

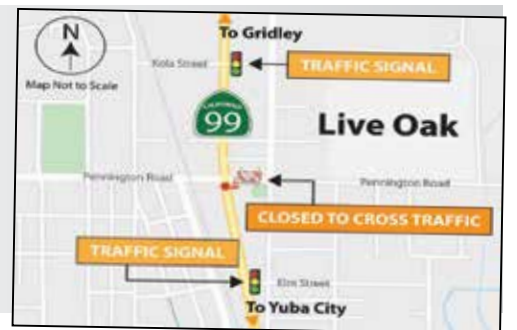


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## Bringing Out the Living

First Celebration of Mexican Day of the Dead in Gridley



Rocio Rubio (orange), Fabiola Flores (Pink) and Lisa Aaron (Yellow) stunned the audience with their gorgeous dance to song "La Llorona" (the weeping woman) at Gridley's first Day of the Dead Celebration. Photo by Kendall Carrell Right: Gridley's first Dia De Los Muertos, or Day of the Dead, Queen Guadalupe, Miss Violet Placencia. Photo by Seti Long

By Seti Long

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Last week a traditional Mexican celebration bridged the gap between cultures and brought our community together to celebrate the Day of the Dead, or Día De Los Muertos – the first event of its kind held in Gridley.

In Mexican heritage, the Day of

the Dead, falls annually on November 2nd and is believed to be a day when loved ones who have died may return to this realm to visit their families and friends.

Brought to the community by the City of Gridley, Ampla Health, and

Co-Organizers Rocio Valdez of  
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## Council Approves RFC Grant, HR Position

By Seti Long

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - At their November 1st meeting, the Gridley City Council declared the month of November 2021, by proclamation from Mayor Bruce Johnson, Homeless and Runaway Youth Awareness Month.

Council then quickly moved through the consent agenda and onto potential sponsorship of the Gridley Invitational Basketball Tournament, a high-profile event for our community that invites basketball teams from high schools in the Sacramento area and in or near the Bay Area to compete with Gridley High School teams. The vote passed unanimously to sponsor the tournament at the Gold Sponsor level (\$500.00 tier).

Next the Council moved on to Resolution No. 2021-R-37, a Resolution that would approve a Rural Fire Capacity Grant (previously known as a Volunteer Fire Assistance Grant) which helps provide personal protective equipment (PPE) for volunteer firefighters that augment our local career firefighters. The grant is a 50 percent match—the total amount for 2021 being \$9885.00 with Gridley's portion amounting to \$4942.50. There are currently 15 volunteer firefighters serving the Gridley area. The council voted 4-0 to approve (Councilmember Sanchez not present).

Director of Public Works, Ross Pippitt and City Engineer, Dave Harden, updated the council on an array of current and future projects. No action by the Council was necessary as this was just an informational item.

Planning Commissioner, Donna Decker, then addressed Council bringing forward the adoption and second reading of Ordinance 835-2021, which would pre-zone approximately 36.38 acres Single-Family Residential District (R-1) and 3.62 acres open space, located on the east side of West Biggs-Gridley Road, directly north of the Heron Landing subdivision. This subdivision is being called Chandler Estates. It was at the August 16, 2021 meeting that the City considered

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## Gridley Country Ford Gains another Milestone

Story by Zachary Torres

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Hard work and success is the American Dream, but recognition makes that dream a little better.

Gridley Country Ford and owner, Curt Engen, are living that dream and adding to it. Though their lot looks thin now because of COVID-19, they are thriving with 100 orders on back-order.

Gained in 2018, the family owned, fourteen-time Ford Presidents Award winning dealership accepted a long overdue recognition - the prestigious Twenty-Five Years award from the Ford Motor Company. Recently, the dealership received a beautiful commemorative plaque for the award.

The history runs so much deeper. There has been a car lot on that corner since the 1920s. Ed McConnell



Ford displays its 25 Years Award plaque earned in 2018, but just recently received. Pictured left to right: Ford Rep - Meaghan Murphy, Engen's Daughter - Julie Azevedo, Owner of Gridley Country Ford - Curt Engen, and Engen's Daughter - Kari Reed. Photo provided by Gridley Country Ford

bought the dealership in 1958, he took a partner in Tom Winterstien in 1973 and they worked together until 1990 when McConnell retired.

In 1977 they hired a young Curt Engen,

freshly married to his wife Cindy, as a salesman. Through years of service, Engen made his way through the ranks and in 1993 bought a partnership with Winterstien, Engen eventually buying

him out in 2001.

The rest is a history as told. Through over four decades Engen and his family have worked as a dealership, as a service department and as a community sponsor. ★

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# The New Pi-Line



By Josh F.W. Cook

Artificial intelligence, commonly referred to as AI, is advancing just like the robot replacement of workers. AI is a wide-ranging branch of computer science concerned with building intelligent machines capable of performing tasks that typically require human intelligence. For the first time, an insurance company has deployed this technology to help determine the rate it will charge auto insurance customers. AI-powered computers can gather and compare tens of thousands of data points about each driver, not just their speed, but how fast they accelerate, how far they drive, what kind of car they drive, how often do they eat at a drive-through,

are they seeking psychological counseling, what magazines do they subscribe to, and thousands of other points of data to figure out what kind of risk a person is. It will be fascinating to watch how this is adopted by other companies in the months and years to come.

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Always interested in learning about peoples and cultures of the world, I gave the Belgian foreign exchange student a ride home and asked him questions about his experience in America. Fortunately, he speaks four languages, and English is one of them. He told me that he is really enjoyed America; he finds people to be kind and fun to be around. He was very gracious and appreciated the hospitality of people who invite him to things. I asked him what his favorite American food was, and he, without a moment's hesitation, said, "macaroni and cheese, that stuff that comes in a blue box. I love it."

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Walnuts are the number three highest valued agricultural commodity in Butte

County. According to the Butte County 2020 Crop & Livestock Report, over 53,000 harvested acres in Butte County with a market value of just over \$128 million. The County established a buying period when people could sell small quantities of walnuts; the ordinance also provided requirements for the transportation and identification of walnuts. Butte County Agricultural Commissioner L. Mendoza Jr. announced that November 8, 2021, will be the beginning of the "walnut buying period" to allow the purchasing of walnuts by non-processing buyers, according to the Butte County Nut Theft Ordinance. This period begins at the end of the Chandler Walnut harvest. The black market walnut thievery business has taken a hit since the Butte County Board of Supervisors adopted an updated Nut Theft Ordinance in 2014. Good government in action.

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Josh F.W. Cook is a public administrator and father of five above average children. ★

# Candidate Tamika Hamilton Takes Questions from Patriots



Congressional Candidate Tamika Hamilton addresses the meeting of the Feather River Tea Party Patriots. Photo by Noah Ross

By Noah Ross

**YUBA/SUTTER REGION, CA (MPG)** - The Feather River Tea Party Patriots had a special guest last Monday night. District 3 congressional hopeful Tamika Hamilton was a guest speaker. Hamilton started the engagement by outlining her qualifications for office. Hamilton is a 19-year veteran of the Air Force with two combat deployments under her belt, she is a mother of five, and most importantly she is a Republican.

After her brief introduction the candidate went straight into her message. She addressed the crowd of patriots hungering for truth telling them "It's time" to get rid of incumbent Congressman John Garamendi, "It's time" to stop the supply shortages and exorbitantly high gas prices, and "It's time" to clean up the mess that President Joe Biden has made of this country in his brief time in office.

In her presentation Hamilton promised to bring common sense with her to Washington D.C. if elected. She outlined why she is against the progressive liberal agenda. Moreover, she is opposed to paying illegal immigrants settlements for family separations that they suffered as a

result of their illicit activity. As the challenger, she is against mask mandates and anything that impinges on civil liberties.

Hamilton is in favor of prioritizing social programs that focus on homeless veterans of which California has the most in the nation. She believes that too few veterans are aware of the benefits and resources that are available to them and believes that more resources should be allocated for homeless veterans in California by expanding Veteran Affairs programs. The challenger is an advocate of school choice, and she believes in fiscal responsibility.

