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We Are the Champions!



Ag Cooperative Marketing Team State Champions Left to Right: Lauren Kelly, Nolan Britten, Mr. Reed - Ag Instructor, Hannah Grover, Brenden Johnson. Not pictured: Alessandra Perez-Ibarra. Photo provided by Matthew Reed

By Seti Long

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - Gridley High School's FFA department cleaned house at this year's California State FFA Championships.

Typically, FFA students travel to Anaheim, Calif. to compete with their peers from across the state in multiple categories, but thanks to COVID-19, the 2020 State finals were completely virtual. Competition events were scheduled throughout the summer instead of a 3-day block and instead of a large awards ceremony, awards were received via mail.

According to AG instructor, Matthew Reed, "All these teams worked really, really hard," but that the virtual aspect of the competition had an impact on his students. "A lot of our kids are juniors and seniors

on our most competitive teams and I think in their heads, this was the year they were going to come out and do some amazing stuff at the actual event (competition). And so when the year got cut short, it took a little bit of motivation on everyone's part to kind of stay excited about doing these contests."

Regardless, Gridley FFA students performed exceptionally, teams taking 5th place in Livestock, 3rd place in Ag Sales, 2nd in Floriculture and the Ag cooperative Marketing was named State Champion. Reed says his students are amazing, "They did their darndest to make good of what this situation is right now with COVID19."

It is unfortunate these amazing FFA students did not get to be recognized on stage in front of thousands of other

FFA members, but some traditions will endure - like the Ag Cooperative Marketing team eating ice cream out of their State Champion Bowl trophy. "We will be doing that sometime later this year," says Reed.

Not only did the FFA students do well, but Gridley's FFA Teaching staff had two teachers awarded the Silver Award at this year's virtual California Ag Teachers Association summer conference. Ag instructors Mr. Reed and Ms. Jenny Kaslin received the award recognizing teachers who have inspired former students to pursue careers in Ag education. The Silver Award designates that each teachers has 3-4 former students that are now teaching.

What an outstanding year for Gridley FFA Students and Teachers! ★
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JAILBREAK!

Gavin Newsom is Releasing 18,000 Criminals onto Our Streets



Governor Newsom

Orange County Republicans Press Release

ORANGE COUNTY, CA (MPG) - Governor Newsom is releasing roughly 18,000 convicted criminals into our communities.

In what the Newsom administration calls "decompression measures" the Los Angeles Times reports that 10,000 criminals have been released and an additional 8,000 will be released by the end of August.

This move places every California family in danger. In Orange County a public warning was sent by District Attorney Todd Spitzer and Orange County Board of Supervisors Chairwoman Michelle Steel regarding the release of Cary Jay Smith into the community of Costa Mesa. Smith has admitted to killing three children and claims to have molested 200 children while very publicly claiming he has no hesitation to do it again.

He is only one of 18,000 dangerous criminals the Democrats will release.

It is unconscionable that the Democrats while advocating for defunding the police would place an additional burden on local police departments and cities already struggling due to the Governor's erratic shut down orders.

The Republican Party is the party of Law and Order. We support our men and women of law enforcement and stand with Orange County residents' rights to be safe in their homes. The Democrat Party is rabidly seeking to defund police departments and Governor Newsom is using Covid-19 as an excuse to ignore his most basic responsibility of keeping Californians safe. ★

Chief Harr Corrects Issue with CDCR Early Release Inmates in Gridley



Chief Rodney Harr

Community Members of Gridley,

There have been social media postings involving a hotel/motel in the Gridley area accepting released inmates from the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR)

through an early release program.

When the Gridley Police Department and myself became aware of the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation releasing inmates to local hotel/motels, the Gridley Police Department and I promptly and aggressively responded to obvious perceived concerns to Gridley area residents.

After numerous telephone calls and several meetings, it was determined that all Butte County law enforcement agencies and their officials were not notified of these initial releases. Additionally, these early releases were verified through the local CDCR office, who according to staff, was also initially unaware of

the releases to the Gridley area as well as other areas in Butte County. This lack of communication issue has since been rectified as to the notification process to local law enforcement officials.

As of Tuesday, July 14, 2020, ALL CDCR paroled inmates that were being housed in Gridley area hotels/motels, have since been transferred out and the local hotels/motels are no longer accepting these individuals under contract from the CDCR program titled "Project Hope."

All community members need to be aware that by regulation, an incarcerated CDCR inmate, has the right to be released back to the jurisdiction where they last resided prior to being sentenced to CDCR. This means

that all of Butte County will continue to receive paroled inmates under this early release program. These released inmates will be under the supervision of the CDCR of the Butte County Probation Department.

I want to assure the residents of Gridley that every effort has been made to protect the way of life we are accustomed to here in "Our Town."

For additional information regarding this early release program, please use the following link:

<http://www.cdcr.ca.gov/coviel9/expedited-releases/>.

If anyone wishes to voice their opinion on this matter, please contact your state elected officials on this matter.

Rodney Harr
Chief of Police

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The New Pi-Line



**The new Pi-Line
Honoring Publisher
W.D. Burleson
By Josh F.W. Cook**

I'm starting to miss baseball. In a few weeks, they will begin to have games with no one in the stands. I wonder if they're going to type in like the clapping and cheering from previous seasons as part of the sound engineering. Maybe it will give us some insight as to the experience the deaf people have when they go to a baseball game; perhaps it'll help us appreciate other parts of the game that we've never taken in because we were being overwhelmed by the noise part of the game. Perhaps baseball with no fan reaction will be even better?

Which brings me to one of the better things I've heard lately in regards to the global zombie apocalypse

pandemic end of times latter-day viral outbreak - people are learning to cook. Many of my friends have taken up baking bread as they have found some additional time on their hands that they were not planning on enjoying at this point in their life. My other buddy started a graduate program, but I think making really good homemade white bread will be something you can take with you the other side of this peculiar moment in human history.

We expect to see herds of people wandering around Gridley Country Ford in the coming weeks as the great American automaker is re-introducing the Ford Bronco in 2021. All of the early reviews say it is the greatest four-wheel-drive sport utility vehicle ever to be made. It has the same shape and many of the styles of the Bronco that came out in the 1960s. Steve Thompson of Biggs had a Bronco II, it was not the best SUV ever made, I'll leave it at that.

There exists an old saying - "real men don't cry". I don't ascribe to it. Local native son David Dillabo the Manager of the Yuba/Sutter

Fair indicates in a memo to the entire Yuba/Sutter community that he had a tear in his eye as he announced the canceled Yuba/Sutter Fair, something that has never happened before. I for one don't blame any administrator in this environment for maybe shedding a tear (or a colorful adjective) every once in a while. School administrators, city managers, church leaders, it's very frustrating to put your life energy into your work and have things get canceled.

