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## Adventure to the Peak of South Butte



In the foreground is Sutter Butte's cinder cone, remnants of a volcanic eruption that occurred 1.6 to 1.4 million years ago. This particular view is only visible from the peak of South Butte which, at 2,122 feet, stands as the highest point in all of Sutter County.

Story and photos by Shamaya Sutton

#### SUTTER COUNTY, CA (MPG)

- A familiar sight for residents is the Sutter Buttes cinder cone, remnants of a volcanic eruption that occurred 1.6 to 1.4 million years ago. This view is only visible from the peak of South Butte which, at 2,122 feet, stands as the highest point in all of Sutter County.

On Nov. 9, 17 lucky visitors summited South Butte with Tor Broadcasting Corporation members to take in the views and learn more about the extensive

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Tourists attempt to mount the last few yards of South Butte on foot following a series of game trails. This tour was conducted by Tor Broadcasting as part of the annual California Swan Festival.

## Public Youth Center Opens at Adventure Church

Story and photos by Shamaya Sutton

#### YUBA CITY, CA (MPG)

- Just over a year ago, pastor Greg Mansur was announcing the opening of Adventure Church's new location after a lengthy renovation process.

Back then, he and his team had alluded to their dream of incorporating a public youth center but the details of how that would work were still unclear. As community members grieved the loss of Nu Generation Lanes, a bowling alley in Yuba City that decided to close, the desire to bring the youth center to life intensified. The old bowling alley had become the new location for Adventure Church, a 13-year-old organization with an established reputation for being community-minded.

"From day one, we had determined that we were gonna do something to give back," said Mansur. "We recognized the need and we're part of this community and we wanted to be part of the solution."

That solution was found in Tracy Mansur, Greg Mansur's wife, who comes with an extensive background in both education and special education. With their youngest child now graduated from high school, Tracy was happy to start filling her "empty nest" with a new project.

"There's a huge need for our youth in our community," said Tracy Mansur. "Going to our youth group and being a part of the youth group at our church, I noticed that the kids just need a safe place, a supervised place to come."

After Tracy Mansur quit her job with the county and built a team of well-vetted volunteers, the Mansurs were ready to open the Youth Center's doors to the public. Their official start date was Sept. 3 and the center now follows the same academic calendar as Yuba City Unified School District. When school is in session, the center will be open from 3 to 6 p.m. Mondays through Fridays for sixth- through 12th-graders. During this time, youth can participate in a variety of activities such as ping-pong, pool, arcade games and a highly popular game, "Nine Square."

"It's kind of like volleyball and foursquare," Tracy Mansur said. "That's the biggest thing here, the kids love it, it's very competitive and it's really been fun to play."

Aside from free games and Wi-Fi, students can

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## Veterans Day Parade Fills Marysville with Patriotic Pride

Story and photos by Chris Pedigo

#### MARYSVILLE, CA (MPG)

- Marysville awakened on a rainy day in November and was greeted by American flags appearing on fences, on people's front porches and lining the streets of downtown Marysville. Monday, Nov. 11 was Veterans Day all over America and a grateful nation came out to honor those who have served and are currently serving in the military.

As the wind and rain lashed D street, the flags whipped, and the 2024 Veterans Day parade came to life as the organizers moved around organizing parade participants and getting ready for this time-honored tradition.

Nearing the parade's start time, a sense of excitement took hold, not just for the parade itself but the sense of nostalgia. You see and feel the comradery between veterans of the branches of the military,



Waving American Flags could be seen everywhere, including on vehicles such as this tractor that made its way down the Marysville Veterans Day parade route.

even from different eras, as they come together; Their stories are retold, tearful hugs of joy between veterans are exchanged and moments of heartfelt silence observed as they reminisce about fallen colleagues of years past.

The buglers play as the parade starts, a silent

hush falls across the D street, echoing across this great country as the time strikes the eleventh hour on the eleventh day. There is no sound except that of silence for those who have passed on - the noise of a busy nation goes quiet.

Now with a flourish the parade starts - colors

that don't run leading the parade down Marysville's historic downtown streets as our hearts swell with patriotic pride.

Families and friends line the streets holding their American flags, cheering to honor our veterans as they march through

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# Veterans Day Parade Fills Marysville with Patriotic Pride



Thank a Veteran! This young lady reminds us to honor our Veterans, rain or shine!



The mother of a little girl hands this year's Grand Marshal Obie Wickersham a hand colored card made by her daughter thanking him for his service.

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 the town in uniform. School children hold signs and wave flags as their parents and grandparents look on, sharing in this American experience.

As the parade moves down the street you can feel the town come alive as it always does on Veterans Day, as Marysville celebrates the service of our veterans to the cause of freedom for us at home and around the globe.

The parade itself is filled with veterans of all branches of military service and community groups all out to celebrate our Veterans.

As we celebrate our veterans on this rainy day in November, we should remember the wind and rain we endured today, to honor our Veterans, can't compete with the cold and mud experienced by our veterans in the trenches of World War I or II, the blustery weather on the beaches of Normandy, the bitter cold of Korea, the monsoons in Northeast Asia or windswept deserts of the Middle East.

So, when you see a veteran thank them for their service, not just on Veterans Day, but on every day. ★



This veteran proudly carries his daughter down the Marysville Veterans Day parade route.



Yuba County Sheriff Wendell Anderson waves from atop an armored vehicle at Monday's Marysville Veterans Day Parade.



Air Force ROTC pays respects to veterans of all branches of military by carrying a uniform hat from each branch. ROTC officers seen here are carrying a white US Navy hat and black US Air Force hat in front of them as they march along the parade route.

## Stories from The Great Zelito Flea Circus by Bill Crocker

*A collection of humorous essays about the funny side of life*

### Haggis MacGregor, Golfer Médiocre

The modern game of golf is a Scottish invention and early competition evolved into serious battles between neighboring clubs of fierce men sporting red beards and wearing tartans and kilts. There is no proof the word golf is an acronym for gentlemen only, ladies forbidden, but this was certainly true in the early days. Now, women are free to play the game, but only on Tuesdays.

Golfing terms abound and some are quite confusing. Let's follow Haggis MacGregor as he adjusts his kilt, shoves his tarter forward on his head, and resolves to make par on the first hole at the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of Loch Feeth an Fart.

Haggis removes the driver from his bag, a club with a large titanium head the size of a ten-pound bowling ball that is sometimes called a number one metal wood. Originally, such club heads were made of wood and called woods, but no more. However, the golfing fraternity has been unable to come to grips with this fact. To call the club "a metal" seems silly. So the term metal wood has stuck. This sort of twisted logic seems normal to a golfer.

The driver is only used at the beginning of a hole, and the ball is teed up on

a small wooden spike. This club is excellent for slicing or hooking the golf ball. A slice is described as hitting the ball in a beautiful, though undesirable arc away from the body. A hook is in the opposite direction. Haggis follows his serious slice into the next fairway by screaming the word FORE to alert others that a small, dimpled, spherical missile is on its way in their direction. Without exception, everyone immediate turns to look in the direction of Haggis's frantic voice instead of heeding the warning and diving for the ground. His drive has sliced so much that he finds himself still 170 yards from the green.

After following proper golfing etiquette detailed in The Very Polite and Extensive Golfing Etiquette Manual that requires the slicer to wait until the fairway in which he finds himself is clear, Haggis pulls out a fairway metal wood and contemplates his second shot. A fairway metal wood is a club with a smaller metal head that is used on the fairway for shorter distances. It is often used for smashing the ball into the ground or "topping" it with a mighty swing that is intended to make up the ground lost in the previous errant shot.

Haggis's swipe is very mighty. He loses his balance on the downswing, his feet

leave the ground, and his body twists ninety degrees in the air, ending up facing in the direction of the ball. In doing so, his kilt flairs up high enough to expose his undergarment, or the lack of one. Now, anyone who has seen the movie Braveheart knows there is at least one practical reason for the lack of an undergarment: a battlefield backside display directed at those steamin' English trolls.

Looking up to follow the ball's path, Haggis realizes he has "topped" the ball, and it has come to rest in a divot, approximately eighty yards ahead. A divot is a club head sized hole created by a previous golfer who took a bit of sod along with his ball. Unfortunately, The Very Extensive and Detailed Rules of Golf Manual states Haggis cannot move his ball and must play out of the divot.

It is here Haggis switches from metal woods to irons. Of course, to follow the trend of misnaming clubs, irons actually have club heads made of steel. He chooses a long iron, a number five. He brings the club back in an impressive arc and starts his downswing. Using way too much wrist action, he scoops the ball high into the air. The ball momentarily disappears into a layer of fog, suddenly reappears, smashes into a sprinkler head, careens off to

the right, and comes to rest just next to the green.

Frustration is setting in. This hole is a par three and 191 yards long. Haggis has expended three strokes and has yet to reach the green. The term par is used to indicate the number of strokes that should be expended from drive to final putt. But Haggis is not a good golfer. He is a double bogey golfer and yearns to play bogey golf. A bogey is one stroke more than par per hole. There are a couple of other terms for the number of strokes in relation to par, but they are foreign to Haggis's brand of golf.

Okay, now Haggis is ready for the big push: a chip close to the cup and one putt for a double bogey. He takes a backswing for a short distance shot but comes down on top of the ball. The ball scoots onto the green in a rather embarrassing manner and rolls past the cup.