Hamilton also rallied the crowd to take action to take their government back. She emphasized how important grass-roots campaigning is going to be if the Republican Party is going to take California back from the liberals in 2022. Hamilton also spoke about the importance of volunteers willing to go door knocking. Citing the positive effect these efforts have on Republican vote totals in a state where Democrats outnumber Republicans by a 2 to 1 ratio. Hamilton also advocated ballot harvesting saying, "You can just do it, you don't have to ask for permission." ★

# Police Dept. Issues Statement Regarding Flyer Distributed

## Gridley Police Department News Release

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - A questionable flyer is being distributed by several individuals in the Gridley area.

The Gridley Police Department has made numerous attempts to verify the legitimate business practice of this organization.

After repeated discussions with an individual who answered the telephone number on the handout, claiming to be a Board Member, they are refusing to

provide any contact information for their Non-Profit status.

Research on the Sacramento Restorative Church shows an address that appears to be a vacant building in Sacramento, California.

Anyone choosing to donate to this organization does so knowing that the status cannot be verified as a legitimate Non-Profit Organization and the individuals with whom the Gridley Police Department have contacted are uncooperative and refuse to provide any information regarding their legitimate business operations. ★

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**LeRoy Francis Vierra**  
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It is with great sadness that LeRoy Vierra tragically passed away on October 12, 2021 while doing what he loved. LeRoy was born in Gridley-Biggs Memorial Hospital to Albert Eugene Vierra and Emily Roch Machado. He was the second oldest of five boys (Robert deceased, Ronald deceased, Larry and Roger). He attended Biggs school district where he graduated Biggs High School in 1955, he continued to live in Butte County his entire life. LeRoy lived life to its fullest and will be missed by his family and many of his friends. LeRoy is survived by his children Deyon (David) Deane, Darin (Negar) Vierra, Cari (William, deceased) Paul, Grandchildren Aiden and Leila Vierra

(Darin), Kyle and Elisha Deane (Deyon) and extended family Dallas (LeRoy's mini-me), Krissie & Sylvan Vieira (Tiffany and Becca), James & Nellie Maxwell (Jessica, Alisha, John and James Jr, Jeremy and Teanna Snyder (Drew and Gracie) and Jessica's children (Weston, Dallas, MaKenna and Suzanne). He will be greatly missed by all who has met him throughout his journey in life. LeRoy's passions in life were Trucking, Dirt track stock car racing (race car numbers 61 and 55 and well deserved nickname Leadfoot), Boating, fishing and Stan's bar.  
Celebration of life will be held at the Gridley Moose Lodge on November 13th 2021 at 1 PM

**Gridley's Youth Basketball League is Now Registering!**

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**Gridley Youth Basketball League!**

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Register at the Gridley Recreation Center:  
194 Washington St., Mon-Thurs, 9am-2pm or at City Hall: 685 Kentucky St., Mon-Fri., 8am-4pm. For questions call the Gridley Recreation Center (530) 846-3264

# Bringing Out the Living



The Day of the Dead altar, where gifts, flowers and candles were placed in offering to loved ones that had been lost and were believed to return to Earth to visit their families just for the day. Photo by Ethan Jacobsen

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Ampla Health and Gridley City Councilmember Angel Calderon, the event benefited the Gridley Museum.

The gazebo of Daddow Park was the heart of the celebration, with a colorful and traditional Día de Los Muertos style altar, composed of three distinct levels and decorated with flags, flowers, pictures, candles, and offerings for the dead. Calderon explained the significance of the three levels to the crowd; The lowest level represented death on an Earthly plane, the middle level the transitional realm between Earth and Heaven, and the third and highest level, representing that of Heaven.

As the crowd grew, spectators were treated to a beautiful traditional dance. Three women, dressed in white with their painted faces shrouded in colorful shawls danced to “La Llorona” which translates to the “weeping woman”. Calderon explains that in Mexican culture, La Llorona cries for her lost loved ones. The three ladies, Rocio Rubio, Lisa Aaron, and Fabiola Flores stunned the crowd with their sorrowful, yet gorgeous, routine.

As the program continued, guests visited the booths, and healthcare-based organizations present. Guests were invited to research their family lineage at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints family history booth, children and adults got into the spirit of the night by having their faces painted in the Catrina style (the decorative skeletal face painting), children colored Día De Los Muertos themed coloring sheets, and viewed artwork courtesy of students from Gridley High School. There was even a children’s Catrina costume contest! Ampla Health and other health-based organizations present offered information and services to visitors.

At one point, Calderon called everyone together for a special ritual. He says, “The ritual I did is an ancient Maya ritual. Whenever they



Co-Organizer Angel Calderon (Co-Organizer Rocio Valdez not pictured) and the Day of the Dead Queen are pictured together as Angel makes some special announcements. Photo by Ethan Jacobsen



Latinas dance solemnly to La Llorona, a beautifully sad song that in traditional Mexican folklore, references a “weeping woman” who cries for her drowned children. Photo by Ethan Jacobsen



Children took advantage of some of the creative booths at Gridley’s Day of the Dead Celebration. Seen here (left to right) brothers Josiah, Julian and Jesse Santiago take advantage of the coloring booth. Photo by Seti Long

had a war or a pandemic, or a crisis like that, they will do this ritual.... It is called En Lak Etch and the En Lak Etch means “you are my other me.” He continues, “The whole idea is for us to be on the same page,” and to come together as a community, always, and especially during this pandemic.

In the ritual, which Calderon performed at Día De Los Muertos, he had all the agencies present and others come together in a circle holding candles. With his lit candle, Calderon turned to his neighbor, lighting theirs while saying “You are my other me.” This was repeated until the circle was

complete, with all candles lit. Therein, those involved made an agreement to honor the spirit of the ritual and be there for their community and neighbors.

This Day of the Dead Celebration invited our community, which has been hit hard by COVID-19, to come together in what was basically a “Celebration of Life” event to grieve, to honor those lost to the virus or otherwise, and to help heal after that loss.

The first annual Day of the Dead Celebration was a huge hit and plans are to have a second, potentially larger Day of the Dead Celebration in 2022. ★

# Caltrans Update for Roadwork on HWY 99

Motorists, Pedestrians Should Use Elm or Kola Streets to Cross Highway

## Caltrans Traffic Alert

LIVE OAK, CA (MPG) - Caltrans is alerting motorists and pedestrians that Pennington Road east will be closed to traffic at State Highway 99/ Live Oak Boulevard began late Wednesday for construction activity.

At 7 a.m. Wednesday, November 3, construction crews will begin restriping this section of highway and shifting temporary concrete barriers from the west to the east side of the highway in preparation for upcoming widening work. Beginning at 5 p.m., the east side of the Pennington Road intersection will be closed to traffic through mid-December.

Motorists and pedestrians should use either Elm Street or Kola Street for State Highway 99 access or to cross the highway.

During work on the east side of the intersection, southbound Highway 99 travelers will be permitted to make right turns onto Pennington Road west. However, left turns onto west Pennington will be prohibited for northbound motorists.

Caltrans reminds residents that businesses



Pennington East Closure Map. Image courtesy of Caltrans/Noah Ross

remain open during construction. Customers should use Larkin Road to reach affected businesses, including Live Oak City Hall.

Caltrans reminds motorists to be alert for trucks entering and exiting the roadway, and crews working along the highway.

Visit [www.LiveOak99.com](http://www.LiveOak99.com) for the latest news and updates as well as maps showing access to businesses in the construction area, business deals for consumers, photo simulations of the boulevard including traffic lane striping for the five-lane roadway after construction, and other information. You

also may connect with the Live Oak 99 social media campaign – Facebook: (@LiveOak99) <https://www.facebook.com/LiveOak99/> Twitter: (LiveOak\_99) [https://twitter.com/LiveOak\\_99](https://twitter.com/LiveOak_99)

Weather or unexpected events may delay or postpone work. Other construction updates in the region are posted Twitter @CaltransDist3 and on Facebook at CaltransDistrict3. For real-time traffic, click on Caltrans’ QuickMap [quickmap.dot.ca.gov/](http://quickmap.dot.ca.gov/) or download the QuickMap app from the App Store or Google Play. ★

# Tough Fight in the Boneyard



The Gridley Bulldogs defense lines up for the next play against West Valley Eagles on November 5th, 2021.

## Story and photos by Zachary Torres

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - Last Friday saw the final game of the regular season for the Gridley Bulldogs before they head into the playoffs.

The JV team took the lead early and continued their pressure ending the game 34-0 Against the Eagles and moving into the Playoffs.

