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"Carmichael Day" at the River Cats thrills all. Honorary Mayor throws out first pitch.

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Sacramento County Fair Offers Best Deal for Holiday Weekend



Dancers, singers, variety acts and a whole lot more... the Fair's got it! In the Kids' Carnival and throughout the fairgrounds there's plenty of spectacular amusement. Photo courtesy Sac

Sacramento – With free admission for kids and seniors, and just \$5 general admission for ages 13-61, you would be hard-pressed to find a better entertainment value than the Sacramento County Fair. Even a visit to the movie theater costs more and it usually lasts less than two hours. Plus with the price of gasoline you can start your summer close to home on Memorial Day weekend and get more bang for your buck all the way around. Consider that the price of admission includes live music by Bay

Area favorites like Max Cabello, or a comedy stunt show by Matt Baker from the "America's Got Talent" TV series, a wild animal adventure, a circus, an art and photography show, hands-on science exploration and much more inside the magical world of the County Fair. Where else can you spend all day, get hypnotized, watch a Sea Lion show, learn where your food comes from, talk to the farm animals, all for free once you pass through the gates? Of course it wouldn't be a Fair

without carnival rides, but there's a great deal there too. An unlimited ride wristband is just that – all the rides you want any one day. If you plan in advance you can save up to \$15 on a ValuPass sold at area Walgreens which includes Fair admission and a wristband. If you wait till the last minute, you can take advantage of the Good Buddy BOGO (Buy One Get One Free) deal on Thursday, May 26. For parents with little ones who like to visit the Fair early, they

can download a coupon for free admission until 3:00 pm on Friday, May 27, through News 10's Mom's Like Me Club. There will be a complimentary privacy lounge for breast feeding and healthy snacks as well as a diaper changing area, open all days of the Fair. For more information on the Sacramento County Fair, May 26-30, at Cal Expo, visit SacFair.com. For 75 years they have been creating "Memories & Magic" and your family can too.

Churchill Finishes 8th in Nation for Middle Schools in Science Olympiad

Carmichael – (May 23rd) – Churchill Science Olympiad took 8th place at the National Championships on Saturday. The event was held on the beautiful University of Wisconsin - Madison campus. Coaches Jeff Jungk and Robert Sherriff along with team captains Ryan Cohen and Callie Kernick were presented with a trophy on stage in front of thousands of spectators. Churchill took home 7 total medals (top 6) out of the 23 events; this doubled the goal set by the coaches. Our top finish was 2nd place in Microbe Mission by Marcello Chang and Vivian Yang. Thank you to Ms. Hollenbeck for her outstanding coaching on that event. Marcello was the team's top medalist earning 3 total medals. Ryan Cohen was our other multiple medalist with 2.

The team is very pleased with their results. Finishing top 10 (out of 60 total teams) was not easy but

the kids stepped up to the challenge performed great, and had a lot of fun in the process. Thank you for your support, we will be proud to bring back this trophy and share our victory with our Churchill friend's and family.

Churchill Medalists:
Marcello Chang: Microbe Mission 2nd, Optics 4th, Anatomy 6th
Ryan Cohen: Compute This 5th, Shock Value 4th
Vivian Yang: Microbe Mission 2nd
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Jennifer Tan: Anatomy 6th
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Jasper Miura: Compute This 5th
Daniel Shen: Optics 4th
Shipa Nair: Mag Lev Vehicle 2nd
Gina Wu: Mag Lav Vehicle 2nd

Mira Loma Students 10th in Nation in Science Olympiad

From Ann Silberman, Mira Loma High School

Sacramento – (May 23rd) – Once again, Mira Loma has demonstrated its prowess in Science, winning a top spot in the nation in the 27th Annual Science Olympiad held this weekend at the University of Madison, Wisconsin.

Science Olympiad consists of middle and high school teams from across the country who compete in hands-on events designed to demonstrate problem-solving skills in a wide variety of scientific disciplines, including genetics, earth science, chemistry, anatomy, physics,

geology, mechanical engineering and technology. Science Olympiad is a team competition, teaching students to work together to solve scientific problems, and events are scored as a group. Mira Loma's top wins were in Anatomy & Physiology and Materials & Science, coming in 2nd in both events.

Seven thousand students and teams from each region watched as the top ten teams were called to the stage to accept their well-deserved trophies. Mira Loma's Science Olympians were coached by teachers Mark Porter and Scott Martinez. We are proud of the efforts of both of these great science teams.

Carmichael Relay for Life

Can you give 24 hours to the fight against cancer? Carmichael Relay For Life! Come and join in the fun!



Save lives. Create more birthdays. Come and find out how.

Carmichael – There are many activities planned. Harmony Stars and Knights of Columbus will be selling dinner and lunch, respectively and each team will have on-site fundraisers, from desserts to glow in the dark dodgeball. We'll also have a DJ, students coming from Paul Mitchell to do hair cuts and nails, and a yoga demonstration, as well as all kinds of games and a Kids Camp.

People are welcome to come to Relay, even if they aren't on a team. All of the proceeds from on-site fundraisers will go to the American Cancer Society.

There is an open invitation to cancer survivors to participate in the Survivor Lap, which will happen just after 9 am, when the event starts.

For more information, contact:
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Carmichael Rotary Club's Golf Tournament to Benefit Easter Seals



Carmichael – The Rotary Club of Carmichael's 32nd annual golf tournament is asking golfers, and even non-golfers alike, to swing a club to help Easter Seals.

The Easter Seals Golf Classic is returning to Ancil Hoffman Golf Course, 6700 Tarshes Drive – Carmichael, on June 10, 2011, with all raised proceeds going to benefit Easter Seals. Easter Seals is a non-profit, community-based health agency dedicated to helping children and adults with disabilities attain greater independence. The Golf Tournament is sponsored by Pacific Coast Building Products.

The Rotary Club of Carmichael Easter Seals Golf Classic has become one of the largest and oldest continuously running private charity golf tournaments in the Sacramento Valley, raising over \$750,000 since the tournament's inception over 30 years ago.

