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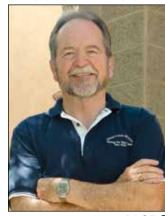


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# New School Amazes

Robert J. McGarvey Elementary School Unveiled in Anatolia

## ROBERT J. MCGARVEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



Terri and Bob McGarvey stood in front of the new Elk Grove Unified School District elementary school named after the Council Member at the ribbon cutting ceremony on July 11th. Photo courtesy City of Rancho Cordova

## Employment **Trends Show Over-parenting** Intruding on Workplaces

**Special Release** from Pacific Staffing

#### SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)

-The latest quarterly survey of Sacramento regional employers has discovered that 'helicopter parenting' is apparently landing at work. Polling employers regularly since 1992 it appears a new trend may be emerging in workplaces involving 'parental hovering'. HR contacts surveyed say they are hearing more often now from parents than in past years.

Contact by a parent on behalf of an applicant or employee was noted by twelve percent (12%) of service firms, two percent (2%)of manufacturers, six percent (6%) of construction companies and five percent (5%) of retail employers polled directly by phone between May 22 and June 22, 2017. Pacific Staffing learned one quarter, or twenty-five percent (25%) of all companies reported having had this experience recently when asked about it directly. This is an unwelcome new trend and seems to be growing in the workplace. In anecdotal comments, the people who hire and manage people suggest they don't want to hear from parents in any way. Comments described personal contact by a parent as 'meddling', an 'embarrassment for parent and child', 'not appropriate' and whether positive or negative unwelcome as an 'intrusion' that raised 'privacy issues' and often resulted in an unfavorable view of that individual as an applicant, or as an employee. One HR contact says they Continued on page 13

#### HUMAN RESOURCES



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RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Rancho Cordova families and stakeholders gathered in Anatolia on Tuesday afternoon, July 11th, as the Elk Grove Unified School District unveiled the newly constructed Robert J. McGarvey Elementary School. The District's School Names Committee voted unanimously in February 2017 to name the school after Council Member Bob McGarvey, a Rancho Cordova resident since 1967 who was instrumental in the incorporation of Rancho Cordova as a city. He currently serves on the Rancho Cordova City Council, and has served three terms as mayor.

"Mr. McGarvey, like many of our namesakes, represents what makes this area so special," said Elk Grove Unified School District Board President, Carmine Forcina.

At the ribbon cutting ceremony, Bob's wife, children, grandchildren and fellow City Council Members stood behind him as he spoke to a crowd of dozens of families and supporters about his pride and excitement for the new school bearing his name.

"To have anything named after you is a privilege and an honor, but to have a school carry your name is something that is truly special - so special that I get a little choked up speaking about it," said Bob McGarvey.

Following the ribbon cutting ceremony, new students, along with their families, received t-shirts featuring the school's Griffin mascot and toured the campus as part of Back to School Night.

Robert J. McGarvey Elementary School,

which is still undergoing final stages of construction, is a state-of-the-art, energyefficient school featuring a \$100,000 library collection, computer lab, multi-purpose room, and more.

The new school will serve roughly 800 students who live in the housing development in south eastern Rancho Cordova known as Anatolia, and the number of students is expected to grow along with the rapidly growing population of Rancho Cordova. A large portion of the students are transferring to the new school from Sunrise Elementary School, another Elk Grove Unified School District which is located one mile north of the new school. based on the street address of their homes.

Source: City of Rancho Cordova

## **Over \$7 Million Approved for Community Enhancements**

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) -At the June 5th City Council Meeting, Rancho Cordova City Council Members approved 46 community projects in addition to ongoing City programs for Community Enhancement Fund grants for the 2017/2018 fiscal year, totaling \$7.1 million.

The Community Enhancement Fund is funded by Measure H, a half-cent local sales tax measure that was approved by Rancho Cordova voters on November 4, 2014.

The fund generates approximately \$7 million in sales tax revenue per year, with roughly \$2 million going to community projects and the remaining \$5 million allocated to public safety, public works, economic development and other public projects.

Stacy Delaney, the City's Community Enhancement



A mural by local artist Cathy Rowe that was funded by the City of Rancho Cordova's Community Enhancement Fund in 2016 was recently installed on Folsom Boulevard west of Los Nogales Way.

said the City received 69 grant

Analyst who manages the fund applications for the 2017/2018 funding cycle.

There were 46 approved community projects for 2017 submitted by a range of individuals, organizations, businesses, and community partners.

"The Community Enhancement Fund is an incredible program funded by the community for the community, and we're excited to see what this round of projects brings to Rancho Cordova," said Stacy Delaney, the City's Community Enhancement Analyst.

"Each year, these dollars go towards meaningful projects that make a big difference in our community" said Mayor Donald Terry. "The Community Enhancement Fund has become an integral part of our City,"

To view the full list of approved projects, visit www. cityofranchocordova.org/

#### CommunityEnhancementFund.

Source: City of Rancho Cordova

### www.RanchoCordovaIndependent.com

## **Compassion Through Action: Union Gospel Mission at 55**

#### Story and Photos by Jacqueline Fox

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - For William Magana, it began with cutting. Up and down the Southern California native's body, he says, are more than 200 scars from self-mutilation that began when he was only 11, just after his mother, struggling to overcome a heroin addiction, was sent to prison outside Sacramento.

Until he was nearly 30, Magana lived between the two sides of the revolving door of foster homes, juvenile hall, mental wards, drug and alcohol addiction, arrests, prison, recovery and relapse.

"I supposed I was acting out because I wanted my mother, I wanted to be with her," says Magana, now 33. "So I started with cutting and then later it was drugs and drinking and all the things that go with that."

In 1997 Magana was given his first hit of methamphetamine and, for the next 17 years or so would work various jobs just to get enough money for more drugs. Stealing and robbing from his own employers, in one case \$8,000 from the till at a local convenience store, for which he would be convicted of a felony embezzlement charge, became routine survival tactics.

"I worked to drug and drugged to live," said Magana. "It was just an ongoing battle."

Eventually, he overdosed on his psych medication and wound up back inside one more mental institution near downtown Sacramento. But upon his release form that hospital, Magana says, something different happened, and it would set him on a course for change.

"I got out with nowhere to go and a couple of homeless guys said 'Go over to Sacramento's Union Gospel Mission. They can help you there," Magana recalls. "So I went. And I thank God every day for this place."

In 2015 Magana enrolled in



Pastor Tim Lane, Director of Union Gospel Mission Sacramento.

the Union Gospel's nine week drug and alcohol rehabilitation program for men, began studying the teachings of Jesus Christ and the Bible, a requirement all who wish to receive services at Union, and started to turn his life around. But, as is often the case with addiction and mental health issues, Magana began cutting again and within a few months left and got back into old patterns of self-destruction. But the seed had been planted and he returned in March of 2016.

"You can do that here if you are willing," says Magana. "They saw me come back and they took me in again."

Now, 16 months clean and sober, Magana is a graduate of Union's rehabilitation program and is working as the Mission's kitchen intern, assisting with the preparation of the meals given out to the roughly 120 men and women who walk through doors each day.

At 55, Union Gospel is on the precipice of growth and much-needed restoration. The restrooms inside the men's rehabilitation center and living quarters at its Bannon Street

facility have, through the donations of supporters, been given a makeover, complete with new floors, private stalls and granite countertops. Granite countertops and new floors, says Director Pastor Time Lane, may seem like small things, but to the men who are enrolled in the Mission's rehabilitation program, and the guests the facility serves, they represent little reminders of self-worth.

"What we want to do with the renovations is provide a space that gives our residents a sense of pride and value," said Lane, who has served in his current capacity at Union Gospel since 2005.

Union Gospel can currently house up to about 60 men in its temporary shelter, but those stays are only good for roughly seven nights, after which they must leave for a minimum of three nights before cycling back in again. This is to allow others to rotate in. They must carry a current TB card, proof of a recent, negative Tuberculosis test and inoculation and attend bible study sessions.

Meals are served twice daily



2016, more than 100,000 men, a vital need to do much more, as women and children received a hot meal at Union.

Although the area's homeless population is rising, the numbers served at the mission remain relatively consistent, but that is because availability is limited to current capacity only. Union Gospel's Bible-based, modified 12-step drug and alcohol rehabilitation program can serve up to 24 men at a time. Its goal is to steer participants toward a life of recovery, as well as a life centered on the gospel. "They don't have to convert, but they have to give us a chance to offer them information about the teachings of the Bible and how, if they want to, they can change for the better, change for good," says Lane.

Union Gospel Mission offers free showers and access to clean clothes for men who come in from the street during specified hours during the week. In addition, weekly food boxes are donated at a rate of roughly 2,000 a year. The Mission also hands out some 12,000 hygiene kits with shampoo, deodorant, toothbrushes and other essentials that are hard to come by for many of the area's homeless, as well as job-preparation training, mailroom services, locker rentals, access to a medical clinic, free haircuts, toys for children at Christmas, and other services as the need arises.

The main dining hall is transformed into a warming center in winter and, especially with the region's latest heatwave, serves as a cooling center during the day time. Every August, Union also puts on a massive birthday party open to anyone on the streets, working or living onsite, as way to provide them with recognition of a day that, for many, often goes unnoticed.

"When you're on the streets, homeless, or estranged from family members, your birthday can come and go without anyone acknowledging that," says Eileen Trussell, Union Gospel's office manager. "So we get balloons and have a giant cake and just offer one big birthday party for anyone who wants to come. It's an important thing to have someone acknowledge your birthday."

rea's homeless and needy popu-

inside the main dining hall. In children, but added that there is more women are not just in need of clothing but also a place to sleep.

"We served just over 1,500 women and children through the clothing closet in 2016," said Lane. "But clothing is not enough. We are seeing more and more women on the streets with no place to go. Right now we don't have the facilities to house women who need a place to sleep, but we are moving in that direction."

