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HOME IMPROVEMENT GUIDE

Free Seed Exchange now open at Gateway Park Little Free Library



BY STACY GROW

In October 2017, the Gateway Park Little Free Library opened to the public, facilitating a book exchange between neighbors. Multiple neighbors had contributed to the project by building the structure, donating materials, and sharing books they thought others would enjoy. The City Department of Parks and Recreation installed the library for us after collaborating on placement.

The Gateway Park Little Free Library project has been a true community collaboration from the start. I have been proud to serve as the library's steward for the past twoand-a-half years, curating the books and maintaining the structure. I am thrilled to share that last week, a new feature was installed on the east side of the Little Free Library: a weatherproof "literature holder" that will serve as a free seed exchange.

With the seed exchange, gardening can become a source of community connection. Local gardeners are invited to share extra purchased seeds, or to harvest seeds from what they grow to pass on to neighbors. The

posted rules for the seed bank are

1. Please take only seeds you can grow in the next year.

2. Please label seeds with the date of harvest. Most seeds can be stored 2-3 years on average.

3. Share your extra seeds (and what you grow) with your friends and neighbors!

While sheltering in place, many people are engaging in home-based hobbies, especially gardening. But due to the high demand, it has been challenging for everyone who wants to grow a garden to access the materials to do so. Seed companies including Burpee, Park Seeds, and Johnny's Selected Seeds have all reported an exponential increase in customer demand for their products in the past two months, leading to slower shipping times and even closing online orders. Locally, many would-be gardeners wait in long lines at nurseries to purchase seeds and starts. Hopefully the seed exchange will provide more opportunities and easier access to seeds.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

No Verizon cell service since early May led this reporter down the rabbit hole of endless inquiries

A longtime West Sacramento resident and News-Ledger reader sent in a letter to the editor, explaining since the

service in her neighborhood. The reader said that the morning of Monday, May 4, was the last time that there was

has been no Verizon cell the vicinity surrounding Jefferson/West Capitol. She said she personally knows of at least a dozen people with the same problem and that

BY MICHELE TOWNSEND beginning of May, there service (from Verizon) in none of them have been than she and her neighable to get the issue resolved with Verizon. She, therefore, turned to the News-Ledger to see if we could get any farther

bors have gotten.

It seems that there has been a handful of "goto" reasons/excuses that

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THIS 'n' THAT

Virtual vs. Hardwired



BY CAROL BOGART

I had to laugh the other day when a friend shared a link titled 'High tech kids' (51f141a0-7c47-4ecfa5be-e2b33f1460b4.

MP4). Short version: A mom and dad place a rotary dial phone in front of their two sons,

then video record the do that. But I still preboys' multiple failed attempts to figure it out to make a call.

Hilarious, until I remembered that my tech savvy son had to show me three times how to answer my new Smart phone. "You swipe it with your thumb," he said. Baffled, I said, "Where's the button?" He rolled his eyes and showed me what 'swipe it' meant. Finally, he sat beside me, called me, pointed to what I was supposed to swipe and pointed to my thumb. Okay, I thought, I can

fer a button.

Here's a fact. The older we get, the more resistant we are to change. My folks had a rotary dial phone their entire lives, long after cordless phones were invented. No dishwasher, either. Mom was pushing 80 when she finally got a microwave - and only because dad's business partner gave it to her.

Our first TV was black and white. I think my parents bought it, in part, to keep me occupied while mom

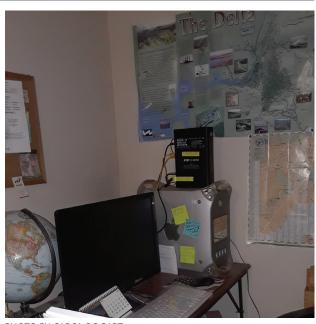


PHOTO BY CAROL BOGART My now-obsolete computer makes a handy place to stick my Post-its.

ironed sheets on a roller iron in the basement. My 3-year-old mind, however, record-Howdy Doody's

hair (styled much like Conan O'Brien's) as being red (to match his

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Yolo Habitat Conservancy Wins Award of Excellence

The Yolo Habitat Conservancy recently received the 2020 American Planning Association's (APA) Sacramento Valley Section Award of Excellence in the category of Innovation in Green Planning and has been invited to apply for the 2020 APA California Awards.

In 2019, the Yolo Habitat Conservancy completed the Yolo Habitat Conservation (HCP)/Natural Plan Community Conservation Plan (NCCP), a countywide conservation approach that provided mitigation for infrastructure and development of activities identified for construction over the next 50 years in Yolo County, including Endangered Species Act permits. The Yolo HCP/ NCCP coordinates improvements to maximize benefits to sensitive species as well as conserves habitat above and beyond required mitigation. In addition, the plan will result in the conservation of tens of thousands of acres of habitat benefitting 12 species while providing developers a simplified approach of mitigation through the Yolo Habitat Conservancy.

"The Yolo Habitat Conservancy is but the latest example of the member agencies being at the forefront of best practices in environmental stewardship," City of West Sacramento Councilmember and Vice Chair of the Yolo Habitat Conservancy Martha Guerrero. "The Yolo Habitat Conservancy will be an integral part of preserving our cherished natural landscapes into the future."