The Rotary Club has said its goal is to contribute, and exceed, the \$35,000 raised last year through the generous donations from their sponsors and local merchants. The Club is still looking for potential sponsors at various contribution levels and each business will reap the benefits of having their businesses'

name prominently displayed at the tournament.

Golf tournament festivities begin with registration at 11:00 a.m. for the 18-hole tournament. The tournament will have a four-person scramble format with a "shotgun start" beginning at 1:00 p.m. Dinner, an award presentation and raffle will begin at 6:00 p.m..

The tournament is open to the public and entry fees are \$150 per player.

Those interested in sponsoring the tournament, donating prizes or participating in the tournament may contact Jay Sedlak at (916) 554-8040 jaysedlak@pacbell.net, Jim Thompson at (916) 273-1811 or jthompson@wkblaw.com, Richard Brown at (916) 337-6607 or rbab55@att.net, or Jason Clark at (707) 249-9340 or Jason.Clark@paccoast.com.

Founded in 1948, The Rotary Club of Carmichael is an active community service club of about 50 members, who engage in community and human service projects locally and internationally. The club holds weekly dinner meetings every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at the Palm Street Pub & Grill located at 6416 Fair Oaks Boulevard in Carmichael.

Big Night Out at the Ball Game

Stories and photos
Susan Maxwell Skinner

Though the River Cats struck sustained a 6-3 loss to the Red Hawks, the community of Carmichael enjoyed a winning streak in its big night out at Raley Field Stadium last week.

Declared "Carmichael Day" by the River Cats, the Thursday baseball game between Sacramento and Oklahoma City saw attendance bolstered by over 200 Carmichael residents, business people and community leaders. The popcorn picnic was organized by the Chamber of Commerce, the Kiwanis and the Carmichael and Mission Oaks Park Districts.

Tossing the first pitch, Carmichael Honorary Mayor Pauline Gilmour declared herself "Very nervous." The 59-year-old teacher has three baseball loving sons, including a former pitcher for Jesuit High. "Two of my boys came up from Los Angeles to watch me," she said. "The other saw it via cell phone. He texted and said I looked great."

"I had some coaching from a neighbor and practiced my pitch for two days. On the night, I managed to forget everything. One of my sons laughed and said: 'Mom, you had a limp wrist!' Then he said he was proud of me."

"I was thrilled by how many Carmichael people were there in the stands, cheering me on. I felt honored to represent such a great town."



Peter Tateishi (waving) was among Carmichael community leaders at Raley Field. Flanking Tateishi on the on the arena's 100ft screen were County Supervisor Susan Peters, Chamber of Commerce President Chris Meyer, Kiwanis President Mohendar Chima, Carmichael Park staffer Alaina Lofthus, Carmichael Times publisher Paul Scholl, Mercy San Juan executive Brian Ivy, Water District representative Ron Greenwood, Pastor Gary Duckett and Mission Oaks Park District chief Mark Kohler.



River Cats mascot Dinger got up-close and fuzzy with many Carmichael residents and business people who attended "Carmichael day" at Raley Field. With two Raley/Bel Air stores in the community, Carmichael has strong links with the River Cats' owners. Chamber of Commerce executive Lind Melody (front center) was liaison between corporation and community.

Carmichael Celebrates Parks, Plants and Stitches In Time

Stories and photos Susan Maxwell Skinner



A benefit for the Effie Yeaw Nature Center drew 300 supporters to a "Painting Where the Wild Things Are" gala. Sixty rustic-themed canvases were sold by silent auction. Ten more - by big-name painters - scored live bids. Pictured, Bruce Leavitt's sandbar landscape took the Best of Show rosette. County Supervisor Susan Peters and auctioneer David Stone congratulated the artist. Learn about the non-profit at www.sacnaturecenter.com



Jan began. A weekend ceremony broke ground for Carmichael Park District's newest facility. Over 200 neighbors cheered ceremonial shovelling and toured the 13-acre reserve near Manzanita Ave. Barrett Hills Neighborhood Association President Joyce Carroll showed youngsters where a new bridge will cross a drainage ditch. Jan Park will open September 17. Learn about the project at barrethillsneighborhood.org.



Beverly's Fabrics hosted its 13th Quilt Show. Four quilting guilds displayed 250 covers at the Carmichael store. Contemporary work joined vintage exhibits, including the century-old spread, above. Admiring the antique were (clockwise from left) Jacquelynn Tucker, Judee Shoemaker, Jan Strickland and Beverly's staffers Debbie Murbach and Helen De Boer. Learn about the annual event at (916) 486-8374.

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9:30 AM - Panel discussion featuring Hospice Care, a Neurologist, family members who have cared for a person with Alzheimer's disease and family members who are dealing currently with Alzheimer's disease, and an Elder Law Attorney.

10:30 AM - Unveiling of the "Wall of Honor." A place where people can create an inscription in honor of or in memory of a family member who has suffered from Alzheimer's disease.

10:45 AM - Untimed one-mile walk within East Lawn.

11:30 AM - Free luncheon.

