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Sunrise Boulevard Resurfacing Begins



Story and photos by Thomas J. Sullivan

CITRUS HEIGHTS, CA (MPG) - Sunrise Boulevard, between the intersections of Greenback Lane and Madison Avenue in Citrus Heights, is about to get smoother as major resurfacing of the busy roadway begins May 19.

Work on the Sunrise Boulevard resurfacing project, expected to be completed by mid-July, will take place nightly from 8 p.m. to 6:30 a.m. and involve multi-lane road closures, according to Citrus Heights communications officer Marisa Brown.

The area which will be resurfaced

also includes Macy Plaza Drive from Sunrise Boulevard to Birdcage Street. According to the city, this project is considered a "resurfacing" project and not comprehensive repaving.

Both streets will receive a special three-layer, multi-stage resurfacing treatment and most of the work will be done at night, except for the edge grinding scheduled to take place only during the day May 19.

The project will finish by refreshing crosswalks with a colored brick pattern and restripe lane lines, crosswalks and pavement legends. These improvements will increase visibility

for pedestrians and non-vehicle users, Brown said.

Residents should watch for slower posted speed limits within the general project area and the potential for loose gravel on the roadway, according to Brown.

The Sunrise Boulevard Resurfacing Project is part of the city's effort to further its Three-Year Pavement Preservation Plan (PPP) and support economic reinvestment of the city's commercial corridors, Brown said. ★

City Provides Update on **Sunrise Tomorrow Specific Plan Progress**

City of Citrus Heights News Release

CITRUS HEIGHTS, CA (MPG) - The City of Citrus Heights recently released a new Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) resource to provide the community, businesses and stakeholders with the latest information on the Sunrise Tomorrow Specific Plan and the future of the 100acre Sunrise Mall site.

Since the adoption of the Sunrise Tomorrow Specific Plan in 2021, the city has taken significant steps to position the site for redevelopment. Actions include the completion of infrastructure planning, environmental clearance, flexible entitlements and the approval of a tentative parcel map and Development Agreement to better facilitate investment opportunities.

Guided by the Specific Plan framework, interim improvements are also underway, including the addition of a Montessori school and a new electric vehicle (EV) charging station. The city actively engages in hotel recruitment discussions to attract a quality hospitality partner to the site.

"The Sunrise Tomorrow vision remains active and central to Citrus Heights' long-term economic and community development strategy," said Citrus Heights City Manager Ash Feeney. "We are committed to transparency. proactive leadership and ensuring the site evolves into a vibrant, mixed-use destination that benefits our entire community."

The new frequently asked questions section addresses common questions about the project's timeline, property ownership, site conditions, recent council actions and community involvement opportunities. It also clarifies the city's ongoing efforts to ensure property standards and support the long-term revitalization of the site.

The full Sunrise Tomorrow frequently asked questions are now available on the city's website at sunrisetomorrow.net.

Community members are encouraged to stay involved by signing up for project updates and participating in future public meetings as redevelopment moves forward.

Why Simply Recycle?

Story and photos by Judy Andrews

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - Are you recycling your bottles and cans for

cash? After a recent visit to a new state-of-the-art recycling facility in Fair Oaks, this author had a quick lesson in how recycling can put money in your pocket and back into your community.

According CalRecycle, 1,339 recycling centers in the state repurchase empty California Redemption Value (CRV) beverage containers. Deposit amounts for these recyclables range from 5 to 25 cents, depending on the container's type, size and weight. With some exceptions, acceptable materials include glass, plastic and aluminum. CalRecycle sets the rates

and guidelines for what can be recycled.

Over time, these redeemable deposits can add up to a substantial return rate and help clean up the environment, reducing unnecessary waste in our landfills.



The Lyapchucks received \$12 for their trip to the recycling center.

Simply Recycle, located at 4802 San Juan Ave., uses advanced automation technology to eliminate the need to pre-sort, crush, and weigh California Redemption Value (CRV) eligible recyclables. Customers receive deposit vouchers within minutes of dropping off their material, which they can redeem for cash on the spot.

Thanks to a CalRecycle grant, owner/operator Ivan Pislar and his wife, November 2024.

Jacie Leavitt, opened Simply Recycle in The Fair Oaks facility is the only one of its kind in California powered by TOMRA technology. TOMRA is a leader

developing long-term sustainability solutions.

The couple also owns Ivan's Recycling, a conventional and profitable facility they opened in 2018 at 8002 Zenith Drive in Citrus Heights. Leavitt manages the administrative side of both businesses.

An entrepreneur at heart, Pislar got into the recycling Continued on page 3

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SacRT Launches Tap2Ride **Hoover Wants Folsom Lake** Reopened to Decontaminated Boats Contactless Fare Payment Option



Josh Hoover

Josh Hoover News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) -Assemblyman Josh Hoover (R-Folsom) announced that he has joined Congressman Kevin Kiley, Senator Roger Niello, and Assemblyman Joe Patterson in sending a letter to the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (USBR) and the California Department of State Parks regarding the ongoing closure of Folsom Lake to motorized boats and the handling of the invasive golden mussel.

Despite having knowledge of the golden mussel threat for over six months, the relevant agencies did not inform the public of the new boating restrictions until April 7. While Assemblyman Hoover and his colleagues share the commitment to protecting the local environment and water delivery systems, they expressed serious concerns about the lack of preparation and the resulting economic harm to the region.

The letter specifically calls on the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation and State Parks to:

Authorize decontamination procedures similar to those already implemented at Lake Tahoe.

Immediately reopen Folsom Lake to all boats that have been properly decontaminated.

Develop a coordinated system allowing watercraft seals issued after decontamination or quarantine to be recognized at multiple lakes.

"The residents of our region deserve better than an abrupt closure when other options exist to safely open the lake," said Hoover. "We must protect our waterways from invasive species, but we can and must do so in a way that maintains recreational opportunities and supports our local economy."

Hoover remains committed to working with local, state, and federal partners to ensure Folsom Lake is reopened safely and responsibly.

Josh Hoover represents Assembly District 7, which includes the cities of Citrus Heights, Folsom, and Rancho Cordova and the unincorporated communities of Carmichael, Fair Oaks, Foothill Farms, Gold River, Mather, McClellan Park, North Highlands, Orangevale, and Rosemont.

Sacramento Regional **Transit District** News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - The Sacramento Regional Transit District (SacRT) is introducing a new, easier way for riders to pay their fares. On April 1, SacRT launched Tap2Ride, a contactless fare payment system on all buses and SacRT GO paratransit service vehicles.

With Tap2Ride, riders can use their contactless debit or credit cards or mobile wallets to quickly and securely pay their fare when boarding. This eliminates the need for cash or paper tickets, making transit more convenient than ever before. Cash, along with all other current forms of valid fare, will continue to be accepted.

"SacRT is committed to making transit easier and more accessible for everyone," said Henry Li, SacRT General Manager/CEO. "Tap2Ride is a major step forward in modernizing our fare payment system, giving riders the speed and convenience they expect while improving efficiency across our network."

Since April 1, riders can tap their contactless Visa or Mastercard credit/ debit card or mobile wallet (smartphone or watch) on Tap2Ride devices installed on all SacRT vehicles.

Phase 1 of the Tap2Ride program offers riders the benefits of daily fare capping and 90- minute free transfers between bus routes similar to Connect Card. Riders simply tap their contactless payment option to



contactless fare payment device is now on all SacRT buses. Photo courtesy of Sacramento Regional Transit District

the device upon boarding the bus and the Tap2Ride system will select the best fare (single ride or daily pass) based on their travel for the day. Riders can also continue to use contactless payment at light rail station vending machines. During this phase, fare transfer benefits between bus and light rail will not be available when using Tap2Ride.

In late 2025, SacRT will launch Phase 2 of Tap2Ride, allowing riders to transfer seamlessly between buses and light rail using the same contactless payment method, with transfer benefits applied automatically.

"Cal-ITP is proud to partner with SacRT in making transit fare payments more convenient and accessible," said Gillian Gillett, Chief of Caltrans' Data and Digital Services Division and Program Manager of California Integrated Mobility. "This system enhances mobility by offering a secure, seamless way for riders to pay while ensuring those who qualify for discounts receive them automatically."

Eligible riders can receive a 50% discount on basic fares through Tap2Ride. Discounts are securely linked to a rider's contactless payment card through the California Integrated Travel Project (Cal ITP) web tool, allowing for automatic fare reductions without the need for in-person verification. Riders can apply for their discount online at benefits. calitp.org.

"Digital ID is an important component of smarter and better-connected public services," said State Chief Information Officer and Director of the California Department of Technology Liana Bailey Crimmins. "California's Digital ID Framework is making it easier for riders to access the benefits they're entitled to, no paperwork and no hassle, just a giant step toward a future where digital services make life easier for everyone."

Tap2Ride offers a fast and easy way to pay for fares, riders simply tap their card or mobile wallet to board, eliminating the need for cash or paper tickets. The program also provides secure discount verification, allowing eligible riders to link their payment card to their discount through Cal-ITP. For added flexibility, riders can continue to use the Connect Card or ZipPass app if they prefer. All of SacRT's current payment methods are still available, and Tap2Ride serves as an additional option for fare payment. For more information, visit sacrt.com/ tap2ride.

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Disappointment Surrounds Elk Grove Zoo Project Cancelation

By Sean P. Thomas

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - A highly anticipated plan to relocate the Sacramento Zoo to Elk Grove has been shelved, prompting disappointment among city leaders and residents who had hoped the \$300-million project would bring economic and cul-

tural benefits to Elk Grove. The Sacramento Zoological Society recently announced it would not move forward with the relocation citing concerns over the financial viability of the project. The decision ends a multi-year partnership with the City of Elk Grove, which had already invested approximately \$4.5 million into land acquisition and planning for the project, according to city officials.

