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The 2025 California Capital Airshow will be headlined by the world-renowned U.S. Navy Blue Angels flight demonstration squadron. Photo courtesy of the California Capital Airshow

California Capital Airshow News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - The 2025 California Capital Airshow, presented by Sacramento County in partnership with the City of Rancho Cordova, returns to Mather Airport on March 22 and 23.

A limited quantity of tickets are now on sale for this highly-anticipated event, which is headlined by the world-renowned U.S. Navy Blue Angels flight demonstration

Gates to the Airshow will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday, March 22 and Sunday, March 23. Each day will feature four hours of non-stop flying performances from noon to 4 p.m. Performers include the U.S. Navy Blue Angels, U.S. Marine Corps F-35B Lightning II, U.S. Air Force F-16 Viper and C-17 Globemaster III demonstration teams, Tucker's Air Patrol, vintage World War II aircraft and more.

The event also offers miles of exhibits, aircraft displays and entertainment on the ground.

"With the Blue Angels headlining for the first time since 2019, this year's Airshow promises to be an unforgettable experience for aviation fans of all ages," said Darcy Brewer, executive director of the California Capital Airshow. "Our team has worked tirelessly to create an event

that showcases the awe-inspiring power of flight, and we can't wait to welcome everyone for a weekend with amazing performances and family fun."

The event offers several ticket types, with a range of experiences and accommodations. General Admission tickets for the 2025 Airshow includes free parking and event admission for up to six children (ages 15 and under).

New this year is an exclusive event entrance and venue for all attendees with upgraded tickets. Guests will have access to food trucks and upgraded restrooms dedicated to upgraded ticket holders.

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Disability-Friendly **Action Plan** Launched Sacramento County

News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)

- Sacramento County is taking a significant step toward ensuring a more livable and accessible future for its aging and disabled residents.

By 2030, one-fourth of Sacramento County's population will be 60 or older, and approximately 200,000 residents currently live with a disability.

In response to these growing needs, the Department of Child, Family and Adult Services has launched the Local Age and Disability-Friendly Action Plan (LADAP), a comprehensive initiative shaped by years of advocacy and community input. Sacramento County is proud to partner with the California Department of Aging and AARP's Age-Friendly Network of States and Communities to achieve this goal.

On Feb. 25, the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors formally adopted the Local Age and Disability-Friendly Action Plan resolution, reinforcing the county's commitment to improving access to essential resources for older adults and people with disabilities. This plan aligns with the five bold goals of California's Master Plan for Aging.

The first goal is Housing for All Stages and Ages which is ensuring accessible and affordable housing options for residents of all ages. The second goal is Health Reimagined that is expanding healthcare access and wellness programs tailored to older and disabled adults.

The third goal is Inclusion and Equity, Not Isolation, which is fostering community connections and reducing social isolation. The fourth goal is

Caregiving That Works, which means strengthening support for caregivers and long-term care services. The fifth and final goal is

Affording Aging, which is addressing economic challenges that impact aging residents.

Come celebrate the Local Age and Disability-Friendly Action Plan Launch. Sacramento County will celebrate the launch of the Local Age and Disability-Friendly Action Plan from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. March 17 at the Sacramento State Union Ballroom, 6000 J St. All Sacramento County residents are invited to attend,

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Exploration Park Receives Award



Recreation & Park Society District 2 2025 Awards & Installation Banquet on Feb. 26. Photo courtesy of Cordova Recreation & Park District

By Elena Burgé, Cordova Recreation & Park District

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - Cordova Recreation &

Park District (CRPD) was honored with the Facility Design & Park Planning Award at the California Recreation & Park Society District 2 2025 Awards & Installation Banquet on Feb. 26.

The award recognizes excellence in the plan-

ning and design of parks

community recreation and quality of life. The winning project, Exploration Park, embodied innovation, creativity and commudevelopment.

and facilities that enhance

nity engagement in park Exploration Park was designed to celebrate Rancho Cordova's rich aerospace history and the community's contributions to rocket technology,

including the Saturn V

rocket. The park's space

exploration theme was

architectural elements and landscaping, immersing visitors in an interactive and inspiring environment. The park is at 12145

reflected in its play areas,

Hetch Hechy Drive, Rancho Cordova.

A collaborative effort between public and private entities brought this park to life. The park was designed

accessibility standards. The result was a park that fosters physical, emotional and mental well-being while providing a safe and engaging recreational space for all visitors. by Sam Harned Landscape Exploration Park fea-Architecture for Cresleigh Homes Corporation,

tures a variety of unique design elements that set with Cordova Recreation it apart from traditional & Park District's Park

Planning team playing a

vital role in the review

process to ensure the final

design aligned with com-

munity priorities and

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Sacramento Displayed in Playing Cards



The art was created by local artists and turned into beautiful playing card decks. Photo courtesy of Sacramento Fine Arts Center, Inc.

Sacramento Fine Arts Center, Inc. News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - Sacramento Fine Arts Center recently created two decks of playing cards with landscapes from Sacramento. Seventyone artists participated in the Sacramento Playing Cards Exhibit that celebrates Sacramento's history and community.

Each card features a Sacramento iconic and historical event, location and local artist.

The artists were charged with recreating the iconic and historical locations throughout Sacramento in a variety of media including oils, watercolors, sculpture and more. The art was then turned into beautiful playing card decks.

The original art from the Sacramento Playing Cards is on display from Feb. 4 through March 29 in the fover and small gallery of

the Sacramento Fine Arts Center at 533 Gibbons Drive, Carmichael.

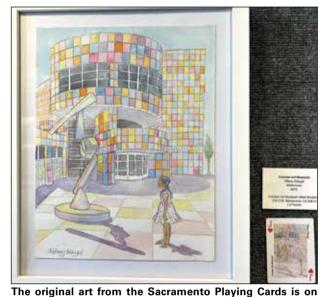
'The idea was from our President Mary Hargrave and her daughter, Missy. They came up with the idea while traveling. We try to do one 'community project' every year," said Sacramento Fine Arts Center Executive Director Angelia Gordon. "It is something many artists can participate in and in some way celebrates the community. Last year, we made an artist cookbook. It features food-themed artwork from local artists and recipes from community members. We are always looking for fun new ideas."

The funds from the playing cards support the Sacramento Fine Arts Center's ongoing programs, according to Gordon. The two decks can be bought at the Sacramento Fine Arts Gallery.

Among the artists are Don Taylor, Louise



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Vidaurri, Janet Kruse and Shannon Garrison from Carmichael, and Linda Zempel from Fair Oaks. Also participating are artists Kristen Fuller from Rancho Cordova, Phyllis Brady from Citrus Heights and Kate Blue from Rio Linda. The Sacramento Fine Arts Center gallery is open to the public 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesdays through Fridays and from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays. The gallery is free and open to the public.

Sacramento Fine Arts Center is a nonprofit



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local volunteers. Its mis-

sion is to encourage the

creation and presentation of

original visual arts, to sup-

port the cultural life of the

organization dedicated to the creation and presentation of the visual arts. The center is entirely self-supported by a small staff and community, and to encourage all artists to fulfill their potential.

For more information about the Sacramento

Playing Cards exhibit's

card locations and artists,

go online to SacFineArts.

org/cards or call

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Council Outlines Key Budget Goals



City Council members present the Cordova Community Council with a proclamation for their 65th anniversary. Photo courtesy of the City of Rancho Cordova

By Ornella Rossi

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) -During the March 3 Rancho Cordova City Council meeting. council and residents celebrated the 65th anniversary of the Cordova Community Council with reflections on the group's standing commitment to fostering community collaboration and

Shelly Blanchard, executive director of the Cordova Community Council, provided a brief update on the council's activities, highlighting the organization's accomplishments in 2024 and its goals for 2025.

"The whole purpose when we were founded was to foster collaboration and community life here in Rancho Cordova," Blanchard said. "This spirit of working together to create a vibrant Rancho Cordova is still a hallmark of community life. We encourage and honor volunteerism."

In 2024, the Cordova Community Council organized 204 events, including signature activities such as the Fourth of July parade, Kids Day in the

Park, and the iFest International Festival. Blanchard noted that the community's love for the city and its pride in the events organized by the council were evident.

"Our goal for 2025 is to grow our volunteer community, deliver great events that are fun and boost city pride, and help people fall in love with our city all over again," Blanchard added.

Jason Harper, director of the Rancho Cordova Athletic Association (RCAA), expressed gratitude for the city's ongoing support of local youth sports. The organization aims to foster teamwork, sportsmanship, and healthy lifestyles.

"The three main priorities we focus on are field enhancement, accessibility, and character development," said Jason Harper, director of the Rancho Cordova Athletic Association. "First, we work with the city and the park district to ensure our kids have incredible, safe venues to play in. Second, we strive to eliminate financial barriers for families by offering generous fee support and a program called 'Serve to Save,' where families can reduce

registration costs by volunteering for key roles in the league. Lastly, we use sports as a tool to teach life lessons, focusing on character development and healthy competition."

Cheryl Gleason, the art director and curator at the Mills Station Art & Culture Center (MACC), reflected on the center's success over the past year. With more than 5,300 visitors attending exhibitions, workshops, and concerts, the MACC has been a hub of artistic expression and community involvement.

"We have done nothing but grow, and this year is all about collaboration," Gleason said. "Thank you for your continuous support of the arts in Rancho Cordova."

Council members acknowledged the contributions of these local organizations and their impact on the city's vibrant community life.