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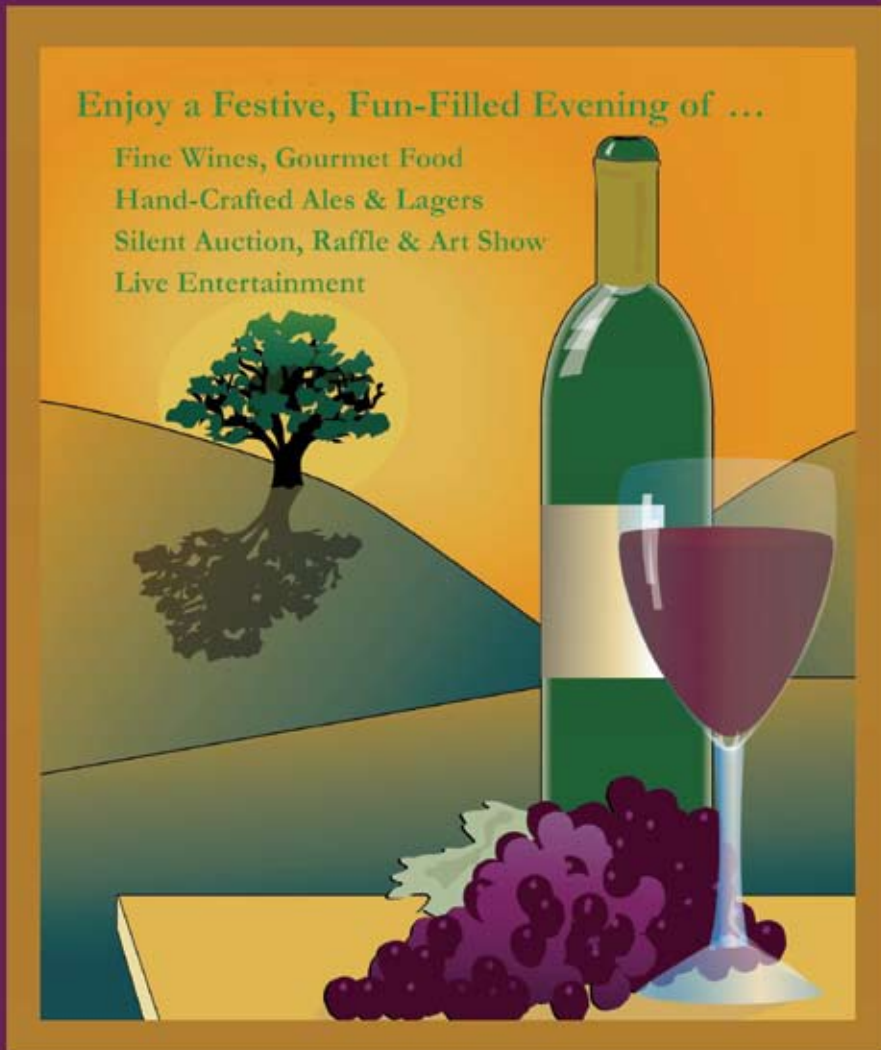
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Help Save La Sierra Skate Park



La Sierra Skate Camp participants. Photo courtesy Elizabeth Cristinate.

Carmichael - After 10 1/2 years of service, the Carmichael Recreation and Park District (CRPD) will close the La Sierra Skate Park due to extreme budget constraints. CRPD is seeking help from the community in hopes of continuing to keep the park open. If funds cannot be secured, the park will close July 1. La Sierra Skate Park provides Carmichael with the only structured and supervised place to skate board because it provides an alternative to using private property or local store fronts. If the park closes and there is nowhere else to go, the skate boarders will be forced to take to the streets, store fronts and maybe even private property.

The skate park is open 7 days a week, between 35 and 45 hours depending on the season. It is closed only in inclement weather. The skate park services over 5000 participants a year and is open free of charge to boards, roller blades and scooters. As a sport or a hobby, skate boarding appeals to multiple generations which means the ages of participants ranges from 5 to 40. As a result, the District is providing safe and structured programming for children, 'tweens', teens, young adults and families, 7 days a week. The park has begun to generate revenue through fee based programs and events such as camps, concerts, contests and rummage sales. There are plans to continue revenue generating

programs however by no means is the park financially self-sufficient.

The original La Sierra Skate Park was built in 2000 by CRPD staff and volunteers. Financial donations and equipment were provided by private citizens, businesses and a \$5000 match of funds from Mission Oaks Recreation and Park District. The original equipment was made of wood and proved to be problematic over time as weather played a key role in its gradual deterioration.

In 2007, CRPD was made aware of a skate park at Prairie City OHV Park (Division of the CA Department of Parks and Recreation) that was no longer in use. A year later the equipment was put out to bid and the District paid approximately \$56,000 for it. CRPD staff undertook the monumental challenge of traveling to Prairie City, dismantling the entire park (made of steel), hauling it back to Carmichael and reassembling it at La Sierra Skate Park. The updated and more modernized park had its Grand Re-Opening in June of 2008.

The funding needed is approximately \$20,000 and covers the cost of staff supervision. The park is currently staffed with a very dedicated part-time employee named Bobby Kerr who has worked for CRPD since the original wooden park existed. He has been skate

boarding for almost 25 years and knows all about the crucial role the skate park plays in the lives of the youth who attend. Coming from a single parent home himself, as do many of park's participants, Bobby often serves as a surrogate big brother, role model and father figure and the skate park is a second home.

When asked how he feels about the park being closed Bobby replied, "The park is a positive, supervised place that keeps kids out of trouble. By closing the park you will be subjecting a part of the community to a lack of life changing experiences. The rest of the community will be left with kids who have no proper place to skate destroying property and getting into possible trouble. Remember if kids are forced out on to the streets, they are not criminals. The crime is that the community didn't work hard enough to protect them. So fellow neighbors, please find it in your hearts to make sure the survival of our part of the community continues. Thank you." I couldn't say it better except only to add that it took the community to open the original park and we are now asking the community to re-invest its resources to keep the park open.

If you are interested in making a donation or would like to find out how you can help, contact Elizabeth Crisante at (916) 483-7826 or email her at ecrisante@carmichaelpark.com.

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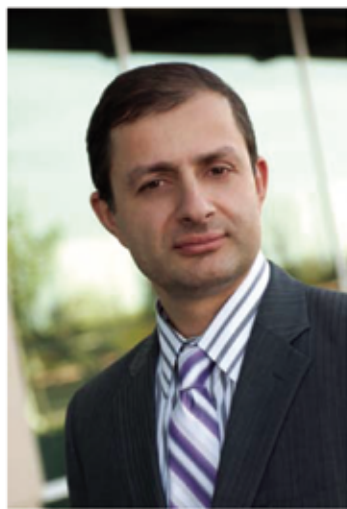
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Join the Fair Oaks Recreation and Park District and Sacramento's "Laughs Unlimited" for a night full of laughs! For more information or to purchase your tickets please visit us online @ www.fairoakspark.org or call our district office @ (916) 966-1036. No tickets will be sold at the door.
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“PIRATES” FRANCHISE RUNS STRONG ON ITS ACTION PEDIGREE

alluring mainstay.