"It was disappointing. There's no other way to say it," Elk Grove Councilmember Rod Brewer said. "We enthusiastically supported the project and had been working to excite the public on bringing the zoo to Elk Grove. Even with some of the rumors and financial uncertainty, I didn't expect this outcome."

The proposed relocation was intended to address major challenges faced by the Sacramento Zoo at its current 14-acre site in William Land Park. The Elk Grove plan included a phased buildout on a 65-acre portion of a

100-acre parcel the city had purchased specifically for the project on Kammerer Road.

Phase one alone would have spanned 28 acres, about already twice the size of the existing zoo, and featured large, open habitats including a savannah exhibit with multiple species such as giraffes, ostriches, antelopes, and a full pride of lions.

"The current zoo only has one rhinoceros. The new zoo would have had as many as six, all in a shared environment," Brewer said. "This was going to be an entirely different level of experience."

The new facility would have also expanded conservation efforts and created more immersive visitor experiences. It was expected to draw as many as one million in annual visitors and \$249 million in economic impact in its first five years of operation, according to Elk Grove officials.

In a news release, Mayor Bobbie Singh-Allen called the decision to shutter the zoo move as "disappointing."

"This is a deeply disappointing outcome for all of us who believed in the vision for the zoo and what it could have meant for our community and the region," Singh-Allen said.

Despite Elk Grove fulfilling its obligations under the cost-sharing agreement and drawing up preliminary designs, the zoo



raised \$17.5 million in pledges, only \$1.9 million of which was actual cash on hand. The Zoological Society was supposed to raise \$50 million in actual cash donations before the shovels went into the ground in 2027. The \$1.9 million in cash that was received by the city already will be returned to the Zoological society who will then return it to the donors.

didn't mesh, I definitely understand why they walked away," Brewer said.

Elk Grove leaders made clear



The Sacramento Zoological Society announced last week that it would not move forward with the relocation,

that the decision was not theirs

and emphasized their readiness

to continue the partnership if the

situation changed.

progress and financial instability "They decided to pull back. We didn't say, 'Don't ever come as primary factors in pulling out of the deal. The Zoological Society had

"When both of those things

back," Councilmember Darren Suen said. "If they wanted to talk about it again, or if someone else wanted to re-engage, we wouldn't turn them away.'

Though disappointed, both Brewer and Suen remained optimistic. The land acquired for the project remains untouched, and its value has increased, Brewer said, and could yield returns if the land is sold or repurposed.

Both viewed the zoo's departure as a potential opportunity to pursue other developments or revisit the zoo project in the future if leadership changes. Zoo Director Jason Jacobs, a key figure in the partnership, left the post in October. Interim CEO, Robert Churchill has been in the seat since.

"We weren't just taking a calculated risk on a civic amenity. We were trying to sustain something iconic for the region," Suen said. "Sometimes things don't work out, but the plans are still there. If the climate changes, we can dust them off."

Many Elk Grove residents had

looked forward to the zoo as a positive addition to the community. The city's desire for more regional attractions made the zoo plan particularly appealing. Outside of Safeway at the corner

of Laguna and Franklin Boulevard, several residents voiced disappoint-

ment with the projects demise. "It's disappointing, I would have liked it to move here," said Elk Grove resident Aaron Wells.

Bruce Wallace, another resident, echoed the sentiment: "It would have been a lot of jobs for Elk

Grove. It's a shame it fell apart." Others were more measured in their reaction.

"I know a lot of people were looking forward to it moving here, but yeah, it's not the worst thing that it's not," said Mark Cramer, also of Elk Grove. "The cost was always a problem for me and I've talked to a few people that were unsure of the traffic it might add."

Still, Elk Grove city officials stressed that they've learned from the experience and will remain focused on bringing a similar project to Elk Grove. "We weren't trying to swing for

the fences or grab the spotlight," Suen said. "We analyzed the zoo opportunity like we do every other project, with our residents in mind. That will always be our focus." While the zoo won't be coming

to Elk Grove, councilmembers highlighted ongoing efforts to develop other projects and amenities in the city. "The desire to bring attrac-

tions and amenities that families and individuals can enjoy hasn't changed," Brewer said. "We're going to keep our options open. We're not in a hurry and we're certainly not desperate."



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Why Simply Recycle? Aerospace Museum Funds Awards

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Citrus Heights recyclers.

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Pislar sells his material

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processing companies:

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and Recycling Planet. He

assures all customers that

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"I still love Ivan's because

replace the first one.

can't pay the bills."

Ivan Pislar and Jacie Leavitt own Simply Recycle in Fair Oaks and Ivan's Recycling in Citrus Heights.

Continued from page 1 business with the encouragement of a friend who owned several recycling

centers. After a few years of operating Ivan's Recycling alone, Pislar grew concerned about his ability to continue handling the physical demands of the job. Additionally, he and Leavitt needed to modify the business's outdated manual accounting system.

"We knew something had to change," said Pislar, especially since most customers showed up with a mixed bag of goods that needed to be sorted and crushed. "I finally had to stop helping customers after my back went out."

The couple began to explore new technology solutions to modernize their business while continuing to provide outstanding service to their loyal customers. Ivan's Recycling 5-star reviews caught the attention of TOMRA officials, leading to a business partnership and the grant to establish Simply Recycle in Fair Oaks. It took Pislar and Leavitt a year to get Simply Recycle up and running.

Although their two

material they drop off will be recycled through the processing companies. California residents don't always know where their recyclable material ends up after being discarded in their bins at home.

What do customers say? Many prefer the convenience of Simply Recycle.

"Most people are shocked the first time they walk in the door because it doesn't look or feel like their old recycling center," stated Pislar. "The best part is that no one has to do any sorting. Customers can kick back and let the machines do the work. The kids love watching the machinery and help unload bags into bins."

Pislar hopes that Simply Recycle will inspire more residents to recycle.

"When you stop and consider all the bottles and cans that end up in the landfill, it's like throwing money down the drain. Every bottle counts," said Pislar.

For more information about Simply Recycle, visit simply-recycle.com. For general information about recycling, visit calrecycle. ca.gov.



Simply Recycle is powered by TOMRA technology. Shown here is the automated sorting and weighing machine.

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The Aerospace Museum of California's Trustee Legacy Dinner attendees include Supervisor Rich Desmond, museum Vice-President of Advancement Karen Jones, scholarship winners Gregory Rubio, Vihaan Saxena and Charlie Martinez, museum CEO Tom Jones and Ellsworth Hovey Gretchell Foundation representative Ben Marsh.

Story and photos by Susan Maxwell Skinner

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - Almost 45 years after blast off, the Aerospace Museum of California two weeks ago celebrated 18 years as a self-supporting entity at the former McClellan Air Force Base.

Almost 80 supporters applauded \$500,000 in fundraising and the appointment a new emeritus board member. Aviation company founder Clay Lacy will chair the museum's 2025 board of emeritus trustees. The 92-year-old flight pioneer was presented with a crystal airplane trophy by one of the museum's youngest supporters, Caden Mara, 9.

A center of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math education), Aerospace Museum of California also awarded scholarships for aspiring pilots. Three young men each received \$12,500 toward acquiring



Caden Mara presents a crystal airplane trophy to veteran museum supporter Clay Lacy.

private pilot licenses. The future aviators will graduate from Sacramento-area high schools in the next few weeks. Last year's awardees, both female, are now professional pilots.

"These scholarships are life-changing," said Aerospace Museum of California advancement Vice-President Karen Jones. "We award them to young people who demonstrate outstanding passion for aviation."

Funds raised by the gala will boost Aerospace Museum of California's continuing STEM education

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programs. Donations also sponsor traveling displays. The upcoming 'Snoopy and the Red Baron' exhibit, on loan from the Charles M Schulz Museum in Santa Rosa, does not cost peanuts. Acquisition of rare aviation artifacts is also enabled by supporter gifts.

Gala sponsors included McClellan Park, Safe Credit Union, Sacramento County Department of Airports, Sacramento County Board of Supervisors, Ellsworth Hovey Gretchell Foundation and many private donors.



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Medicaid Program Ranks Tenth Worst for Mental Health Services

Addiction-Rep News Release

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA (MPG) - A new study on behalf of Addiction-Rep has identified which U.S. state Medicaid programs provide the best mental health care.

Medicaid is the single largest payer for mental health services in the United States, playing a critical role in ensuring access to care for millions of adults with mental illness and substance use disorders. An estimated 58.7-million U.S. adults, nearly one in four, live with a mental illness, according to national health data. Among this population, individuals enrolled in Medicaid are more likely to experience mental illness than those with private insurance, underscoring the program's central role in combatting America's mental health crisis.

While Medicaid is federally-funded, it is administered by individual states, each of which has broad discretion over how it structures, finances and delivers services. As a result, the availability and quality of behavioral health services can vary significantly from state to state. These differences are especially important now, as many states face financial pressures and potential budget cuts that could make it harder for people to access the care they need.

This analysis by Addiction-Rep, a consulting firm specializing in the behavioral health sector, draws on data from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). It examines how the prevalence of mental illness has changed over time, highlights its disproportionate impact on low-income individuals and Medicaid enrollees, and ranks state Medicaid programs based on their performance across key behavioral health indicators.

The United States is facing a sustained mental health crisis, marked by a steady rise in the share of adults experiencing mental illness over the past decade. In 2015, about 17.9% of adults reported a mental illness, according to data from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration. By 2023, that figure had climbed by more than a quarter to 22.8%.

Young adults between the ages of 18 and 25 have been disproportionately impacted. Their rate of mental illness rose from 21.7% in 2015 to a peak of 36.2% in 2022, before dipping slightly to 33.8% in 2023. Meanwhile, adults aged 26 and older saw more gradual increases, rising from 17.2% in 2015 to 21.1% in 2023.