In between games Gridley High School celebrated their final season with a dedication to the Seniors and their parents. Senior football players and cheerleaders lined up across their parents. Cheers and shouts erupted as each athlete presented

their parent or loved ones with roses. The Happy Birthday song broke out in the stands as one Football Player crossed the field. After their moment under the lights were done the real action would take place.

It was a fight from the beginning with both teams going 3 and out on their first few possessions. But it was West Valley Eagles that would take the half going 13-0 into half time.

The second half proved better for the Bulldogs scoring two times, but it wasn’t enough in the end. Final Score 27-13 West Valley. The Bulldogs will continue into the playoffs hosting Wheatland this Friday. ★



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# Thoughts to Ponder

by Kathy Neal



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Some are prayer warriors, some are tech

warriors while others use pen and paper and social media to carry on the battles against seen and unseen enemies.

God says the battles are His and He provides all machinery, materials, and vocabulary need to win. He provides the helmet of salvation, the breast plate of righteousness, the shield of faith, the belt of truth, sandals of peace, and the sword of the word. With this armor we are to use them to meet our enemies, push back injustice, and favor our Father.

Sometimes we may have to stand alone in full armor with His power. Other times we will have fellow believers to stand with us. No matter, God and His

heavenly army are near.

In the Old Testament a follower of Elijah was allowed to open his eyes and literally see God's mighty army in full power to protect them. Others have seen and heard as a mighty hand of God used His warriors to defeat and disrupt great armies and enemies of His people. God promises at the "end of ages," that a mighty "white horsed" army will be with Christ when He comes to claim His Kingdom. Thousands upon thousands will be with Him.

Come join God's army with the Gridley United Methodist Church. We meet on Sundays at 10 am. We are on the corner of Magnolia and Haskell Streets in Gridley. ★

# Hold the Line on Mandates!



Whether you are for or against the Covid vaccine, forcing children or anyone to get the shot is not right, and that is not freedom. Photo courtesy of Kevin Carden Photography

## Antivax Press Release

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - November 15, 2021, we are doing it again! Let's do it bigger and better and get the word out! Keep your child home from school and if you are a district worker, please call in. Let them know we stand for medical freedom and choice, especially when it comes to our children. There will be a rally at the State Capitol at 10:00 a.m. and a rally in Yuba City from 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at Colusa Hwy and Live Oak Blvd near the Java Detour. This is a statewide event, and these are two local rallies happening. Vaccine Mandates for children are not appropriate and are a danger to our children. The benefits do not outweigh the risks, the vaccine has a (supposed) 91% success rate, for a virus that has a 99.75% survival rate, and children make up less than 20% of those infected, and as of October, we are on the 7th weekly decrease in infections in children.

Many people are saying they are afraid of the unvaccinated population, but I believe those who are unvaccinated have more to be afraid of from those who are vaccinated. When vaccinated you can still get Covid (and the mutated strains), and you are far more likely to be asymptomatic, meaning you will spread the virus unknowingly, while those that have symptoms will be aware of what is going on and quarantine. Plus, they are finding adverse reactions including Myocarditis, pericarditis as well

as other complications due to the vaccine particularly in young adults and children.

The CDC reports that they can only CONFIRM that the vaccine has caused 1,000 cases of myocarditis in youth ages 13-23, (before it was tested on those 12 and under) and their data reports show Covid is responsible for 657 (or as CDC puts it 0.0-0.26% of all Covid related deaths) in children 0-18 from 1/4/20 through 10/23/21.

Myocarditis is a serious condition that can lead to serious heart failure and result in death. This is only one example of the many risks associated with this vaccine. It is also unlike the other mandatory vaccinations currently required for children to attend public schools. This vaccine doesn't contain any live or dead virus shedding's as our previous vaccinations do, it is a new mRNA vaccine never used before, and mRNA gives your cells instructions, instructing the cells to create a foreign protein, the same protein found in Covid, in order to trigger an immune response.

If you believe the vaccine protects people, then you go and get it and protect yourself and let those not wanting it forced upon them to make their own medical decisions and take the risk. Whether you are for or against the Covid vaccine, forcing children or anyone to get the shot is not right, and that is not freedom.

*"The last thing standing between a child and industry corruption is a mom."*  
- RFK, JR. By: Kristi Pendergras ★

## Council Approves RFC Grant, HR Position

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the request that the property be annexed into the City Limits and to modify the designations of land use at this site to allow for a subdivision. On October 18th, the City Council heard multiple Resolutions and voted to enact them (they are listed as "entitlements" for this project in agenda Item #6). As worded in the details of agenda Item #6, found on the City of Gridley website, "The entitlements for this project include: An application for annexation to the City of Gridley, a General Plan Amendment, a pre-zone, the adoption of a Mitigated Negative Declaration, and a Tentative Subdivision Map." This Ordinance came before the Council for its second reading, and if adopted, would become effective 30 days after the vote on December 1st. The Ordinance was adopted the evening of November 1st, by reading only and passed by a vote of 4-0 (Councilmember Sanchez not present). This will allow the project applicant to move forward, presenting an application for annexation to the Butte Local Agency Formation Commission or LAFCO.

The final agenda item of the night was the consideration and approval of a proposed

revision to the City's position classification plan to include a Human Resource Manager. City Administrator, Cliff Wagner, currently operates as Human Resource Manager, among his other duties, and has suggested this new position at past City Council meetings, with Council asking for time to consider the position. Significant population growth is forecasted due to the multiple housing developments currently in process, and as stated in the detailed language of Agenda Item 7, "The population growth will necessarily mean additional demands on city services and necessitate an appropriate, corresponding expansion in Police, Fire, and Public Works staff. Implementing a Human Resource Manager position will assist the City in effectively managing the future expansion of City services and staff." The City would be looking at a fiscal impact of an additional \$80,000 a year in staff benefits and salary if this position was added. The motion passed 3-1 in favor of the new Human Resource Manager position (Vice Mayor Farr, Councilmember Torres, Councilmember Calderon: Yes; Mayor Johnson: No; Councilmember Sanchez not present). ★



### LOCAL FISHING

Future Pro Tour Oct 16, 2021 Bass results.

#### Youth ages 5-11

1st place: 5-fish 12.57 lbs.

Use: Robo Worms

#### Youth ages 12-18

1st place: 5-fish 10.71 lbs.

Use: wacky-rigged Robo Worms

#### Adults:

1st place: 5-fish 13.87 lbs.

Use: Crank Baits

*Sacramento River to above Isleton Bridge*

Folsom Lake; water level up. Bass bite on, 40 bass in two days, mix of small, large and spotted bass. Use: Bagley Balsa Wood in Chartreuse color, or Rapala Shad Rap. (b)

### SAN FRANCISCO BAY-DELTA

South Bay; party boat limits of late halibuts. Note: No Anchovy available. Use: Herring Cut Bait. (a) Delta stripers; trolled Antioch Bridge to Connection Slough didn't mark any stripers. San Joaquin Delta provided the fish. Use: six- inch Swim Baits on ½ oz Jig Head. (g)

### COASTAL WATERS

Sport crab season opens, zone 1 ; Oregon state line to Sonoma/Mendocino county lines, and Zones 5 and 6, south of Lopez Point Monterey Co.. CDF&W says use only optional hoop nets and crab snares. EHB... Good luck with that. Commercial crab opening Nov 15th still pending results of Domoic Acid testing results until Nov22nd. Note: Commercial crabbers still using crab pots that ensnare whales and sea turtles! Fort Bragg; zone 3 sport crab open. Combo rock fish/crab boats \$180.00. Rock fish limits. Use: Anchovy Cut Bait. (b) Six hour soak on crab pots yields 10 crabs per pot. Use: Fish Entrails. (b) Note: No hoop nets or snares!