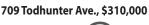
The Yolo HCP/NCCP also will build on existing conservation efforts, such as the work of the City of Davis Open Space Program to preserve agricultural land, Yolo County's work to restore Cache Creek through implementation of the Cache Creek Resources Management Plan, and the work of the Solano County Water Agency and the Lower Putah Creek Co-

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- 1. Name the artists of the duo WHAM!
- 2. Who wrote and released "A.1. On the Jukebox"?
- 3. Which artist saw his career launched with "Nothing Rhymed"? 4. Which Gloria Gaynor song talks
- about wishing she'd changed the lock? 5. Name the song that contains this lyric: "I've laid around and played around this old town too long, Summer's almost gone, yes winter's com-

Answers

- 1. George Michael and Andrew Ridgeley. Their first release, "Wham Rap!", didn't get much airplay because of the profanity in the b-side "Unsocial Mix." It only reached No. 105 on the charts.
- 2. Dave Edmunds, in 1978. The song was on his "Tracks on Wax 4" album. with all the members of his band Rockpile, although it was considered Edmund's solo project.
- 3. Gilbert O'Sullivan, in October 1970. For some stunning vocals, look for the cover version by Burton Cum-
- mings, formerly of The Guess Who. 4. "I Will Survive," in 1978. She also wishes she'd asked for the key back.
- 5. "Gotta Travel On," first released by Billy Grammer in 1958. Over the years the song has been covered by numerous others, including The Weavers, Timi Yuro and Bob Dylan.

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1. Tommie Aaron, brother of Hank, hit how many home runs in his seven-season Major League Baseball career?

- 2. Bill Chadwick, the NHL's first U.S.-born referee and later a broadcaster for the New York Rangers, went by what nickname?
- 3. The name for the Albuquerque Isotopes Minor League Baseball club was inspired by a fictional team from what TV comedy series?
- 4. Jim Covert and Ed Sprinkle, two members of the Pro Football Hall of Fame Class of 2020, spent their entire playing careers with what NFL fran-
- 5. What traditional Japanese martial art is literally translated as "the way of the sword"?
- 6. Floyd Mayweather Jr. defeated what mixed martial arts superstar in a 2017 boxing megafight in Las Vegas? 7. What Croatia-born basketball player won three NBA championships

with the Chicago Bulls from 1996-98 and was the 1996 NBA Sixth Man of

Answers

- 1. 13. He hit eight of them in his 1962 rookie season.
- 2. The Big Whistle. 3. The Simpsons.
- 4. The Chicago Bears.

the Year?

- 5. Kendo. 6. Conor McGregor.
- Toni Kukoc.
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etter to the editor

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Verizon has provided and when those answers haven't worked, topic got dropped. The News-Ledger was happy to see if we were able to get any farther in getting help or answers.

When the reader and neighbors have called customer service, they have been told the following: Verizon employees can't see obvious outages. We found out: This is true. Customer Service calls go to an inbound only call center. The employees there are very restricted in what information they have access to. (They didn't even have access to corporate's number). In addition, customer service has only a few reasons that they are provided with, and these small list of reasons will commonly solve the callers problems. They are as follows: 1. "The system is overloaded from people working from home"

(but service is out 24/7, not just typical work hours, so this doesn't make sense). 2. "That's because we no longer offer 3G" (even though the people calling use 4G so this can't be it). 3. "You need to re-set your phone. Then it will work" (it doesn't). 4. "It must be your phone. You need to buy a newer model" (even though some phones are brand new).

We found out: If your problem does not fall under, or is not fixable under these circumstances, the call center employees don't usually have the capability to go any further. In fact, they only have access to a couple of numbers that they can refer you to... and that must be retrieved from a supervisor.

After two days, 14 separate calls, and countless transfers (from the automated system, not from an employee) I spoke

with Customer Service, Customer Care (apparently they are different), in-bound call center, communications department, complaints Department, repair department, and national accessibility. I explained the problem to each of them and asked them the same questions. Out of all of the people that I talked to, only two of them attempted to help me (even if it was just finding me another number/department to call). One of the call center employees put me on hold to check with his supervisor. When he came back on, he told me that he was only allowed to say the following to me... and had a script that he read from saying that "Verizon Wireless is concerned with all of their customer's concerns and that they do everything they can to make them happy." I was sure to point out that they apparently weren't willing to put in a repair request, an in-

vestigation request, or

transfer me to someone that could. And yes, I was polite. They again did not have a number I

could call. I finally spoke to a gentleman that after reading the media blip to me for the fourth or fifth time gave me the email address of Public Relations Manager, Heidi Flato. I immediately sent her an email with a copy of the reader's letter and a note explaining very briefly how difficult it has been to even get an email to her. I asked her to please contact me as soon as possible. She did not call, but she emailed me back this message: "Thanks for bringing this to my attention. I am not aware of an outage in the area, but I'm happy to have someone investigate and respond to the customer". Unfortunately, in order to get this into publication in time, that is as far as we have gotten. The News-Ledger welcomes any comments to let us know if it has been addressed in the near future.

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Knights Landing Boat Launch Construction Starts June 1

Construction of the long-awaited improvements of the Knights Landing Boat Launch will begin on June 1 and run through Oct. 30, the Yolo County Parks Division announced. In 2017, the county was awarded a \$1.45 million grant from the California Wildlife Conservation Board to upgrade the existing facilities.