The Gene Autry Museum of Western History is asking people to collect things related to the current pandemic. The director of the museum proffers the opinion that thou we may be annoyed by the current state of affairs, the children of our children will find studying is very interesting and useful. Don't know how I feel about that, but it was a perspective I have not yet considered. I like living through history, I'm not sure I want to be an artifact.

W.D. Burleson published the Gridley Herald for 50 years. Josh F.W. Cook graduated from Gridley High School in 1988 ★

MEMORIAL NOTICE

Elda Panecaldo Costa

January 1, 1927 to July 14, 2020

Elda Panecaldo Costa, 93, passed away on July 14, 2020 in Sacramento, CA. She was born in Yuba City, California on January 1, 1927 to Gaspare and Mary (Tucci) Panecaldo. A life-long Gridley resident, she was raised in Manzanita where her parents owned the local country grocery store. She attended Manzanita Grammar School, Gridley High School, graduating with the class of 1944, then attended Yuba College.

In 1946 Elda married Affonso (Al) Costa at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Gridley. Together they raised three children and enjoyed 56 years of marriage until Al's death in 2002.

They lived on the dairy farm, but Elda enjoyed spending time in town, where she could be involved in the community she loved. Through the years she worked at the local bakery, the Gridley Library, Gridley Stationary, and The Wishing Corner, doing this well into her 80's.

While raising her children, she was involved in their activities, teaching sewing for 4-H, and never missing a ball game, swim meet, band or dance recital. She claimed to be the oldest room mother at Sycamore School.

Through those busy years, she and Al enjoyed having good times with family and friends. They never missed an opportunity to dance, whether it was at Dance Club, the Portuguese Festa, Robinson's Corner or in the kitchen.

Proud of her Italian heritage, Elda and Al enjoyed the company of their friends in Amici Italiani. She and Al were active in the Portuguese community, where Elda was a member of S.P.R.S.I., the Portuguese women's organization that helped to put on the annual Festa and other events.

As a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, she was involved in Y.L.I., Altar Society and Relief Society. She enjoyed gardening and was a member of Green Thumb Garden Club, as well as Pink Ladies Auxiliary, Women of the Moose and Friends of the Library. Elda loved to bake and could always be counted on for a cake for any

occasion or raffle.

Elda and Al enjoyed traveling to different parts of the country for Al's Army reunions. Following Al's retirement, they were able to spend more time with family and friends, attending Cal Football games, wine tasting in all parts of California, and enjoying their grandchildren's sporting events. They traveled to Italy and Portugal, took several cruises, and traveled throughout the United States. But the happiest times were spent around a table, eating, laughing, drinking wine and spending time with family.

Following Al's death, Elda continued to be active, working in town, gardening, traveling with friends, and taking the train to visit her daughter in Oregon.

A group of widows started getting together on Sunday mornings for a Bloody Mary before attending church. This was the highlight of the week and a time of camaraderie and continued friendship, which they all enjoyed.

Two years ago, Elda moved to The Village at Heritage Park in Sacramento to be closer to her daughter. She enjoyed the company of the friends she made there as well as being closer to family.

Elda was preceded in death by her husband Al, her son Joe Costa, her brother John Panecaldo and sisters Eleanor Massard and Angie Lenhart. She is survived by her daughter Sharon Scott and husband Rick of Sacramento, her daughter Melissa Talbott and husband Steve of Bend, OR; grandchildren Sean Smith of San Diego, Colin Smith and wife Kate of Sacramento, Samuel and Eleanor Talbott of Bend, OR and great-grandchild Desmond Smith; her brother, Ralph Panecaldo of Berkeley, CA and daughter-in-law, Sandra Costa of Oakland, CA.

Graveside services will be private. In lieu of flowers, a donation can be made to your favorite charity.

In Elda's memory, lift a glass and make a toast to a life well-lived.

Arrangements entrusted to Gridley-Block Funeral Chapel.

MEMORIAL NOTICE

Michael Joel Lundberg

Michael Joel Lundberg grew up in Richvale as the youngest of four children. He spent his childhood learning about farming from his father, Marvin. He acquired his love of reading from his mother, Virginia. Some of his fondest childhood memories involved playing tag around the kitchen island with his brother, Rodney and sisters, Karen and Carole. Michael loved those games so much

he preferred to live in a home where his children and grandchildren could run circles. His father, mother and brother will be very happy to see him.

While waiting for true love, Michael lived in Chico and collected lifelong friends fishing and playing both basketball and softball. Michael met his wife Liz and they became partners in enjoying life, staying busy with each other and shuffling between three children's activities. When those children grew up and married the fold increased to six: Ted and Michelle, Margaret and Jason, Joel and Shelbi. As life moved along, grandchildren began to bless the family and involvement became more of a spectator sport. Michael was "Bap" to eight grandchildren, the first and last taking the middle name Michael: Joseph Michael, Grace, Benjamin, Jacob, Livia, Henrik, Lucille and Zachary Michael. Uncle Mike also had plenty of love to go around for all his nieces and one nephew, Michael.

Michael was an avid Giants fan and probably died with the satisfaction of knowing they were tied for first place. A lover of music, The Beach Boys and Grateful Dead

were among his favorites but Saturday mornings were reserved for bluegrass. Above all else he was a farmer. Being a farmer meant family. It meant coffee with old friends at the Richvale Cafe. It meant friends helping in a new family venture getting his walnut orchard to its first harvest. A farmer through and through, Michael harvested rice, walnuts and love.

Michael's generosity knew no bounds. He was quick to love and made everyone feel like family. Family gatherings always consisted of homemade ice cream and plenty of room at the table for anyone who wanted to be a part of the Lundberg family. So, at this time we ask you to join the family in keeping Michael in your hearts, thoughts and memories. Live by Michael's creed: Work hard, love harder and hate the Dodgers!

Because we can not gather at this time we will have a celebration of Michael's life at a later date.

Donations can be made in Michael's name to the UC Davis Children's Hospital.

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BCSO Announces Arrest of Oroville Resident for Sexual Abuse of a Child

Butte County Sheriff's Office

OROVILLE, CA (MPG) - The Butte County Sheriff's Office (BCSO) announced the arrest of John Zulkoski of Oroville, 31 for sexual abuse of a child. On June 22, Butte County Sheriff's Office deputies were contacted by a parent who reported Zulkoski had sexually abused a minor victim. Deputies responded to a residence in Oroville and contacted two minor victims and their parent. Both minor victims were under the age of 10. The parent of the

minor victims explained Zulkoski was a family friend who the parent had allowed to stay at her residence.