### SALT WATER FLY FISHING

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Jenner by the Sea; mouth of Russian River. Four huge beaches, usually busy. Fish Head Beach my favorite. Striped surf perch... orange and blue lateral stripes, blue spots on head. Use: Squid Bodies w/ scent (b)

**Fisherman's Comment:** Brownie, the trophy trout on my wall is 26/12th in length, girth is 9/12th and weight 57.3kg. Signed:



Squid bodies

Thomas McKim Brun (Brown) Scotsman of Ol'

### LAKES RESERVOIRS AND RIVERS

Clear lake; thread-fin shad bait fish enticing 15 bass to 6-pounds, at 20ft deep in South Area, also channel cats to 6-lbs, and a few 2-lb crappies all on...Use: Underspings (b) Eagle Lake; troll lead core to 15-feet, at Miners Bay...2.5lb Eagle Lake strain rainbows. Use: Orange flies. (a) also bank fishermen at Gallatin Marina hooking up. Use: Power Bait. (a) Pyramid Lake; bank fly fisherman at South Indian Head area, find cuts of 18-lbs. Rig with 15lb fluorocarbon tippets. Use: Popcorn Beetle. (a) Amador Reservoir ; small boats launch okay. 10,000 lbs. trout plant. Finesse fishing with... Texas rig . Use: 3" Soft Plastic Grubs dyed Merthiolate Red. (a)



Red Sky Morning

*"Red sky at night fisherman's delight, red skies in the morning fisherman's warning."*  
~ Brownie

## SPARKY'S CORNER

## Generator Safety

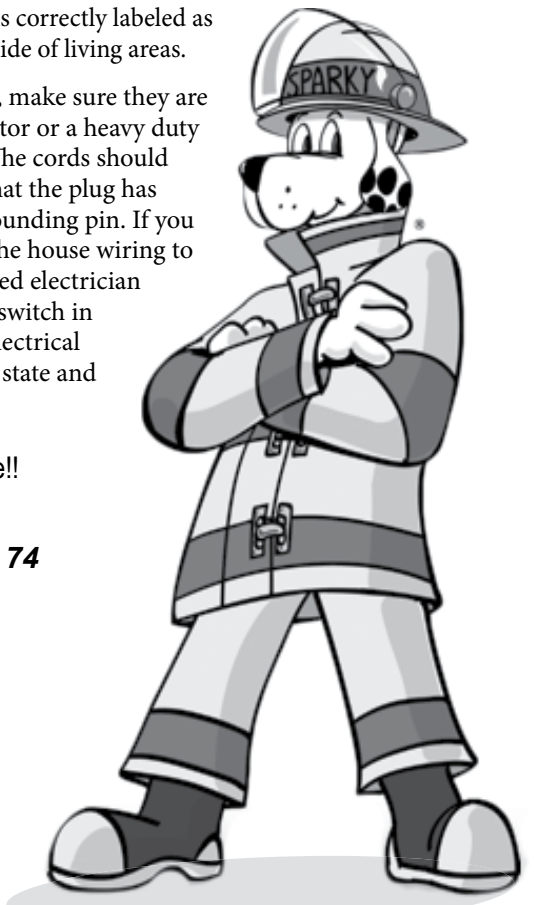
Downed utility lines, power company blackouts, heavy snow falls or summer storms can all lead to power outages. Many people turn to a portable generator for a temporary solution without knowing the risks.

- Generators should be used in well ventilated locations outside at least 5 feet away from all doors, windows, and vent openings. Measure the 5-foot distance from the generator exhaust system to the building.
- Never use a generator in an attached garage, even with the door open.
- Place generators so that exhaust fumes can't enter the home through windows, doors or other openings in the building. The exhaust must be directed away from the building.
- Make sure to install carbon monoxide (CO) alarms in your home. Follow manufacturer's instructions for correct placement and mounting height.
- Turn off generators and let them cool down before refueling. Never refuel a generator while it is hot.
- Store fuel for the generator in a container that is intended for the purpose and is correctly labeled as such. Store the containers outside of living areas.

When plugging in appliances, make sure they are plugged directly into the generator or a heavy duty outdoor-rated extension cord. The cords should be checked for cuts, tears and that the plug has all three prongs, especially a grounding pin. If you must connect the generator to the house wiring to power appliances, have a qualified electrician install a properly rated transfer switch in accordance with the National Electrical Code® (NEC) and all applicable state and local electrical codes.

Thank You, and Be Safe!!

**Sparky the Dog**  
**Gridley Fire Station 74**



# Gridley Thumbs and Roots



By Barbara Ott

It has been disappointing to have cloud cover during a time when the Northern Lights might show this far south. I once saw the Northern Lights in Berry Creek. I was on the back deck and thought there was a forest fire. It didn't act like fire but it sure had a lot of colors somewhat like fire. I'd love to see

the Lights again. With that disappointment on the low end of the disappointment scale, I embraced another wonderful surprise display of color presented by nature. The other day as I drove down the street hundreds of leaves were letting go and fluttering in the wind in diagonal drifts. The tree top zone to the street were full of the falling colors of Fall. This was no wimpy few leaves drifting here and there. It was a maelstrom of masses of oak and maple leaves caught in the low light of the day and glowing as they made waves and undulated to the ground. The aftermath of this wondrous sight is still present on my street. There are mounds of leaves up

against the curbs and at least three to four feet out from the curbs. It was a moment of awe and wonder as well as the spilling of all of the light gathered by these leaves all summer long. A sight to fill my day dreams for cold days to come. The reblooming yellow iris are showing off their yellow glory again. This is a wonderful plant. It blooms in our town at least two times and year and sometimes three to four times. It is a vigorous plant and is determined to make as many more plants as it can accomplish. In my yard I have to dig them up regularly so they don't take over. This enables me to pass out this wonderful plant. ★

# A Confusing Array of Sports Betting Measures



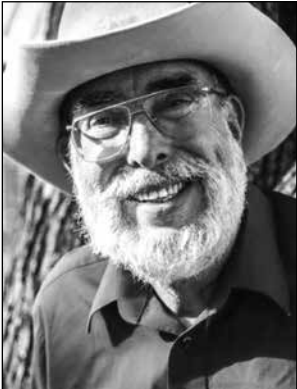
By Dan Walters  
CALMatters

Memo to California voters: Prepare to be confused because you could be facing four competing ballot measures next year to legalize sports wagering. Indian tribes that now have a monopoly on casino gambling in California, big on-line sports betting corporations, horse racing tracks, and local poker parlors are jousting for control of what could be countless billions of dollars in bets on sporting events. Following a 2018 U.S. Supreme Court ruling that made sports betting legal, a number of other states have accepted it, and the major professional sports leagues, which condemned sports betting for decades, have struck deals with major on-line betting operations. However, years of efforts in the California Legislature to fashion a system acceptable to all stakeholders fell short. The legislative stalemate meant – as it often does in California – a shift to the alternative arena of ballot measures. Major casino-owning tribes struck first with a measure that would extend their gambling monopoly to sports wagering, qualifying it for the 2022 ballot. In reaction, three other

initiatives are in the works, each of which would benefit its sponsor in some way, but it's not certain that all will make the ballot. Although the election is a year away, the calendar for qualifying measures is fairly advanced and sponsors will have to hustle to make it – which means spending millions of dollars for professional signature-gathering campaigns. The tribal measure already ticketed for the ballot would require sports wagers to be placed either in existing casinos or in locations owned by the tribes. It also would allow sports wagers at major horse racing tracks – an obvious ploy to dampen potential opposition – but would not allow on-line bets on sports events. The measure, if passed, would block DraftKings and FanDuel, the two major on-line wagering outfits that yearn to operate in California. But it also includes a sly legal attack on the local poker parlors, which have long feuded with the casino tribes, and the cardrooms struck back with a measure of their own that would allow them to accept sports wagers. Very quickly, DraftKings and FanDuel pledged millions of dollars for a third measure that would allow them to operate in California and have drawn support from some big city mayors by promising that their proposal would provide money to deal with homelessness. Finally, three casino-owning tribes, two of which have backed the original

tribal measure, are floating a fourth measure that would allow on-line betting controlled by the tribes. It's a hedge against the DraftKings-FanDuel measure because it assumes that given a choice between wagering on-line or driving to a casino to place a bet, betters would prefer the former. Millions of dollars are already being spent by the sponsors of the four measures and they've commenced hostilities with dueling public relations campaigns in advance of what promises to be a tsunami of television and on-line advertising to persuade voters to choose one over the others. It would surprise no one if hundreds of millions of dollars are spent on the campaigns next year, because the millions would be pocket lint compared to the billions of wagering dollars that would flow through the hands of whichever interests can claim legal authority. That said, it's also possible that the campaigns will be short-circuited by a political deal. Those who sponsor ballot measures can remove them from the ballot if their demands are met by legislation. Given the years of legislative stalemate on the issue, it's difficult to see the competing interests agreeing to divvy up the pie, but it's not an impossible resolution. Dan Walters has been a journalist for nearly 60 years, spending all but a few of those years working for California newspapers. ★