The last club to be used is a putter. A putter has a small head with its face perpendicular to the putting surface, the green. Haggis lines up the putt, takes into consideration the slant of the green's surface, its growth pattern, the direction and speed of the wind, the humidity, the time of day, and the earth's rotation and completes his stroke. The ball rolls toward the cup in a

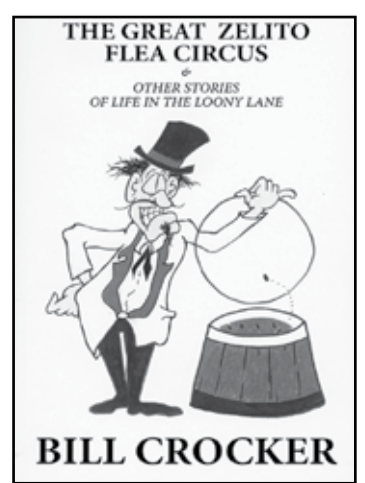


magnificent, harmonious arc. Success is assured. However, one foot in front of the cup is a spot of pigeon poop. Haggis's ball rolls over the right edge of the deposit and stops one-half inch in front of the cup. In a fit of pure frustration and rage, Haggis picks up the ball, heaves it into the nearby pond, shoulders his bag, and heads back to the clubhouse to drown himself in a pint of Guinness.

Standing at the bar with his brew, Haggis is heard to mutter, "The game is an evil an' leaè me nought but grief an' pain."

The barkeep asks, "Haggis MacGregor, are ye finally quittin' the game?"

"Nae' what do ye think? I'm a golfer," responds Haggis. ★



# Adventure To the Peak of South Butte



These expansive views are only visible from the decks of Tor Broadcasting at the peak of South Butte in Sutter County.

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broadcasting and communication systems housed there. This rare and exciting opportunity was brought to the community as part of the annual California Swan Festival.

"When I heard about going up, I was on it," said a local photographer named Victor. "I never thought I'd get the opportunity."

Said Liza Whitmore, a former Caltrans public information officer, "I'd heard a lot about this place and saw that it was opening up but to actually have a tour, I knew I had to get tickets."

The day's tour guides included Ed Hulbert, CEO, and Jake Kley, general manager of Tor Broadcasting, alongside employees Matt Ellis and Hayden Kalfsbeek. Tor Broadcasting is a subsidiary company of Colusa Industrial Properties in Colusa. Its job is to develop and maintain communication buildings and towers on South Butte in the Sutter Buttes Mountain Range. The Nov. 9 participants met about 8 a.m.

and followed these men in through a private access gate off Pass Road in Sutter.

From there, guests were divided into specially equipped trucks to make the difficult ascent up South Butte. Tor Broadcasting's experienced drivers headed out slowly, caravan style up a one lane road full of treacherous switchbacks. The jagged 2.5-mile path was pioneered in the 1960s with just equipment off the ranch and a pickup load of dynamite.

"Today, we probably couldn't permit to build the road and we probably couldn't afford it; the cost would be staggering today," Hulbert said. "You don't want people driving up here anyway because bad things are gonna happen."

As Kley maneuvered through a three-point turn onto the next steep hill, he pointed out a spot where he once had a truck's axle break on him.

"I dumped the material right behind the truck just to keep it from going over the edge. Then we brought the backhoe up to clear it

out ... that was one of the times it scared me," he said.

The land surrounding South Butte is privately-owned, many owners being fourth- or fifth-generation farmers and ranchers. Through property easements, Tor Broadcasting maintains access to its towers and future broadcasting developments. Most of the previous South Butte tours have been conducted to educate landowners on Tor Broadcasting's operations and the surveying of current or potential customers. Trespassing is strictly prohibited.

"It's restrictive; we do a few of these tours but we're always sensitive to the landowners and the property we cross so that makes it difficult for us to do this," said Hulbert.

While the ride might not have been pleasant for some, the expansive views more than made up for the bumps. At the top, visitors had the choice of riding a tram or trekking the rest on foot to the peak. Those who dared for the latter were met with a steep incline and loose gravelly footholds that left everyone breathless. While adventurous, those who chose the footpath opted for the tram on the way back.

"It's incredible to see it up close like this," said Mike Alexander, who works for Frank M. Booth in Marysville and owns about 10 acres of land near the Butte's base. "We toured Dean's Place as well yesterday; I think I'd like to become a tour guide for Middle Mountain once I retire."

With virtually no wind, Hulbert and his team remarked that it was the perfect time to visit the peak. They try to monitor the weather for days like this that make it easier for them to work and check their equipment. The only downside was the haziness which obscured a bit of the view. However, on a clear day, it was said one could see straight out 200

miles or so to the skyscrapers of Sacramento in the south and the top of Mount Shasta to the north.

"The views don't get old, the best time is the spring when it's green, but it's also cool when it's foggy because the peaks look like their floating islands," said Ellis, who has worked up there dozens of times.

The communication towers at the peak are bolted to square cement slabs embedded straight into the rock. A somewhat rickety staircase leads to a three-tiered wooden deck that wraps around various tower access points. Six air-controlled units, two at the lower levels and four at the top, house all their clients' computers and circuit boards to protect them from heat damage. Temperature monitoring, control and an operational alarm system can be accessed and controlled remotely via computer or smartphone with internet connection. Two backup generators and a 24-hour surveillance system aids in both security and maintenance.

"Everything up here is built by hand, you can't take a concrete truck up this road, so all the concrete and all the big footings you see, they're massive, were all poured with a hand mixer," said Hulbert.

The first lower communication site on South Butte was constructed in 1967 by L.A. Otterson, founder of Tor Broadcasting, when communication industries were in their early stages and Otterson saw the Buttes as prime location for an antenna. In 1973, a lease on the upper side was negotiated and the first 240-foot tower was built by hand in the mid-1980s.

By the 2000s, the company needed more room and commissioned another 240-foot tower to be built. This one was constructed in 2008 with the aid of a sky crane helicopter at the price of \$12,000 per hour.



A group of visitors ride the tram up to the peak of South Butte in Sutter County with members of Tor Broadcasting on Saturday as part of the annual California Swan Festival. Below is a short view of the winding one-lane road.



A series of staircases, catwalks and overlook decks lead to various access points to communication towers and equipment located on the peak of South Butte in Sutter County.

Crews had to wait for the perfect non-windy day to get this done and completed the project in about three-and-a-half hours.

"The helicopters are costly but it's about time and safety for crews," added Hulbert.

The risk involved with climbing these towers can lead to abandoned equipment that could sit for a number of years before being dismantled. A few years back, Kley negotiated the removal of a dish during the installation of a new customer's equipment. "We don't have climbers so that saved us a bit of money," said Kley. "Sometimes it's about waiting for the right opportunity."

Today, Tor Broadcasting's site serves approximately 50 customers with PG&E being

among their largest. Current services include two-way radio, microwave communication, paging, cellular, wireless internet, FM Radio, atmospheric data collection, weather cam, geological monitoring, wireless TV, education programming, law enforcement communication and ham radio.

Currently, T-Mobile is the only broadband cell phone company utilizing the South Butte peak. Kley explained that other cell phone carriers have started investing in multiple towers along freeways that can be easier to reach.

Tor Broadcasting said that its newest project will be to replace the aging 80-foot tower on the Lower Site with a new tower that meets the current building codes and will have expanded capacity. ★



The crags and spires of South Butte intermingle with various communication towers, dishes, and antennas creating an otherworldly landscape



The interior of a community vault is referred to as "spaghetti mess" by Jake Kley, general manager of Tor Broadcasting. This air-conditioned unit, located at the peak of South Butte in Sutter County, protects important circuit boards and computers against heat damage.

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# One Issue Trump and Newsom Agree On? Homeless Encampments

By Marisa Kendall  
CALMatters.org

When President-elect Donald Trump moves into the White House in January, he will become a key figure in California's homelessness crisis, holding the federal purse strings and setting policy at the national level.

So what will this change of power mean for the state as it tries to move its nearly 186,000 homeless residents — the most in the nation — indoors?

Housing and homeless services experts in California worry the Trump administration will cut federal funding in those areas, while also doing away with policies deemed too "progressive."

But surprisingly, based on what he's said so far about one of the key issues regarding homelessness, Trump's agenda isn't much different from Gov. Gavin Newsom's. Trump pledged to tackle the encampments that have made cities "unlivable" by working with states to ban urban camping and arrest those who don't comply — something many cities in California started doing before Election Day, as Newsom encouraged them to clear camps.

"The homeless have no right to turn every park and sidewalk into a place for them to squat and do drugs," Trump said in a campaign video posted online in April 2023. The video appears to be the last time he revealed specific homelessness policy intentions.

"There is nothing compassionate about letting these individuals live in filth and squalor rather than getting them the help that they need," Trump said.

Newsom, who in most other arenas is one of Trump's biggest foes, has said nearly the exact same thing.

"There is no compassion in allowing people to suffer the indignity of living in an encampment



Gov. Gavin Newsom has endorsed the sweeping of homeless encampments. Photo by Jules Hotz for CalMatters

for years and years," Newsom said in September before signing a package of housing bills. In July, Newsom ordered state agencies to ramp up encampment sweeps, and he threatened to withhold state funding from cities that fail to do the same.

More than two-dozen California cities and counties already have introduced or passed new ordinances cracking down on camps (or updated existing ones to make them more punitive), after the Supreme Court gave them the green light to do so in June.

Trump also said he would move unhoused people to tent cities staffed with doctors and social workers.

That plan alarmed Alex

Visotzky, senior California policy fellow for the National Alliance to End Homelessness.

"We need to remember that involuntary carceral approaches don't work and just delay our efforts to end homelessness," he said.