The proposed improvements will enhance visitor experience and reduce ramp queue times with major improvements including: widening the existing concrete ramp; replacing the floating dock with a gangway and boarding float to allow access on both sides; constructing a permanent restroom;

installing a new water well and hook-ups for a park host; chip sealing and restriping the parking lot; adding new ADA parking stalls and walkways; and placing riprap along the bank of Sycamore Slough to minimize erosion.

The Knights Landing Boat Launch will remain open during the first phase of construction from June 1 through July 26. The facility will be closed to the public starting July 27 through October 30 to allow for in-water construction on the boat ramp and slough bank. It is anticipated the facility will reopen to the public on October 31, 2020.

"Versions of this project have been in the works for almost fifteen years,

and we are excited to finally start construction," said General Services Director Kevin Yarris. "We understand the facility closure during construction is an inconvenience to many of our customers, but we trust the needed improvements will provide many years of public enjoyment."

Additional information about the project and construction schedule can be found on the Yolo County Parks website at: www. yoloparks.org. Questions about the project can be directed to (530) 406-4880 or yolocountyparks@ yolocounty.org. Connect with the Yolo County Parks Division on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/ yolocountyparks.

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Fighting COVID by Spreading Kindness

BY DEVIN LAVELLE

Archbishop Desmond Tutu reminds us, "Our greatest joy is when we seek to do good for others." It's an idea that I really connect with and something that many of our friends and neighbors around the community have taken to.

Everyday around the neighborhood and around social media, we see and hear about awesome things people are doing to help their neighbors in these trying times. Sharing food and toiletries directly or through blessing tables. Drawing messages in chalk around the neighborhood. Attending drive-by birthdays to bring joy to kids they've never met. Countless custom sewn masks gifted around the neighbor-

It is really incredibly what our neighborhood can do together. It inspires me. It uplifts me. I hope it uplifts you as well. If so, keep on reading and I'll tell you about a few neighbors who have been doing some really great things for their neighbors.

Family Bike Tune-ups

Matt Makofsky, his daughter Blossom and partner Larissa recently spent their morning providing free bike tune-ups at Seymour Park to neighbors. He "got the idea while out

riding his bike. He thought it would be nice to help others get out on their bikes and ride on our neighborhood's great

Matt, who worked as a bike tech for years in the Bay Area, did the tune-ups with assistance from Blossom (9). She also "helped by making signs and chalk directions in the park the day of the tune-ups." Larissa "kept everyone organized, posted on Nextdoor, scrounged up cleaning supplies and hand sanitizer and helped put air in the tires during the day."Together they worked on about 2-dozen bikes, address "issues ranged from a safety check to putting a bike entirely back together."

Larissa tells us, "It was inspiring to see people patiently waiting with bikes they wanted to get back on the trails. Afterward we received messages of gratitude for kids able to ride their bikes again and adults that were excited to get out and rode over 10 miles after getting a tune-up. There were many that didn't see the post on Nextdoor until we were done for the day and wanted to take part. We will be doing it again, so keep an eye out on Nextdoor for our post!"

She adds, "We have been working with Blossom on riding her bike for the past year or so. At times it has been a challenge to get her as excited as us to get out on our bikes. After seeing everyone out with their bikes, and seeing her dad help everyone that came by, she exclaimed that biking was her new favorite hobby!"

Free Landscaping for Unsung Heroes

Art Ballard, owner of Creekside Landscaping, is providing his services free of charge to employees of our local Bel Air. He told me, "I just had been hearing everyone appreciating the medical care professionals and of course I appreciate them putting themselves at risk, but there was another group of workers we all see frequently. They're putting themselves at risk and they seem worried and frazzled and it was something that was simple and easy for me to do to show appreciation for the people who are allowing us to get

food and get necessities." The number of people he's helping is growing. "So far 8 families have taken me up on it. They seem very, very grateful to have the help. They don't seem to get the recognition they deserve. I think it's pretty likely that I'll be able to expand to offer it to another store soon."

He adds, "I feel grateful that I'm able to continue working, so I wanted to be able to the community."

Fighting the TP Shortage Tami Conger put her family to work getting toiletries and safety products to neighbors in

It was all the more impressive because she "was a little late to the party. As Covid was picking up steam, we were mentally pre-occupied because a friend in Florida had had a stroke and wasn't doing well. I was focusing on preparing for the trip and trying to make sure my work was covered. Just before we left, our grandson's car broke down so I was trying to get him a new car before we left on top of everything else. Obviously, I wasn't watching the news much."

Upon returning to work things quickly shifted, "When I came home after my first day back at work, I told my husband that the college was talking about shutting down. That's when he told me that people were going crazy for TP. I actually laughed because I thought he was kidding."

We all know he was not, so she quickly jumped into action, "I called my brother-inlaw in Simi Valley. He owns a custodial business in So-Cal. I asked him if he could spare a case or two of TP & Paper Towels and he said 'absolutely'.

spread that and do my part for My sister and I met half way and she gave me the cases." She added to that, "a supply of gloves and masks because my uncle had lived with us until he passed" and Lysol wipes from her Costco-enthused husband.

In total, she delivered 140 rolls of toilet paper, 40 rolls of paper towels, 6 boxes of gloves, 6 containers of Lysol wipes and 65 masks to 40 neighbors in our community.