# Slim Randles' HOME COUNTRY



Slim Randles

That certain ... crispness? ... in the air reminds me of one of my favorite story assignments over the past thousand years or so. I was a reporter/columnist/feature writer for The Anchorage Daily News, and since I had a tolerance for eccentricities in others ... well, they called me the weirdo reporter. And one of the annual tasks that dropped in my lap was doing a story on what kind of a winter it's going to be. And I did this story each August, you see. So will it be nasty cold, very mild, deep snow, no

## They Called me the Weirdo Reporter

snow ... that sort of thing. It was fun. I'd call up old sourdoughs who'd give me some estimate and then tell me some weird reason why they thought so. You know, the bird calls changed from the key of C to G sharp, that kind of thing. And I'd call up some Native villages and get expert opinions from the old guys there. Fun story. Well, this one year I thought, hey ... we have a division of the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration right here in Anchorage, and they have satellites and computers and all kinds neat stuff. I'll ask them. So I called NOAA and said, what kind of a winter are we in for? And the guy said, "We really can't predict beyond maybe a week at the most." So I said, look, you have all

those neat toys over there ... why can't you figure it out? And he said, well, Slim, let me see what I can put together and I'll call you tomorrow, okay? Now we'll get some really educated information for the readers. I couldn't wait. So next day he calls and says his best guess is we'll have a colder than usual winter. Super. And how did he arrive at that conclusion? He hemmed and hawed, then said, "Well, the beavers are building their lodges in deeper water this year, so we should expect thicker than normal ice." Once again science triumphs over the tundra. Brought to you by Dogsled: A True Tale of the North, Slim's first book. Available on Amazon.com.



## Water Districts Cry Foul Over Plan to Increase San Joaquin River Flows

The Newsom administration has informed regional water districts that it is moving forward with a plan to increase flows from San Joaquin River tributaries. The California Natural Resources Agency and the state Environmental Protection Agency recently informed water districts that the state was walking away from negotiations on voluntary agreements to help regulate river flows. The decision could create more water uncertainty for farmers.

## Processing Options Will Help Ranchers With Direct Meat Sales

Ranchers who sell meat directly to customers continue to struggle with where to take their animals for processing, as packing plants are often booked solid. New federally inspected mobile operations are coming online to help, including one that opened in March. Starting in 2022, a new law will also allow ranchers who sell whole animals directly to customers to use mobile operations exempt from federal inspections to process animals on the farm.

## Avocado harvest is close to projections, but lower than 2019-2020

California's avocado harvest is nearly finished and appears to be meeting crop projections for the season. By late October, farmers had harvested 263.5 million pounds of avocados, on pace for their predicted output of 265 million pounds. That's far lower than the 2019-2020 season, when the crop totaled 375.5 million pounds. Growers say they were challenged by variable weather, with below-average temperatures followed by heat waves.

## USDA Offers Grants for Enhancing Specialty Crops

The U.S. Department of Agriculture is distributing \$243 million in grants to support specialty crops, including fruits, vegetables, tree nuts and nursery products. The grants will fund research, agricultural extension activities and other programs to increase demand for agricultural goods. Specialty crop initiative grants have already been awarded to University of California, Berkeley and UC Davis for research on climate-smart lettuce production. ★

# Dear Dietitian

# Low Sodium

**Commentary by Leanne McCrate**

Dear Dietitian,

I have just been diagnosed with congestive heart failure and have been told to follow a low salt diet. I have been trying, but it seems almost impossible! Can you help?

Signed, Frustrated  
Dear Frustrated,

It's normal to get frustrated while adjusting to a lifestyle change. We are accustomed to adding salt (sodium chloride) to almost everything we eat, so a low sodium diet is a big adjustment for anyone. Low sodium (1500 mg) diets are often prescribed for patients with congestive heart failure (CHF), a condition where the heart does not pump efficiently. In this situation, blood often backs up, and fluid can build up in the lungs, causing shortness of breath. Fluid may also build up in the legs and abdomen. Decreasing salt in your diet helps prevent these problems. When someone with CHF consumes salt, it can impact how well the heart functions. Salt draws water, which can build up around the heart, but the heart cannot effectively pump the fluid away. The key to following a new diet is planning ahead. Focus on fresh foods, meats, fruits, vegetables.

Plan meals ahead of time. Avoid canned and processed foods, such as canned vegetables, frozen pizzas, pot pies, tv dinners, and cheese. Learn how to read food labels. Keep sodium less than 200 mg sodium per serving. Look for Low sodium on the label; these foods have 140 mg sodium or less per serving. You can also read the ingredient list to learn more about the source of sodium. Watch for words like sodium bicarbonate (baking soda), monosodium glutamate (MSG), and sodium benzoate. Learn how to season foods without salt. Use curry or onion for eggs. Try sage or rosemary for tomatoes. Dry mustard or oregano can spice up your pork. Be sure to consult your doctor before using salt substitutes that contain potassium, as they may cause your blood potassium level to rise. When dining out, ask that foods be prepared without salt. Avoid buffets and cafeterias, as these foods are often high in sodium. Finally, give yourself at least six weeks to adjust to a new diet. You won't do it perfectly, so try to be patient. Following a low sodium diet takes time and adjustment, but it will save you a trip to the hospital. If you find you need further education, consult your local Registered Dietitian Nutritionist.

Until next time, be healthy!  
Dear Dietitian

Leanne McCrate, RDN, LD, CNSC is an award-winning dietitian based in Missouri. Her mission is to educate consumers on sound, scientifically-based nutrition. Do you have a nutrition question? Email her today at deardietitian411@gmail.com. Dear Dietitian does not endorse any products, health programs, or diet plans. ★

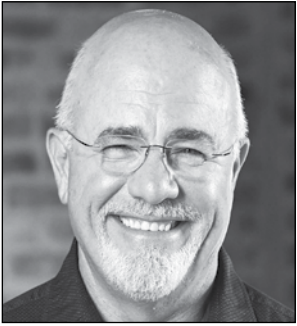
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Dear Dave,

My husband is a union member and works at a paint factory near our home. His union's current contract will expire in nine months. We have about \$27,000 of debt left to pay off, and he makes a little over \$80,000 a year. I'm nervous because his slow season is coming up between now and then. During this time, he usually gets about half the hours – and, of course, less money – than he does during the rest of the year. I'm a little scared, even though there hasn't been a strike in the last six years. Do you think we should go ahead and pay

Dave Ramsey Says

off our remaining debt or hold onto every penny in case they walk out?

– Cheyanne

Dear Cheyanne,

I'm going to tell you something that might just blow your mind: You two can pay off the debt and have some money set aside to live on in that length of time. If you do that, you'll actually be more ready for a strike than ever before. You'll both have to be on the same page financially and do things with a sense of urgency, but right now, I don't think you've got too much to worry about.

The likelihood of them going on strike is pretty low. Chances are, they're just rattling their sabers and talking big to posture for the negotiations. Most factories are behind right now, and the last thing they want is to get even further behind. Everything has been so screwed up by COVID-19 that unless the union

demands some completely ridiculous stuff, things will probably work out fine.

I think you guys are going to be fine, Cheyanne. Should you be intentional and thoughtful about the situation? Absolutely. It's always wise to look ahead and plan for the future. Getting that debt paid off and saving up a bunch of cash will give you real peace of mind.

– Dave

*Dave Ramsey is a seven-time #1 national best-selling author, personal finance expert, and host of The Ramsey Show, heard by more than 18 million listeners each week. He has appeared on Good Morning America, CBS This Morning, Today Show, Fox News, CNN, Fox Business, and many more. Since 1992, Dave has helped people regain control of their money, build wealth and enhance their lives. He also serves as CEO for Ramsey Solutions.* ★

Ochoa Bogh Leads Efforts to Push  
for Accountability with State's EDD

From the office  
of Senator Rosilicie Ochoa Bogh

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - As Vice Chair of the Senate Labor, Public Employment, and Retirement Committee, Senator Rosilicie Ochoa Bogh (R-Yucaipa) is leading the efforts to call for more accountability of the mismanaged Employment Development Department (EDD).

