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All That Jazz, and More

Local Saxophonist Tapped for Monterey Jazz Festival Student Band

By Jacqueline Fox

CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG) - Baritone saxophonist and Carmichael resident, Duncan McElman, a recent graduate from Rio Americano High School in Sacramento, is heading in to his first summer on a very high note as one of 20 student musicians selected to join the Monterey Jazz Festival's 2017 Next Generation Jazz Orchestra (NGJO).

As a member of the NGJO, McElman, 18, will join the band for a 10-day tour kicking off June 24 with a performance at Jazz at Lincoln Center in Rochester, New York, followed by dates at the Toronto and Montreal International Jazz Festivals, culminating with, oh, just a little gig playing alongside heavy hitters, such as John Clayton, Jeff Hamilton and Gerald Clayton at the 60th Annual Monterey Jazz Festival September 17.

To say McElman is stoked would be an understatement. He spent hours practicing his audition pieces before submitting three recorded submissions to the NGJO selection board, aiming to realize a dream he's had since first picking up the saxophone as a fifth-grader at Mission Avenue Elementary in Carmichael.

"Getting the word that I'd been selected to play in the NGJO was a real game-changer," McElman says. "I didn't think I was going to get in because there are so many other great student musicians out there. When I got the news, I said 'OK, this really changes everything for the day.' I immediately called my mom and told her the good news."

Between February and March, McElman submitted recorded auditions of Charlie Parker's "Blues For Alice," and Duke Ellington's "Sophisticated Lady." They were good performances, McElman recalls, but in attempting to tape the final audition piece, he realized he was running out of battery on his phone and up against the deadline for the final submission. Shortly afterward, while on tour with the Jazz Band of America in Indianapolis, he managed to pull a group of fellow players together to record his final audition piece: Fats Waller's "Honeysuckle Rose," meeting the deadline and, obviously the judges' expectations.

"I felt like once I got that last piece submitted, everything was gonna be fine," said McElman, who performed all three auditions on the same vintage Selmer Mark VI baritone sax. "I knew I'd given it my all and I could not have done better."

High School Musicians from California, Colorado, Florida, Missouri, New York, Texas, Virginia and Washington were selected to join the 2017 NGJO. While this is McElman's first



Rio American High School Graduate Duncan McElman, 18, has been selected to join the 2017 Next Generation Jazz Orchestra, touring this summer across the nation and Canada before a final performance at the Monterey Jazz Festival in fall. Photo courtesy of Duncan McElman, by Tiffany Grebitus photography

selection to the band, he is certainly not Rio Americano's first: The school has a 32-year history of placing student musicians in the band. Duncan is their 59th.

"Duncan comes equipped with a high degree of talent and already has learned and absorbed much of the jazz language in his work," said Paul Contos, director of the Next Generation Jazz Orchestra and Education Director for the Monterey Jazz Festival. "His playing on the baritone sax is exemplary and embodies the history of the instrument."

As for Rio Americano, Contos said the school's music program "has always been one of the superlative models in jazz education" locally and across the country.

Josh Murray is Band Director at Rio Americano High. He says McElman simply has a rare talent for, not only the music, but the drive to do the work required for musical greatness.

"Duncan is a rare student," Murray said. "He combines talent, hard work and passion in a way that few teenagers can manage. He

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Railroad Museum is Now a Smithsonian Affiliate

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - California State Parks and the California State Railroad Museum & Foundation are proud to announce the California State Railroad Museum is now officially recognized as a Smithsonian Affiliate.

"We are delighted to officially begin our Affiliate partnership with the California State Railroad Museum, an organization which has previously worked alongside the Smithsonian in scholarship and historic preservation," said Myriam Springuel, Interim Director, Smithsonian Affiliations. "The story of railroading is very much the story of building the foundation of the United States and we are proud to partner with this museum which tells this national story from its beginnings in California. The collections, scholarship and expertise of the Smithsonian will be well matched by those at the



Union Pacific 4466 is an 0-6-0 type steam locomotive built in October 1920 for the Union Pacific Railroad (UP) to perform switching chores and transfer runs. The locomotive currently resides at the California Railroad Museum. Photo courtesy Neil916

California State Railroad Museum; we expect both organizations to benefit a great deal from this collaborative relationship."

Located in Old Sacramento State Historic Park, the Railroad Museum joins a network of 216 organizations throughout the nation that are committed to serving the

public through educational outreach, artifact loans, traveling exhibitions and collaborative research with the Smithsonian. Smithsonian Affiliations help to build a bridge between the local experiences available in individual communities with the national heritage preserved and displayed at

the Smithsonian. "We are proud that the Railroad Museum is now an official Smithsonian Affiliate," said Ty Smith, Museum Director for the California State Railroad Museum. "Aligning the Railroad Museum with the Smithsonian Institution will help us further our mission of connecting people to

California's railroad heritage. This partnership is both intellectual and material and will advance our ability to create a world-class experience to each and every guest who visits the California State Railroad Museums and Old Sacramento State Historic Park."

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New Employment Report Shows Poor State Leadership

By Paul Scholl

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - The Center for Jobs and the Economy recently released its full analysis of the May employment data.

In the State Employment Growth Rankings, California dropped to 3rd place behind Florida and Texas Between May 2016 and May 2017, Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) data shows the total number of employed in California increased by 250,000 (seasonally adjusted), or 13.4% of the total net employment gains in this period for the United States. California dropped to 3rd place behind Florida (which has a civilian working age population only 55% as large as California's) at 409,600 and Texas (68% as large) at 254,800.