If Trump pushes these policies at the national level, especially if he offers federal funding for sweeps and tent cities, it could spur California cities to further crack down, Visotzky said.

As the Trump administration gets to work replacing the heads of federal agencies such as the U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness, there's a good chance policies California has come to rely on will get tossed

out along the way, said Sharon Rapport, director of California state policy for the Corporation for Supportive Housing. The new guard likely will scrap at least some policies viewed as the gold standard in California, such as "housing first," which says unhoused people, even those struggling with an addiction or their mental health, should be offered housing with no strings attached, and then services to help them recover.

It's also a good bet California would see large cuts to funding for federal housing and homelessness programs — including the voucher program that subsidizes rents for hundreds of thousands of Californians, Rapport said.

That's worrying for organizations such as Abode, which provides housing and other services for homeless Californians in seven counties.

"Federal funding is the brunt of what we receive either directly or through other entities, so it could be really impactful if there's a huge reduction," said CEO Vivian Wan. "It's just going to hurt all of our communities."

Marisa Kendall covers California's homelessness crisis for CalMatters. With more than six years of experience navigating this complex topic, Kendall has won multiple awards for her sensitive, comprehensive coverage. ★

## California Will Likely Feel the Consequences of Donald Trump's Decisive Victory



By Dan Walters,  
CALMatters.org

Elections have consequences, as California is likely to learn when Donald Trump once again moves into the White House.

The state has been a bastion of anti-Trump sentiment ever since the bombastic billionaire real estate tycoon first ventured into politics nearly a decade ago.

Its political figures — particularly Gov. Gavin Newsom, former House Speaker Nancy Pelosi and U.S. Senator-elect Adam Schiff — have sought and achieved notoriety for their public denunciations of Trump.

Trump has responded in kind. As president, he attempted to thwart some California policies, such as its reductions of farmers' supplies, and as a candidate portraying Vice President Kamala Harris's home state as a hellhole of crime and social decay.

There's no reason to believe that Trump, despite election night promises to bridge the nation's stark conflicts, will not continue using California as a punching bag during his second stint as president.

The agricultural water conflict is likely to resurface because the state is still trying to reduce farmers' share. Trump's promised crack-

down on undocumented immigrants would likely have its greatest impact on California. The state's aggressive crusade to reduce reliance on carbon-based fuels will conflict with Trump's pledge to ramp up oil and gas production.

That's just three points of friction between California and Trump's second presidency, and many more are out there such as gun control and transgender participation in women's sports.

California officialdom appears ready for four years of confrontation. On election night, Assembly Speaker Robert Rivas told Politico, "California will do everything we can to protect America from Donald Trump." Attorney General Rob Bonta promised to wage legal battles against Trump on gun control and abortion rights, telling the political news outlet, "We have gone down to the detail of what court do we file in."

Positioning as a Trump foe is a slam dunk tactic for California politicians, especially those, such as Bonta, who may aspire to succeed Newsom as governor two years hence.

But, one might wonder, what does Harris's defeat and Trump's victory bode for Newsom? He will no doubt lead the opposition if Trump tries to punish the state, as he anticipated in a recent interview.

"They're not going to wait to wind up. It's ready, fire, aim — not ready, aim, fire," Newsom said. "And that is going to create a dynamic that will be profound in two senses — from a governing perspective and also from a political attack perspective."

However, would he take the next step of joining

what will be a clutch of Democratic politicians angling to succeed Trump in 2028?

While laboriously building a national political profile in the last two years, Newsom repeatedly denied any ambition of becoming a presidential candidate, saying at one point he has "sub-zero interest."

National political media never bought the line and continued to portray him as a potential aspirant for the White House. However, whatever ambition Newsom may have had if Joe Biden bowed out this year was dashed when Democratic leaders immediately anointed Harris as the substitute.

Her decisive defeat probably means that she has hit the political ceiling, particularly since initial election night finger-pointing dwelled on her shortcomings as a candidate, as well as the Democratic Party. The door is now open for Newsom to run, unless he truly intends to finish out his second term as governor and return to life as a restaurateur and wine merchant.

Newsom has spent half of his 57 years climbing up the political ladder, one rung at a time. Is he really willing to give it up? What he does in the coming months, either entering the Democratic Party's forthcoming battle royale or exiting the national political arena, will answer the question.

Dan Walters is one of most decorated and widely syndicated columnists in California history, authoring a column four times a week that offers his view and analysis of the state's political, economic, social and demographic trends. ★



Dave Ramsey

Dear Dave,

My wife and I have paid off all our consumer debt, and we're in Baby Step 3 building up our emergency fund to six months of expenses. When do you recommend buying a new car in the process? Do we have to wait until we've finished all the Baby Steps?

— Aaron

Dear Aaron,

Congratulations! You two are taking really positive steps forward in gaining control of your finances. I'm proud of you!

Ok, I'm not sure if you're talking about buying a newer car—like a great two- or three-year-old model—or an actual new car. I don't advise buying a brand new car, unless you have a net worth of at least \$1 million. Why? Because at that point, you've got enough assets that you won't get rocked by the crazy depreciation that comes with buying a brand new vehicle.

Don't get all down after hearing this. I'm not saying you should drive a junker until you pay off your house. I recommend that people drive the minimum they can in terms of a car until they complete the first three Baby Steps. As you already know, Baby Step 1 is a beginner emergency fund of \$1,000. Baby Step 2 is paying off all debt except for your home, and Baby

## Dave Ramsey Says Imitate Successful Behavior This Isn't Just a Dispute

Step 3 is fully funding your emergency fund with three to six months of expenses.

After you've accomplished the first three steps, then you can move up to a nicer car. Notice I didn't say move up to a new car. I want you to save up cash, and get a really nice, slightly used car—one that someone else has taken the big hit in depreciation on. That's what the typical millionaire does.

And I want you to model your financial behavior after people who are in the position you want to be in one day!

— Dave

### This Isn't Just a Dispute

Dear Dave,

Recently, my husband and I discovered that his ex-wife used his Social Security number to open three or four credit card accounts. We've called the credit card companies, and we've disputed the charges and explained the situation. Is there anything else we can do?

— Kendra

Dear Kendra,

File a police report immediately, and if possible, have this woman arrested. That may sound harsh, but the fact is she has committed criminal fraud. That's not something you, or anyone else, should take lightly. If you haven't already, make sure you both also put fraud victim alerts

on your credit reports immediately.

I'm very serious about this, Kendra. Don't stop with just alerting the credit card companies. You should be speaking with, and communicating via email—plus snail mail—directly with the fraud victim division at every credit card company involved. And here's the really important part. Make sure they understand that this is a denial of responsibility on your part—not simply a dispute.

Try to be nice, and let them know you're sorry this happened. But clearly explain that all these charges are the result of a criminal act perpetrated against you. You may have to stand your ground with some of the credit card companies, because they might try to lay a guilt trip on you—or outright lie—to get you to pay the bills. Don't do it. These charges are not your responsibility. I'm really sorry this happened to you folks.

— Dave

Dave Ramsey is a national best-selling author, personal finance expert and host of *The Ramsey Show*, heard by more than 20 million listeners each week. He has appeared on *Good Morning America*, *CBS Mornings*, *Today Show*, *Fox News*, *CNN*, *Fox Business*, and many more. Since 1992, Dave has helped people regain control of their money, build wealth and enhance their lives. He also serves as CEO for the company, *Ramsey Solutions*. ★

# City of Marysville Takes Steps to Open State Highway 70

**City of Marysville News Release**

**MARYSVILLE, CA (MPG)** - At its regular meeting on Nov. 5, the Marysville City Council directed City Manager Jim Schaad to secure financing and contracts for work on the Hotel Marysville structure such that normal traffic patterns can be restored within a reasonably short time frame.

Marysville Mayor Chris Branscum said, "The exact timing and capital required and sources of capital to do the work on the portion of the structure that is at risk of collapse are to be determined. That said, the estimated cost is in the range of \$800,000 and the target date of completion

and re-opening normal traffic patterns is January 2025."

City Manager Schaad said, "In real time, city management and staff are working with regional partners to arrange financing and in parallel organizing engineering and demolition assets and associated costs. Once those pieces come together and are approved by the City Council, deliberate action will be taken to restore normal traffic patterns."

Schaad went on to say, "The city and hotel property owner interests remain in communication with a view to resolving their differences regarding the overall disposition of the hotel structure and property and its costs and burdens." ★

## Goodbye Betty Boop



**By Kathy Craigo Harteis**

Betty Jo Shepherd - A woman known by many names; Mama, Mama Jo, Aunt Betty, Grandma, daughter, sister, and affectionately Betty Boop. Beautiful, loving, kind and adored by so many of us.

Betty loved her family without measure. She literally stopped to smell the flowers, was curious and knowledgeable about the world around her. She appreciated all that God has created.

This week I'm in California fulfilling my Aunt Betty's request that I officiate her service. What an honor. I am truly blessed that she entrusted me with her last wishes. Although she was my aunt we grew up as sisters.

She was a free spirit.

She loved life, people and the Lord. And in return all that met her loved her. It will be hard to imagine life without her but her take on departure was different.

Once on one of many ambulance rides to the ER she told her daughter not to worry. "Either way this goes, it's a win win for me," she said.

"Welcome to the party. I wish I could take you with me, but I'll see you when you get there," she said during departing days.

Betty was ready and she knew that it was time to reap her rewards. She truly is at peace. So many of my family members have passed. Our once huge family gatherings have changed. Betty had two daughters; Sonya and Dana. Both of those beautiful girls are gifts to our family. From there Betty's Dynasty was born. She has been embraced and loved by the girls, their children and their children's children. A dynasty indeed.