Earlier this year, Union Gospel purchased a 9,600 square-foot building on B Street in the River District with the intention of establishing a women's rehabilitation program with beds for overnight stays. Permits are

He has re-established a relationship with two of this three children and is looking forward to once again having a place of his own where they can be a family again. As a condition of his parole, Magana promised to back the employer he stole from in exchange for a reduced sentence on his record. With the help of the \$200 a month he earns working in the kitchen, he's managed to whittle that \$8,000 down to \$3,000.

"This time, I've gone deeper into God," said Magana. "I worked hard to learn as much as I could and today I have no desire to drink, use drugs or cut myself. God has taken those impulses away from me."

While the journey has included a few bumps and



William Magana, a recent graduate of Union Gospel Mission's Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation Program, now works onsite as the kitchen intern.

being pulled for the new enterprise, but unfortunately, says Lane, the process is moving very slowly, as officials have been reticent to allow for the opening of one more homeless services center in an area of town largely considered to be saturated with homeless services already.

"We are in the permitting process now, but it's moving very slowly," said Lane. "Unfortunately the city has some concerns, and we understand why. With the confluence of two rivers, you have all the homelessness you need. But the need For all its able to provide the is strong. We are seeing many more women out there than we used to see. I know one woman who literally grew up on the streets. Her mother was homeless. I don't know where she is today, but her daughter is out there. She's had three babies out there on the streets. The state takes them away each time and she goes right back out again." But for every heartbreak story there is the potential for thousands of stories of success: More than 21,000 men received services through Union Gospel in 2016 and, of that number, 12 successfully enrolled in and graduated from the mission's nine-month rehabilitation program and started new lives in recovery and service, Magana among them.

Hometown Heroes

detours, Magana is on a new path, one of recovery fueled, he says, by the power of prayer and the commitment to one day giving back what has so freely been given to him. Twice.

"I never knew how much happiness I could get out of helping others," Magana said. "It's filled a piece of me I think was missing."

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lation, Union Gospel's resources for women are limited, although statistics suggest women, including those with with children in particular, represent a growing sector of the homeless population across the region and nationwide.

The Bannon Street facility does provide one critical service: It's women's drop in clothes closet, where blouses, dresses, skirts, jackets, shoes, purses and even accessories, are available, free to any one in need. There is also a small inventory of clothing and shoes for children.

Lane, who was raised by a single mother, said the clothes closet fills a significant gap for many women and those with www.ugmsac.com Facebook.com/ugmasac

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Story and Photo Courtesy Hometown News Service

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - U.S. Air Force Airman Ernest Kennedy III graduated from basic military training at Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland, San Antonio, Texas.

The airman completed an intensive, eightweek program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness, and basic warfare principles and skills.

Airmen who complete basic training also earn four credits toward an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Kennedy is the son of Carolyn J. Manuel and step-son of Kelvin Ambers, and grandson of Floyd E. Brooks, all of Rancho Cordova, Calif.

He is a 2013 graduate of Florin High School, Sacramento, Calif.



Pictured is Florin High School alum, U.S. Air Force Ernest Kennedy III.

## FCUSD Appoints Next Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources

#### Special Release from FCUSD

**RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG)** - Superintendent Sarah Koligian has appointed a 20-year veteran of education to serve as Folsom Cordova's next Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources.

Don Ogden is currently the superintendent of the Vallecito Union School District in Calaveras County and has previously held administrative positions in the Sacramento City Unified and Galt Joint Union school districts.

Ogden, 54, will serve on the superintendent's Executive Cabinet and will oversee all employee recruitment and retention in a district with roughly 1,700 full-time employees. The position also serves as Folsom Cordova's chief negotiator in labor relations matters. Ogden fills the vacancy left by Karen Knight, who retired June 30.

"I am thrilled for the opportunity to join Folsom Cordova's excellent team," Ogden said. "I'm passionate about student achievement, and I'm looking forward to building strong relationships with our staff and working together to help our kids succeed."

The Folsom Cordova Board of Education approved Ogden's appointment during a special meeting July 5. He will begin Monday, July 17.

"When our interview panel met Don, we were most impressed with his personnel experience and people skills, and we believe he will be a great fit with our team," Koligian said. "Working as a superintendent in a smaller district has afforded him the opportunity to work directly as a coach and mentor and to handle complicated personnel matters."

Ogden has been the superintendent of the threeschool Vallecito Union district since 2013, where he also has taken on principal responsibilities. There, he has provided leadership mentoring and training, instructional coaching, and worked closely with the chief business officer to operate a fiscally prudent budget. All three of his schools have been named California Gold Ribbon Schools in the last two years, and in 2016 he was named Region 7 Superintendent/Principal of the Year by the Association of California School Administrators.

A former classroom teacher, Ogden has held numerous administrative positions throughout

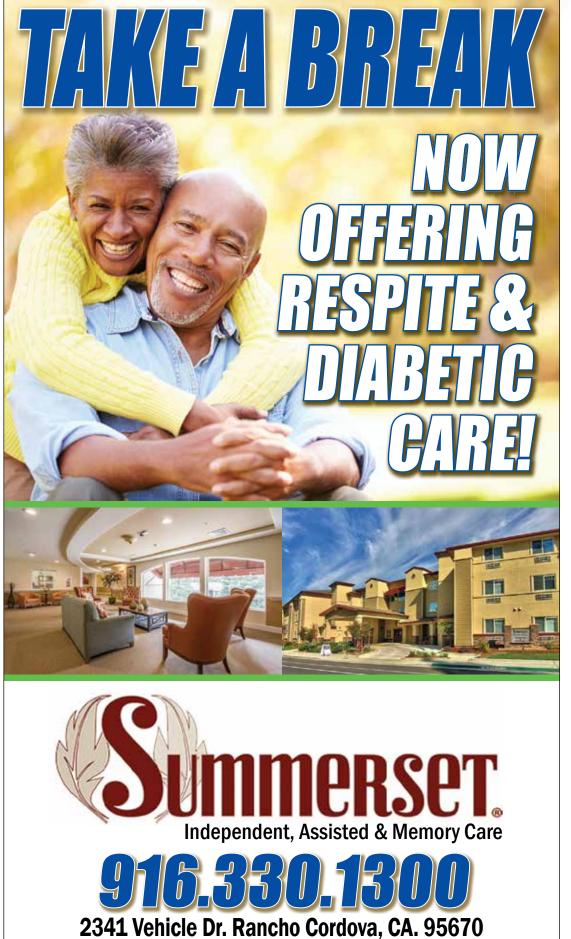


Don Ogden has joined the district team July 1. Photo courtesy FCUSD

California. Before Vallecito Union, Ogden was the founding principal of the California Connections Academy @ Ripon charter school and also served as principal of Camellia Basic School in Sacramento City Unified, where he was named the 2002 Milken National Educator and his school was awarded National Blue Ribbon status. His leadership experience extends into the private sector as well: For six years, Ogden was vice president of Builders Choice Inc.

Ogden holds a bachelor of science in computer science from California State University, Stanislaus, and a master's degree in education from the University of La Verne. He and his wife of 25 years, Lori, have two daughters and are longtime residents of Rancho Murieta. In his spare time, Ogden enjoys diving for abalone, cycling, and is on a quest to read every biography of each U.S. president.







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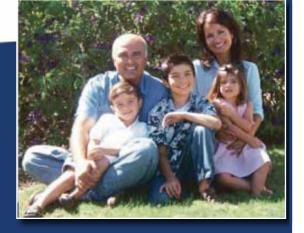
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By Bob McGarvey

We all become involved in school things while we are going to elementary school. We make friends that we would have never met if it wasn't for our classmates in school. We learn about music, math, sports, and the list goes on. Kindergarten, first grade to sixth grade, middle school, high school, and so on, and then before you know it, you are involved in school again; with your own children!

Then we find ourselves putting in much more time in work, church, organizations, and leadership events, etc. And like most of the people in Rancho Cordova, you don't think about whether to help people or not because you were taught that helping others is the right thing to do. Others helped me and my family when I was growing up. When my wife, son and I needed help because of an accident, there were always people in Rancho Cordova who came to our aid. Now over the years, there was never a question about giving someone else a hand if we could.

Being very involved in Rancho Cordova over the years and seeing the end results of what you have done has been very gratifying in itself. Then there was a pat on the back from the Elk Grove Unified School District, which we never even thought of. My wife and I were sitting at a luncheon before a workshop began,

## And Another Thing ... Becoming a Part of Each Student's History

and the Rancho Cordova Mayor at Tuesday's ribbon cutting Donald Terry stood up and said the Elk Grove Unified School District was building a second elementary school in Rancho Cordova. We were both glad we were sitting down, because he then said the school will be named "The Robert J. McGarvey Elementary School!" And there was even more of a shock when he said he was on the naming committee, and there were no other names submitted. This isn't the first time I commented about our new school in Rancho Cordova, but when you read this column, the school will be in full operation because the first day of its school year is July 13, 2017.

To have a new elementary school open and have it carry your name is such a privilege and an honor that it is almost hard to speak. There will initially be hundreds and then thousands of children who will be going through the doors of the Robert J. McGarvey Elementary School. Hundreds and then thousands of parents and other family members will also be very involved in that school over the years. The numbers are stunning. Over the next few years, the number of students will be increasing because on July 13th, the school will open with 750 students, but the school is being built to handle 1,450 students. I have to admit that an elementary school that large, with classes for kindergarten to sixth grade, is larger than any I have seen before. With the growth that is currently going on in that part of Rancho Cordova though, that is only the second elementary school in that area, and more are planned in the future along with middle schools and a high school.

This is some of what I said

ceremony:

To have anything named after you is a privilege and an honor, but to have a school carry your name is something that is truly special - so special that I get a little choked up speaking about it. I looked at the audience who was there to celebrate the new school, and I looked at the school itself, and I can't help but think of all of the students, parents and grandparents, teachers and administrators who will walk through those doors. Why is this truly special? Walking through the doors of Robert J. McGarvey Elementary School allows me to become a part of each student's educational history. Their first day of school, the day they learn to read, their first report card, their favorite teacher.