Outside of age, income is also an important factor impacting the prevalence of mental illness. National health data from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention shows that in 2023, nearly one in five adults living below the federal poverty line (19.4%) reported regularly feeling worried, nervous or anxious. That compares to 15.8% of those with incomes between 100% and 199% of the poverty line, and just 10.7% of adults with incomes at or above 200% of the poverty line.

As a result of these differences, Medicaid plays an outsized role in connecting Americans with mental illness to care. In 2023, 34.6% of adults enrolled in Medicaid experienced some form of mental illness, compared to 24% of uninsured adults and about 23.9% of those with private insurance, according to Substance Abuse and Mental Health

Services Administration

The gap is even more pronounced when looking specifically at serious mental illnesses, such as bipolar disorder, major depressive disorder and schizophrenia. Nearly one in 10 Medicaid enrollees (9.8%) reported having a serious mental illness in 2023, compared to 6.6% of uninsured adults and just 5.8% of adults with private insurance.

To assess how state Medicaid programs perform in delivering behavioral health care, researchers at Addiction-Rep developed a composite score, the Behavioral Health Performance Index. This index ranks states based on a range of quality measures grouped into four categories: initiation and engagement, evidence-based medication use, care continuity and follow-up, and patient experience.

The specific metrics within each category are detailed in the methodology section below but they include key indicators such as how often patients receive timely follow-up care after emergency department visits for mental illness, the rates at which individuals initiate and stay engaged in substance use disorder treatment, and the use of Food and Drug Administrationapproved medications, like buprenorphine or methadone, for treating opioid use disorder, among others.

The top-performing states are heavily concentrated in the Northeast and parts of Appalachia. New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Vermont rank first, second and third respectively, each earning a Behavioral Health Performance Index score above 73. These states consistently performed well on metrics related to initiation, follow-up care and evidence-based medication use, but scored lower on patient experience. West Virginia and Pennsylvania round out the top five, demonstrating stronger performance regarding patient experience, but scoring slightly lower in other categories.

By contrast, several large and populous states landed near the bottom of the rankings. California, Texas, Illinois and Georgia all appeared in the bottom ten, along with states such as Arkansas and Oklahoma. California stood out for its strong performance in the use of evidence-based medications and follow-up care after behavioral health episodes but it scored poorly on treatment initiation and patient experience, pulling down its overall ranking. Other lower-performing states tended to show more consistently weak results.

Here is a summary of the data for California: Behavioral Health Performance Index at 38.44; Initiation Engagement at 1.10; Evidence-Based Medication Use at 72.88; Care Continuity Follow-Up at 68.40; Patient Experience at 11.37.

This analysis evaluates how effectively state Medicaid programs serve adult patients with mental health and substance use needs, based on data from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Scorecard, Core Set Year 2023. To compare performance across states, Addiction-Rep developed a composite score called the Behavioral Health Performance Index. This index averages scores across four key categories: initiation and engagement, evidence-based medication use, care continuity and follow-up and patient experience.

Each category consists of multiple metrics, most of which focus on adult behavioral health patients aged 18 to 64. However, patient experience measures apply to all adult Medicaid enrollees, as condition-specific experience data is not available. Only states with sufficient data across all four categories were included in the final rankings. However, states with partial data are still shown in visualizations and detailed tables for the metrics where data is available.

Below is a breakdown of the metrics included in the final index, organized by category, along with descriptions of each: Substance use disorder initiation (14 days); Share of new substance use disorder (SUD) treatment episodes where the patient began treatment within 14 days of diagnosis. Substance use disorder engagement (34 days); Share of new substance use disorder treatment episodes where the patient attended additional treatment within 34 days of

starting care. Evidence-based medication use included Opioid Use Disorder Pharmacotherapy; Share of adults with opioid use disorder (OUD) who received Food and Drug Administration-approved medication-based treatment options, such as buprenorphine or methadone. Antidepressant Acute Adherence (12 weeks); Share of adults with major depression who remained on prescribed antidepressants during the initial 12-week treatment phase. Antidepressant Continuation Adherence (6 months): Share of adults with major depression who remained on prescribed antidepressants through a six-month treatment period. Antipsychotic Adherence; Share of adults with schizophrenia or schizoaffective disorder who remained on prescribed antipsychotic medications for at least 80% of their treatment duration.

Substance Use Disorder/ Overdose Eating Disorder follow-up (7 days): Share of emergency department visits for substance use or drug overdose with a follow-up visit within seven days. Mental Health Eating Disorder Follow-Up (7 days); Share of emergency visits for mental illness or intentional self-harm with a follow-up visit within seven days. Mental Health Hospital Follow-Up (7 days): Share of adults discharged after hospitalization for mental illness or self-harm who had a follow-up visit within seven days.

The patient experience results included health care satisfaction (nine to ten rating); Share of adults who rated their overall health care experience as a nine or ten on a ten-point scale. Health Plan Satisfaction (nine to ten Rating): Share of adults who rated their Medicaid health plan as a nine or ten out of ten. Always got needed care; Share of adults who reported "always" getting the care they needed, based on a four-point response scale ranging from "never" to "always."

Unlicensed Drivers Cause Shocking Number of Crashes

Sutliff & Stout News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) - A new study by auto accident attornevs Sutliff & Stout revealed that California had the seventh-highest rate of fatal crashes involving an unlicensed driver between 2019 and 2023.

The study analyzed 2019 to 2023 data from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's Fatality and Injury Reporting System Tool (FIRST) to find the proportion of fatal crashes that occurred in each state where the driver's license was "suspended," "revoked," "expired" "canceled," "denied" or "not licensed."

The average number of fatal crashes involving unlicensed drivers was calculated as a proportion of all fatal crashes during the five-year period.

California had the seventh-highest rate, at 17.53%, not too far behind Texas, which had the highest rate, at 20.14%.

"According to our analysis, a staggering 41,375 drivers were involved in fatal crashes between 2019 and 2023, who didn't hold a valid driving license,' said Hank Stout, co-founder of Sutliff & Stout. "Driving without a license is not only illegal but also extremely irresponsible. Unlicensed drivers are more likely to take risks, such as speeding or driving under the influence. These offenders are also unlikely to be insured, making it more difficult for victims to claim financial compensation if their actions

cause a collision."

Texas has the highest rate, with 20.14% (1,184 out of 5,880) of fatal crashes involving unlicensed drivers. Between 2019 and 2023, Texas experienced an average of 3.99 fatal crashes involving unlicensed drivers per 100,000 people, ranking it ninth in the nation for this statistic.

Hawaii follows closely in secondplace, with 19.73% (26 out of 134) of fatal crashes involving unlicensed drivers. From 2019 to 2023, Hawaii had an average of 1.84 fatal crashes per 100,000 people.

Louisiana ranks third, with 18.06% (227 out of 1,193) of fatal crashes involving unlicensed drivers. Over the same fiveyear period, Louisiana had an average of 4.92 fatal crashes per 100,000 people, the second-highest rate in the country.

North Carolina holds the fourth position, with 17.72% (403 out of 2,213) of fatal crashes involving unlicensed drivers. Between 2019 and 2023, the state had an average of 3.80 fatal crashes per 100,000 people, the 10th-highest rate in the U.S. Finally, Montana ranks fifth, with

17.93% (46 out of 257) of fatal crashes involving unlicensed drivers. From 2019 to 2023, Montana experienced an average of 4.17 fatal crashes per 100,000 people, making it the seventh-highest state for this statistic. For more information, visit sutliffstout.

com/houston-car-accident-lawyer.



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

A reliable political axiom at least in California — is that when one party achieves dominance in some arena, it fragments into factions defined by ideology, gender, economics, ethnicity, geography or even personality. The axiom has been demonstrated at the local level for decades, such as the perpetual infighting among San Francisco's dominant Democrats, or the ceaseless squabbling among Republicans when they controlled Orange County.

Democrats achieved absolute dominance in state politics over the last quarter-century, holding all statewide offices and capturing supermajorities in the Legislature and within the state's congressional delegation.

One might think that such hegemony would manifest itself in sweeping responses to California's most pressing issues, such as homelessness, poverty, water supply, wildfires and housing shortages particularly after Gavin Newsom became governor on promises to seek "big, hairy audacious goals."

It was not to be. The issues that were plaguing California when Newsom took office in 2019 are as formidable as

ever, reflecting not only their

complexity but the tendency

of the dominant party to

become a collection of often

The disunity has appeared on multiple occasions, but what's happened over legislation to crack down on sex crimes against children is a stark example.

Clash Over Teen Sex Solicitation Reveals

Two years ago, state Sen. Shannon Grove, a Republican from Bakersfield. carried legislation that would have added human trafficking of a minor to the state's list of serious felonies, thereby qualifying an offender for tougher penalties. Democrats stalled the bill, which was opposed by criminal justice reform groups. But when reporters asked Newsom about it, he intervened, essentially compelling the Legislature to pass it.

Last year, Grove took up the issue again with legislation that would increase penalties for anyone who solicited sex from a minor, but Democrats insisted that they wouldn't apply if the minor was 16 or 17 years old. Gay rights advocates demanded what was termed a "carveout," contending that including older teens could backfire if the law was used to punish consenting relationships.

Grove grudgingly accepted the amendment as the price of getting the measure approved, but the issue was rejoined this year with a bill carried by Assemblywoman Maggy Krell, a Sacramento Democrat who had been a sex crime prosecutor.

Krell's measure would eliminate the carveout for 16and 17-year old victims but in a replay of the previous year, fellow Democrats on the Assembly Public Safety Committee struck that provision of the bill, leading to a public squabble on the

Assembly floor last week.

Republicans sought to restore the bill's original purpose and Krell endorsed the effort, saying "We need to say, loud and clear, that if you're under 18, a child, a minor ... the person buying that person should be charged with a felony. It's plain and simple, sex without

consent — that's rape." She picked up vocal support from some other Democrats but Assembly Speaker Robert Rivas beat back the effort and punished Krell by taking her name off the bill and inserting a phrase declaring an intent to deal with the issue later.