On the evening of June 22, one of the minor victims disclosed he/she had been sexually abused by Zulkoski. The parent confronted Zulkoski and contacted the Sheriff's Office. After being confronted about the sexual abuse, Zulkoski fled from the residence on foot prior to the Sheriff's Office arriving at the residence.

Detectives transported the minor victim to a Sacramento area hospital for medical

treatment. Detectives conducted follow-up and located additional evidence related to the sexual abuse. On June 26, detectives interviewed Zulkoski. During the interview Zulkoski admitted to sexually abusing one of the minor victims.

Detectives placed Zulkoski under arrest for oral copulation or sexual penetration with a child 10-years-old or younger, oral copulation on a person under 14, and committing a lewd act upon a child. Zulkoski's bail was set at \$1,200,000. This investigation. ★

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Biggs Young Woman Experiences At-Home Missionary Training

By Cindy Scott

BIGGS, CA (MPG) - Full-time missionaries of The Church of Jesus Christ of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints usually begin their service with a few weeks of training in one of the Missionary Training Centers (MTCs) located around the world. During the current time of COVID-19 restrictions, missionaries have been completing these weeks of training at home with an online MTC experience.

Karsyn McLean, a graduate of Biggs High School, received her mission assignment to the Argentina Rosario Mission in February of 2020, with her service to begin at the Mexico City MTC. At the time, she was finishing a semester at BYU in Provo, Utah.

When she returned home to Biggs, the stay-at-home order was in place, many missionaries from around the world had been sent home to quarantine, with some of them returning to serve in different assignments, and McLean was left to wonder what would happen with her own assignment.

McLean soon learned she would begin and complete her missionary and language training at home, and began her training June 2.

As she began the first week of at-home MTC, McLean learned to appreciate talking with her family in the evening, sharing what she had learned. An extra benefit was enjoying family meals and the great snacks her mother provided during the day. By the third day, McLean was able to offer the family's evening prayer in Spanish.

Some of the traditional MTC experience remained intact. McLean's day was tightly scheduled, with personal study, study with her virtual companion, and Zoom classes and meetings. She was required to be in bed by 10:00 pm, and up by 6:30 am. She also dressed according to sister missionary guidelines and wore her name tag—even in the house. If she left the house, she had to be accompanied. Also, each week included a Preparation Day, with time to attend to personal obligations.

By Week 2, McLean and her companion were giving religious lessons in Spanish to members of the Church in Mexico, who acted as interested investigators. She said it was a little difficult, with a lot of "smiling and nodding" when they didn't understand what the members were saying. Week 2 was also the week she felt confident that, even though things



The McLean Family of Biggs hosted their daughter as she completed her at-home missionary training for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. L-R: Chase, Josh, Karsyn, Angela, and Blake McLean. Photo by Justin Tolman

were different than she expected, "I do know that this is where I'm supposed to be for my training. I've also thought a lot about this simple phrase, 'Dios es nuestro amoroso Padre Celestial' (God is our loving Heavenly Father). Everything that our Heavenly Father has done for us has always been out of love. He has given us families, trials (yes, even trials!), and His Son, Jesus Christ."

McLean's father, Josh McLean, served as a full-time missionary in Honduras and still speaks Spanish. Karsyn was soon able to enjoy conversations with her father in Spanish, with him often calling out "SYL," or "Speak Your Language," when she used English.

Week 3 McLean began to experience the kind of exhaustion that found her waking up from unexpected siestas with her head in her book. To stay awake during studies, she would walk around her living room, reading, reciting, and practicing the language.

During one Zoom meeting, a 7.7 earthquake struck Mexico, where her two online teachers lived. The teachers quickly ran out of the building, and, after several minutes, returned to the Zoom meeting to report they and the people in their area were safe.

It was also during the third week that McLean learned she would begin her service temporarily reassigned to the Oregon Eugene Mission, which includes the southwest section of Oregon, and even a slice of northern California, including Yreka.

From the beginning, McLean participated in Zoom meetings with seven other missionaries and two teachers. Even though training was conducted online, McLean was assigned another sister missionary as her companion, and completed learning exercises with her. After three weeks, two groups were combined, and her training group grew to 16 missionaries. All missionaries were Americans assigned to different missions in Argentina. Currently, all

16 missionaries are serving within the United States.

During Week 4, McLean and her family hosted the local full-time missionaries in their home, as they led gospel discussions with an interested family. McLean shared, "I could feel the Spirit so strongly in those lessons, I can't wait to have more of these kinds of experiences in my own mission soon."

Although all interaction was online, McLean developed close friendships with the other missionaries, and especially with her companion. They gathered often in unscheduled evening Zoom meetings to play games and talk.

Josh and Angela McLean, Karsyn's father and mother, were initially curious to see what it would be like to have Karsyn complete her training at home. Josh said, "We watched less TV, because we could only watch BYUtv. So we played games, went on walks, and I practiced the piano more." They reported that it wasn't as strict as they expected. They were allowed to take Karsyn on the family Independence Day vacation to Fort Bragg. Karsyn attended her Zoom classes from the balcony of the hotel, facing the ocean. And additional family time was given on July 4.

As McLean prepared to travel to Eugene, she struggled with her reassignment. She said, "I've had the question of 'why' in my head a lot lately. Mainly, why can't I go to Argentina right away? And why was I called there if I might never even get to serve my mission there? My whole life I've been a huge planner, and I love to know exactly what's going to happen and when. So it's been hard for me to not know the answers to these questions. But this week I've come to be okay with not knowing the answers, because I know that my Heavenly Father knows why. He has a plan for me and He knows all the whys about my life."

McLean left home for Eugene on July 15. She hopes to make it to Argentina, but is ready for the unexpected. ★

We Are the Champions!



Ag Sales 3rd in State Left to Right: Maddy Hamman, Lauren Kelly, Brenden Johnson, Nolan Britten Not Pictured: Alexandra Perez-Ibarra, Hannah Norton. Photo Provided by Matthew Reed



Floral Team Reserve Champions Left to Right: Sierra Swinney, Hayley Triplett, Maddy Hamman, Becca Hamman. Photo provided by Matthew Reed



Livestock Judging winners Left to Right: Audrey Johnson, Mr. Reed – Ag Instructor, Hayley Amator, Austin Weagant, Evelyn Horton. Photo provided by Matthew Reed



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Thoughts to Ponder

by Kathy Neal



“Practice random acts of kindness and senseless acts of beauty.” This bumper-sticker philosophy is a direct statement toward curbing violence, mistrust, and lack of Christian practices in the world.