This year's sixth grade students will be asked, "What elementary school did you graduate from?" "Robert J. McGarvey Elementary," they'll say. When our TKers and kindergarteners are in college in 2030, they will reminisce about their days at Robert J. McGarvey Elementary and how they were the first class to walk through its doors. It's an amazing feeling to have this Rancho Cordova elementary school bear my name. My wife, Terri, was a teacher in the Elk Grove Unified School District for 27 years, so being at that school feels a little like coming home for us.

I hope the Robert J. McGarvey Elementary School will be a school filled with both young and old who have a love of learning and who go on to be leaders in Rancho Cordova and beyond.

From Councilman Bob McGarvey, God bless, and see you next time.

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By David Dickstein

## **'Fool's Gold'** Buying Ben & Jerry's on Food Stamps

a half-dozen like grocery items. Besides such staples as milk, bread and boxed cereal, I went with a carton of Coke because "junk foods" is routinely the second-most popular category for EBT households after meat, poultry and seafood. Sadly, according

Air), \$1.59 (S&F), \$2.99 (Rite-Aid).

- 12-ounce box of Kellogg's Rice Krispies: \$3.99 (Coloma), \$2.99 (Bel Air), \$3.29 (S&F), \$5.29 (Rite-Aid).
- DiGiorno frozen pizza:



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#### Gold River resident

Driving home from a long, hard day at work, and thankful that I got one as opposed to the skilled people hating every moment being unemployed, I took notice of a large banner above Coloma Food & Liquor in Rancho Cordova. You know the place – the mini-mart next to Wienerschnitzel.

What caught my eye was a large red, yellow and white sign that read, "WE ACCEPT EBT." Wrongly or rightly, my first thought was that liquor stores shouldn't be part of the Electronic Benefit Transfer Project due to the inflated prices inherent to such businesses. That's just the nature of liquor stores, mini-marts, convenience stores - whatever you want to call them. They charge significantly higher prices than conventional groceries or supermarkets because smaller retailers order lower quantities of inventory at higher per-unit prices from wholesalers. Anyone who has stepped foot in one or looks up Wikipedia knows that.

My beef when I saw the outdoor banner wasn't just with Coloma Food & Liquor, but EBT recipients who shop there. Trust me, my heart and taxes warmly go out to those on welfare who try to get off it. But if I were in need of financial aid, I wouldn't be buying groceries at a liquor store. I'd try to put more food on the table by stretching my dollars at, say, the warehouse-style Smart & Final just around the corner. And if that wasn't convenient, then a supermarket or drugstore with serious buying power, like our Bel Air and Rite-Aid that also accept EBT. These big retailers would never be undersold on essentials by a high-priced mini-mart, right?

In order to stand on my soapbox with confidence, I visited all four of those stores on a recent Saturday to price-check

to a November 2016 report by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, 20 cents of every EBT dollar are spent on sweetened beverages, desserts, salty snacks and candy. Because "frozen prepared foods" comes in at No. 4 (vegetables are third, yippee), I also tossed a frozen pizza in the shopping cart.

Now for dessert. Super premium ice cream was my pick



Do EBT dollars stretch further at **Coloma Food & Liquor in Rancho** Cordova or Bel Air in Gold River? Photo by David Dickstein

because a year ago I seethed over a mom on welfare splurging on Ben & Jerry's. OK, calm down all you bleeding-heart snackers. I'm not saying that EBT cardholders shouldn't enjoy the finer things of life. But even my wife and I feel guilty buying luxury brands for non-essentials, and we're doubleincome empty nesters, knock on wood.

So, let's get to the research. Below are the lowest non-member everyday prices I found on like products at Coloma Food & Liquor ("Coloma") and Smart & Final, also in Rancho Cordova, and the Bel Air and Rite-Aid across Sunrise in Gold River.

- 12-can carton of regular Coke: \$4.99 (Coloma), \$6.99 (Bel Air), \$5.99 (S&F), \$6.29 (Rite-Aid).
- Two 1-gallon jugs of whole or 2% reduced fat milk: \$6.99 (Coloma), \$5.98 (Bel Air), \$4.80 (S&F), \$7.98 (Rite-Aid).
- Loaf of white bread: \$1.99 (Coloma), \$1.28 (Bel

\$6.99 (Coloma), \$6.99 (Bel Air), \$5.89 (S&F), \$7.99 (Rite-Aid).

Pint of Ben & Jerry's ice cream: \$5.49 (Coloma), \$4.99 (Bel Air), \$3.89 (S&F), \$5.99 (Rite-Aid).

Clearly, my knee-jerk was unfair to Coloma Food & Liquor. For a mini-mart, those items are reasonably priced. We can also conclude, based on this very small sample, that EBT funds stretch furthest at Smart & Final or Bel Air, depending on the item. As for the nation's third-largest drugstore chain, Rite-Aid should be ashamed of itself. I get it - it's not a grocery. But charging nearly double for the same box of cereal found at another store mere steps away? Not OK, and the Rainbo Bread guy who was stocking Bel Air's shelves when I was doing my thing agreed.

"Yeah," he said, pointing in the direction of Rite-Aid, "you don't want to spend your EBT over there."

So, color me enlightened. I started out my story thinking a close-by Rancho Cordova liquor store would be the villain and it winds up being the place in Gold River that fills my prescriptions. Or at least it did.

And, again, my apologies to Coloma Food & Liquor for assuming the worst. "It's a common misconception," I was told by store employee Shan that morning. He also said that for the sake of accuracy I should expand my grocery list.

"These cheap things," he said, pointing to the package of six high-fat Hostess powdered mini donuts. "That's a meal for many of our EBT customers." Sigh.

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## SMUD Now Replacing Dozens of Poles, Miles of Cable

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - If you're a SMUD customer, there's a good chance you'll see SMUD workers out this summer along area streets and highways working to improve the SMUD electrical system. Reliability is a core value of community-owned SMUD, so a lot of the work is preventative, concentrating on replacing older power poles and installing and replacing miles of underground cable. Safety is ingrained in SMUD's culture. Doing the work now precludes needing to do it later such as during the winter storm season.

SMUD's electrical grid serves about a million and a half people. The system is about 40 percent overhead (wires and transformers and other equipment on poles) and about 60 percent underground (buried cable and other equipment, and pad-mounted transformers). SMUD plans to replace approximately a thousand poles over the rest of the calendar year and some 3,000 poles over the next several years.

Most of the electrical grid is redundant, which means most of the customers affected by an outage can be rerouted to other power lines and circuits while the underground cable or damaged pole, transformer, or other electrical equipment is fixed or replaced. Most outages last less than an hour as a result. There are, however, some people who will experience longer outages because there are no redundant power lines in their area, or the damaged equipment affects them directly.

While underground electrical equipment provides for better aesthetics, it can also present significant challenges for all utilities, including SMUD. By its nature, any problem with equipment installed underground is going to be more difficult to initially locate, sometimes taking an hour or two. Repairing it can take several hours depending on



SMUD line crews replaced power poles on Hazel Avenue overnight June 28/29. The poles support 69,000-volt power lines that are the backbone of the SMUD system that delivers electricity to homes and businesses. The work is part of SMUD's efforts to enhance the SMUD grid's reliability.

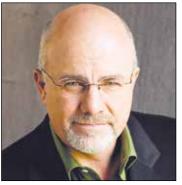
the problem and the location. The longer restoration time is a trade-off for having underground service, compared to overhead service.

The underground power cables that were manufactured decades ago tend to have higher failure rates. SMUD is replacing that cable with much better cable that has benefited from more rigorous testing and better manufacturing techniques. They are replacing the older cable at a rate of about 400,000 feet—or more than 75 miles of new cable—which would be roughly the distance from Folsom to Lake Tahoe, per year over the next several years.

Meanwhile, the SMUD smart grid has become more robust every year since smart meters were installed at the beginning of the decade. The smart grid now enables more expedient identification of outages, which results in quicker restoration times. Sometimes power can be restored remotely or even automatically without having to dispatch a troubleshooter and a truck.

No one likes being without power, even for a short period of time. If your power is out, please contact SMUD and report it at the SMUD.org Outage Portal page, or by calling 1-888-456-SMUD. SMUD has optimized its outage map and outage reporting options for mobile phones as well. For more information visit SMUD.org.

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## Discussing and negotiating

would take me from an hourly

Dear Dave, I've accepted a promotion that

wage to a salaried position. Do you have any advice for negoti-

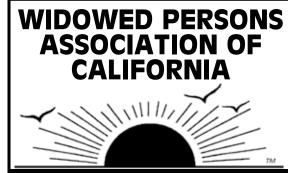
ating a salary?

#### Dear J,

The quick and simple answer to this question is you negotiate it based on what you're worth to the company. Now, how do you figure that out?

There are a couple of measuring sticks you can use. One is associated with the revenue you bring in, and that's a nice, concrete reference. Another thing you can do is research some of the more reputable career websites and develop a compensation study based on comparable positions in your area.

If you're a valuable team member of mine who's moving from hourly to salary, it wouldn't be a "negotiation" — it would be a discussion. Honestly, most positions are priced initially at the amount you can be replaced



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for in the new role. In other words, what's the going rate for someone in your position?

If it were me, I'd produce two or three well-researched compensation studies. Give them to your bosses, and talk it through with them. Depending on the size of the company, they may not have done that much work figuring it out themselves.

It's kind of like deciding what to ask for when you sell a car. You try to appraise it for what it's worth in the marketplace to other people. That's the way you have a discussion. It's not that you're telling them what to do or presenting an ultimatum, you're asking questions and presenting information. If someone did that in my office with a respectful and professional manner, it would go a long way.

