at Lindhurst and Thursday at Pierce.

Solis said he wants the players on his roster to learn something new every game.

### LIVE OAK

**LIVE OAK, CA (MPG)** - Every resident in the city of Live Oak should line up and shake the hand of current Lions head coach Jeff Smith as he saved the baseball program when he took it over four years ago.

Smith mentioned to the Herald that in his first season of coaching the junior varsity basketball team, he was asked if he wanted to take over the varsity baseball program and if he didn't accept the position, there would more than likely not be a baseball program.

"It made my answer really easy," Smith said.

The biggest dilemma that Smith has had in his time as the head coach of the baseball program is getting players consistently coming out year in and year out.

For the athletes that have come out and played, Smith is grateful and couldn't appreciate anything more. His three captains for this Lions squad are senior right-handed pitcher Colton Hernandez, senior shortstop Adrian Caudillo and sophomore first baseman T.J. Ehrke.

"I lean heavily on them in the practices," Smith said.

Smith added they had no graduating seniors last year so he was able to bring his entire roster back and add some players as well.

"Everyone has matured a lot and it helps to see the growth around the program," Smith said.

The Live Oak pitching staff is going to consist of Ehrke, fellow sophomore right hander Tanner Tillotson, who was named to the All-Sacramento Valley League team for the Lions last season. Rounding out the main pitching staff is senior right hander Colton Hernandez.

Live Oak was able to start their season on the right foot with a 14-4 victory over Biggs on February 23. Ehrke pitched all five innings on the mound for the Lions, giving up four hits and striking out five in the effort.

Live Oak had six players with at least one run batted ball in the game and eight of their nine hitters grabbed a hit during the first victory of the year.

Smith wants to grow every year more and more so with the Lions winning three games last season, the team is on its way there when it won the first game of the year.

Smith added with the Maxwell tournament that Live Oak was scheduled to play this past weekend doesn't help, they will continue to work and prep for their next game. ★

# Coach Kemmis Resigns from Football Program

Story by Steven Bryla

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Former Gridley head football coach Matt Kemmis is no longer the "Top Dog" in Gridley as he resigned from the position as classes resumed back in session following the winter break in January, according to Bulldogs Athletic Director Nathan Link.

Kemmis posted five consecutive winning seasons before he had his lone sub .500 winning percentage this past season

with a 4-7 record.

In his six-year tenure at the helm of the Gridley program, Kemmis had three playoff trips and went 2-3 along with a 31-25 overall record. He never lost a Harvest Bowl game as he went a perfect 5-0 over the cross-town rivals Live Oak Lions.

Kemmis expressed to the Herald there were many factors into the decision, but it mostly came down to what was best for him and his family.

Throughout many conversations

with the Herald over the past football season, Kemmis was grateful for the support of the community that was behind him throughout his time as head coach.

Kemmis told the Herald that the hardest conversations he had about the resignations were with the players that planned on continuing in the program next season.

Kemmis loved the environment of "The BoneYard" and how the Bulldogs fans were loud and proud of the players on the field.

Kemmis told the Herald that the same day he turned in his resignation papers, he was named to be the head coach for the 46th Annual Lions All-Star Game in the Division II-III Southern team.

Kemmis confirmed that he will coach in the Lions game. The Lions All-Star game consists of senior football players primarily from the Northern Section, but also includes players from Marysville, Yuba City, Sutter, and Lindhurst as well.

Kemmis will coach the South team and includes Gridley seniors Andrew Englemann, Angel Castaneda and Jimmy Kelly. Live Oak senior running back Raul Romero and Biggs lineman Johnny Williams will play in the game as well.

The game will be played on June 17 at 7:30 p.m. at Pleasant Valley High School in Chico.

Kemmis confirmed with the Herald he is completing his teaching duties for the rest of the school year at Gridley. ★

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# Ladies at the Masters



Karma Olivarez of Biggs High School, pictured on the far left, took 3rd place in her weight class at the first ever NSCIF Girls Wrestling Masters Tournament. Photo provided by Richard Olivarez



Gridley High School had two female wrestlers attend the NSCIF Masters Tournament, one moving on to the State Finals. Pictured from left to right: Angela Gutierrez, Phoenix Brynna, with Head Coach Jimmy Ripley. Photo provided by Jimmy Ripley

By Seti Long

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - The first ever Northern Section California Interscholastic Federation Masters Girls Wrestling Championship

Tournament was held in Chico, on February 18th. Both Gridley and Biggs High Schools had lady wrestlers attending the historical meet with multiple placing.

Biggs High School sophomore, Karma Olivarez, wrestling in the 108-weight class took 3rd place in the Championship. Olivarez was voted MVP at an awards night held later that week.

Gridley High School had two ladies, Phoenix Brynna and Angela Gutierrez. Gridley's Wrestling Head Coach Jimmy Ripley said that Brynna had a good year, placing 1st at league and at Division 2 championships. She would take 3rd place at the Masters Championship wrestling in the 121 lb. weight class.

Gutierrez, who had a strong performance last year, would improve in 2023, dropping from the 191-weight class to 172 weight class which Coach Ripley says "paid off." Gutierrez placed 1st in league and Division Championships, and then would top it all off taking 1st place in the NSCIF Masters Tournament. That win sent her to State Championships for the second year in a row. She placed 7th in 2022.

Of Gutierrez's performance at State, Coach Ripley said that she battled hard, working her way up the tournament brackets from being unseeded to nearly placing 7th. After a heartbreaking loss in overtime, Gutierrez would end up placing 8th at State.

Coach Ripley says, "It's very hard to make it to the state tournament let alone place there. Then to place 2 years in a row is quite the accomplishment. Very proud to be part of the journey (of Gutierrez) the last 2 years."

# Sycamore Students of the Month



Sycamore Middle School honored some of their outstanding students. Teachers at Sycamore nominated this group of students as Students of the Month for February 2023 based on their ability to show respect to their fellow students and staff members. Great job! Photo by Michelle Solis

# Giddyup, Giddalong Gideon

Gridley Christian Church News Release

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - The Kids' Choir that meets at Gridley Christian Church will present its spring musical "Giddyup, Giddalong Gideon" on Sunday, March 26th at 10:30 AM and 4:30 PM. Fourteen children from four years old through 7th grade will be singing, dancing, and acting to present this country themed story of Gideon found in the Bible.

The angel messengers (Halsey Solander, Ainsley Swanson) give Gideon (Isaac Boykin) God's task of defeating the enemy Midianites. Joash (Marcus Hildebrand) aids his son Gideon to accomplish the task. Narrators (Brielle Landes, Amethyst Knight, Keelia Hildebrand, Celeste Watson) ride into

the scenes giving details to enhance the story. Lights, costumes, and props are added to the musical to make a delightful performance.

Trusting God is something Gideon had to learn. God was very patient with him and gave him many signs of his power and faithfulness. God is also very patient with us as we learn to trust Him in the little things in life as well the big.

A big THANK YOU to Mark Johnson for coaching the kids in the drama portion of the musical. He loves God and has a very creative mind. What a blessing he is to the choir.

Gridley Christian Church is located at 580 Washington Street. Call Bonnie at (530)933-9845 for information about Music Camp in July and Christmas musical rehearsals beginning in September.

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