What a difference it would make if, instead of practicing the “an eye for an eye” policy, we would go out of our way to create an atmosphere of genuine kindness toward those around us.

Jesus stated that He had come as a servant rather than a king, and He practiced His stewardship every day as He fed the hungry, cured the ill, lifted up the weak, or comforted the sorrowful. So often, we act on our emotions without realizing the consequences that result

from our thoughtlessness.

When we are depressed and worried about our own lives, the best medicine is to get involved with the world around us – thus realizing that others share the same problems and troubles. Jesus did not set Himself aside from the world to avoid conflict or adversity. He jumped right into the middle of the evils of the world and faced, head-on, the foes and forces that would later take His very life. He cared for mand and He led a life that continually demonstrated the need to be involved with others.

By practicing random acts of kindness, we too can become servants of God and man, and learn how to demonstrate acts of beauty without expecting a large reward. Just a good feeling of self-worth is the greatest reward a true Christian should expect from practicing the laws and commandments

of God and His son, Jesus Christ our Savior.

What more can we give than ourselves? What more can we do but give our all? What more can we produce than a world changed by love? We can accept those acts done by others as true gifts of God. Accepting is just as important as giving. God gives and we must be open and receptive to His gifts. Then we will be more prepared to give to others loyalty, and thoughtfulness. The key to a better world is to reassert the importance of values and encourage idealism.

To save a failing society, and ours seems to be falling apart, we need to reinstate the basic fundamental beliefs of truth and God. As Dr. Benjamin M. Spock stated, “Spiritual values are the universal truths that define us as human beings and bind us together.” ★

Dear Dietitian

Brain Food



Commentary by Leanne McCrate

Dear Dietitian,

I enjoyed your column last week on functional foods and heart health. I eat healthy and exercise regularly. I’ve also read about functional foods that are good for your brain. What is your opinion?

Ken

Dear Ken:

Functional foods have gained popularity in Western cultures due to scientific discoveries that connect certain dietary factors to disease. For example, there is a link between a diet high in saturated fat and heart disease. Conversely, when saturated fats are replaced with unsaturated in a diet that is also low in cholesterol, the risk of heart disease goes down.

A functional food is one that offers benefits beyond nutrition. Many of the same foods that aid in heart health are also good brain food. Listed below are foods that may help prevent mental decline.

Walnuts-while all nuts are a good source of monounsaturated fats, walnuts contain an Omega-3 fatty acid called alpha-linolenic acid, which lowers blood pressure. This action helps the heart and brain (1).

Flavonoids found in dark chocolate, red wine, and green tea have shown improvement in cognitive function of the elderly (2).

Choline- an organic compound found in egg yolks, chicken, and veal may help slow mental decline (3).

Mushrooms – in a study of more than 1,000 participants, mushrooms were linked to a decrease

in mild cognitive decline. Types of mushrooms included in the study include shitake, golden, oyster, and white button (4).

Green, leafy vegetables, such as spinach, kale, broccoli, and turnip greens contain antioxidants lutein, folate, and beta carotene that protect the brain from damaging free radicals, thereby possibly slowing mental decline.

It is important to note that studies on functional foods are limited. Much of the research has been conducted on rodents or in a laboratory. These studies are considered pre-clinical, and the same results cannot be predicted in humans. That said, the foods listed above are healthy as they provide fiber, vitamins, minerals, and other important nutrients.

Until next time, be healthy!

Dear Dietitian

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Gridley Thumbs and Roots



By Barbara Ott

Our lives have been disrupted. Gardeners experienced a shortage of seeds for a short time. Everyone experienced a shortage of toilet paper then flour then sugar. Now in this town there is a shortage of planting pots. Many is the time I’ve bought planting pots at Rite Aid at the

end of summer, for 75% off. The planters have been off the shelves since a couple of weeks ago. Ace has not replenished its supply of planters...I’ve done a lot less shopping there because of these missing pots. It made me wonder if there is a shortage of planter pots. I did a search but didn’t find any indication that there is a general shortage. It must be local. I know that the nurseries in Chico are starting to have sales on their beautiful seasonal pots so they must be getting ready to restock. Let’s hope that can happen before we have a shut down.

I found a wonderful product that is knocking down the suckers on my large decorative pear tree.

I am forever cutting down a field of suckers coming up from the roots. I’m also going to try it on my crepe myrtle. So far it is working on the pear. It is supposed to last for six months. It is best done in the summer. We shall see. It is called Sucker Punch. I have not found it locally. Ordered it online. I hate to use these types of chemical solutions but I’m not a purist so here I go using Sucker Punch. It along with Grass Getter (these companies are so good with names) are helping me a great deal and so be it. So far, the use of these products has not deterred the wildlife from visiting the yard. No snail tales. I think the cedar mulch and eggshells are helping ... I hope. ★

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

ESTATE OF THEODORA PARKER ALSO KNOWN AS THEA PARKER, THEADORA PARKER

CASE No. 20PR00203

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both of Theodora Parker, also known as Thea Parker, Theadora Parker, deceased

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Betty J. Reynolds, in the Superior Court of California, County of Butte, requesting Betty J. Reynolds, be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests that 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 August 11, 2020 9:00 a.m. in Dept Probate at Superior Court of California, County of Butte

1775 Concord Avenue Chico, CA 95928.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for petitioner is: Nicole R. Plottel 466 Vallombrosa Avenue Chico, CA 95926 530-893-2882 Publish: July 17, 24, and 31, 2020

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000635

The following persons are doing business as: LRT GRAPHICS

1401 Mangrove Avenue Chico, CA 95926

Dennis Andrew Leis, 618 Stilson Canyon Road Chico, CA 95928

Date Filed in Butte County: June 24, 2020

The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A

This Business is Conducted by: Individual

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000621

The following persons are doing business as: TNG MARKETING GROUP LLC

2 E Gridley Road Suite B272 Gridley, CA 95948

Odaine Rowe, 1141 Indiana Street Gridley, CA 95948

Date Filed in Butte County: July 13, 2020

The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: 6/22/2020

This Business is Conducted by: Individual

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000591

The following persons are doing business as: AMRIK ACRES CORP

2001 Sycamore Street Gridley, CA 95948

Amrik Acres Corp. 520 Ohio Street Gridley, CA 95948

Date Filed in Butte County: June 16, 2020

The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A

This Business is Conducted by: Corporation

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000595

The following persons are doing business as: KALKAT FAMILY FARMING INCORPORATED

125 Nielson Avenue Gridley, CA 95948

Jagjit Singh Kalkat and Rajnish Kaur Kalkat, 125 Nielson Avenue Gridley, CA 95948

Date Filed in Butte County: July 13, 2020

The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A

This Business is Conducted by: Corporation

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ORDINANCE NO. 421

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BIGGS AMENDING CHAPTER 2.20 OF THE BIGGS MUNICIPAL CODE CHIEF OF POLICE APPOINTED

The City Council of the City of Biggs does ordain as follows:

FINDINGS.