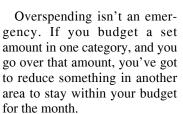
—Dave

#### Hands off the emergency fund! Dear Dave,

Sometimes our budget gets busted because of home improvements and various other things. I think we should take money from our emergency fund when this happens, but my wife says it should come out of our restaurant or fun money. What's your opinion?

- Josh

Dear Josh,



If something happens on a pretty regular basis, it's not an emergency, it's a predictable event. That means you need to budget a larger amount for home improvements or whatever the problem area may be.

On a month-to-month basis, if you have \$200 budgeted for household repairs, and any work turns out to be \$300, I'd rather you cut back on eating out or another non-essential category to make up the difference.

Your wife is right on this one! —Dave

Dave Ramsey is America's trusted voice on money and business. He has authored five New York Times best-selling books: Financial Peace, More Than Enough, The Total Money Makeover, EntreLeadership and Smart Money Smart Kids. The Dave Ramsey Show is heard by more than 8 million listeners each week on more than 500 radio stations. Follow Dave on Twitter at @ DaveRamsey and on the web at daveramsey.com.

The Widowed Persons Association of California encourages men and women to come to Sunday Support each Sunday from 3:00pm - 5:00pm. The Widowed Persons Association is designed to be of help to recently widowed men and women, but any and all widows and widowers are welcome as a community service. Participants do not need to be members and there is no charge.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04350 Maxim Kreydich, 4998 Harston Way Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Mar's Diesel Clinic" at 4998 Harston Way Antelope, CA 95843, Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 24, 2017. Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 MAX'S 170602 7-14-17

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"Accents by Sage" at 5580 Power Inn Road

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00213919

WHEREAS Dina Almuti has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Dina Dean Almuti to Dina Salah-Edin Elmuti.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on September 20, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 13, 2017 David I. Brown, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017

170601 7-14-17 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00213503

WHEREAS Phurbu Wangdu has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Phurbu Wangdu to Jinpa Siddhartha Lee.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on September 15, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 06. 2017

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00213979

WHEREAS Samuel Osaro Guobadia has filed a petition with this court for a decree name(s) of Samuel Osaro changing the Guobadia to Samuel Osaro Osagwimaro. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on September 22, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 14, 2017 David I. Brown, Judge of the Superior Court

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COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00213975

WHEREAS Victoria Omoruwa Guobadia has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Victoria Omoruwa Guobadia to Victorious Omoruwa Osagwimaro. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on September 22, 2017, in Department 53,

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00213920

WHEREAS Baz Mohammad has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Raz Mohammad to Raz Mohammad Ziayee. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on September 20, 2017, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 13, 2017

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00214349

WHEREAS Daria Kathleen Moore has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Daria Kathleen Moore to Daria Kathleen Chessani. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on September 28, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted.

Dated: June 16, 2017 David I. Brown, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, and 21, 2017 MOORE 170601 7-21-17

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00213707

WHEREAS Christian Lopez-Cromeyer has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Christian Lopez-Cromeyer to Christian Cromeyer. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on September 19, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 06, 2017

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

#34-2017-00211647 WHEREAS Michele R. Yates has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Michele R. Yates to Michele R. George. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on August 11, 2017, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento,

CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: April 28, 2017 Raymond M. Cadei, Judge of the Superior Court

Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 YATES 170601 7-21-17

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00214627

WHEREAS Ngaohli Noukhay Lee has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ngaohli Noukhay Lee to Allana Ngaohli Noukhay Lee. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on October 2, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 27, 2017

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00214628

WHEREAS Ngaodawb Noukhay Lee has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Ngaodawb Noukhay to Viviana Ngaodawb Noukhay Lee. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on October 2, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 27, 2017 David I. Brown, Judge of the Superior Court

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-05313 Loisdale Way Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Cal Bol Import Export" at 11789 Loisdale Way Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 3, 2017.

CAL 170620 7-28-17 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04674 Way #D Sacramento, CA 95831 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Woorisite" at 6614 Surfside Way #D Sacramento, CA 95831. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 7, 2017. Publish: July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017

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Gold Pan Court Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed

FBNF2017-04253 Lashawndia Thompson. 8100 San Remo Way Sacramento, CA 95823 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Mone', Mone' Thompson" at 8100 San Remo Way Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 19, 2017. Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 MONE' 7-14-17 170602

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04840 Amber C. and Randy D. Beckemeyer, 8128 Deseret Avenue Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Infinite Reflections" at 8128 Deseret Avenue Fair Oaks. CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 14, 2017. Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 7-14-17 INFINITE 170602

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04469 Karina Vega Castillo, 6331 Garland Court North Highlands, CA 95660 and Alejandra Marquez, 3908 Floral Drive North Highlands, CA 95660 are doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Estetica Nueva Era" at 3647 Elkhorn Boulevard North Highlands, CA 95660. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 30, 2017. Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 ESTETICA 170602 7-14-17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04824 Aneece Rani Prakash, 7985 Clavell Court Sacramento, CA 95828 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "SHUTTLLS, SHUTTLLS'CQ, Dealsgram, Genius Nurses-Complications Monitoring, iExpressions Album Bitbox" at 7985 Clavell Court Sacramento, CA 95828. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 13, 2017. Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 SHUTTLLS 170602 7-14-17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04147 Aum Foods Inc, 2069 Arena Boulevard #100 Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Mountain Mike's Pizza" at 2069 Arena Boulevard Suite 100 Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 16, 2017.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04745 Helen Dien, 3908 Sierra Gold Drive Antelope, CA 95843 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Helen Family Hair and Nail" at 4787 Manzanita Avenue Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 9, 2017. Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 HELEN 170602 7-14-17

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04846 A-1 Advantage Asphalt Inc, 10308 Placer Lane Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "A-1 Advantage Concrete, Advantage Concrete, A-1 Advantage Equipment, Advantage Equipment, Advantage Asphalt, West Coast Grinding" at 10308 Placer Lane Sacramento, CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 14, 2017. Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 A-1 170602 7-14-17

Accents by Sage at 5580 Power Intri Road Suite G Sacramento, CA 95820. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 15, 2017. Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, and 21, 2017 ACCENTS 170620 7-21-17	
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04723 Abigail Ivey DeLemos, 7662 Glenacre Way Citrus Heights, CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "House of Ivey Floral" at 7662 Glenacre Way Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 8, 2017. Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, and 21, 2017 HOUSE 170620 7-21-17	
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04069 Michael K. Sage, 9283 Benefield Court Sacramento, CA 95829 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MKS Masonny" at 9283 Benefield Court Sacramento, CA 95829. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 15, 2017. Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, and 21, 2017 MKS 7-21-17	
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04912 B & A Enterprises, Inc, 116 Liphan Court Roseville, CA 95747 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Checkers" at 7911 Aubum Boulevard Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 19, 2017. Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, and 21, 2017 CHECKERS 170620 7-21-17	
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04958 Alternative Outlet, 2920 Marysville Boulevard Sacramento, CA 95815 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Alternative Farm" at 2920 Marysville Boulevard Sacramento, CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento, CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 20, 2017. Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, and 21, 2017 ALTERNATIVE 170620 7-21-17	
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04867 Sumoedoe Enterprises LLC, 401 Ryland Street Suite 200A Reno, Nevada 89502 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Walk-N-Roll Auto" at 7000 Franklin Suite 720 Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 15, 2017. Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, and 21, 2017 WALK 170620 7-21-17	
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04703 Gregor John Wakefield, 9625 Mira Del Rio Drive Sacramento, CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Bobcat's Outdoor, Bobcat's Adventure Sports, Bobcat's Tactical, Bobcat's Adventure Sports Outfitter" at 1805 Tribute Road Suite H Sacramento, CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 8, 2017. Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, and 21, 2017 BOBCATS 170620 7-21-17	
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-04573 American Driving Records Inc, 2860 Gold Tailings Court Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Rocket Registration" at 11040 White Rock Road #200 Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 5, 2017. Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, and 21, 2017 ROCKET 170620 7-21-17	

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT BNF2017-05146 Steven Zhang, 7 Hallwood Court Sacramento, CA 95823 is doing business nder the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Ruffgear" t 7 Hallwood Court Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed vith the Clerk of Sacramento County June 28, 2017. Publish: July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017 RUFFGEAR 7-28-17 170620

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT BNF2017-04880 Gwendoline Tran. 1082 lewel Flower Street Plumas Lake. CA 95961 doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Salon D' Elegance" at 5345 San Juan venue Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 15, 2017. Publish: July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017 SALON 7-28-17 170620

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT BNF2017-05034 Daniel Quinn, 1218 Meredith Nay Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "DMQ Properties" at 218 Meredith Way Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with he Clerk of Sacramento County June 23, 2017. Publish: July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017

OMC 170620 7-28-17 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT Jorge and Rosario BNF2017-05032 Dceguera, 14340 Haycore Street Sloughhouse, CA 95683 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "El Palmar" at 2452 Mission Avenue Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County June 23, 2017. Publish: July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017 ELPALMAR 7-28-17 170620

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT BNF2017-05136 Barnums High Performance Notorsports, 7307 Roseville Road #11 Sacramento, CA 95842 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "BHP Motorsports" at 7307 Roseville Road #11 Sacramento, CA 95842, Filed vith the Clerk of Sacramento County June 28, 2017. Publish: July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017

170620 7-28-17 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT BNF2017-05133 Karen Kraushar, 4846 Zube Court Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under ne Fictitious Business Name(s) "Lynnk Enterprise" t 4846 Zube Court Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed vith the Clerk of Sacramento County June 28, 2017. Publish: July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017 YNNK 170620 7-28-17

with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 3, 2017 Publish: July 14, 21, 28, and August 4, 2017 170620 8-4-17

SKINCARE FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2017-05495 Everyday Consulting, INC. 9372 Hoyleton Way Elk Grove, CA 95758 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Everyday Impact Consulting" at 717 K Street Suite 217 Sacramento, CA 95814. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County July 10, 2017. Publish: July 14, 21, 28, and August 4, 2017 8-4-17 EVERYDAY 170620