"No one in the room is OK with" minors being sold for sex, Rivas said. "This is a nuanced issue and conversation."

That, however, is not the end of it because Newsom once again entered the debate.

"The law should treat all sex predators who solicit minors the same — as a felony, regardless of the intended victim's age," Newsom said in a statement. "Full stop." The image that emerges

from this dustup is that of a Democratic Party at war within itself, with Rivas trying to be an "ayatollah," as former Speaker Willie Brown once described himself, and Newsom distancing himself from his party's leftish tendencies as a prelude to running for president in 2028. Dan Walters is one of the

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02775 Fastrip8895 LLC, 8061 Florin Road, Sacramento, CA 95828 is doing business under the ness Name(s) LLC" Fictitious Business "Fastrip8895 Florin Road, Sacramento, CA 95828. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 10, 2025 Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025 **FAST** 5-16-25

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-00806 Golden Garden LLC, 4464 Lone Tree Way, #1036, Antioch, CA oina business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "T.H.Chi" 4464 Lone Tree Wàý, #1036, Antioch, CA 94531. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 5, 2025 Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-02394 Gabriela Montero, Mandolin Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "The Complex Traveler" 11983 Mandolin Way, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 27, 2025 Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02426 Altamark Properties 6002 Fair Oaks Boulevard, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Megawash Laundromat Carmichael" 6002 Fair Oaks Boulevard. Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 28, 2025 Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025 5-16-25

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Business Name(s) "Mane Fox" 650 Fulton Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 14, 2025

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02780 Thi Do. 8771 Tiogawoods Drive. Sacramento, CA 95828 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MidTown Nail & Hair" 2720 Aiden Way, Suite #170, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 10, 2025 Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02398 Chung Hua Mun LLC, 10080 Dillard Road, Wilton, CA 95693 is doing business under the Business "Sapha Kafae" 1331 O Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 27, 2025 Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025 5-16-25

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02828 Prism Impact, LLC, 2108 N Street, Suite N. Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Prism Impact Solutions" 2108 N Street, Suite N. Sacramento. CA 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 11, 2025 Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02163 Miller 3 Engineering, 6748

Stanley Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Miller 3 Engineering and Welding" 6748 Stanley Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 20, 2025 Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-01120 Miller 3 Engineering, 6748 Stanley Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Miller 3 Engineering Manufacturing/M3E 6748 Stanley Avenue, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025 5-16-25

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02666 Marisela Lozano, 8601 Weyand Avenue, #3, Sacramento, CA 95828 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Jrico Autobody" 8601 Weyand Avenue, #3, Sacramento, CA 95828. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 7, 2025 Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-02097

RobbyBobby Construction 3250 Laurelhurst Drive, 155, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "50Walls/Modern Wall Creations" 3250 Laurelhurst Drive, Apt 155, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 18, Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025 5-16-25

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"Chasers Sports Bar" 5412
Madison Avenue, Suite 130, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 7, 2025 Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025 CHASERS 5-10 5-16-25

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Suite A, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "McIlwain Mobility Solutions/ Make US Mobile" 11305 Sunrise Gold Circle, Suite A, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 18, 2025 Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-03000 CrowsNest Home Services LLC 8274 Olivine Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95610 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "WIN Home Inspection Citrus Heights" 8274 Olivine Avenue, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 21, Publish: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2025

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02818 Ohana Sports Group, LLC, 5533 Shaver Court, Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Ohana Storm/Ohana Storm Volleyball" 5533 Shaver Court, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 11, 2025 Publish: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2025 5-23-25 OHANA FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

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DVBE Media & Strategy, Inc., 1750 Prairie City Road, Suite 130, PMB 240, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Liftpoint Media" 400 Plaza Drive, Suite 102, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 16, Publish: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-02971 Ronald Cabading, 9119 Cobblefield Drive, Sacramento, CA 95829 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "RC Systems/RC Systems Consulting" 9119 Cobblefield Drive, Sacramento, CA 95829. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 18,

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101 Parkshore Drive, Folsom, CA 95630 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "A2B Moving and Storage" 101 Parkshore Drive, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-03074 HKH Co, LLC, 5406 Crossings Drive, Suite 102, Box 376, Rocklin, CA 95677 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Lindora, Folsom" 404 Blue Ravine Drive, Suite D-100, Folsom, CA 95630. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 22, Publish: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2025 LINDORA

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03111 Garage LLC. 8500 Fruitridge Road, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "MSK Garage" 8500 Fruitridge Road, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02884 Behnaz-Halimi-Pollack 3620 Winding Creek Road, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Bebe Travel" 3620 Winding Creek Road, Sacramento, CA 95864. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 15, 2025 Publish: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2025 5-23-25 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-02543

Octane MotorSports Inc., 11430 Sunrise Gold Circle, Suite 1, Rancho Cordova, Ca 95742 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Logic Auto" 11430 Sunrise Gold Circle, Suite 1, Rancho Cordova, Ca 95742. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 2, Publish: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2025 **LOGIC** FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-01192

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95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Hyper Pixel LLC" 2 Scrippś Drive, #205, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County February 19, 2025 Publish: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

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Suite R, Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County March 24, 2025 Publish: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2025 5-23-25 WELL

STATEMENT FBNF2025-03127 Krystina Davis, 2212 U Street. Sacramento. CA 95818 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Ryze Pilates & Pelvic Health" 3400 Broadway, Suite 260, Sacramento, CA 95817. Filed with the Clerk of

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-03129 Dav2Dav LLC Autoparts 7248 30th Street, Unit G, North Highlands, CA 95660 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Day2Day AutoBody Shop and Parts Sale" 7248 30th Street, Unit G, North Highlands, CA 95660. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 24, 2025 Publish: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2025 5-23-25

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02803 Esthetics by Dolly LLC 1446 Ethan Way, Suite 101, Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Esthetics by Dolly" 1446 Ethan Way, "Esthetics 101, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 11, 2025 Publish: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2025 ESTHETICŚ

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Deborah L Munger, 3411 Pope Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "SoulSeare Art/SoulSeare" 3411 Pope Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 30, 2025 Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025 SOUL

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02771 Kercell Stowes and Tameica Stowes, 3511 Duet Court, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Before You Let Go" 3511 Duet Court, "Before Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 10, 2025 Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025 BEFORE 5-30-25

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-02837 Abu-Jarad, 2868 Anfal Westwood Lane. Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Foodtastic by Anfal" 2868 Westwood Lane, #3. Carmichael, CA 95608, Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 14, 2025 Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025 5-30-25

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-03003 Little Whale LLC, 4010 Las

Pasas Way, Sacramento, CA 95864 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Little Whale Swim School" 4106 El Camino Avenue. Sacramento. CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 21, Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025 5-30-25 WHALE FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-02638

Frin Katherine O'Leary-Gore,

8479 Noel Drive. Orangevale. CA 95662 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Daisy Grace Storybooks" 8479 Noel Drive, Orangevale, CA 95662, Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 4, 2025 Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025 5-30-25 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03131 Lovely Love Enterprise LLC,

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5808 Shadow Creek Drive, #4 Sacramento, CA 95841 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Down Home Cooking" 5808 Shadow Creek Drive, #4, Sacramento, CA 95841. Filed with the Clerk

of Sacramento County April 24, Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03184 Life Wound Active Professional Medical Corporation, PO Box 661587, Sacramento, CA 95866 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Active Life Wound Clinic" 2 Scripps Drive, Suite 202, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 25, 2025

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-02817 Isabel C Trujillo Ramirez, 555 Fox Hunt Way, Rio Linda, CA 95673 and Cecilia Michao Truiillo, 7832 Bellingrath Drive, Elverta, CA 95626 is business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Yoli's Cafe" 555 Fox Hunt Way, Rio Linda, CA 95673. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 11,

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-02827 Gabrielle Stevens, 2417 U Street, Sacramento, CA 95818 is doing business under the Business Name(s) **Fictitious** "Care Team for Seniors" 2417 Sacramento, Street, 95818. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 11, 2025 Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025 CARE

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THUNDER FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-02968 Adonai Estates, 3501 Bradshaw Road, Space 50, Sacramento,

CA 95827 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Adonai Estates" 3501 Bradshaw Road, Space 50, Sacramento, CA 95827. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 18, 2025 Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025 ADONAI 5-30-25 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03298

Sandra L. Mizer, 6855 Fair Oaks Boulevard, Suite 700, Carmichael, CA 95608 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) Business Name(s) "Mizer and Associates" 6855 Fair Oaks Boulevard, Suite 700, Carmichael, CA 95608. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 1, 2025 Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025 MIZER FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-02811 Prestige Home Construction Inc.,

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STATEMENT FBNF2025-03213
Radical and Tender Care
Companion LLC, 2108 N Street, Suite N, Sacramento, CA 95816 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Tending Becomings" 2108 N

Street, #6399, Sacramento, CA 95816. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 28, 2025 Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03432 Stephen Bryant Walker, 650 University Avenue, Suite 108, Sacramento, CA 95825 is doing business under the **Business** Fictitious Name(s) "Wearkindness" 650 University Avenue, Suite 108, Sacramento, CA 95825. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 7, 2025 Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025 WEAR

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03264 Trung Huynh, 8450 Pine River

Sacramento, CA 95823 Way, is doing business under the Rusiness Fictitious Name(s) "Goi Tien 3 Sieu" 6333 Stockton Boulevard, Suite A. Sacramento. CA 95824. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 29, 2025 Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025

GOI FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-02680 Team G&C, LLC, 8107 Oahu Drive, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Business Name(s) "Peck N' Trim" 8107 Oahu Drive, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 8, 2025 Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-02687 Chanel Nicole Cameron, 8012 St Helena Court, Sacramento, CA 95829 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Bask Farm" 8012 St Court. CA 95829. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 8, 2025 Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025

BASK FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-03449 Central Valley Towing Inc., 8240 14th Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95826 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Central Valley Towing/City Tow 8240 14th Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95826. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 7, 2025 Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025 TOW