Measured by percentage change in employment over the year, California dropped to 33rd highest. Adjusted for population, California dropped to 35th.

The report shows California's Labor Force Participation Rate at its lowest level since 1976. California's participation rate (seasonally adjusted) in May declined to 62.0%, while the US rate dropped only 0.2 point to 62.7%. Improvement in the unemployment rate at both the California and national levels came from these contractions in the labor force numbers.

The seasonally adjusted California participation rate in May was at its lowest level since 1976. The unadjusted rate was at its second lowest level since 1976. In the recent May Budget Revision, the Governor again pointed to the increasing share of lower wage jobs as one of the prime causes of slowing state revenues growth.

"The level of wages has been revised downward, and cash receipts have been significantly below forecast." - Gov. Jerry Brown.

Brown continues to not take responsibility for the many lost high paying jobs leaving California for better business climates in other states. California ranks last in the United States for being pro-business. Over one-third of jobs growth over the past 12 months has been in the low wage industries.

For additional information and data about the California economy visit www.centerforjobs.org.

Source: Centerforjobs.org ★



Cooley Honors Local Business at 2017 Salute to Small Business

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - On Monday, June 5, Assemblyman Ken Cooley (D-Rancho Cordova) honored Kniesel's Collision, Inc. as the 8th Assembly District's 2017 Small Business of the Year.

Every year, members of the California State legislature take time to honor a small business from their district. The Salute to Small Business event provides an opportunity for small business owners to meet and share success stories with other small business owners from across the state. The California Small Business Association is a volunteer-driven, non-profit, non-partisan organization with the mission to provide small businesses with a meaningful voice in state and federal government.

"To honor Kniesel's Collision as my Small Business of the Year brings me great pride," said Assemblyman Cooley. "Kniesel's commitment to customer service and to their employees truly exemplifies servant leadership."

After emigrating from an Austrian refugee camp after World War II, Richard Kniesel founded Kniesel's Collision in 1968. Richard has since handed the reins over to his two sons, Robert and Tom. Having grown up in the business, they remain strong in their commitment to the family's founding core values: integrity, trust, and quality. Kniesel's Collision also provides support to numerous charitable organizations including local food banks, high school athletic booster clubs, Boy Scout Troops, Court Appointed Special Advocates, and breast cancer research.



Assemblyman Cooley awards Kniesel's for their contributions to the community. Photo courtesy Office of Ken Cooley

"It is truly an honor and I am humbled to be recognized as the Small Business of the Year for our area," said Richard Kniesel. "When I landed at Ellis Island in the early 1950's, I was bound for Chicago, Illinois, but by the grace of God, I came to Citrus Heights instead, and I am forever thankful."

Assemblyman Ken Cooley represents the 8th Assembly District which includes the communities of Arden-Arcade, Carmichael, Citrus Heights, Rancho Cordova, Rancho Murietta, Rosemont, Wilton and other portions of unincorporated Sacramento County. For more information, please visit <http://asmdc.org/members/a08/>

From the Office of Ken Cooley ★

Divine Love: the Answer to Universal Health

International Speaker to Address Effective Health Care Through Prayer

Submitted by Christopher Cheney

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - Jose de Dios Mata, of Elsa Illinois, will give a free lecture to the public in Carmichael on Thursday, June 29 at 7:30 p.m. The talk is titled "Divine Love: The Answer to Universal Health" and is sponsored by First Church of Christ, Scientist, Carmichael, as a gift to the community and will be given in the church edifice at 4949 Kenneth Ave., Carmichael. During the talk free parking and child care are included.

This lecture is about the power of God as divine Love and the direct influence for good it can have on lives individually and collectively when spiritually understood. It explores the Biblical basis of God as divine Love whose law Christ Jesus taught and practiced in his healing and teaching ministry. It brings out the relevance of his command "to love your neighbor as yourself" and the worldwide healing impact this can have. The ideas in this lecture

make clear the importance of loving from the standpoint of God, Love, as our source and each of us as God's tenderly cared for children. Praying from this standpoint heals disease, saves us from wrong thinking and acting, and awakens us to the reality that our lives are safe in the law of Love. How powerful divine Love is to answer every problem we might be facing. This lecture includes experiences of healing that resulted from prayer and a deeper understanding of God as divine Love based on the teachings of Christian Science.

The speaker, José de Dios Mata, is originally from Spain, but has been living in the United States for a number of years. As a teenager, he felt a special interest in music and decided to study guitar, with an emphasis on flamenco. This led him to form his own group and perform in various venues.

Later, he worked for the government for a decade, the last five years of which were spent as a special agent in the Intelligence



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Services. In his personal life, he faced an enormous challenge in early 1979. A relative's sudden illness, for which the doctors could find no cure, as well as his own almost complete loss of hearing due to a congenital lesion, which he was told would require immediate surgery or result in total deafness — and he could not continue in his position at work until he had surgery — forced him to seek a solution to these difficulties. He chose not to have surgery. After trying a series of different alternatives, in December of that year José de Dios was introduced to Christian

Science by a doctor, his guitar student, who knew of his reluctance towards conventional medicine and encouraged him to explore this system of spiritual healing. Both situations were quickly and completely healed solely through reading the textbook of this religion, *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures* by Mary Baker Eddy.