The City Council of the City of Biggs hereby finds and declares as follows:

1. Effective July 1, 2020, the City of Biggs (City) and the County of Butte (County), through the Butte County Sheriff’s Office (BCSO), have entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) whereby the County, through the BCSO, has agreed to provide law enforcement services to the City.

2. Pursuant to this MOU, and pursuant to Government Code section 36501, the City designates the Butte County Sheriff as the City’s Chief of Police.

NOW THEREFORE, Chapter 2.20 of the Biggs Municipal Code is amended as follows: Chapter 2.20 CHIEF OF POLICE APPOINTED

Sections:

2.20.010 Chief of police appointed.

Pursuant to agreement between the City of Biggs and the County of Butte, through the Butte County Sheriff’s Office, and pursuant to Government Code section 36501, the City of Biggs hereby designates the Butte County Sheriff as the Chief of Police of the City of Biggs, effective July 1, 2020.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing Ordinance was duly and regularly introduced and read at a regular meeting held on the 9th day of June, 2020 and was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Biggs at a regular meeting thereof duly held on the 14th day of July, 2020, by the following vote, to wit:

AYES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS	Thompson, Busch, Bassett, Frith and Sheppard
NOES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS	
ABSTAIN:	COUNCIL MEMBERS	
ABSENT:	COUNCIL MEMBERS	

ATTEST:		APPROVED:
Roben Benish		James T. Sheppard
CITY CLERK		MAYOR

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION FOR THE ELECTION OF DIRECTOR FOR DRAINAGE DISTRICT 100 (One position of Director)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Drainage District 100 will conduct a General District Election on the third day of November, 2020, for the purpose of electing the position of Director. The term for the position of Director shall be for four (4) years or until the Director’s successor qualifies and takes office.

- To qualify, a candidate must be a person holding title to real property within the District.
- If insufficient nominations are received and a petition for election is not filed within the time period stipulated in Election Code section 10515, appointment to elective office will be made as prescribed within the Election Code section 10515.
- Declarations of Candidacy may be obtained at the office of Drainage District 100 located at, 1205 School St, Richvale, CA 95974, and must be returned there no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 8, 2020, and no candidate shall withdraw his or her Declaration of Candidacy after that date. If the incumbent elective officer does not file a Declaration of Candidacy by the indicated deadline, the time to file is extended to August 12, 2020.
- The election will be conducted by Drainage District 100 and its designated representatives. Information regarding the election may be obtained by calling (530) 533-2885

Dated: 7-15-2020

Drainage District 100:

By: Secretary

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Marysville Resident Arrested for Human Sex Trafficking of a Minor Victim



Zydia Saunders

Butte County Sheriff's Office

MARYSVILLE, CA (MPG) - The Butte County Sheriff's Office (BCSO) announced the arrest of Zydia Saunders of Marysville, 25, for human sex trafficking of a minor victim. On June 16, Butte County Sheriff's Office deputies were contacted by a victim who reported his firearm had been stolen. Deputies determined the victim's firearm was stolen by a female working as a prostitute, who was later identified as

Zydia Saunders. On July 01, a BCSO detective acting in an undercover capacity began communicating via telephone with Saunders. Saunders told the undercover detective she was willing to have sex for \$230. Saunders then asked the undercover detective if he/she wanted "two girls" for \$500. The undercover detective agreed and made arrangements to meet Saunders at a local motel on July 02. On July 02, Saunders contacted the undercover detective via telephone and stated she and another female were walking through the motel parking lot. Undercover detectives contacted Saunders and a minor victim. Saunders was placed under arrest and the minor victim was transported to the Butte County Sheriff's Office so she could receive services

from Butte County Children Services. During an interview Saunders admitted she brought the minor victim to the motel so the minor victim could perform sexual acts for money. Saunders also admitted she brought the minor victim to at least three other prostitution meetings where Saunders and the minor victim performed sexual acts on adult men in exchange for money. Saunders was arrested for four felony counts of pimping a minor victim, one felony count of human trafficking a minor victim, and one felony count of child endangerment. Saunders' bail was set at \$300,000. This investigation is ongoing. The Sheriff's Office is asking anyone with additional information to contact Detective Mary Barker at (530) 538-7671. ★

Chico Man Faces 14 Years in Prison for Dangerous Chase

Butte County District Attorney

BUTTE COUNTY, CA (MPG) - Butte County District Attorney Mike Ramsey announced a Chico man pled guilty for a dangerous high-speed 19-mile chase that happened in September of 2019. Daniel Thomas Hensley, 27, plead guilty in Butte County Superior Court this morning to two separate charges of Recklessly Evading the Police, two charges of Assault with a Deadly Weapon, Vehicle Theft, felony Resisting a Police Officer, and injuring a police K9. Ramsey said the chase started when a pair of Butte County Sheriff's deputies observed Mr. Hensley in a neighborhood in Chico, and knew he had a warrant for his arrest. When the deputies tried to contact Hensley, he took off in a truck. He fled from police at high speed, driving recklessly and winding through the streets of Chico up towards the Centerville area. At that time, the deputies lost sight of him. However deputies found the truck abandoned in the area and began to search for him. As that was happening, a 911 call reported Hensley had just stolen another truck from a resident's driveway and was driving away. Deputies, now joined by a CHP helicopter, responded to that area. A deputy found the truck and began to pursue it, assisted by other deputies. At one point Hensley slowed down, and then abruptly accelerated the stolen truck toward the deputy, who had to take evasive action to avoid being hit. Hensley continued to flee at high speeds, now driving recklessly back down towards Chico. On Skyway near Bruce Road, Chico Police officers set up spike strips to try to



Chico - the BCSO K9 dog



Daniel Hensley

stop Hensley as he sped towards Chico. As he approached the road block, Hensley drove onto a bike path, nearly hitting two cyclists who had to throw down their bikes and jump out of the way. Hensley continued back towards the area where the chase initially began, eventually abandoning the stolen truck and running into a residential backyard. Deputies, at this point joined by Chico PD, CHP, and wardens from the Department of Fish and Game, surrounded the house and tried to convince Hensley to surrender. Hensley refused to give up, and was eventually taken into custody after fighting with officers. During the struggle, Sheriff's K9 "Chico" was deployed and managed to hold on to Hensley despite Hensley repeatedly punching "Chico" in the head. Fortunately, "Chico" was not seriously hurt. Hensley was treated for dog bites at a local hospital. Ramsey said Hensley will be sentenced on August 19, 2020 to 14 years in state prison. Ramsey explained as a result of what Hensley pled to, he now has "Three Strikes" on his record so any future serious crimes could result in Hensley serving a life sentence. ★



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Crime Reports



Gridley- Biggs Police Report

July 12th - July 20th

7-12-20: At 2:59 pm on the 500 block of Washington St., Gridley CA, Christopher Jacob Duran, 23, was cited for possession of a controlled substance (11377 (a) H&S).