Once when my photographer friend Nikki Wilkerson (Hancock) came to photograph the

wedding of Betty's grandson Jese she was quite impressed with the family. "There's not an ugly one in the bunch," she said. She was right. Betty's Dynasty is filled with beautiful people inside and out.

I learned a lot of things from our beloved Betty Boop. As I've read her notes and journals in preparation for the service I've learned even more. I pray that I can be as strong, faithful and loving as she has been. She struggled for a long time, but now she can breathe easy and continue to dance as she is reunited with loved ones who went before her.

Because I have the privilege of honoring her one last time; Life is good today.

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## Well, I'm Glad That's Over

A billion and a half or so dollars later and here we sit with a new president elect. Has the cost to run a presidential election grown to an amount so large as to have to add another zero to the million dollar mark?

Both candidates spent a ton of money and I think of all the places and people that money could have helped. Instead, all those greenbacks evaporated into the coffers of radio, TV, social media and print companies trying to convince one another that his or her candidate was the solution to all our country's ills and at the same time, avoid the firing up of the trains to haul us all away to internment camps.

What a fecal demonstration.

Maybe we should just have candidates print up their resume and master plans for the future and send that out by mail to every U.S. citizen in the country and be done with it.

Looking far into the future, with inflation likely to continue for decades, is it possible the cost to run a presidential campaign to touch a trillion dollars at some point?

Don't scoff too quickly. If you would have told a founding father that a billion plus dollars would be spent trying to decide who would occupy the White House, they would have thought you were certifiable.

Yet here we are.

Honestly, way before Election Day I felt sorry for whoever won.

Yea, I know both candidates promised to solve inflation, end the wars, stop racism, lower housing costs and get a handle on our southern borders. The chance of that all occurring no matter who got the nod however is as unlikely to happen as powering all our electric needs from a field of jelly beans.

That's not to say good things might have come from either candidate. The probability, at least in my opinion, some things hopefully will improve, but the chance of any one candidate harnessing inflation in the next few years is slim to none.

Not to be too doom and gloom and draw the ire of a nasty letter to the proverbial editor. But I can comfortably say that five decades of economic study gives me at least some insight as to how things work economically speaking. And I am not talking about reading a few headlines in the morning news and then mounting my editorial soapbox to pretend I know something about how the world of money works.

So here goes.

My pity for the new president elect, no matter who it turned out to be, was one of simply hitting the keys of my trusty, dusty

calculator and seeing the big E show up on the screen, meaning there can be no more math entered that yields a comprehensible answer.

In plain English, it means the U.S. government, by the twisting the arm of the central bank of the U.S., the Federal Reserve, has printed up way too much money from air over the past five decades as to dilute the value of each dollar we hold.

So much so, everything now costs a lot more than it used to. And I mean a lot more. And it's just in the past few years has it finally reached critical mass and ignited the fires of inflation to the point where we all finally notice it, despite what the government tells us.

Even during the time leading up to the election, we were told things were getting better. But apparently voters didn't buy it. So say the Gallup Pollsters, citing the economy as the number one issue going into the election.

In the words of James Carville, political consultant for many years who said in 1992: "It's the economy stupid".

And no amount of assurance by a billion dollars' worth of ads or the proverbial letters to the editor apparently can convince us otherwise.

And no, inflation is not any one administration's fault so don't send those complaint letters in just yet. Administrations for decades have kept open the money spigot on government spending and the tsunami of CoVid relief spending was just the proverbial snowflake that ignited the avalanche of higher prices we now are witnessing.

In conclusion, I do feel sorry for the new man on campus. President Trump will have his hands full addressing all the things he wants to accomplish. Unfortunately however, in my opinion, lowering prices to any significant level will be at least one thing he won't be able to do.

Truth be told, it would take a whole lot more than a President to rein in inflation. And I will cover that in next week's article.

**"Watching the markets so you don't have to"**

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## Food & Farm NEWS

### Achieving Organic Targets May Require Creating New Markets

In April, Gov. Gavin Newsom's administration announced California will aim to convert 10% of its cropland to organic agriculture by 2030. Those targets could be a heavy lift in light of recent trends in organic acreage. In 2022, the most recent year with data reported, about 4% of the state's cropland was organic, and after years of expansion, the share of acreage that was organic had declined for two straight years. Some stakeholders are pushing for the state government—as a major food buyer for schools, prisons and other publicly funded institutions—to leverage its purchasing power to create the market needed for California to achieve its goals.

### State Water Board Announces Draft Updates to Bay-Delta Plan

California water officials are taking another step forward as part of a broader process to improve conditions for struggling fish populations in the San Francisco Bay and the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta and its tributaries. Last week, the California State Water Resources Control Board announced draft updates for the Sacramento River and Delta phase of the state's water quality control plan, known as the Bay-Delta plan. Thad Bettner, executive director of the Sacramento River Settlement Contractors, a group that holds contracts with the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation to divert water from the Sacramento River, said the draft updates mark the beginning of the implementation process, which he said "could have significant impacts on agriculture and the environment."

### Farmers are in peak season producing Japanese dried persimmons

Otow Orchard in Placer County is in full swing producing hoshigaki, traditional Japanese dried persimmons. Each year, farm owners Tosh and Chris Kuratomi set aside some of the persimmons grown on their 40-acre property, and over about three to six weeks, hand-peel the fruit, string it onto a rack and massage it every three to five days until it's sufficiently dried into a sugary delicacy. They then package it and sell it at their farmstand and by mail order. This year's persimmon crop has been plentiful but with small fruit, Tosh Kuratomi said, adding that he's almost running out of rack space. As usual, customer demand nearly is exceeding supply, even at a cost of \$60 per pound mail order or \$37 per pound at the farm stand.

### Online Grocery Shopping Continues to Gain Popularity

A recent report from the U.S. Department of Agriculture highlights a significant shift toward online grocery shopping in the U.S. It notes that about one in five individuals who typically do household grocery shopping made an online purchase in the past month. Shoppers most likely to shop online were women, ages 15-24, non-Hispanic White, married or partnered, from a household with young children and more educated. Time constraints were the top reason for shopping online. Pickup and delivery options were used almost equally. USDA noted that the rise in online grocery shopping presents opportunities to improve food access, encourage healthier choices and reshape the grocery retail landscape. ★



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Because of the approaching holiday season, there are a few special events coming up: Foothill Thrift Shop Bazaar (watch for signs), Hometown Christmas at the museum on Nov. 30, and the Peddler's Fair on Dec. 7-8 at Ponderosa Community Center. Watch for flyers and Facebook for details.

There was a good turn out for the breakfast last Sunday. It is fun to see so many people eating together, enjoying their visit. In December it will not be held on the second Sunday because that is the weekend of the Peddler's Fair. We will have breakfast on the next Sunday: Dec.15. Hopefully, Santa will visit, too. There is a very interesting Special on the menu planned for that day.

There are a few book clubs in our area and it is fun to read and discuss books. Two are held at Books & More: one meets every Wednesday and we all read the same book and other one meets on the last Wednesday of each month and have a monthly theme. They both meet at 1:00. The holiday season will bring some changes, so you might want to check by calling first (530 675-3275). We would love to start a children/teen book group, too. Want to help?

**Keri's School News** - Tuesday November 12th, Yuba Water Agency held a Water Conservation Presentation at Yuba Feather School. Thank You Yuba Water Agency!

**Friday** November 15th, Report Cards go home. Parents BOLO

**Saturday** November 16th, Girls On The Run will be meeting at Lower Bidwell Park,

Chico. Thank You Ms.Tesha for All you do!

**Monday** November 18th, Yuba Feather Site Council & CCSP Meeting. Please join us. We would love to hear from you and value your input. (3pm at Yuba Feather)

**Tuesday** November 19th, 10-10:45 at Yuba Feather, MCAA will be performing Seussical. Thank You Ms. Jahsehline for arranging it. It's sure to be a good time!

**Thursday** November 20th & Wednesday the 21st The Tooth Mobile will be visiting Yuba Feather School. Sure to put a smile on your face!

**Friday** November 22nd, will be Yuba Feather Wonderful Wild Cat Gathering 8:45-9:45. Please mark your calendars as we would love to see you there! Immediately following is the 1st Trimester Wonderful Wildcat Party from 9:45-10:45.

As the holidays draw near, I don't foresee things slowing down. With that being said, I would like to say Thank You to ALL the Community Support both school sites continue to receive. You make a huge difference in all you do. To our Principal, Teachers, Staff and Volunteers, you are seen and valued. Each of you does an amazing job making the impossible possible and I am Grateful to you all. Happy Thanksgiving!

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## Kings Korner

By V.G. Harris



What a difference a week makes, and after Sunday night's thrilling overtime win over a much-heralded Phoenix Suns team that had only one loss on their season record, Sacramento Kings fans are flying high.

After a disappointing and somewhat head scratching start, the Kings have climbed out of an 0-2 hole, to post a respectable 6-4 record after ten games.

Sunday's contest featured three Kings players with 20 points or more, with Huerter and Murray chipping in with 17 and 14 points respectively.

Well balanced is the name of the game, and in the fourth quarter, the Suns were without an answer for the mid-range game of both DeRozan and Fox. Both players drove deep into the paint time and time again, only to step back and take easy 6-to-10-foot jumpers that touched nothing but net.

It was a mid-range clinic, and DeMar DeRozan has already given Kings fans a serious dose of what to expect the rest of the season. This heady veteran has the quintessential mid-range jump shot, and he not only makes them with regularity, he has a habit of getting fouled as well.