"I'd like to congratulate you on 65 incredible years of service," Mayor Siri Pulipati said. "You put a smile on the faces of people in Rancho Cordova. This is a passion project - you are the heart of what makes Rancho Cordova smile."

Councilmember David Sander echoed the sentiment, emphasizing the importance of civic engagement and volunteerism in building a strong community.

"This is what being a citizen, and a resident of a place, is all about," Sander remarked. "It's about giving back and being engaged in your community. We are tapping into that in a way that no other jurisdiction is doing."

The City Council also provided guidance for the preparation of the Fiscal Year 2025-2027 budget, which will govern city operations from July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2027. The priorities for the new budget were discussed in alignment with the city's long-term vision for growth and sustainability.

The strategic priorities include growing strong neighborhoods by expanding outreach programs and enhancing neighborhood investment strategies. A key proposal is to establish a seven-day-a-week homeless outreach team to provide consistent support.

Another priority is building robust infrastructure, which involves prioritizing critical projects such as the Zinfandel bicycle and pedestrian overcrossing and the Mather Field Road Corridor Revitalization. The city also aims to lead community growth and innovation, with plans to complete the general plan update and implement a comprehensive economic development strategy.

Creating vibrant community and cultural spaces is a focus, with initiatives to expand arts programs, develop community hubs, and leverage partnerships with local organizations such as the Martin Avenue Cultural Center (MACC) and Soil Born Farms. These areas will guide the city's development as it plans for future growth and sustainability.

The council also noted that the city's fiscal health remains stable, though growth in revenue is expected to slow in the coming years.

As the city begins preparations for the next two-year budget cycle, councilmembers reaffirmed their commitment to maintaining Rancho Cordova's growth and fostering a strong, connected community.

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Building High Self-Esteem

Did you know self-love is crucial for overall well-being? Neglecting it can lead to stress, anxiety, and even weakened immunity. Many people wrestle with low self-esteem in their lives. It's part of living and being human. But there are ways to bolster our self-esteem and it starts with how we feel about ourselves. That's what I learned from Dr. Susan Smith Jones who has made extraordinary contributions in the fields of holistic health, anti-aging, optimum nutrition and balanced living. She taught students, staff, and faculty at UCLA how to be healthy and fit for some thirty years. She is the founder and president of "HEALTH **UNLIMITED**" in Los Angeles She travels the world promoting her philosophy as she did on **POPPTALK** on FM-104.5 & AM-950 KAHI. Check these tips she shared on my show.

- 1. SPEAK KINDLY TO YOUR-**SELF.** Loving yourself means changing the conversation in your head. Replace negative self-talk with kindness.
- 2. SET BOUNDARIES. Self-love means not letting people drain you. If someone constantly makes you feel bad about yourself, it's okay to step away.
- 3. LET GO OF SHAME AND GUILT. Many of us carry shame from our past mistakes. We replay old failures in our heads. Be your own best friend.
- 4. TREAT YOUR BODY AS A **TEMPLE.** Loving yourself means caring for your body, mind, and spirit by eating nourishing foods, get enough rest, avoid toxic influences, and speak words of life to yourself.

5. DEEP BREATHING. When you focus on your breathing, your mind's

attention is drawn to the life-enhancing process of drawing in air and exhaling. It's a quick and easy way to instantly feel calm and positive.

- 6. GO FOR A WALK. Getting out in the fresh air can do a world of good and promote peace of mind and positive self-esteem.
- 7. ENJOY NATURE. Too much concrete is never a good thing. Spending time in nature can actually make you feel younger and happier. Spend time away from the city.
- 8. PLAY WITH A PET. Having a pet to play with is a way to de-stress. Touch is a powerful sense and can ease tension and promote positive peace of mind.
- 9. DE-CLUTTER. Have regular clear-outs. Clutter can add to feelings of tension and a clean, clear home allows a clearer, more positive mind.

10. SENSE OF HUMOR. Laugh a lot. The world is instantly a better place when you can see the funny side of life. Dr. Jones added that the more we like ourselves, the greater our peace of mind. We accept ourselves more and feel at ease in the world, no matter what situation we find ourselves in. We experience less insecurity and, as a result, our inner peace is heightened.

She also authored many books including her latest trilogy "UPLIFTED" 12 minutes to more joy, faith, peace, kindness, and vitality..."A HUG IN A MUG" AND "WIRED FOR HIGH-LEVEL WELLNESS." Check out her webwww.susansmithjones.com and sign up for her monthly newsletter and

Don't forget THINK POSITIVE! ★



By Bob McGarvey

I haven't seen any news lately about the proposed "Two Tunnels" project in California. California's Gov. Gavin Newson has proposed downsizing the project, meaning building only one tunnel instead of the original planned two tunnels. Originally, in 1940, there was a discussion about building a "Peripheral Canal" to send more water to Southern California from Northern California. I think there will be more news this summer about a tunnel or not. Personally, I hope that we will be able to keep the water we now have so we can build the homes and businesses which are planned in Northern California.

I talked about some of the holidays in the last few months of the year and now I guess I'll go on to holidays at the begin-

"Two Tunnels

And Another Thing

really make any difference to some people I'm told but quite a few people spend quite a lot of money on Valentine's Day. Now some schools are closing for "Presidents Day," and as you know, there are many "special deals" for Presidents Day. There used to be a different day off for Lincoln's birthday, and another day off for Washington's but the U.S. government has never officially changed for the holiday.

Something new which is happening in the country are the thousands of jobs which are being taken away from federal employees. I know there are quite a few IRS employees who are being fired this year. On the news today, they said there are going to be quite a few citizens who have to wait to get their tax returns back. I guess we will find out later how that comes out.

We will have to see how the Capital Air show works out this year since it will be on March 22 and March 23 at Mather Airport. That ning of the year. It doesn't is when we could get the

Blue Angels for the show. There will be many types of planes and different events, but this year there will be a different type of event. There may be rain since it will be during our rainy season. I think there will be thousands of people who will come to the show. I am looking forward to the show, whether it rains or not. We have been very fortunate to have such unbelievable shows over the years since we became a city.

Something we will have to see at the Capital Air Show will be the young men and women who will be sworn in to the military at the Air Show. We know that our grandson will be there and will be sworn into the Navy. We are very proud of him and we also had another grandson who was been sworn into the Navy three weeks ago.

One more thing we don't want to forget will be to turn your clocks forward one hour on Sunday morning, March 9.

From Bob McGarvey, God bless, and see you next





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Kings Korner By V.G. Harris



Breaking news, the Sacramento Kings can win games against playoff quality teams without all-world center Domantas Sabonis. It happened Saturday night in Houston Texas against a playoff bound Rockets team, as iron man Sabonis grabbed his right hamstring and was forced to leave the game only two minutes into the action.

Not to be esoteric, but intended for every fan and pundit to understand, this team even short-handed can make the playoffs. Yes, I said playoffs, not playin.

Even with the news that Sabonis will be sidelined for 2-3 weeks, every fan should find the positive where it takes you. With Sabonis resting his ailing hamstring, players such as Keon Ellis, Trey Lyles, and hopefully Markelle Fultz, will get much more court action, and Fultz in particular needs more time getting used to his new teammates.

I'm excited to see the athleticism and deft ball handling that Fultz brings to the hardwood, and without question Malik Monk needs time without the ball. Monk is getting exhausted handling the ball every possession, and he is leading the team in turnovers nearly every night. This comes from trying to do too much, and I love the effort Malik brings every game. No one gives more, but he is more comfortable in the role as a 2 guard, and with either Devin Carter or Markelle Fultz on the court, Malik can assume his former role.

Not to be overlooked as the Kings have put together a 3-game winning streak, is the work of big man Jonas Valanciunas. Jonas looks like the NBA starter he's always been and will fill the void left by Sabonis as he nurses his hamstring over the next half dozen games.

Valanciunas is an excellent rebounder and has a low post game that is second to none. He gets criticism for his defense, but I believe he is a more than capable team defender, and he accepts a challenge well. Without question the acquisition of Jonas Valanciunas was bound to pay dividends, and Sacramento is about to see what this quality NBA center can do.

While pundits criticized the trade that brought Zach Lavine to the Kings from

Chicago, all that Zach has done is play better and better with every game. The initial jitters that led to poor 3-point shooting has been replaced by stellar knock-down 3's, that ignite the home crowd and show naysayers that this former NBA all-star can make a difference every night.

This is exactly the type of team Sacramento fans have been hoping to see for years. A team that can take any team to the wire every night, and as this newly assembled group has found time together, they are looking like a bonified playoff contender.

Just percentage points ahead of the Dallas Mavericks in the Western Conference standings, Monday night's game looms large.

The Kings occupy the No. 9 spot in the standings but are amazingly only a halfgame out of the No. 6 spot. Five quality teams are vying for No. 6, but the Kings are finding their collective stride at just the right moment. Tested they will be as they enter American Airlines arena and face Kyrie Irving and Klay Thompson.

If ever in a frenetic season it is time for optimism, that time is now! It should come from every corner, and regardless of what occurs against the Mavericks and the Nuggets on Wednesday night in Denver, everyone should be looking forward to Friday night's contest against the visiting San Antonio Spurs.

Much has been said about the back story of DeAaron Fox leaving the Kings, and for one night that needs to take hiatus. When DeAaron is introduced as a member of the opposing team, every fan needs to get on their feet and put their hands together. What Fox did for the Sacramento Kings in nearly eight seasons is legendary, and without question No. 5 will have his jersey retired someday.