7-13-20: At 3:23 am at Sycamore and Jackson Streets, Gridley CA, Anthony Ryan Nunes, 38, was cited for possession of drug paraphernalia (11364 (a) H&S) and driving with a suspended license (14601.1 (a) VC).

7-13-20: At 3:37 am at Sycamore and Jackson Streets, Gridley CA, Brianna Reneelynn Meier, 25, was arrested for possession of a narcotic substance for sale (11351 H&S), transportation of a controlled narcotic substance for sale (11352 (a) H&S), possession of a narcotic controlled substance (11350 (a) H&S), possession of drug paraphernalia (11364 (a) H&S), violation of probation (1203.2 (a) PC) and driving without a license (12500 (a) VC). Subject was booked into Butte County Jail.

7-13-20: At 7:10 am on the 100 block of Frank Hall Drive, Gridley CA, Stacey Lynn Iles, 43, was cited for possession of drug paraphernalia (11364 (a) H&S) and possession of a controlled substance (11377 (a) H&S).

7-13-20: At 6:17 pm on the 1400 block of Hwy 99, Gridley CA, Maria Virginia Garcia, 49, was arrested for tampering with a vehicle (10852 VC), loitering on public property (647 (h) PC) and booked into Butte County Jail.

7-13-20: At 9:36 pm on the 1500 block of Hwy 99, Gridley CA, Aaron James Shackelford, 34, was arrested for possession of drug paraphernalia (11364 (a) H&S) and booked into Butte County Jail.


7-14-20: At 2:00 am on the 1400 block of Hwy 99, Gridley CA, Glenda Louise Kennedy, 52, was cited for possession of a controlled substance (11377 (a) H&S).

7-19-20: At 8:49 pm on the 1400 block of Hwy 99, Gridley CA, Jennifer Jayne Dryden, 48, was arrested on an outside agency misdemeanor warrant and booked into Butte County Jail.

7-20-20: At 3:19 am on the 1600 block of Hwy 99, Gridley CA, Julia Laura Faustino, 19, was cited on an outside agency misdemeanor warrant.

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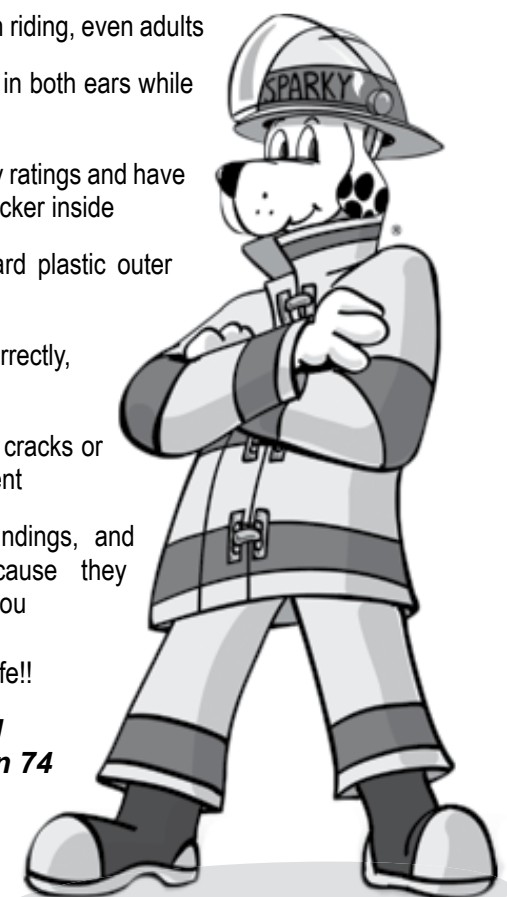
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The following persons are doing business as: **COMEHOME**
201 Spear Street, Suite 1400, San Francisco, CA 94105
Housecanary Inc, 201 Spear Street, Suite 1400, San Francisco, CA 94105
Date Filed in Butte County: June 15, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: November 13, 2018
This Business is Conducted by: Corporation

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000641

The following persons are doing business as: **TEK AG SERVICE**
578 Cimarron Drive, Chico, CA 95973
Timothy Roy Tiffany, 578 Cimarron Drive, Chico, CA 95948
Date Filed in Butte County: June 25, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: Individual

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000506

The following persons are doing business as: **ALEJO APIARIES LLC**
420 Scarlet Oak Drive, Gridley CA 95948
Alejo Apiaries LLC and Carlos Alejo Macias, 420 Scarlet Oak Drive, Gridley CA 95948
Date Filed in Butte County: May 22, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: Limited Liability Company

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000573

The following persons are doing business as: **BIGGS MINISTRY CENTER**
2935 6th Street, Biggs, CA 95917
Biggs Ministry Center, PO Box 457, Biggs, CA 95917
Date Filed in Butte County: June 10, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: Corporation

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000655

The following persons are doing business as: **G AND D KENNELS**
288 Watt Lane Oroville, CA 95965
Dawn Renee Breitbarth and Gary Breitbarth, 288 Watt Lane Oroville, CA 95965
Date Filed in Butte County: June 30, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: A Married Couple

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000562

The following persons are doing business as: **THE MAKEUP ROOM AND COMPANY**
860 Hazel Street Gridley, CA 95948
Deborah Brown, 26 Apica Avenue Oroville, CA 95966
Date Filed in Butte County: June 8, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: Individual

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000624

The following persons are doing business as: **LOCKSMITHING ENTERPRISES**
571 E 1st Avenue Chico, CA 95926
David Wayne Davis and Dianna Dawn Davis, 571 E 1st Avenue Chico, CA 95926
Date Filed in Butte County: June 23, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: A Married Couple

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000592

The following persons are doing business as: **NEW SEASON CARPET CARE**
360 VERMONT STREET GRIDLEY, CA 95948
Richard Julian Castro, 360 Vermont Street Gridley, CA 95948
Date Filed in Butte County: June 16, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: Individual