Fouling DeRozan is probably not the best strategy for opposing teams as he is shooting a sizzling 86.4% from the charity stripe.

Going into the Nov. 10 game against the Suns, remarkably, the cellar dweller Sacramento Kings in 2023/2024 in free throw shooting, were leading the entire league with an 84% success rate. All but one player on the team is averaging 80% or better from the line, and this represents one of the most dramatic turnarounds in many years.

Only bench player Alex Len, shooting a dismal 50% from the line, is struggling, and if this trend continues the Kings will add significantly to their season win total.

Among the most notable contributors are stalwarts DeAaron Fox and Domantas Sabonis, who after averaging a paltry 71% last season, have raised their averages to 86% and 83% respectively. This is a dramatic improvement, and it begs the question, what happened during the off season to contribute to such a remarkable improvement?

I have noticed that DeAaron is taking just

a split second longer before releasing the ball, and some wrist action has been eliminated. His shot has more push and less wrist, which will undoubtedly lead to more made free throws.

Sabonis' shot looks the same, but his concentration looks better, and he's putting more arc on his shot than in seasons before.

All said, we will gladly applaud these early season results and say going from last to first in the NBA in anything deserves noteworthy credit.

After the season's first two games, both losses, pundits and fans alike were wondering how long it would take for 6-time all-star DeMar DeRozan to fit in with his Kings teammates.

The next eight games have answered that question, and with the exception of the Kings 107-98 loss to the Los Angeles Clippers, the Sac Town boys have been in every game this season. The current 6-4 record could easily be 8-2, but without question, the ranks of Sacramento Kings fans are filling every game with excited basketball fans that are ready for a historic season. My prediction of 50 plus wins, barring injury, will not only happen, it will propel this team beyond the first round of the playoffs.

Many fans are hoping and predicting that Monte McNair will make an in-season trade or acquisition that will strengthen the bench.

The win on Sunday, Nov. 10 saw bench superstar Malik Monk go down with an ankle injury and will reportedly miss the Nov. 11 game against the San Antonio Spurs (after press time). If there is one player the Kings can ill afford to miss its spark plug Malik Monk, and we all wish Malik a speedy recovery.

Stay tuned Kings fans, because these hardwood gladiators that have suddenly discovered the mystery of making free throws, are in action this week against the Spurs, Sun's again, Timberwolves, and the Utah Jazz.

If you haven't been out to a game, don't miss the chance. This group loves playing together and they are a pleasure to watch!

All Your thoughts are always welcome at [vgharriskingsfan@gmail.com](mailto:vgharriskingsfan@gmail.com). ★



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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC LIEN SALE**

Notice is hereby given that Erle Road Self Storage 5600 Lindhurst Ave, Marysville, CA 95901 intends to sell the personal property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said property pursuant to Sections 21700-21716 of the Business & Professions Code, known as the "California Self Service Storage Facilities Act", Section 2328 of the UCC, Section 535 of the Penal Code and provisions of the Civil Code.

The undersigned will sell at public sale by competitive bidding on **Tuesday, November 19, 2024 at 10:00 AM**, on the premises where said property has been in storage at Erle Road Self Storage 5600 Lindhurst Ave. Marysville, CA 95901, telephone 530-634-9781. Units to be sold belonging to the following:

- Name
- William H. Holly III
- Steven D. Farmer Jr.
- Randy D. Laughlin
- Ryan J. McVey
- Gary R. Gustafson
- Tony L. Bishop
- Rigoberto Juarez
- Mieshel Vargas
- Molly J. Small
- Jessica M. Taylor

Purchases must be paid for at the time of purchase in CASH only. All purchased items sold AS IS, WHERE IS, and must be removed at the time of sale. Sale subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between owner and obligated party. Auctioneer Joan Hilbers, Bond# W15 0153447 (11/8/24 & 11/15/24)

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF ERIK JOHN GROESZ Case NO. PRPB24-00140**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate or both of Erik John Groesz.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by: Joshua Groesz in the Superior Court of California, County of: Yuba

The Petition for Probate requests that Joshua Groesz be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the independent Administration of 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: 11/25/2024 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 4 located at Superior Court of California, County of Yuba, 215 5th Street Ste. 200 Marysville, CA 95901.**

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 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 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: Sheldon C. Hadley  
230 5th Street  
Marysville, CA 95901  
Phone No.: 530-743-4455  
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November 1, 8, 15, 2024

**Community Events**

**18TH ANNUAL TURKEY DRIVE NOVEMBER 12 - NOVEMBER 23**

Turkeys and donations will be collected Nov. 12 thru Nov. 23 at various location in Marysville, Yuba City and Colusa. To find times and locations go to [KKCY.com](http://KKCY.com); [KUBARadio.com](http://KUBARadio.com); [Power955.com](http://Power955.com) or [www.ysunitedway.org](http://www.ysunitedway.org) (click on "Upcoming Events") or by calling 530-743-1847. You may also make cash donations online: [www.ysunitedway.org](http://www.ysunitedway.org) (click on "upcoming events") or Phone 530-743-1847. You can mail a donation to PO Box 122, Marysville, CA 95901.

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This auction will be conducted online at [www.bid13.com](http://www.bid13.com) **Friday November 15th 2024 at 10:00 AM, and end on Thursday November 21st at 10:00AM**. If there are no bidders, the property will be donated or disposed of accordingly. Property to be sold as follows: household goods, personal items, furniture, etc. belonging to the following:

- Name:
- Steve L Baker
- Edward K Ivey
- Michelle L Tawny-Wilson
- Brian A Eakes (2 units)
- Rachel L Graves

Purchases must be paid for at the time of purchase in CASH only. All purchased items sold AS IS, WHERE IS, and must be removed at the time of sale. Sale subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between owner and obligated party. 530-742-6898 (TD) Nov. 15, 2024

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF YUBA IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF: WILLIAM AND HOLLY GISLER, PETITIONER(S) CASE NUMBER: CVPT 24-01494 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

HEARING DATE: 12/30/2024  
DEPT: 4  
TIME: 9:30 A.M.

Petitioner(s) WILLIAM AND HOLLY GISLER, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

from: DAVID HARLAND GISLER  
to: HARLEY DAVID GISLER

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

A copy of this order to show cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Territorial Dispatch.

DATE: 11/6/2024  
Stephen W. Berrier  
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT  
November 15, 22, 29, DEC. 6, 2024

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2024F-241**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

**Jedi Pirate Yoga,**  
8919 Arrowrock Trl,  
Smartsville, CA 95977  
Yuba County

1) Selden Shipley Dickinson,  
8919 Arrowrock Trl,  
Smartsville, CA 95977

This business is conducted by Individual

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

(I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct).

Signed:  
**SELDEN SHIPLEY DICKINSON**  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba on OCT 2, 2024, indicated by file stamp.

(I Hereby Certify That This Copy is a Correct Copy of the Original on File in my Office).

DONNA HILLEGASS,  
County Clerk  
By BRIDGETTE EVANS,  
Deputy Clerk  
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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2024F-259**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

**Peach City Inn**  
1078 N Beale Road  
Marysville, CA 95901  
County of YUBA

Registered Owners:  
Manya Hotels Inc.  
2205 Able Ct  
Sacramento, CA 95835

This business is conducted by a Corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

(I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct).

Signed:  
**Dhruv Manuvijay Mistry CA/CEO**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on October 30, 2024.

(I Hereby Certify That This Copy is a Correct Copy of the Original on File in my Office).

DONNA HILLEGASS,  
County Clerk  
By NELIDA WILLIAMS,  
Deputy Clerk  
Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

1) Yuba County Community Services Commission board meeting Tuesday, November 19 at 3:00 p.m. at Yuba-Sutter Economic Development Corporation, 950 Tharp Road, Ste. 1303, Yuba City. Contact Yuba-Sutter Economic Development Corporation at 530-751-8555 or [ysedc@ysedc.org](mailto:ysedc@ysedc.org) for any questions.

2) Sutter County Community Action Agency board meeting Thursday, November 21 at 3:00 p.m. at Yuba-Sutter Economic Development Corporation, 950 Tharp Road, Ste. 1303, Yuba City or via Zoom at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85850481123?pwd=Dya7e4gJXC00VnbVQ1n9nd42LHw1zV.1>

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Contact Yuba-Sutter Economic Development Corporation at 530-751-8555 or [ysedc@ysedc.org](mailto:ysedc@ysedc.org) for any questions.

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**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF YUBA**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF: BRUCE BLAIR WILSON, PETITIONER(S) CASE NUMBER: CVPT 24-01457 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

HEARING DATE: 12/16/2024  
DEPT: 4  
TIME: 9:30 A.M.

Petitioner(s) BRUCE BLAIR WILSON, filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

from: BRUCE BLAIR WILSON  
to: BRUCE BLAIR THOME

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

A copy of this order to show cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Territorial Dispatch.

DATE: 10/31/2024  
Stephen W. Berrier  
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT  
November 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF LAURY BROWNFIELD Case NO. PRPB24-00141**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate or both of Laury Brownfield.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by: Nathaniel Ewing Brownfield in the Superior Court of California, County of: Yuba

The Petition for Probate requests that Joshua Groesz be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the independent Administration of 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: 1/13/2025 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 4 located at Superior Court of California, County of Yuba, 215 5th Street Ste. 200 Marysville, CA 95901.**

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 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 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: Kuldeep Kaur  
Law Offices of Kuldeep Kaur  
1233 West Shaw Ave, Suite 100  
Fresno, CA 93711  
Phone No.: 805-453-3560  
PUBLISHED IN THE TERRITORIAL DISPATCH:  
November 1, 8, 15, 2024

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2024F-252**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

**Feral Designs by Stacy**  
1138 Keifer Street  
Marysville, CA 95901  
County of YUBA

Registered Owners:  
NikLyn LLC  
1138 Keifer Street  
Marysville, CA 95901

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/01/2024.