“On Stranger Tides” also benefits from being much less ponderous and convoluted in plot than the last two chapters, to the point that it is easier to understand where the story is going.

But even a clearer plot does not completely eliminate the seemingly unavoidable drift into uncharted waters, where pirate battles often rage for no discernible reasons.

What is so inescapable in this franchise is that Captain Sparrow constantly finds himself squarely in the middle of problematic situations which require his deft extraction from near death.

Escaping the authorities in London, Jack reluctantly falls in with his old flame Angelica (Penelope Cruz), but it proves to be a costly decision.

Captain Sparrow is shanghaied aboard the Queen Anne’s Revenge, the ship of the truly legendary and villainous pirate Blackbeard (Ian McShane), who apparently is Angelica’s father.

Blackbeard’s crew consists of a strange mix of dodgy pirates and ruthless zombies, with Sparrow involuntarily recruited to lead them to the Fountain of Youth.

Meanwhile, the indestructible Captain Hector Barbossa (Geoffrey Rush) is hunting for the Black Pearl, the Fountain of Youth and anything else that engages Sparrow in a similar quest.

The whole combative zombie thing has been done before, but a new twist this time is the appearance of mermaids who are far removed from the classical Disney vision of cheery, agreeable sea creatures.

With the notable exception of Syrena (Astrid Berges-Frisbey), the seductive mermaids are a deadly bunch, but their presence adds a supernatural element more inviting

than the zombies.

The race to find the fabled fountain with restorative powers is not the best foundation for a stirring adventure, particularly when the swordfights take on an overly repetitive feeling.

But this being a Jerry Bruckheimer production, the enormously massive scale of production delivers an unmistakably heightened sense of adventure on the high seas.

Even when the storyline or the action gets a bit wobbly, the reassuring presence of Depp’s fey pirate, spouting his usual pithy lines, makes it all enjoyably worthwhile.

“Pirates of the Caribbean: On Stranger Tides,” at times aimless and adrift, still manages to maintain its crowd-pleasing frivolity and sense of fun.

DVD RELEASE UPDATE

We hardly notice anything about Canada until a big talent emerges like Celine Dion or John Candy. Okay, I’d rather think about the late great comedian. In any case, Canada remains so far under the radar that even the popular CBS TV series “Flashpoint,” made in the Great White North, is a steady, reliable show that trundles along without much fanfare. Thus, it might surprise you to know that “Flashpoint: The Third Season” is being released on DVD. “Flashpoint” is a drama that depicts the emotional journey into the tough, risk-filled lives of a group of cops in the Strategic Response Unit (inspired by Toronto’s Emergency Task Force). It’s a unique unit that rescues hostages, busts gangs, defuses bombs, climbs the sides of buildings and talks down suicidal teens. And Spider-Man is nowhere in sight. However, Enrico Colantoni stars as the lead negotiator, and in this third season, he’s investigated after a shooting spree at a museum. Members of the SRU team include David Paetkau, Amy Jo Johnson and Hugh Dillon. They are all trained to get inside the suspect’s head to diffuse dangerous situations and to try to save lives.

PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN: ON STRANGER TIDES (Rated PG-13)

If there is a movie franchise that is basically immune to critical reviews or even the slightest measure of disapproval, it must be the elaborate Jerry Bruckheimer production that is based on a popular theme park attraction.

“Pirates of the Caribbean,” now delivering its fourth installment in “On Stranger Tides,” is in that rarefied atmosphere of successful franchise films spawned by the likes of James Bond and Indiana Jones.

With Johnny Depp’s adept swash-buckling heroics, his role of fearless, even reckless Captain Jack Sparrow seems, it would appear, comfortably similar in many respects to Harrison Ford’s earnest whip-cracking adventurer.

Though little can be said to derail the inevitable triumph of “On Stranger Tides” at the box office, it should be noted out that even this improved sequel is no match for the original.

On the other hand, it sure beats “Dead Man’s Chest” and “At World’s End,” the second and third installments, respectively, that nearly capped the franchise.

With Orlando Bloom’s Will Turner and Keira Knightley’s Elizabeth Swann now gone from the storyline, Johnny Depp’s iconic renegade seafarer, gussied up with his usual headscarf and black eyeliner, is the



Crossword Puzzle on Page 6

Root Cellar: Genealogy Document Scanning

June 8: A mobile scanning service will be discussed at the Root Cellar Genealogical Society meeting, 7pm - 8:30pm, Citrus Heights Community Clubhouse 6921 Sylvan Way, Citrus Heights. Free. 916-412-3511.

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SMUD is Seeking Community Input to Realign Existing Ward Boundaries

The Sacramento Municipal Utility District (SMUD) is seeking input from customers regarding changes to the boundaries of SMUD’s seven political wards. Customers within each ward elect a director to the seven-member Board of Directors. The Board of Directors sets policy and provides oversight of the organization. Every ten years SMUD’s ward boundaries are redrawn based on U.S. Census Bureau information.

Interested members of the public may review the alternative maps proposed to date by visiting SMUD’s website at: www.SMUD.org/redistrict2011, by calling SMUD’s Office of General Counsel at (916) 732-6419 or by sending an email to dmollar@smud.org.

The SMUD Board of Directors has adopted criteria for use in determining the new ward boundaries. They are:

- Adjust ward boundaries to result in wards of substantially equal population. The population deviation between the largest and smallest wards will not exceed 10 percent.
- Retain communities of interest within a single ward where practicable.
- Consider geography and topography, as well as cohesiveness, contiguity, integrity and compactness of territory.

Based on the criteria, SMUD has developed alternative maps for consideration by the public and the Board of Directors.

Customers may comment on the alternative maps at a Public Workshop or by email at redistrict@smud.org. The first Public Workshop will be held on:

Thursday, June 2, 2011 at 5:00 p.m.
SMUD Headquarters Conference Center
6201 S Street, Sacramento 95817

Based on public input, SMUD will develop a preferred alternative map which will be presented at a Public Workshop to be held on July 20, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. Public comments and input are welcome. The SMUD Board of Directors is scheduled to adopt final ward boundaries at the SMUD Board meeting on August 4, 2011 at 6:00 p.m.