Stand up Kings fans, because the best is truly yet to come! It's a great time to be a Sacramento Kings fan, so remember the glass is half full, and the playoffs are right around the corner!

All the best!

Your thoughts are always welcome at vgharriskingsfan@gmail.com. ★

Social Security Matters

Should I Wait until Age 70 to Claim Social Security?



By Russell Gloor, AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor

Dear Rusty: I am a married woman, at my full retirement age, and the primary earner in my marriage. How do I know if I should take my Social Security now or wait till 70? I will lose quite a bit if I take it now. How will it affect my taxes if I take it now while still working a full-time job? Signed: Undecided

Dear Undecided: As you apparently already know, waiting until you are 70 to claim Social Security will result in you getting your maximum possible monthly SS retirement benefit. After your full retirement age, you get about 8% more each year you delay claiming up to age 70. But deciding exactly when to claim should consider both your financial needs and, importantly, your life expectancy. If you don't urgently need the money now and your life expectancy is at least "average," then waiting until age 70 to claim is usually the right choice. But if you urgently need the money, or your life expectancy is less than average (mid-80s for a woman your current age), then claiming before age 70 is usually prudent.

Regarding taxation, Social Security benefits may be taxable if your combined income from all sources exceeds the threshold for your IRS filing status. If you file taxes as "married/jointly" and your combined income (including your work income) exceeds \$32,000, then half of the SS benefits you received during the tax year becomes part of your taxable income. But if your combined income is over \$44,000, then up to 85% of your SS benefits becomes taxable income (the thresholds are lower for those who file as a single). So, your full-time work income will likely affect how much of your Social Security benefits are subject to income tax

by the IRS.

In the end, only you can decide when you should claim Social Security. Taxation of benefits may be a factor to consider since you are still working full time (thus more

of your SS benefits will be taxable). But waiting longer to claim results in a higher benefit for the rest of your life (your SS retirement benefit will be .667% more for each month you delay, up to age 70). If the "rest of your life" is a long time and you don't urgently need the money, waiting is often the right choice. If not, claiming earlier may be wiser.

If you want to get a more personalized estimate of your life expectancy, I suggest you use the tool we use here at the AMAC Foundation: www.socialsecurityreport.org/tools/life-expectancy-calculator/.

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Lacking the Capacity to Store Water That Atmospheric Rivers Dump on the State



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

President Donald Trump is obsessed with how California manages its water supply, demanding changes as one price of giving the state billions of dollars in aid to cope with Southern California's deadly and destructive wildfires.

However, Trump's specific complaints are not grounded in hydrologic or managerial reality — such as his insistence that a lack of water from Northern California was a factor in either the fires' eruption or the firefighting efforts. Hydrants dried up largely because systems were designed to deal with individual structure fires, not widespread wildfires involving thousands of buildings.

That said, there's much to criticize in how California, once a global leader in large-scale water management, has faltered. Population growth and evolving agricultural practices have increased demand, while federal and state environmental laws, judicial decisions, political foot-dragging and climate change have restricted supply.

One major failing has been a slow response to an obvious need for more water storage — either in reservoirs or underground aquifers — to capture winter rains and spring snowmelts as a buffer for dry years.

Scientists believe that even if California's overall water supply from rain and snow storms doesn't decline, wet and dry cycles have become more intense, and more precipitation is coming as rain instead of snow. Thus the natural reservoirs of snow-packs in the Sierra and other mountain ranges are becoming less dependable, increasing the need for supplemental storage.

California's most recent experiences — two wet winters that defied some forecasts — underscore the need.

A new report from the Public Policy Institute of California points out that the atmospheric rivers that dropped immense quantities of rain and snow on the state this month, following a very dry January, did not result in substantial new storage in the state's major reservoirs.

"Rather than storing all the water they can, during the winter reservoir operators are required to maintain enough space in their reservoirs to capture high inflows and reduce the risk of flooding downstream," PPIC researchers Jeffrey Mount and Greg Gartrell wrote.

"When the February

storms arrived, the surge of water into the state's two largest reservoirs — Shasta and Oroville — quickly filled the flood reserve space. Because the winter flood season is far from over, dam operators had no choice but to let the water go to make space for possible future floods.

"And they let go a lot of water. Between February 1 and 18, those two reservoirs alone released more than 2 million acre-feet of water into the Sacramento and Feather Rivers to maintain

Scientists believe that even space for future stormwater."

An acre-foot is 325,851 gallons and 2 million-acre feet equates to more than half of Oroville's capacity, or about 20% of what Californians consume each year for non-agricultural purposes.

Overall, Mount and Gartrell calculated, 5.1 million acre-feet of water flowed into the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta from storm runoff and reservoir releases during that period in February. Just 4% of it could be diverted into storage because of insufficient capacity and operational mandates.

Even a relatively tiny increase in storage capacity could pay huge dividends when wet winters such as this evolve into periods of drought. Had the long-proposed Sites Reservoir on the west side of the Sacramento Valley existed, it could have banked as much as 1.5 million acre-feet of that excess flow.

California's water managers acknowledge the need for more storage to take advantage of high-precipitation winters such as this one, but clearing all of the legal and financial hurdles and actually building it take decades. Sites, first proposed seven decades ago, is just now beginning to appear feasible.

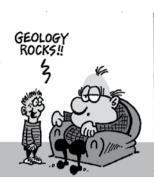
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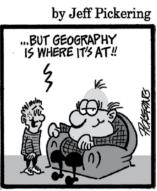
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LOOK, OUR BOOKINGS ARE WAY DOWN, THE CROWDS AREN'T WHAT THEY USED TO BE, I'M SICK OF THE ROAD AND HOTELS. I WANT TO MEET A GIRL, SETTLE DOWN, MAYBE STARTA FAMILY OF MY OWN ... CINON, DANNY, YOU'RE NOT GOING TO MAKE ME SAY IT, ARE YOU?!!!

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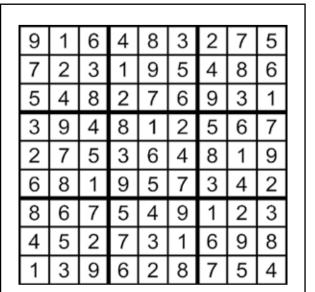


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1. Giant Himalayan 5. *M in MAC

8. Bathtub libation 11. Joie de vivre

13. East side of Jersey

15. Tucked in 16. Diva's solo

17. Length of a forearm 18. *____ Sunday 20. Osiris' wife

21. Freshwater fish

22. Stir fry pan 23. Victorian era overcoat

26. Smallest 30. *Like attending band at the NCAA

Tournament 31. Kaa of "The Jungle

Book"

34. Great Lake 35. Prep mushrooms for

steak, e.g. 37. Cooking fat

38. Bible song 39. Second to last word

in some fairytales 40. False

42. Dip oreo into milk, e.g. 43. Tiresome

45. Hoariest 47. NBC's sketch come-

dv show 48. Misrepresent 50. South American

monkey 52. *2025 NCAA Champi-

onship game venue 56. Renaissance fiddle __ and to

hold" 59. Founding Father

Thomas _ 60. Damien's prediction 61. Reunion group

62. Bancroft to Hoffman in "The Graduate"

63. Agreement word 64. Ages and ages

DOWN

1. Nay opposers 2. River in Bohemia

3. 1.3 ounces, in Asia 4. Owes money (2 words)

5. Angelina Jolie's 2024

singing role 6. "Kick the bucket," e.g.

7. *____ Smith, coach of 2 champs and 11 Final Four

teams 8. Mongolian desert

9. Fleur-de-lis

10. *Cut down at end of last game

12. Like rheumy eves 13. Descendant

14. *2024 winners 19. Thin pancake

22. *____ and move on 23. *Cinderella's victory

24. Furlough

25. Spew, past tense

26. Cough syrup balsam 27. Use other end of

28. Farm structures 29. Dangle a carrot

32. * _-up or evenly matched game

33. Step on it 36. *2024 Most Outstanding Player Newton 38. Paralyzing disease,

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Bill Johnson, 11005 Fair Oaks Fair Oaks, 95628 is doing business unthe Fictitious Business Name(s) "ABRCo" 11005 Fair Oaks Boulevard, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County January 6, Publish: Feb 14, 21, 28, March 7, 2025

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Mall Drive, Sacramento, Ca

95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County January 16, Publish: Feb 14, 21, 28, March 7, 2025

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-00882 Aviel Mizrahi, 2494 Trail Lane, Sacramento, CA 95834 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "A&M Garage Door Service" 2494 Quiet Trail Lane, Sacramento, CA 95834. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 7, 2025 Publish: Feb 14, 21, 28, March 7, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

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Banks Place, Sacramento, CA 95835. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 14, 2025

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-00868 Building 1401 21st Street, Suite 7958, Sacramento, CA 95811 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Summit Kitchens and Baths/Summit ADU's/Summit Restoration' 1401 21st Street, Suite 7958, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 6, 2025 Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 14, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

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Solutions" 3126 O Street Sacramento, CA 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 18, 2025 Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-00512 Northern California Logistics LLC, 2800 Greymere Sacramento, CA 95833 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Northern California Logistics LLC" 2800 Greymere Way, Sacramento, CA 95833. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County January 27, 2025 Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 NORTHERN

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01125 Blue Collar Coaching, LLC 2135 Butano Drive, Suite 210, Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Next Level Coaching" 2135 Butano Drive, Suite 210, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 18, 2025 Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 NEXT 3-21-25

STATEMENT FBNF2025-01204 Palmers Iron Fence LLC, 2970 La Rosa Road, Sacramento, 95815 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Palmer Fence" 2970 La Rosa Road, Sacramento. CA 95815. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 PALMER

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-01126 Monique Huston, 6617 Madison Avenue #5 Carmichael CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Pro-Health Therapies" 6617 Madison Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 18, 2025 Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 3-21-25 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-01015 Positively Fit Within LLC, 2314 E Street, Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Iron Roots Fitness" 1409 16th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 13, 2025 Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01146 Shawanna L Kennedy, 1104 Corporate Way, Sacramento, CA 95831 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) 'Next Level Consulting" 1104 Corporate Way, Sacramento, CA 95831. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 18, 2025 Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 CONSULTING

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-00955 nh Tran, 7647 Broadhead Way Sacramento, CA 95829 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Modern Acupuncture Medicine" 7647 Broadhead Way, Sacramento, CA 95829. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 10, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 MODERN 3-28-25

STATEMENT FBNF2025-01233 Khaled Musa, 4114 Sea Driff Way, Sacramento, CA 95823 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Microusa" 4114 Sea Drift Way, Sacramento, CA 95823. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 21, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 MICROUSA FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01258

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

Reneeka Williams, 6805 Kermit Lane, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Heart Connection Consulting" 6805 Kermit Lane, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 21, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01081

Xpert Home Lending Inc.