In a letter to the Chair and Vice Chair of the Joint Legislative Budget Committee, signed by members of the Republican Caucus, Senator Ochoa Bogh is requesting that the committee schedule an oversight hearing on EDD before Veterans Day. The purpose of the meeting is to ensure that

recommendations from the State Auditor and some recently passed bipartisan legislation crafted based on those recommendations are being implemented by the EDD. Glaring failures at EDD date back to 2013 and the Senate Republican Caucus has been tracking those problems here.

Senator Ochoa Bogh released the following statement:

"I am heartbroken as I hear from constituents on a daily basis who have found themselves in desperate need of help from the California Employment Development Department (EDD) through no fault of their own. My Republican colleagues and I know that the legislature has the responsibility to hold state agencies accountable, and the EDD is no exception. ★

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The following persons are doing business as: CB PHOTOGRAPHY AND DESIGN  
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Cody Bromley, 920 Downing Avenue, Chico, CA 95926  
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Earth X Design, 1405 Lofgren Road, Richvale, CA 95974  
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The following persons are doing business as: BAY ENTERPRISES  
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The following persons are doing business as: COMER'S PRINT SHOP  
2008 Lincoln Street, Oroville, CA 95966  
Jeffrey Roy Comer, 1335 Forbestown Road, Oroville, CA 95966  
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4881 Rich Bar Road, Chico, CA 95928  
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Nathan Goller, 1032 Raven Lane, Chico, CA 95926  
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Maribel Rivera, 10715 Irene Way, Live Oak, CA 95953  
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Richard Anderson, 2753 San Jose Street, Chico, CA 95973  
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Summons

SUMMONS  
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There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a non-profit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case. AVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 dias, la corte puede decidir en su contra sin escuchar su version. Lea la informacion a continuacion.  
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de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov) en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede mas cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentacion, pida al secretario de la corte que le de un formulario de exencion de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podra quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin mas advertencia.  
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- ACROSS
- Repeating word on South Pacific map
  - Bro's sibling
  - Dashboard abbr.
  - Fusses
  - "Basketball slam
  - Go "Boo!"
  - Boisterous play
  - Upper hand
  - Part of mortise joint
  - "Unopposed attempt to score (2 words)
  - "The Famous Five" children's writer Blyton
  - "Basketball player Bojan Bogdanovic or Drazen Petrovic
  - "Mares eat \_\_\_\_" or "does eat \_\_\_\_" sing.
  - One who covers in silver, e.g.
  - Figure
  - Be ill
  - Part of "panther"
  - Capital of Latvia
  - Like helium
  - Quilting party
  - Analyze
  - Dehydrated
  - Litter of piglets
  - Down Under bird
  - a.k.a. aardvark
  - Provincial governor in ancient Persia
  - Argo propeller
  - Subway in Paris
  - Conclusion starter
  - "Made basket (2 words)
  - Not a soul
  - Like animal near extinction
  - Greek sandwich
  - Bandages
  - Arabian bigwig
  - Answer to "Shall we?"
  - Bar offering
  - "It sends a basketball game to overtime
  - Highland tongue

- DOWN
- Vomit
  - Sensory input
  - It wasn't built in a day
  - Characteristic to consider
  - Traditional scarf/headress
  - Brick of precious metal
  - Place at an angle
  - Indian princess
  - Circus trainer's poker
  - '80s band "\_\_\_\_ At Work"
  - Remove antlers
  - Titanic propeller
  - "Shaquille O'Neal and Wilt Chamberlain, e.g.
  - Halloween option
  - Not their
  - 1/100th of a rupee
  - Wrinkle-prone natural fabric
  - Warning
  - \_\_\_\_-do-well
  - Part of a stair
  - Old World lizard
  - "Fast-break \_\_\_\_
  - Skier's aid
  - Part of H.M.S.
  - "Reward after missed shot
  - "Larry O'Brien NBA Championship Trophy, e.g.
  - Away's partner
  - Stable worker
  - Relieves

- On/off type of switch
- \* \_\_\_\_ Hurricanes
- Creepy
- Work very hard
- Use a whetstone
- Worry without necessity
- Deed hearing
- A in A&E Network
- \*The Phoenix Suns did it in the 2021 NBA Finals
- \*Professional basketball league



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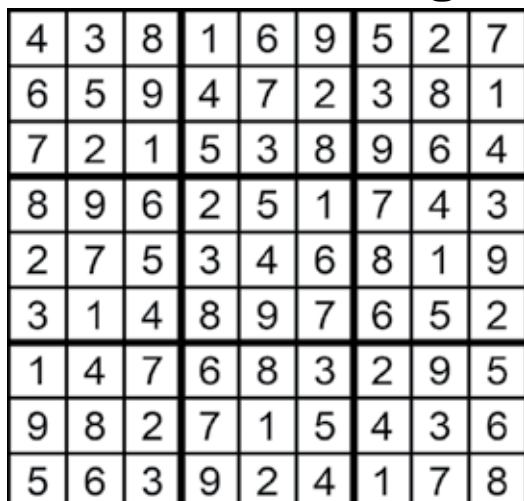
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## Sheriff's Office Conducting Investigation



Ronald Vaughn, suspect in stabbing of two people

### Butte County Sheriff's Press Release

**OROVILLE, CA (MPG)** - On November 05, 2021, at 12:08 PM the Butte County Sheriff's Office (BCSO) received a call about a stabbing that occurred at

a residence located in the 3100 block of Oro Bangor Highway, Oroville. BCSO deputies were immediately dispatched to the area. Upon arrival, deputies located two victims that had been stabbed. The victims were immediately transported to a local hospital where they are currently receiving treatment.

During a subsequent investigation, deputies and detectives determined Ronald Vaughn, age 29, of Oroville, showed up at the residence around 12:00 PM. Detectives determined Vaughn knows the victim's family. Detectives located evidence that

Vaughan was accompanied by several other individuals when he arrived at the residence.

During the investigation, detectives located evidence that gave them cause to believe Vaughn stabbed both victims. Deputies and detectives are actively looking for Vaughn. Detectives are in the process of obtaining an arrest warrant for Vaughn. A photograph of Vaughn is attached to this press release. This investigation is on-going. If anyone has information about this investigation, they are encouraged to call BCSO detectives at 530-538-7671. ★

## California Farm Bureau Hails Investments in Infrastructure

### California Farm Bureau News Release

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - California Farm Bureau President Jamie Johansson today applauded members of Congress for passing the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act, hailing its crucial benefits for California's agricultural communities.

"We applaud Congress for passing this critical bill," Johansson said. "This represents a once-in-a-generation opportunity to make the kind of investment we need to bring our rural infrastructure into the 21st century."

The legislation – H.R. 3684 – provides \$550 billion in new spending on physical infrastructure over the next five years. That includes investing \$110 billion in U.S. roads and bridges, \$65 billion for broadband, \$17.3 billion for ports and inland waterways and more than \$8 billion to repair and invest in water storage and conveyance projects for the drought-impacted West.

The U.S. Chamber of Commerce estimates that California would receive more than \$45 billion in long-term funding.

"This will benefit California's farmers and ranchers, who are counting on improvements to millions of miles of roadways and waterways to get food to America's dinner tables and upgraded ports to ship products to international markets," Johansson said. "Our rural communities can thrive with expanded broadband and feel protected due to investments in forests that reduce wildfire dangers."

"And amid our searing drought, farmers can now look forward to long-needed improvements in water storage and conveyance systems. But we need to make sure those investments result in real infrastructure and are not bogged down in regulatory processes."

The California Farm Bureau works to protect family farms and ranches on behalf of nearly 32,000 members statewide and as part of a nationwide network of nearly 5.6 million Farm Bureau members. ★

## AMCHA Denounces Newsom's Signing of Ethnic Studies Bill

### AMCHA News Release

**SANTA CRUZ, CA (MPG)** - AMCHA Initiative Director, Tammi Rossman-Benjamin, issued the following statement in response to Governor Gavin Newsom's signing of AB 101, a bill to make ethnic studies courses a high school graduation requirement:

"Having closely monitored and studied the ethnic studies scene unfold on college campuses for years, particularly in California, to say we are deeply concerned is an understatement. While certainly not all in the ethnic studies field fall into this category, there is a vocal and active faction of extremists who have long been seeking to inject their antisemitic and anti-Zionist agenda into our nation's classrooms, and today that faction succeeded. This is a dark day for Jewish students in California and the dozens of other states that historically follow California's lead.