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000666

The following persons are doing business as: **THE EXCHANGE**
1975 Montgomery Street Oroville, CA 95965
Deborah M Brown and Jesse James Brown, 26 Apica Avenue Oroville, CA 95966
Date Filed in Butte County: July 2, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: A Married Couple

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000691

The following persons are doing business as: **GROUND UP ACADEMY**
1735 Robinson Street Suite 1861 Oroville, CA 95965
Pamela Lorraine Thompson-Church, 1276 Dodge Avenue Oroville, CA 95965
Date Filed in Butte County: July 7, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: Individual

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000657

The following persons are doing business as: **NOR CAL AG REPAIR**
3194 Hawkins Lane Biggs, CA 95917
Nor Cal AG LLC, 3194 Hawkins Lane Biggs, CA 95917
Date Filed in Butte County: July 1, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: Limited Liability Company

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000690

The following persons are doing business as: **COLDWELL BANKER LIFESTYLE PROPERTIES**
2060 3rd Street Building A Oroville, CA 95965
Mario John Gattavara, 164 Plumas Drive Oroville, CA 95965
Date Filed in Butte County: July 7, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: Individual

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000610

The following persons are doing business as: **NVPM PROPERTY MANAGEMENT SERVICES INCORPORATED**
1288 E 1st Avenue Suite 120 Chico, CA 95926
NVPM Property Management Services Incorporated, 1288 E 1st Avenue Suite 120 Chico, CA 95926
Date Filed in Butte County: June 18, 2020
The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A
This Business is Conducted by: Corporation

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2020-0000705

The following persons are doing business as: **APRILS AMAZING PHOTOGRAPHY**
960 High Street Oroville, CA 95965
April Back, 960 High Street Oroville, CA 95965
Date Filed in Butte County: July 13, 2020
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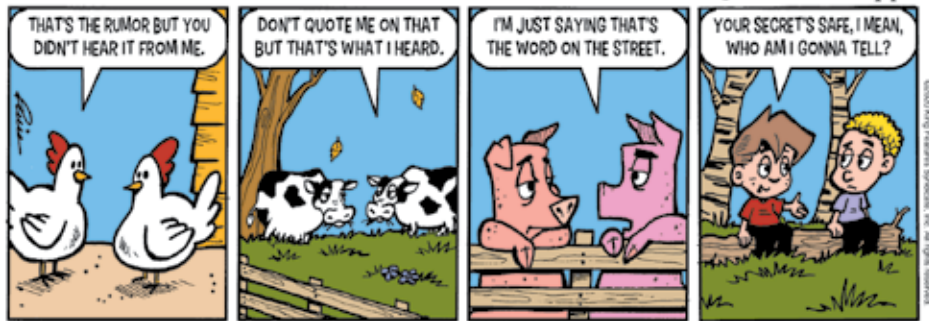
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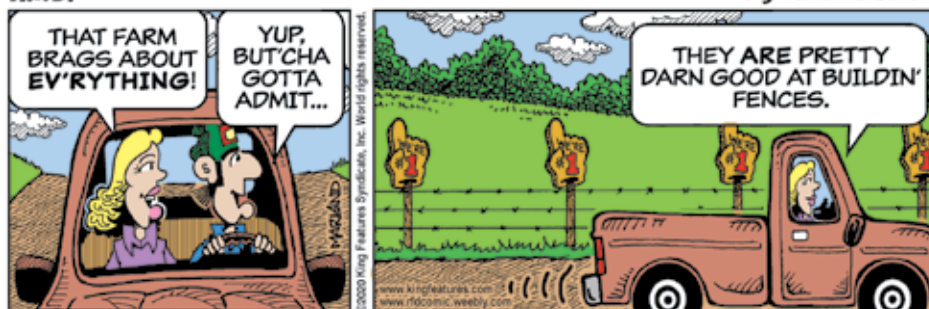
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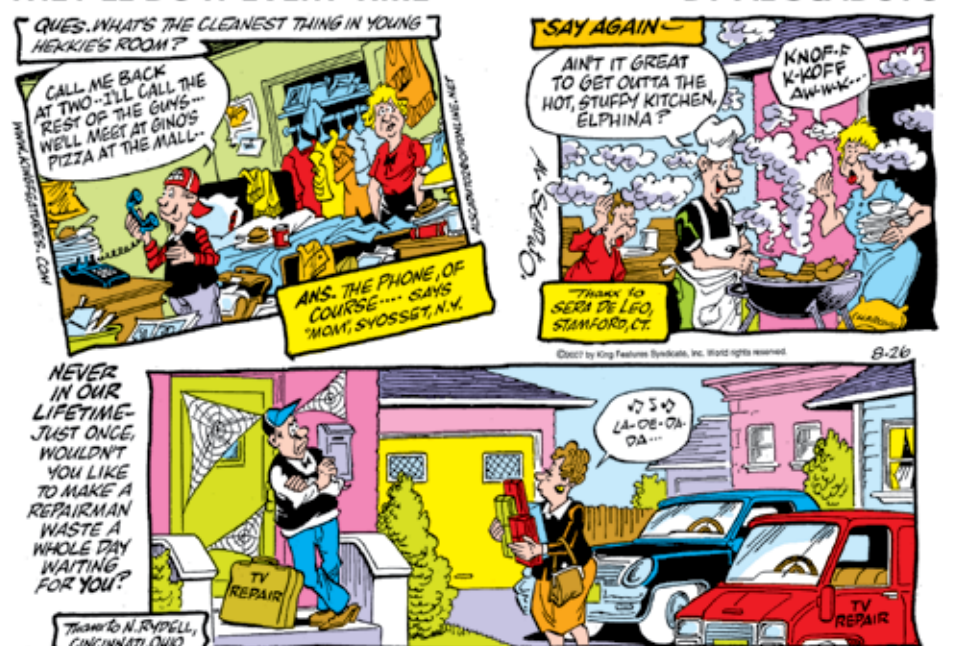
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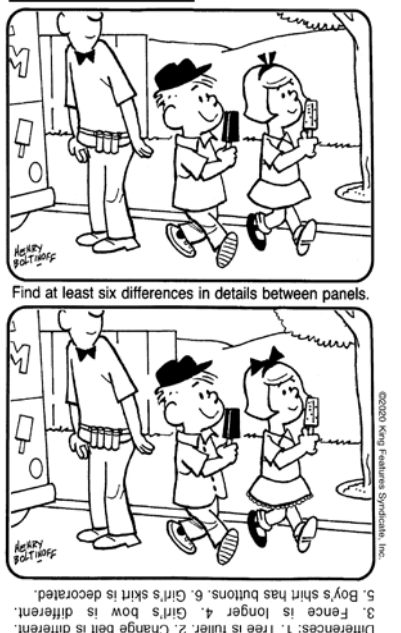
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Residents Need to Protect Themselves from Mosquitoes as They Head Outside

By Lisa Yarbrough, KP Public Affairs

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - As the weather heats up and residents head outside, mosquito experts encourage community members to protect themselves from mosquitoes and the diseases they can spread when they bite. West Nile virus is the most prevalent mosquito-borne disease in the U.S. according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), California had the highest number of West Nile virus disease cases in the nation in 2019, with 225 cases reported. Comparatively, Texas had 32 cases and Florida had two cases in 2019. There is no human vaccine for West Nile virus, a disease that can cause debilitating cases of meningitis, encephalitis, and even death.