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03396 OBJJ Inc.. 2839 Zinfandel Rancho Cordova, CA Drive. 95670 is doing business un-Fictitious Business der the Name(s) "Ohgane Korean BBQ" 2839 Zinfandel Drive, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. Filed with Sacramento County May 6, 2025

Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03339 Pauline Roselada, P.O. Box

22842, Sacramento, CA 95822 is doing business under the Name(s) Fictitious Business "Zac Rose & Associates" 1042 Lake Glen Way, Sacramento, CA 95822. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 2, 2025 Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025 6-6-25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03388 Dina Nelson, 14 Baywind Court, Sacramento, CA 95838 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s)
Soda" 14 Baywind Court. Sacramento, CA 95838. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 5, 2025 Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-02639

Susan Kim Sandell, Rollingwood Boulevard, Citrus Heights, CA 95621 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "The Pro CruiseMuse" 7305 Rollingwood Boulevard, Citrus Heights, CA 95621. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 4, Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025 **PRO**

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

Sage's Tile Inc., 4505 Robertson Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Aloha Tile" 4505 Robertson Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95821. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 2, 2025 Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025 **ALOHA** 6-6-25 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03177

Susan M. Osborn, 7541 Way, Wooddale Citrus Heights, CA 95610 business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "LifeThread Publications" 7541 Wooddale Way, Citrus Heights, CA 95610. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 25, 2025

Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03196

Corporation,

Road, Lafayette Hill,

Hajoca

Joshua

2001

PA 19444 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Heieck Supply/Buttes Center State Pipe and Supply Boulevard, Richards Sacramento, CA 95811. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 25, 2025 Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FBNF2025-03363 Jeannine Hewitt and Darrell

Hewitt, 7974 California Avenue, Fair Oaks, CA 95628 is doing business under the Fictitious Name(s) Business "Geri's Garden Spa" 7974 California Avenue, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County May 5, 2025 Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025 FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-03294 Dreamer More Than A

3450 Sweet Pea Way, Sacramento, CA 95833 is doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "Authority Creators" 3450 Sweet Pea Way, Sacramento, CA 95833. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 30, 2025 Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT FBNF2025-03270 NorCal Marine Towing Salvage, LLC, 1302 W. Fremont Street, Stockton, CA 95203 doing business under the Fictitious Business Name(s) "TowBoatU.S. Sacramento' 2710 Ramp Way, Sacramento, CA 95818. Filed with the Clerk of Sacramento County April 29, Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025

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STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT

OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME FILE NO. FBNF2023-03070 The following person(s) has/

have abandoned the use of the FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME of: Mod Pizza, 10909 Olson Rancho Cordova, CA SFP Development Company,

B, Folsom, CA 95630. Business The Fictitious Statement was filed Name

LLC, 804 Reading Street, Suite

on 4/20/2023 in the County of Sacramento. with the clerk Sacramento County: 4/16/2025.

Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025

ORDER TO SHOW FOR CHANGE OF NAME

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV008868 Aleksandrovna

Dubinetskiy has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Albina Aleksandrovna Dubinetskiv to Albina Chistvakov. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on July 30, 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: April 14, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court

Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025 SUPERIOR COURT OF

CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #25CV001726 Charles William Schick has filed a petition with this court for a

decree changing the name(s) of Charles William Schick to Charles William DeMartin. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on May 27, 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 Name should not be granted. Dated: January 23, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025 CHARLES 5-16-25 SUPERIOR COURT OF

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV008781 Mention Lorenzo Conely has filed a petition with this court for

CALIFORNIA

a decree changing the name(s) of Mention Lorenzo Conely to Conely Lorenzo Mention. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on July 30, 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: April 11, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 2025

MENTION 5-16-25 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV009993

Justin Lee Clausen has filed a

petition with this court for a de-

cree changing the name(s) of

Justin Lee Clausen to Justin Lee Tucker.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 20, 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: April 25, 2025 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court

Publish: May 2, 9, 16, 23, 2025 TUCKER SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

CHANGE OF NAME

#25CV002851 Wendle Roy White has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Wendle Roy White to Wendal Ray White.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 5, 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 5, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court

Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025 WHITE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME John Curtis Dontae has filed

a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of John Curtis Donate to John Curtis Thomas. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on August 13, 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: April 25, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025 SUPERIOR COURT OF

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE **CHANGE OF NAME** #25CV002695 Jamal Rason Hill, Jamie Ann

Safran have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Jamal Rason Hill to Jamal Rason Albini and Jamie Ann Safran to Jamie Safran IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on June 4, 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 3, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025

5-30-25 SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA**

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV010501 Jara Brooke Lindgren has filed

a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Jara Brooke Lindgren to Jae Brooke Lindgren. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-en-

titled matter appear before this court on August 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: April 30, 2025 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 2025 5-30-25 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV010260 Amah Richards has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Amah

Lee Richards to Ashley Shawnta Murphy.
IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 19, 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: April 29, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025 SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA**

COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV010306 Channel Lewis has filed a petition with this court for a de-

cree changing the name(s) of Angelina Irene Lewis to Angelina Irene Caro and Ariana Lewis to Ariana Olivia Caro. IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 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: April 28, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025 6-6-25

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV010734

Gay Corene Geram has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Gay Corene Geram to Gae Corene Geram. IT IS ORDERED that all per

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 21, 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: May 1, 2025 Christopher E. Krueger, Judge of the Superior Court Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025

SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV010732 Chantel Le McInerney has filed

a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Chantel Le McInerney to Chantel Le Cameron. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 28, 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: May 1, 2025 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of

the Superior Court Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025 SUPERIOR COURT OF

CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE CHANGE OF NAME #25CV010738 Inambao Nawa Lifanu and

Inonge Nalishuwa Lifanu have filed a petition with this court for a decree changing the name(s) of Inambao Nawa Lifanu to Mubusi Muhapi and Inonge Nalishuwa Lifanu to Pearl Inonge Nalishuwa Muhapi and Thabo Lifanu to Eyal Thabo Muhapi and Mbuyoti Lifanu to Tahel Mbuyoti Muhapi and Lufilwe Lifanu to Yakira Lufilwe Muhapi and Likezo Lifanu to Gabriel Likezo Muhapi and Tumelo Lifanu to Perez Tumelo Muhapi. IT IS ORDERED that all per-

sons interested in the above-entitled matter appear before this court on August 28, 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: May 1, 2025 Richard K. Sueyoshi, Judge of

the Superior Court Publish: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 2025 MUHAP 6-6-25

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE NOTICE OF PETITION TO

ADMINISTER ESTATE OF DOROTHY ANN HEPBURN CASE NO. 25PR001405 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 Dorothy Ann Hepburn. A Petition for Probate has

been filed by Mariann Harris and Chris Andrews, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Mariann Harris be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests the dece-

dent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court. The petition requests authority to administer the estate under

the 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

May 28, 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 granting of the petition, you should

appear at the hearing and state vour objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may

be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of

letters to a general personal rep-

resentative, 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 Attornev for Petitioner is: Ismat A. Dajani, 2043 Anderson Road, Suité C Daivs, CA 95616; (530) 601-

3311 Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 2025

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF MATHER THOMAS KEARNEY CASE NO. 25PR001320

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

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Jason DiLullo, in the Superior Court of California. County of Sacramento, requesting Jason DiLullo be appointed personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent. The petition requests the dece-

dent'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 May 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-

ing of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state vour objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or

a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy rsonal repre 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

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: Ian D. Woo, 2366 Gold Meadow Way, Suite 200, Gold River, CA 95670; (916) 851-1900 Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 2025 **KEARNEY** 5-23-25 NOTICE OF PETITION TO

kept by the court. If you are in-

JACKIE DEAN COX CASE NO. 25PR001395 To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may otherwise

ADMINISTER ESTATE OF

or both, of Jackie Dean Cox. A Petition for Probate has been filed by Tammy Ann Rodriguez Raya, in the Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Tammy

be interested in the will or estate,

Ann Rodriguez Raya 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 ex-

amination 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 indepen-

dent 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 May 28, 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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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 Attorney for Petitioner is: Tanzeel Hak. 4285 Payne Avenue, Suite 9691, San Jose, CA 95117; (510) 362-6971 Publish: May 9, 16, 23, 2025

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF FRANK NEIL PRESLEY, JR. CASE NO. 25PR001606 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 Frank Neil Presley, Jr. A Petition for Probate has been filed by Kaileigh McCrea, in the

Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento, requesting Kaileigh McCrea 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

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows June 18, 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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the authority.

ing of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state vour 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-

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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: Heather S. Mayer, 400 Plaza Drive, Suite 145, Folsom, CA 95630; (916) 631-Publish: May 16, 23, 30, 2025

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Citrus Heights Police Department News Release

CITRUS HEIGHTS, CA (MPG) - The Citrus Heights Police Department is reminding drivers to always look twice for

With the arrival of warmer weather, more motorcycles are taking to the roads, making it essential for everyone to stay alert to help reduce crashes and save lives.

"Motorcycles may be difficult to spot, so be extra careful before changing lanes," Sergeant Kane Kissam said. "A simple double-take can make a life-saving difference. Motorcycle riders do not have the same protections as drivers and passengers do. Let's all do our part to keep each other safe out there."

According to National Highway Traffic Safety Administration data, there were 6,218 motorcyclists killed in traffic crashes in 2022, representing 15 percent of total highway fatalities for that year. In California, 634 motorcyclists were killed in 2022, an increase of 3.8 percent from 2021.

Throughout the month, the Citrus Heights Police Department will conduct additional enforcement campaigns focused on motorcycle safety. The Citrus Heights Police Department will also meet with several community groups to provide education related to motorcycle safety.

To help protect you and your family, keep the following tips in mind while driving or riding.

Drivers should always check mirrors and blind spots before changing lanes, do not follow a motorcycle too closely and always keep a safe distance. If you see a motorcycle with a signal on, be careful. Be sure that the rider is turning before moving ahead.