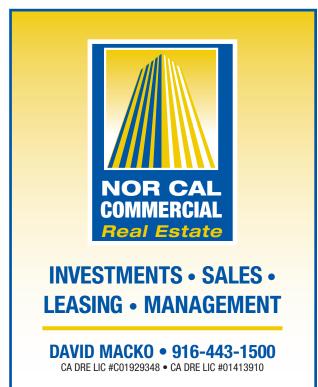
"It felt great to have the ability to help my neighbors. I met a lot of new people and they were all so kind. I'm a bit of a workaholic and only really know the neighbors within a house or two. This gave me the opportunity to get to know more people within our community. I'm a strong believer in karma, both good and bad, and if I can help someone, I will. I'm fortunate that everything fell into place," Tami reflected. She fondly remembers how "Maritza met me at the door, all smiles. She thanked me over and over," adding, "thinking about Maritza still brings a smile to my face

In addition to her family, she was grateful for some local help. "Although I had the idea, I never could've pulled it off without Kathi Windheim's help. She turned my crazy idea

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Classic Craft, Keaton Boats, Sacramento Boat Repair, 8509 Folsom Blvd., Sacramento, CA 95826 in Sacramento County. Registered Owner(s)

Gary L. Minnis, 1807 Trinity Way, West Sacramento, CA 95691 The business is conducted by: Individual

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor.)

/s/Gary L. Minnis, Owner accordance Notice-In Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the

office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration. State of California,

County of Yolo Jesse Salinas. County Clerk Recorder Date: May 15, 2020 /s/dho. Deputy Clerk

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILED 04/16/2020 FILE NO. F20200312

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Auntie Yasy's Gluten-Free Goodies & Meal Delivery, 40162 Best Ranch Road, Woodland, CA 95776 in Yolo

Registered Owner(s) Auntie Yasy's Gluten-Free Goodies & Meal Delivery LLC, 216 F Street #92. Davis. CA 95616

The business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company The registrant commenced to

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I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor.) /s/Auntie Yasy's Gluten-Free Goodies & Meal Delivery LLC, Yasmin Z. Vera,

Owner/Founder/CEO accordance Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the office of the County Clerk.

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Deputy Clerk Mây 20 27 Jun 3 10 nl 2815

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILED 05/07/2020 FILE NO. F20200359

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **Gaffney Farms**, 49719 Willow Point Road, Clarksburg, CA 95612 in Yolo

Registered Owner(s) David Merwin, 501 Gibson Dr. #2124, Roseville, CA 95678

The business is conducted by: Individual The registrant commenced

transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above 4/9/2020.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILED 05/07/2020 FILE NO. F20200358

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Cali Juco Product, Juco Product, Mylaces, Mylaces Skill Development Association, Cali Product, 2365 Coffeeberry Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691 in Yolo County.

Registered Owner(s) Jonathan James LLC, 2365 Coffeeberry Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691

The business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on

N/A.

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/s/Jonathan James LLC. Jonathan James, Manager

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County of Yolo Jesse Salinas, County Clerk Recorder Date: May 7, 2020 /s/dho,

Deputy Clerk May 20 27 Jun 3 10 nl 2811

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20200338

The following person(s) is doing business as:

Signal Flare, 109 Guayamas Pl. **Davis, CA 95616**, County of Yolo. SIGNALFLARE LLC 1267 Willis St., Ste 200 Redding CA 96001 This business is conducted by Limited Liability Company.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A /s/ Zachary David Forristall, CEO SIGNALFLARE LLC

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on April 29, 2020. Salinas, County Clerk/ Jesse Recorder

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F20200339

The following person(s) is doing business as: CosmicBit, 3815 Tahoe St.,

West Sacramento, CA 95691, County of Yolo. Dong An, 3815 Tahoe St., West

Sacramento, CA 95691 This business is conducted by Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on n/a

/s/ Dong An This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on April 29, 2020.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILED 05/01/2020 FILE NO. F20200343

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **Accel Social**, 2020 5th Street #1006, Davis, CA 95617 in Yolo County

Registered Owner(s) Northrop Social Media, 2020 5th Street #1006, Davis, CA 95617 The business is conducted by:

Corporation The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/25/2012.

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/s/Northrop Social Media, Nancy Schwartz, President Notice-In accordance with Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which

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Date: May 1, 2020 /s/kquam, Deputy Clerk May 13 20 27 Jun 3 nl 2801

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. F-20200333

The following person(s) is doing business as:

Modern Access Psychiatry, 1520 E. Covell Blvd., Suite B5, Davis, CA 95616, County of Yolo. Nataliya Ables, 1018 Boone Court, Vacaville, CA 95687 business is conducted by

Individual. The registrant commenced to

transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A

/s/ Nataliya Ables This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on April 24, 2020. Salinas, County Clerk Recorder

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILED 05/01/2020 FILE NO. F20200347

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Honey Bee Genetics, 23011 County Road 103, Woodland, CA 95776 in Yolo County.

Registered Owner(s) Tauzer Apiaries, Inc., 23011 County Road 103, Woodland, CA 95776 The business is conducted by

Corporation registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above

N/A I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor.)

/s/Tauzer Apiaries, Inc., Trevor Tauzer, CFO accordance Notice-In Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILED 04/22/2020 FILE NO. F20200323

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as K&L Supply, Stillwater Road, Suite 100, West Sacramento, CA 95605 in Yolo County.