He soon realized that the spiritual understanding he had just achieved enabled him to heal others. After several years of proving the practical effect of these teachings in the healing of illness and other inharmonious situations of day-to-day life, he gave up his career in 1986 and decided to move to the United States to enter the public practice of Christian Science as his only profession. His desire to teach others how to practice spiritual healing led him to take Christian Science Normal Class in 2009, in Boston, in order to become an authorized Christian Science teacher in Spain. ★

Feral Cats Project Seeks Volunteers and Community Support to Curb the Feral Cat Population



Spaying/Neutering of stray, feral, and abandoned cats will prevent hundreds of litters of kittens, literally thousands of cats yearly.

By Linda Morgan, Director Sacramento Feral Resources

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - Unwanted feral/stray cats are everywhere and the proverbial "kitten-season" is in full-swing. In an effort to help these newborn kittens, people often put them in a box and rush them to the local shelter. Too often the outcome for these kittens isn't what the well-intentioned person expected. So how can you change this outcome? Spay/Neuter of stray, feral, and

abandoned cats will prevent hundreds of litters of kittens, literally thousands of cats yearly, from being born in areas where they are not wanted and struggle to survive on their own.

Sacramento Feral Resources (SacFerals) recently introduced the Feral Cats Project.

The focus of the Project is to recruit volunteers and involve residents county-wide to help humanely curb the feral cat population in Sacramento County through a Trap-Neuter-Return (TNR) program. We are looking for the best ways to reach

residents in communities throughout the County.

Feral cats are a neighborhood issue that can have good resolution when working together to TNR. In fact, Sacramento County supports TNR - not euthanasia, starvation, or relocation (which is illegal) of feral cats. The good news is that there are low-cost and free spay/neuter clinics available.

Residents who want to help improve the feral cat situation can learn more about the Project, feral cats, TNR, feral colony assistance, and

other volunteer opportunities at monthly Free Feral Cats Workshops. Workshops open to the general public. Meetings are held at 5605 Marconi Ave in Carmichael. The Workshop Schedule, class descriptions, and sign-up information is available online: <http://www.sacferals.com/>

Why establish a Feral Cats Project? In 2013 SacFerals introduced a public website to offer resources and assistance to anyone with feral cat issues. Over time, traffic to the website as well as requests for help have

substantially increased. During the past two years, SacFerals has received reports of more than 9,000 feral/stray cats. The need for assistance has out-paced the current volunteer staff.

With an estimated 98,000 – 220,000 feral cats in Sacramento County, as the saying goes, "It takes a village" to make a huge dent in reducing the number of litters born in the County every year and to ultimately control and reduce the community feral cat population in Sacramento County. ★

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Capitol Pops Patriotic Concert July 2nd

Story and photo by Susan Maxwell Skinner

FAIR OAKS, CA (MPG) - A free July 2 (Sunday) concert at Fair Oaks Village Park will set a patriotic mood for the nation's birthday. Lead by maestro Kurt Pearsall, the Capitol Pops Concert Band's volunteer members will offer an all-American program that will include marches, anthems and swing tunes.

Susan Skinner is featured vocalist. A God Bless America finale will include the audience in a sing-along with the 60-piece ensemble. Children are welcome. The park is located at 4238 Main Street in Fair Oaks. Downbeat is 6:30 pm.



Kurt Pearsall will lead the Capitol Pops Concert Band at Fair Oaks Village Park, July 2.

Sheltons Unlimited Mechanical Services of North Highlands is concert sponsor. Learn about the Capitol Pops Concert Band at www.capitol-pops.org ★

All That Jazz, and More

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is one of those musicians who can have an audience wrapped around his finger when he plays, and has a bright future ahead of him."

As baritone chair in Rio's top big band, McElman has secured soloist awards from the Santa Cruz, Folsom, Reno, Essentially Ellington, and Charles Mingus jazz festivals. In 2015, he was chosen as "best reed player" at the Traditional Jazz Youth Band Festival in Sacramento. Want more? In 2013 and 2014, McElman was selected to be a part of TNT: The New Traditionalists, identified as a "regional honor combo focused

on traditional jazz."

Earlier this year, McElman was selected by his peers as the school's most valuable player, as well as its most valuable jazz and all-around musician.

He's fresh out of high school, but already McElman has shared stages with jazz luminaries such as the Mingus Big Band, Wee Trio, Matt Wilson's Christmas Tree-O, Joshua Redman, Mary Stallings and Jeff Lederer.

Practicing nearly three hours daily for years while also keeping up grades didn't get in the way of giving back. In addition to all those performances, tours and finishing up high school, McElman also managed to take

time to teach music and direct jazz combos at Arden Middle School, where some of his students have gone on to win their divisions at the Traditional Jazz Youth Band Festival and receive high scores at the Folsom Jazz Festival.

The summer's whirlwind tour and festival performances will bookend McElman's next big adventure: He's been accepted to attend the Frost School of Music at the University of Miami on a Presidential Scholarship in the fall, where he will major in Jazz and Studio Music.

"It really has been an amazing year," McElman said. ★

Railroad Museum Now a Smithsonian Affiliate

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Widely recognized as North America's most prestigious rail museum, the California State Railroad Museum showcases more than 150 years of railroad history in 225,000 square feet of space. Each year, approximately 600,000 guests from all over the world visit the Railroad Museum to see and experience the

immaculately restored full-scale locomotives and railroad cars, impressive toy train collection, interactive and ever-changing exhibits, and much more.

"We look forward to networking and working collaboratively with other Smithsonian Affiliates to further our collective goals to educate, interpret and engage the public with the unique

and memorable experiences we have to offer," said Cheryl Marcell, President & CEO of the California State Railroad Museum Foundation."

For more information about the California State Railroad Museum & Foundation, please call 916-323-9280 or visit www.californiarailroad.museum/.