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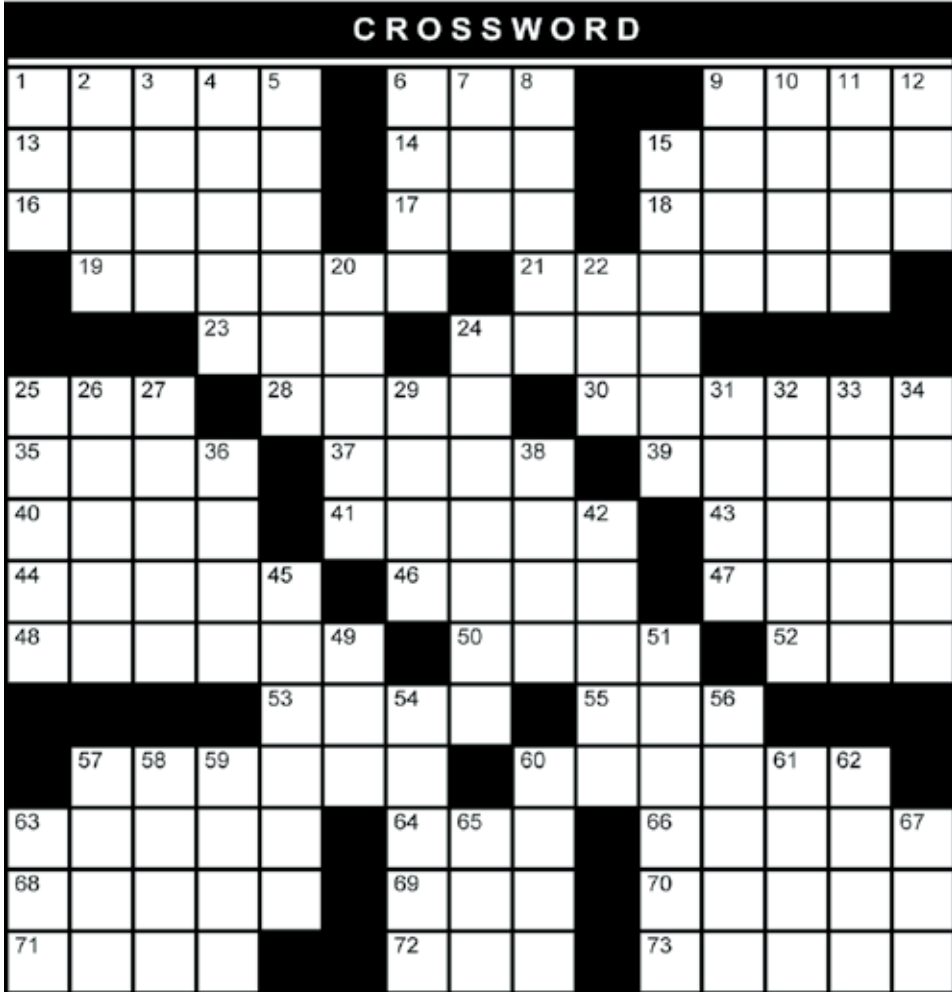
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| <p>ACROSS</p> <p>1. Get lost!</p> <p>6. *Martial artist</p> <p>9. Z, NATO phonetic alphabet</p> <p>13. Defendant's excuse</p> <p>14. Boat propeller</p> <p>15. Nazareth's famous resident</p> <p>16. Second most populous city in Africa</p> <p>17. Tote</p> <p>18. Like "The Biggest Loser" contestants</p> <p>19. *Pop icon-painting pop icon</p> <p>21. Mob offensive</p> <p>23. Makes feathers stick</p> <p>24. Part of house frame</p> <p>25. Roman goddess of fertility</p> <p>28. One of Three Bears</p> <p>30. Meddle</p> <p>35. *Tubby little cubby</p> <p>37. Like a limo window</p> <p>39. ___prosequi</p> <p>40. Thumb for it</p> <p>41. Waiter's last word?</p> <p>43. Accompanies gain?</p> | <p>44. Stopped by hitting snooze</p> <p>46. Spiritual leader</p> <p>47. Either right or left</p> <p>48. European cavalryman</p> <p>50. St. Louis tourist attraction</p> <p>52. Not old nor borrowed nor blue</p> <p>53. Multicolored horse</p> <p>55. Architect's software</p> <p>57. Streamlet</p> <p>60. *An angel?</p> <p>63. Scoundrel</p> <p>64. 19th letter of Greek alphabet</p> <p>66. *James Dean's Jim Stark and Elizabeth Taylor's Maggie, e.g.</p> <p>68. Without liveliness</p> <p>69. Communism or Taoism, e.g.</p> <p>70. Not hidden</p> <p>71. Angle between branch and offshoot, e.g.</p> <p>72. *He is symbol of rebellion</p> <p>73. Like untended garden</p> | <p>DOWN</p> <p>1. Salt in Spanish</p> <p>2. Bird foot</p> <p>3. Capital of Latvia</p> <p>4. Terminate mission</p> <p>5. Unfortunate outcome</p> <p>6. Bum around</p> <p>7. ___ de toilette</p> <p>8. Plant fungus</p> <p>9. Domesticated ox</p> <p>10. Functions</p> <p>11. Boozier</p> <p>12. Make work</p> <p>15. *His Ainess*</p> <p>20. Speak like Pericles</p> <p>22. Brazil, e.g.</p> <p>24. Capital of Puerto Rico</p> <p>25. *She's a media mogul</p> <p>26. Southern chicken stew</p> <p>27. Fizzy drinks</p> <p>29. Goes with pong</p> <p>31. Floor cleaners</p> <p>32. *Sarah, ___ and Tall*</p> <p>33. Leave or strike out</p> <p>34. Extend subscription</p> <p>36. ___, not his</p> <p>38. Millimeter of mercury</p> <p>42. American evergreen shrub</p> | <p>45. *Dreaded singer</p> <p>49. Wade's opponent</p> <p>51. Soil-smoothing cultivator</p> <p>54. Below roof</p> <p>56. Moving crowd</p> <p>57. Fat and flour sauce base</p> <p>58. Tangerine/grapefruit hybrid</p> <p>59. Zilch</p> <p>60. Be angry</p> <p>61. Away from wind</p> <p>62. Animal group</p> <p>63. Dietary guideline, e.g.</p> <p>65. Type of tray</p> <p>67. Wilbur's home</p> |
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ACS Holds Jewelry Extravaganza