Registered Owner(s) Kelly D. Little, 883 Hurleton-Swedes Flat Road, Oroville, CA

LaNell K. Daley-Little, 883 Hurleton-Swedes Flat Road, Hurleton-Swedes Oroville, CA 95966 Flat

The business is conducted by: A Married Couple The registrant commenced

transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above 4/1/2015

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/s/Kelly D. Little accordance Notice-In Subdivision (a) of Section 17920, a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires at the end of five years from the date on which it was filed in the

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/s/dho Deputy Clerk May 13 20 27 Jun 3 nl 2806

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

T.S. NO.: 200129034 Loan No.: RMF4022668 Order No. 8762841 APN: 067-150-003 You Are In Default Under A Deed Of Trust Dated 11/6/2018. 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 Lawver.

A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank. cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a cashier's 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: 2286 Del Monte, LLC, a California

limited liability company

Duly Appointed Trustee: Geraci Law Firm Recorded 11/21/2018 as Instrument No. 2018-0027515-00 in book, page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, Date of Sale: 6/9/2020 at 12:45 PM Place of Sale: north (rear) entrance to City Hall, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$1,101,308.20 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 2286 Del Monte Street West Sacramento, CA 95691 A.P.N. 067-150-003 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 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) 440-4460 or visit this Internet Web site www.mkconsultantsinc com, using the file number assigned to this case 200129034. 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: 5/4/2020 Geraci Law Firm by Total Lender Solutions, Inc. its authorized agent 10505 Sorrento Valley Road, Suite 125 San Diego, CA 92121 Phone: (949) 954-6092 Sale Line: (877) 440-4460 BY: /s/ Randy

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Newman, Trustee Sale Officer

May 13 20 27 nl 2805

Crown Castle is proposing to install antennas on the existing 92.8-foot monopole telecommunications tower expand the tower compound area at the following site: 1811 Enterprise Boulevard, #51, West Sacramento, Yolo County, California 95691; 38° 33' 53.13", -121° 34' 38.17". Crown Castle invites comments from any interested party on the impact of the proposed action on any districts, sites, buildings, structures or objects significant in American history, archaeology, engineering or culture that are listed or determined eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places and/or specific reason the proposed action may have a significant impact on the quality of the human environment. Specific information regarding the project is available by calling Monica Gambino, 2000 Corporate Drive, Canonsburg, PA 15317, Monica. Gambino@CrownCastle.com, 724-416-2516 within 30 days of the date of this publication.

5/27/20 CNS-3366026# NEWS-LEDGER nl 2817 May 27

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF DORIS L MANDALA

CASE NO: PB-2020-92-1 To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of:

Doris I. Mandala A Petition for Probate has been filed by Anna M. Mandala in the Superior Court of California, County of YOLO.

The Petition for Probate requests that Anna M. Mandala 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.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Administration Independent Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or 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: Date: June 24, 2020

YOLO COUNTY BE LLAMAZI

It is with a heavy heart that after many meetings and much discussion the Board of Directors and Staff made the very difficult decision to cancel the 2020 Yolo County Fair.

This decision was not made lightly. The health and safety of our community is our top priority. This is a big disappointment to our Fair Staff, Board of Directors, Vendors, Volunteers, Local Organizations, Concessionaires, Exhibitors, Carnival Staff and the community but it is the right decision.

Planning for Fair takes months to produce this high-quality event. Due to the uncertainty of when restrictions for large public gatherings will be lifted, we are not able to make plans for the caliber of Fair everyone expects.

We wish everyone good health in the coming days. When we can safely open the fairgrounds to the public, we will continue with our tradition to schedule the events you enjoy and love - including the 2021 Yolo County Fair... "Wheel Be Llamazing".

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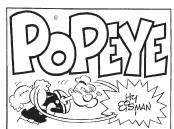
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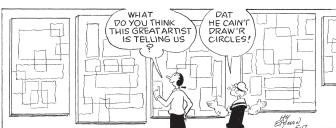
















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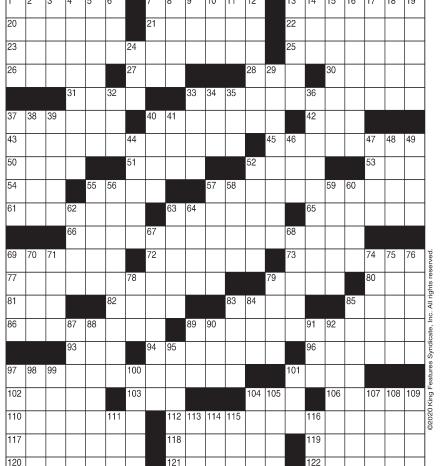
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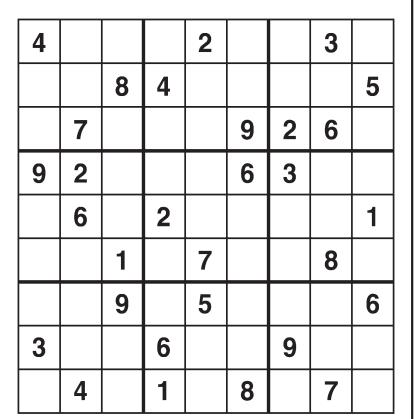
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Our pandemic plans must make space for young children

BY AMY GREENLEE

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS-LEDGER

Planning for how society should operate during a pandemic involves a large number of complex factors. And yet, midst all the discussion of reopening and regulation, there is one factor that remains largely unaddressed: young children.