1100 Satellite Boulevard NW, Suwanee, GA, 30024 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Key Home Loans" 1100 Satellite Boulevard NW, Suwanee, GA, 30024. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 18, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 3-28-25 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-00958

Lucas Brown, 120 Rambling Drive, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Best in Town Award" 120 Rambling Drive, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 11, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-01343 Miguel Angel Guerrero Barragan, 3829 Kimberly Road, Cameron Park, CA 95682 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Guerrero's Handy Name(s) "Guerrero's Handy Work" 3829 Kimberly Road, Cameron Park, CA 95682. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February Legal Advertising Hotline 916-483-2299 Legal Advertising Fax 916-773-2999

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Carmichael Times Adjudicated For and By the County of Sacramento, Adjudication No. 317294 – February 7, 1984
Rancho Cordova Independent Adjudicated For and By the County of Sacramento, Adjudication No. 195380 – September 18, 1969
Citrus Heights Messenger Adjudicated For and By the County of Sacramento, Adjudication No. 34-2020-00273535 – March 12, 2020 The Rio Linda News Adjudicated For and By the County of Sacramento, Adjudication No. 358073 – March 21, 1988

Legal Advertising 7144 Fair Oaks Blvd #5 Carmichael, CA 95608

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENTS

25 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 **GUERREROS**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01281 Carolin Gardner, PO Box 1682, Loomis, CA 95650 is business under the doing Fictitious Business Name(s) Healing "Transformative 110 Blue Ravine Therapy" Road Suite 104, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 24, 2025

Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 **HEALING** 3-28-25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-00575 Mother Lode Van & Storage Inc., 11255 Pyrites Way #400, Gold River, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Right Way Receiving & Delivery" 11220 Pyrites Way #100, Gold River. CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County January 29, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025

RIGHT 3-28-25 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-00957 Jeffrey Tong, 2108 N Street #4237, Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the **Fictitious** Business Name(s) "Sinamark" 2108 N Street #11237, Sacramento, CA 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 11, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 **SINAMARK** 3-28-25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01283 Group Morales Enterprises LLC, 30 N Gould Street Suite R, Sheridan. WY 82801 is doing business under the Fictitious Name(s) Business "Angel's Junk & Dump" 7228 Roca Way, Sacramento, CA 95842. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 24, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 ANGELS

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01248 Sampson Wang, 711 Bridgeside Drive, Sacramento, CA 95831 is doing business under the **Fictitious** Business Name(s) Consulting" "Wang 711 Bridgeside Drive, Sacramento, CA 95831. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 21, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 WANG 3-28-25

STATEMENT FBNF2025-01072 Diane Milenkovich, 7419 Garden Gate Drive, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "American River Bookkeeping" 7419 Garden Gate Drive, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 14, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 3-28-25

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AMERICAN FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-01405 Modamedia Communications, LLC, 2508 J Street, Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the Fictitious Business "Groundswell/ Name(s) Groundswell Art" 2508 J Street, Sacramento, CA 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 26, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 GROUND 3-28-25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01299 Maria E Mariscal, 7605 Rincon Villa Lane, Sacramento, CA 95828 is doing business under the Fictitious Business "Mr. and Mrs. Pro Name(s) Cleaning Services" 7605 Rincon Villa Lane, Sacramento,

95828. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 24, 2025

Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 3-28-25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01177 Hollybank LLC, 3017 Arden Way, Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) Barbershop" "GOAT 3025 Arden Way, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February

Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 **GOAT** 3-28-25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01458 Kevin & Luz Enterprises Inc. 1600 Sacramento Inn Way 216, Sacramento, CA Suite 95815-3461 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Epic Homehealth Services" 1600 Sacramento Inn Way, Suite 216, Sacramento, CA 95815-3461. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 27, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 **EPIC** 3-28-25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01345 Satinder Pal Singh, 1605 F Street, Sacramento, CA 95814 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Singh Jeweler" 1605 F Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 25, 2025 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 3-28-25

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF **FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME**

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE NO. FBNF2025-00995 The following person(s) has/

have abandoned the use of FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME of: Clearinghouse C/ Background Services, 2740 Fulton Avenue, Suite 124, Sacramento, CA 95821. SAP Solutions, 2740 Fulton Avenue, Suite 124, Sacramento,

CA 95821. **Fictitious** The Business Statement was filed Name

on 2/13/2025 in the County of Sacramento. with the clerk

Sacramento County: 2/14/2025. Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 14, 2025 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT

OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE NO. FBNF2021-10938 The following person(s) has/

have abandoned the use of the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME of: NorCal Feed, 4821 Sunset Place Lane, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Faith Recio, 4821 Sunset Place

Lane, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. **Fictitious** Business Statement was filed on 12/22/2021 in the County of

Sacramento. the clerk with Sacramento County: 2/18/2025.

Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 3-21-25 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT

OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE NO. FBNF2023-04731 The following person(s) has/ have abandoned the use of the

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME of: GHMC, 508 W 800 N, Orem. UT 84057. Colony First Mortgage

Corporation, 508 W 800 N, Orem, UT 84057. **Fictitious Business** The Name Statement was filed

on 6/21/2023 in the County of Sacramento. the Filed with clerk Sacramento County: 6/21/2023.

Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 **GHMC** 3-28-25 STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE NO. 2020-03872

The following person(s) has/ have abandoned the use of the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME of: Emily's Guest Home, 7437 Kanai Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95621.

Maria Tintas. 7437 Kanai Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95621.

Fictitious Business The Name Statement was filed on 6/18/2020 in the County of Sacramento. with the clerk

Sacramento County: 2/13/2025. Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 **EMILYS**

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV001753

Savedi Maiidi has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Sayedi Majidi to Sayed Khalil Majidi. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 10, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: January 22, 2025 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 14, 21, 28, March 7, 2025 3-7-25

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #25CV002562 Nadia Ghafari has filed a peti-

tion with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Nadia Ghafari to Nadia Wali IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 18, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: January 31, 2025 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 14, 21, 28, March 7, 2025 3-7-25

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #25CV003088

Paul Nicholas Duff has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Paul Nicholas Duff to Paul Nicholas Curtin. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 12, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 7, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 14, 2025 **CURTIN** 3-14-25

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #25CV003283

Adeeb Rahman Usmani has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Osama Usmani to Daniel Usmani. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-en-

court on June 18, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 11, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 14, 2025 USMANI

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titled matter appear before this

CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV003137 Quentin Marcel Williams has

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filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Quentin Marcel Williams to Quentin Marcel Jones. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on June 12, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 10, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 14, 2025 QUENTIN

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV002080

Waheed Mohammadi & Nooria Siddiqi have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Muitaba Mohmadi to Muitaba Mohammadi. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on May 28, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: January 27, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 14, 2025 MUJTABA

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV002102 Abdul Waheed Mohammadi

& Nooria Siddiqi have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Mustafa Mohmadi to Mustafa Mohammadi. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on May 29, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: January 27, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 14, 2025 MUSTAFA 3-14-25

CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #25CV003103 Pilar Villa Gonzalez has filed a

petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Pilar Villa Gonzalez to Ma. Pilar Villa Gonzalez and Juvenal Pena to Juvenal Pena Palafox.
IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 25, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 7, 2025 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 14, 2025

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COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV002092 Abdul Waheed Mohammadi & Nooria Siddiqi have filed a

petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Murtaza Mohmadi to Murtaza Mohammadi. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on June 12, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: January 27, 2025 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 14, 2025 3-14-25 MURTAZA SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA**

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #25CV003372

Maria Griselda Diaz-Boltor has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Maria Griselda Diaz-Boltor to

Griselda Maria Diaz-Boltor. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 1, 2025, at 1:30

p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 13, 2025 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court

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SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #24CV022255

Aries Darrell Saechao has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Aries Darrell Saechao to Aries Darrell Voong. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on March 19, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. and show cause, if any why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: November 1, 2024 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 14, 2025 VOONG 3-14-25

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #25CV003817 Elizabeth Rose Ann Sheldon has

filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Elizabeth Rose Ann Sheldon to Rose Lyon.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 26, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street Sacramento CA 95814, and show cause, if any why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 19, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 ROSE 3-21-25

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA **COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO** ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #25CV003566 Margaret Ann Wogksch aka

Margaret Ann O'Neill has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Margaret Ann Wogksch aka Margaret Ann O'Neill to Margaret O'Neill Wogksch. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 24, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 14, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court

Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 MARGARET 3-21-25 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV003560 Nhut Hoang Duy To has filed a petition with this court for a de-

cree changing the name(s) of Nhut Hoang Duy To to Duy Nhut Hoang To. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 24, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 14, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025

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#25CV004186 Vanessa Silva Carrillo has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Vanessa Silva Carrillo to Vanessa Silva Carrillo.