### STATEMENT OF ABANDONM USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINES

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

FBNF2016-01948 The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME of "Laguna's Awesome Party Palace" located at 3147 Dwight Road #100 Elk Grove, CA 95758. YPS Entertainment, INC, 3147 Dwight Road #100 Elk Grove, CA 95758. The Fictitious Business Name Statement referred to above was filed on March 8, 2016 in the County of Sacramento. Publish: July 14, 21, 28, and August 4, 2017 LAGUNAS 170707 07-14-17

### ORDER TO SHOW FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00213973

WHEREAS Liangchun Qin, Xinhua Guo have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Paula Tianbei Qin to Paula TianbeiQin SupremeBliss. Queena Zibei Qin to Queena ZibeiQin SupremeBliss, and Gaia Lingbei Qin to Gaia LingbeiQin SupremeBliss. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on September 21, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 14. 2017 David I. Brown, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00213983

WHEREAS FNU Attaullah has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of FNU Attaullah to Attaullah Tawfiq. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on September 25, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 14, 2017 David I. Brown, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 TAWFIQ 170601 7-14-17

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00213980

WHEREAS Osayimwonbor Nelson Guobadia has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Osayimwonbor Nelson Guobadia to Nelson Osayimwonbor Osagwimaro. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on September 22, 2017, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 14, 2017 Raymond M. Cadei, Judge of the Superior Court

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00213976

WHEREAS Nancy Guobadia has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Nancy Guobadia to Nancy Aweyosa Osagwimaro. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on September 22, 2017, in Department 54,

located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 14, 2017 Raymond M. Cadei, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 GUOBADIA 7-14-17 170601

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00212307

WHEREAS Joseph My Van Vo has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Joseph My Van Vo to Joseph VanVo.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on August 23, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: May 12, 2017 David I. Brown, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: June 23, 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 VO 170505 7-14-17

#### SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

#34-2017-00214014 WHEREAS Anh Tran Ha has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Anh Tran Ha to Anh Tran Tsuyuki. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on September 25, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 12, 2017 David I. Brown, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: June 30, July 7, 14, and 21, 2017 TRAN 170601 7-21-17

#### COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00210985

WHEREAS Taylor Marie Henry has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Taylor Marie Henry to Taylor Marie Diamond. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on August 1, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street. 2nd Floor. Sacramento. CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: April 14, 2017

David I. Brown, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017 HENRY 170601 7-28-17

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00209375

WHEREAS My Long Dang has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of My Long Dang to Mai Dang. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on August 8, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street. 2nd Floor. Sacramento. CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: March 16, 2017 David I. Brown, Judge of the Superior Court

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#### SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00211856

WHEREAS Eloxia Atkinson has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Eloxia Atkinson to Eloxia Dean Johnson. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 2:00 p.m. on August 17, 2017, in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 29, 2017 David I. Brown, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017 JOHNSON 170601 7-28-17

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

#34-2017-00214632 WHEREAS Jessica Nicole Coleman has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Jessica Nicole Coleman to Jessica Nicole Burch. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on October 2, 2017, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 27, 2017

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## **Riley Reviews RETURN OF "SPIDER-MAN" A WELCOME**

SIGHT FOR SUPERHERO ACTION

#### A Film Review by Tim Riley

#### SPIDER-MAN: HOMECOMING (Rated PG-13)

There is no escaping the fact that the Marvel Cinematic Universe, which now includes the popular comic book character Spider-Man in its orbit along with all of the Avengers, is being rebooted once again after the initial Sam Raimi effort fifteen years ago.

As good as the earlier "Spider-Man" superhero action films were when Tobey Maguire was the web-slinger in the first two installments directed by Sam Raimi, British actor Tom Holland looks appropriately youthful to be teenaged Peter Parker, aka Spidey the apprentice crime-fighter.

Moreover, Holland not only looks convincing as the 15-year-old nerdy high school student struggling with social awkwardness in "Spider-Man: Homecoming," he has an almost uncanny resemblance to Tobey Maguire's exuberant portrayal of the very same character.

During last year's "Captain America: Civil War," which featured battling superheroes that aligned with either Chris Evans' Captain America or Robert Downey, Jr.'s Tony Stark, Holland was introduced as the up-and-coming novice Spider-Man to be mentored by Tony Stark.

The opening scenes of "Spider-Man: Homecoming" offer Peter Parker the ability to demonstrate his enthusiasm, by way of cellphone recordings of the action in "Civil War," for graduating from his current status of the neighborhood good guy helping old ladies and thwarting car thieves.

It's great fun to see Peter donning his homemade superhero costume so he can sling his web throughout his home turf of Queens in search of doing good deeds at night while trying to fit in at his high

school by day. Teen angst drives the science student to have a big crush on a fellow teammate on the school's academic decathlon squad that is set to compete in a national tournament in Washington, D.C.

The object of his affection would be senior Liz (Laura Harrier), a beautiful, popular classmate who happens to have a family connection that proves to be challenging for Peter in other ways unrelated to any courtship.

Meanwhile, the sarcastic, sardonic Michelle (Zendaya) is a better fit for Peter, if only because smarts and intellectual demeanor allow her to catch on to Peter's game. Besides, Liz is way out of the league of a nerdy sophomore.

Aside from hiding his talents from his attractive guardian Aunt May (Marisa Tomei), the object of the unrequited attention of the local deli owner, Peter must contend with the fact that his best friend Ned (Jacob Batalon) inadvertently learns of his alter-ego's identity.

As a fellow science geek, Ned proves to be a source of comic relief as he tries to convince classmates that Peter is actually a friend of Spider-Man who could get the superhero to show up at a house party, resulting in Ned constantly teetering on the edge of spilling the beans.

Meanwhile, the brilliant Peter starts failing at school when he becomes preoccupied with a shiny new costume outfitted with serious technological gadgets provided by Tony Stark, despite misgivings about Spider-Man moving at

too fast of a pace to superhero status.

Seeking to put a leash on Peter/Spider-Man, Stark dispatches his driver Happy Hogan (Jon Favreau) to keep his protégé in check, sticking to simple neighborhood chores rather than becoming embroiled in bigger things.

But fate has other plans for Spider-Man's evolution when only Peter realizes that a serious criminal enterprise has formed before his very eyes with super villain Adrian Toomes (Michael Keaton, in fine bad guy mode) running a salvage operation of the debris left behind by the Avengers' alien battle in "Civil War."

Thanks to the machinations of Tony Stark, Toomes loses the salvage contract to a bunch of officious bureaucrats and federal agents that toss his crew from the wreckage site, but not before Toomes makes off with some dangerous weapons grade technology.

From that point forward, Spider-Man is pretty much alone in fighting the Toomes gang as they seek to destroy the Washington Monument during the school field trip to the decathlon that is spectacularly well-staged.

Ordinarily, I would be skeptical about the surfeit of superhero movies that seem to dominate the summer box office, but "Homecoming" actually works for a doubter like me, and I suspect that fans of the genre would likely be thrilled with this one.

Overall, "Spider-Man: Homecoming" functions well on a personal level of fleshing out Tom Holland's Peter Parker as an ordinary guy wanting to do spectacular things, and then allowing just enough dazzling action scenes to generate plenty of excitement and wonder. ★

# Grapevine Independent Community Calendar

**CODEPENDENTS** ANONYMOUS Time: Tuesdays, 7:30-9 pm **Place: Sunriver Church** 11223 Trinity River Dr. www.sunriverchurch.com

WESTERN SWING SOCIETY Time: 1st Sundays, 1-5:30 pm **Place: Machinists Hall** 2749 Citrus Rd. www.westernsswingsociety.org Info: Live music, dancing. Food & beverages available for purchase. Members \$4, Non-members \$7.

**MILITARY RETIREE/SPOUSE** MEETING Time: 2nd Thursdays, 10:30 am Place: N. Highlands Park & Rec Office 6040 Watt Ave., N. Highlands Contact: 561-7476 Info: Meets monthly.

**RANCHO CORDOVA HISTORICAL SOCIETY** Time: 4th Thursdays, 5 pm **Place: Rancho Cordova** City Hall 2729 Prospect Park Dr. www. ranchocordovahistory.com Info: Meets in the American **River Room** 

**SPELLBINDERS TOASTMASTERS** Time: 2nd & 4th Mondays, 6:30 to 8 pm **Place: China Buffet** 5623 Sunrise, Citrus Heights Contact: 631-1703 Info: Hone communication skills. Beginners welcome.

SPANISH LANGUAGE **CONVERSATION CIRCLE** Time: 4th Saturdays, 3-4:30 pm Place: **Rancho Cordova Library** 9845 Folsom Blvd. Contact: 264-2920 www.saclibrary.org

Info: Practice Spanish in a fun and relaxed way with library staff, community.

**BRECA MEETING** Time: 4th Tuesdays, 6:30-8 pm Place: Rancho Cordova Library 9845 Folsom Blvd. Contact: 361-8087 www.breca.us

**POWERTALK INTERNATIONAL MONTHLY MEETING** Time: 3rd Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30 pm **Place: Arden-Dimick Library** 891 Watt Ave., Sacramento Contact: 361-1745 Info: Coaching, effective speaking, listening, leadership skills. Beginners are welcome.

WRITING WORKSHOP Time: 3rd Thursdays, 6-7:30 pm Place: 9845 Folsom Blvd. Contact: 264-2920 www.saclibrary.org Adult writing & poetry workshops (writing for various types of genres and more).

**AA NEWCOMERS** Time: Tuesdays, 6:30-7:30 pm **Place: Sunriver Church** 11223 Trinity River Dr. www.sunriverchurch.com

**READING WITH THE DOGS** Time: 1st Tuesdays, 6:30-7:30 pm Place: Rancho Cordova Library 9845 Folsom Blvd. Contact: 264-2920 www.saclibrary.org Info: Read to a canine pal, boost reading skills. Free.