(I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct).

Signed:  
**Stacy Guanzon California CEO**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on October 21, 2024.

(I Hereby Certify That This Copy is a Correct Copy of the Original on File in my Office).

DONNA HILLEGASS,  
County Clerk  
By NELIDA WILLIAMS,  
Deputy Clerk  
Oct. 25, Nov. 1, 8, 15, 2024.

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2024F-242**

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:

**Royal Massage II**  
523 E Street  
Marysville, CA 95901  
County of YUBA

Registered Owners:  
Baoxiang Wang  
523 E Street  
Marysville, CA 95901

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 04/01/2022.

(I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct).

Signed:  
**Baoxiang Wang**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on October 3, 2024.

(I Hereby Certify That This Copy is a Correct Copy of the Original on File in my Office).

DONNA HILLEGASS,  
County Clerk  
By BRIDGETTE EVANS,  
Deputy Clerk  
Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024.



# Public Youth Center Opens at Adventure Church



Youth enjoy a game of Nine Square on Thursday night at the new Youth Center at Adventure Church in Yuba City. This new program is free and open to all middle school and high school students.

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also receive free tutoring help on any type of homework from one of the dedicated volunteers. All volunteers are background checked and live scanned before being brought onto the program.

"We're really starting to see the students need that aspect of the youth center," Tracy Mansur said. "But I also have a lot of kids that just want to hang out or they want to do their homework in a different space."

As the Youth Center's appointed director, she will continue to monitor the ebbs and flows of the center and look for

new ways to engage the community and its youth. The Mansurs said they have been intentionally starting slow so that they can grow organically with the specific needs of their demographics. Future implementations might include classes in tech, finance and foreign languages. The couple is also gearing up to renovate the old bowling alley cafe located inside the church. Their goal is to open this space to the public and use it as a work training program for regional high schoolers.

"Our desire has always been as a church, to be a church that's outside the walls," said Greg

Mansur. "It's more than just having a nice building that gets used for three hours on a Sunday; we want to see this building used all the time."

So far, Adventure Church has hosted a wide variety of events. Some of the most recent include the annual Lydia's House Chili Cook-off, which raises funds for a women's recovery home, and a Trunk or Treat Halloween event that brought in about 5,000 visitors.

"We filled up the worship center with inflatables and had a huge food truck court on the north side of the building. It was



A variety of gaming options are available at the new Youth Center at Adventure Church in Yuba City. This new program is free and open to all middle school and high school students.

insane," said Greg Mansur.

The Mansurs stressed that people do not need to be members of their church or believers to attend events or use their facility. Children who attend the Youth Center will not be "preached to;" it is a free resource to the community.

Adventure Church is located at 876 W Onstott Frontage Road, Yuba City. To learn more about the Youth Center and other programs that Adventure Church offers, visit [acyc.family](http://acyc.family) or call 530-822-9216. Tracy Mansur can also be reached at [tracymansur@acyc.family](mailto:tracymansur@acyc.family). ★

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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR VARIANCE "VAR-24-0002" (PARADA) AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATIONS FOR CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT "CUP-24-0003" (RICHARDS RANCH EVENT CENTER) AND CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT "CUP-24-0008" (VERIZON TOWER) BEFORE THE YUBA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held before the Yuba County Planning Commission on December 18, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. or soon thereafter, in the Board of Supervisors Chamber, Yuba County Government Center, 915 8th Street, Marysville, CA. The Planning Commission will consider the following:

**Variance "VAR-24-0002" (Parada):** The applicant is requesting a Variance to construct an accessory structure with a 3-foot side setback, deviating from the standard 5-foot setback requirement. The property, identified as APN 022-333-037, is located at 2135 Sierra Pines Place within the Plumias Lake Community. The 2030 General Plan designates the land use as "VN" Valley Neighborhood and the zoning as "SP" Plumias Lake Specific Plan (Medium Density Residential designation). A determination has been made that the above referenced project is categorically exempt from environmental review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Section 15305(a) Minor Alterations in Land Use Limitations.

**Major Conditional Use Permit "CUP-24-0003" (RICHARDS RANCH EVENT CENTER):** The applicant is requesting a Conditional Use Permit to operate a special event center to host up to 10 regular events per year with over 250 attendees, in addition to the two-day California World Fest Music Festival, which will be limited to 1,000 attendees. The festival will include designated parking, overnight camping, artisan vendor booths, food truck parking, portable restrooms, three performance stages constructed from flatbed trucks, decorative fencing to manage pedestrian access, and support from the local Sheriff's and Fire Departments. The 57-acre project site is located at 12206 Rice Crossing Road (APN: 048-220-089) and is designated as Natural Resources (NR) in the 2030 General Plan, with zoning as Exclusive Agricultural, 40-acre minimum (AE-40).

The Planning Commission will be considering adoption of a Mitigated Negative Declaration pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act. The public comment period for the Mitigated Negative Declarations is November 15 to December 4, 2024.

**Major Conditional Use Permit "CUP-24-0008" (VERIZON TOWER):** The applicant is requesting a Conditional Use Permit to operate a new phased 145-foot commercial telecommunications facility on a 10.82-acre parcel, identified as APN 060-180-003. The project site is located off Indiana School Road in the community of Dobbins. The 2030 General Plan designates the land use as Rural Community (RC), with zoning classified as Rural Residential with a 5-acre minimum (RR-5).

The Planning Commission will be considering adoption of a Mitigated Negative Declaration pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act. The public comment period for the Mitigated Negative Declarations is November 15 to December 4, 2024.

Any person wishing to testify on the above projects may submit written comments or objections to the Community Development and Services Agency at 915 8th Street, Suite 123, Marysville, CA 95901, prior to the hearing. Copies of the staff recommendations are available for inspection at the same address. If you have any questions for "VAR-24-0002" you may contact Alex Becerra at (530)749-5634, for "CUP-24-0003" you may contact Ciara Fisher at (530)749-5463, and for "CUP-24-0008" you may contact Jacob Farmer at (530)749-5432.

The Planning Commission's action on the project may be appealed by any interested person to the Board of Supervisors by filing a written appeal with the Planning Department within 10 days following the Planning Commission's final action on the project. If the Board of Supervisors is the final Approving Authority, or if the project is appealed to the Board, the Board's action is final.

If you challenge the action of the Planning Commission on this matter in court, pursuant to Government Code section 65009 you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the Public Hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Department at, or prior to the hearing. (TD) 11-15-2024

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Brownsville, CA 95919  
MAILING ADDRESS  
6469 Marine Ave  
Arbuckle, CA 95912  
County of YUBA  
Registered Owners:  
1. Renata Valenzuela  
6469 Marine Ave  
Arbuckle, CA 95912  
2. Alfredo Montanez  
6469 Marine Ave  
Arbuckle, CA 95912

This business is conducted by a General Partnership.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

(I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct).

Signed:

**Renata Valenzuela**  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on November 8, 2024.  
(I Herby Certify That This Copy is a Correct Copy of the Original on File in my Office).  
DONNA HILLEGASS,  
County Clerk  
By NELIDA WILLIAMS,  
Deputy Clerk  
Nov. 15, 22, 29, Dec. 6, 2024.

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BROWNS VALLEY, CA 95918  
County of YUBA  
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13764 GRAHAM CT  
BROWNS VALLEY, CA 95918  
2. ERIN HENDRIX  
13764 GRAHAM CT  
BROWNS VALLEY, CA 95918

This business is conducted by a Married Couple.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/01/2024.

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Signed:

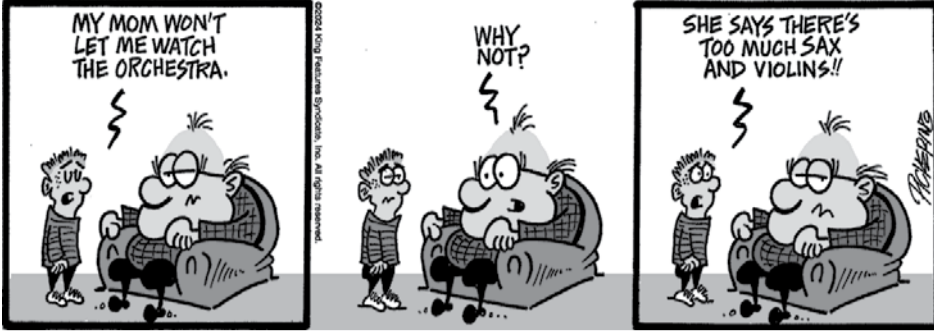
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# COMICS & PUZZLES

## The Spats

by Jeff Pickering



## Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



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by Gary Kopervas



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BY HENRY BOLTINOFF

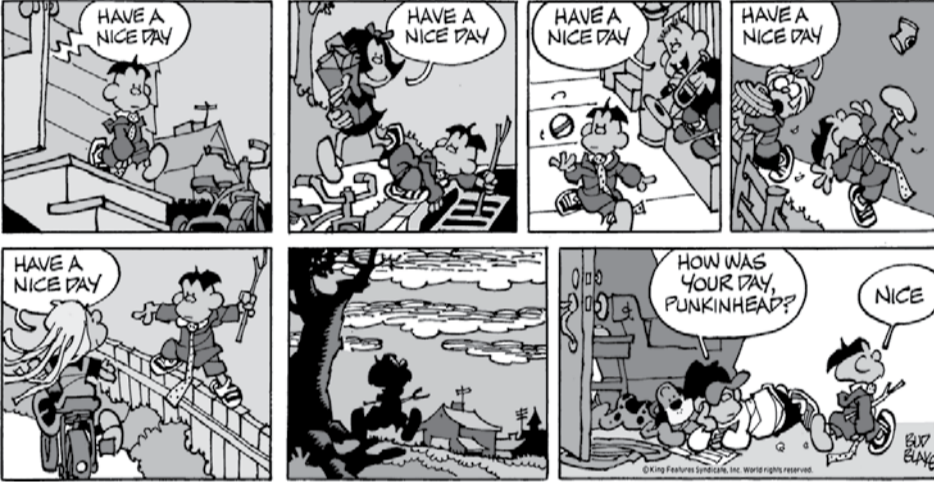
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## TIGER

by BUD BLAKE



## GRIN AND BEAR IT

Just Like Cats & Dogs by Dave T. Phipps



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# Why Trump Won and Won Big! The Issue is Liberty!