IT IS ORDERED that all per-

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sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 1, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 21, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 CARRILLO 3-21-25

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV003556 Nhut Thanh To has filed a petition with this court for a decree

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changing the name(s) of Nhut Kim Khanh To to Khanh Nhut Kim To. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on July 3, 2025, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 53, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 14, 2025 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: Feb 28, March 7, 14, 21, 2025 3-21-25

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

CHANGE OF NAME #25CV004235 Phuc An Nguyen Truong has filed a petition with this court for

a decree changing the name(s) of Phuc An Nguyen Truong to

Roney Truong.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 2, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 21, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 TRUONG 3-28-25

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COLINTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV003329

ShankaraNarayanan Jayaraman and JanakaSudha Shankara Narayanan has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Sriram J.S. to Sriram J. Shankara Naryanan and Srihari J.S. to Srihari J. Shankara Narayanan.

IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this

court on June 18, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54/ Hall of Justice, located at 813 6th Street. Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 11, 2025

Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025 NARAYANAN 3-28-25 SUPERIOR COURT OF

CALIFORNIA **COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO** ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #25CV003750 Melanie Kim has filed a petition with this court for a decree

changing the name(s) of Aubree Miya Eilbacher to Aubree Miya Kim-Eilbacher and Logan Ryu Eilbacher to Logan Ryu Kim-Eilbacher and Maddox Kai Eilbacher to Maddox Kai Kim-Eilbacher. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 25, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in Department 54, located at 813 6th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and show cause, if any, why the petition for Change of Name should not be granted. Dated: February 18, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 28, 2025

NOTICE OF PETITION TOADMINISTER ESTATE

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JANIS K LATONA CASE NO. 25PR000393 To all heirs, beneficiaries, credi-

tors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate. or both, of Janis K Latona A Petition for Probate has

been filed by Lee D Latona, in the Superior Court of California County of Sacramento, requesting Lee D Latona be appointed personal representative(s) 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 have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows March 12, 2025, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 124; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826. IF YOU OBJECT to the grant-

the authority.

ing 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 dece-

dent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file

kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Petitioner

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, March 17, 2025, at 5:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be

City of Rancho Cordova Notice of Public Hearing

heard, the City Council of the City of Rancho Cordova will hold a Public Hearing at the Rancho Cordova City Hall, located at 2729 Prospect Park Drive, Rancho Cordova, to consider the following: JACKSON PROPERTIES WAREHOUSE STORAGE BUILDING —MAJOR DESIGN REVIEW AMENDMENT—PROJECT

No. PLND-0924-0110: REQUEST: The Applicant is requesting a Major Design Review Amendment for the previously approved Jackson

Properties Warehouse Storage Building (PLND-0622-0044). The proposed modifications include a square footage reduction of approximately 4,000 SF, relocation of the truck loading docks, additional grade level doors, minor façade modifications, and the relocation of on-site improvements including parking, stormwater basins, and landscaping. The original project was also granted an exception to exceed the 40-foot height maximum for the Commercial/Office Park Subarea. The amended project has a 43'-4" max height and is again requesting this same exception. An exception may be granted by the approval authority as part of the Design Review Process. **OWNER** APPLICANT:

JPI XXIX, L.P. Vincent Fugina

155 Cadillac Drive, Suite 100 Sacramento, CA 95825

PWC Architects Guv Duerwald

3320 Data Drive, Suite 200 Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

LOCATION/APN: 10391 Peter A McCuen Boulevard; APN: 077-0420-001-0000 ZONING: Commercial Office Park Subarea within the Campus District of the Mather Field Special Planning Area

ENVIRONMENTAL: Exempt per Section 15183, Projects Consistent with a Community Plan, General Plan or Zoning of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) PROJECT PLANNER: Nick Sosa, Senior Planner

being discussed. If you wish to provide testimony and are unable to attend the meeting, written comments that are delivered to the City Clerk's office prior to the time of the hearing will be made a part of the public record. Questions regarding this matter should be directed to the City of Rancho Cordova Planning Division at (916) 851-8750.

The City of Rancho Cordova encourages interested parties to attend public meetings and comment on the issues

NOTICE REGARDING CHALLENGES TO DECISIONS

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SAFE Accepting Applications for \$16,000 in Scholarships



SAFE Credit Union Vice President Community Relations and Financial Education Rebecca Delmundo. Photo courtesy of SAFE Credit Union

SAFE Credit Union News Release

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA, CA (MPG) - SAFE Credit Union is now accepting applications for its annual scholarship awards for \$4,000 each to support graduating high school seniors and students currently attending community college.

"SAFE is committed to helping students achieve their dreams with skills for a successful financial future," says SAFE Credit Union Vice President Community Relations and Financial Education Rebecca Delmundo. "We are excited to provide each recipient with this scholarship to help empower students to reach their educational goals and positively impact their community."

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\$4,000 each in the competitive scholarship program. Applications will be accepted through Friday, March 21, and can be accessed here or by visiting: SAFE Scholarship Program.

To be eligible, applicants must be a member of SAFE with a checking or savings account in good standing, must be a graduating high school senior or a current community college student with 60 or fewer credits with a GPA of 3.0 or above and Currently attending a high school or community college in one of the 13 counties in SAFE's service area: Sacramento, Placer, El Dorado, Yolo, San Joaquin, Contra Costa, Solano, Yuba, Sutter, Butte, Nevada, Alameda, and Amador.

cation is so important for people to gain the knowledge for jobs that provide for good incomes and career satisfaction," Delmundo says. "We want students to obtain that education, be it at a community college, university, or a trade school. SAFE is here to help them get a jump on their careers."

"We recognize that post-secondary edu-

According to a recent article from Business Insider, the average student loan debt was \$29,300 for 2022-23 graduates. SAFE created this program to ease that financial burden from local students with a \$4,000 scholarship.

"While the long-term benefits of attending higher education are clear, paying tuition can be challenging for so many families," Delmundo says. "That's why SAFE continues to provide this scholarship to help promising students cover more of their educational costs."

For more information about SAFE Credit Union's scholarship program contact SAFE Credit Union Senior Public Affairs Specialist, Caitlin Estes at caitlin. Estes@safecu.org or (916) 597-5870. ★

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Dave Ramsey

Dear Dave,

My wife and I are on Baby Step 4 of your plan. Recently, we were offered the opportunity to take part in a three-day, handson stock trading class. The only problem is we don't have the \$5,000 registration fee at the moment. What do you think about us temporarily taking that amount from our emergency fund, then replacing it over a few months' time? We would still have the minimum three months of expenses you recommend still there for emergencies even after taking the class.

Pete Dear Pete,

I wouldn't waste my money on the course. And I especially wouldn't blow any of my emergency fund on something like that. Your emergency fund is for, repeat after me, emergencies only! In my mind, a short course on single stock investing

A High-Risk Proposition

Dave Ramsey Says

is about as far from an actual emergency as you can get.

Now, I don't know the exact course you're talking about, but I do know quite a bit about the concept of buying and selling stocks-or day trading-if you want to call it that. Research shows over 90% of day traders lose money over time. And I can tell you something else, too. One hundred percent think they'll never be the ones losing out. That includes people who take courses like the one you're looking at.

I've seen no data points—none—showing that on a consistent, level basis across a broad population, that people who take courses like these make money and become wealthy as a result. Buying and selling single stocks is an ultra-high risk proposition. That's why I don't buy them. I know some people who buy and sell single stocks as a very small percentage of their financial world. And when I say "very small percentage," I mean it's like a hobby they dabble in once in a blue moon, with a very small amount of cash.

But my best advice, Pete, is to stay away from this kind of thing. Someone might make a little money playing around like this from time to time, but it's nothing you should spend a lot of time on, or make a serious financial investment in. And it should never, ever be the main focus of an investing strategy.

– Dave

Dave Ramsey is an eight-time national bestselling author, personal finance expert and host of The Ramsey Show. He has appeared on Good Morning America, CBS This Morning, Today, Fox News, CNN, Fox Business and many more. Since 1992, Dave has helped people take control of their money, build wealth and enhance their lives. He also serves as CEO for Ramsev Solutions.

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ADMINISTER ESTATE OF

is: Lee D Latona, 10820 Alandale

DAVID DOUGLAS NESTER CASE NO. 25PR000425 To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of

and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of David Douglas Nester. A Petition for Probate has been filed by Melissa J. Nester, in the Superior Court of California,

County of Sacramento, requesting Melissa J. Nester be appointed as personal representative(s) 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 have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A hearing on the petition will be

held in this court as follows March 25, 2025, 1:30 p.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Road, Sacramento, CA 95826. IF YOU OBJECT to the grant-

ing of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state vour objections or file written obiections 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 interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Petitioner is: Melissa J. Nester, 4368 Aubergine Way, Mather, CA 95655; (916) 622-4596

> NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF

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Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn JOAN STRAWN, AKA IF YOU OBJECT to the grant-

> tors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Joan Strawn, aka Joan Leshuk. A Petition for Probate has been filed by William R. Strawn, in

CASE NO. 25PR000501

To all heirs, beneficiaries, credi-

the Superior Court of California. County of Sacramento, requesting William R. Strawn be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be

admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the 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 have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A hearing on the petition will be

held in this court as follows March 19, 2025, 1:30 p.m. in Dept 129; Superior Court of California,

County of Sacramento, William

R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn

Road, Sacramento, CA 95826.