Sacramento—The Sacramento Discovery Shop presents its 2011 JEWELRY EXTRAVAGANZA, beginning Friday, June 3. For sale will be antique, vintage, and contemporary necklaces, bracelets, rings and earrings, many created in 14 and 18 karat gold and sterling with fine gems. Quality costume and designer jewelry, quality women's clothing

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Carmichael Band Festival Coming

The Sacramento Valley Symphonic Band Association presents the annual Carmichael Park Community Band Festival, Carmichael Park Amphitheater. There will be a community band, one every hour, both days from 12 pm to 7 pm. Saturday and 11 am to 7 pm Sunday. Included in this year's line-up is the 59th Army National Guard Band "The Governor's Own" at 1 pm Sunday. Bring the entire family, a picnic, lawn chairs, and enjoy a lovely afternoon of music under the shade trees!

Admission: FREE
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Location: Carmichael Park:

5750 Grant Ave. Carmichael 95608 (southeast corner of the park; Fair Oaks Blvd. between Grant and North)
http://maps.google.com/maps?cid=1680673718373335588
Information: (916) 489-2576
Website: http://svsba.org or www.sacwinds.org

Additional Info:
Saturday - June 4
12:00 - North Bay Wind Symphony
1:00 - Elk Grove Community Band
2:00 - Capital City Concert Band (Carson City)
3:00 - Solano Winds
4:00 - ASUA Military Concert Band

5:00 - Woodland Community Band
6:00 - El Dorado Brass Band

Sunday - June 5
11:00 - Three Note Band
12:00 - Capitol Pops Concert Band
1:00 - 59th Army National Guard Band "The Governor's Own"
2:00 - Sacramento Concert Band
3:00 - Roseville Community Concert Band
4:00 - Sacramento Symphonic Winds
5:00 - Capital City Concert Band (Sacramento)
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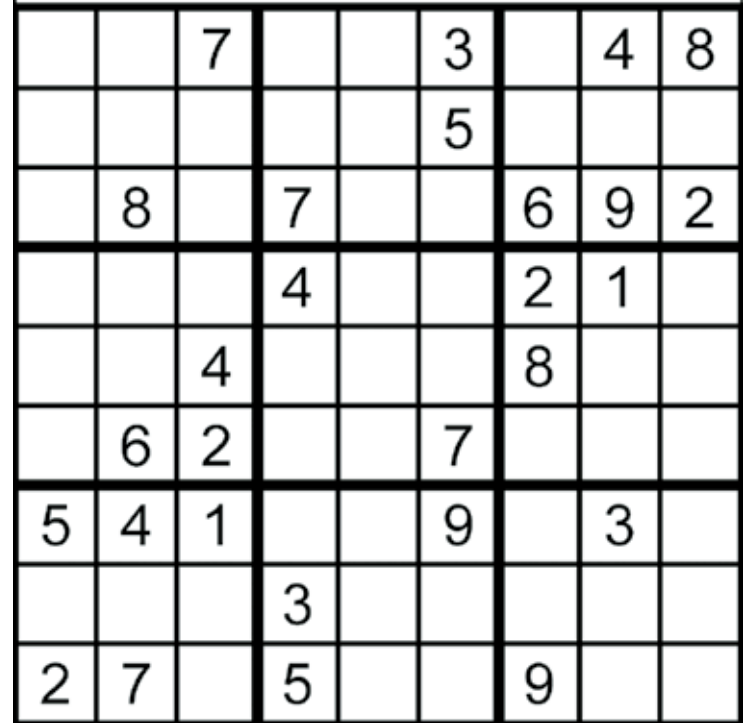
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Our next scheduled monthly meeting will be held on 14 Jun 2011 at the North Highlands Park and Recreation District, at 6040 Watt Ave, N. Highlands. Meeting time is 1030 hrs.

Our speaker is Dr (PHD) Barbara Gillogly who will be speaking about loss of memory as we grow older. Excellent speaker and should be very informative.

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Judge of the Superior Court Publish May 4, 11, 18, 25, 2011. NGUYEN 10501 5-25-11

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Sacramento County on May 5, 2011. Publish May 18, 25, June 1, 8, 2011.

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2011-00102933

WHEREAS, Paula Sue Braxton has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing name of Paula Sue Braxton to Paula Sue Brayden.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF CHARLOTTE SUTTON

ESTATE NO. 34-2010-0007-3822 TO all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both of CHARLOTTE SUTTON

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF AIDAN THOMAS SQUIRES

The name and address of petitioner or petitioner's attorney is: Llewlyn & Spann, Attorneys at Law, 5530 Birdcage St. #210, Citrus Heights, CA 95610; 916-966-9036.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT #1104376. James P. Crawford, 4324 Vista de Lago Way, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name "Crawford Construction Services"