Motorcyclists should always wear a U.S. DOT-compliant helmet with eye protection and wear leather or other sturdy clothing such as a jacket, pants, boots with nonskid soles and gloves. Add reflective strips or decals to your clothing and motorcycle to make it easier for other drivers to see you.

Also, motorcyclists should ride defensively, don't assume a driver can see you and avoid riding in a driver's blind spot. Motorcyclists should always keep their lights on, even during the day.

Both drivers and riders should never drive/ride distracted or under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs.

Funding for this program is provided by a California Office of Traffic Safety grant through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

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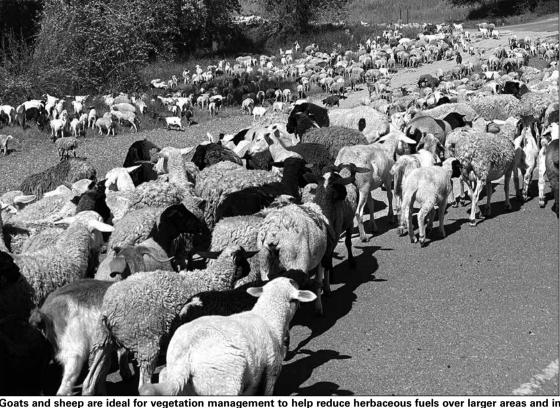
Sacramento County News Release

SACRAMEMTO COUNTY, CA (MPG) -

Have you herd the good news? Our four-legged firefighters are here and they're ready to bleat back wildfire risks! The Sacramento County Department of Regional Parks is ramping up its multi-faceted strategy to reduce wildfire risk, protect wildlife habitats, and safeguard both our natural resources and the neighborhoods that border our parks.

For its 2025 Fire Fuel Reduction Action Plan, the Department of Regional Parks has lined up sheep and goat grazing contracts, is utilizing park maintenance crews (and other manned crews through contracts with the California Conservation Corps and Sacramento Regional Conservation Corps) to maintain firebreaks and is issuing fuel reduction permits by request to property owners bordering Regional Park properties.

"Fire is an ever-present danger in our Regional Parks, and with another moderately wet winter and spring behind us, the risk will only grow as vegetation dries out," said Liz Bellas, director of Regional Parks. "I'm incredibly proud of the proactive work our staff and partners are doing to stay ahead of these risks. From hand crews and firebreaks to grazing programs and community partnerships, we're



Goats and sheep are ideal for vegetation management to help reduce herbaceous fuels over larger areas and in areas with difficult terrain that are difficult to maintain with manned crews. Photo courtesy of Sacramento County

doing everything we can to protect our parks and the people who live near them."

To reduce the potential number and size of wildfires in the Sacramento County Regional Parks system, a variety of fire management techniques are being implemented. Firebreaks, a combination of mowing, soil discing and herbicides will be used where appropriate to create perimeters around open fields, along fence lines and behind neighborhoods. This work is scheduled to be completed by the end of June. Ladder Fuel Hand-Crews is

another technique. In limited. hard-to-reach areas, hand crews will remove vegetation that could provide a path for a fire to spread upward into tree canopies, where it is much harder to

Grazing is also being employed as part of the vegetation management plan. There are thousands of acres of natural landscapes in the Sacramento County Regional Parks system. Goats and sheep are ideal for vegetation management to help reduce herbaceous fuels over larger areas and in areas with difficult terrain that are difficult to maintain with manned crews. Grazing is expected to occur through the end of June and some areas might be grazed in the summer to manage late emerging yellow star-thistle.

Residents can participate in the fire management efforts through annual encroachment permits. Those who live adjacent to Regional Parks' properties can apply for free annual encroachment permits to maintain a firebreak behind their property line. These permits allow residents to string-trim herbaceous vegetation up to 50 feet beyond their private property line. To request a permit, provide your name, address and contact information to Regional Parks at parksinfo@SacCounty.gov.

In addition to these proven fire-fuel reduction measures, our Ranger Division is continuing its education and enforcement campaign related to illegal fires and cooking along the parkway in an effort to reduce the number of new fire outbreaks.

Visitors to Sacramento County Regional Parks should be aware of the following regulations. Open-flame fires are not allowed and barbequing is only permitted in designated picnic areas. Smoking is only allowed in developed picnic areas, on asphalt surfaces, within golf courses and on levee tops along the American River Parkway.

Visit regionalparks.saccounty.gov/Rangers/Pages/ FireRiskReduction.aspx to learn more about the 2025 Fire Fuel Reduction Action Plan for Sacramento County Parks. If you see a fire burning in our Regional Parks, call 9-1-1.

Sacramento Book Festival **Created for All Ages**



Catriona McPherson





Sharon Johnson-Fujimoto

"The Mochi Makers" celebrates the joy of a girl and her grandmother spending the day making mochi together. "Shell-Song: Based on a True Family Story" also focuses on family and tradition by drawing on the expe-

"When I was a young girl, I inherited my grandfather's seashell collection. He had collected these shells in a Japanese American incarceration camp in Hawaii during World War II. My grandfather's shells carried his story across generations to me," Fujimoto-Johnson said. "It is such an honor to share his story in my new book, 'Shell-Song,' the first children's book to address the incarceration camps in Hawaii. Digitally collaged into the artwork for this book are my grandfather's actual shells (and) texture from my grandmother's wedding kimono."

Sacramento gained one of its most wellknown authors, McPherson, when she emigrated from Scotland.

"I write all over the mystery map: pre- and post-WWII detective fiction and modern psychological thrillers, all set in Scotland. It was a concern when I immigrated to California, let me tell you," McPherson said. "Turns out you lovely American readers have voracious appetites for both. Thank you, Masterpiece Theater, I reckon; between the period drama and the Nordic Noir, I fit right in. That said, I also write comic mysteries about a Scot who's moved to a 'fictional' college town in NorCal (it's Davis) and nothing makes me happier than sharing them with local readers who get all the references. I say it with love ... but I still say it." McPherson will be part of the historical

Burgers and ShakesFood Truck.

The Sacramento Book Festival's host, the California Writers Club-Sacramento Branch, is celebrating its centennial year this year. The California Writers Club-Sacramento Branch has 175 members, aged 17 to the 90s. For more information about the California Writers Club-Sacramento Branch, go online

Connections Academy at Gateway Offers K-10 Virtual Schooling The tuition-free virtual public charter program

is now enrolling for the 2025-2026 school year

Connections Academy at Gateway News Release

MCCLELLAN, CA (MPG) - Connections Academy at Gateway, a program within Community Collaborative Charter School that is part of Gateway Community Charters, is a new tuition-free online charter school program that will begin operating for the 2025-2026 school year. Through this partnership, the online program will provide innovative, high-quality, standards-based educational opportunities for all students. This program will be open to students in grades K-10 living in Amador, Contra Costa, El Dorado, Placer. Sacramento, San Joaquin, Solano, Sutter, and Yolo counties. Connections Academy at Gateway is now enrolling for the 2025-2026 school year.

Connections Academy at Gateway will offer families the nationally recognized Connections Academy program and award-winning curriculum. In collaboration with Community Collaborative Charter Schools, the online program will combine California-credentialed teachers, a rigorous, standards-aligned curriculum, technology tools, and social engagement to create a student-focused learn-

A common need expressed by many families is the desire for greater flexibility in the learning environment. Connections Academy at Gateway will meet the needs of students who will benefit from the flexibility to fit school into their lives and seek academic challenges in line with state standards with a fully online program. Teachers are trained to deliver instruction and provide individualized support to meet each student's academic needs and learning preferences in a virtual environment. A parent, or another adult "Learning Coach," will play a key role alongside the California-credentialed teachers to set daily routines, monitor student progress in the home, and track attendance. Learning Coaches will be trained and supported by robust resources and communication tools designed to help families succeed.

The new online program will provide students access to core classes and engaging electives, as well as virtual clubs, field trips, events, and activities throughout the year. The flexible schedule allows students time to play sports, explore art, volunteer, or pursue their passions outside of the virtual classroom.

Families will benefit from Connections Academy's College and Early Career Readiness program for middle and high school students equipping them with durable skills like leadership, critical thinking, and

teamwork. Students can participate in career exploration and industry networking opportunities to build confidence, make connections, and find direction to prepare for their future. "Connections Academy at Gateway is an

exciting new partnership bringing the nation-

ally recognized Connections Academy

program to students in the Northern California region through Gateway Community Charters," said Dr. Donna Hutchison, Vice President for Educational Partnerships in Pearson's Virtual Learning division, which delivers Connections Academy online learning solutions. "For over two decades, Gateway Community Charters has been a leader in providing high-quality, innovative education, and this collaboration expands those opportunities by offering a flexible, tuition-free online learning option tailored to self-motivated, tech-savvy students. Together, we are committed to empowering families with a personalized approach to education that fosters

Connections Academy at Gateway will serve a maximum of 500 students in grades K-10 during its first year. As a public-school program, there are no fees or tuition to attend Connections Academy at Gateway and all students are required to meet the same academic standards and take the same assessments as traditional public school students.

academic success and community connection."

"We are thrilled to introduce Connections Academy at Gateway, a program of our Community Collaborative Charter School, by expanding our commitment to providing high-quality, innovative education options for students across the Sacramento region and beyond," said Jason Sample, CEO and Superintendent of Gateway Community Charters. "By partnering with Connections Academy, we are offering families a flexible, personalized online learning experience that empowers students with the skills and support they need to succeed in an ever-evolving

Interested families are encouraged to visit the website at connectionsacademy.com/ california-gateway-online-school/ or call 1-833-591-0251 to learn more.