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YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Katie Lenore, 202 Providence Mine Road, Suite

106, Nevada City, CA 95959; (530) 264-4130

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF ROBERT RICHARD MIDDLETON

CASE NO. 25PR000633

Publish: Feb 21, 28, March 7, 2025

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Robert Richard Middleton. A Petition for Probate has been

filed by Michael D. Middleton, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Michael D. Middleton be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be

admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the 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 have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A hearing on the petition will be

held in this court as follows March 27, 2025, 1:30 p.m. in Dept 129;

Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse, 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826. IF YOU OBJECT to the grant-

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IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the dece-

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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 de-livery 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 in-

terested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Michael A Sawamura, Corporate Counsel Law Group LLP, 901 H Street, Suite 210, Sacramento, CA 95814; (916) 441-2685 Publish: March 7, 14, 21, 2025 MIDDLETON



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The Airshow has several tiers of ticketed experiences, including the Capital Club, Flight Line Club and Mather Club, which offer a range of benefits such as shaded seating, complimentary beverages, buffet lunch and prime views of the aerial performances. Returning this year is The Hangar experience, which includes unlimited craft beer and spirits from the City of Rancho Cordova's Barrel District and wine from Starfield Vineyards.

For those seeking a more premium experience, First Class, a brand-new offering for 2025, includes exclusive access to VIP amenities, a pilot meet-and-greet, and premium food and drink options.

Tickets are now available for purchase online. With the popularity of the Blue Angels and limited availability for all ticket types, fans are encouraged to buy early. Tickets will not be sold at the

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Murder, Attempted Murder

Sacramento District Attorney's Office News Release

SACRMENTO, CA (MPG) - On Feb. 6, David Perry was convicted by a jury of first-degree murder.

The special circumstance that the murder was committed by firing from a motor vehicle and the allegation that he personally discharged a firearm causing death were also found true. He was also convicted of attempted murder with the allegation that he personally discharged a firearm causing great bodily injury found

On Oct. 26, 2021, Perry was driving when he hit the victim's vehicle. Perry quickly drove away and the victim followed him while calling 911 to report the license plate number. Perry made a U turn aligning his car with the victim and shot six rounds at him, striking him in the face and arm before fleeing. That victim survived his injuries.

On Dec. 6, 2021, Perry and the second victim had an interaction in their vehicles on Watt Avenue near I-80. Perry began to pursue the victim, who attempted to flee on I-80 and then I-5 while calling 911 for help. Perry pulled alongside the victim and fired several shots into his truck, hitting him in the arm and waist. The victim stayed on the phone with 911 for five minutes during which time Perry circled back to the victim on I-5 and shot him one more time in the head, killing him. Perry was observed getting out of his

Perry faces a maximum sentence of life in prison without the possibility of parole. Sentencing is set at 10:30 a.m. April 4 in front of the Honorable Michael Bowman.

vehicle on the West Sacramento overpass

where he discarded the firearm.

Defendant Sentenced for Child Molestation

Sacramento County District Attorney's Office

violence and duress.

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - On Jan. 24, the Honorable Ernest Sawtelle sentenced Michael Huey to 96 years in prison. On Dec. 20, 2024, a jury convicted Huey of 16 counts of child molestation with force,

The jury also found true aggravating factors that the victims were vulnerable; that Huey took advantage of a position of trust; the crimes involved great violence, great bodily harm, threats of great bodily harm or other acts disclosing a high degree of cru-

elty, viciousness or callousness;

and the manner in which the crimes were carried out indicates planning,

sophistication or professionalism.

From 1995 to 2008, Huey used his position of trust, his size and his strength to overpower and molest two minors. For one of the victims, Huev used mental and emotional

> physical violence against their family and instilling a fear of separation from other loved ones if they told anyone. During the investigation, Huey was found to be in possession of multiple images of child sexual abuse material on a tablet.

manipulation by threatening

Under current California law, Huey, 54, will become eligible for release at an Elder Parole hearing after he reaches the age of 50 and serves 20 years of his 96-year sentence. With his in-custody credits, that will be in approximately 17 years.

Exploration Park Receives Award



Completed last November, Exploration Park in Anatolia honors the aerospace history of the area through its creative design and engaging elements. Photo courtesy of Cordova Recreation & Park District

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playgrounds. A central hillside slide, rubberized surfaces depicting stars and planets and roped play climbers simulating the bending fabric of spacetime created an immersive and stimulating experience.

A climbable sculpture of a hand holding a meteorite serves as a striking centerpiece, symbolizing humanity's pursuit of knowledge and exploration.

These artistic and interactive features encourage imaginative play and curiosity while strengthening the community's connection to its aerospace legacy.

Since its November opening, Exploration Park has quickly gained popularity with residents expressing enthusiasm about its innovative design. The park's thoughtful blend of history, art and recreation aligns with Cordova Recreation &

Park District's mission to enhance the community's quality of life by providing accessible and engaging outdoor spaces. As more visitors continue to discover the park, it is expected to inspire curiosity about space exploration while offering a dynamic environment for outdoor recreation, according to district officials.

"Coming up with a great concept and being able to carry it through to the finished park provides not just a great community asset but is also a touchstone for reinforcing who we are and where we are from, speaking directly to our history and culture," said Cordova Recreation & Park District principal planner Terry Zeller, who was heavily involved in the Exploration Park's design process.

"The parks we create at Cordova Recreation & Park District seek to root the neighborhoods where they

are built into the fabric of the community, to build on the quality of life and what it means to be a part of this dynamic and amazing part of California," Zeller said. "I am thrilled that this park was recognized for the way in which it reflects our place in the story of space exploration, of our contribution to history, to the present and the future."

Cordova Recreation & Park District is proud to receive this recognition and remains committed to developing parks that enrich the lives of residents. Exploration Park will have a formal grand opening in the spring, where residents can join Cordova Recreation & Park District staff to celebrate the park's opening with a ribbon-cutting ceremony and activities. For more details, visit cordovarpd.gov or follow our social media pages @ corodvarpd.

Former Teacher Convicted of Child Sexual Assault

Sacramento County District Attorney's Office News Release

SACRAMENTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) - On Feb. 25, Kim Kenneth Wilson pled to nine counts of committing lewd acts upon a child. Wilson also admitted to multiple allegations of multiple victims as well as substantial sexual conduct and aggravating factors of vulnerable victim and position of trust.

Wilson was a longtime teacher at Del Paso Heights Elementary School. He also established a media/broadcasting club for students, which had its own designated room assigned to the club. Throughout his tenure, Wilson took female students alone to the private broadcasting room. While in the room, he committed sex acts on the students, often photographing or recording the sex acts. While most of the sexual assaults occurred in the school broadcasting room, some of the victims were also assaulted at Wilson's home during events he hosted.

Upon learning about the sexual assaults, Sacramento police detectives searched Wilson's home. Officers located a number of child-sized sex toys, including childsized artificial genitalia and a child-sized torso with artificial genitalia. Additionally, detectives located a substantial amount of VHS tapes, DVDs and other digital storage devices containing videos depicting Wilson sexually assaulting his students. The videos depicted conduct spanning multiple years with numerous students. The recorded content also showed Wilson forcing students to look into the camera while saying and depicting sexual acts.

Under the plea agreement, Wilson will be sentenced to 215 years to life in prison. Sentencing is set for 8:30 a.m. Aug. 22 in

Department 63.

Under current California law, Wilson, 64, will become eligible for release at an Elder Parole hearing once he serves 20 years of his 215-years-to-life sentence. With his in-custody credits, that will be in approximately 17 years.

Age, Disability-Friendly Action **Plan Launched**



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with registration open until room capacity is reached.

To learn more about the action plan, visit the Age & Disability-Friendly Sacramento County website at agefriendlysaccounty. org. Register for the Local Age and Disability-Friendly Action Plan launch on Eventbrite.com.

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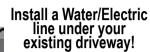
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UC Davis Offers Doctor of Nursing Program

University of California, **Davis News Release**

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) -

The Betty Irene Moore School of Nursing at the University of California, Davis has earned accreditation for its Doctor of Nursing Practice - Nurse Anesthesia degree program by the Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs (COA).

This significant milestone marks the first Doctor of Nursing Practice - Nurse Anesthesia program within the University of California system and only the sixth of its kind in California. The program is set to welcome its inaugural cohort of students in June.

The Doctor of Nursing Practice – Nurse Anesthesia program is an integrated, full-time, three-year curriculum designed to equip experienced critical-care registered nurses with the knowledge and hands-on training required to become Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists.

The program blends rigorous online coursework with in-person simulation training and extensive clinical experience, ensuring students receive a comprehensive and immersive education.

'Earning COA accreditation validates the quality of our curriculum and faculty and highlights the caliber of the dedicated and supportive staff here at the School of Nursing," said Program Director Jakkarin "Jake" Sareerak. "As a new program, we prioritized hiring the highest caliber of Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists faculty, many of whom have served in program administrator



program, the first of its kind within the University of California system. Photo courtesy of Pixabay

roles and bring extensive experience in both education and clinical practice."

Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists programs have transitioned from the master's degree to the Doctor of Nursing Practice level to better prepare clinicians for the increased complexity of patient care and to equip them with advanced leadership and quality improvement skills. This change, supported by accrediting bodies, ensures that Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists are ready to meet modern health care challenges and effectively lead interdisciplinary teams.

Applicants must hold either a bachelor's degree in nursing science or an equivalent major or a bachelor's degree in another specialty in addition to a Master of Science in Nursing or an equivalent graduate degree.

Graduates of the Doctor of Nursing Practice - Nurse Anesthesia program will be fully prepared to take on leadership roles in anesthesia care, Sareerak said, which addresses critical gaps in health care access across California.

Addressing the Shortage

The demand for anesthesia providers continues to outpace supply nationwide. The American Association of Nurse Anesthesiology reports that by 2033, the anesthesiology workforce could experience a shortage of approximately 12,500 providers. That is further exacerbated in California's rural and underserved areas.

With 40-million residents, the state has a growing need for anesthesia services, especially

as its aging population requires more procedures. In addition, non-operating-room anesthesia sites are increasing due to technological advancements, which require more anesthesia care beyond traditional surgical settings.

By expanding nurse anesthesia education, the School of Nursing is actively addressing this workforce challenge and strengthening the future of anesthesia care in California.

"With the growing shortage of anesthesiologists and Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists across the nation, this program is poised to help bridge the gap by preparing highly-skilled nurse anesthetists to serve diverse patient populations," said Dean Stephen Cavanagh.

UC Davis Health is also

meeting this need head-on by partnering with the School of Nursing through its expansion efforts. A key milestone in this expansion is the integration of the 48X Complex as part of the program's primary clinical training site.

Expected to open for patients in July, the four-story, 268,228-square-foot complex will feature 14 operating rooms. The large facility is ideal for presenting learning opportunities for Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist students and addressing the shortage of ambulatory operating room capacity at the main hospital.

"This initiative will provide invaluable hands-on experience for future Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists while ensuring a steady pipeline of highly trained anesthesia providers within UC Davis Health. We hope to retain many of the graduates which will help us reinforce our commitment to delivering safe, high-quality anesthesia services and shaping the future of health care excellence," said Kimberly Beres, the health system's chief nurse anesthetist.

The Doctor of Nursing Practice -Nurse Anesthesia program is the latest offering from the Top 25 15-year-old nursing school. The school already offers a popular Doctor of Nursing Practice - Family Nurse Practitioner program that is helping to fulfill California's shortage of primary care providers, along with master's degrees in nursing, physician assistant studies, a Doctor of Philosophy program and a psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner post-graduate certificate program.

California Comment on Latest Small Business Optimism Index



Overall, small business owners remain optimistic regarding future business conditions but uncertainty is on the rise. Photo by Gustavo Fring Pexels

National Federation of Independent Business News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) -

Small business optimism across the nation fell a bit in January but for the third consecutive month, came in higher than its 51-year average, according to the release Feb. 11 of the monthly Small Business Optimism Index by the National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB). "Prior to this nice three-month

stretch, the Small Business Optimism Index went 34 consecutive months below its 51-year average," said John Kabateck, state director for National Federation of Independent Business in California. "What we could be witnessing is a possible rebound for all sectors of the economy. A rebound that could get some serious traction with the right state and federal policies. A possible rebound that could just as easily be undercut by the wrong ones."

The National Federation of Independent Business's legislative agenda for California can be read at nfib.com/news-article/nfib-announces-legislative-agenda-for-cal-

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Independent Business's congressional agenda, visit nfib.com/news-article/ nfib-to-congress-advance-the-smallbusiness-growth-agenda.

The National Federation of Independent Business's monthly Small Business Optimism Index is the gold standard measurement of America's small business economy. Used by the Federal Reserve, Congressional leaders, administration officials and state legislatures throughout the nation, it's regarded as the bellwether on the health and welfare of the Main Street enterprises that employ half of all workers, generate more net new jobs than large corporations, and gave most of us the first start in our working life.

The Optimism Index (aka Small Business Economic Trends report) is a national snapshot of the National Federation of Independent Business member, small-business owners not broken down by state. The typical National Federation of Independent Business member employs between

one and nine people and reports gross sales of about \$500,000 a year. "Overall, small business owners

remain optimistic regarding future

business conditions but uncertainty

is on the rise. Hiring challenges

continue to frustrate Main Street owners as they struggle to find qualified workers to fill their many open positions. Meanwhile, fewer plan capital investments as they prepare for the months ahead," said National Federation of Independent Business chief economist Bill Dunkelberg. **Highlights from the Latest Small**

Business Optimism Index

The net percent of owners expecting the economy to improve fell five points from December to a net 47% (seasonally adjusted). Thirty-five percent (seasonally

adjusted) of all owners reported job openings they could not fill in the current period, unchanged from December.

Twenty percent (seasonally adjusted) plan capital outlays in the next six months, down seven points

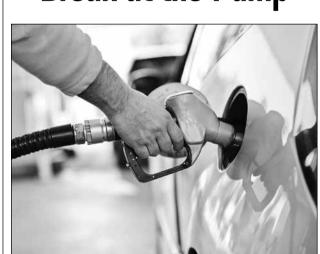
from December. A net 3% of owners reported that their last loan was harder to get than in previous attempts (down one point).

The last time it was this low was June 2022. A net 0% (seasonally adjusted) of owners plan inventory investment in the coming months, down six points

since December 2021.

from December's highest reading

Drivers See a Slight Break at the Pump



Gas prices are expected to remain steady as March arrives and routine seasonal maintenance wraps up. Photo by Engin Akyurt

AAA Northen California News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - With winter nearly in the rearview, temperatures warmed up while gas prices cooled down. Last week, gas prices dropped by three cents, bringing the national average to \$3.12 per gallon.

Gas prices are expected to remain steady as March arrives and routine seasonal maintenance wraps up.

On Feb. 27, California drivers saw an average price of \$4.81, a three-cent drop from two weeks ago.

Fuel prices throughout the state on Feb. 27 included San Francisco at \$5.05, Oakland at \$4.98, San Jose at \$4.91, Sacramento at \$4.95, Fresno at \$4.82 and Stockton at \$4.77.

Regarding the Oil Market Dynamics, at the close of the Feb. 26 formal trading session, the West Texas Intermediate (WTI) rose \$2.54 to settle at \$80.04 a barrel. The Energy Information Administration (EIA) reported that crude oil inventories decreased by 2 million barrels from the previous week. At 412.7 million barrels, U.S. crude oil inventories are about 6% below the five-year average for this time of year.

A quick analysis of gas stats shows that the nation's Top 10 most expensive gasoline markets are California (\$4.81), Hawaii (\$4.54), Washington (\$4.14), Nevada (\$3.84), Oregon (\$3.76), Alaska (\$3.46), Arizona (\$3.40), Pennsylvania (\$3.33), Washington, D.C. (\$3.25) and Illinois

The nation's Top 10 least expensive gasoline markets are Mississippi (\$2.67), Texas (\$2.69), Oklahoma (\$2.73), Kentucky (\$2.74), Louisiana (\$2.76), Arkansas (\$2.78), Alabama (\$2.78), South Carolina (\$2.79), North Carolina (\$2.80) and Tennessee (\$2.80).

Taking a glance at the electricity stats in the nation shows that the Top 10 most expensive states for public charging per kilowatt hour are Hawaii (55 cents), West Virginia (47 cents), Montana (45 cents), Idaho (42 cents), Arkansas (42 cents), New Hampshire (42 cents), Tennessee (42 cents), Kentucky (41 cents), Alaska (41 cents) and South Carolina

The nation's Top 10 least expensive states for public charging per kilowatt hour are Kansas (22 cents), Nebraska (24 cents), Maryland (25 cents), Missouri (25 cents), Delaware (28 cents), Iowa (28 cents), Texas (29 cents), Michigan (29 cents), Utah (29 cents) and North Dakota (30 cents).

Hornet Nets Pitcher of the Week Award

University News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)

- Fresh off a performance that earned him his first victory of the season, senior right-hander Evan Gibbons was named the Western Athletic Conference (WAC) Pitcher of the Week on Monday, Feb. 24.

It is the first career honor for Gibbons, who became the first Hornet hurler to win the award since teammate Kade Brown did so on April 22 of last season.

The three-time WAC All-Academic Team selection put up a stellar start in game three of the series against Ball State on Feb. 21, picking up his first "quality start" of the season while combining on a three-hit

Brown allowed only two



Week. Photo courtesy of Sacramento State Athletics

hits and five baserunners total over six shutout innings, walking a pair and tying his career high with eight strikeouts. Of the five Cardinals that reached base during his time on the mound, Gibbons stranded four of those in scoring position as Sacramento State went on to win the game, 2-0.

The eight strikeouts matched his high bar set in 2023 against Utah Tech and tied twice in 2024 in starts against Utah Valley and Stephen F. Austin. Gibbons is tied for second on the team with 10 strikeouts over 10.2 innings of work, holding opposing hitters to a .231 batting average.

Following a short break, the Hornets returned to the diamond on Feb. 26, defeating South Dakota State 14-2 in the opening game of a four-game home series at John Smith Field.

Women's Tennis Adds International Talent



Cami Maldonado Gutierrez, ranked as one of the top 10 juniors in her home country of Mexico, has committed to join the Sacramento State women's tennis team for the 2025-26 season.