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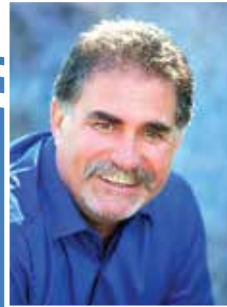


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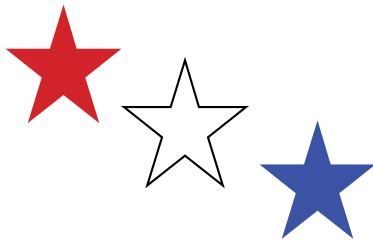


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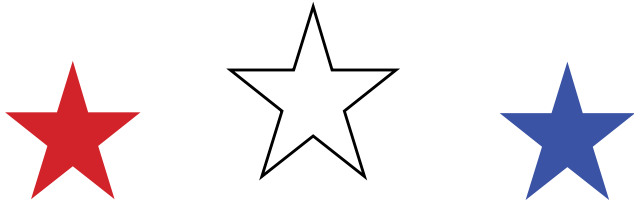
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Sounding the Alarm on School Schedules

Commentary by Siri Fiske

American schools are raising a generation of dreamers -- daydreamers, that is. Fully 10 percent of teenage students say they are "disengaged" and "discouraged" in the classroom.

There's a surprising culprit behind this disengagement: the school schedule. Currently, most students shuffle from classroom to classroom with clockwork rigidity, impairing their cognitive development and even compromising their health.

It doesn't have to be this way. Students taught in flexible learning environments benefit from improved problem-solving, critical thinking, and social and leadership skills.

Right now, most schools squeeze learning into unforgiving time blocks. With each shift between classes,

students lose valuable learning time. And even more time goes to waste as teachers take roll, pass out papers and assign homework.

Once they've settled in, students are often subjected to 60- to 90-minute lectures. Sadly, most of them will retain just 5 percent of the content teachers impart orally, according to a study from the National Training Laboratories.

Our system's meticulous adherence to schedules hurts students' physical health as well. Students usually sit for over eight hours a day. As a result, their core strength, balance, hand-eye coordination, eye muscle control, spatial awareness and even emotional maturity suffer.

Worse still, the school schedule bears no resemblance to the real world.

Consider how a job would look if it followed the parameters of a school

day: Employees would have one hour to work on project A, one hour for project B, and so on -- regardless of the effort required for each task. They wouldn't have any flexible time to attend a last-minute meeting, meet a client or go to a conference. All the while, coworkers would sit quietly while completing their work -- no interaction allowed.

That's ridiculous. Yet that's exactly how students are expected to learn. It's no wonder most young professionals give their high schools poor marks on preparing them for the workforce, according to an Associated Press-Viacom poll.

Fortunately, some innovative schools have demonstrated the promise of a more versatile approach to learning.

At my Washington DC-based Mysa Schools, for example, students arrive any time between 8:30 and 9:30 and

spend mornings working on core academics at their own pace, according to their own personalized plan.

Teachers act as coaches, guiding students to learn through hands-on exploration. And students are encouraged to teach each other to solve real-world issues. Rather than reading aloud from a textbook about the ecosystem, Mysa students might be prompted to collaborate on a community strategy for cleaning up the Chesapeake Bay.

The Hawken School in Ohio is also using nontraditional scheduling to fuel student learning. The school's "Intensives," allow high schoolers to study a single subject toward the end of each semester. This scheduling lets students cover a semester's worth of material in just three weeks.

Students participating in the entrepreneurship program team up with local

startups. At the end of the program, students present their ideas to business leaders, gaining mentors who can help them long after they graduate.

That's a far better way for students to learn. Students retain three-fourths of what they discover on their own -- but retention jumps to 85 percent when they pass knowledge to peers.

What's more, students who learn collaboratively improve their confidence, strengthen their communication skills, become more responsible and are more likely to consider different opinions.

It's obvious that the current educational system, with its suffocating, factory-like schedule, is failing students. It's time to embrace approaches to education that set students up for real world success.

Siri Fiske is the founder and head of Mysa Schools. ★

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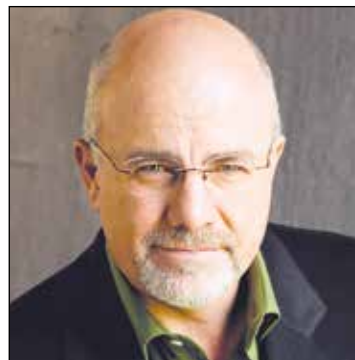
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Dave Says

What to do with the leftover?

Dear Dave,
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- Mandy

Dear Mandy,
My suggestion would be to carry it over to the next month. Lots of folks don't use all the money in their clothing envelope during a month. There's nothing wrong with letting a little extra build up in one of your categories if you don't spend it all in a given month or two.

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envelope, treat yourself to a nice dinner out, or buy something that's food-oriented.

But it's okay to carry a few categories over from month to month. Just make sure you don't get crazy and blow that money on something outside the intended category, or on stuff you really don't need.

—Dave

Too much risk

Dear Dave,

I have some company stock my grandparents bought for me years ago. Would be a good idea to cash out the stock and roll it into an IRA?
- Dylan

Dear Dylan,

Technically, you wouldn't be rolling it into an IRA. You would cash it out and use the money to establish a Roth IRA. And yes, I would do that.