"The fact that no less than seven 'guardrails' were deemed necessary for preventing AB 101 from facilitating the widespread promotion of antisemitism is itself a stunning indictment of the bill and the dangers it poses for Jewish students and the Jewish community. And by law those so-called guardrails are purely optics. They carry zero weight when it comes to preventing school districts from bringing the rejected and blatantly antisemitic original ESMC curriculum or its far worse Liberated cousin into the classroom.

"Making matters significantly worse, California's teachers' unions and public universities' ethnic studies departments proudly support those overtly antisemitic curricula. Both the original ESMC draft and Liberated's curriculum are endorsed by California's two largest teachers' unions and ethnic studies departments and faculty on Cal State and University of California campuses.

"This bill could and should have been stopped at the legislative level and must not be forced on the Jewish community to fight in each of California's 1,300 school districts. We surely hope that those who

guaranteed the guardrails would prevent antisemitic curricula from seeping into our state's high schools stand ready to fulfill their commitment, since this enormous responsibility ought to fall squarely on their shoulders, not on parents and students."

AMCHA has led several efforts to warn Newsom about the dire harms of the bill and urge him to veto it. In the past couple of weeks, hundreds of Holocaust survivors and their descendants, dozens of religious, civil rights and education organizations, thousands of Californians, and hundreds of California high school students and parents have urged Newsom to veto the bill. And the LA Times editorialized against AB 101, urging a veto, and citing the same concerns raised by the petitioners.

Rossman-Benjamin was the first to expose the way in which the discipline of Critical Ethnic Studies is deeply antisemitic and anti-Zionist. AMCHA has led several coalition efforts to educate officials about the dangers of a curriculum based on Critical Ethnic Studies. AMCHA's Director, Tammi Rossman-Benjamin, has testified before the California Senate Education Committee and the Assembly Education Committee against AB 101, and provided evidence that if AB 101 becomes law, most school districts will adopt some version of the rejected antisemitic first draft.

*AMCHA monitors more than 450 college campuses across the U.S. for anti-Semitic activity. The organization has recorded more than 3,500 anti-Semitic incidents on college campuses since 2015. Its daily Anti-Semitism Tracker, organized by state and university, can be viewed <https://amchainitiative.org/search-by-incident#incident/search/display-by-date/>.*

AMCHA Initiative is a non-partisan, non-profit organization dedicated to combating anti-Semitism at colleges and universities in the United States. For more information see [amchainitiative.org/statement-ab101-10-7-21pr/](https://amchainitiative.org/statement-ab101-10-7-21pr/) ★

### By Heather Payne

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - The Gridley High School (GHS) Band and Choir tradition of a Renaissance Dinner, Market and Faire will again be part of local 2021 fall festivities. Comedy, music, poetry, dance, and drama will play a role in the program for this year's Renaissance Festival. Many students and festival goers will participate in the varied entertainment and will provide a night of lighthearted performances including the iconic song and dance, Men in Tights, to be performed by students and festival goers. The crowd will enjoy music from GHS Band and Choir, comic acting, fun, frivolity, and dancing, including a renaissance couples dance.

The castle guests can purchase treats from a tasty market of full of homemade breads, cookies, jams, roasted nuts, dried fruit,

and many fresh local fruits and produce for sale. Be sure to bring your coins to give to the poor, but faithful, "Friar Tuck" who will "pass the plate" for your extra coins. Along with the delicious market foods for sale, you can also purchase homemade root beer or ask the Royal King and Queen to throw a family member, or friend, into the dungeon.

All castle guests will enjoy the visual atmosphere of knightly round tables, a regal castle library, a rich and elegantly decorated head table for King and Queen, the bounteous food and fruit of the rich fall market and faire, a natural Sherwood Forrest and the saucy pub and dungeon. An abundance of creativity brings to life this unique renaissance evening where costumes for knights, dragons, dukes, duchesses, squires, and princesses are encouraged. Come meet our new "Head Castle

Minstrel" or music director, Ethan Jacobsen, and give him a warm welcome.

The GHS Renaissance Festival will be held on November 18th and 20th in the Gridley Guardian Building- 200 Spruce Street. Tickets are on sale at Gridley High School office, ACE Hardware and Childrens Hope Foster Family Agency.

All tickets are \$15.00, and all proceeds support the Gridley High School Band and Choir. We will observe Covid-19 precautions with social distancing and precautions. Local sponsors include, Gridley Lions Club, Gridley Rotary Club, Kaleidoscope, Gridley Arts Council, North Butte Masonic Lodge #230, and Quota Club of Gridley, along with many community members, family and friends of the GHS Band and Choir students. Please call Heather Payne for information at: (530) 846-4955. ★

## Thank You, Gridley!!!!

I would like to express my eternal gratitude to the following individuals and agencies that made the First Annual Dia De Los Muertos a community success.

The Gridley Museum: Thank you for giving us the opportunity to help.

Ampla Health: Rocio Valdez, Cinthia Peshek, Bianca Mondragon, Guadalupe Soto, Neymi Leon, Katherine Manriquez.

The Dia De Los Muertos Altar Committee: Alicia Cardona, coordinator, Lucia Chavez, Patricia Ramirez, Martha Calderon, and Petra Duran.

The Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter-day Saints.

The City of Gridley, Chief of Police Harr, Cliff Wagner, City Administrator, The City Council Members.

The Gridley Herald for its ample and engaging coverage of the Dia De Los Muertos.

To all who participated, Thank you very much.

J Angel Calderon, Gridley City Council Member

## Farmer-to-Farmer Demonstration Events

### Sutter County Resource Conservation District Press Release

**YUBA CITY, CA (MPG)** - The Sutter County Resource Conservation District recently hosted two farmer-to-farmer demonstration events through the Yuba-Sutter Specialty Crop Technical Assistance Hub. The "TA Hub" is part of a larger network of hubs, the California Farm Demonstration Network, a project partnership that includes California Association of Resource Conservation Districts,

the California Department of Food and Agriculture; Natural Resources Conservation Service; University of California at Davis; University of California Agriculture and Natural Resources; and the California Farm Bureau Federation. The project was created to provide more hands-on resources to specialty crop farmers seeking guidance for climate resilient practice implementations on-farm. The events through this hub will allow growers to see first-hand how a variety of conservation practices can be implemented

on their farms, with knowledge-sharing and peer support being a primary focus.

On September 22nd, the first event in a series of five events was hosted by Money Dhami of Jovan Farms on his farm. Attendees learned about compost application in an orchard setting, with Sarah Light of UCCE presenting as well. The grower also demonstrated on how to calibrate your compost applicator. Sutter RCD was available at the conclusion of the event to schedule time to meet with growers interested in receiving technical assistance for applying

to receive funding to start using compost on their farms.

On October 6th, Paul Hundal of Tudor Trees hosted a second Farmer-to Farmer demonstration workshop focused on hedgerows in orchard systems. While attendance dropped due to conflicts with harvesting, the event was still well attended by area growers. Few growers are interested in the addition of hedgerows on their farm due to costs, maintenance, and fewer proven tangible benefits (like yield improvement). Sutter RCD hopes to expand education and knowledge of the benefits of

having hedgerows in farm systems through additional events and educational materials. Hundal did an excellent job giving an overview of his hedgerow system and how it integrates into his farm.