**Commentary by  
Harold Pease Ph. D.**

November 5 was the most important election in our nation's political history. American flags were everywhere so patriotism was strong, and the people felt they needed to get back to freedom basics. The silent majority came forward. Donald Trump's 900-plus rallies were attended in numbers never seen before. Kamala Harris rallies had to have a concert with someone famous, or have a previous president, Bill Clinton or Barack Obama, with her to break a thousand attending; worse, or have rally goers paid to attend. As anticipated, the people came out for Donald Trump.

In a truly fair election without electronic cheating, illegals voting, voter rolls cleaned up, ballot harvesting, totally uncensored information, media

not weaponized and etc. Trump would have won by at least 70%, maybe 75% as we have indicated before. But cheating was off the charts the last two years, more especially the last month, with hundreds of examples, even so, he won with THEIR electronic voting system but not by these percentages. This makes his victory much more profound. No one in American history has experienced more election opposition.

Why this profound victory? Several reasons can be identified. The vast majority of Americans know now that Joe Biden did not win in 2020, Trump did. That Covid-19 was mostly used for mail-in-balloting, which is, and always has been, prone to cheating. That Hunter Biden's laptop was real and held back from exposure by America's intelligence community until after the 2020 presidential election. A fourth of Biden voters would have chosen Trump had they known this. That the laptop revealed 459 crimes, most of which should have put the president's son in jail for many years—but didn't. That Biden was personally corrupt, had over 20 shell companies extracting millions from foreign

countries, some potential enemies, with Hunter selling state secrets. Classified documents were in Joe's possession as a U.S. Senator and Vice President in several different places that should have given him a lengthy prison sentence even before he ran for president in 2020,

Americans now know that the CIA was corrupted decades ago—at least since the Kennedy Assassination. That the FBI has turned rogue even leading the January 6 insurrection while dressed as MAGA. That it is the lead suspect for many in the assassination attempts on Trump both at Butler, Pennsylvania and Trump's Florida Golf Club—it yet suppresses the telephone conversations on several of the phones of both would be assassins that likely would have exposed accomplices, even themselves, as aiding. That the DOJ was weaponized to go after parents at school board meetings, MAGA, and everyone else exposing Deep State corruption.

Most now believe that the Deep State is real. It has been around since the McKinley presidency preceding the Spanish American War and was in both major political parties thereafter. It was a movement of monopoly

tycoons, principally John D. Rockefeller and JP Morgan, seeking first power over the nation, then world economic dominance. It came out of the shadows and organized publicly in 1921 as the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR), anyone of major importance thereafter, in either major political party, was CFR connected. The Deep State maintained control over both major political parties through George W. Bush. Its two principal opponents during those years were John F. Kennedy and Barry Goldwater, both destroyed by the Deep State, Kennedy by assassination and Goldwater by election annihilation. The Tea Party movement rose in 2009 against both political parties and Trump, an outgrowth of that movement although not a part of it, opposed the Deep State entirely. MAGA people rejected their control. Today Deep State control is embedded with the Democrat Party and RINO faction of the Republican Party who both see extinction of themselves if Trump wins.

In this digital war MAGA are the patriots and the Dems and RINOS the globalists. Only the most ill-informed are unaware of this reality. As

Democrats flee to MAGA for freedom from the Deep State, most notably Elon Musk, Robert F Kennedy Jr. and Tulsi Gabbard, they are replaced by illegal immigrants who are immersed with gifting for their loyalty: healthcare, food stamps, social security, placement and housing in cities and promised citizenship. These are the invisible army Barack Obama promised should be created—as big as the armed forces. These are likely to rise with chaos never seen before in America if enough cheating fails and Trump wins.

LibertyUnderFire.org has published on all of these topics over many years—793 columns. Trump has slowly, but successfully, awakened the public to this awful condition. It had to be this way to prevent a very bloody civil war in 2020. Trump had to vacate the White House so that Biden and the Deep State could rule to be exposed. Everyone is at a different place on the exposure trail. Not everything we have written above is believed by all but enough is that in an election without corruption which November 5 was not, Trump would have won by at least 70%. This 9 years of awakening, with Trump the principle

victim, has prevented a bloody civil war.

There is yet another reason for Trump's victory—tyranny, that most believed eventually would have come to all had he not won! Those who visibly oppose are punished. The DOJ and FBI are Deep State assets now. This last week, the week before November 5 election, nearly four years after the J6 event "suspects are still being arrested, convicted and jailed. This week alone:[a] Father and son from New Jersey [were] arrested—West Virginia man arrested—Illinois man pleads guilty—Texas man found guilty,—2 men from Virginia found guilty—Colorado man sentenced to 3 years—California man sentenced to one year" (Ep. 3489b, Nov. 1, 2024, 34:10).

This, after the Supreme Court ruling June 28, 2024, in Fischer v. United States, on Section 1512(c)(2), that overturned most J6 convictions (about 350 persons). This SCOTUS decision has been mostly ignored by the Biden/Harris Admin. as they have most other court decisions and the Constitution. The real issue as to why Trump won so big is liberty!

*Dr. Harold Pease is an expert on the United States Constitution and a syndicated columnist.* ★

## Trump Wins BIG and America Self-Corrects

*The border is about to be closed and Mexico may be paying for it*

**Commentary by  
Katy Grimes, California Globe**

The American people just sent a big message to the left:

Men pretending to be women will no longer play in girls' sports.

Trans-women are men, and can't get pregnant, by the way.

The border is about to be closed—and Mexico may be paying for it.

Haitians eating the cats and dogs and Venezuelan gangs will be deported.

The spigot spending money on illegal aliens will be shut off.

Abortion is not the "right" stupid ghoulish leftist women think it is.

Pornographic books in our children's schools should be burned. Trump said he will cut federal funding for any school pushing critical race theory, racial gender ideology, and DEI.

Sex-trafficking children will be stopped and a lot of prominent people will be prosecuted.

America will become energy independent once again.

Inflation will be reduced and America will be affordable again.

World War III will be halted.

America's military will be rebuilt.

A recent Gallup poll showed that an overwhelming majority of U.S. voters want new voter integrity laws:

84% want to require all voters to provide photo ID in order to vote; 83% want to require people who are registering to vote to provide proof of citizenship.

Trump promised he will secure our elections, including same day voting, voter ID, paper ballots and proof of citizenship.

The Democrat talking point was "Trump is Hitler." Republicans are not fascists, and Trump isn't

Hitler. In fact, the American people just showed the left how much we love America—the America the founders created.

Notably, whenever your debate devolves to "you are Hitler," you have lost the argument as well as the battle.

Equally, Kamala calling Trump a "fascist" when her polling was sinking was heinous—especially after three assassination attempts on the former President.

The middle class the left always calls the "white working class" is actually black working class, Hispanic working class, Asian working class and white.

Trump even won young people. Identity politics is dead.

Voters want tougher criminal penalties and are about to get them. In fact, California voters are so exhausted from the state's escalating violent crime and business-killing retail theft,

as well as the dismissive response from Democrats, California voters overwhelmingly just passed Proposition 36, which will make significant reforms to California drug and theft laws. This is big.

Notably, Gov. Gavin Newsom and most legislative Democrats oppose tougher criminal penalties and have unbridled disregard for crime victims.

Trump will make the expiring individual income tax cuts from the 2017 Tax Cuts and Jobs Act permanent. We all win.

On Business Taxes, Donald Trump will lower the corporate income tax rate from 21 percent to 20 percent, and lower the corporate income tax rate to 15 percent for companies that make their products in the U.S.

The attacks on Elon Musk for his purchasing Twitter in order to allow free speech on the internet are now toothless.

Free speech is a critical issue for most Americans, and that mattered in the 2024 presidential election.

The 2024 Presidential Election may have been the most corrupt, immoral scandalous election ever, and with the weakest presidential candidate in recent history—Kamala Harris.

Trump's win is why they tried to bankrupt him, why they tried to impeach him, why they tried to imprison him, why they tried to kill him. The corrupt left knew that when given a choice and fair elections, the American people would re-elect Donald Trump.

*Katy Grimes, the Editor in Chief of the California Globe, is a long-time Investigative Journalist covering the California State Capitol, and the co-author of "California's War Against Donald Trump: Who Wins? Who Loses?"* ★

## California Secretary of State Issues Unprocessed Ballots Report

**California Secretary of State  
News Release**

**SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)** - California Secretary of State Shirley N. Weber, Ph.D., reminds all Californians that county elections officials are hard at work continuing to count ballots from the Nov. 5 General Election.