It was very kind of your grandparents to buy you a gift like this, but I think you can do better. You didn't mention an amount, but let's say you've got \$10,000 in that company's stock. Now,

would you buy the stock if you had \$10,000 sitting on the table? Most people, myself included, would say no because there's too much risk. I wouldn't advise having the majority of your wealth — the highest percentage of your net worth — tied up in one single company. That's bad news.

So yes, I would sell that stock and use the money to fund a Roth IRA or multiple Roth IRAs. I invest my Roth IRA money in mutual funds that have a solid track record of outperforming the S&P 500 for 10 years or longer.
—Dave

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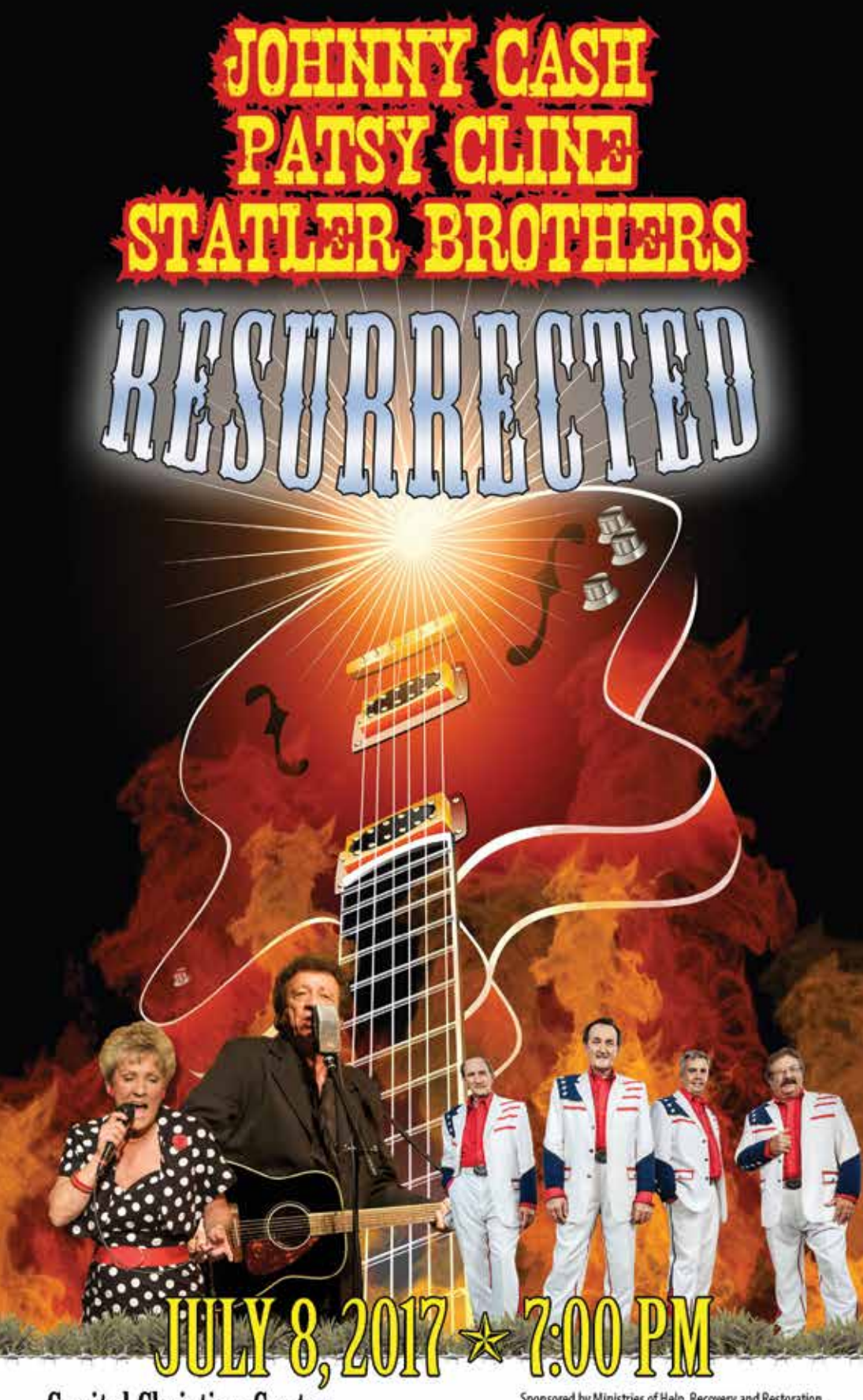
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Marconi Dental Clinic Relocates to Carmichael

Grand Opening Party Scheduled for June 23rd



Marconi Dental Group, a full-service dental clinic, began treating patients at their new state-of-the-art facility in Carmichael last month. Photo courtesy Marconi Dental Group

CARMICHAEL, CA (MPG) - The Marconi Dental Group has a new home in Carmichael, and they are inviting the community to celebrate the move at a Grand Opening Party at the new location!

Bring the whole family to celebrate! The party will take place at the state-of-the-art new office located at 6440 Fair Oaks Blvd in Carmichael, on June 23rd from 5:00 to 7:30 PM. A Ribbon Cutting ceremony with the Carmichael Chamber of Commerce will happen at 6 PM.

Enjoy FREE food and drink, live music, and the chance to WIN prizes and giveaways, there will even be a bounce house for the kids!

Giving back to the community has always been something Marconi Dental Group prides itself on, so inviting all of Carmichael to come celebrate the opening was a no-brainer. "We will continue to give back

by doing our Christmas Toy Drive with the Mustard Seed program, our Peanut Butter and Jelly drive with Loaves and Fishes and treat more children in need to dental work through the Smiles for Kids program" said Dr. Ashkan Alizadeh, who took ownership of the practice in 2012.