In many of the official details and guidelines for moving forward, there is little to no discussion of children. Instead, there is an overwhelming preoccupation with the adult economy of restaurants, retail, workplaces, and entertainment. Little to nothing is said about the fate of children's spaces, such as playgrounds or play places, many of which seem to be closed for the indefinite future. Indeed, even when public places that could include children (such as parks, malls, zoos, etc.) are

mentioned, they include blanket regulations (such as mask wearing and social distancing) that effectively exclude young children from participating. I should note that when I say "young children", I am specifically thinking of toddlers and preschoolers, who do not understand the importance of such rules, nor how to follow them correctly. In addition, even the small family gatherings that are now allowed appear to require all children (including babies and toddlers) to maintain social distancing--a large, maybe even impossible, ask of a young child who may be seeing a beloved grandparent for the first time in months.

The unspoken message of these rules, then, becomes one in which children are effectively not allowed to partake in any of these activities. And, as the unique needs of this age group continue to be omitted from each new announcement and update, it becomes hard not to read between the lines and infer that young children are viewed as an insignificant (read: unprofitable?) part of the planning. Furthermore, by making no allowances for children, the plans simultaneously exclude many primary caregivers from participation as well, as it becomes near impossible for a single adult to manage multiple children in this man-

One of the only times children are directly mentioned is the conversation around school, which almost always comes to the conclusion that either distance learning will continue or schools will open with strict social distancing measures and masks. Yet both of these options still fail to account for young children (especially preschoolers and kindergarteners), who are developmentally capable of neither. In addition, they seem to assume that you can remove the socializing from school and still have the education, when in reality, the socialization itself is a primary educational objective for this age, and altering the way children are instructed to socialize during these early experiences will have significant, possibly harmful, impacts on them.

As they currently stand, the proposed plans seem to implicitly suggest that there is no place for very young children in the "new normal" of masks and social distancing, which is expected to continue for quite some time. While it may be true that the only way to keep this age group completely physically safe is to continue keeping them cooped up at home, this is not a sustainable way to keep them psychologically safe. Of course, the more likely reasoning for excluding young children from life outside the home is the potential risk they pose in spreading the virus to more vulnerable

adults. And, while this is an important concern that needs to be addressed, it should not require the indefinite barring of all physical contact with their peers or extended family members.

What this compromise will look like is unclear. This is in no way an appeal to throw all caution out the window and release all children without restraint. Perhaps it involves encouraging families with young kids to select another family with whom they can have playdates, while still keeping vector creation to a minimum. Or maybe it means putting young students into small cohorts in which they can travel around and still have developmentally appropriate interactions. Whatever the possible accommodations may be-- at the very least--there needs to be more thoughtful discussion of our littlest (and most psychologically vulnerable) members of society.

Yolo Habitat

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ordinating Committee to enhance and restore riparian habitat along Putah Creek.

Some nominations in the APA California Awards require a win at the Section level, where the project, plan or work occurred, to be eligible for a Chapter Award. By winning at the Section level, the Yolo Habitat Conservancy will now be eligible for a higher, Chapter Award with the APA.

The Yolo Habitat Conservancy is a joint powers agency comprised of Yolo County and the cities of Davis, West Sacramento, Winters, and Woodland, whose mission is to conserve natural and working landscapes, and the species on which they depend, by working with local communities and conservation partners to coordinate mitigation and implement regional habitat conservation.

"This award is a testimony to our communities' commitment to smart planning practices that seek to balance the needs of our natural habitats and the needs of the development community," said Yolo County Supervisor and Chair of Yolo County Habitat Conservancy Don Saylor. "This conservation approach is the result of over twenty-five years of collaborative efforts by Yolo County, our four cities, and the University of California at Davis. This award shows that the hard work to put this plan together is already beginning to bear fruit."

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freckles), when, in fact, I only ever watched the Howdy Doody Show in black and white. (I vaguely recall having a Howdy Doody doll. That could be why. But I also remember Buffalo Bob's suede outfit as being tan. So, I don't know. Little kids have big imaginations.

Fast forward to 1987. I got my first home computer and took classes in how to use it. At work (KMGH-TV in Denver), we still were using HUGE TYPE manual typewriters to write our TV scripts. HUGE, so anchors could read INTROS (introductions to our stories) on a teleprompter located beneath the lens of a studio camera that was several feet away. The trick was to not look like you were read-

Let me tell you, it's **not** easy. I once worked with an anchor in Atlanta who had not entirely mastered this. Last name, Mi-

chaels. A writer misspelled it in the teleprompter. The anchor opened the show: "Good evening. I'm Dave Mackles." Horrified pause as, behind him, the newsroom set erupted in joyful laughter. "MICHAELS!" he all but shouted. Too late. So much for credibility.

Anyway, getting back to my first-ever computer: Mom came to visit. As best I could, I tried to show her how my new 'contraption' (her word) worked. Not understanding why my electric typewriter did not suffice (hers still was manual); she shook her head. "Maybe you can sell it," she said doubtfully. "Uh uh!" I said firmly. "I have to master it. It's the future."

Yeah well. That was then, this is now, and I, myself, am obso-

A recent 'Zoom' medical appointment had me completely stumped. And, speaking of the future, Twitter has informed its employees all future work will be done from home. Microsoft is plugging its new "Team" software. The

new software allows four people, logging in from home, to participate in a conference call. I think. As I say, I haven't mastered Zoom (or any other way to do this).