**CORDOVA SENIOR CITIZENS** SOCIAL CLUB Time: 1st and 3rd Mondays,11 am Place: **Cordova Community Center** 2197 Chase Dr. Contact: 638-8065 for bridge or 858-1660 for membership

Info: Brown bag lunch, bridge party. Free.

**CORDOVA COUPLES GOLF CLUB** Date: Alternate Sunday mornings Place: **Cordova Golf Course** 9425 Jackson Rd., Sacramento Contact: 682-2285 All players welcome. Call for more information.

**COFFEE, TEA AND CONVERSATION FOR SENIORS** Date: First Saturdays, 10-11 am Place: **Rancho Cordova Library** 9845 Folsom Blvd. Contact: 264-2920 Info: For those 55+. Free. Share thoughts, memories: let the conversation flow! Light refreshments served. First Saturday each month.

SOROPTIMIST **INTERNATIONAL OF RANCHO CORDOVA & GOLD RIVER** Time: 1st Tuesday each month, 6:30-8:00 pm Place: Carl's Jr. Restaurant 3100 Sunrise Blvd., Rancho Cordova, 95742 Contact: siranchocordova@ soroptimist.net for more info Info: Organization serving needs of women & girls in our community and around the world.

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TRUSTEE SALE NOTICES

recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (714) 848-9272 or visit this Internet Web site www. elitepostandpub.com, using the file number assigned to this case 17-46453. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Dated: 6/20/2017 LAW OFFICES OF LES ZIEVE, as Trustee Corporate Park, Suite 450 Irvine CA 92606 ForNon-AutomatedSaleInformation,call:(714)848-7920 For Sale Information: (714) 848-9272 www elitepostandpub.com Christine O'Brien, Trustee Sale Officer THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. EPP 22663 6/30, 7/7, 7/14/2017. 170623 EPP22663 7/14/17 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE File No. 7367.24021 Title Order No. 8694191 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 12/31/2015 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in §5102 to the Financial code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. Trustor(s) Vyacheslav Nesterchuk, a married man as his sole and separate property Recorded: 01/06/2016, as Instrument No. Book 20160106 Page 0908, of Official Records of Sacramento County, California. Date of Sale: 08/28/17 at 9:00 AM Place of Sale: at the east main entrance of the Gordon D. Schaber Sacramento County Courthouse, 720 9th Street, Sacramento, CA The purported property address is: 5508 COPPER SUNSET WAY, RANCHO CORDOVA, CA 95742 Assessors Parcel No. 067-0710-072-0000 The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$320,867.23. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid, plus interest. The purchaser shall have

no further recourse against the beneficiary, the Trustor or the trustee. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Trustor(s), in favor of DOWNEY SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION F.A. as Beneficiary, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER. in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, that certain property situated in said County, California describing the land therein as: All that certain real property situated in the County of Sacramento, State of California, described as follows: LOT 804, AS SHOWN ON THE "PLAT OF LARCHMONT SUNRIVER, UNIT NO. 8", IN THE CITY OF RANCHO CORDOVA, COUNTY SACRAMENTO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, RECORDED IN BOOK 135 OF MAPS, MAP NO. 23, RECORDS OF SAID COUNTY. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1561 KLAMATH BIVER DRIVE BANCHO CORDOVA CA 95670 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the Note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon as provided in said Note(s), advances if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligations secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Trustee's Sale is estimated to be \$263,419.74 (Estimated). However, prepayment premiums, accrued interest and advances will increase this figure prior to sale. Beneficiary's bid at said sale may include all or part of said amount. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the California Financial Code and authorized to do business in California, or other such funds as may be acceptable to the Trustee In the event tender other than cash is accepted, the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed Upon Sale until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. The property offered for sale excludes all funds held on account by the property receiver, if applicable. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Notice to Potential Bidders If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a Trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a Trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same Lender

shown on this Notice of Sale may be postponed one or more times by the Mortgagee, Beneficiary, Trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about Trustee Sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call In Source Logic at 702-659-7766 for information regarding the Trustee's Sale or visit the Internet Web site address listed below for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case, CA08000354-17-1. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: June 29, 2017 MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps TS No. CA08000354-17-1 17100 Gillette Ave Irvine, CA 92614 Phone: 949-252-8300 TDD: 866-660-4288 Stephanie Hov Authorized Signatory SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ON LINE AT www.insourcelogic.com FOR AUTOMATED SALES INFORMATION PLEASE CALL: In Source Logic AT 702-659-7766 Trustee Corps may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained may be used for that purpose.ISL Number 32637, Pub Dates: 07/07/2017, 07/14/2017, 07/21/2017, GRAPEVINE INDEPENDENT ISL#32637 170701 7-21-17 TSG No.: 8696848 TS No.: CA1700278714 FHA/VA/ PMI No.: APN: 056-0112-006-0000 Property Address: 2125 DANBURY WAY RANCHO CORDOVA, CA 95670 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 04/14/2011. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 08/14/2017 at 09:00 A.M., First American Title Insurance Company, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 04/21/2011, as Instrument No. , in book 20010421, page 1064, , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of SACRAMENTO County, State of California. Executed by: ALICE K MATTAR, A SINGLE PERSON, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b). (Pavable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) Gordon D. Schaber Sacramento County Courthouse, 720 9th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814 All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE ABOVE MENTIONED DEED OF TRUST APN# 056-0112-006- 0000 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2125 DANBURY WAY, RANCHO CORDOVA, CA 95670 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining

principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and

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the property. Notice to Property Owner The sale date may hold more than one mortgage or Deed of Trust on

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No. 17-46453 APN: 072-0310 031-0000 Number: 025026-1 Loan NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 2/5/2008. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: CRYSTAL D GRĂNITE, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN Duly Appointed Trustee: LAW OFFICES OF LES ZIEVE Deed of Trust recorded 2/15/2008 as Instrument No. in book 20080215, page 0497 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Sacramento County, California Date of Sale:8/7/2017 at 10:00 AM Place of East Entrance County Courthouse, h St, Sacramento, CA 95814 Sale: 720 9th St, Sacramento, amount of unpaid balance her charges: \$174,637.81 Estimated other and Note: Because the Beneficiary reserves the right to bid less than the total debt owed, it is possible that at the time of the sale the opening bid may be less than the total debt owed. Street Address or other common designation of real property: 2952 CALLE DEL SOL WAY RANCHO CORDOVA, CALIFORNIA 95670 Described as follows: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED ON SAID DEED OF TRUST A.P.N #.: 072-0310-031-0000 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paving off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county

in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee. beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 877-484-9942 or visit this Internet Web site www.USA-Foreclosure.com or www. Auction.com using the file number assigned to this case 7367.24021. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: June 28, 2017 NORTHWEST TRUSTEE SERVICES, INC., as Trustee Candice Yoo, Authorized Signatory 2121 Alton Parkway, Suite 110, Irvine, CA 92606 866-387-6987 Sale Info website: www.USA-Foreclosure.com or www. Auction.com Automated Sales Line: 877-484-9942 or 800-280-2832 Reinstatement and Pay-Off Requests: (866) 387-NWTS THIS OFFICE IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NESTERCHUK, VYACHESLAV ORDER # NESTERCHUK, 7367.24021: 07/07/2017,07/14/2017,07/21/2017 NWT#7367 170701 7-21-17

APN: 056-0384-008-0000 TS No: CA08000354-17-1 TO No: 5931795 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE (The above statement is made pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(1). The Summary will be provided to Trustor(s) and/or vested owner(s) only, pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(2).) YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED August 11, 2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU. YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On August 4, 2017 at 10:00 AM, at the East Main entrance to the County Courthouse, 720 9th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps, as the duly Appointed Trustee, under and pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust recorded on September 2, 2005 in Book 20050902, on Page 0626 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Sacramento County, California, executed

of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$129.888.41. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust has deposited all documents evidencing the obligations secured by the Deed of Trust and has declared all sums secured thereby immediately due and payable, and has caused a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be executed. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 800-280-2832 or visit this Internet Web www.Auction. com , using the file number assigned to this case CA1700278714 Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Date: First American Title Insurance Company 1500 Solana Blvd Bldg 6 Ste 6100 Westlake, TX 76262 First American Title Insurance Company MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE FOR TRUSTEES SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL 800-280-2832NPP0311388 To: GRAPEVINE INDEPENDENT 07/14/2017, 07/21/2017, 07/28/2017 NPP0311388 170710 7-28-17

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## **Slim Randles'** HOME COUNTRY



Billy had to get his chores done early. It was the heat, of course. Now that it's summer, he no longer has to escort the kids across the street while Martin holds the sign. No kids at the crosswalk for a couple of weeks now.

So Billy, being the official town dog, was still kind of feeling his way along in this business, because he was not quite a year into his reign and If Billy Was Lucky, He'd Get a Slice of Bacon. Real Bacon. The Kind That Crunches.

he was learning to roll with the wasn't right. And the water in the seasons. He got up from his bed under the elm tree before it was even daylight and went on down to the Mule Barn truck stop and coffee shop, because they turned their lights on first. Well, except for the police station, and nobody needed him there, really. So he'd go to the back door of the Mule Barn and wait until the kid with the apron came out with some trash. Then he'd wag real hard and sometimes it means fried egg scraps, sometimes a porch chop bone, and if he was lucky, a slice of bacon. Real bacon. The kind that crunches.

Then he'd kinda hang around in the park for a while in case anyone who was out for a walk and was dogless would like to have him tag along for company. Walking without a dog, everyone knew, just

fountain was always good.

After the old folks had their coffee and breakfast at the Rest of Your Life Retirement Home, they go in the activity room and watch the news on television. Billy always helped them with that. There were good ear rumples in it for him by experienced rumplers.

But in the heat of the day, there wasn't much else to do but go to the shade and sleep.

I mean, not every day can be as much fun as helping the kids get to school. But September's coming. He just had to nap and wait. September's coming.