The full-service dental clinic began treating patients at their new state-of-the-art facility in Carmichael last month. The 12,000 sq. ft. space that last housed the Ambience restaurant has been transformed into a modern, one-stop dental shop.

"In the old office, space and treatment room was tight and parking was minimal," said Dr. Alizadeh. "At our new location in Carmichael, we have more space to comfortably treat patients and plenty of parking to make it convenient. We're able to do almost everything in-house, which adds a level

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Marconi Dental Group has offered affordable in-house dental coverage in Sacramento since the mid-1990's. The team of caring, experienced dental professionals is led by Drs. Alizadeh and Saleh. As a husband and wife team with three children of their own, they understand that patients of all ages want to feel comfortable and respected. Marconi Dental Group offers family-friendly dental procedures including implants, dentures, cosmetic dentistry, sleep sedation dentistry, periodontics, Invisalign and more. They accept all insurances, and offer affordable plans for uninsured patients and their families.

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Defendant Convicted of Murder, Robbery in Marijuana Transaction

DATE: June 1, 2017

CASE: Kane Thompson (Case #16FE009089)

PROSECUTOR: Deputy District Attorney Kari Reeve, Homicide Unit

Kane Thompson was convicted by a jury for the first-degree murder and robbery of Nicholas Jaffray. The jury also found true the special circumstance that the murder was committed in the commission of a robbery.

On May 7, 2016, Kane Thompson met Nicholas Jaffray at a marijuana dispensary. Mr. Jaffray was a marijuana grower who was at the dispensary to sell his products. Thompson represented himself to be a marijuana delivery man and legitimate marijuana vendor. Thompson then told Mr. Jaffray that he would like to do business with him. Later that day, Thompson and Mr. Jaffray met in an apartment complex parking lot and began to negotiate a marijuana transaction while sitting in Mr. Jaffray's car. As a third man with a shotgun walked out from the apartment complex towards the car, Thompson pulled out a handgun and told Mr. Jaffray "not to get killed over a pound of weed." Mr. Jaffray attempted to flee in his vehicle, but Thompson shot and killed him as he was exiting the parking lot. Thompson and the unknown accomplice stole Mr. Jaffray's backpack containing the marijuana before fleeing the scene.

Thompson faces a maximum sentence of life in prison without the possibility of parole. Sentencing is set for July 14, 2017, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 12 before the Honorable Maryanne Gilliard.

Defendant Sentenced for Robberies

DATE: June 2, 2017

CASE: Pierre Cleveland (Case #15F05965)

PROSECUTOR: Deputy District Attorney Kristen Andersen, Career Criminal Prosecution Unit

The Honorable Raoul Thorbourne sentenced Pierre Cleveland to 25 years in prison. On May 4, 2017, a jury convicted Cleveland of two counts of robbery for two separate robberies. The jury also found that Cleveland used a gun during the course of the first robbery and

was a felon in possession of a firearm.

On September 7, 2015, Cleveland went into a Chevron station on Florin Road with a firearm and robbed the sole employee. He stole money from the register and after the victim refused to get on the ground, he shot the firearm off two times before fleeing the scene. On September 29, 2015, Cleveland went to the Florin Shopping Center and robbed another victim of \$5,600 in cash. The victim had just withdrawn the money from his bank and was about to get in his car when Cleveland struck him over the head and stole his money. Cleveland then fled the scene in a car that was waiting for him in the Sears parking lot. Officers were able to locate Cleveland in a nearby parking lot after the license plate of the fleeing vehicle was obtained. Cleveland was detained by law enforcement and was found to have half of the victim's money and the gun from the first robbery on his person.

Gang Member Convicted for Possessing Firearms

DATE: June 15, 2017

CASE: Todd Williams (Case #16FE021370)

PROSECUTOR: Deputy District Attorney Kristen Andersen, Targeting Armed Recidivist Gang Enforcement Team (TARGET)

Todd Williams was convicted by a jury of two counts of felon in possession of a firearm. The jury also found true a gang allegation on both counts.

Todd Williams is a validated member of the G-Mobb/Guttah criminal street gang. On August 17, 2016, Williams was in a car that law enforcement attempted to stop. Williams fled from the car, and officers gave chase. When Williams was apprehended, he was found to be in possession of two loaded firearms.

Williams has a prior 2010 strike conviction for accessory after the fact to attempted murder with a gang enhancement. He previously served 7 years in prison for this offense.

Williams faces a maximum sentence of 17 years and 8 months in prison. Sentencing is set for July 21, 2017, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 22 before the Honorable Russell Hom. ★