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2011-00103737

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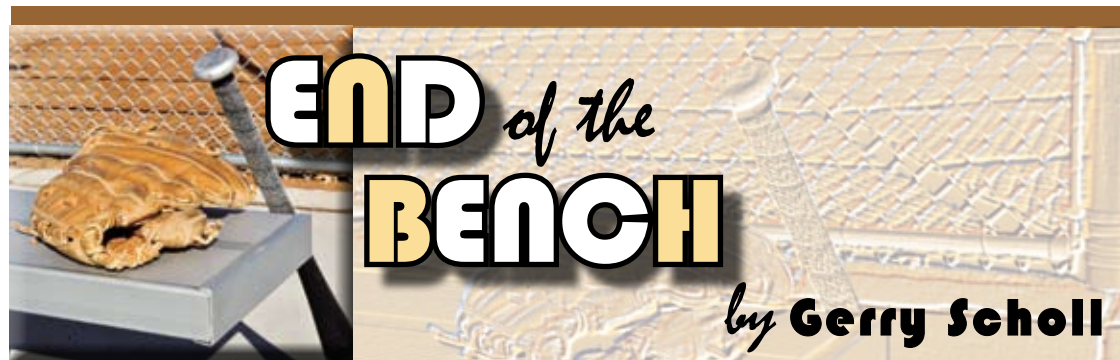
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I do make a point of watching the great spectacle of the finest thoroughbreds in the "Run for the Roses" every year if at all possible and I've saved recordings of a couple of the classics. But I've never been to Churchill Downs for the amazing race, so I couldn't testify that it truly is the most exciting two minutes.

Judging from the recliner, I'm not so sure that the most exciting two minutes wasn't the last two of the San Jose Sharks' Game 7 win over the Detroit Red Wings in the Stanley Cup Playoffs. After Detroit scored in response to much-maligned Patrick Marleau's redemptive goal, the Sharks had to protect a 3-2 lead through the closing moments. The pace, the pressure, the intensity were incredible down the stretch, but the Sharks held on to advance to the Western Conference finals against Vancouver.

Or maybe the hottest minutes

were when LeBron James was going nuts in the closing moments of the Miami Heat's clinching win over the Boston Celtics in the NBA playoffs, or when Kevin Durant (39 points) and Russell Westbrook (triple-double) were finishing off the Memphis Grizzlies. Maybe it was back in 1974 watching the Warriors closing out their shocking upset four-game sweep of the heavily-favored Washington Bullets for the NBA title with a bunch of college friends huddled in a little room around a tv.

Perhaps the greatest two minutes were watching Joe Montana engineer the drive that culminated in "The Catch" by Dwight Clark as the San Francisco 49ers defeated the Dallas Cowboys, 28-27, in the 1981 NFC Championship game on the way to their first Super Bowl trophy.

For a lot of people it may be the Indianapolis 500 every year when they say, "Ladies and gentlemen start your engines."

It could be something different for everyone. What's yours? For me it was Will Clark's at-bat and RBI single off Mitch Williams of the Chicago Cubs in the 1989 NLCS

that won the pennant and sent the Giants on to the World Series—BECAUSE I WAS THERE! There's nothing quite like being there when it happens.

Unless... unless it's happening to you. Thinking it over, maybe the most exciting two minutes in sports for me was hitting my first over-the-fence Little League homerun when I was twelve and circling the bases to applause. Or, maybe it was taking the floor as a starter in the season opener my senior year of high school and making my first shot, after playing basketball since I was big enough to reach the rim; or making the game-clinching free throw at the homecoming game. Or, maybe it was getting the last out of my only shutout ever, a 1-0 win, later that year.

Maybe if I do ever get to a Kentucky Derby someday I'll change my thinking and be convinced that it really is "The Most Exciting Two Minutes in Sports." But until then I think that title should be reserved for something more special, something that would make me say, "You had to be there!"



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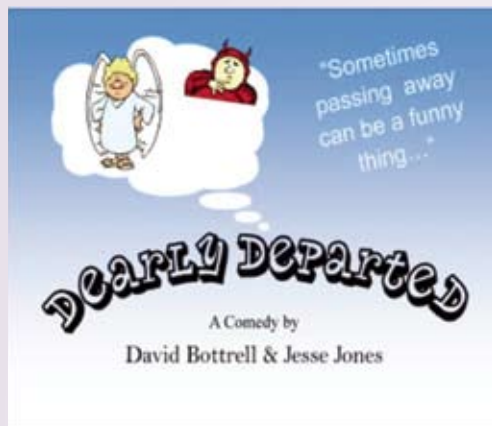
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Sculptures - 2011, May 31-June 18, 2011

Sacramento Fine Arts Center announces Sculpture show open to all artists. Second Saturday Reception June 11, 5:30-8:30 pm. **Artists Awards Reception Saturday, June 18, 1:00-3:00 pm.** Entry dates for this Open Exhibition are Friday, May 13 & Saturday, May 14, 11:00-3:00 pm. Judged by Tony Natsoulas.

Exhibition Schedule

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| May 17-28, 2011 | 2011 SFAC Board members and Docents |
| May 31-June 18, 2011 | Sculpture Show |
| June 21-July 9, 2011 | "Inner Views", NCA Membership Show |
| July 12-August 5, 2011 | Galleries Available |
| August 9-September 3, 2011 | Magnum Opus |
| September 6-October 1, 2011 | "Go With the Flow", WASH Open Show |
| October 4-29, 2011 | "Bold Expressions", NCA Open Show |
| November 1-19, 2011 | Annual Photography Show |
| November 22-December 3, 2011 | Ars Gratia Artis |
| December 9-11, 2011 | Holiday Craft Fair |