County elections officials have up to 30 days after Election Day to complete their extensive tallying, auditing, and certification work (known as the "official canvass"). The frequency of updated results varies by county.

As of Nov. 7, California's county elections officials have already processed and counted 10,728,985 million ballots from the Nov. 5 General Election. County elections officials estimate 5,472,423 million outstanding ballots remain to be processed and counted. The unprocessed ballots report—a compilation of estimates from county elections officials—is available at [electionresults.sos.ca.gov/unprocessed-ballots-status](http://electionresults.sos.ca.gov/unprocessed-ballots-status).

Vote-by-mail ballots postmarked on or before Election Day and received by county elections officials no later

than 7 days after Election Day must be processed.

"County elections officials have been hard at work processing and counting the millions of ballots cast by California voters. Ensuring the accuracy and the integrity of the vote count is critical to our democracy. State law gives county elections officials up to 30 days after Election Day to complete vote counting, auditing, and certification," Secretary of State Shirley N. Weber said. "In California, we work to ensure every ballot is counted properly and every ballot is accounted for," Secretary Weber added.

County elections officials must report their final results to the Secretary of State for the Presidential contest by Dec. 3 and all other state and federal contests by Dec. 5. The Secretary of State will certify the results on Dec. 13.

For additional information about the ballot counting process, go to [sos.ca.gov/elections/upcoming-elections/vote-counting-process](http://sos.ca.gov/elections/upcoming-elections/vote-counting-process).

The Nov. 5 General Election Calendar can be found at [elections.cdn.sos.ca.gov/statewide-elections/2024-primary/section-08-general-election-calendar.pdf](http://elections.cdn.sos.ca.gov/statewide-elections/2024-primary/section-08-general-election-calendar.pdf). ★

## Senator Dahle Blasts CARB for Massive Gas Price Increase

**Senator Brian Dahle, California's  
First Senate District News Release**

**NORTHERN CALIFORNIA REGION (MPG)** - Senator Brian Dahle (R-Bieber) released the following statement after a meeting with members of the California Air Resources Board (CARB) and concerned residents who opposed the vote that could raise gas prices upwards of 65 cents per gallon immediately:

"Today's decision by CARB will not only make it more expensive for families, but also disproportionately affect residents in rural communities in my district who must travel long distances for groceries, healthcare, etc. Californians shouldn't have to forfeit taking their family out to dinner in order to afford putting gas in the car just to get to work."

"My Republican legislative colleagues and I have repeatedly called for greater accountability and transparency regarding today's vote. As decision-makers, they need to be aware of the impact of their choices and lack of responsiveness to community needs. I deeply appreciate every one of my constituents who took the time to sign the petition to help stop

this vote from happening without greater justification of why the price increases. Unfortunately, these unelected bureaucrats are out of touch, and they chose political shenanigans instead of listening to the voices of thousands." ★



**Brian Dahle represents California's 1st Senate District, which is made up of all or parts of: Alpine, El Dorado, Lassen, Modoc, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, Shasta, Siskiyou and Sierra counties.** Courtesy photo

# Perfect Season for East Nic Volleyball



The East Nicolaus Spartans are the NSCIF Division V champions for the fourth straight year.

Story and photos by Jennifer Corriea

**PALO CEDRO, CA (MPG)** - For the fourth year in a row, the East Nicolaus volleyball team completed the regular season by claiming the Northern Section Division V crown but this time around, the Spartans did something different than they had previously by remaining undefeated in 27 matches.

Having won their previous three title games on the court at Foothill High School, it was a familiar venue, but the pressure was squarely on the No. 1 Spartans on Saturday, Nov. 9, as they took to the court not only to defend their title, but also to keep their unbeaten streak alive.

However, the fact that they had been there before was evident as they bounced back after dropping the second set to close

out No. 2 Quincy 25-14, 19-25, 25-15, 25-14.

Arguably the best team in all the Northern Section, regardless of school size, East Nicolaus had lost only a total of five sets coming into the match, but after blowing the Trojans off the court with their power in the first set, got complacent and allowed the scrappy Trojans to take the second.

It was a self-inflicted wound according to one of the team's senior

leaders, Addy Tagala, who described what had occurred after the match.

"We do this to ourselves for some reason," said the setter, who handed out 29 assists in the match and was a perfect 26 for 26 from the service stripe with seven aces. "We play a great set and then get lax. Coming into the third set we knew that if we gave them an inch they'd take a mile."

However, as they have all season, the Spartans regrouped and methodically dispensed of Quincy, a process made easier due to the effort of another of the squad's seniors, Jadyn Hoffman, the reigning section MVP, who was virtually unstoppable on the attack, slamming down a season-high 28 kills and hitting at an astounding .591 clip.

But Hoffman was also a factor on defense making a team-high 13 digs as East Nic neutralized another of the sections' top hitters in the Trojans' Shelby Nussle.

Over the past four years, the duo of Tagala and Hoffman have helped pave the way for the Spartans four-peat prompting former



The Spartans' Addy Tagala reacts during East Nicolaus's 2024 championship match against Quincy.



East Nicolaus middle Lela DeCecco hits through the block attempt of Quincy's Shelby Nussle in the NSCIF Division V championship match.



East Nicolaus's Jadyn Hoffman makes one of her team-high 13 digs as the Spartans claimed their fourth consecutive NSCIF Division V crown on Nov. 9.

head coach and current assistant Donald Takeuchi to say, "It's going to be hard to find another pair like Jadyn and Addy."

Still, to pull off the feat, East Nicolaus also got significant contributions from others including 10 kills from Makinze Massey, while in the back row Ashlynn Tagala and Kendall Kocher made nine and seven digs respectively.

Although the Spartans' season continues in the 2024 CIF State Championships, the win was bittersweet, marking an end of an era

that both Tagala and Hoffman acknowledged.

"This one is much more emotional and I'm just trying to absorb it and take it all in," Tagala said, while Hoffman commented that although "the winning part didn't feel all that different, knowing that this was the last time made it a little bit sad."

East Nicolaus (27-0) received the No. 8 seed in the Division III state bracket and is scheduled to host No. 9 Vanden (Fairfield) in a first-round match on Nov. 12 (after press time). ★

## Sutter High on Target at the Sporting Clays Championship

Story and photos by Dave Samson, SUHS Head Coach

**PALO CEDRO, CA (MPG)** - The Sutter High Huskies performed well at the CYSSA Sporting Clays State Championship, Sunday, Nov. 10 at Quail Point Hunt Club in Zamora, and took home a plethora of awards including individual, squad and team awards.

Varsity as a team took second place in the series shoots leading up to the State shoot and then took second place varsity in the State Championship. The junior varsity team took second place in the series shoots and second place in the State Championship. Our Sutter Junior Shooters team took second place State Championship and took a first place squad award.

A varsity squad consisting of Garrett Bartels, Ceasar Moulton and Tyler Siller took second place as a varsity squad.

A junior varsity squad consisting of Manny Moulton, Connor Simpson and Nico Buttacavoli took second place junior varsity.

A Sutter Junior Shooters team squad consisting of Brock Moody, Landon McCracken and Trevor Munger took first place intermediate advanced division.

Individual awards: Sutter High was in multiple shoot offs for individual tie scores and did very well.

Sutter's very own Ceasar Moulton, Logan Munger and Tyler Siller tied for third place, fourth place and fifth respectively.

In junior varsity Sutter's Nico Buttacavoli was in a shoot-off for third place and Manny Moulton and Landon Epperson were in a 3-way shoot-off for fifth place.

Sutter junior team member Brock Moody got in a shoot-off for second place individual and was successful. Sutter juniors' Landon McCracken took fifth. ★



Huskies Manny Moulton, Nico Buttacavoli and Connor Simpson took second place junior varsity squad at the CYSSA Sporting Clays State Championship on Nov. 10.



Sutter High's Tyler Siller, Garrett Bartels and Ceasar Moulton took second place varsity squad at the CYSSA Sporting Clays State Championship in Zamora on Nov. 10.



Trevor Munger, Brock Moody and Landon McCracken earn a first place in intermediate advances division for Sutter High at the 2024 CYSSA Sporting Clays State Championship.



Huskies Ceasar Moulton, Logan Munger and Tyler Siller finished in third, fourth and fifth place respectively, in the individual varsity division. ★



The East Nicolaus Spartan volleyball team celebrates its 3-1 victory over Quincy in the section championship match held at Foothill High School in Palo Cedro.

## Honkers Fall to Sierra in Sac-Joaquin Section Playoffs



Yuba City High School's JD Henry catches a pass and heads downfield against Sierra on Nov. 8. Photo by Yuba Sutter High School Sports

By Daniel Canfield

**YUBA CITY, CA (MPG)** - On Friday, Nov. 8, the Yuba City High School Honkers hosted a CIF Sac-Joaquin Section, Division Four, playoff game against the Sierra Timberwolves. It was a close scoring affair with Sierra edging out the Honkers with a final score of 26-20.

The Timberwolves traveled up from Manteca for the playoff game with a

season record of 5-5 and the ninth seed in the CIF Sac-Joaquin Section, Division 4. With its win the Timberwolves will now travel to Lincoln to take on the number one seeded, and undefeated, Twelve Bridges Raging Rhinos, on Friday, Nov. 15.

The Honkers ended the 2024 season with the playoff loss to the Timberwolves, and a respectable 6-4 record for the regular season. ★