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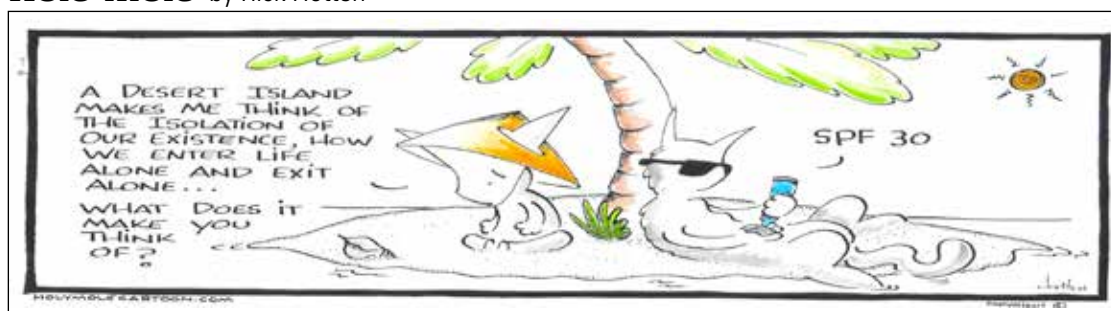
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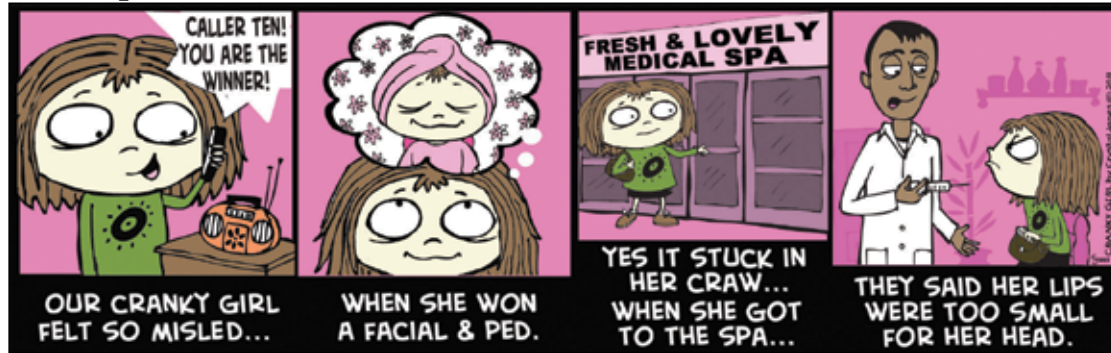
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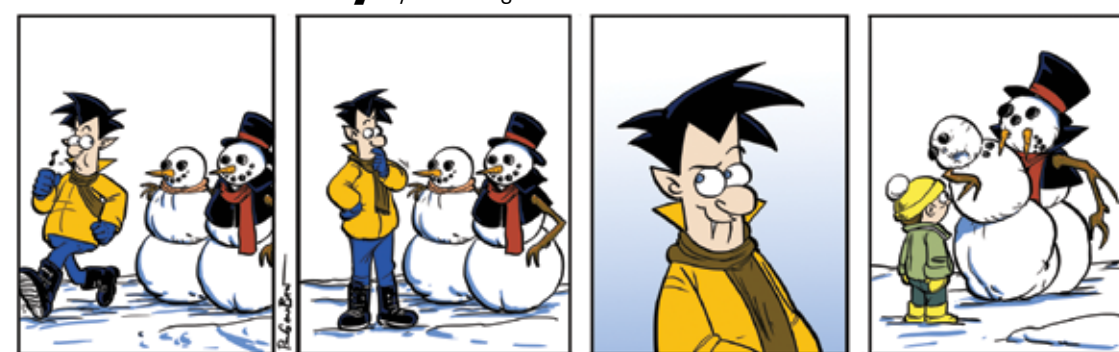
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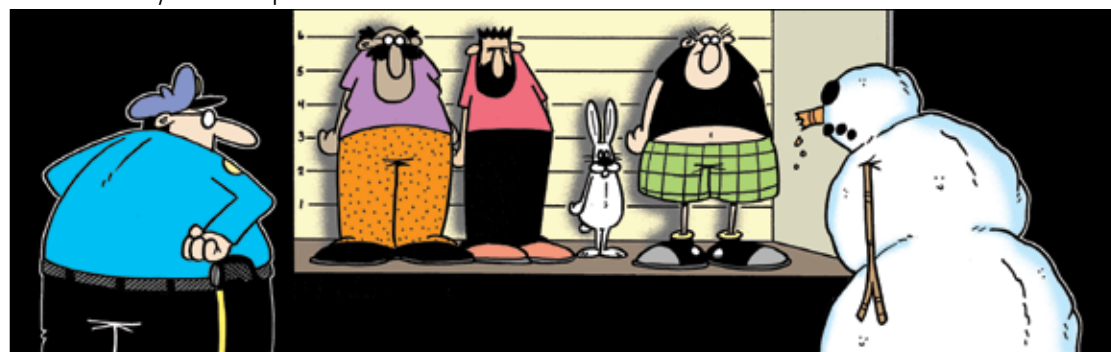
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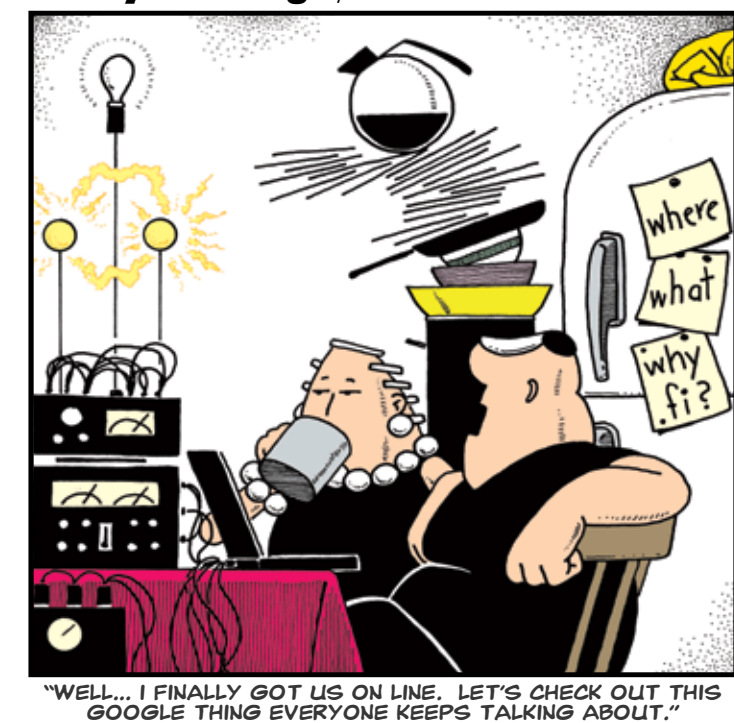
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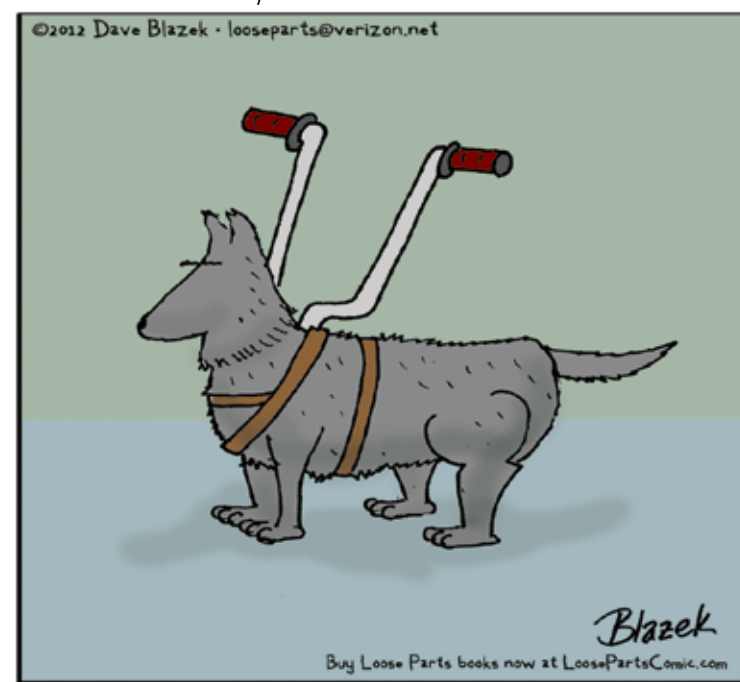
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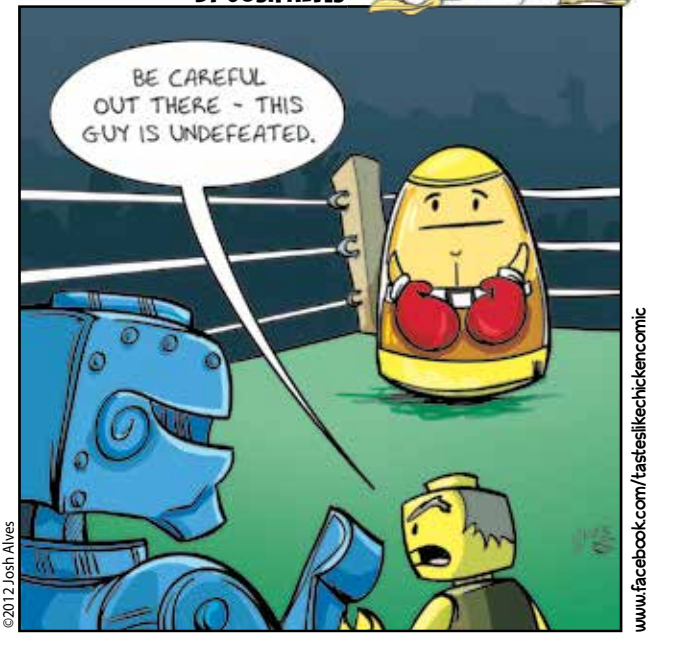