Sacramento State University News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - Cami Maldonado Gutierrez, ranked as one of the top 10 juniors in her home country of Mexico, has committed to join the Sacramento State women's tennis team Head Coach Sophie Breault announced

"We're thrilled to welcome Camila to our program and can't wait to see her growth over the next four years," Breault said. "Cami is a crafty lefty with incredible skill in moving the ball around the court. With so much untapped potential, she has everything it takes to become a top collegiate player."

"Aside from her talent, she's a kind, hardworking, and passionate competitor who will be a perfect fit for our team culture and the Hornet family. We have no doubt she'll make an immediate impact as we pursue our goals of winning the Big Sky Championship and beyond."

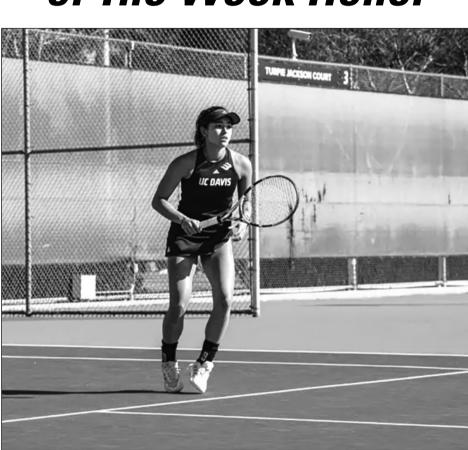
Originally from Tuxtla Gutierrez, Chiapas, Mexico, she ranked as high as No. 561 in the world according to the Jan. 6 International Tennis Federation's Juniors ranking and is currently No. 584 as of Feb. 17.

A member of the Chiapas State Team in 2022, she reached the quarterfinals of the Conade National Olympics and is well-versed in both singles and doubles competition.

Among her career highlights, she claimed five doubles titles from 2023-24 and was a semifinalist in a sixth event, while claiming a singles championship and another singles finals appearance at a pair of J30 Intercollegiate Tennis Association tournaments in Nicaragua. She also reached the semifinals of an event in Tabasco, Mexico in late May of 2024.

Overall, Gutierrez posted a 25-11 overall record in singles play and was 25-8 in doubles matches in 2024.

Aggie Earns Player of The Week Honor



On Feb. 26, UC Davis sophomore Mika Ikemori was named Big West Player of the Week. Photo courtesy of UC Davis Athletics

UC Davis Athletics News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - UC Davis sophomore Mika Ikemori was named Big West Player of the Week, the conference announced on Feb. 26.

This marks Ikemori's first career Big West Player of the Week honor.

Ikemori went 4-0 across three different matches over

the course of a week. On Feb. 21, Ikemori and her partner Daisy Maunupau beat Oregon's No. 1 doubles team of Tilde Jagare and Juliett Santitto, currently ranked No. 80 in the nation. Ikemori followed that up with a straight sets victory at No.1 singles against Santitto 6-4, 6-3.

On Feb. 22, Ikemori and Maunupau won at No. 1 doubles against Cal State

Stanislaus' Emma Yu and Annabelle Mulick, 6-3. That afternoon, Ikemori secured her fourth win of the weekend when she beat Jessup University's Briana Smith, 6-4, 6-0.

UC Davis was back in action against Cal Poly on March 1 for their first-ever theme day, We Stand We See, bringing awareness to illnesses that affect many around the world.

Sacramento Kings Working to Enhance Accessibility

Sacramento Kings News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - On Feb. 24, the Sacramento Kings in collaboration with Ticketmaster and OneCourt announced an innovative way for blind and low vision fans to experience live basketball action at Golden 1 Center. Beginning immediately and continuing through the NBA 2024-25 regular season, One Court's haptic display will be available at all home games, free of charge, allowing fans to feel the game in real time.

OneCourt devices will be available for checkout at Guest Services, located near Section 109 and 207, on a firstcome, first-served basis. Five devices will be available at each home game, expanding access to this groundbreaking technology and ensuring more fans can engage with the action in an inclu-

This cutting-edge technology converts live game action into audio and trackable vibrations, allowing users to follow plays with their fingertips.

The Kings worked closely with the NBA to integrate OneCourt with the league's live gameplay tracking system,

ensuring fans receive real-time updates through the device's intuitive interface. "At the Kings, we are committed to



fans to experience live basketball action at Golden 1 Center. Photo courtesy of Sacramento Kings

making live sports more accessible and inclusive for all fans," said Sacramento Kings President of Business Operations John Rinehart. "Partnering with Ticketmaster to make OneCourt technology available at Golden 1 Center allows us to deliver an innovative, realtime experience that ensures Blind and Low Vision fans can feel the excitement of every play." "Our partnership with the

Sacramento Kings brings OneCourt's adaptive technology to fans at Golden 1 Center, helping make gamedays more immersive and inclusive," said Ticketmaster Senior Director of Client Development Scott Aller. "Live experiences are for everyone, and this ongoing work to expand opportunities for how every type of fan can connect with and experience their favorite events.' "We believe that sports are for every-

initiative is part of Ticketmaster's

one and at OneCourt, we have created an intuitive tactile broadcast that makes sports more enjoyable for fans of any age, background, or visual ability," said OneCourt Founder and CEO Jerred Mace. "Fans feel more empowered than ever before to attend live sporting events and join in on the action. We are thrilled to partner with the Sacramento Kings and Ticketmaster to

make OneCourt available to basketball

fans at Golden 1 Center."

Sac Pro Sport Venues Promote Sustainability

Sacramento River Cats News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION. **CA (MPG)** - On Feb. 25, the Golden 1 Center and Sutter Health Park announced a new multiyear, sustainability-focused partnership with Kimberly-Clark ProfessionalTM. Fans attending Kings, River Cats and Athletics home games will benefit from Kimberly-Clark Professional's high-quality paper towels, soap, and toilet paper, reinforcing both venues' commitment to cleanliness and environmental responsibility.

"As an organization, we are always looking for ways to enhance sustainability efforts while improving the fan experience," said Sacramento Kings President of Business Operations John

Rinehart. "Kimberly-Clark

Professional products pro-

vide innovative hygiene

solutions for Golden 1 Center and Sutter Health Park, and we are excited to partner with a company that shares our commitment to health, safety, and environmental stewardship."

"We're dedicated to the teamwork it takes to help create better fan experiences,' said Kimberly-Clark Professional Chief Customer Officer Ignacio Suit. "Customers can count on our towel, tissue and hand hygiene brands, Kleenex and Scott, to stand for safety and cleanliness from a responsible and ethical source." Kimberly-Clark recently

earned the No. 2 spot on Barron's list of most sustainable U.S. companies for its achievements in reducing its environmental footprint and announced its ambition to be 100% natural forest free across its portfolio.

Lancers Golf Ready to Hit the Links



he Lancers are excited to tee off in the program's first season in the Metro Leagu



Cordova junior Mason Gibbons gets set to work on his swing at Mather Golf Course

Story and photos by James Darnell

RANCHO CORDOVA, CA (MPG) - The Cordova Lancers varsity boys' golf team has been hard at work out at Mather Golf Course during the week in preparation for their spring season. Head coach Brian Botsford and his team are eager to get things going into full swing with Metro League competition coming up.

This year, the team returns five players from last season and are welcoming two freshmen to the group of young talent. For Botsford, having a mix of experience and potential has him optimistic.

"I'm excited," Botsford said when asked about his thoughts on his 2025 roster. "We have five returning players and three that made it to Sectionals last year. We also have freshmen that have a lot of experience as well and we're excited about all of it."

Key returnees include junior Nate Zilles, who Botsford was quick to reference as his No.1 in the lineup, due to the leadership he brings to the team. Botsford noted Zilles' willingness to work with others, as well as his magnetic personality as traits that help separate him out on the course. Zilles was named

the Coaches Award Winner last season, an honor that Botsford gives to only one player each year based on his contributions to the club.

Fellow juniors Mason Gibbons, Justin Rai, Rohid Salam and Khubaib Rafi round out the rest of the Lancers' returning lineup and will be counted on to provide some top scores. Botsford hopes that Tran, Gibbons and Rai will challenge Zilles for the top spot in the teams' lineup this season. Freshmen Eli Cervantes and Sawyer Dickinson will look to surprise out on the course as well.

This school year, all Cordova sports were moved into the Metro League and Botsford said that change will bring some quality competition out on the golf course for his group.

"I think for golf, its challenging," he said of the transition to the Metro League. "You play some great courses like Cherry Island, Woodcreek and Bing. But the challenging schools like West Park, McClatchy and Kennedy will have some pretty good kids."

Even so, Botsford has high expectations for his talented young roster, whom he said can compete at a high level when



The Cordova boys' golf team work on perfecting their swings during a recent practice.

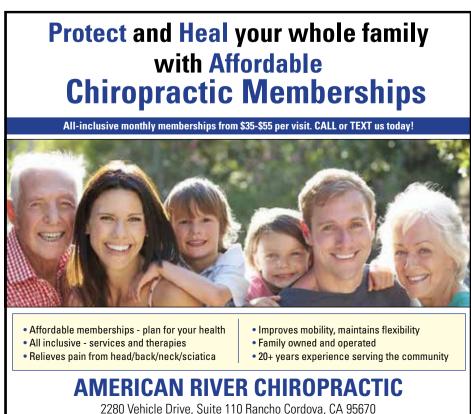
Metro League play begins later this month.

"I would like to be in the Top Three," Botsford said of his goals for the team within league play this season. "We would like to beat one of the three (West Park, McClatchy or Kennedy). That would be my goal. On an individual player level, I really think we have four that will move on to Sectionals." ★









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