Wallet chained to the fancy coffee store? Break free and make your own at home. Find MateoJo on Amazon.com. \*

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#### ORDER TO SHOW FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00212576

WHEREAS Samuel Curtis Uhler has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Zachary Samuel Robinson to Zachary Samuel Uhler. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the

above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on August 30, 2017, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: May 17. 2017

Raymond M. Cadei, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017 UHLER 170601 7-28-17

#### SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #34-2017-00214740

WHEREAS Sylvester Blaise Wilson Garcia has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Sylvester Blaise Wilson Garcia to Sylvester Blaise Wilson. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above entitled matter appear before this court at 9:00 a.m. on October 3, 2017, in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition

for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: June 29, 2017 Raymond M. Cadei, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017

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#### NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MARY PAULA YENNIE CASE No. 34-2017-00211216 all creditors. and То heirs, beneficiaries, contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both of Mary Paula Yennie. Petition for Probate has been filed by Michele Gasparin in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting that Michele Gasparin, be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils. if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows July 12, 2017 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129 at Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento 3341 Power Inn Road Sacramento, CA 95826. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections orfile 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: Debra S. Petersen 1420 Rocky Ridge Drive Suite 160 Roseville, CA 95661 916-939-3933 Publish: June 30, July 7, and 14, 2017 YENNIE 170622 7-14-17

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 15, 2017 9:00 a.m. in Dept 129 at Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento 3341 Power Inn Road Sacramento, CA 95826. 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: **Richard Kocher** 7708 Marindell Street Elverta, CA 95626 916-991-1344 Publish: July 7, 14, and 21, 2017 KOCHER 170622 7-21-17

SUMMONS

Summons and Petition are served on you to file a Response (form FL-120) at the court and have a copy served on the petitioner. A letter, phone call, or court appearance will not protect you. If you do not file your Response on time, the court may make orders affecting your marriage or domestic partnership, your property, and custody of your children. You may be ordered to pay support and attorney fees and costs. For legal advice, contact a lawyer immediately. Get help finding a lawyer at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courts. ca.gov/selfhelp), at the California Legal Services website ( HYPERLINK "http://www. lawhelpca.gov" www.lawhelpca.gov), or by contacting your local county bar association. NOTICE-RESTRAINING

ORDERS ARE ON PAGE 2: These restraining orders are effective against both spouses or domestic partners until the petition is dismissed, a judgment is entered, or the court makes further orders. They are enforceable anywhere in California by any law enforcement officer who has received or seen a copy of them. FEE WAIVER: If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the clerk for a fee waiver form. The court may order you to pay back all or part of the fees and costs that the court waived for you or the other party. The name and address of the court are: California. Superior Court of Countv of Sacramento 3341 Power Inn Road CA Sacramento. 95826 address, and telephone The name, petitioner's number attorney, or of the petitioner without an attorney are: Shannon Mason (Bar # 285308) 451 Parkfair Drive Suite 1 Sacramento, CA 95864 916-629-4550 Date: April 19, 2017 Published: June 30, July 7, 14, and 21, 2017. COCHRANE 170620 07-21-17 SUMMONS CASE NUMBER: 34-2017-00210116

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#### NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JUDY MEADOWS CASE No. 34-2016-00204792

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## **Hepatitis C Rates in Young Adults Increasing in California**

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - New data released by the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) show an increase in newly reported hepatitis C cases among young adults in the state. Between 2007 and 2015, newly reported hepatitis C infections increased 55 percent among men 20-29 years of age and 37 percent among women in the same age group.

These data are consistent with increases in hepatitis C across the country and highlight the importance of hepatitis C testing, treatment, and prevention. Injection drug use among young adults increases their risk of both hepatitis C transmission and infection. Prevention strategies, including access to sterile syringes and safe injection equipment and treatment for opioid use disorders, can reduce the rate of new hepatitis C infections among young people who inject drugs by 60 percent.

"As a physician, I have seen firsthand the deadly effects of hepatitis C," said CDPH Director and State Public Health Officer Dr. Karen Smith. "Patients with advanced liver disease may not know they are infected until it's too late," said Dr. Smith. "However, this is preventable. New treatments can cure hepatitis C in as little as two months. I urge people to speak with their doctors about getting tested."

An estimated 400,000 Californians live with chronic hepatitis C, but many do not know they are infected. Hepatitis C-related deaths now outnumber those due to HIV.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) recently approved the use of new treatment for adolescents 12 years and older, raising hopes for teenagers infected with hepatitis C. Although young Californians (ages 20-29) make up an increasing number of newly reported infections, baby boomers account for about one out of two newly reported chronic hepatitis C cases.

"Two groups are top priority for hepatitis C testing - young people who inject drugs and baby boomers," said Dr. Smith. "Drug users may be at high risk for transmitting hepatitis C to others if they are not being treated, and baby boomers may be at risk for developing serious liver disease, even if they have no symptoms."

CDPH urges all Californians who have ever injected drugs, even once, and all people born between 1945 and 1965 to talk to their doctors about getting tested for hepatitis C. Patients who test positive should receive care from an experienced provider.

The Department is working to address hepatitis C on multiple fronts, including monitoring hepatitis C trends, producing data reports, educating health care providers on hepatitis C screening and treatment guidelines, and supporting hepatitis C testing and access to care in settings where at-risk people are served. CDPH also supports coordinated HIV and hepatitis C testing in non-traditional settings, such as mobile health vans. In 2016, about 7,200 people received hepatitis C testing through these programs.

The California Legislature allocated \$2.2 million in July 2015 for three-year pilot projects to help ensure people with hepatitis C are aware of their infections and linked to care.

For more information about viral hepatitis prevention in California, visit the CDPH Office of Viral Hepatitis Prevention webpage at www. cdph.ca.gov

Source: CDPH

## Game Plots Games Show is Out of Touch

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with who exactly "gamers" are and

what they want to see. Electronic

Arts announced Need for Speed

Payback with a thrilling Fast and

Furious style trailer...but felt the

need to bookend it with an awk-

ward YouTube celebrity reading

(badly) off of a prompter. They

showed off some beautiful game-

play for Star Wars Battlefront 2,

but overlaid annoying live com-

mentary from Internet personalities

who hadn't the slightest clue what

they were talking about. Microsoft

decided to announce a new model

Porsche onstage (we're at a game

show, not a car show), Ubisoft

CEO Yves Guillemot posed in

a stiff "Charlie's Angels" pose

with Nintendo designer Shigeru

Miyamoto, and Bethesda spent

most of their show talking about

downloadable extras we don't care

about for games we don't care

Sony had been the light in the

dark these past few years, but they

laid so many of their cards out

on the table at their Playstation

Experience event that they had

almost nothing new to announce.

While its competitors were awk-

ward as usual, Playstation's show

was laughable simply because of

its excess. A live band in front of

a light show projected onto a three

story indoor waterfall is a bit melo-

dramatic for a two-minute trailer

The ultimate result was an E3

that couldn't help but feel at once

for a game we've seen before.

about.

By Noah Howard

The Electronic Entertainment Expo (more commonly known as E3) is the video game industry's Comic Con and Cannes rolled into one, a massive press-only event (until this year when they let in the public for the first time) that serves simultaneously as a showcase for the best that big-budgets have to offer and as an opportunity to beat consumers over the head with flashy advertisements. E3's "press conferences" have been anything but for a number of years, transforming into massive professionally designed theatrical shows where gaming world superstars share the stage with stadium-like screens, showcasing the best of what a company has to offer. To the delight of viewers everywhere (even when E3 was press-only, anybody could tune in to watch online for free) the biggest most bombastic games would burst onstage with trailers and demos designed both to awe and to whip up a frenzy of preorders.

But the E3 conferences, one each for Playstation, Xbox, Electronic Arts, Ubisoft, and, to a lesser extent, Bethesda Game Studios, more often than not undermine their strengths. Though all five companies have been much better in recent years of listening to consumers and delivering what they want, this year's E3 served to painfully show just how corporate these entities are, and just



This year's E3 served to painfully show just how corporate these entities are, and just how out of touch they can still be with who exactly "gamers" are and what they want to see.

overly rehearsed and exceedingly amateur. What we want to see is new and exciting games, not filler or rehashed versions of experiences we've already seen. What we want to see are developers speaking with genuine passion (designer Michel Ancel tearing up with happiness after the announcement of Beyond Good and Evil 2 was Ubisoft's best moment), not drvly repeating the same jargonfilled lines we've heard every year for a decade. What we definitely don't want to see are focusgrouped inclusions of celebrities or advertising for products that have nothing to do with gaming. E3 is at its best when our mutual passion for games as both creators and consumers comes through in the smiles of the developers, the cheers of the audiences, and, of course, in the games themselves.