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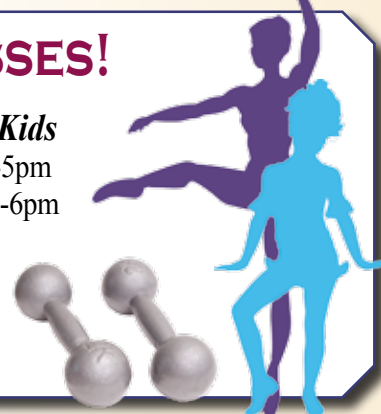
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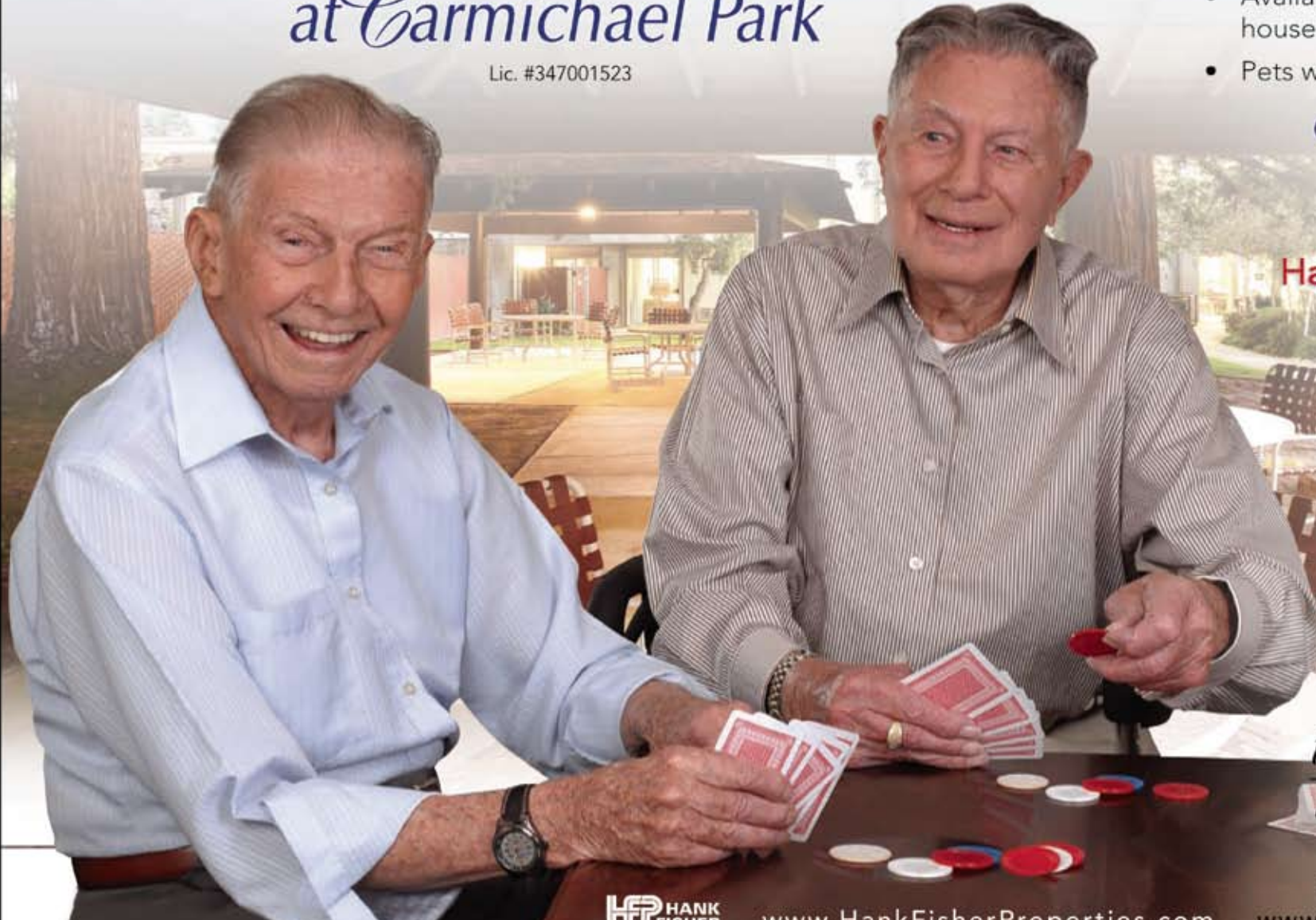
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By **KEN MCINTOSH**
STAFF WRITER

ICCA will be placing ads in newspapers, radio and running television spots next week asking people to bring in any old silver and gold coins made before 1965. Those that bring in their coins will be able to speak with collectors one on one and have their coins looked at by a specialist. With the help of these ICCA members, offers will be made to those that have coins made before 1965. Offers will be made based on silver or gold content and the rarity of the coins. All coins made before 1965 will be examined and purchased including gold coins, silver coins, silver dollars, all types of nickels and pennies. Those that decide to sell their coins will be paid on the spot.

If you are like a lot of people you might have a few old coins or even a coffee can full lying around. If you have ever wondered what they are worth now might be your chance to find out and even sell them if you choose. They could be worth a lot according to the International Coin Collectors Association also known as ICCA. Collectors will pay a fortune for some coins and currency for their collections. If it is rare enough, one coin could be worth over \$100,000 according to Eric Helms, coin collector and ICCA member. One ultra rare dime, an 1894S Barber, sold for a record \$1.9 million to a collector in July of 2007. While that is an extreme example, many rare and valuable coins are stashed away in dresser drawers or lock boxes around the country. The ICCA and its collector members have organized a traveling event in search of all types of coins and currency. Even common coins can be worth a significant amount due to the high price of silver and gold, says Helms. Washington quarters and Roosevelt dimes can be worth many times their face value. Recent silver markets have driven the price up on common coins made of silver. Helms explains that all half dollars, quarters and dimes made before 1965 contain 90% silver and are sought after any time silver prices rise. Right now it's a sellers market he said.

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The rarest coins these collectors are looking for include \$20, \$10, \$5 and \$2 1/2 gold coins and any coin made before 1850. These coins always bring big premiums according to the ICCA. Silver dollars are also very sought after nowadays.

Other types of items the ICCA will be purchasing during this event include U.S. currency, gold bullion, investment gold, silver bars, silver rounds, proof sets, etc. Even foreign coins are sought after and will be purchased.

Also at this event anyone can sell their gold jewelry, dental gold or anything made of gold on the spot. Gold is currently trading at over \$1,400.00 per ounce near an all time high. Bring anything you think might be gold and the collectors will examine, test and price it for free. If you decide to sell, you will be paid on the spot - it has been an unknown fact that coin dealers have always paid more for jewelry and scrap gold than other jewelers and pawn brokers.

So whether you have one coin you think might be valuable or a large collection you recently inherited, you can talk to these collectors for free. If you're lucky you may have a rarity worth thousands. Either way there is nothing to lose and it sounds like fun!

For more information on this event visit the ICCA website at

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