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Carmichael-based, the John Skinner Band will perform a variety concert on August 6. Photo courtesy Steve Harriman

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Among the entertainment lineup, Carmichael-based John Skinner Band has played all 45 seasons. This veteran ensemble will offer classic rock and popular dance tunes on August 6. Picnickers are welcome at all events; designated areas will accommodate dogs.



The Latin Touch ensemble will entertain Carmichael Park concert-goers on August 12. Photo by Susan Maxwell Skinner

Concerts are scheduled as follows:

Saturday, June 24: Jax Hammer band (rock and blues); 6:30 pm.

Sunday, June 25: SwingMasters (swing and ballroom); 5 pm.

Saturday, July 8: Dennis Johnson and the Mississippi Ramblers (rock); 6:30 pm.

Sunday, July 9: Carmichael Kiwanis Big Band (swing); 5 pm.

Saturday, July 15: Jackson Stone Band (Southern rock); 6:30 pm.

Saturday, July 22: Howell Devine (country blues); 6:30 pm.

Saturday, July 29: The Golden Cadillacs (country rock); 6:30 pm.

Saturday, August 5: Dave Russell Band (Country favorites) 6:30 pm.

Sunday, August 6: John Skinner Band (variety dance); 5 pm.

Saturday, August 12: Latin Touch (Latin funk); 6:30 pm.

Saturday, August 19: Mumbo Gumbo (Americana); 6:30 pm.

Saturday August 26: On Air (classic rock); 6:30 pm.

Sunday, August 27: River City Concert Band (symphonic); 5 pm.

All performances are free. Picnickers are welcome. For information, visit www.carmichaelpark.com or call (916) 485-5322.

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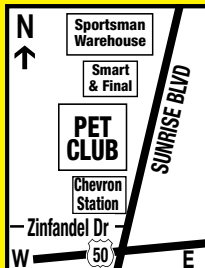
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