Some California counties, cautiously set to reopen, can't be sure what Covid 19 might do. With campuses/dorms known hotbeds for infection, fall classes at Los Rios and Sac State will be online-only. Some parents aren't getting kids' school-required vaccinations, worried they'll catch the virus at the doctor's offices. At least one West Sac doctor, now working from home, doesn't plan to go back to her office until August. Not a few parents wonder who'll watch their kids if they're ordered back to work and schools

Enough already with this virus! Cross your fingers for a safe Covid 19 vaccine. Worldwide, the race is on.

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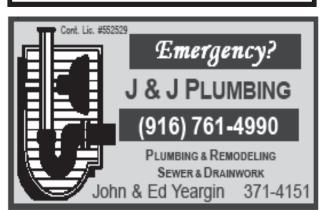
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Two more Individuals Charged with New Felonies After Being Released as a Result of California Judicial Council's Statewide Emergency "0" Bail Schedule

This past month, two more individuals previously released from custody as a result of California Judicial Council's Statewide Emergency "0" Bail Schedule were charged with new crimes. The "0" Bail Schedule became effective April 13, 2020, in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

As part of the efforts to decrease the jail population to mitigate the transmission and spread of COVID in the jail, a 31-year-old Woodland man, Humberto Tejeda, was granted an early release from custody on April 2, 2020, where he was serving a county prison sentence for auto theft.

Following his release, he was arrested on two separate occasions in the City of Woodland. Tejeda was arrested on May 1, 2020, for burglary, but was subsequently released as a result of the "0" Bail Schedule. He was arrested again by Woodland Police on May 18, 2020.

On May 19, 2020, Tejeda, was charged with multiple felonies by the Yolo County District Attorney's Office. Tejeda was arraigned on May 20, 2020, on two separate Complaints in Department 1 of the Yolo County Superior Court. The first Complaint alleged violations of looting, burglary, and conspiracy stemming from a May 1, 2020, incident. The second Complaint alleged assault with a deadly weapon and battery causing serious bodily injury from May 10, 2020. He was also arraigned on two violations of post release community supervision and two probation violations. He is currently being held on \$35,000 bail after pleading not guilty. He will next appear in De-



partment 7 of the Yolo County Superior Court on June 2, 2020, for a preliminary hearing.

A second Woodland man, Chedepo Teh, age 22, was charged with multiple felonies after a "0" bail release. Teh was arrested on May

13, 2020, for burglary, then released on May 14, 2020, as a result of the "0" bail schedule. He was arrested again on May 15, 2020, for residential burglary, which is one of the exceptions that allows for the setting of a bail amount.

Teh was arraigned on May 19, 2020, in the Yolo County Superior Court on a Complaint alleging looting, second degree burglary, and first degree burglary. Teh remains in custody on \$25,000 bail. He has entered a not guilty plea

and his next court date is June 23, 2020, in Department 12 of the Yolo County Superior Court for a prelimary hearing.

Presently, the Yolo County jail is well below capacity and there have been no COVID

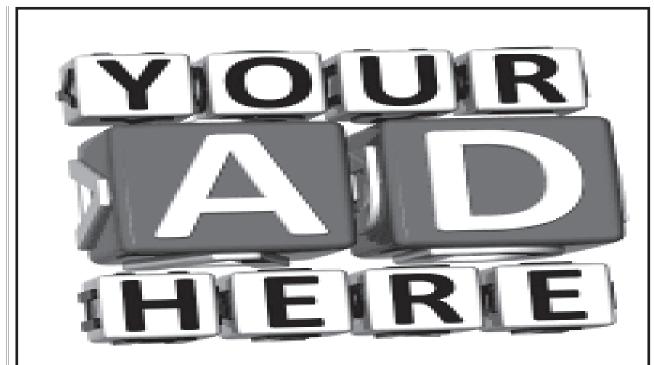
Seed Library

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The appeal of growing a home garden at a time like this is evident. Home gardens provide a connection to nature when many of us are now isolated in our homes working "virtually". Gardens offer tangible, visible, delicious, and beautiful results for the labor invested. They provide an added measure of food security when some parts of our food system have incurred shortages.

Within a day of posting on the Gateway Park Little Free Library's Facebook page about the new addition, the seed exchange was already being stocked by neighbors with vegetable, herb, and flower seeds. Early contributions included lupine, Red Russian kale, heirloom pumpkins, calendula, California poppies, romaine lettuce, Chinese long beans, and Genovese basil. My children couldn't resist a packet of Rainbow Radishes we found deposited by a generous neighbor.

Whether we choose to grow food, medicine, pollinator plants, or flowers, let's remember that gardens are community assets. They enhance the health of our local population and our local ecosystem. Please stop by the seed exchange to share your extra seeds and see what your neighbors have to offer! Happy growing.