For more information regarding this event, please visit our website at [suttercd.specialdistrict.org](https://suttercd.specialdistrict.org). For questions regarding Technical Assistance for funding programs such as SWEEP and HSP (Healthy Soils Program) through CDFA, please contact our office directly by phone or email at 530-844-3364, or [simarcsrcd@cdared.org](mailto:simarcsrcd@cdared.org). ★

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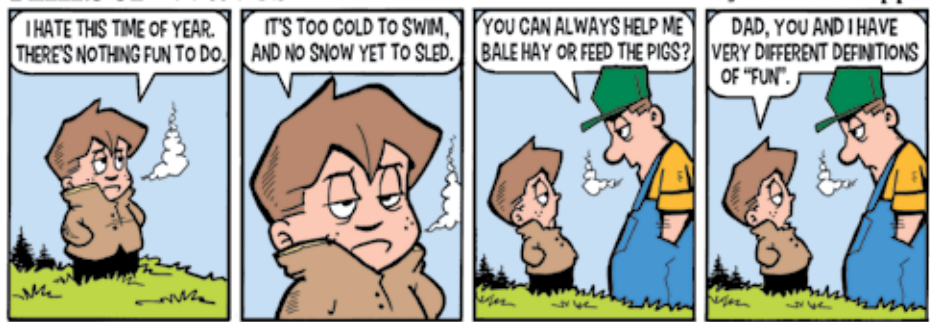
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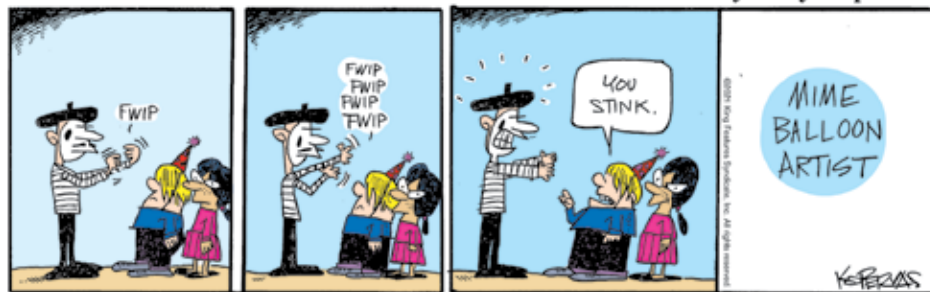
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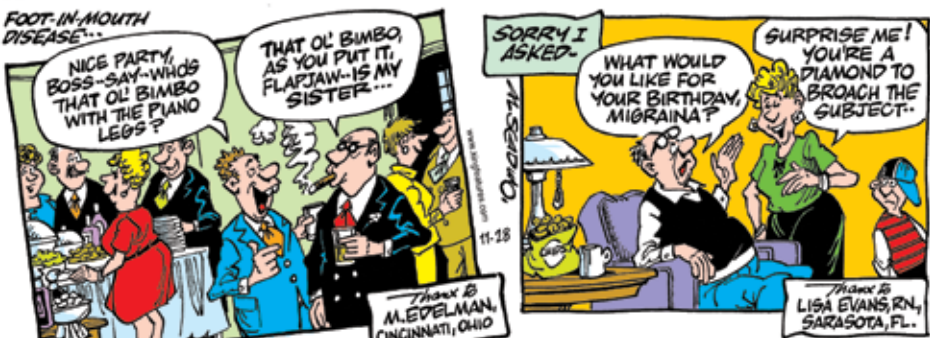
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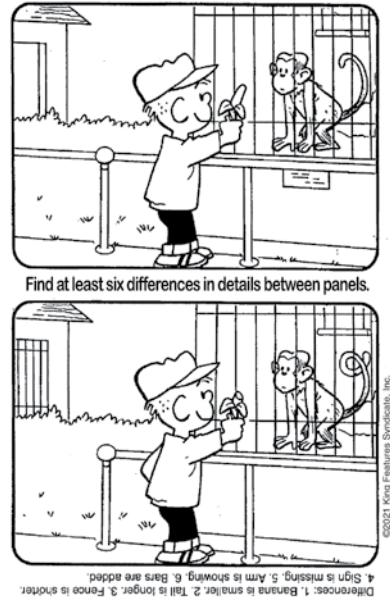
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## Gridley Swim Team Shines



Gridley Swimmers Shine at US Masters. Pictured left to right: Luke Soares, Aaron Rodgers, Jason Lewellen, Nico Donati, Vance Lewellen, Ashlyn Mendenhall, Gordon LaBuff all swam at a high level at USMS swimming event. Photo by Noah Ross

By Noah Ross

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Gridley High School Swim Coach Monica Terry beams with pride when she talks about the accomplishments of her swimmers over the course of the 2021 season. That is because the Gridley High School swim team distinguished themselves at one of the highest levels of swim competition in the nation. The Gridley Swim team placed within the top 1% at the

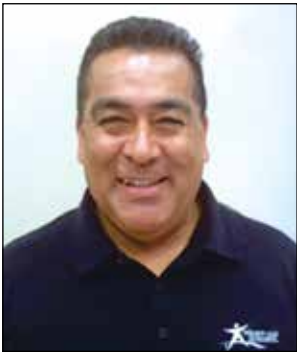
United States Masters level swim competition. For those who don't know, the USMS is a national swimming program that develops swimming talent. While at the Masters, the Gridley swim team was competing against Division I and II schools that have larger talent pools, no pun intended. The Gridley Swim Team will also be sending Gordon LaBuff, Vance Lewellen and Ashlyn Mendenhall to Shasta College next year to swim for the Knights. ★

## Re-Creation of Truth with Guest Speaker Pastor Gilbert Morales

**Feather River Tea Party Patriots**

**YUBA CITY, CA (MPG)** - The Feather River Tea Party Patriots announced Gilbert Morales, Associate Pastor at the Crossroads Community Church, will be the Special Guest Speaker for their next meeting, Monday, November 15, 2021.

Gilbert Morales has been an ordained minister and has served in ministry for over 22 years. During this time, he has been an ardent student of objective truth. As a conservative, Mr. Morales is also a student of today's social climate and the detrimental impact it has on the foundational veracity consistent with our nation's founding.



**Gilbert Morales, Associate Pastor at the Crossroads Community Church**

As such, he will be discussing how the dilution of truth has been a predominant factor that underscores today's liberal agenda. Pastor Morales will present how truth is being presented as malleable and subjective and no longer objective. Truth is no longer discovered within the human

experience, but rather created. He will also discuss the great impact this pliable treatment of truth is having upon societal customs and norms and how the re-creation of truth is severely impairing the Millennials and Generation Z.

Everyone is welcome. There is no membership and no cost to attend. The Feather River Tea Party Patriots meeting starts at 6:30 p.m. sharp and will be held at Crossroads Community Church, 445 B Street, Yuba City. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Come early to register, socialize with like-minded patriots, and get a good seat. Contact Larry or Carla for information: (530) 755-4409. Visit our website: frtpp.org ★

## Two Alabama Men Missing in the Gridley Area

By Seti Long

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Gridley Police Department is asking for help locating two men that went missing near the City of Gridley around November 5th, 2021.



Ladexter Tequan Pelt, 25

Ladexter Tequan Pelt, 25, described as a 5'11" male weighing about 220



John Fitzgerald Dubose Jr., 20

lbs, and John Fitzgerald Dubose Jr., 20, described as a 5'9" male weighing about 155 lbs, flew to California

from Alabama on Thursday, November 4th. The two men have not been heard from since November 5th, their families reporting them both missing on November 6th, 2021.

Their last reported location was in the unincorporated area just south of Gridley. Attempts to reach them by phone have failed.

GPD is asking the public for any help locating these two individuals. If you have any information or have seen these individuals, please contact the Gridley Police Department at (530) 846-5670. Please ask for Detective Mike Mitchell or Officer Adam Ruesser. ★

## Gridley Emergency Relief Services Provides Christmas Baskets

**G.E.R.S. Press Release**

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - The year of 2021 has been a year unlike any other. Yet at the same time it is just like all the other years before, for those in need will always be with us. We have seen over and over again out community stepping out and helping to meet the needs of those around us. This Christmas season we again have an opportunity to helps those in need.

The Gridley Emergency Relief Services (G.E.R.S.) is a local organization that helps churches provide emergency relief to families and individuals who find themselves in unexpected financial difficulties. In addition to helping churches provide relief, G.E.R.S. works with our local churches to distribute food baskets during the Christmas season. Last year, G.E.R.S. along with several of

our local churches provided food baskets to 120 families. This year the goal is to hand out Christmas Baskets to 120 families. G.E.R.S.. will be handing baskets at the First Baptist Church, 100 Vermont Street, Saturday December 11, from 9am to 11am.

G.E.R.S. is now accepting donations from individuals and organizations to help fund the annual Christmas Food Basket giveaway and our ongoing service to the community throughout the year.

You may mail donations made payable to G.E.R.S. to PO Box 931, Gridley, CA 95948. You may also donate through your church. If you are interested in helping to prepare and/or distribute of the Food Baskets, please notify your Pastor. In addition, you may email GERS at gcc-pastor@sbcglobal.net. Please put "GERS" in the subject line. ★



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