However, West Nile virus isn't the only mosquito-borne threat in California. Newly established invasive Aedes mosquitoes can transmit viruses such as chikungunya, dengue, and Zika, all of which are costly to treat and can have long-term health and financial consequences. These mosquitoes are established in many areas of California and are steadily expanding their range.

"While COVID-19 is not transmitted by mosquitoes, infected mosquitoes pose other public health threats," said Peter Bonkrude, president of the Mosquito and Vector Control Association of California (MVCAC). "The best way to protect yourself from West Nile virus and other mosquito-transmitted diseases is to prevent mosquito bites. Wearing insect repellent is important as is eliminating all standing water which can create mosquito breeding sources."

"While our attention has been laser focused on COVID-19 it's important to remember that there are other public health concerns such as West Nile virus," said Assemblymember Mike Gipson (D-64). "As chair of the Assembly Select Committee on Infectious Diseases, I'm familiar with the devastating toll that mosquito-transmitted diseases can have and encourage all California residents to take simple steps to protect themselves."

National Mosquito Control Awareness Week, June 21-27, 2020, is a reminder to residents about the easy actions they can take to prevent mosquito breeding and protect themselves from mosquito bites. Mosquito experts are working to

ensure there are adequate local, state, and federal resources to meet the increasing challenges of combating mosquito-borne diseases. Specifically, at the federal level, MVCAC has been advocating for funding for the Strengthening Mosquito Abatement Safety and Health Act (SMASH Act) which would authorize CDC resources to be used to protect public health by addressing emerging infectious mosquito-borne diseases and improving existing mosquito control programs.

To help prevent mosquito bites:

Apply insect repellent containing EPA-registered active ingredients, including DEET, picaridin, oil of lemon eucalyptus, or IR3535, according to label instructions. Repellents keep mosquitoes from biting. It is important to follow EPA and CDC guidelines for the safe use of repellents on children; Dress in long sleeves and pants, especially if outside at dawn and dusk when mosquitoes that can spread West Nile virus are most active; Install screens on windows and doors and keep them in good repair to keep mosquitoes out of your home; Eliminate all sources of standing water on your property, including in flowerpots, old tires, buckets, pet dishes, and trash cans because mosquitoes lay their eggs in very small amounts of standing water; Repair leaking faucets and broken sprinklers; Clean rain gutters clogged with leaves; Report neglected swimming pools and day-biting mosquitoes to your local mosquito and vector control agency.

For more information check out these videos: Tip, Toss & Take Action, Everyone Can Help Fight the Bite!, and Mosquito Control is an Essential Service.

For additional information on mosquitoes and mosquito-borne diseases please visit the California Department of Public Health.

The Mosquito and Vector Control Association of California (MVCAC) is the statewide voice for mosquito and vector control professionals. The association provides public health information, expertise, mosquito and vector-borne disease surveillance, innovative research, professional training, effective legislative and regulatory advocacy on behalf of California public agencies. ★

Vacationers Arriving at Second Homes Need to Respond to the Census ... Again

By Marna K Davis,
U.S. Census Bureau

WASHINGTON, DC (MPG) - Many families will head to their vacation homes and cabins this holiday weekend in the more rural counties in California. They are likely to find a 2020 Census questionnaire packet at their doors even if they already responded from their primary residences.

It's required that homeowners complete a separate census form for every house they own, including seasonal residences. If homeowners have been staying in their seasonal homes during the COVID crisis, they still need to complete a census form for their primary residence. People should count themselves at the residence where they live and sleep most of the time under normal conditions.

Here are instructions on how to self-respond online with information on a

cabin, vacation rental property, or any other home where someone does not live and sleep most of the time:

Visit www.my2020census.gov; Enter the Census ID or address for this secondary property. Owners will find the ID number in the information packet that census takers left on the property or at a mailbox if the home has a regular mailing address; Enter "0" for the number of people living at this property; Hit Next... the survey will not advance, but it will show a second prompt. Hit Next again to advance; Select "No" when asked a confirmation question about how many people live there; Select primary reason – Seasonal (most likely); Complete!

You may also respond to the 2020 Census by calling (844) 330-2020, or returning the paper questionnaire by mail.

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Census Bureau Reveals Which Workers Are Hardest Hit by COVID-19

United States Census
Bureau Press Release

WASHINGTON, DC (MPG) -

Self-employed workers in states where businesses are hardest hit by the COVID-19 pandemic are more likely to face economic hardships, according to new findings from the U.S. Census Bureau's experimental Household and Small Business Pulse surveys.

Creating jobs and running small businesses are just a couple of examples of the vital roles self-employed workers play in the U.S. economy.

Economic uncertainty related to COVID-19 has presented unique challenges for self-employed workers, from temporary closures to revenue losses.

We combined results from

two new surveys to shed light on these challenges, using the Small Business Pulse Survey to identify states with businesses most affected by the COVID-19 pandemic and demographic data from the Household Pulse Survey.

Self-Employed Hit Harder Where More Businesses Closed Temporarily

In states where business conditions were hardest-hit by COVID-19 (states with 25% or more of businesses temporarily closed for one day or more), 13.9% of self-employed workers received free groceries or a free meal during the last seven days from sources such as food banks, religious organizations, community programs, or family, friends or neighbors.

In contrast, 8.7% of

non-self-employed workers in these states received free meals.

In the least-affected states (those where 10% or less businesses temporarily closed for one day or more), there was no statistical difference by self-employment status in the rate of those receiving free groceries or a free meal.

Self-employed workers in the hardest-hit states reported either "sometimes not having enough to eat" or "often not having enough to eat" 5.9% of the time in the past week, which is not statistically different from the rate reported by other workers in these states.

Similarly, there was no statistical difference in food insufficiency by self-employment status in states least affected by the pandemic. ★



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