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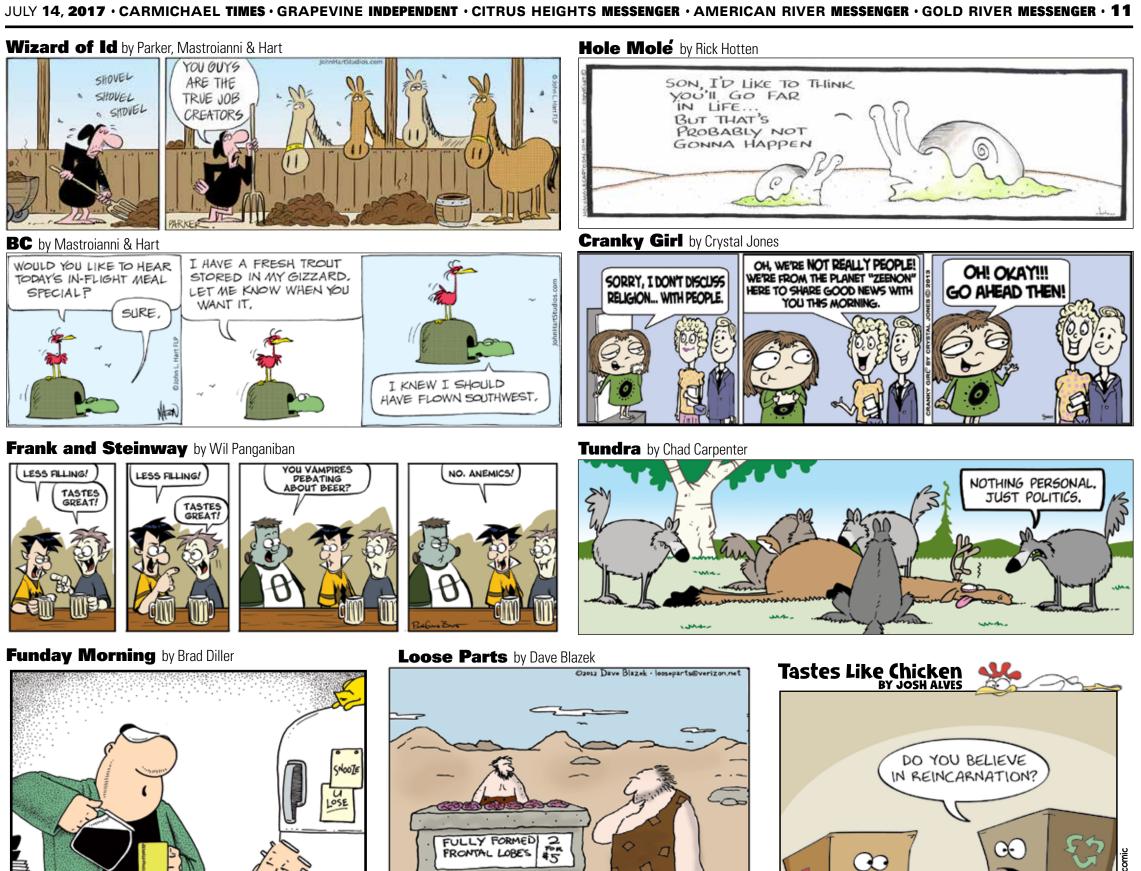
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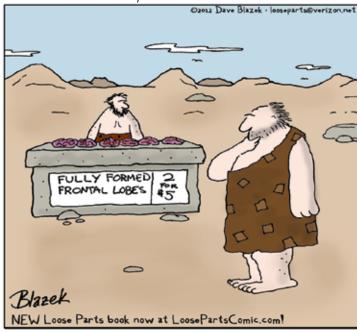


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# **CORDOVA SPORTS Cordova Gets 'Competition' at 7-on-7**

#### By Mike Bush

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) -Against three teams, the Cordova High School football team experienced competition on the field without pads.

The Lancers were one of four prep football teams that competed in round-robin 7-on-7 non-padded and non-contact games at Jesuit High. Cordova played host Jesuit, along with St. Patrick's/St. Vincent of Vallejo and Cosumnes Oaks of Elk Grove.

"The 7-on-7 is all about getting competition," said Cordova head coach Darren Nill of the games. "You want to know how the kids respond. It's not so much if you win, it's not so much if you lose, it's about competing and which people are going to step up and rise to that occasion."

Cordova matched up well with Jesuit, which advanced to the Sac-Joaquin Section Division II semifinals last fall.

"They were huge," said Nill of the Marauder players. "They were competitive. They were getting at my guys, and my guys responded. I couldn't have been happier."

Next for Cordova was St. Patrick's/St. Vincent, which



Cordova's Jeramiah Bankett breaks free to run during a 7-on-7 game at Jesuit last month. Watching, left to right, are Lancer teammates Anthony Diaz, Tyreke Evans and Jordan Colvin. Photos by Rick Sloan

posted a 13-3 record that included a state Division VI title last fall. and Cosumnes Oaks. Cordova's offense was led by quarterbacks Tyreke Tate, a senior who started at free safety on last year's squad that won a share of the Sierra

Cordova wide receiver Alvin Banks grabs the football, and looks for running room against Jesuit in a 7-on-7 game at the Marauders' field last month. Photos by Rick Sloan

Valley Conference title, and Johnele Sanders, a junior who will be one of the Lancers' wide receivers and at defensive back this season.

"He's done a little bit of quarterbacking throughout his career," said Nill of Tate. "The kid (Sanders) can throw. He's stepped up."

St. Patrick's/St. Vincent came out with strong athletes, Nill pointed out. But his Lancers were able to contain them on both sides of the ball.

"We took care of them pretty handedly," Nill said. "They were competitive, but we out-athlete them."

The Lancers substituted freely against St. Patrick's/St. Vincent after taking an early 21-0 lead. That allowed the Cordova

coaching staff to evaluate players looking for playing time. "We played everybody in that

game," Nill said. In the final game against Cosumnes Oaks, Cordova flexed its muscles against another D-II

### **Employment Trends Show Over-parenting Intruding on Workplaces**

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were surprised when a parent called to say they fired their child without taking time to really 'understand' them. The response was 'just need them to do the job, not understand them'. Another described a parent who called to say they should not rescind a job offer as a parking valet, but couldn't dispute the decision when they learned the individual was let

go when they could not drive a stick shift. A fact not revealed in the interview or to the parent.

With seventy-two percent (72%) of employers in the Sacramento region hiring in the next three months, new challenges are emerging. They include finding qualified applicants, including a wide variety of IT positions, construction equipment operators and skilled

and adequate numbers of entry level people. HR contacts also report retention of current workers and growing wage pressure from the thin talent pool as issues in Q3. Nineteen percent (19%) of hiring was motivated by seasonal needs in July, August and September.

Nill said. "I couldn't have been

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and the rest of the section's high

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Cordova's Johnele Sanders tries to escape from a Jesuit defender, while

Cordova teammate Tyreke Tate looks on during a 7-on-7 game at Jesuit toward the end of last month. Photos by Rick Sloan

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school that is moving to D-I in the section's next league realignment cycle for 2018-22.

"Competition is something totally different than reputations in practice," said Nill of the Wolf Pack. "They have a ton of athletes that showed up ... to be even with them was pretty impressive."

At the end of the games, Cordova performed well on both sides of the ball that had many players getting their reps on the field.

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- On July 1, 1967, Sacramento County started operations at the Kiefer Landfill. Over these past 50 years, the way we as a society think about trash and how we handle it, like all things, has evolved. The landfill concept is not new, but with population growth and as more products are made to be disposable, landfills and their operations have become more sustainable. In fact, those sustainable practices along with other environmental provisions help ensure disposal capacity at Kiefer Landfill for another fifty years – and likely decades more after that.

For half a century, Sacramento County has handled the operations of Kiefer Landfill and ensured current best practices have been followed, reviewed, and improved, and that waste and recycling materials are handled in accordance with all laws and regulations. As understanding of the practice of landfilling waste has advanced, so have the regulations that govern those practices. The 660 acres of our disposal area has more than 117 million cubic yards total capacity and is divided into 11 modules. To date, Kiefer has placed approximately 40 million cubic yards of waste into Modules 1-3.

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- Groundwater Treatment Plant – The groundwater in the landfill vicinity is routinely monitored. Impacted groundwater is extracted for treatment through a water treatment system that processes on average 375,000 gallons of water per day.
- Beautification and **Environmental Stewards** – In coordination with the Sacramento Tree Foundation and local student volunteers, 135 native oak trees were planted two years ago on the hillside that faces commuters from neighboring communities to beautify the landscape and to provide habitat for the native wildlife. Watch the video.
- Bufferlands Since 1994, neighboring properties of Kiefer Landfill are being conserved and include the Kiefer

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"After fifty years of landfill operation by the County, residents continue to enjoy the lowest disposal rates throughout the Sacramento Region. Every day, the employees at Kiefer Landfill properly dispose of waste and diverts recyclable materials while being stewards of the environment," said Doug Sloan, Interim Waste Management and Recycling Director.

The Kiefer Landfill employs about 40 staff and for the last 50 years has been proud to serve residents and commercial customers of Sacramento County seven days a week, 365 days per year.

Life 50 Years Ago? The first hand-held calculator became available; The Beatles release Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band; gasoline was 33 cents per gallon; the first countertop microwave oven was introduced; movie tickets were about \$1.25 each; the average house price in the US was \$24,600; the population of Sacramento County was 600,000 (the population is now more than 1.4 million)

Source: Sacramento County Media

## Women's Empowerment **Raises \$205K at Annual Gala**



Women's Empowerment graduates celebrate at the organization's 16th Annual Gala in May. The event raised more than \$205,000 to help Sacramento homeless women find homes and jobs. Photo by Jessie Rose Photography, ierosephotography

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) -Four hundred guests at Women's Empowerment's 16th Annual Celebration of Independence Gala raised more than \$205,000 for the organization's comprehensive job-readiness program for women who are homeless in Sacramento. The event, which took place at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel in Sacramento, included the chance to meet 75 graduates of the program who arrived wearing ballgowns and enjoy a formal dinner, live and silent auctions, live music and presentations from some of the graduates.

"This event always feels like a magical night as women once isolated and homeless are now

dressed to the nines and laughing with some of Sacramento's top donors," said Lisa Culp, executive director, Women's Empowerment. "Once again, hundreds of people came together in one night to commit to ending homelessness in Sacramento, one woman, one family, at a time. This is a community that cares deeply, and it shows."

Women's Empowerment was featured on NBC's The TODAY Show in 2015 for offering the most comprehensive job-readiness program in the Sacramento area designed specifically for women who are homeless and their children. The award-win-

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1,437 homeless women and their children. Last year, 92 percent of graduates found homes and 81 percent found jobs or enrolled in school or training. The program combines self-esteem courses, job training, health classes and support services to help homeless women across diverse ages, races and cultures. Women's Empowerment is funded through private donations from the community and receives no government funding except for in-kind rent from the County of Sacramento. To make a donation: www.womens-empowerment.

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