About Connections Academy at Gateway

Connections Academy at Gateway is a tuition-free, online public charter school for K-10 students in Northern California, serving nine counties. Launching in the 2025-2026 school year in partnership with Community Collaborative Charter School, it offers a high-quality, accredited virtual education through the nationally recognized Connections Academy program. The school emphasizes academic success, life skills, and personalized support to help students thrive and become confident, resilient learners. Learn more at connectionsacademy.com/ california-gateway-online-school. **About Gateway Community Charters**

Community Collaborative Charter School is part of Gateway Community Charters, which has served families in Sacramento and Yolo counties since 2003. Now operating nine schools across 22+ locations, the organization provides quality public school choices to over 5,800 students. Learn more at gcccharters.org or call 916-286-5129.

California Writers Club-Sacramento **Branch News Release**

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - Excitement is growing throughout the regional reading community about the May 31 inaugural Sacramento Book Festival presented by the California Writers Club-Sacramento Branch.

More than 130 local authors will tempt readers with their books for adults and children from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 31 at the Shepard Garden and Arts Center adjacent to McKinley Park, 3330 McKinley Blvd., East Sacramento. Authors from every neighborhood in the Sacramento area will meet

In addition, popular authors of mystery, thriller, romance, sci-fi/fantasy, historical fiction and Black women's literature will participate in panel talks throughout the day.

The Kids Zone will host activities and readings with children's authors. The schedule and information about the

attending authors, as well as on the festival's other activities, can be found online at SacramentoBookFestival.com.

three attending authors to whet reader appetites: James Rollins, Sharon Johnson-Fujimoto and Catriona McPherson.

Festival volunteers briefly interviewed

Rollins, the No. 1 New York Times bestselling author of international thrillers and high fantasy, has sold more than 20-million

One of the first authors on board with the festival, Rollins shared his enthusiasm about the event. 'While I've not ventured far from the

Sacramento Valley, having only moved up to Tahoe, I look forward to returning to my roots. My veterinary practice was in the Greenhaven/Pocket area, so an event at McKinley Park is like coming home," Rollins said. "At the festival, I'm glad to share how a local veterinarian became an author. And not just the author of one genre of fiction but of two: action thrillers and high fantasy. I still continue to write in both fields, with 'Arkangel' being my latest Sigma thriller and 'A Dragon of Black Glass' continuing a four-book fantasy series. Hopefully, I'll also have further news about Sigma being picked up by Amazon MGM for a streaming

Starting off the day in the Kids Zone will be children's author Fujimoto-Johnson.

Fuilmoto-Johnson is a Japanese American author-illustrator of two children's picture books, "The Mochi Makers" and "Shell-Song: Based on a True Family Story.'

riences of the author's grandfather.

fiction panel and signing. The 130-plus authors will be seated at

tables, ready for visiting with readers of all ages and sharing their tales. Food will be available from the Ju-Ju

to cwcsacramentowriters.org.

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Aggies Make Statement at Lubbock Regionals

University of Davis **Athletics News Release**

DAVIS, CA (MPG) - University of California Davis women's golf put the nation on notice at the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Lubbock Regionals, finishing better than number 18 Arizona and just one stroke off the final cut line with an impressive seventh-place finish to wrap up a historic season.

In the clubhouse: The final cut line ended up being +25, and the final spot was decided by a onehole playoff between Purdue and Texas A&M, showcasing how competitive the week was in Lubbock, Texas.

Skyler May set the tone for the Aggies, shooting -3 for the fourth-best round on the day, and her +2 overall placed her eighth in the final standings. May recorded four birdies, including back-to-back on 16 and 17.

Vani Karimanal put on a show, shooting -2 with three birdies, climbing 15 spots to finish



Here is the University of California at Davis women's golf team, who put the nation on notice at the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Lubbock Regionals on May 6. Photo courtesy of UC Davis Athletics

36th overall and much like May. Karimanal used an early showing of back-to-back birdies on 15 and 16 (the Aggies teed off on 10) to pace her round.

Abby Leighton finished 19th

overall, shooting +5 for the tournament and +1 on the day, rounding out the pair of Aggies that finished inside the top 20.

Lauren Calderon finished +15 for the tournament and Yu Bai ended her three rounds at +13. Aggie Scores: NCAA Championships (Lubbock Regional), The Rawls Course at Texas Tech and Par 72 to 6,701

yards: Skyler May (eighth):

76-73-69 (+2); Abby Leighton (19th): 75-73-73 (+5); Vani Karimanal (36th): 78-80-70 (+12); Yu Bai (41st): 78-74-77 (+5); Lauren Calderon (48th): 80-76-75 (+15).

All-Conference Honors



American River College Baseball standouts Jayden Reynolds (Bella Vista) and **Dylan Westbrook (Oak Ridge)** 8 Conference honors, it was announced on April 30. Photo courtesy of American River College

American River College News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG) -American River College Baseball standouts Jayden Reynolds (Bella Vista) and Dylan Westbrook (Oak Ridge) earned 2025 first team All-BIG 8 Conference honors it was announced on April 30.

Reynolds, who was second team All-Conference last season was second in the conference with 37 hits in 24 game this season. He hit .352 in conference play with 16 runs batted in (RBI). The sophomore second base (2B) also made just five errors on the

Westbrook was named first team All-BIG 8 Conference as a utility player for his work as an outfielder and as a pitcher. The freshman hit .338 in 22 conference games and was second in BIG 8 Conference

play with five home runs. Westbrook also had 15 runs batted in and had more walks (16) than strikeouts (13). On the mound he was one to three with a save in conference play with a 4.46 earned run average (ERA).

Sophomore Right Fielder (RF) Jonas Dyas (Folsom) and freshmen First Base (1B) Lance Sabatke (River City), Third Base (3B) Bryce Sabatke (River City), Designated Hitter (DH) Jackson Nichols (Valley Christian) and Out Field (OF) Rylan Pope (McClatchy) earned honorable mention for their BIG 8 Conference performances this season.

The Beavers traveled to Santa Rosa to play the number one ranked Bear Cubs in the first round of the Northern California Playoffs. It is a best twoof-three series with game one on May 2, after

Reynolds, Westbrook Earn St. Francis Celebrates 17 Future Collegiate Athletes

St. Francis Catholic High School News Release

SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG) - St. Francis Catholic High School honored a total of 17 senior students who committed to compete in ten different collegiate sports during the spring edition of its National Letter of Intent and College Commitment celebration on the morning of May 1.

Alphabetically, the guests of honor comprised Estella Bacsafra, Westmont (soccer); Sarah Bashore, Framingham State (soccer); Piper Brostrom, La Salle (water polo); Abigail Collier, Mount St. Mary's (water polo); Miranda Ferguson, Long Beach CC (water polo); Kylee Garrett, Pacific (softball); Olivia Hamm, Lynn (lacrosse); Emily Hartman, Quinnipiac (rugby); Addison Hutchcraft, LIU (water polo); Anna Jurrens, Seattle (rowing); Gwyneth O'Brien, Saint Mary's (rowing); Lucie Pickering Pick, Westmont (cross country/track); Sophia Santsche-Chavez, Long Beach CC (water polo); Zia Smith, Colorado Mesa (lacrosse); Sydney Teoh, Chapman (basketball); and Paige Vicente, UC Santa Cruz (diving).

The event on May 1 serves as a companion to the November event, which recognized nine Troubadours: Carly Hall, Pacific (soccer); Mia Hill, St. Bonaventure (swimming); Erica Jaffe, University of California, Los Angeles (swimming); Maggie Koerwitz, San Francisco (soccer); Claire Krotine, Santa Clara (softball); Sofia Rabinovitz, Hastings (soccer); Marissa Recio, Fresno State (swimming); Megan Sands, Southern Methodist University (rowing); and Isabelle Schmid, Cal Poly (swimming).

The total of 26 future collegiate student-athletes marks the highest on record for St. Francis since the 2018 class, which had 28 graduates go on to play at the next level. However, the exact total for the 2025 seniors remains to be determined, as not all future collegians report their status or participate in the ceremonies.

St. Francis athletics director Ryan Chisolm also recognized coaches, teachers, guidance counselors and administrators who played a part in the Troubadours' academic, athletic and spiritual growth during their time at the Sacramento area's premier all-girls college prep school.

Each student-athlete have selected the col-

at, listed below: Estella Bacsafra, soccer athlete, intends on studying business and economics at

lege and/or university they will be studying

Westmont College. Sarah Bashore, soccer athlete intends to

study at Framingham State. Piper Brostrom, water polo athlete, plans on studying special education at La Salle

Abigail Collier, water polo athlete, plans to study economics at Mount St. Mary's College.

Miranda Ferguson, water polo athlete, plans to study biological psychology at Long Beach City College.

Kylee Garrett, softball athlete, intends on majoring in health and exercise sciences.

Olivia Hamm, lacrosse athlete, plans to study psychology as a Fighting Knight.

Emily Hartman, rugby athlete, plans on studying physical therapy (health science studies) at Quinnipiac University.

Addison Hutchcraft, water polo athlete, plans to study nursing at Long Island University.Gabriella Honig, rowing athlete, plans to study nursing at Saint Mary's

Anna Jurrens, rowing athlete, will study nursing at Seattle University.

Gwyneth O'brien, rowing athlete, plans on majoring in biology at St. Mary's

Lucie Pickering Pick, cross country/track and field athlete, will study business and economics at Westmont College.

Sophia Santsche-Chavez, water polo athlete, aspires to become a firefighter and will major in Long Beach City College's fire science program.

Zia Smith, lacrosse athlete, intends to study at Colorado Mesa University.

Sydney Teoh, basketball athlete, will study health sciences at Chapman University.

Paige Vicente, diving athlete, intends on studying biology and economics at University of California, Santa Cruz.