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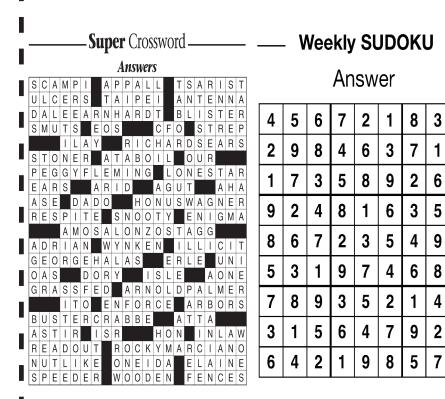
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Trinity Presbyterian Church 1500 Park Blvd. W. Sac. CA 916-371-5875 www.TrinityWestSac.org info@trinitywestsac.org Pastor Jamie Crook Spanish Ministry Pastora: Miryam Osorio Sunday Worship Services:

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Time: 9:00 a.m. Dept: 10 Address of court: Superior Court of California, County of Yolo 1000 Main Street, Woodland, California 95695 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 decedent, 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 your 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 a person 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

Attorney for petitioner: Michael G. Abrate 655 University Ave., Suite 230 Sacramento, CA 95825 (916)550-2688 May 27 Jun 3 10 nl 2818

ORDINANCE SUMMARY

At their regular meeting on May 20, 2020, the West Sacramento City Council adopted by the vote noted below Ordinance 20-6 authorizing an amendment to the contract between the City Council of the City of West Sacramento and the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees' Retirement System to take effect on June 19, 2020.

Guerrero, Orozco,

Cabaldon NOES: None. None.

ABSENT: The full text of this ordinance is available in the City Clerk's Office, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691. nl 2819 May 27

PUBLIC NOTICE Sacramento-Yolo Port District, Grantee of FTZ 143 Sacramento-Yolo Port District

B-027-2020 Foreign-Trade Zone 143 – Sacramento, California Application for Subzone; LiCAP Technologies,

Sacramento, California An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Board by the Sacramento-Yolo Port District, grantee of FTZ 143, requesting a production subzone for the facility of LiCAP Technologies. located in Sacramento, California. The application was submitted pursuant to the provisions of the Foreign-Trade Zones Act, as

amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), and the regulations of the FTZ Board (15 CFR part 400). It was formally docketed on May 15, 2020.

The production subzone proposed is located at 9795 Business Park Drive, Sacramento, California, 95827. The proposed subzone would be subject to the existing activation limit of FTZ 143. In accordance with the FTZ Board's regulations, Qahira El-Amin of the FTZ Staff is the designated examiner to review the application and make recommendations to the Executive Secretary.

Public comment is invited from interested parties. The closing period for their receipt is June 24, 2020. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period until July 9, 2020.

A copy of the application is available for public inspection on the Sacramento-Yolo Port District's website: Sacramento-Yolo Port FTZ-143 and at the FTZ Board website, www.trade.gov/ftz. For information, contact Diane Richards dianer@cityofwestsacramento. org or Meaghan Stiles at the Port mstiles@cityofwestsacramento.org. Diane Richards, FTZ Administrator Grantee, FTZ-143

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into something real. I wanted to make sure we got to the group of people that really needed the help and she took the time and had the know-how to help me do it."

Offering Help

Jasmine Hale went on Next-Door and offered food for any neighbors who may have lost a job and may be low on funds or were just in need.

"I freaked out the first week, like pretty much everyone I think. But, after that initial dark week I recognized that I'm very fortunate to be sheltering in place in a nice home with lots of space, a big yard, plenty of food, and a good job I can work from home at. So, I tried an experiment to help lower my own anxiety and get outside myself and did my first act of kindness, making a brighten-your-day gift bag for a couple of local healthcare workers. Since then, I've kept up with my daily acts and it's helped me tremendously. Sometimes they are local in nature, other times they're for people and friends I know elsewhere.'

The requests were simple things: "One lady indicated she was older and afraid to go to the stores right now because she has lung issues. She only asked for carrots."

"A single mom [who recently lost her job] with a little girl who only wanted some dinosaur shaped chicken nuggets and ranch dressing."



And, of course, Lysol spray.

Of course, Jasmine gave more than they asked for, aiming for about a week's worth of food, "I bought a big bag with lots of fresh veggies and a few bags of groceries with all the foods my own little niece eats, Dino nuggets and ranch included!"

Why? "I have zero control over a pandemic, the economy, etc. but I can control how I respond to this and be a part of trying to ensure that the community I return to feels supported, not abandoned. I strongly believe that community who works together will ultimately allow us to recover in a better, faster way overall."

With all the generosity going around, she reflects, "Americans are a kind and generous people, but we are also a culture that says people need to pick themselves up by their own bootstraps. So I imagine it's not easy to ask for help." It's no wonder that offers to help on her NextDoor thread outnumbered requests by more than four-to-one.

Hopefully this serves to remind our neighbors who may be facing challenges right now, you are surrounded by a loving, generous community who is eagerly seeking for ways to help. We just need you to let us know what you need.

Jasmine also wanted to add a memory from late March, "When our grocery stores looked like ransacked post-apocalyptic scenes from Zombieland or Mad Max." She had already been to multiple grocery stores in search of her daily English muffins (carbs are comfort foods!), "I had a full on melt down in an abandoned bread aisle at Nugget (on Greenhaven) and was muttering to myself the unspeakable ills I wished upon all the newfound English muffin hoarders!" After collecting herself, she thought, "Why not ask if the store could just save me a box or two when they come in?" She didn't expect much, but a week later, she got the call she hoped for. "I know it's completely inconsequential in all of this, but just as I was able to brighten other's days, the Nugget brightened mine with

two little boxes of muffins!"





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