Shaquille and Shaqir O'Neal Join the Hornets

By MPG Staff

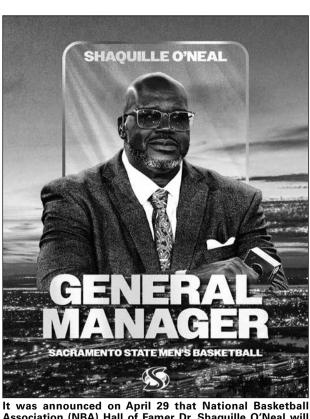
SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)

National Basketball Association (NBA) Hall of Famer Dr. Shaquille O'Neal will serve as the general manager of Sacramento State University men's basketball starting in the 2025-2026 season.

O'Neal joins the program shortly after the appointment of former Sacramento Kings star Mike Bibby as head coach and the recruitment of his son, Shaqir O'Neal, who was signed to the team in early April.

Shaquille O'Neal, famously known as Shaq, will focus on recruitment, marketing and holistic player development both on and off the basketball court. He has waived a salary and will serve in a volunteer capacity, according to Sacramento State Athletics.

The staff page for Shaquille O'Neal for Sacramento State Men's Basketballs states that he was born in Newark, New Jersey, on March 6, 1972. He is considered to be one of the most dominant basketball players in National Basketball Association's history. Standing at sevenfoot-one inches, weighing 325 pounds, Shaq's larger-thanlife personality and powerful



Association (NBA) Hall of Famer Dr. Shaquille O'Neal will be the general manager for the Sacramento State men's basketball team. Photo courtesy of Sacramento State Athletics

wide admiration and one of the largest fan bases in sports and entertainment. "I know what it takes

athleticism resulted in world-

to build a winning culture. Coach Bibby, President Wood and Athletic Director Mark Orr are putting something powerful together at Sacramento State and I'm honored to be part of it,"

Shaquille O'Neal shared to

"This is more about banners and trophies but preparing these student-athletes for life Shaquille O'Neal played

Sacramento State Athletics.

on-and-off the court." for six teams throughout his 19-year basketball career and was inducted into the Naismith Memorial

Basketball Hall of Fame in 2016. "His presence, experience and leadership will elevate everything we're building here and that's why I reached out to Shaq to get involved with the program," Bibby said.

Sacramento State President Luke Wood also shared his thoughts on Shaquille O'Neal's arrival as general manager to the Hornets.

"This is an incredible moment for Sacramento State. Shaquille O'Neal is a difference-maker in everything he touches and we are thrilled to have him join our program. I'm especially grateful to Coach Bibby for making this extraordinary partnership possible," Wood said. "He is showing what we already knew that he will transform Sacramento State Basketball and elevate the program to a top tier national program."

recruit following Bibby's

Shaquille O'Neal's son, Shaqir O'Neal, was the first

appointment as head coach of the men's basketball team. In a news release from Sacramento State Athletics on April 5, it was announced that Shaqir O'Neal will be a senior next season playing for the Hornets.

Here are Shaqir O'Neal's basketball career background and highlights. Standing at six-foot-eight inches, 200-pounds, he is a forward position from Los Angeles. He played his junior season (2024 to 2025) at Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University of the Southwestern Athletic Conference, after spending his first three seasons (redshirt in 2021 to 2022) with Texas Southern of the Southwestern Athletic Conference.

Last season at Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University, Shaqir O'Neal played in 27 games (15 starts), averaged 6.7 points

and 3.2 rebounds on 50%

shooting (65-129) from the field and 41% (17-42) from the three-point line. He scored in double figures seven times, including a pair of 20-point games and had a double-double (12 points, 10 rebounds) in a win over Alcorn State. Shaqir O'Neal played in 40

games during his two active seasons at Texas Southern (2022 to 2024). He was a three-star recruit

out of high school, being a 2021 graduate of Union Grove High School in McDonough, Georgia, Shaqir O'Neal played his senior season for the Wolverines. He played his first three prep seasons with Crossroads High School in Santa Monica. "We are pleased to

announce the signing of Shaqir. He gives us size and tremendous versatility. Shaqir has made a habit of performing his best during games against the strongest competition," Bibby said.

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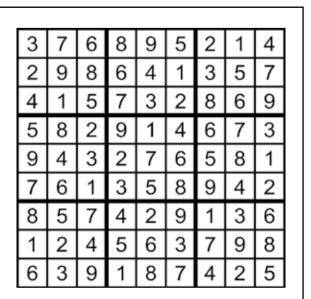




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measurements 47. Old horse

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61. U2 guitarist 62. *Clearasil target 63. Ballpark fig. 64. Wine choice

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fertility 2. *Domino's nickname 3. German Mrs.

4. Coiffed 5. Turn pumpkin into Jack-

o-Lantern 6. "Pomp and Circumstance" composer

7. Low-ranking worker

8. Certain Scandinavian 9. 52 cards

10. Fireplace mess

12. Beer mug 13. Use elbow grease

14. *First Black nominee of Oscar for Best Actor 19. City in Northern France

22. Neon or radon, e.a.

23. Church bell sounds 24. Lituray instrument

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husband 27. "Fear of Flying" author

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28. Type of rug 29. Christmas help, pl.

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Sacramento County Fair Returns

Sacramento County Fair News Release

SACRAMENTO, CA (MPG)

Get ready, Sacramento! The Sacramento County Fair is back this Memorial Day weekend, May 22 through 26, bringing five days of family-friendly fun, delicious fair food and thrilling entertainment.

This year's fair, themed "Cowboy Boots & Fair Roots," celebrates the best of Sacramento with exhilarating Grandstand Events.

Sacramento County Fair Entertainment Lineup 2025

Each night, the main stage will host dynamic performances, kicking off with Eric "EQ" Young and his signature sound, followed by Red Rocker Revisited delivering a tribute to one of rock's greatest icons. HipNosis and Maya Latin Tribute Band will keep the energy high with music guaranteed to get the crowd moving, and Gunpowder & Lace will deliver a stomping country finale to an unforgettable weekend.

Beyond the main stage, daily performances will keep fairgoers entertained at every turn. The mesmerizing illusions of Murray and Teresa will leave audiences in awe, while The Drumheads bring high-energy drumming performances that captivate and excite. The Wilder Show promises a mix of comedy, stunts, and surprises, and Tina Marie, the hypnotist, will have guests questioning reality with her mind-bending act.

Kid-Friendly Fun: Animal **Encounters and Farm Garden**

This year's fair offers a variety of engaging activities designed to delight children of all ages, from adorable farm animals to fastpaced pig races and interactive learning experiences.

Don't miss the high-energy All Alaskan Racing Pigs, where these pint-sized athletes dash, leap and

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athletes dash, leap and compete in a sprint around the track. Photo courtesy of



animal during the Sacramento County Fair. Photo courtesy of Sacramento County Fair

track. This hilarious competition will have you on the edge of your seat cheering on your favorite lit-

Little ones can get up close and personal with a delightful mix of farm animals at the Petting Farm. From soft, cuddly bunnies to playful goats and gentle ponies, kids can feed, pet and learn about these friendly animals in a safe and interactive environment.

Dare to come face-to-face with some of the ocean's most fascinating creatures at the Live Shark Encounters! This exciting exhibit gives visitors the opportunity to learn about these majestic predators while witnessing them up

Get ready to be amazed by Brad's World Reptiles, where kids can get hands-on with snakes, lizards and other incredible reptiles. This exhibit is perfect for curious minds who want to learn more about the world's most unique cold-blooded creatures.

Farm Garden in a Wheelbarrow

The Farm Garden in A Wheelbarrow program is a fantastic way for children in kindergarten through sixth-grade to discover the magic of agriculture. This interactive learning experience teaches kids how food grows, from farm to table, in a fun, hands-on setting. Open to schools, after-school pro-



hands-on with snakes, lizards and other incredible reptiles. Photo courtesy of

4-H clubs, this activity meets state classroom standards and encourages agricultural appreciation. Every participant receives a ribbon, with top winners earning placement awards and the prestigious Best of Show Rosette!

Sacramento County Fair 2025 **Grandstand Events**

On Friday, May 23 experience the Hot Rod & Smoker Truck Pulls. Feel the ground shake as massive trucks battle it out, pulling incredible weights with impressive precision and raw power. Expect roaring engines, flying dirt and raw horsepower as these machines battle it out for the Best on the Dirt. Doors open at 6 p.m. and showtime is at 7 p.m.

The Stars and Stripes Rodeo will take place Saturday, May 24. Join us at the arena for a night of fearless riders, bucking broncos and bull-riding mastery. This high-energy rodeo showcases the skill and courage of competitors taking one of the toughest endurance and strength challenges you've ever seen. Doors open at 6 p.m. and showtime is at 7 p.m.

On Sunday, May 25, El Gran Bailazo takes the stage. Get ready to dance at El Gran Bailazo at the Sacramento County Fair. Enjoy an electrifying night of live music, vibrant energy and nonstop regional Mexican rhythms. It's the ultimate fiesta you don't want to miss! Doors open at 3 p.m. and showtime is at 4 p.m.

Destruction Derby will take place Monday, May 26. Brace yourself for chaos and collisions as fearless drivers go head-to-head in an action-packed showdown. Watch as cars crash, spin and battle for supremacy in the ultimate test of endurance and strategy. Doors will open at 1 p.m. and showtime is at 2 p.m.

And of course, no fair is complete without the classics. Indulge in your favorite fair treats and carnival rides, catch live musical performances and make memories that will last a lifetime.

Don't miss out on discounted pre-sale pricing when purchasing tickets before May 21.

General admission is \$12 for adults and \$10 for youth aged 12 to 17, with free entry for children under 12. Pre-sale arena admission is \$14, which does not include the required fair admission. Additionally, pre-sale carnival wristbands are available for \$33, although these wristbands do not include the fair admission. All ticket pricing now includes all fees.

For more information, visit www.sacfair.com.

About the Sacramento County Fair

More than 100,000 guests will enjoy the Sacramento County Fair on Memorial Day Weekend, May 22 through 26, at Cal Expo. More than 10,000 young students will participate in educational school tours, and 5,000 local Sacramento residents will compete for awards in the livestock and competitive exhibit



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